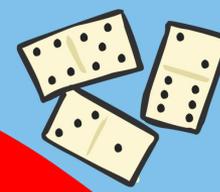
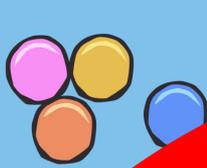


Telling the Time in Blocks Of 5 Minutes



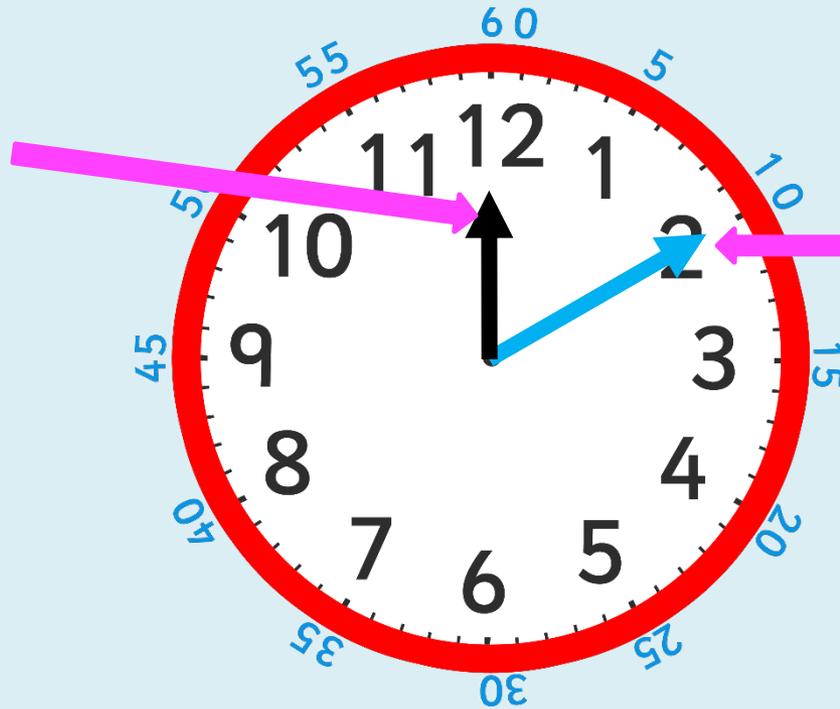


There are 2 parts of a clock – the part that shows the hour and the part that shows the minutes.

Which hand shows the hours?

Which hand shows the minutes?

