

REPRESENTING NEGATIVE NUMBERS

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Representing Negative Numbers

- Are the negative numbers just numbers with a minus sign in the front? This is probably true...but there are issues to represent negative numbers in computing systems.
- Common schemas:
 - Sign-magnitude
 - Complementary representations:
 - 1's complement
 - ***2's complement – most common & important***

Representation Of Negative Number

1'S & 2'S COMPLIMENT

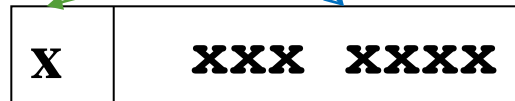
Binary Number System

9'S & 10'S COMPLIMENT

Decimal Number System

Sign Magnitude

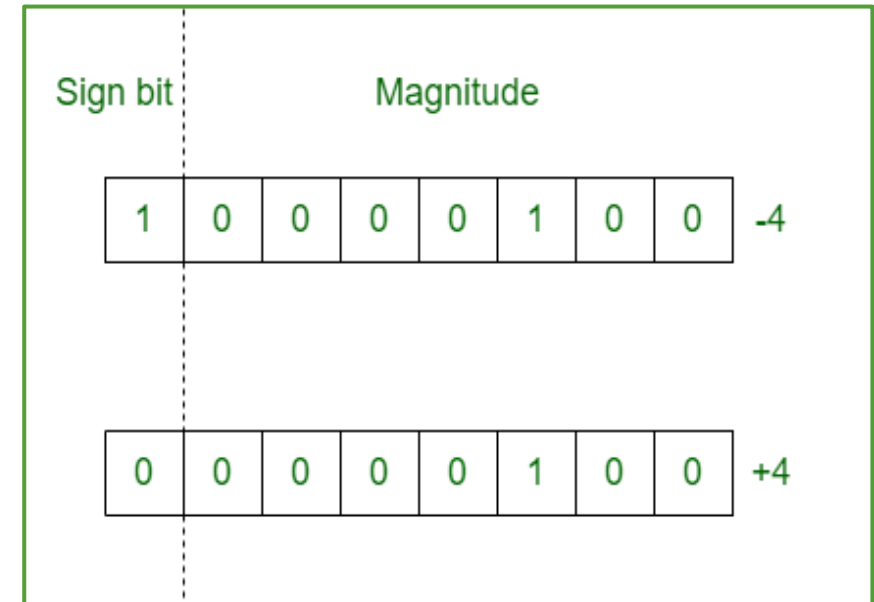
- An extra bit in the most significant position is designated as the *sign bit* which is to the left of an unsigned integer. The unsigned integer is the *magnitude*.



- A **0** in the sign bit means positive, and a **1** means negative.
- There is a problem with the sign-magnitude representation is a *plus zero* and *minus zero*, which causes unnecessary complexity.

Sign Magnitude

- In the signed magnitude method number is divided into two parts: Sign bit and magnitude. Sign bit is 1 for negative number and 0 for positive number. Magnitude of number is represented with the binary form of the number.
- Left most bit used to represent sign
 - 0 = positive value
 - 1 = negative value
- Given an $n+1$ -bit sign magnitude number the range of values that it can represent is $-(2^n-1)$ to $+(2^n-1)$



1's Complement

- For positive numbers, the representation is the same as for unsigned integers where the most significant bit is always zero.
- The additive inverse of a one's complement representation is found by inverting each bit.
- Inverting each bit is also called taking the one's complement.
- **Shortcut for base 2?**
 - **All combinations used, but 2 zeros!**

	$+N$	$-N$
0	0000	1111
1	0001	1110
2	0010	1101
3	0011	1100
4	0100	1011
5	0101	1010
6	0110	1001
7	0111	1000

2'S Complement Process

The steps in the **2's Complement** process uses **base-2 (binary) numbers**.

First, complement all of the digits in a number.

- A digit's complement is the number you add to the digit to make it equal to the largest digit in the base (i.e., 1 for binary). In binary language, the complement of 0 is 1, and the complement of 1 is 0.

Second, add 1.

- Without this step, our number system would have two zeroes (+0 & -0), which no number system has.

