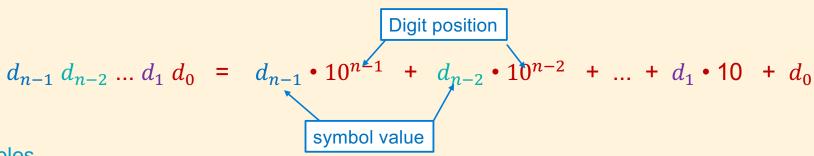


Review: Decimal Numbering

- Decimal is base 10
 - from "decem" (Latin) ⇒ Ten Characteristics
- Ten symbols (Why?)

0123456789

- How do we represent larger numbers?
 - Large numbers are a sequence of digits
 - Each digit is one of the available symbols
 - n-digit numbers as coefficients in a polynomial



- Examples
 - 7061 in decimal (base 10)
 - $7061_{10} = (7 \times 10^3) + (0 \times 10^2) + (6 \times 10^1) + (1 \times 10^0)$



Review: Binary Numbering

- Binary is base 2
 - adjective: being in a state of one of two **mutually exclusive** conditions such as **on** or off, true or false, molten or frozen, presence or absence of a signal
 - From Late Latin bīnārius ("consisting of two")
- Two symbols:

0 1

- Numbers in C starting with 0b are binary
- Example: What is 0b110 in base 10?

•
$$0b110 = 110_2 = (1 \times 2^2) + (1 \times 2^1) + (0 \times 2^0) = 6_{10}$$

A bit is a single binary digit

powers of two



• A byte is an 8-bit value

Unsigned binary Number = $\sum_{i=0}^{i=n-1} b_i x 2^i = b_{n-1} 2^{N-1} + b_{n-2} 2^{N-2} + ... + b_1 2^1 + b_0 2^0$

Review: Octal Numbering

Eight symbols

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

Notice that we no longer use 8 or 9

• Base comparison:

Base 10: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

• Base 8: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14...

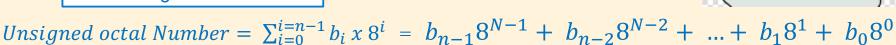
- Numbers in C starting with a 0: 07061, are octal
- Example: What is 07061₈ in base 10?

•
$$07061_8 = (7 \times 8^3) + (0 \times 8^2) + (6 \times 8^1) + (1 \times 8^0) = 3633_{10}$$

subscript indicates base

in C leading 0 indicates octal

powers of eight





Review: Hexadecimal Numbering

- hexadecimal is base 16
 - From "hexa" (Ancient Greek ἑξα-) ⇒ six
 - and from "decem" (Latin) ⇒ ten
- Sixteen symbols

0123456789abcdef



- Numbers in C starting with 0x are hexadecimal
 - $16_{10} = 0 \times 10_{16}$
- Example: What is 0xa5 in base 10?
 - $0xa5 = a5_{16} = (10 \times 16^{1}) + (5 \times 16^{0}) = 165_{10}$
- Hexadecimal numbers are very commonly used in programming to express binary values
 - Imagine the difficulty in correctly expressing a 64-bit binary value in your code

Unsigned Hex Number = $\sum_{i=0}^{i=n-1} b_i \times 16^i = b_{n-1} 16^{N-1} + b_{n-2} 16^{N-2} + ... + b_1 16^1 + b_0 16^0$

Number Base Overview (as written in C)

- Decimal is base 10, Hexadecimal is base 16, and octal is base 8
- Octal digits have 8 values 0-7 (written in C as 00-07, careful 073 is octal = 59 in decimal)
- Hex digits have 16 values 0 9 a f (written in C as 0x0 0xf)
- No standard prefix in C for binary (most use hex) gcc (compiler) allows 0b prefix others might not

Hex digit Octal digit	0x0 00	0x1 01	0x2 02	0x3 03	0x4 04	0x5 05	0x6 06	0x7 07
Decimal value	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Binary value	0 b0000	0b0001	0b0010	0b0011	<mark>0</mark> b0100	0b0101	0b0110	0b0111
Hex digit Octal digit	0x8 010	0x9 011	0xa 012	0xb 013	0xc 014	0xd 015	0xe 016	0xf 017
Decimal value	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Binary value	0b1000	0b1001	0b1010	0b1011	0b1100	0b1101	0b1110	0b1111

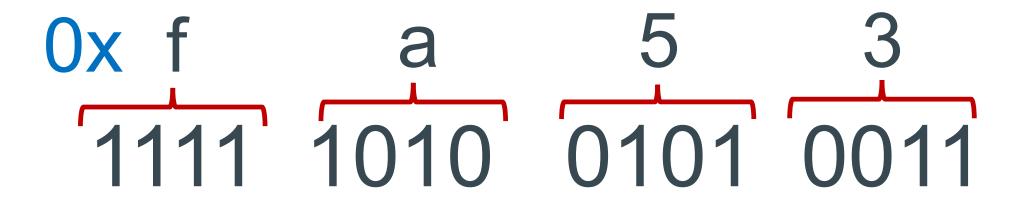
Binary <---> Hexadecimal Equivalences

- Hex \rightarrow Binary: $16^1 = 2^4$ 1 digit hex = 4 digits binary
 - 1. Replace hex digits with binary digits
 - 2. drop leading zeros
 - Example: 0x2d to binary
 - 0x2 is 0b0010, 0xd is 0b1101
 - Drop two leading zeros, answer is 0b101101
- Binary \rightarrow Hex: $2^4 = 16^1$
 - 1. Pad with enough leading zeros until number of digits is a multiple of 4
 - 2. replace each group of 4 with the HEX equivalent
 - Example: 0b101101
 - Pad on the left to: 0b 0010 1101
 - Replace to get: 0x2d

Base 10	Base 2	Base 16
0	0000	0
1	0001	1
2	0010	2
3	0011	3
4	0100	4
5	0101	5
6	0110	6
7	0111	7
8	1000	8
9	1001	9
10	1010	а
11	1011	b
12	1100	С
13	1101	d
14	1110	е
15	1111	f

Hex to Binary (group 4 bits per digit from the right)

• Each Hex digit is 4 bits in base 2 $16^1 = 2^4$

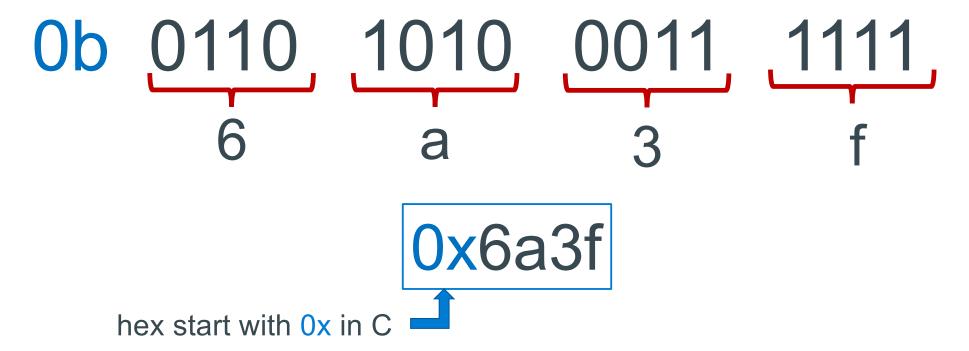


0b111110100101011

binary start with a 0b in C

Binary to Hex (group 4 bits per digit from the right)

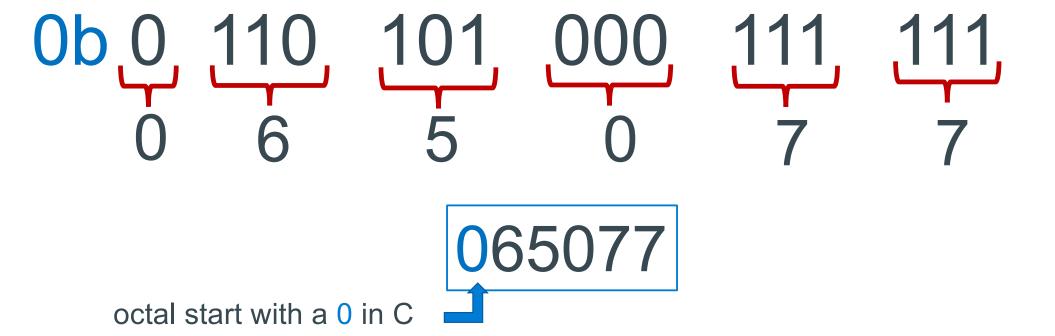
• 4 binary bits is one Hex digit $2^4 = 16^1$



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Binary to Octal (group 3 bits per digit from the right)

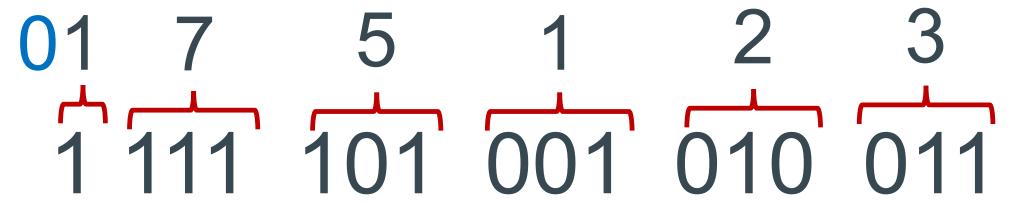
• 3 binary bits is one Octal digit $2^3 = 8^1$



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Octal to Binary (group 3 bits per digit from the right)

