

CS Bridge Module 2: Positional Number Systems

Digital Data

- Data in the computer's memory is represented using units that can each be in one of 2-states (0 or 1)
- Memory is made out of Bits, that are grouped into Bytes
 - Bits are physically made with electricity flow or Magnetic Field
 - Abstractly Bits are either 0 or 1

Data is represented Digitally using Binary Numbers

- Kinds of Data:

- Numbers: Represented in "Binary"
- Text: Numbers are mapped to Characters (ASCII)
- Images: Numbers are used to display color in a pixel (RGB)
- Video: Sequence of Images
- Audio: Sampled Voltage Levels

All Data should be transformed into numbers

Counting in Base 10 (Decimal Number System)

- 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9
- We take group 10-1's into a single 10
- Then we place the 1 in tens place and continue adding 1
- 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19
- 2 groups of ten = 20
- 10 tens would represent 1-hundred

Counting in Base 5

- 0, 1, 2, 3, 4
- Grouping 5 ones into a single 5 object
- 10, 11, 12, 13, 14
- Another group into a 5 object
- Up till 44
- At 44 we go into 1-100 5 object
- 100, 101, 102, 103, 104

Counting in Base 8

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

- One-Octal ten
- 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17
- Two-Octal ten
- After 77 we would have - Ten-Octal ten or 100 octals digit.

Counting in Base 2

- Only Digits are 0 and 1
- 0, 1
- One-Binary ten
- 10, 11
- Two-Binary ten or One-Binary Hundred
- 100, 101
- 110, 111
- Two Binary Hundred or One-Binary Thousand
- 1000, 1001
- 1010, 1011
- 1110, 1111
- Numbers grow much faster

Counting in Base 16 (Hexadecimal)

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F

- We cannot use two digit numbers so instead use letters
- 10 - Hexadecimal Ones = 10 - Hexadecimal ten
- 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E, 1F
- What is after "ff"? 100

Equivalent Representations

Example: 13

$(13)_{10} = 13$ in Decimal System

$(15)_8 = 13$ in Octal System

$(23)_5 = 13$ in Base-5 System

$(1101)_2 = 13$ in Binary System

$(D)_{16} = 13$ in Hexadecimal System

Base Conversions

(i) N in base $b \rightarrow N$ in decimal

(ii) N in decimal $\rightarrow N$ in base b

- These two translations let you convert to any number system

: Base $b \rightarrow$ decimal

- Example

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{3} & \boxed{7} & \boxed{5} \\ \text{hundreds} & \text{tens} & \text{ones} \end{array} \bigg|_{10} = 3 \cdot 10^2 + 7 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0$$

Each digit has its own weight

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{1} & \boxed{2} & \boxed{5} \\ \text{8}^2 & \text{8}^1 & \text{8}^0 \end{array} \bigg|_8 = 1 \cdot 8^2 + 2 \cdot 8^1 + 5 \cdot 8^0 = 64 + 16 + 5 = (85)_{10}$$

- So $(125)_8$ amounts to $(85)_{10}$ objects

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \boxed{1} & \boxed{0} & \boxed{1} & \boxed{1} \\ \text{2}^3 & \text{2}^2 & \text{2}^1 & \text{2}^0 \end{array} \bigg|_2 = 1 \cdot 2^3 + 0 \cdot 2^2 + 1 \cdot 2^1 + 1 \cdot 2^0 = 8 + 0 + 2 + 1 = (11)_{10}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{3} & \boxed{b} & \boxed{2} \\ \text{16}^2 & \text{16}^1 & \text{16}^0 \end{array} \bigg|_{16} = 3 \cdot 16^2 + b \cdot 16^1 + 2 \cdot 16^0 = 768 + 176 + 2 = (946)_{10}$$

General Formula:

$$(a_n \dots a_2 a_1 a_0)_b = a_0 \cdot b^0 + a_1 \cdot b^1 + a_2 \cdot b^2 + \dots + a_n \cdot b^n$$

- Where ever the position of the number is, you multiply that number (a_n) by the power of the weight of the base (b^n)