2's Complement

- If we consider x is a positive number.
- Then $-x$ is represented by $b^D + (-x)$.
 - Ex. Let $b=2$ and $D=4$. Then -1 is represented by $2^4 - 1 = 15$ or 1111_2 .
 - Ex. Let $b=2$ and $D=4$. Then -5 is represented by $2^4 - 5 = 11$ or 1011_2 .

Solution for the two ZERO's

- $0000 \longrightarrow 1\text{'s complement} \longrightarrow 1111 \longrightarrow \text{adding } 1 \longrightarrow 10000$
discharge carry.

	$+N$	$-N$
0	0000	0000
1	0001	1111
2	0010	1110
3	0011	1101
4	0100	1100
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2's Complement

First, find the equivalent binary number.

If the decimal number was positive: then ok.

If the decimal number was negative: invert all the bits, and add 1 (with carries as needed).

Examples

25 decimal is 00011001 binary. It's positive, so all done.

-25 decimal:

Begin with binary:

0 0 0 1 1 0 0 1

Invert all the bits to get:

1 1 1 0 0 1 1 0

+ 1

Add 1 to get:

1 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 (decimal value -25)

9's & 10's Complement Process

- Similarly **2's complement**, the **10's Complement** process uses base-10 (decimal) numbers. In decimal number system we have the **9's** and **10's** complement, the **9's** is obtained by **subtracting** each digit **from 9**.
- 10's complement = **9's complement + 1**.

First, complement all of the digits in a number.

- A digit's complement is the number you add to the digit to make it equal to the largest digit in the base (i.e., 9 for decimal). The complement of 0 is 9, 1 is 8, 2 is 7, etc.

Second, add 1.

- Without this step, our number system would have two zeroes (+0 & -0), which no number system has.
- If we consider x is a positive number.
- Then $-x$ is represented **by $b^D + (-x)$** .
 - Then the 10's complement of 12389 = $10^5 - 12389$
 $= 100000 - 12389 = 87611$.

10's Complement Examples

Example #1

$$\begin{array}{r} -003 \\ \downarrow\downarrow\downarrow \\ 996 \\ +1 \\ \hline 997 \end{array}$$

