

Data Representation

Introduction

- Most operating systems and programming languages assume that experienced users are familiar with how information is stored in a computer. Without this knowledge, nothing but very basic use of a computer is possible. It would be also impossible to understand many of the fundamental design concepts of digital computers.

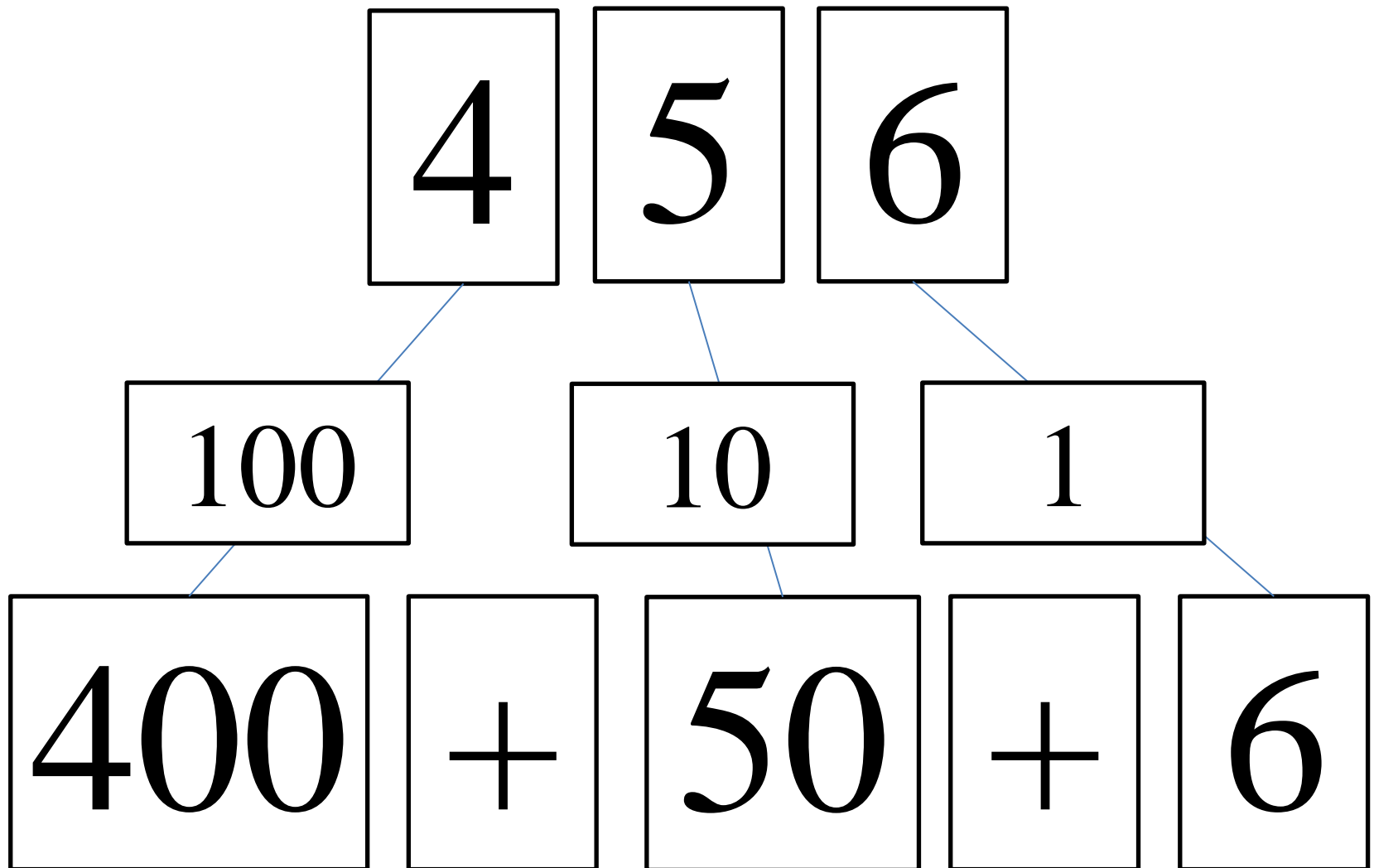
Introduction(cont.)

How is data represented in a computer?

Computer systems operate using two voltage levels (usually 0v and +5v). With two such levels, we can represent exactly two different values, zero and one. All kinds of information processed by the computer are expressed using only these two values.



