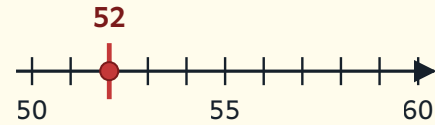


ROUNDING TO THE NEAREST 10

- 1 52 sits between **50** and **60**.
- 2 The units digit is **2**, which is less than 5, so 52 is nearer **50**.
- 3 So 52 rounds down to **50**.



 WARM-UP

Mark each number on the number line, then circle the nearer ten it rounds to.



1. Mark 38, 46 and 55 on the line between 30 and 60.
2. For each one, name the two tens it sits between.
3. Circle the ten each number is nearer to.

 PRACTICE

- 1 A bag of apples costs **38 cent** . Round **38** to the nearest **10 cent** .
- 2 There are **74** buns on the bakery tray. Round **74** to the nearest **10** .
- 3 A shopper puts **46** oranges in a box. Round **46** to the nearest **10** .
- 4 A shelf holds **55** tins of beans. Round **55** to the nearest **10** .
- 5 The fruit stall sold **91** bananas today. Round **91** to the nearest **10** .

! SPOT THE MISTAKE

Sean rounds 65 to the nearest 10 like this:

65 is halfway between 60 and 70.
Halfway means round down.
So 65 rounds to 60.

Sean used the wrong halfway rule. What is the correct answer?

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REFLECT

When you round, do you picture a number line or check the digits? Which suits you better?