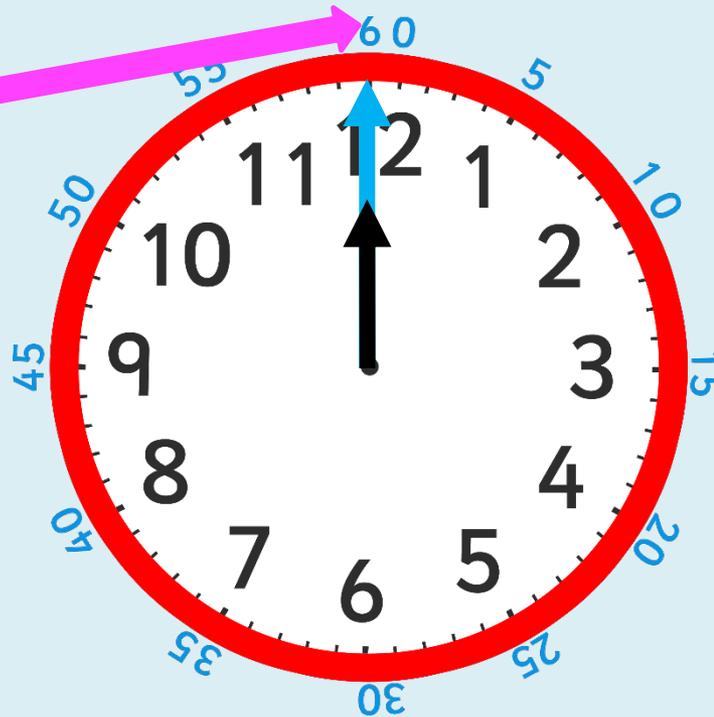
Minute hand



Minute hand

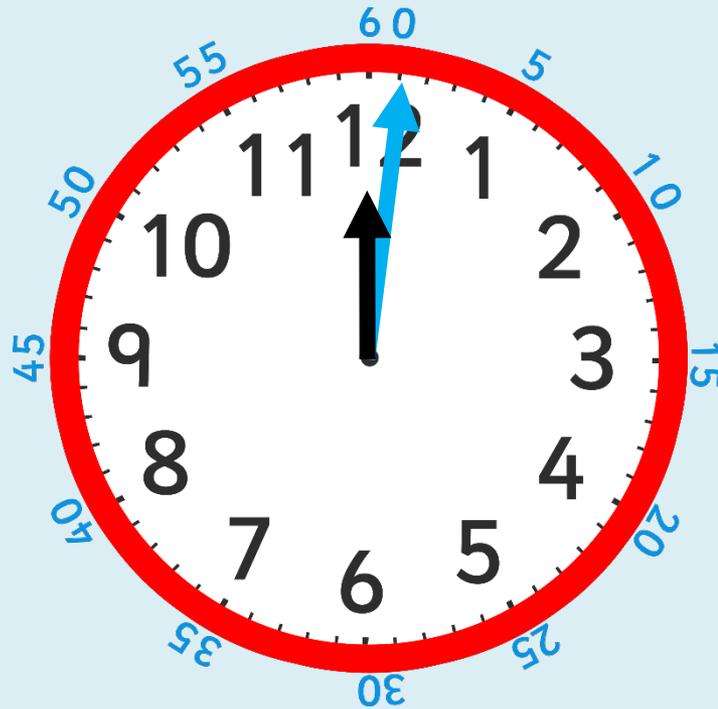
The **long hand (blue)** shows the **minutes**.
The **short (black)** hand shows the **hours**.

Can you see
how many
minutes
there are on
the clock?

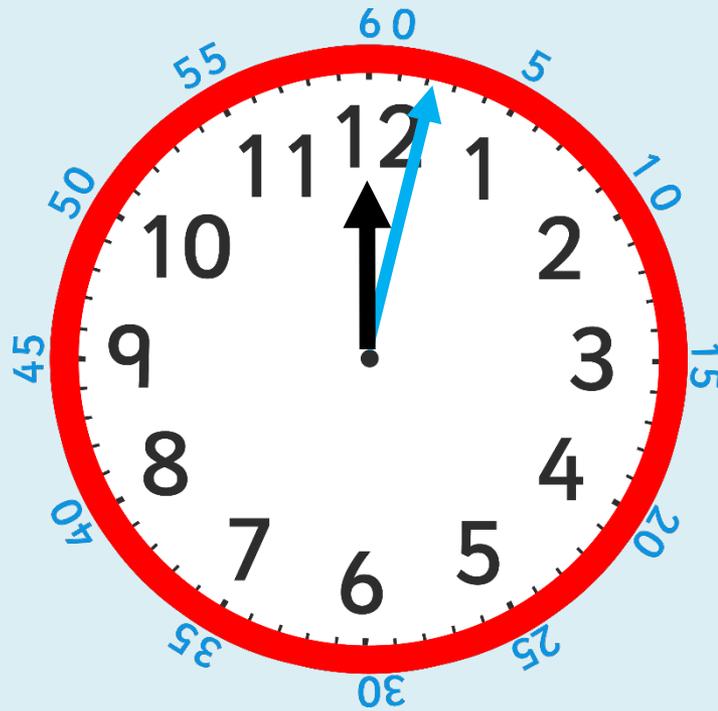


BUT there are also minutes on a clock face – even if you can't always see them because they're so small! Each little line shows a minute!