• One Octal digit is three binary digits $2^3 = 8^1$



0b1111101001010011

binary start with a 0b in C

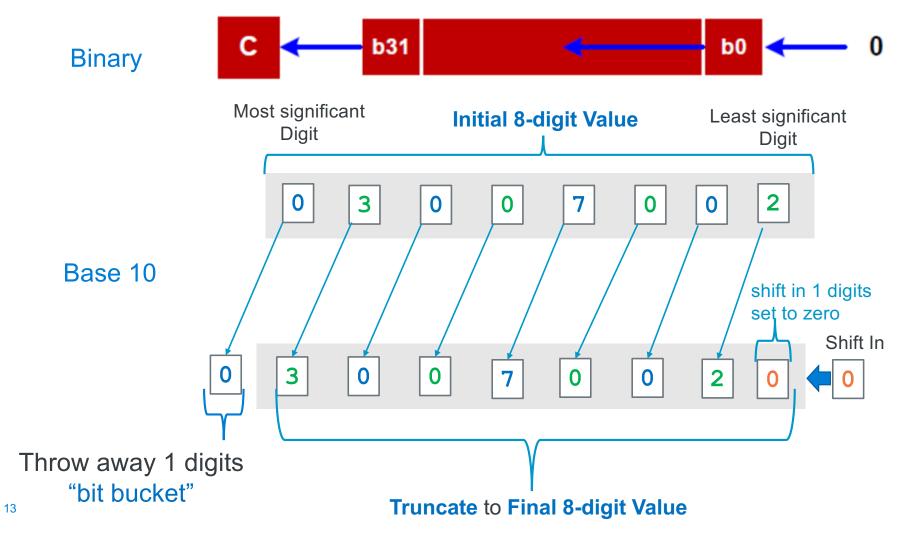
Looking at the Powers of Two

Unsigned binary Number =
$$b_{n-1}2^{N-1} + b_{n-2}2^{N-2} + ... + b_12^1 + b_02^0$$

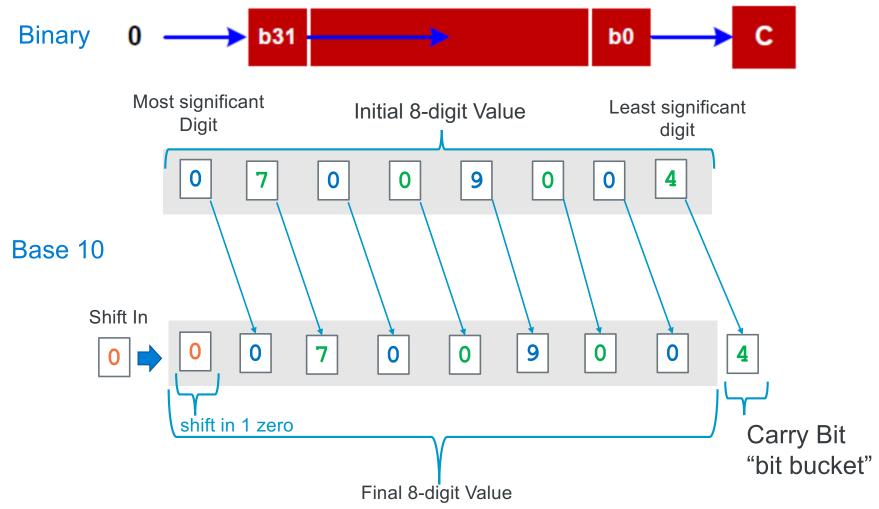
Base 10	$b_5 \cdot 32$	$b_4 \cdot 16$	$b_3 \cdot 8$	$b_2 \cdot 4$	$b_1 \cdot 2$	b_0
5	0	0	0	1	0	1
10	0	0	1	0	1	0
20	0	1	0	1	0	0
40	1	0	1	0	0	0

- Multiple left shift •
- Divide right shift ————

Multiply By Base: Shift Left 1 digits = Multiply by 2



Divide by Base: Shift Right 1 Digit = Divide by 2



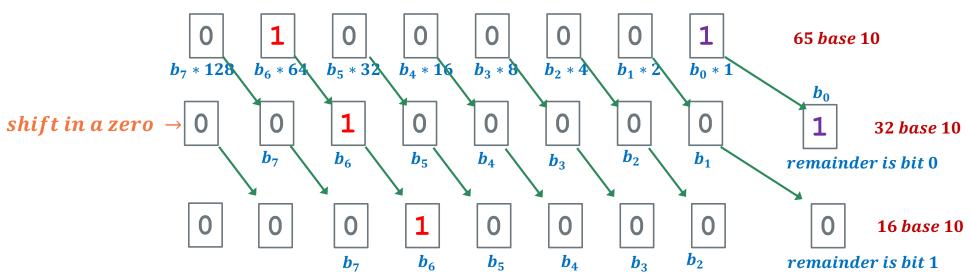
Use a Right Bit Shift: Unsigned Decimal To Unsigned Binary

Here is an Algorithmic approach to convert unsigned numbers to binary

Perform a sequence of divisions (right shift) to isolate the remainder

Unsigned binary Number =
$$b_{n-1}2^{N-1} + b_{n-2}2^{N-2} + \dots + b_12^1 + b_02^0$$

Unsigned Binary Number = $2 \times (\cdots (2 \times b_{n-1} + b_{n-2})) + \cdots + b_1) + b_0$



Unsigned Decimal to Unsigned Binary Conversion

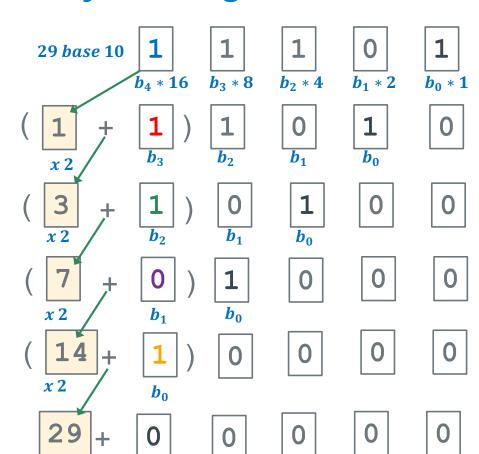
dividend 249	Quotient	Remainder	Bit Position	
249/2	124	1	b0	
124/2	62	0	b1	
62/2	31	0	b2	
31/2	15	1	b3	
15/2	7	1	b4	
7/2	3	1	b5	
3/2	1	1	b6	
1/2	0	1	b7	

249(base 10) =
$$b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0$$
 = $0b11111001$
11111001 = $(1x128) + (1x64) + (1x32) + (1x16) + (1x8) + 1 = 249$

Left Bit Shift & add: Unsigned Binary to Unsigned Decimal

$$b_{n-1}2^{N-1} + b_{n-2}2^{N-2} + \dots + b_12^1 + b_02^0$$

- Base conversion via a sequence of n multiplications (left shift) and n additions
 - 111 base 2 -> ((1x2 + 1) x 2) + 1
- Alternatively, you can memorize and use the positional weights to convert



• 11101 base 2 =
$$(1 \times 16) + (1 \times 8) + (1 \times 4) + (0 \times 2) + (1 \times 1) = 29$$

Unsigned Binary to Unsigned Decimal Conversion

	Product Shift Left	Addend	Bit Position	Product
	0	+ 0	h7	0
	$2 \times 0 = 0$ (shift left)	+ 1	b6	1
	2 x 1 = 2	+ 1	h5	3
	2 x 3 = 6	+ 0	h4	6
	2 x 6 = 12	+ 0	<u>b3</u>	12
	2 x 12 = 24	+ 1	b2	25
	2 x 25 = 50	+ 0	b1	50
-	2 x 50 = 100	+ 1	b0	101

 $101_{\text{(base 10)}} = (1x64) + (1x32) + (1x4) + 1$ (checking the conversion)

Different Type of Numbers each have a Fixed # of Bits Spanning one or more contiguous bytes of memory

C Data Type	AArch-32 contiguous Bytes	Byte 8-bit integer uses 1 byte
char (arm unsigned)	1	7 0
short int	2	Halfaviand of Chit internal control of the transfer of the tra
unsigned short int	2	Half Word 16-bit integer uses 2 bytes
int	4	00000001 0000000
unsigned int	4	15 7 0
long int	4	
long long int	8	most significant bit (largest power of 2) least significant byte
float	4	Ward 22 bit into an use 4 but a
double	8	Word 32-bit integer uses 4 bytes
long double	8	00000011 00000010 00000001 00000000
pointer *	4	31 0
	m	most significant bit (smallest power of 2) ost significant byte

Variables: Size

- Integer types
 - char, int
- Floating Point
 - float, double
- Modifiers for each base type
 - short [int]
 - long [int, double]
 - signed [char, int]
 - unsigned [char, int]
 - const: variable read only
- char type
 - One byte in a byte addressable memory
 - Signed vs Unsigned Char implementations
 - Be careful char is unsigned on arm and signed on other HW like intel

C Data Type	AArch-32 contiguous Bytes	AArch-64 contiguous Bytes	printf specification
char (arm unsigned)	1	1	%с
short int	2	2	%hd
unsigned short int	2	2	%hu
int	4	4	%d / %i
unsigned int	4	4	%u
long int	4	8	%ld
long long int	8	8	%11d
float	4	4	%f
double	8	8	%lf
long double	8	16	%Lf
pointer *	4	8	%р

size of a pointer is the word size

Fixed size types in C

- Sometimes programs need to be written for a particular range of integers or for a particular size of storage, regardless of what machine the program runs on
- We will need to do this in PA3

• In the file <stdint.h> the following fixed size types are defined for use in these

situations:

Signed Data types	Unsigned Data types	Exact Size
int8_t	uint8_t	8 bits (1 byte)
int16_t	uint16_t	16 bits (2 bytes)
int32_t	uint32_t	32 bits (4 bytes)
int64_t	uint64_t	64 bits (8 bytes)

Example: Limits of Some Types on 32-bit ARM

type	Smallest	largest
unsigned char	0	255
char (ARM - unsigned)	0	256
char (INTEL - signed)	-128	127
unsigned short	0	65,535
short	-32,768	32,767
uint32_t	0	2^32 -1
int32_t	-2^31	2^31 -1

- WARNING: If you want to force a char to be signed or unsigned use either
- signed char or unsigned char

Watch out for Hardware differences: Example: Is a Char signed or unsigned?