Knowledge Check

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{1} & \boxed{2} & \boxed{3} \\ \text{8}^2 & \text{8}^1 & \text{8}^0 \end{array} \bigg|_8 = 1 \cdot 8^2 + 2 \cdot 8^1 + 3 \cdot 8^0 = 64 + 16 + 3 = (83)_{10}$$

(ii) Decimal \rightarrow Base b (demonstrated on $b=2$)

Example $(75)_{10} = (1001011)_2$

$$\begin{array}{cccccccccccc} \dots & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 2^{10} & 2^9 & 2^8 & 2^7 & 2^6 & 2^5 & 2^4 & 2^3 & 2^2 & 2^1 & 2^0 & \\ 512 & 256 & 128 & 64 & 32 & 16 & 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 & & \end{array}$$

Exposes Bits from left to right

- \rightarrow
- Need to figure out for each position, should it be a 0 or 1?
 - All digits greater than 75 must be 0
 - All Bases between 2^6 to 2^0 must equal up to 75
 - Geometrical Progression: $1 + 2 + 4 + 8 + \dots + 2^k = 2^{k+1} - 1$ (Memorize) *
 - \hookrightarrow One less than the next power of that sum
 - example: $1 + 2 + 4 + 8 + 16 + 32 = 63 = 2^{5+1} - 1 = 64 - 1 = 63$
 - So $75 - 64 = 11$; rest of digits must add up to 11.
 - $8 + 2 + 1 = 11$ so $2^3 + 2^1 + 2^0$

(iii) Binary \leftrightarrow Hexadecimal

Example $(369)_{16} = (\underbrace{0011}_3 \underbrace{1011}_b \underbrace{1001}_9)_2$

Hex digit	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	a	b
4 bit Binary	0000	0001	0010	0011	0100	0101	0110	0111	1000	1001	1010	1011
	c	d	e	f								
	1100	1101	1110	1111								

- Work Digit by Digit and write its 4 bit binary extension
- Allows us an easier way to convert between Binary and Hexadecimal

Example 2: $(\underbrace{0110}_6 \underbrace{1101}_d \underbrace{1001}_3)_2 = (6d3)_{16}$

- If the numbers don't add up to groups of 4 bit Binary add 0's to leftmost

(iii) Binary \leftrightarrow Hexadecimal (Cont.)

Example 3: $(011011010011)_2 =$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \underbrace{1 \cdot 2^0 + 1 \cdot 2^1 + 0 \cdot 2^2 + 0 \cdot 2^3}_{(\quad) \cdot 2^0} + \underbrace{1 \cdot 2^4 + 0 \cdot 2^5 + 1 \cdot 2^6 + 1 \cdot 2^7}_{(\quad) \cdot 2^4 \text{ (Factor)}} + \underbrace{0 \cdot 2^8 + 1 \cdot 2^9 + 1 \cdot 2^{10} + 0 \cdot 2^{11}}_{(\quad) \cdot 2^8 \text{ (Factor)}} \\
 &= (3) \cdot 2^0 \text{ equiv.} + (13) \cdot 2^4 \text{ equiv.} + (6) \cdot 2^8 \text{ equiv.} \\
 &= (3) \cdot 16^0 + (13) \cdot 16^1 + (6) \cdot 16^2 \\
 &= \underset{16^2 \ 16^1 \ 16^0}{(6 \ 13 \ 3)}_{16}
 \end{aligned}$$

Knowledge Check: Convert $(3DF)_{16}$ to Binary

$$3 = 0011 + D = 1101 + F = 1111 = (001111011111)_2$$

Addition

$$\begin{array}{r}
 11 \\
 325_{10} \\
 + 692_{10} \\
 \hline
 1017
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 11 \\
 365_8 \\
 + 243_8 \\
 \hline
 630
 \end{array}
 \begin{array}{l}
 \text{- In Octal Number System} \\
 \text{Carry the 8!}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 10011100_2 \\
 + 11011001_2 \\
 \hline
 101110101_2
 \end{array}$$

- In Binary Number System
Carry the 2!

