



What is a Number?

- We use the Hindu-Arabic Number System
 - positional grouping system
 - each position is a power of 10
- Binary numbers
 - based on the same system
 - use powers of 2 rather than 10
 - each digit is in the set { 0, 1 }

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Base 10 Number

The number 1783 is ...

10 ⁴	10 ³	10 ²	10 ¹	10 ⁰
10000	1000	100	10	1
0	1	7	8	3

$$1000 + 700 + 80 + 3 = 1783$$

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Binary Number Example

The number 0110 1001 is ...

2 ⁷	2 ⁶	2 ⁵	24	2 ³	2 ²	21	20
128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1

$$64 + 32 + 8 + 1 = 105$$

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Binary Number Example

The number 1101 1011 is ...

2 ⁷	2 ⁶	2 ⁵	24	2 ³	2 ²	21	20
128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1

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Numbers are Tuples

- In Hindu-Arabic system, the order of the symbols is important – so they are tuples
- e.g. 123 ≠ 321
- Other number styles use sets

 i.e. the ancient Egyptian system



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Looking at Numbers

- Numbers are tuples 1947 ≠ 1974
- Members of the decimals number are also members of the set {0, 1, 2, ... 9}

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1947 → (1,9,4,7)
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Looking at Binary Numbers

- Binary numbers are tuples 10010100 ≠ 11100000
- Members of the binary number are also members of the set {0, 1}

Looking at Binary Numbers

• So, for a binary number B, all $x \in B$ holds the following: $x \in \{0, 1\}$

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10100111 → (1,0,1,0,0,1,1,1)

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So....

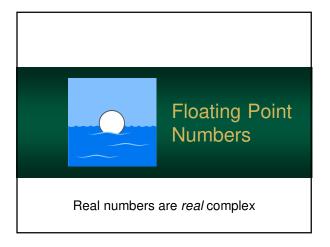
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{1776, 1846, 1947} →
{ (1,7,7,6), (1,8,4,6), (1,9,4,7) }
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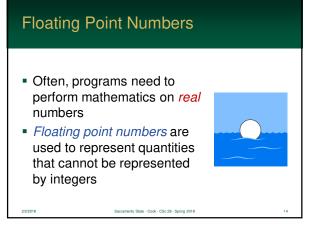
Let's Make a Set-Based System

- We are mostly used to tuple-based number systems
- But, for most of history, people used sets
- Let's create one

Let's try it

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Floating Point Numbers

- Why?
 - regular binary numbers can <u>only</u> store <u>whole</u> positive and negative values
 - many numbers outside the range representable within the system's bit width (too large/small)



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IEEE 754

- Practically modern computers use the IEEE 754 Standard to store floating-point numbers
- Represent by a mantissa and an exponent
 - similar to scientific notation
 - the value of a number is: mantissa × 2 exponent
 - uses signed magnitude

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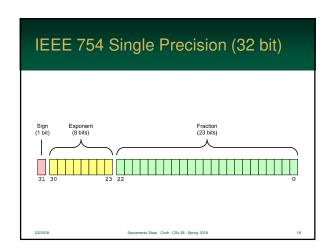
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IEEE 754

- Comes in three forms:
 - · single-precision: 32-bit
 - double-precision: 64-bit
 - quad-precision: 128-bit
- Also supports special values:
 - negative and positive infinity
 - and "not a number" for errors (e.g. 1/0)

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Fractional Field

- The fraction field number that represents part of the mantissa
- If a number is in proper scientific notation...
 - it always has a single digit before the decimal place
 - for decimal numbers, this is 1..9 (never zero)
 - for base-2 numbers, it is always 1

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Fractional Field

- So, do we need to store the leading 1? It will always be a 1
- The faction field, therefore...
 - only represents the fractional portion of a binary number
 - the integer portion is assumed to be 1
 - this increases the number of significant digits that can be represented (by not wasting a bit)