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

int
main(void)
{
    char c = 255;
    printf("%d\n", (int)c);
    return EXIT_SUCCESS;
}
```

- variable c is being cast promoted to an int
- So, what is printed?
- Depends on the hardware
- Aarch32 and Aarch64 (arm) it is unsigned
 255
- Intel 64-bit it is signed

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sizeof(): Variable Size (number of bytes) *Operator*

```
#include <stddef.h>
/* size_t type may vary by system but is always unsigned */
```

sizeof() operator returns:

the number of bytes used to store a variable or variable type

• The argument to sizeof() is often an expression:

```
size = sizeof(int * 10);
```

- reads as:
 - number of bytes required to store 10 integers (an array of [10])

sizeof() Examples (On the pi-cluster)

```
% ./a.out (on the picluster)
char is 1
short is 2
int is 4
long is 4
```

Unsigned Integers (positive numbers) with a Fixed # of Bits

- Example 4 bits is 2⁴ = 16 distinct values
- Modular (C operator: %) or clock math
 - Numbers start at 0 and "wrap around" after 15 and go back to 0
- Keep adding 1

wraps (clockwise)

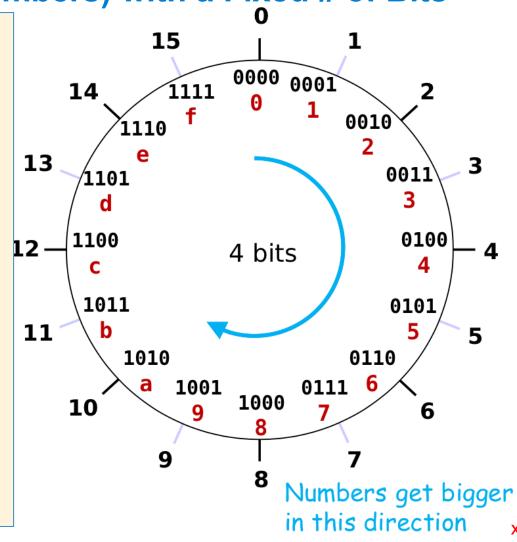
0000 -> 0001 ... -> 1111 -> 0000

Keep subtracting 1

wraps (counter-clockwise)

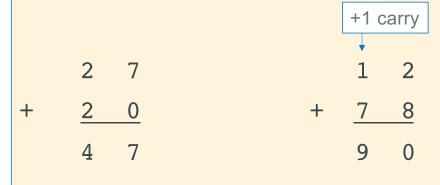
1111 -> 1110 ... -> 0000 -> 1111

 Addition and subtraction use normal "carry" and "borrow" rules, just operate in binary



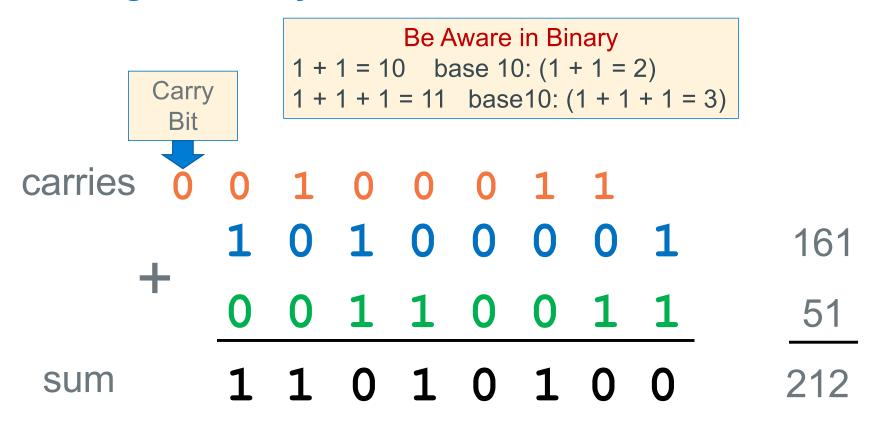
Addition

Add two numbers in decimal



- Adding Single digits in binary
 - 0 + 0 = 0
 - 0 + 1 = 1
 - \cdot 1 + 0 = 1
 - 1 + 1 = 0 (with 1 carry) or 10 base 2

Unsigned Binary Number: Addition in FIXED 8 bits



Subtraction

Add two numbers in decimal
 2 7
 6 2
 1 0
 1 7
 2 3
 3 9

- Subtracting Single digits in binary
 - 0 0 = 0
 - 0 1 = 1 (with a +2 (a 1) from the column to the left)
 - \cdot 1 0 = 1
 - 1 1 = 0

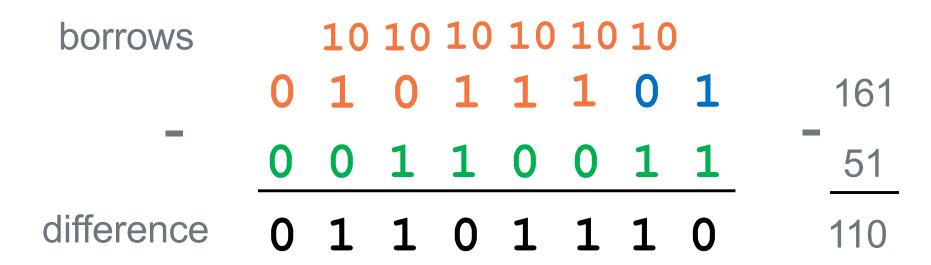
Unsigned Binary Number: Subtraction in FIXED 8 bits

borrows

difference

Be Aware in Binary 1 - 1 = 010 - 1 = 1 base 10: (2 - 1 = 1)

Unsigned Binary Number: Subtraction in FIXED 8 bits Build of previous slide – note warning



Be Aware in Binary

$$1 - 1 = 0$$

 $10 - 1 = 1$ base $10: (2 - 1 = 1)$

NOTICE

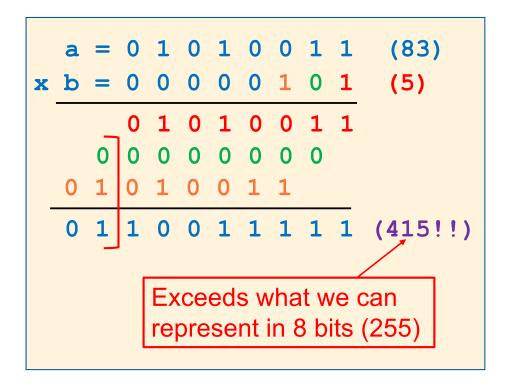
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Unsigned Binary Multiplication example

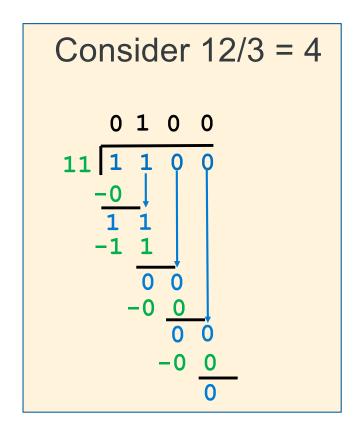
Since we are multiplying by a power of two we can shift left by 2 (zero insert at LSB)

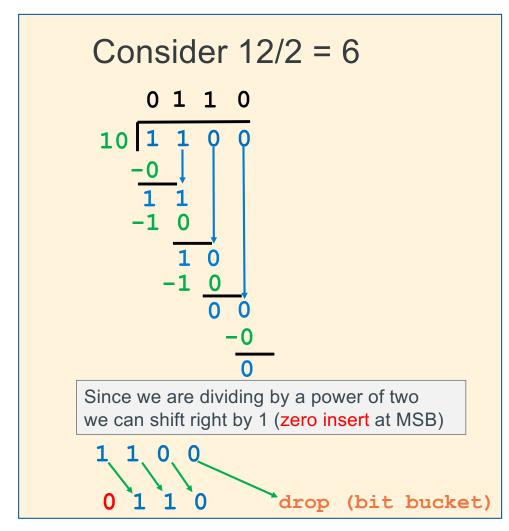
a = 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 (83)

0 1 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 (166)



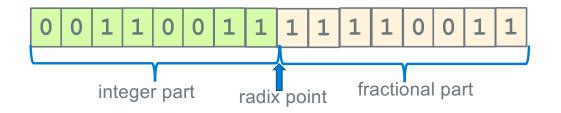
Unsigned Binary Number Divide



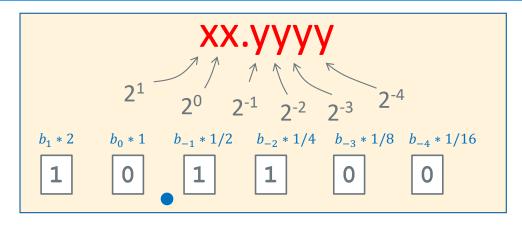


Fractional Binary Numbers

Binary	Decimal
2-1	0.5
2-2	0.25
2-3	0.125
2-4	0.0625



- "Binary Point," like decimal point, signifies boundary between integer and fractional parts
- Bits to right of "binary point" represent fractional powers of 2
- Example: $10.1010_2 = 1 \times 2^1 + 1 \times 2^{-1} + 1 \times 2^{-3} = 2.625_{10}$



Fixed Point Binary Number Divide

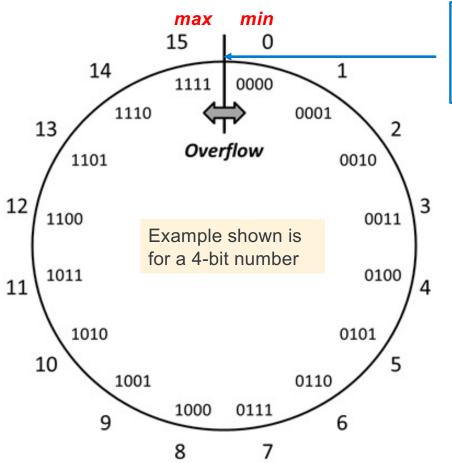
Fixed Point Binary Number Limitations

- Limitation #1
 - Can only exactly represent numbers of the form x/2^k
 - Other rational numbers have repeating bit representations