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Subtraction

$$\begin{array}{r} 34^1 27_{10} \\ - 192_{10} \\ \hline 235_{10} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4^1 5^1 36_8 \\ - 351_8 \\ \hline 165_8 \end{array}$$

- When you carry from a higher digit, count by the base $(13)_8 - (5)_8 = (6)_8$

Knowledge Check: Add $1010 + 1111$ and convert to Decimal

$$\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2^3 & 2^2 & 2^1 & 2^0 \end{array} = 1 \cdot 2^3 + 1 \cdot 2^1 = 2 + 8 = 10$$

$$1111 = 1 \cdot 2^0 + 1 \cdot 2^1 + 1 \cdot 2^2 + 1 \cdot 2^3 = 1 + 2 + 4 + 8 = 2^{4-1} - 1 = 2^4 - 1 = 16 - 1 = 15$$
$$10 + 15 = 25$$

Signed Numbers

Example $(26)_{10} = (11010)_2$

- To express this as a negative $(-26)_{10} = (-11010)_2$
- But computers don't have a negative sign represented through bits

- We can approach this problem in a few ways:

- Sign and Magnitude

- The left most digit provides the sign (Positive = 0 & Negative = 1)

- To represent the magnitude we use the Binary Digit Value $(26)_2 = (11010)_2$

- Now combine the sign & magnitude $(\underbrace{1}_{\text{Sign}} \underbrace{11010}_{\text{Magnitude}})_2$

- The sign itself has NO WEIGHT

- Two's Complement: Usually way computers represent negatives

Two's Complement

- In a "k-bit" two's complement representation of a number:

1. A positive integer is represented in its (k-1)-bit unsigned binary representation, padded with a "0" to its left

Example: if there are "5" 2-bit digits to represent a positive digit $\underbrace{0}_{k} \underbrace{1011}_{k-1}$

2. The sum of a number and its additive inverse is 2^k

Example: $(26)_{10} = (00011010)_{8 \text{ bit } 2's \text{ complement}}$

- First get the binary representation $= (11010)_2$

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2^5 & 2^4 & 2^3 & 2^2 & 2^1 & 2^0 \end{array}$$

$$26 - 16 = 10 - 8 = 2 - 2 = 0$$

- That representation is 7-bits, the 8th bit would denote that this is positive

- If asking 8 bit rep.; $8 = k$ so $k-1 = 7$

$$(26)_{10} = (\underbrace{0}_k \underbrace{0011010}_{k-1})_{8 \text{ bit } 2's \text{ complement}}$$

Example: $(-26)_{10} = (11100110)_{8 \text{ bit } 2's \text{ complement}}$

- Adding a binary number to its additive inverse should give 2^k

$$\begin{array}{r} 00011010 \\ 11100110 \\ \hline 00000000 \end{array}$$

→ Denotes $(26)_{10}$ to Binary

→ Denotes 8 bit 2's complement to $(-26)_{10}$

→ represents 2^k which is 2^8 ($k=8$)

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- | | | | | |
|-----|-------|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| k | $k-1$ | | | |

2. The sum of a number and its additive inverse is 2^k

Example: $(26)_{10} = (00011010)_8$ bit 2's complement

- First get the binary representation = $(11010)_2$

$$\frac{0}{2^6} \quad \frac{0}{2^5} \quad \frac{1}{2^4} \quad \frac{1}{2^3} \quad \frac{0}{2^2} \quad \frac{1}{2^1} \quad \frac{0}{2^0}$$

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$$= (26)_{10} = (\underbrace{0}_{k} \underbrace{00110101}_{k-1})_{86it} \text{ 2's complement}$$

Example: $(-26)_{10} = (11100110)_{86it}$ 2's complement

- Adding a binary number to its additive inverse should give 2^k

$$\begin{array}{r} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{0} \\ + \quad \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{0} \overset{1}{1} \overset{1}{0} \\ \hline 10000000 \end{array}$$

→ Denotes $(26)_{10}$ to Binary

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Two's Complement (Cont.)

