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## **Comparing Numbers**

Use these symbols to compare numbers.

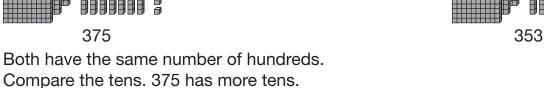
< is less than

> is greater than

= is equal to

Compare 375 and 353.





375 is greater than 353.

375 > 353

Compare the numbers. Use <, >, or =.

- **1.** 36 27
- **2.** 278 285
- **3.** 692 690

- **4.** 842 824
- **5.** 4,669 4,705
- **6.** 7,305 7,305

- **7.** 1,100 998
- **8.** 5,436 )5,436
- **9.** 323 ( ) 333
- 10. Reason Write a 3-digit number greater than 699.
- **11.** Write a 2-digit number less than 40.
- **12. Communicate** Every digit in 798 is greater than any digit in 4,325. Explain why 4,325 is greater than 798.