Numbering systems: Decimal System



Numbering Systems: Decimal Numbering System (cont.)



Decimal Numbering

0 – 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 – 5 – 6 – 7 – 8 – 9

10 digits

Weight: 10^0 - 10^1 - 10^2 - 10^3 - 10^4 - ...

Weight: 1 - 10 – 100 - 1000 - 10000 - ...

The Binary Numbering System

	Decimal(10)	Binary(2)
Number of digits	10	2
Symbols	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	0, 1
Weights	$10^0, 10^1, 10^2, 10^3, \dots$ 1, 10, 100, 1000,	$2^0, 2^1, 2^2, 2^3, \dots$ 1, 2, 4, 8, 16,....

The Binary Numbering System

Example $(1010)_{10}$, $(1010)_2$

1000 **100** **10** **1**

1 **0** **1** **0**

1000+10

one thousand and ten

8 **4** **2** **1**

1 **0** **1** **0**

8+2 → 10

The Binary Numbering System

Binary to Decimal(cont.)

$$(13)_{10} = (?)_2$$
$$13 = 8 + 4 + 1 \rightarrow (1101)_2$$

$$13/2 = 6 \text{ remainder } 1$$

$$6/2 = 3 \text{ remainder } 0$$

$$3/2 = 1 \text{ remainder } 1$$

$$1/2 = 0 \text{ remainder } 1$$


$$(1\ 1\ 0\ 1)_2$$

The Binary Numbering System

Binary \leftrightarrow Decimal

$$(52)_{10} = (?)_2$$
$$52 = ? + ? + \dots + ? \rightarrow (?)_2$$

$$52/2 = 26 \text{ remainder } 0$$

$$26/2 = 13 \text{ remainder } 0$$

$$13/2 = 6 \text{ remainder } 1$$

$$6/2 = 3 \text{ remainder } 0$$

$$3/2 = 1 \text{ remainder } 1$$

$$1/2 = 0 \text{ remainder } 1$$


 $(110100)_2$

check

1	1	0	1	0	0
32	16	8	4	2	1

$$32 + 16 + 4 \rightarrow 52$$

Hexadecimal Numbering System

Number of digits	Decimal(10) 10	Binary(2) 2	Hexadecimal(16) 16
Symbols	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	0, 1	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F
Weight	$10^0, 10^1, 10^2, \dots$ 1, 10, 100,	$2^0, 2^1, 2^2, \dots$ 1, 2, 4, 8,	$16^0, 16^1, 16^2, \dots$ 1, 16, 256,

Hexadecimal Numbering System

Hexadecimal \leftrightarrow Decimal

$$(5378)_{10} = (?)_{16}$$

$$5378 = ? + ? + \dots + ? \rightarrow (?)_{16}$$

$$5378/16 = 336 \text{ remainder } 2$$

$$336/16 = 21 \text{ remainder } 0$$

$$21/16 = 1 \text{ remainder } 5$$

$$1/16 = 0 \text{ remainder } 1$$

←
(1502)

check

1	5	0	2
16^3	16^2	16^1	16^0

$$4096 + 5 \cdot 256 + 2 \cdot 1 \rightarrow 5378$$

Hexadecimal Numbering System

Hexadecimal \leftrightarrow Decimal

$$(7739)_{10} = (?)_{16}$$
$$7739 = ? + ? + \dots + ? \rightarrow (?)_{16}$$

$$7739/16 = 483 \text{ remainder } 11 \rightarrow B$$

$$483/16 = 30 \text{ remainder } 3$$

$$30/16 = 1 \text{ remainder } 14 \rightarrow E$$

$$1/16 = 0 \text{ remainder } 1$$

←
(1E3B)

check

1	E	3	B
16^3	16^2	16^1	16^0

$$4096 + 14 \cdot 256 + 3 \cdot 16 + 11 \cdot 1 \rightarrow 7739$$

Binary ↔ Hexadecimal

$$(7739)_{10} = (1E3B)_{16} = (?)_2$$

(1) → (0001)

(E) → (1110)

(3) → (0011)

