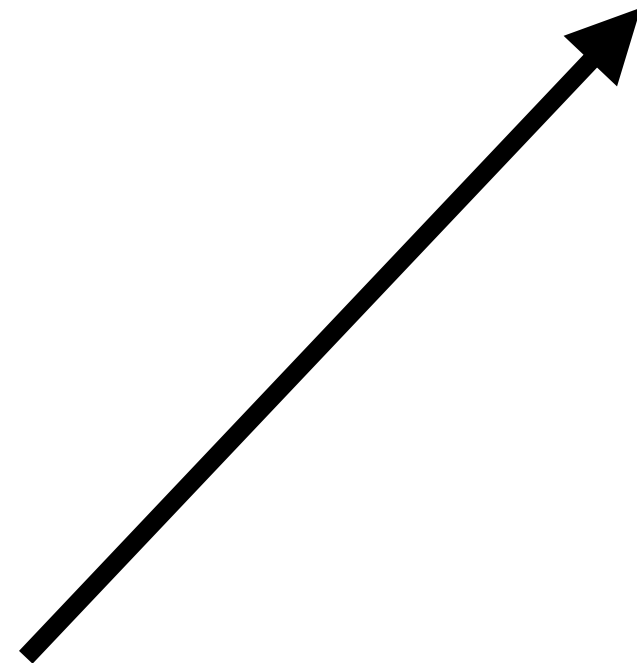


# Mantissa

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## Exponent “floats” the point left or right

**\*IS\*** a number written as a decimal!

$$m(10^e)$$

- “Arbitrary precision”
  - Mantissa and Exponent have ranges of  $0 \dots \infty$
- “Decimal”
  - It’s based on powers of 10
- “Floating point”
  - Exponent moves the point left and right