Complement Digits

Add 1

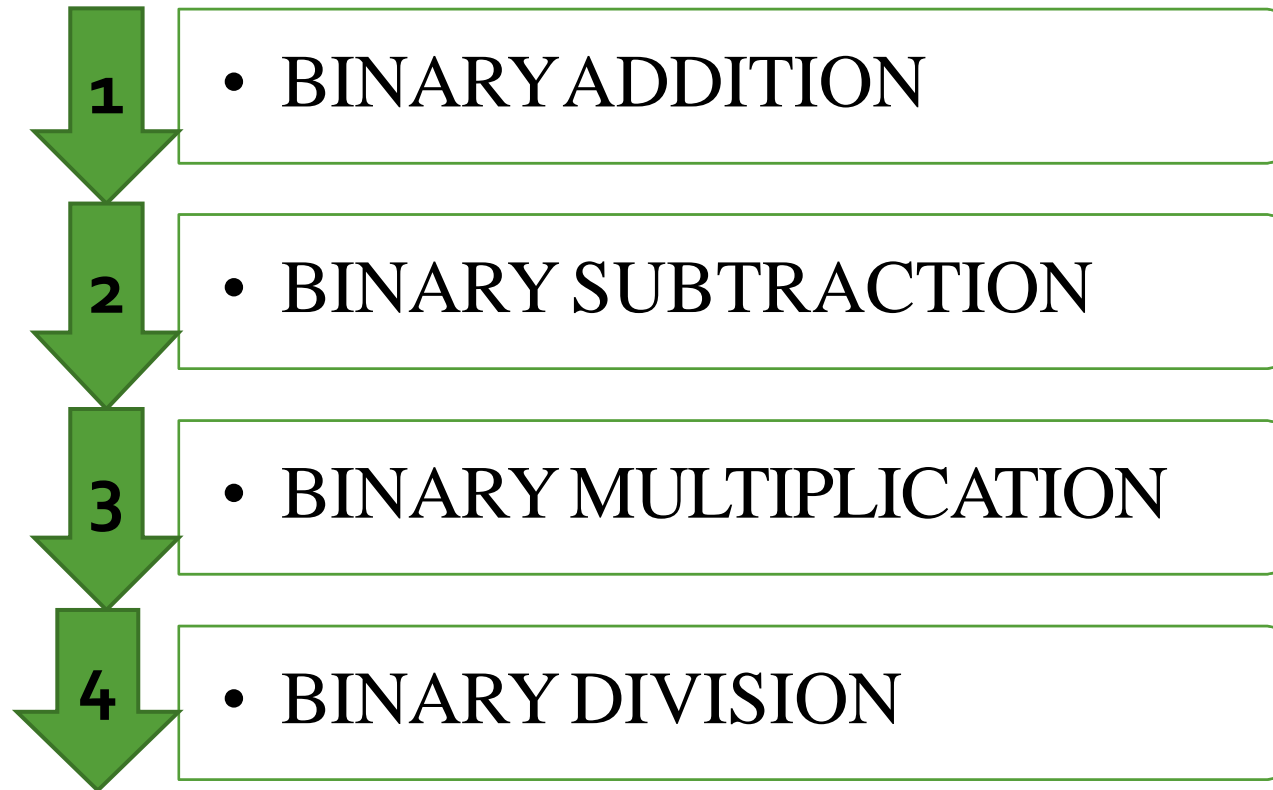
Example #2

$$\begin{array}{r} -214 \\ \downarrow\downarrow\downarrow \\ 785 \\ +1 \\ \hline 786 \end{array}$$

Complement Digits

Add 1

Binary Arithmetic



Binary Addition

$$0 + 0 = 0$$

$$1 + 0 = 1$$

$$0 + 1 = 1$$

$$1 + 1 = 0 \ 1 \text{ (Carry bit)}$$

1 1 0 1	(13 decimal)
<u>+ 0 0 0 1</u>	(+1 decimal)
1 1 1 0	(14 decimal)

Binary Subtraction

$$0 - 0 = 0$$

$$1 - 0 = 1$$

$$0 - 1 = 1 \text{ 1 (Borrow bit)}$$

$$1 - 1 = 0$$

↓
Borrow

1 1 0 1	(13 decimal)
<u>- 0 0 1 1</u>	(3 decimal)
1 0 1 0	(10 decimal)

Binary Multiplication

$$\begin{array}{r} 1000 \\ X0110 \\ \hline 0000 \\ +1000 \\ +1000 \\ +0000 \\ \hline 0110000 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} = 8_{10} \\ = 6_{10} \\ \\ \\ \\ = 48_{10} \end{array}$$

Binary Division

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011 ) 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 ( 1
      0 1 1
      ---
        0 0 0
        0 0 0
        ---
          0 0 0
          0 0 0
          ---
            0 0 1      (0
            0 0 0
            ---
              0 1 0
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$Q=1000=16_{10}$

$R=10=2_{10}$

Using The 2's Complement Process

Use the 2's complement process to add together the following numbers.

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{POS} \\ + \text{POS} \\ \hline \text{POS} \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} 9 \\ + 5 \\ \hline 14 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{NEG} \\ + \text{POS} \\ \hline \text{NEG} \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} (-9) \\ + 5 \\ \hline -4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{POS} \\ + \text{NEG} \\ \hline \text{POS} \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} 9 \\ + (-5) \\ \hline 4 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{NEG} \\ + \text{NEG} \\ \hline \text{NEG} \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} (-9) \\ + (-5) \\ \hline -14 \end{array}$$