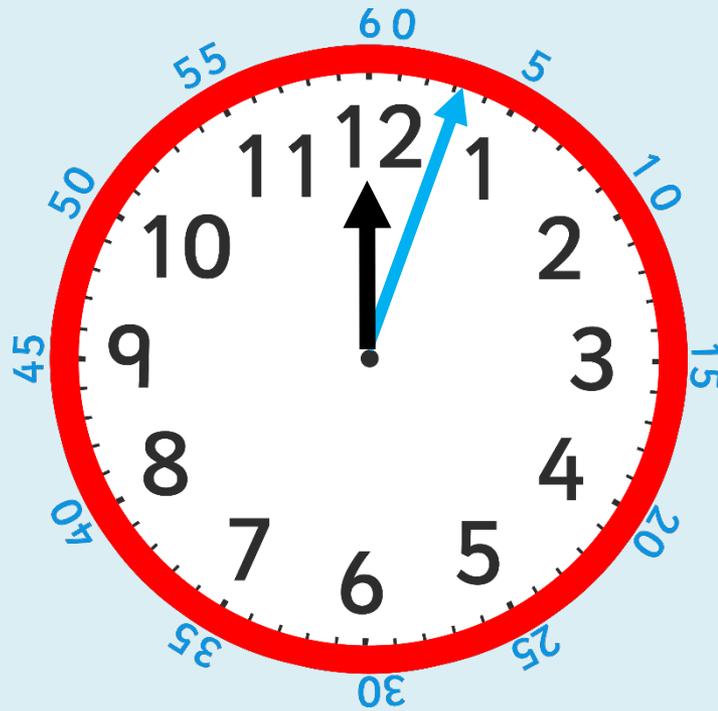
Can you see the **blue numbers on the outside**?
They show the **minutes**.



If you look closely, the **minute hand** is showing **1 minute** past the 12.

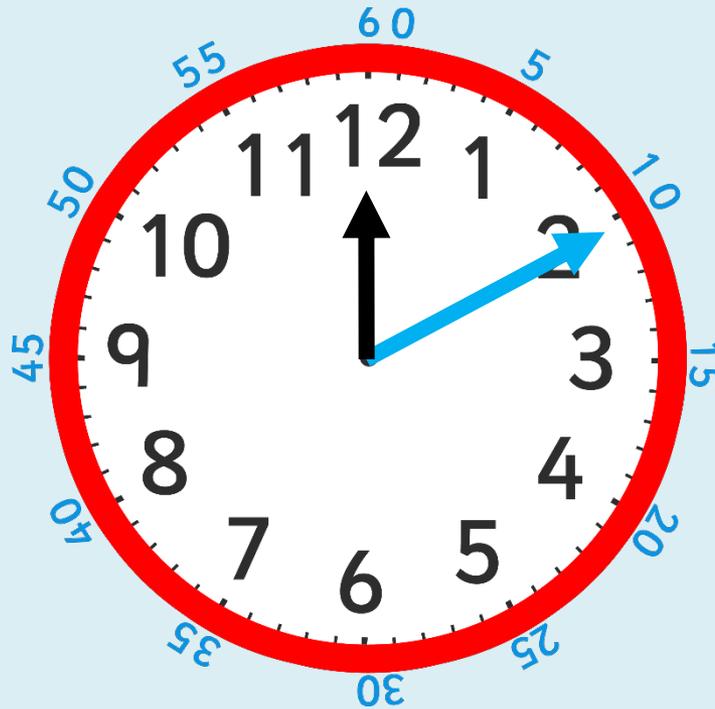


Now the **minute hand** is showing
2 minutes past the 12.



And now it's showing **3 minutes** past the 12.

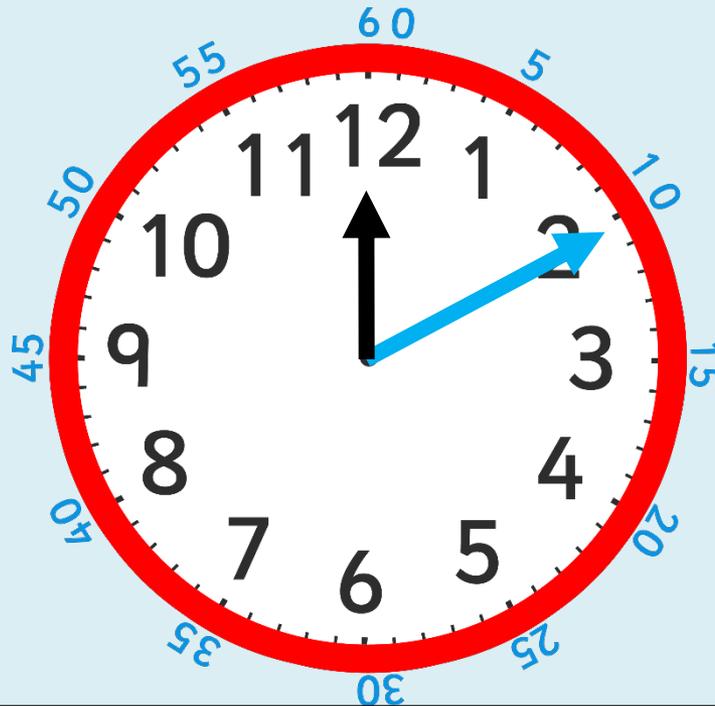
Every minute the minute hand will tick by.