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Exponent Field

- The exponent field supports negative and positive values but does not use signmagnitude or 2's complement
- Uses a "biased" integer representation
 - fixed value is added to the exponent before storing it
 - when interpreting the stored data, this fixed value is then subtracted

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Exponent Field

- Bias is different depending on precision
 - single precision: 127
 - · double precision: 1023
 - quad precision: 16383
- For example, for single precision...
 - exponent of 12 stored as: (+12 + 127) = 139
 - exponent of -56 stored as: (-56 + 127) = 71

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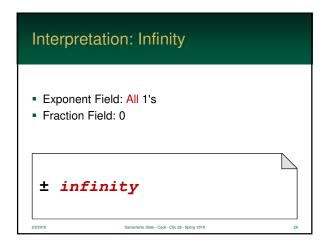
Interpretation: Normal Case

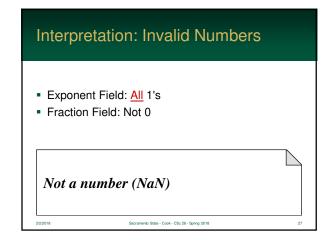
- Exponent Field: not all 0's or all 1's
- · Fraction Field: Any

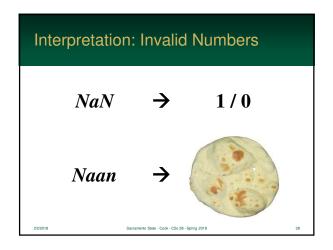
± (1.fraction) × 2 (exponent - bias)

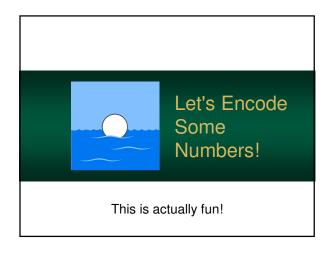
Interpretation: Zero Exponent Field: all 0's Fraction Field: all 0's 0

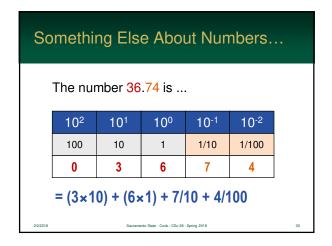
Interpretation: Tiny Numbers Exponent Field: all 0's Fraction Field: Any ± (0.fraction) × 2^(1 - bias)