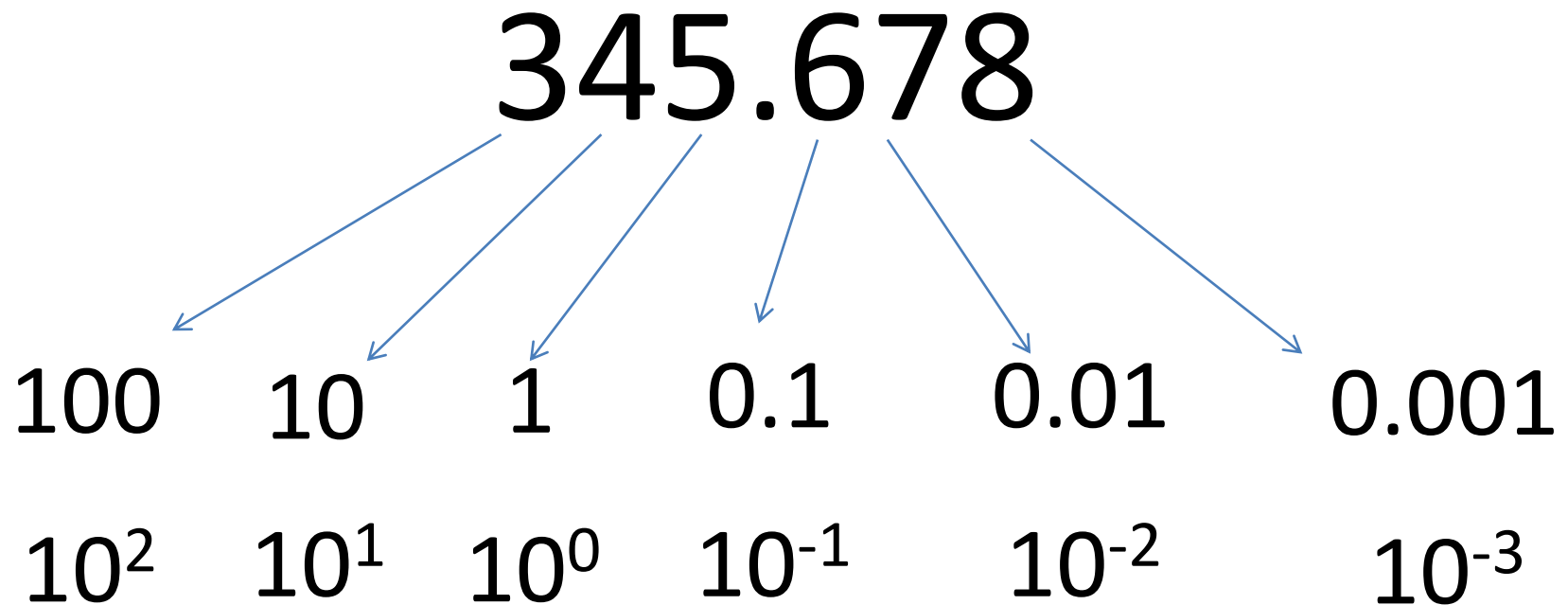
(B) → (1011)

$$(1E3B)_{16} = (\underline{0001} \underline{1110} \underline{0011} \underline{1011})_2$$