How many **minutes** past does the **minute hand** show here?

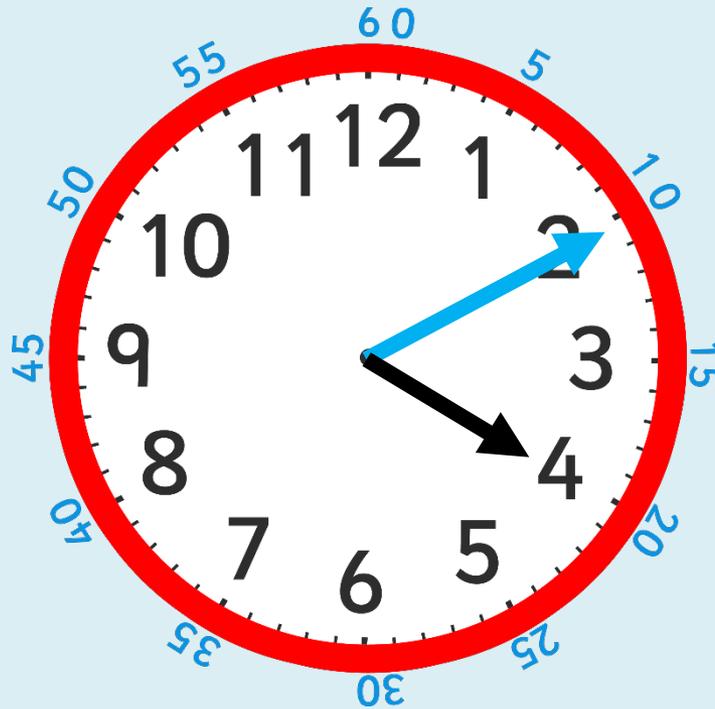
Does it show 2 minutes past or 10 minutes past?

Remember we're looking at the **blue minutes** not the black hours!



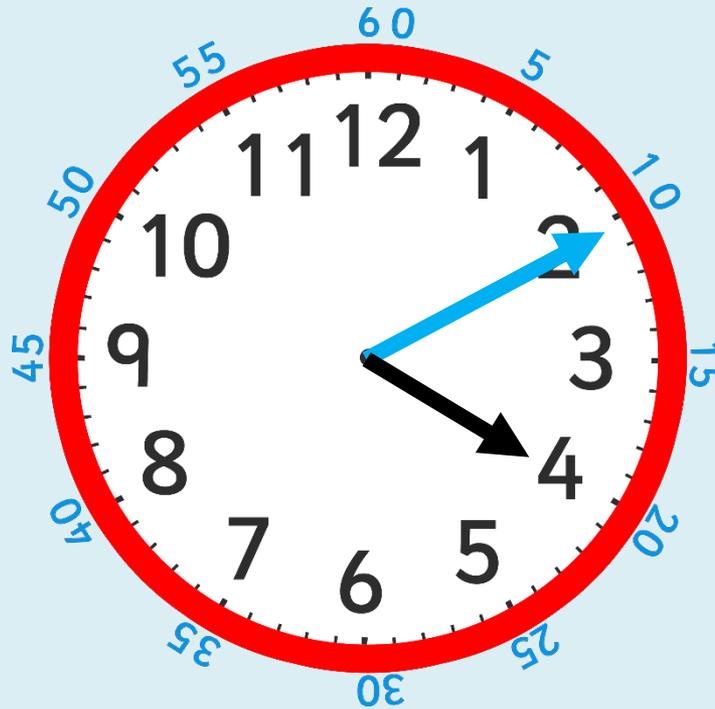
It shows **10 minutes** past the hour.

This clock shows **10 minutes** past 12.
The hour hand (short black hand) is pointing to the 12 so we know it's **10 minutes** past 12.