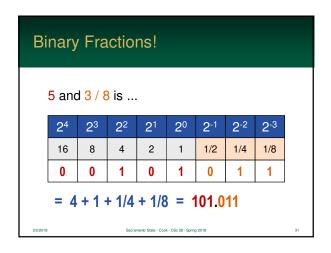


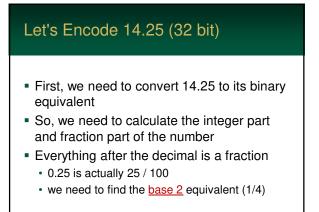


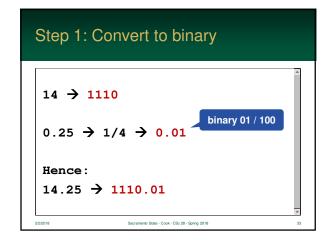


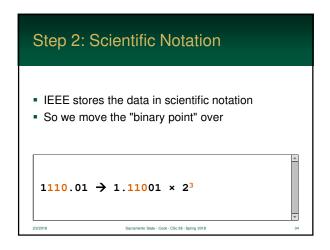


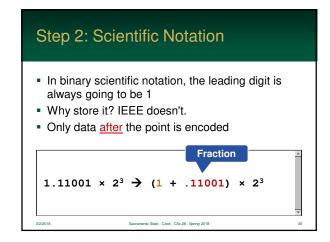


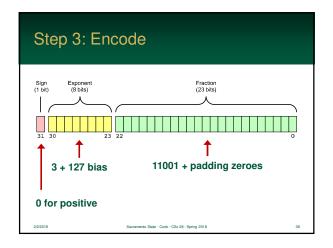


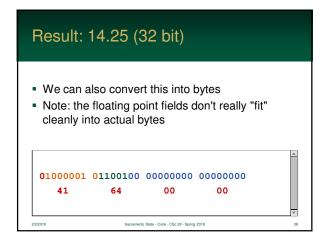




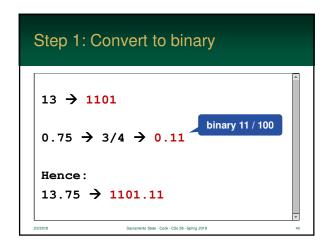








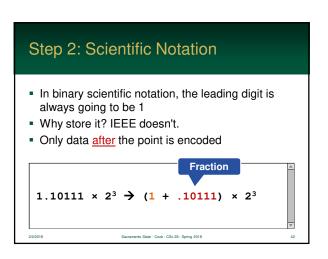
Example 2: Encode 13.75 (32 bit) First, we need to convert 13.75 to its binary equivalent So, we need to calculate the integer part and fraction part of the number Everything after the decimal is a fraction 0.75 is actually 75 / 100 we need to find the base 2 equivalent (3/4)

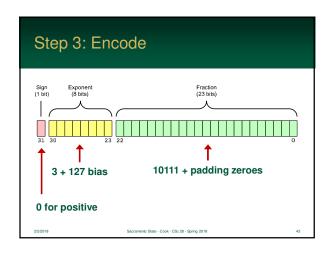


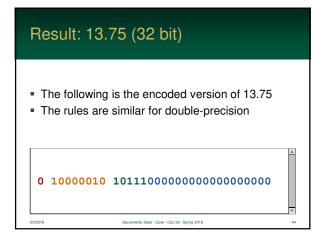
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Step 2: Scientific Notation

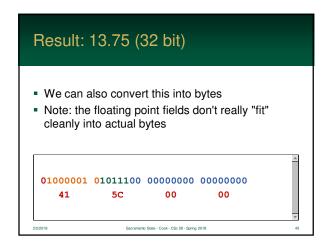
■ IEEE stores the data in scientific notation
■ So we move the "binary point" over

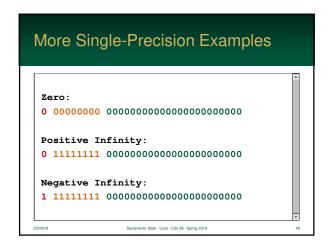
1101.11 → 1.10111 × 2³
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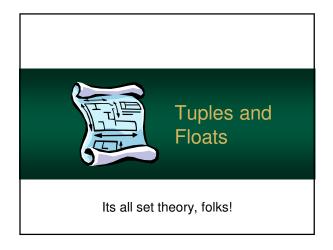