```
Value Representation
1/3 0.0101010101[01]...2
1/5 0.001100110011[0011]...2
1/10 0.0001100110011[0011]...2
```

- Limitation #2
 - Just one setting of binary point within the w bits
 - Limited range of numbers (very small values? very large?)

Overflow: Going Past the Boundary Between max and min

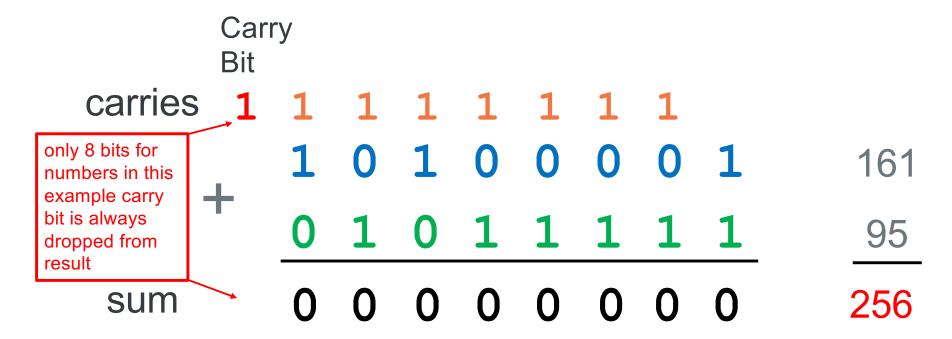


Overflow: Occurs when an arithmetic result (from addition or subtraction for example) is is more than min or max limits

C (and Java) ignore overflow exceptions

 You end up with a bad value in your program and absolutely no warning or indication... happy debugging!....

Unsigned Integer Number Overflow: Addition in 8 bits



Rule: When Carry Bit != 0, overflow has occurred for unsigned integers!

Unsigned Integers (positive numbers) with a Fixed # of Bits

- Example 4 bits is 2⁴ = 16 distinct values
- Modular (C operator: %) or clock math
 - Numbers start at 0 and "wrap around" after 15 and go back to 0
- Keep adding 1

wraps (clockwise)

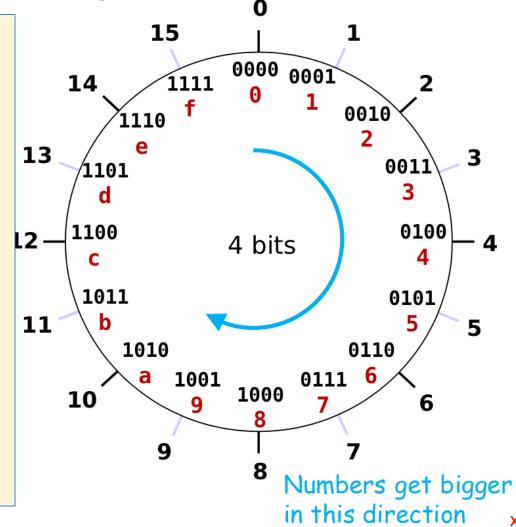
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Keep subtracting 1

wraps (counter-clockwise)

1111 -> 1110 ... -> 0000 -> 1111

 Addition and subtraction use normal "carry" and "borrow" rules



Overflow: Unsigned Values 4-bit limit

Addition Overflow: hardware drops carry

$$\frac{15}{+2}$$

only 4 bits for numbers in this example

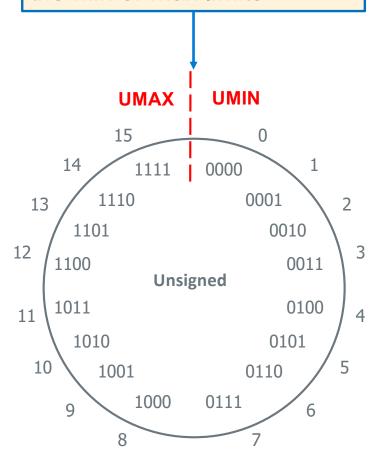
carry bit is always dropped from result $\begin{array}{c}
\rightarrow 1111 \\
+ 0010 \\
\hline
\rightarrow 10001 \\
\text{oops 1}
\end{array}$

Subtraction Overflow: drops the borrow

only 4 bits for numbers in this example

carry bit is always dropped from result

→10001 - 0010 → 1111 oops 15 Overflow: Occurs when an arithmetic result is exceeds the min or max limits



Problem: How to Encode **Both** Positive and Negative Integers

- How do we represent the negative numbers within a fixed number of bits?
 - Allocate some bit patterns to negative and others to positive numbers (and zero)
- 2ⁿ distinct bit patterns to encode positive and negative values
- Unsigned values: $0 \dots 2^n 1 \leftarrow$ -1 comes from counting 0 as a "positive" number
- Signed values: $-2^{n-1} \dots 2^{n-1}-1$ (dividing the range in ~ half including 0)
- On a number line (below): 8-bit integers signed and unsigned (e.g., char in C)



Same "width" (same number of encodings), just shifted in value

Negative Integer Numbers: Sign + Magnitude Method

these numbers show bit position **boundaries**30

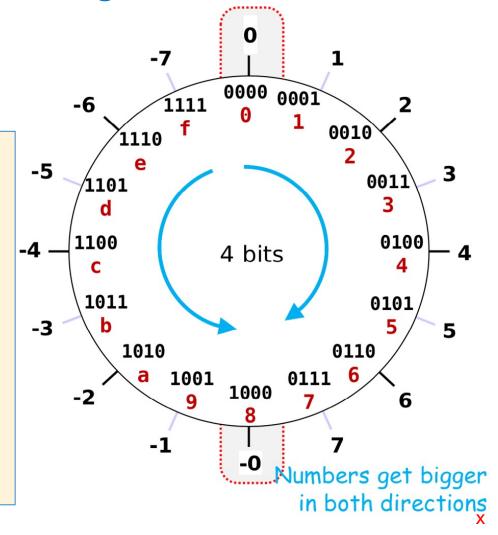
Sign bit

Remaining bits

MSB LSB

- Use the Most Significant Bit as a sign bit
 - 0 as the MSB represents positive numbers
 - 1 as the MSB represents negative numbers
- Two (oops) representations for zero: 0000, 1000
- Tricky Math (must handle sign bit independently)

With Simple math, Positive and Negatives
 "increment" (+1) in the opposite directions!

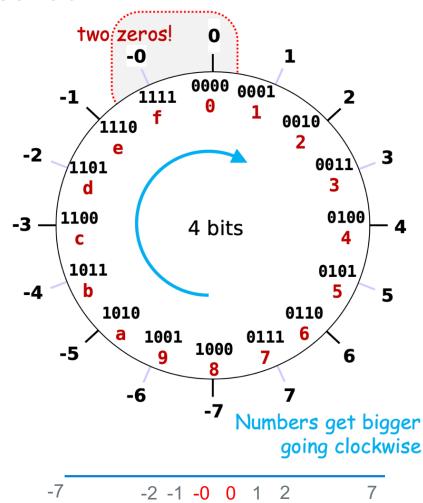


1's Complement Signed Integer Method

- Use the MSB is the sign bit to represent a negative value is encoded as the 1's complement
- All negative values have a one in the leftmost bit
- All positive values have a zero in the leftmost bit

Number	+	-
0	0000	1 111
1	0001	1 110
2	0 010	1 101
3	0011	1 100
4	0 100	1 011
5	0101	1 010
6	0 110	1001
7	0111	1000

- The problem is there are two values for zero
 - 1111 and 0000 in 4-bits
 - arithmetic is tricky when you cross over the zeros

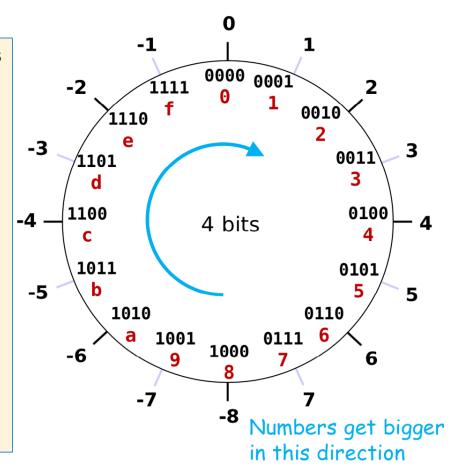


2's Complement Signed Integer Method

- Positive numbers encoded same as unsigned numbers
- All negative values have a one in the leftmost bit
- All positive values have a zero in the leftmost bit
 - This implies that 0 is a positive value
- Only one zero
- For n bits, Number range is $-(2^{n-1})$ to $+(2^{n-1}-1)$
 - Negative values "go further" than the positive values
- Example: the range for 8 bits:

• Example the range for 32 bits:

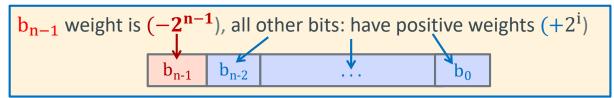
Arithmetic is the same as with unsigned binary!



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Two's Complement: The MSB Has a Negative Weight

$$2's Comp = -b_{n-1}2^{n-1} + b_{n-2}2^{n-2} + ... + b_12^1 + b_02^0$$



- 4-bit (w = 4) weight = $-2^{4-1} = -2^3 = -8$
 - 1010_2 unsigned: $1x2^3 + 0x2^2 + 1x2^1 + 0x2^0 = 10$
 - 1010_2 two's complement: $-1x2^3 + 0x2^2 + 1x2^1 + 0x2^0 = -8 + 2 = -6$
 - -8 in two's complement: $1000_2 = -2^3 + 0 = -8$
 - -1 in two's complement: $1111_2 = -2^3 + (2^3 - 1) = -8 + 7 = -1$

Summary: Min, Max Values: Unsigned and Two's Complement

Two's Complement → Unsigned for n bits

Unsigned Value Range

UMin =
$$0b00...00$$

= 0

$$UMax = 0b11...11$$

 $= 2^n - 1$

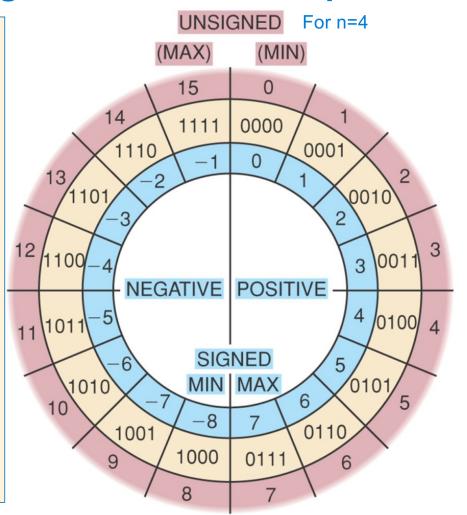
Two's Complement Range

