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## The Big Number Duel (Optional)

Imagine the following competition: two contestants, one blackboard, biggest number wins.

My friend [Adam Elga](#), a philosopher at Princeton University, challenged me to such a duel after reading [Scott Aaronson's "Who Can Name the Bigger Number?"](#).

This (optional) final lecture is a blow-by-blow account of our mighty confrontation.

(You can check out the poster that Adam designed for the event [here](#), *The Tech's* reporting [here](#), and a Numberphile video about the contest [here](#).)

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