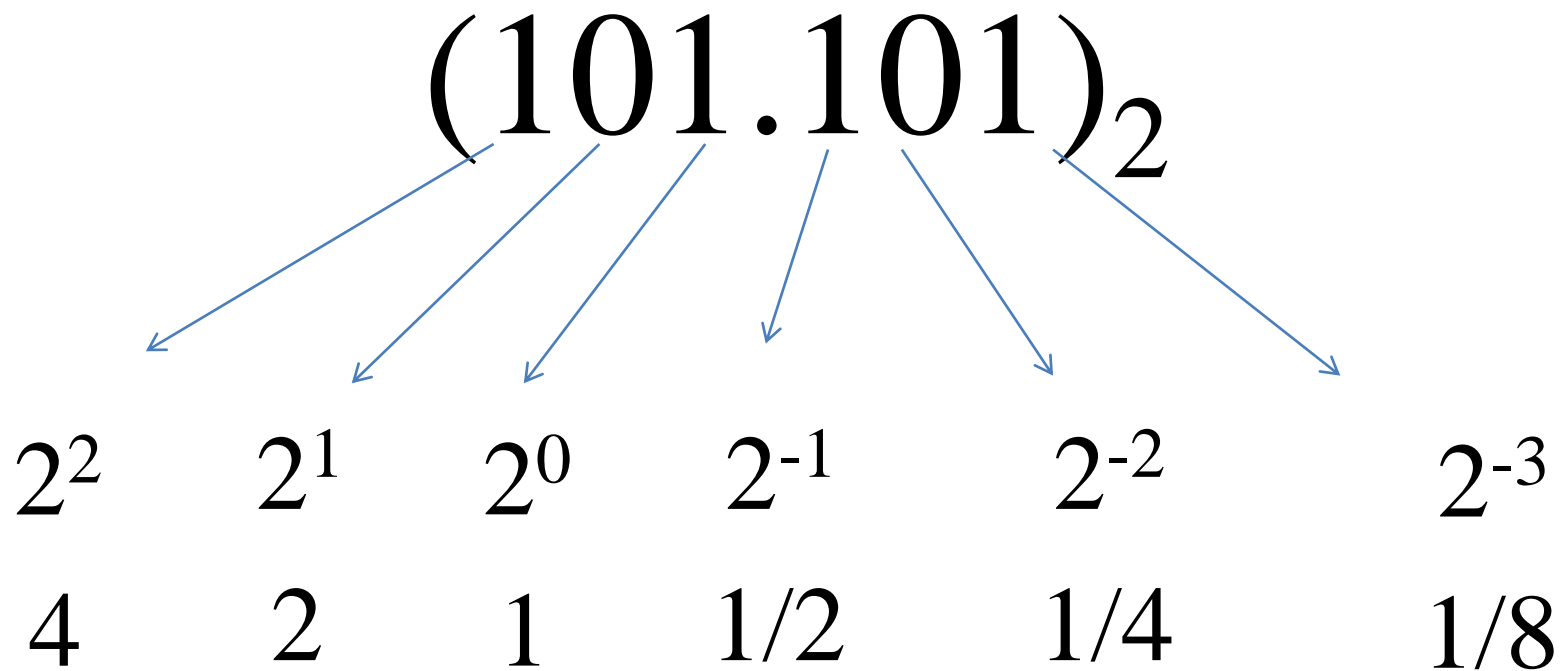
Decimal	Binary	Hexadecimal
0	0000	0
1	0001	1
2	0010	2
3	0011	3
4	0100	4
5	0101	5
6	0110	6
7	0111	7
8	1000	8
9	1001	9
10	1010	A
11	1011	B
12	1100	C
13	1101	D
14	1110	E
15	1111	F

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Check} &\rightarrow (2^0 + 2^1 + 2^3) + (2^4 + 2^5) + (2^9 + 2^{10} + 2^{11}) + (2^{12}) \\ &= (1 + 2 + 8) + (16 + 32) + (512 + 1024 + 2048) + (4096) = 7739 \end{aligned}$$

Non-integer number representation (Decimal)



Non-integer number representation (Binary)



$$(101.101)_2 = (4 + 1 + 0.5 + 0.125)_{10} = (5.625)_{10}$$

Decimal addition

$$\begin{array}{r} \textcircled{1} \\ 847 \\ 682 \\ \hline 15\cancel{12}9 \\ 2 \\ 1529 \end{array}$$

Binary addition

weight

4

2

1

1

0

1

0

1

0

1

1

1

Binary addition (cont.)

The diagram illustrates the binary addition of 1101 and 1101. The first row shows the numbers 1101 and 1101, with the result 7. The second row shows the numbers 1101 and 1101, with the result 6. The third row shows the numbers 1101 and 1101, with the result 13. A red arrow points from the first carry (1) to the first column of the third row.

1	1				
1	1	1	1	→	7
1	1	1	0	→	6
1	1	0	1	→	13

Hexadecimal addition (cont.)

(5 8 4)₁₆

(7 1 9)₁₆

(12)₁₀ (9)₁₀ (13)₁₀

(C)₁₆ (9)₁₆ (D)₁₆

(C 9 D)₁₆

Hexadecimal addition (cont.)

$$\begin{array}{r}
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 & \textcircled{1} & \\
 (5 & 8 & A)_{16} \\
 (B & 4 & 9)_{16} \\
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 \end{array} \\
 \begin{array}{ccc}
 (16)_{10} & (13)_{10} & (19)_{10} \\
 (10)_{16} & (D)_1 & \cancel{(13)_{16}} \\
 & 6 & (3)_{16} \\
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 \end{array} \\
 (10D3)_{16}
 \end{array}$$

Negative Number Representation

- There are three formats for representing negative numbers in base- r system
 - Sign-magnitude
 - r 's complement
 - $(r-1)$'s complement

Negative Number Representation

Sign-magnitude

Sign-magnitude

This type uses one bit for the sign (0 = positive, 1=negative) and the remaining bits represent the magnitude of the number.