SMin =
$$0b10...00$$

$$= -2^{n-1}$$

$$SMax = 0b01...11$$

$$= 2^{n-1} - 1$$



Negation Of a Two's Complement Number (Method 1)

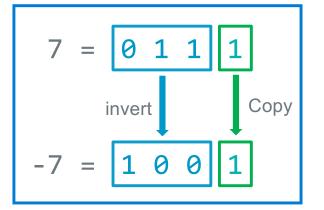
$$-x == \sim x + 1;$$

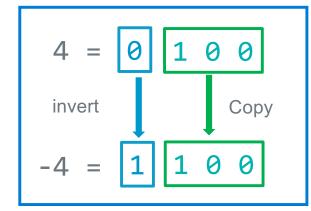
$$7 = 0111$$
 $-7 = + 1001$
(discard carry) 0000

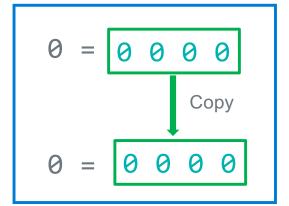
$$1 = 0001$$
 $| | | | |$
invert = 1110
add 1 + 1
 -1 1111

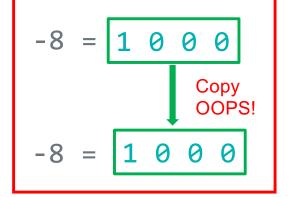
Negation of a Two's Complement Number (Method 2)

- 1. copy unchanged right most bit containing a 1 and all the 0's to its right
- 2. Invert all the bits to the left of the right-most 1









Signed Decimal to Two's Complement Conversion

dividend -102	Quotient	Remainder	Bit Position	
102/2	51	0	b0	
51/2	25	1	b1	
25/2	12	1	b2	
12/2	6	0	b3	
6/2	3	0	b4	
3/2	1	1	b5	
1/2	0	1	b6	
0/2	0	0	b7	

102(base 10) =
$$b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0 = 0b0110 0110$$

Get the two complement of 01100110 is 10011010

Two's Complement to Signed Decimal Conversion - Positive

What is $b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0$ What is $b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0$ 1 (base 2) in decimal (N)?

Signed Bit Bias	Bit	Bit Position	Bias	
$-2^{W-1} = -2^{8-1} = -128$	x 0	b7	0 🛑	
Product Shift Left	Addend	Bit Position	Product	
$2 \times 0 = 0$ (shift left)	+ 1	b6	1	
2 x 1 = 2	+ 1	b5	3	
2 x 3 = 6	+ 0	b4	6	
2 x 6 = 12	+ 0	b3	12	
2 x 12 = 24	+ 1	b2	25	
2 x 25 = 50	+ 0	b1	50	
2 x 50 = 100	+ 1	b0	SUM = 101	
		Bias + SUM:	0 + 101 = 101	

Two's Complement to Signed Decimal Conversion - Negative

What is b_7 b_6 b_5 b_4 b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0 What is b_6 b_6 b_7 b_8 b_8 b_9 b_1 b_9 b_9 b_1 b_1 b_1 b_2 b_1 b_1 b_2 b_2 b_1 b_2 b_2 b_1 b_2 b_2 b_1 b_2 b_2

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Signed Bit Bias	Bit	Bit Position		Bias	
-2 ^{W-1} = -2 ⁸⁻¹ = -128	x 1	b7		-128	—
Product Shift Left	Addend	Bit Position		Prøduct	
$2 \times 0 = 0$ (shift left)	+ 1	b6		1	
2 x 1 = 2	+ 1	b5		3	
$2 \times 3 = 6$	+ 0	b4	_	6	
2 x 6 = 12	+ 0	b3		12	
2 x 12 = 24	+ 1	b2	_	25	
$2 \times 25 = 50$	+ 0	b1	-	50	
2 x 50 = 100	+ 1	b0	S	SUM = 101	
		Bias + SUM:	-128	+ 101 = -27	

Two's Complement Addition and Subtraction

- Addition: just add the two number directly
- Subtraction: you can convert to addition: difference = minuend subtrahend
 difference = minuend + 2's complement (subtrahend)



2's complement first and then add

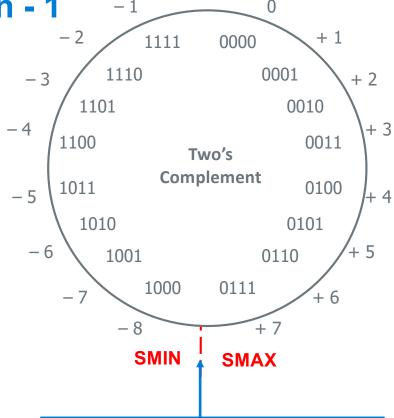
$$\mathbf{x} = 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1$$

$$+ (-\mathbf{y}) = 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 1$$

$$\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y} = \mathbf{x} + (-\mathbf{y}) = 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0$$

Two's Complement Overflow Detection - 1

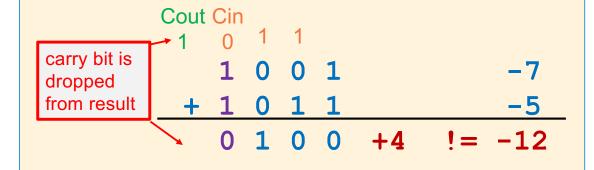
- When adding two positive numbers or two negative numbers
- **4-bit** Two's complement numbers (positive overflow)



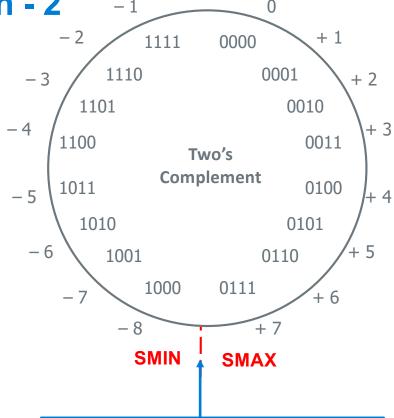
Overflow: Occurs when an arithmetic result is beyond the min or max limits

Two's Complement Overflow Detection - 2

- When adding two positive numbers or two negative numbers
- 4-bit Two's complement numbers (negative overflow)



signed numbers: overflow occurs if operands have same sign and result's sign is different



Overflow: Occurs when an arithmetic result is beyond the min or max limits

Summary: When Does Overflow Occur

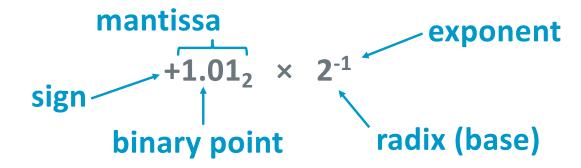
Operand 1

+ Operand 2

Result

Operand 1 Sign	Operand 2 Sign	Is overflow Possible?
+	+	YES
-	_	YES
+	_	NO
_	+	NO

Scientific Notation Binary



- Computer hardware that supports this is called floating point hardware due to the "floating" of the binary point
- Declare such variable in C as float (or double)

Floating Point Representation

- Analogous to scientific notation
- In Decimal:
 - Not 12000000, but 1.2 x 10⁷
 - Not 0.0000012, but 1.2 x 10⁻⁶ In C: 1.2e-6

In C: 1.2e7

- In Binary:
 - Not 11000.000, but 1.1 x 2⁴
 - Not 0.000101, but 1.01 x 2⁻⁴

Normalized Scientific Notation

- Convert from scientific notation to fixed binary point
- Perform the multiplication by shifting the decimal until the exponent disappears

Binary	Decimal
2-1	0.5
2-2	0.25
2-3	0.125
2-4	0.0625

- Example: $1.011_2 \times 2^4 = 10110_2 = 22_{10}$
- Example: $1.011_2 \times 2^{-2} = 0.01011_2 = 0.34375_{10}$
- Convert from binary point to normalized scientific notation
 - Distribute out exponents until binary point is to the right of a single digit
 - Example: $1101.001_2 = 1.101001_2 \times 2^3$

Encoding Fractions Observations

In Base 2:

10.1
$$\times 2^5 = 1.01 \times 2^6$$

1011.1 $\times 2^5 = 1.0111 \times 2^8$
0.110 $\times 2^5 = 1.10 \times 2^4$