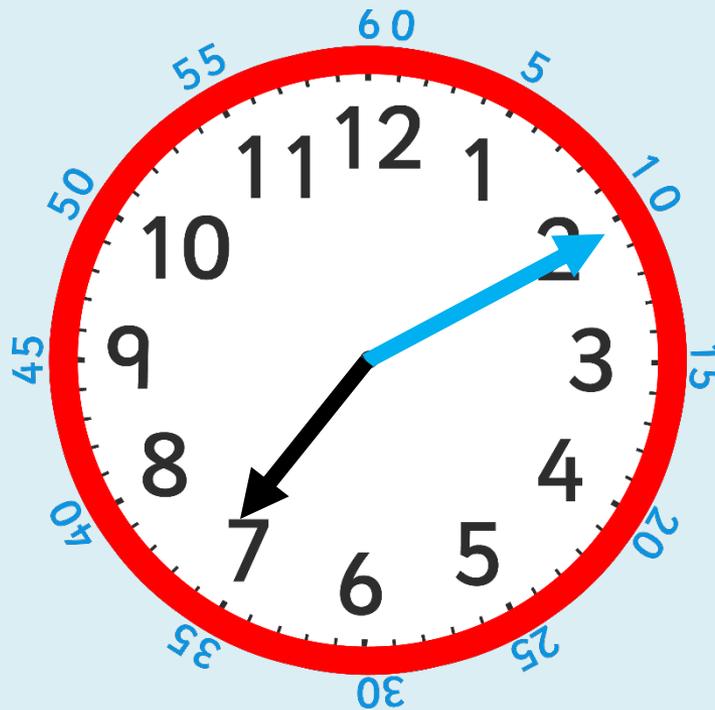


This clock **also** shows 10 minutes past the hour.

But, which hour?

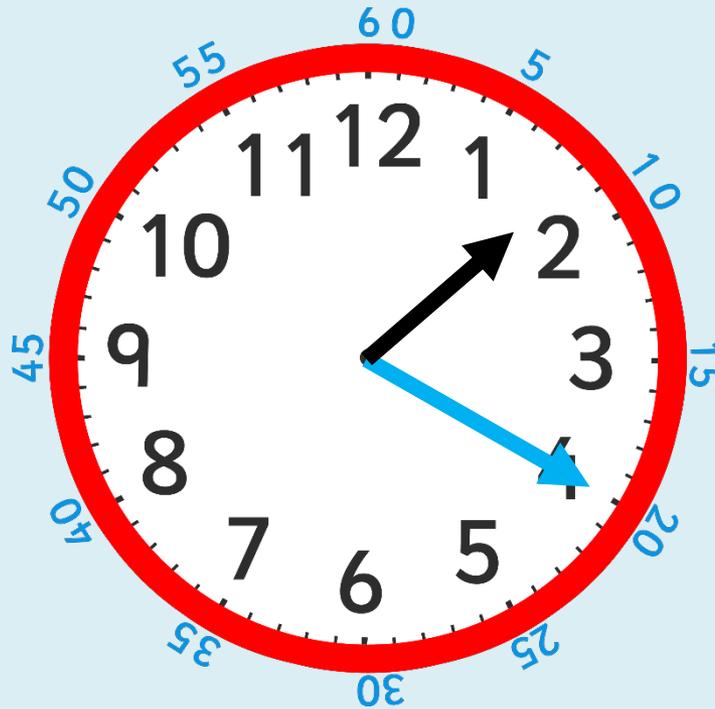


Well done!
It's 10 minutes past 4 o'clock.