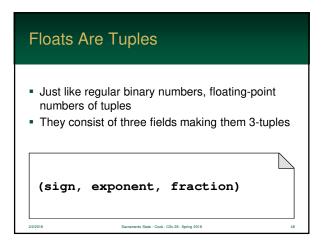


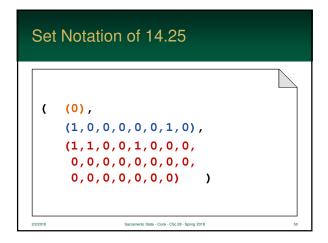


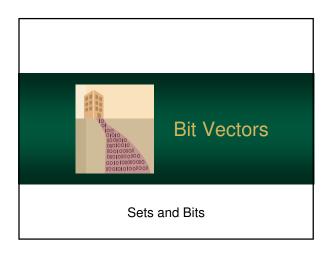


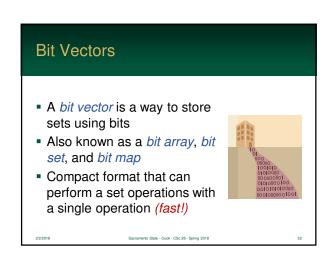


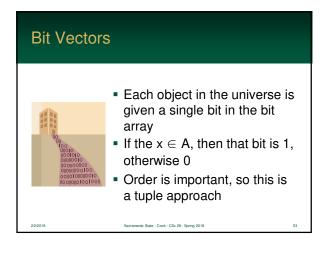


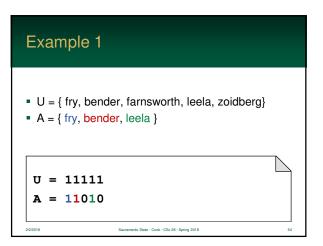




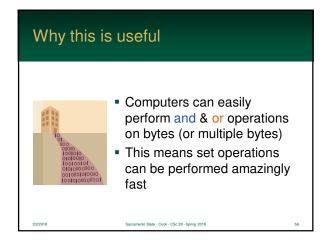


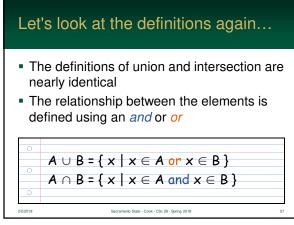


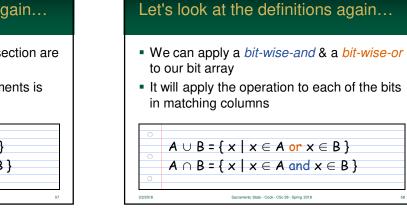




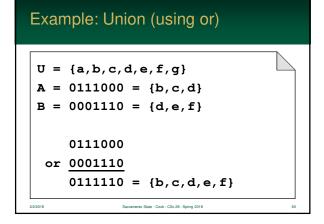
Example 2 • U = { 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19} • A = { 3, 5, 11, 19 } U = 11111111 A = 01101001



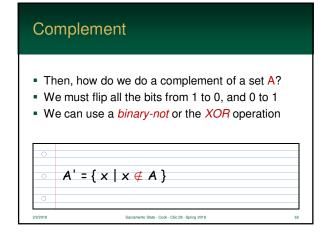


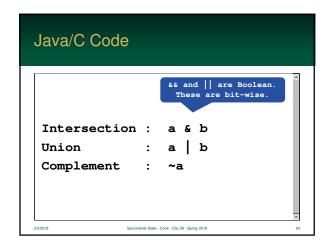


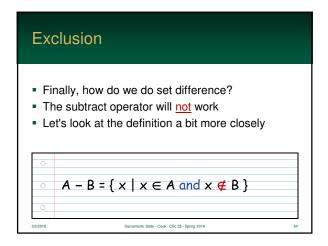
Let's look at the definitions again... So, each bit in A will be compared to its matching bit in B Bit match can do sets! A ∪ B = { x | x ∈ A or x ∈ B } A ∩ B = { x | x ∈ A and x ∈ B }

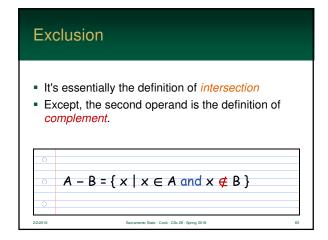


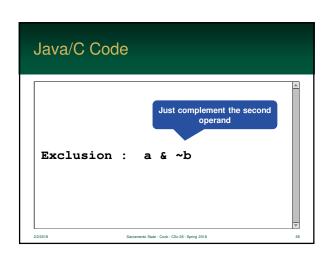
Example: Intersection (using and) $U = \{a,b,c,d,e,f,g\}$ $A = 0111000 = \{b,c,d\}$ $B = 0001110 = \{d,e,f\}$ 0111000and $\frac{0001110}{0001000} = \{d\}$



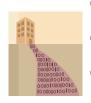








Limits of Bit Vectors



- Bit vectors, while useful, do have some notable limitations
- They only work on finite, <u>countable</u> sets
- For all other cases, you will have to work use a more advanced ADT

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- For most cases, a very sophisticated list or tree can be used
- You will need to know:
 - lists / trees
 - sorting
 - binary-searches
 - Big-O

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