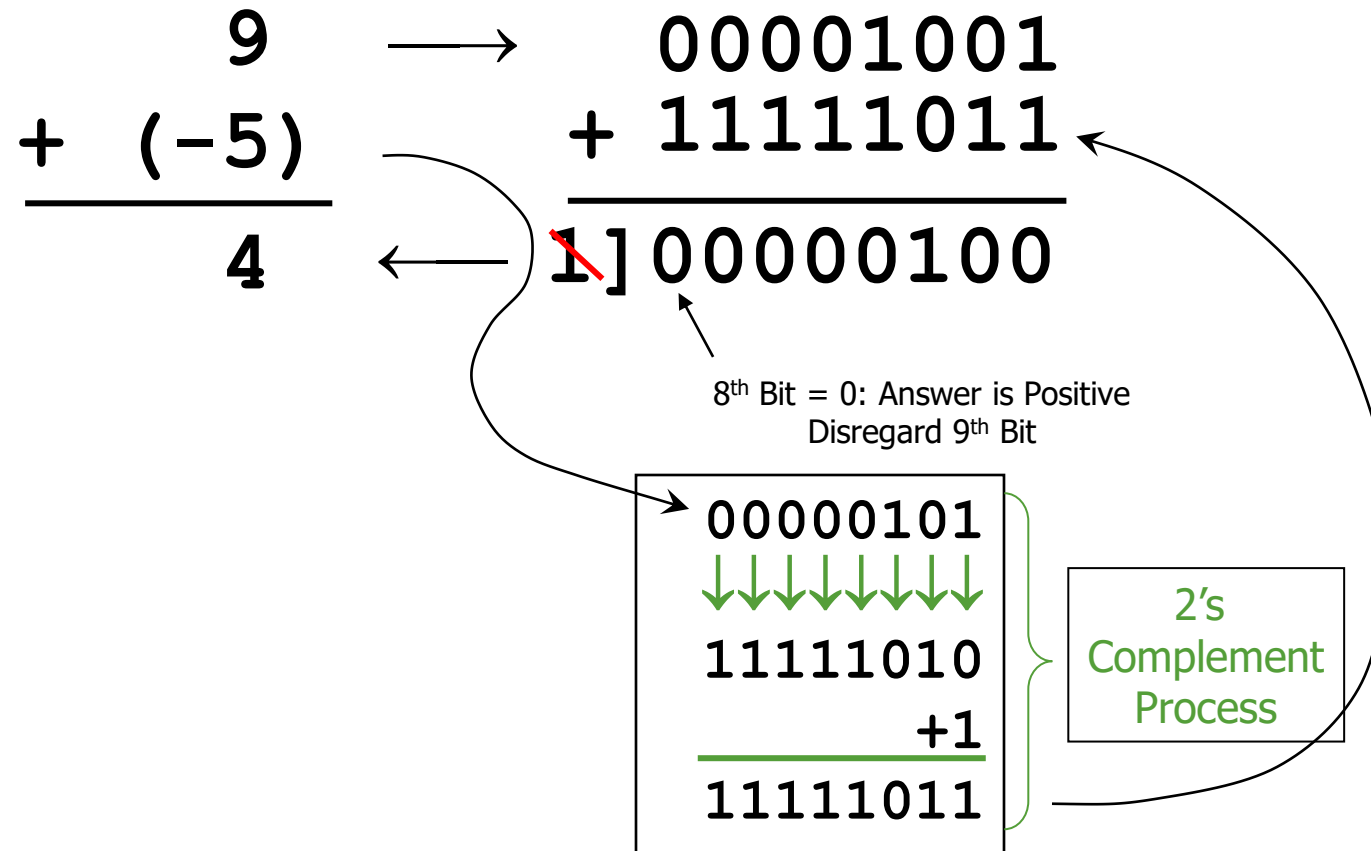
POS + POS → POS Answer

If no 2's complement is needed, use regular binary addition.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} & 9 & \longrightarrow \\ + & 5 & \longrightarrow \\ \hline & 14 & \longleftarrow \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{rcl} & 00001001 & \\ + & 00000101 & \\ \hline & 00001110 & \end{array}$$