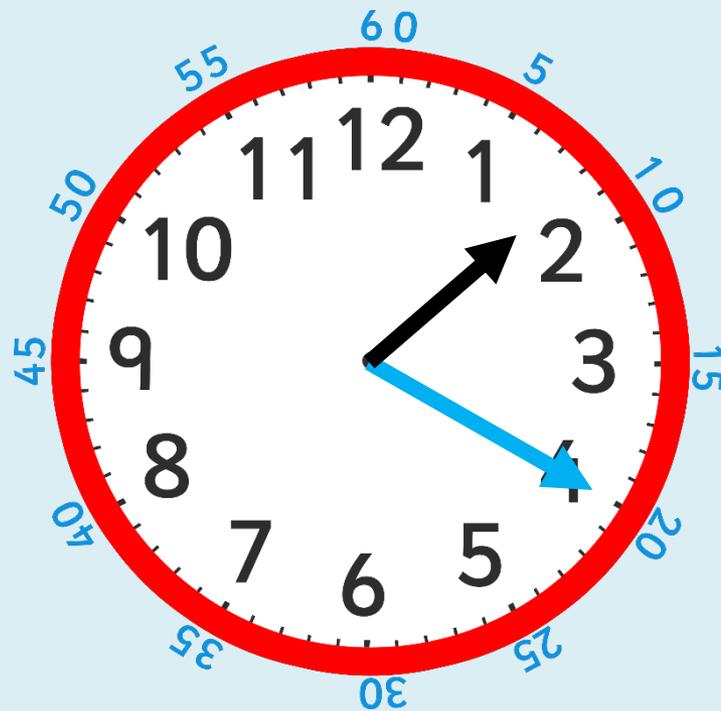
Black numbers are the hours and blue numbers are the minutes.

The time is **10** minutes **past 7**.



How many **minutes past** is the minute hand pointing to?

What time does the clock show?
(**blue** past **black**)



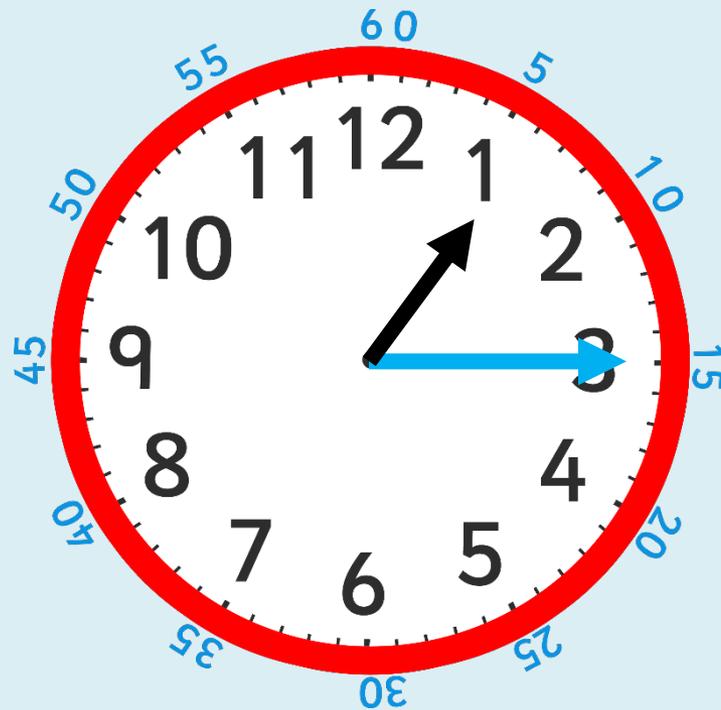
The time is 20 minutes past 1.



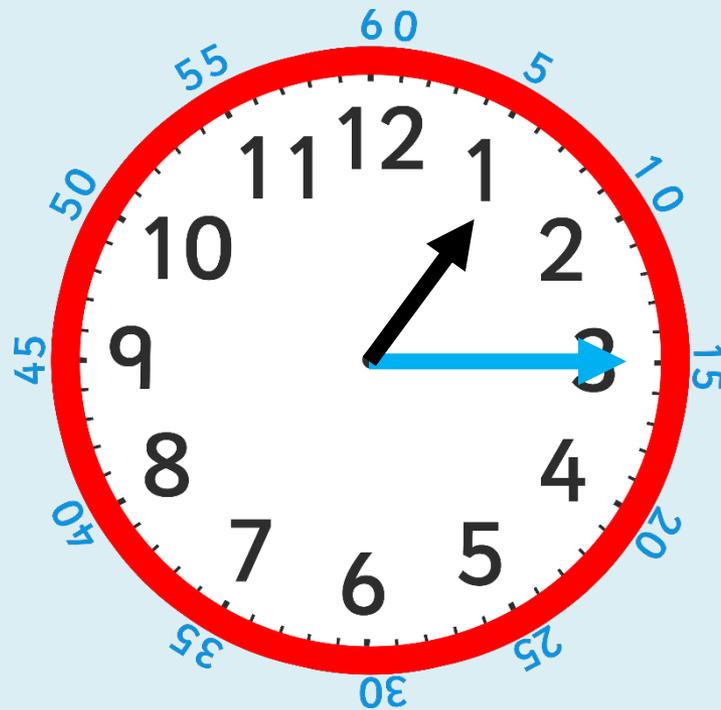
What time is this clock showing us?