Decimal value	Positive	Negative
1	0 0 0 1	1 0 0 1
3	0 0 1 1	1 0 1 1
4	0 1 0 0	1 1 0 0
5	0 1 0 1	1 1 0 1

2's complement (Overview)

Given a number N in base r having n digits, the (r) 's complement of N is defined by $= (r^n) - N$.

For example if $n=4$ bits:

The 2's complement of $(0010)_2$ is $2^4 - 2 = 14 = (1110)_2$

The 2's complement of $(0110)_2$ is $2^4 - 6 = 10 = (1010)_2$

$$\begin{aligned} 2^4 - 6 &= 16 - 6 = \\ &= (1 + 15) - 6 \\ &= 1 + (15 - 6) = 1 + (1111)_2 - (0110)_2 = 1 + (1001)_2 = (1010)_2 \end{aligned}$$

2's complement (Ex)

4-bits

Subtract $5-3 \rightarrow (0101)_2 - (0011)_2$
 $\rightarrow (0101)_2 - (0011)_2 = (2)_{10} = (0010)_2$

2's complement of $(0011)_2 = 1 + (1100)_2 = (1101)_2$

0	1	0	1
1	1	0	1

+

1	0	0	1	0
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$\rightarrow (0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 0)$

2's complement (Ex)



5-bits

Subtract $11-5 \rightarrow (1011)_2 - (101)_2$
 $\rightarrow (01011)_2 - (00101)_2 = (6)_{10} = (00110)_2$

2's complement of $(00101)_2 = 1 + (11010)_2 = (11011)_2$

0	1	0	1	1
1	1	0	1	1

+

1	0	0	1	1	0
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$\rightarrow (0 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 0)_2$

2's complement (Ex)



5-bits

Subtract $5-9 \rightarrow (00101)_2 - (01001)_2$
 $\rightarrow (00101)_2 - (01001)_2 = -(4)_{10} = -(00100)$

2's complement of $(01001)_2 = 1 + (10110)_2 = (10111)_2$

0	0	1	0	1	
1	0	1	1	1	+

?	1	1	1	0	0
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2's complement of $(11100)_2 = 1 + (00011) = (00100) \rightarrow -(00100)$

2's complement (cont.)

Decimal	4bit (+ve)	4bit (-ve)
1	0001	1111
2	0010	1110
3	0011	1101
4	0100	1100
5	0101	1011
6	0110	1010
7	0111	1001

Weights of 2's complement (3 bit) are : $-4 \ 2 \ 1$

Weights of 2's complement (4 bit) are : $-8 \ 4 \ 2 \ 1$

Weights of 2's complement (n bit) are : $-2^{n-1} \ 2^{n-2} \ 2^{n-3} \ \dots \ 2^1 \ 2^0$

Ex using 2's complement $(1010)_2$ is $-8 + 2 = -6$

2's complement (cont.)

(Fast method)

Example (using 2's complement)

$$(1\ 0\ 0\ 1)_2 \rightarrow -8+1 = -7$$

$$(0\ 1\ 0\ 1)_2 \rightarrow 4+1 = 5$$

$$(1\ 0\ 1)_2 \rightarrow -4+1 = -3$$

$$(0\ 1\ 1)_2 \rightarrow 1+2 = 3$$

2's complement (cont.)

(Fast method- cont.)

Using 2's complement (4-bits)

$$\text{Max} \rightarrow (0111)_2 = +7$$

$$\text{Min} \rightarrow (1000)_2 = -8$$

Using 2's complement (3-bits)

$$\text{Max} \rightarrow (011)_2 = +3$$

$$\text{Min} \rightarrow (100)_2 = -4$$

Using 2's complement (n-bits)

$$\text{Max} \rightarrow +(2^{n-1})-1$$

$$\text{Min} \rightarrow -(2^{n-1})$$