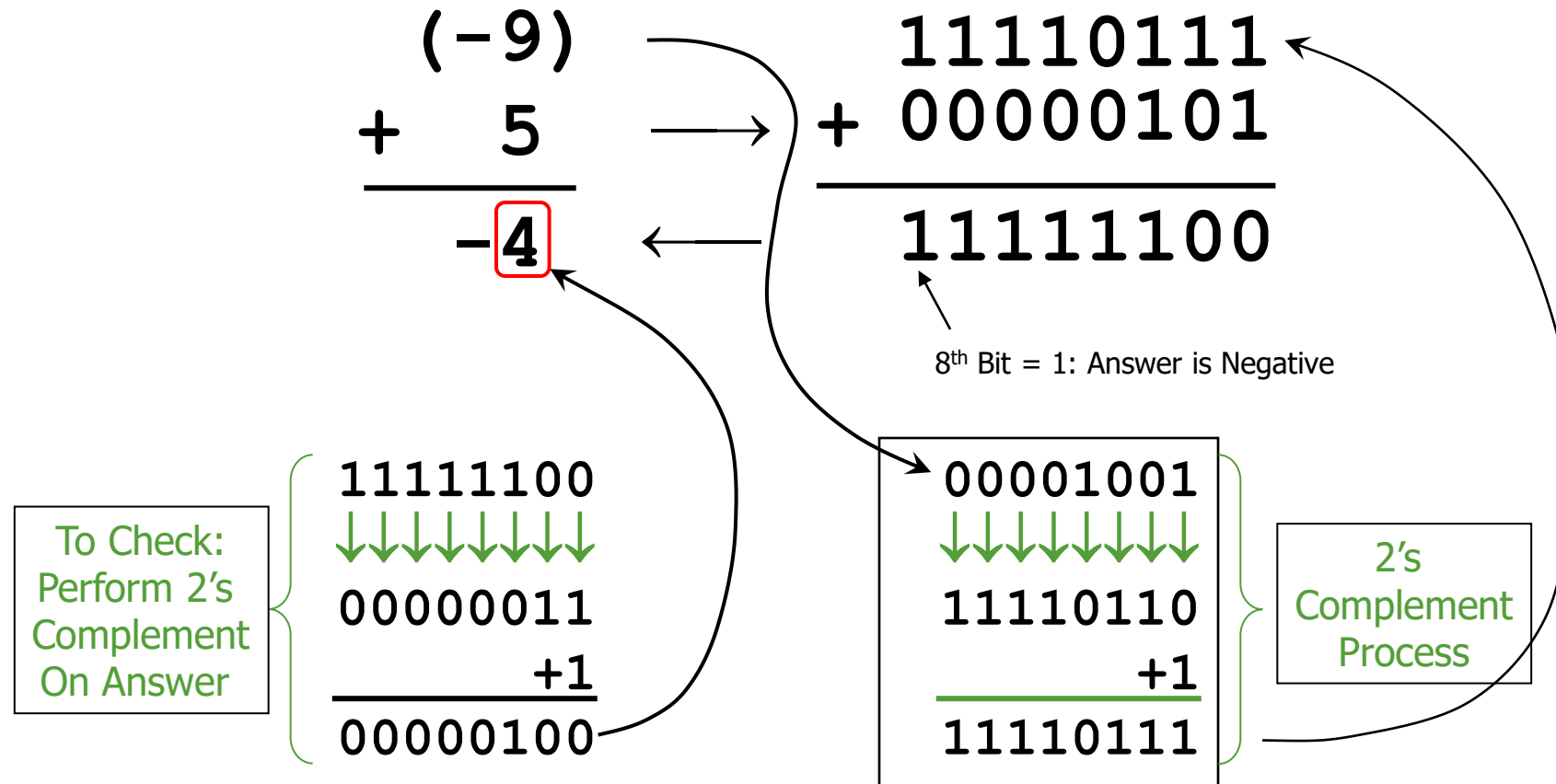
POS + NEG → POS Answer

Take the 2's complement of the negative number and use regular binary addition.



POS + NEG → NEG Answer

Take the 2's complement of the negative number and use regular binary addition.



NEG + NEG → NEG Answer

Take the 2's complement of both negative numbers and use regular binary addition.

$$\begin{array}{r} (-9) \longrightarrow 11110111 \\ + (-5) \longrightarrow + 11111011 \\ \hline -14 \end{array}$$

2's Complement
Numbers, See
Conversion
Process
In Previous Slides

~~1~~ 11110010

8th Bit = 1: Answer is Negative
Disregard 9th Bit

To Check:
Perform 2's
Complement
On Answer

11110010
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓
00001101
+ 1
00001110