Normalizing with base 2:

adjust so there *always* a 1 to the **left of the decimal point**! this 1 is **called the hidden bit** as we do not have use a bit to store it since it is there in every normalized mantissa

- Adjust x to always be in the format 1.XXXXXXXXXX... (fraction is normalized)
- Fraction portion ONLY encodes what is to the right of the decimal point
- "Hidden bit" allows number to have One additional digit for increased precision

Fraction encoding is 1.[FRACTION BINARY DIGITS]

Floating Point Numbers: Implementation Approach

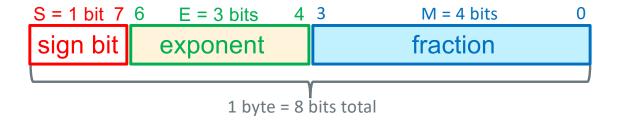
- Supports a wide range of numbers
- Flexible "floating" decimal point
- Represent scientific notation numbers like 1.202 x 10⁶

$$(-1)^{s} M 2^{E}$$

sign bit exponent fraction

- Sign bit (a single bit): 0 positive, 1 negative
- Exponent: encoding of E above (it is NOT E directly represented in binary)
- Fraction: encoding of M above (it is NOT M directly represented in binary)

Floating Point Number in a Byte (Not A Real Format)



- Mantissa encoding: = 1.[xxxx] encoded as an unsigned value
 - 4 bits = 16 values + leading digit is always a 1
- Exponent encoding: 3 bits encoded to represent both and + exponents

IEE 754 Floating Point

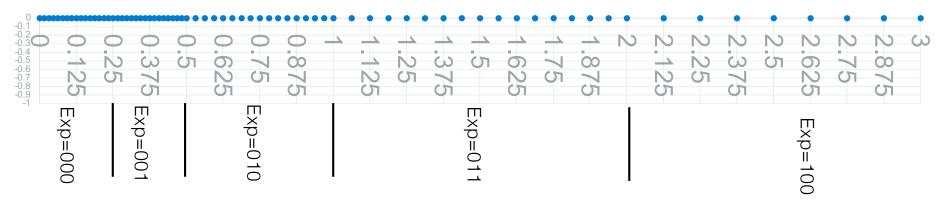
sign	Exp = E +127	mantissa
1	8	23

sign	Exp = E + 1023	mantissa
1	11	52

- Evolving Standard
- Single 32 bit "C Float"
- Double 64 bit "C Double"
- Half 16 bit
- Quad 128 bit
- Binary Floating Point
- Standard also defined decimal FP (not supported by most hardware)
- Special Encodings
 - NAN not a number (quiet, signaling)
 - +∞ and -∞ (biggest positive #, and smallest negative number)
- Subnormal Numbers

Floating Point and Linearity

Positive FP8 Number Line



Why the non-linearity?

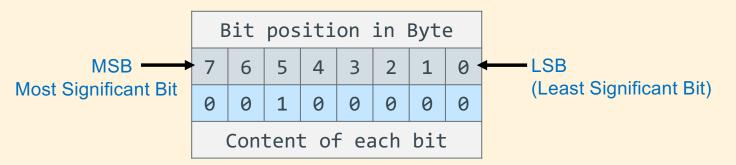
Note, Exp=000 is treated specially

IEEE Floating Point and "C" FP Types

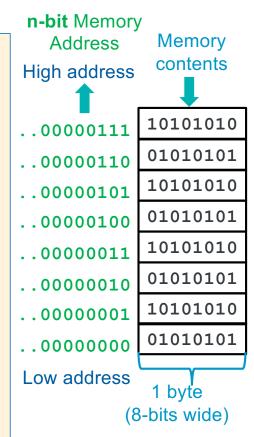
IEEE Type	size	sign	exponent	mantissa	"C" name
bfloat (not IEEE yet)	16	1	8	7	(subset of float)
half	16	1	5	10	
single	32	1	8	23	
double	64	1	11	52	
quad	128	1	15	112	

Memory Review: Organized in Units of Bytes

- One bit (digit) of storage (in memory) has two possible states: 0 or 1
- Memory is organized into a fixed unit of 8 bits, called a byte

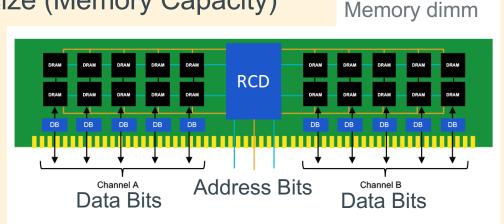


- Conceptually, memory is a single, large array of bytes, where each
 byte has a unique address (byte addressable memory)
- An address is an unsigned (positive #) fixed-length n-bit binary value
 - Range (domain) of possible addresses = address space
- Each byte in memory can be individually accessed and operated on given its unique address



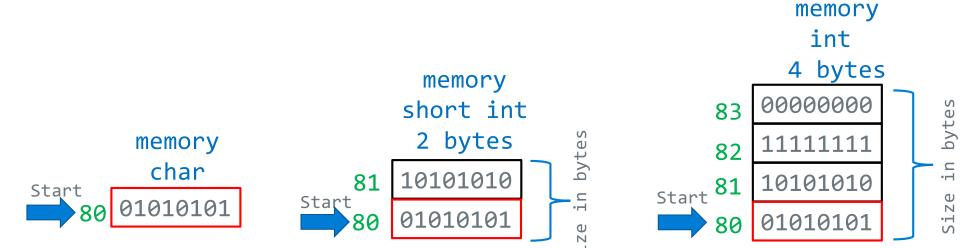
Memory Size

- Since memory addresses are implemented in hardware using binary
 - The Size (number of byte sized cells) of Memory is specified in powers of 2
- Memory size/capacity in bytes is specified by the "Number of bits" in an address
 - 32 bits of address = 2^{32} = 4,294,967,296
 - Address Range is 0 to 2³² 1 (unsigned)
- Shorthand notation for address size (Memory Capacity)
 - KB = 2^{10} (K=1024) kilobyte
 - $MB = 2^{20}$ megabyte
 - $GB = 2^{30}$ gigabyte
 - TB = 2^{40} terabyte
 - PB = 2^{50} petabyte



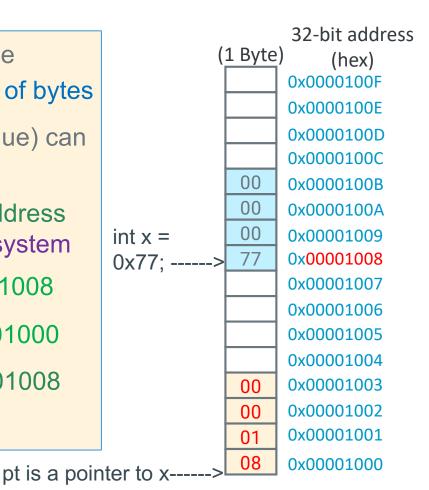
Variables in Memory: Size and Address

- The number of contiguous bytes a variable uses is based on the type of the variable
 - Different variable types require different numbers of contiguous bytes
- Variable names map to a <u>starting address in memory</u>
- Example Below: Variables all starting at address 0x80



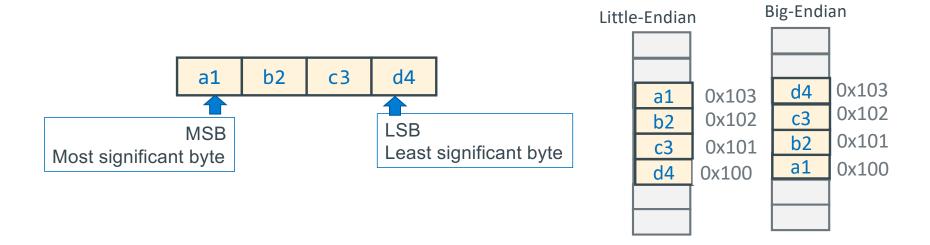
Address and Pointers

- An address refers to a location in memory, the lowest or first byte in a contiguous sequence of bytes
- A pointer is a variable whose contents (or value) can be properly used as an address
 - The value in a pointer *should* be a valid address allocated to the process by the operating system
- The variable x is at memory address 0x00001008
- The variable pt is at memory location 0x00001000
- The contents of pt is the address of x 0x00001008



Byte Ordering of Numbers In Memory: Endianness

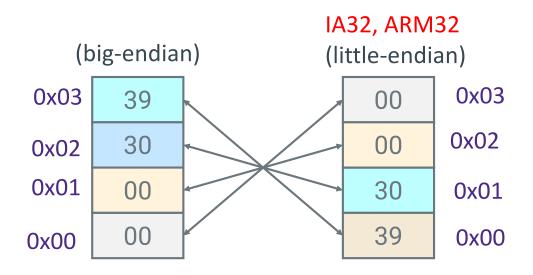
- Two different ways to place multi-byte integers in a byte addressable memory
- Big-endian: Most Significant Byte ("big end") starts at the *lowest (starting)* address
- Little-endian: Least Significant Byte ("little end") starts at the *lowest (starting)* address
- Example: 32-bit integer with 4-byte data



Byte Ordering Example

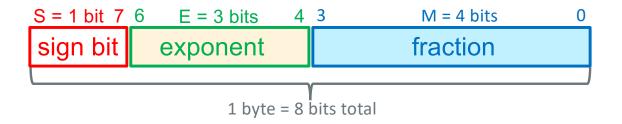
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Decimal: 12345
Binary: 0011 0000 0011 1001
Hex: 3 0 3 9
```

```
int x = 12345;
// or x = 0x3039;
```



