

Identify a number, its opposite, and its absolute value.

Key Vocabulary

Integers (enteros)

The set of all whole numbers and their opposites.

opposites (opuestos)

Two numbers that are equal distance from zero on a number line.

absolute value (valor absoluto)

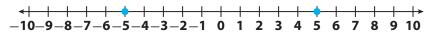
A number's distance from 0 on the number line.

What It Means to You

You will learn see that the absolute value of a number is its distance from 0.

UNPACKING EXAMPLE 6.2.B

Use the number line to determine the absolute values.



$$|-5|=5$$
 because -5 is 5 units from 0

$$|5| = 5$$
 because 5 is 5 units from 0