The time is 25 minutes past 3.

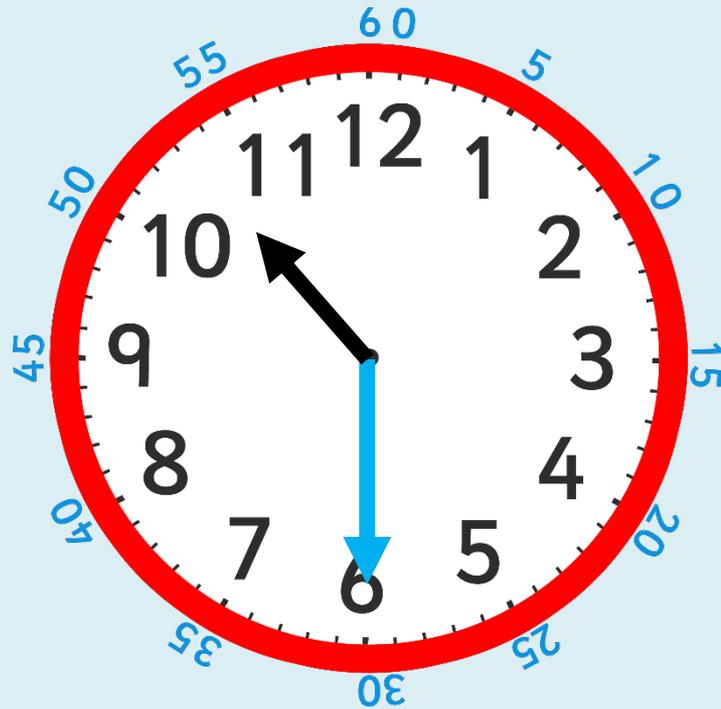


How many minutes past does the minute hand show?



The clock is showing 15 minutes past 1.

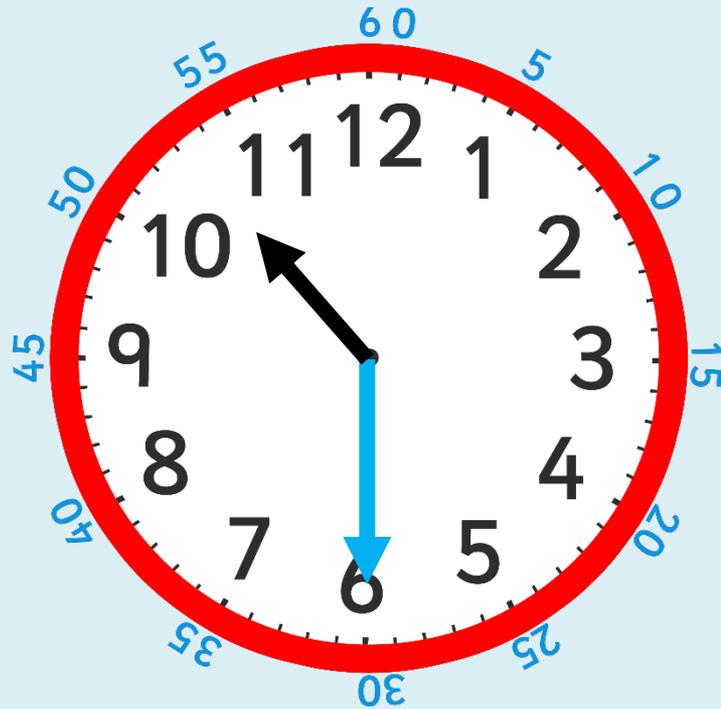
We also call this quarter past – but we'll learn about this another day!



How many minutes past is this clock showing?

What is the proper name for this time?

Where is the hour hand pointing to?



The clock is showing 30 minutes past 10.

We call this **half past** 10.