Extra Slides

Floating Point Number in a Byte (Not A Real Format)



- Mantissa encoding: = 1.[xxxx] encoded as an unsigned value
- Exponent encoding: 3 bits encoded as an unsigned value using bias encoding
 - Bias encoding = (2^{E-1} − 1)
 - 3 bits for the bias we have $2^{3-1} 1 = 2^2 1 = a$ bias of 3
 - With a Bias of 3: positive and negative numbers range: small to large is: 2-3 to 24

Actual	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4
Bias	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+3
Biased	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Encoding Fractions Observations

Examples In Base 10:

$$42.4 \times 10^5 = 4.24 \times 10^6$$

$$324.5 \times 10^5 = 3.245 \times 10^7$$

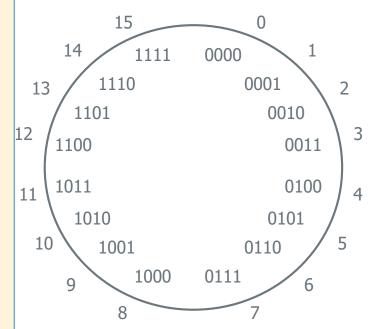
$$0.624 \times 10^5 = 6.24 \times 10^4$$

Observation on base 10:

We usually adjust the exponent until we get down to one digit to the left of the decimal point

Characteristics of Signed Numbers

- Digital Hardware (and C) supports two flavors of integers
 - *unsigned* only non-negative (positive) numbers
 - signed both negative and non-negatives (positive) numbers
- A Signed integer must be able to represent:
 - Negative integer
 - Zero (0)
 - Positive Integer
 - number + (- representation of number) = 0
- So, with a fixed number of bits, some of the bit patterns in the wheel at the left must be reallocated to represent negative numbers



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Sign Extension in C: Type casts

- Convert from smaller to larger integral data types
- C and Java automatically performs sign extension
- Example (remember we are working with 32-bit int and 16-bit short)

short int sx = 12345; int ix = (int) sx;

Var	Decimal	Hex/	Binary
SX	12345	30 39	00110000 00111001
ix	12345	00 00 30 39	00000000 00000000 00110000 00111001

short int sy = -12345; 0b1100 iy = (int) sy;int Decimal Var Hex Binary -12345 **C7** 11001111 11000111 Sy iy -12345 FF FF CF C7 11111111 11111111 11001111 11000111

Shift Operations in C

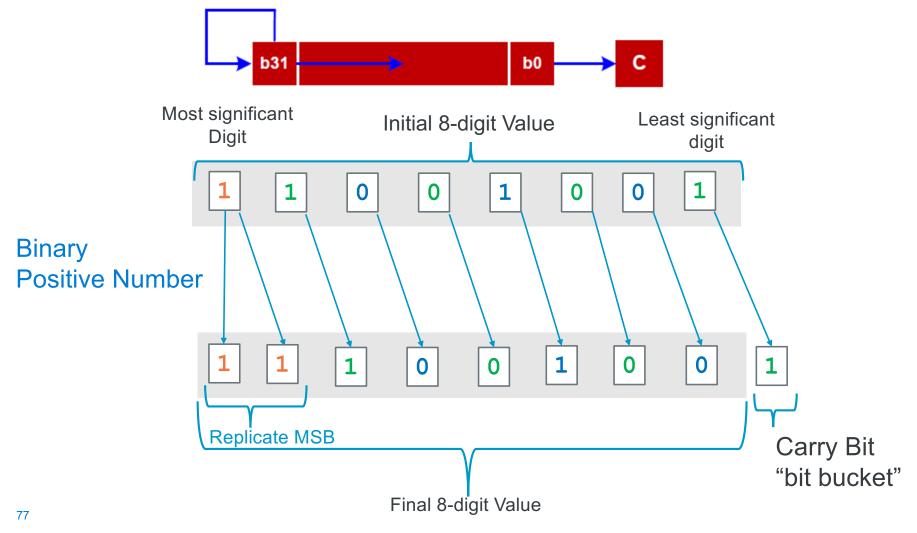
- n is number of bits to shift a variable x of width w bits
- Shifts by n < 0 or $n \ge w$ are undefined
- Left shift (x << N)
 - Shift N bits left, Fill with 0s on right
- In C: behavior of >> is determined by compiler
 - gcc: it depends on data type of x (signed/unsigned)
- Right shift (x >> N)
 - Logical shift (for unsigned variables)
 - Shift N bits right, Fill with 0s on left
 - Arithmetic shift (for signed variables) Sign Extension
 - Shift N bits right while **Replicating** the most significant bit on left
 - Maintains sign of x
- In Java: logical shift is >>> and arithmetic shift is >>>







Arithmetic Shift Right 1 Digit = Divide by 2 for 2's Complement Values



Number ranges: limits.h

• The include file < limits.h > defines various symbolic names where the names represent the various limits on resources that the implementation imposes on applications;

C Data Type	signed min	signed max	unsigned max
char	SCHAR_MIN	SCHAR_MAX	UCHAR_MAX
short int	SHRT_MIN	SHRT_MAX	USHRT_MAX
int	INT_MIN	INT_MAX	UINT_MAX
long int	LONG_MIN	LONG_MAX	ULONG_MAX

```
#include <limits.h>
int i = INT_MAX;
...
    printf("Max int is: %d\n", i);
...
```

• The standard C integer types were intended to allow code to be portable among machines with different inherent data sizes (word sizes), so each type may have different range of numbers on different machines

Excess N Bias Encoding Method

- Excess, Bias (or offset) encoding maps negative numbers to an unsigned (positive)
 integer range by adding an offset number (called the bias) to encode positive and
 negative numbers
 - Most negative number maps to zero, most positive number maps to all 1's
- For example: Say we have a number that is limited to 3 bits (0 to 7 unsigned)

Actual	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4
Bias	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+ 3	+3
Biased Encoded	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Excess Bias Encoding (As used in floating point numbers)

- Given a number in E bits, to divide the range in about 1/2 the following is used:
 excess N bias = (2^{E-1} 1) (this is just one of many bias formulas)
- With this excess N Bias approach: actual numbers range from most negative to most positive is: -(bias) to bias+1
- So, for a number that is limited to 4 bits (0 to 15 unsigned)
 - Then excess N bias = 2^{4-1} 1 = 2^3 1 = a bias of +7

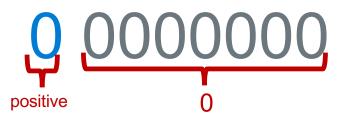
actual	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
bias	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7	+7
bias encoded	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15

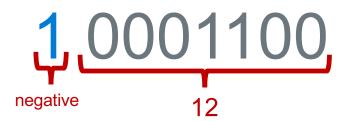
Signed Magnitude Examples (Sign bit is always MSB)

Q 110positive 6



Examples (4 bits):





Examples Using Hex notation (8 bits):

 $0x00 = 0b_000000000$ is positive, because the sign bit is 0

0x85 = 0b10000101 is negative (-5₁₀)

0x80 = 0b10000000 is negative... also zero

Another Way to Look at 2's Complement Encoding

- A 2's compliment value can be thought of as using a slightly different bias encoding for negative numbers only (more negative values): -2^{W-1}
- The leftmost bit is then interpreted as a decision to apply the bias (if 1) or not (if 0)
 - 1 apply the bias
 - 0 do not apply the bias
- For example, for a 4-bit number (w = 4), the negative number bias weight would be $= -2^{4-1} = -2^3 = -8$

2's	1000	1001	1 010	1 011	1 100	1 101	1 110	1 1111	0000	0001	0010	0011	0100	0101	0 110	0111
3 bit	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
decimal	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
+Bias	-8	-8	-8	-8	-8	-8	-8	-8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Actual	-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Observe: adding +1 makes the number more positive for both negative and positive numbers

Sign Extension (how type promotion works)

Sometimes you need to work with integers encoded with different number of bits

8 bits (char) -> (16 bits) **short** -> (32 bits) **int**

• Sign extension increases the number of bits: n-bit wide signed integer X, EXPANDS to a wider

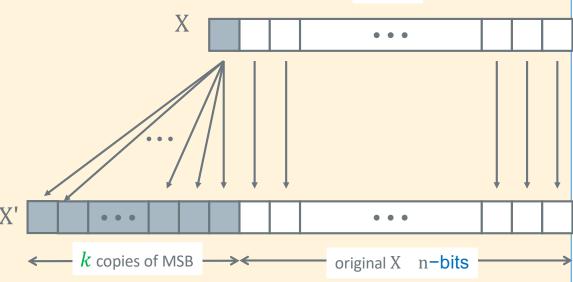
n-bit + k-bit signed integer X' where both have the same value \leftarrow n-bits

Unsigned

Just add leading zeroes to the left side

Two's Complement Signed:

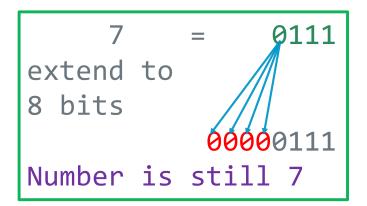
- If positive, add leading zeroes on the left
 - Observe: Positive stay positive
- If negative, add leading ones on the left
 - Observe: Negative stays negative

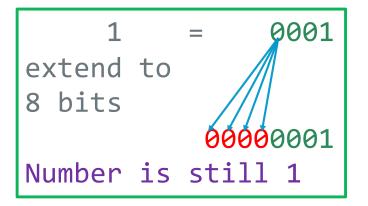


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Example: Two's Complement Sign or bit Extension - 1

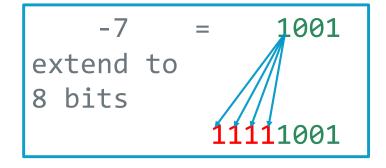
Adding 0's in front of a positive numbers does not change its value





Example: Two's Complement Sign or bit Extension -2

• Adding 1's if front of a negative number does not change its value

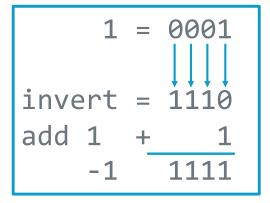


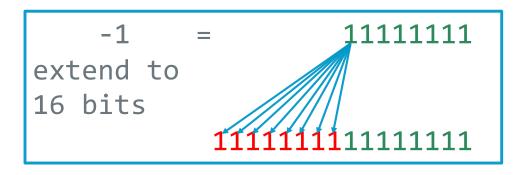


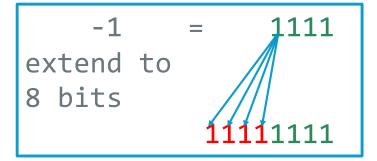
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7 = 00000111
| | | | | | | | |
invert = 11111000
add 1 + 1
-7 11111001
```

Example: Two's Complement Sign or bit Extension - 3

• Adding 1's if front of a negative number does not change its value

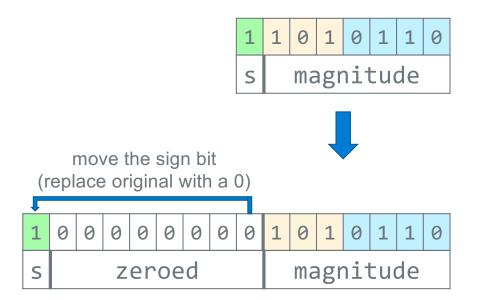




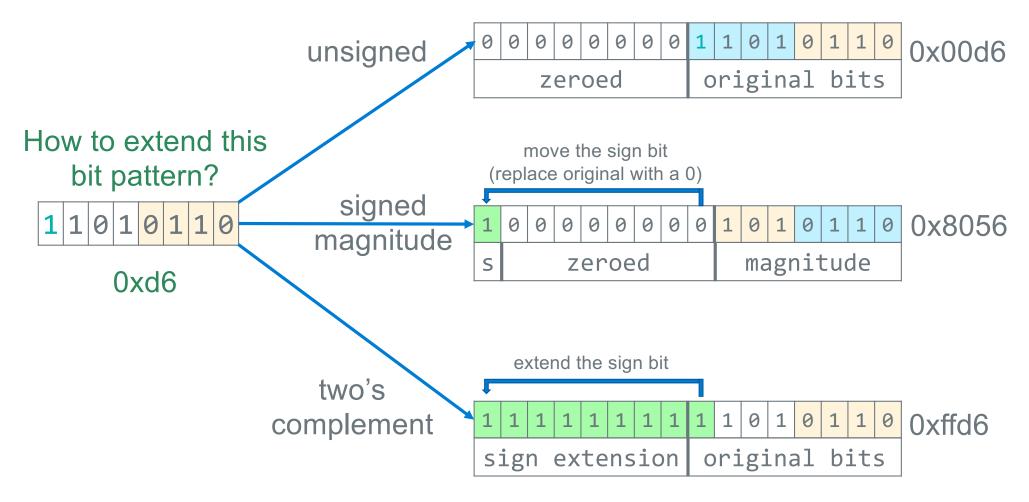


Sign Extension Signed Magnitude number

• Just move the sig bit and expand the magnitude with zeros to the left

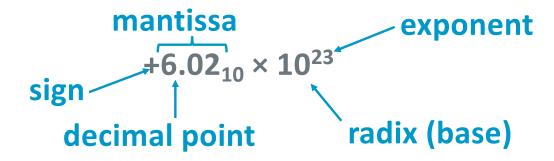


Interpreting and extending with Different representations



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Scientific Notation Decimal



Scientific Normalized form:

exactly one digit (non-zero) to left of decimal point

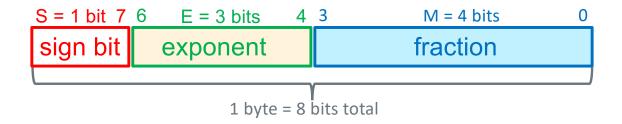
- Alternatives to representing 1/1,000,000,000
 - Normalized:

1.0×10⁻⁹

Not normalized:

 0.1×10^{-8} , 10.0×10^{-10}

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Floating Point Number (8-bits) Number Range: 2-3 to 24

S = 1 bit	E = 3 bits	M = 4 bits	
sign bit	exponent	fraction	
S = 1 bit	E = 3 bits	M = 4 bits	_
0	000	0000	0.0 Special case in this simple model
			we <u>do not</u> put back the "hidden bit"
S = 1 bit	E = 3 bits	M = 4 bits	- 0 II (N - D - W
0	000	0001	Smallest Non-zero Positive 0.0010001 = 1/8 + 1/128 = 0.1328125 base 10
S = 1 bit	E = 3 bits	M = 4 bits	— I
0/1	111	1111	Largest Positive/Negative 1.1111 x 2 ⁴ = 11111 = 31 base 10
			_
S = 1 bit	E = 3 bits	M = 4 bits	— Smallast (alegaet to Tare) Number
1	000	0000	Smallest (closest to zero) Number $1.0000 \times 2^{-3} = 0.001000 = 1/8 = -0.125$ base 10

Note: Orange is hidden bit added back

Decimal to Float 7 6

Bias of 3

4 3

S

exponent (3 bits)

fraction (4 bits)

Step 1: convert from base 10 to binary (absolute value)

-0.375 (decimal) = 0000.0110_2

Step 2: Find out how many places to shift to get the number into the normalized 1.xxxx mantissa format

 $0000.0110_2 = 1.1000 \times (2^{-2})_{\text{base } 10}$

exponent: -2_{10} + bias of 3_{10} = 1_{10} = 0b001 for the exponent (after adding the bias)

Step 3: Use as many digits that fit to the right of the decimal point in the fractional .xxxx part

1.1000

Step 4: Sign bit

positive sign bit is 0 negative sign bit is 1

S	exponent	fraction					
1	0b001	0b1000					
	0x9	0x8					

Float to Decimal

7 6 Bias of 3

4 3

s exponent (3 bits)

fraction (4 bits)

Step 1: Break into binary fields

$$0x45 =$$

Step 2: Extract the unbiased exponent

	0x4	0x5
S	exponent	fraction
0	0b100	0b0101

 $0b100 = 4_{base} 10 - bias of 3_{10} = 1_{10}$ for the exponent (bias removed)

Step 3: Express the mantissa (restore the hidden bit)

1.0101

Step 4: Apply the unbiased exponent

$$1.0101_{\text{base 2}} \times (2^1)_{\text{base 10}} = 10.101$$

Step 5: Convert to decimal

$$10.101 = 2.625_{\text{base } 10}$$

Step 6: Apply the Sign

IEEE "754" Floating Point Double and Single Precision

31 30 23 22 Single Precision (C float) Exponent (8 bits) fraction (23 bits) sign

 $Bias\ is\ (2^{8-1}-)=127$ single precision floating point number = $(-1)^s \times 2^{E-127} \times 1$.fraction

63 62 52 51 Double Precision (C Double)

Exponent (11 bits) sign Uses a Bias of 1023

Uses a Bias of 127

fraction (52 bits)

bias is $(2^{11-1} - 1) = 1023$ double precision floating point number = $(-1)^s \times 2^{E-1023} \times 1$.fraction

Decimal to IEEE Single Precision Float

31 30 23 22 0

sign Exponent (8 bits)
Bias is 127 fraction (23 bits)

Step 1: convert from base 10 to binary (absolute value)

$$-13.375$$
 (decimal) = 1101.0110

Step 2: Find out how many places to shift to get the number into the normalized 1.xxxx mantissa format

$$1101.0110 = 1.1010110 \times (2^3)_{\text{base } 10}$$

$$3 + bias of 127 = 130 for the exponent = 0b1000 0010$$

Step 3: Use as many digits that fit to the right of the decimal point in the fractional .xxxx part (0 pad)

1.1010110 0000 0000 0000 0000

Step 4: If the sign is positive sign bit is 0, otherwise it is 1

S	ех	ponent				fra	ction				
1	100	0001	0	101	0110	0000	0000	0000	0000		
	0xc	0x1		0x5	0x6	0x0	0x0	0x0	0x0	=	0xc1560000

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IEEE Single Precision Float to Decimal

31 30 23 22 0

sign Exponent (8 bits)
Bias is 127₁₀ fraction (23 bits)

Step 1: Break into binary fields and expand as needed

0xc0b00000 =

0xc 0x0 0xb 0x0 0x0 0x0 0x0 0x0

Step 2: Find the exponent

 $0b1000001 = 129_{base 10}$ - bias of $127_{10} = 2_{10}$ exponent with bias added

Step 3: Express the mantissa (restore the hidden bit)

1.0110

Step 4: Apply the exponent

$$1.0110 \times (2^2)_{\text{base } 10} = 101.10$$

Step 5: Convert to decimal

$$101.10 = 5.5$$

Step 6: Apply the Sign

-5.5

Reference: 8-Bit Overflow Examples

Unsigned Integer

1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 carries

1 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 =234₁₀

+ 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 =32₁₀

Because carry-out bit is 1 (and dropped), overflow is detected

Two's Complement

O 1 1 1 1 1 1 0 carries

O 1 1 0 1 0 1 0 =10610

+ 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 =-9610

Both operands are positive, but resulting sign is negative see that cout != cin at the MSB overflow is detected

Unlike unsigned arithmetic, no overflow even though the carryout bit is 1.

As the operand's signs differ, overflow is not possible (cout == cin)

Decimal to Float 7 6

Bias of 3

4 3

exponent (3 bits)

fraction (4 bits)

Step 1: convert from base 10 to binary (absolute value)

$$6.625 (decimal) = 0110.1010$$

Step 2: Find out how many places to shift to get the number into the normalized 1.xxxx mantissa format 0110.1010 normalizes to -> $1.101010 \times (2^2)_{\text{base } 10}$ exponent: $2_{10} + a bias of 3_{10} = 5_{10} = 0b101$ for the exponent (after adding the bias)

Step 3: Use as many digits to the right of the decimal point that will fit in the fractional .xxxx part 1.101010 (we will truncate drop the trailing 10, Real FP use complex rounding approaches)

Step 4: Sign bit positive sign bit is 0 negative sign bit is 1

S	exponent	fraction					
0	0b101	0b1010					
	0x5	0xa					

0x5a