Example: $(\underbrace{00101101}_{k-1})_{8\text{ bit 2's complement}} = (+45)_{10}$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \frac{0}{2^6} & \frac{1}{2^5} & \frac{0}{2^4} & \frac{1}{2^3} & \frac{1}{2^2} & \frac{0}{2^1} & \frac{1}{2^0} \\ 64 & 32 & 16 & 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 \end{array} = 1 \cdot 2^0 + 1 \cdot 2^2 + 1 \cdot 2^3 + 1 \cdot 2^5 =$$

$$1 + 4 + 8 + 32 = (45)_{10}$$

- We know "k" is the sign of the number (k-th Digit = 8th Digit)
- k-1 is the number itself (k-1 = 8-1 = 7 Digits)

Example $(\underbrace{11101010}_{k-1})_{8\text{ bit 2's complement}} = (-22)_{10}$

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \frac{1}{2^6} & \frac{1}{2^5} & \frac{0}{2^4} & \frac{1}{2^3} & \frac{0}{2^2} & \frac{1}{2^1} & \frac{0}{2^0} \\ 64 & 32 & 16 & 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 \end{array} = 1 \cdot 2^1 + 1 \cdot 2^3 + 1 \cdot 2^5 + 1 \cdot 2^6 =$$

$$2 + 8 + 32 + 64 = (106)_{10}$$

- k-th digit is 1 ; this Method is Invalid !!

$$\begin{array}{r} 11111010 \leftarrow (-x) \\ + 00010110 \leftarrow (+x) \\ \hline 100000000 \leftarrow 2^k = 2^8 \text{ via conversion} \end{array}$$

We use (+x) to find the decimal/num.

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \frac{1}{16} & \frac{0}{8} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{0}{1} & & \\ 16 & 8 & 4 & 2 & 1 & & \end{array} = 2 + 4 + 16 = (22)_{10}$$

- remember k \neq 0 so number is negative
(-22)₁₀

Knowledge Check: $(\underbrace{11001101}_{\substack{k \\ k-1}})_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}} = (?)_{10}$

- $k \neq 0$ so number is negative

$$\begin{array}{r}
 + \begin{array}{ccccccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \leftarrow (-x) \\
 \underline{\begin{array}{ccccccc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array}} \leftarrow (+x) \\
 \begin{array}{ccccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \leftarrow 2^k = 2^8
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \frac{1}{32} & \frac{1}{16} & \frac{0}{8} & \frac{0}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{1} \end{array} \leftarrow (+x)$$

$= 1 + 2 + 16 + 32 = (51)_{10}$

$k \neq 0 \Rightarrow (11001101)_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}} = (-51)_{10}$

Knowledge Check: $(-48)_{10} = (?)_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}}$

Convert 48 to binary ($48 < 64 = 2^6$)

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \frac{1}{32} & \frac{1}{16} & \frac{0}{8} & \frac{0}{4} & \frac{0}{2} & \frac{0}{1} \end{array} \rightarrow 6 \text{ digits so } + \begin{array}{cccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0
 \end{array}$$

$= (+48)_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}}$
 $\rightarrow (-48)_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}}$
 $\rightarrow 2^k = 2^8 \text{ (k=8)}$

$$48 - 32 = 16 - 16 = 0$$

$$(-48)_{10} = (11010000)_{8 \text{ bit 2's comp.}}$$

Knowledge Check: $(\underline{1101})_{4 \text{ bit 2's comp.}} = (?)_{10}$

$$k=4, k\text{th digit}=1, k-1=3$$

$k\text{th digit}=1 \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ negative

$$\begin{array}{r}
 + \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \leftarrow (-x) \\
 \underline{\begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array}} \leftarrow (+x) \\
 \begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} 2^4
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \hline 2 & 1 \end{array} = 2 + 1 = 3$$

$(-3)_{10}$

Knowledge Check: Add $00101111 + 01001000$

$$\begin{array}{r} 00101111 \\ + 01001000 \\ \hline 01110111 \end{array}$$

Knowledge Check: Convert $(\underbrace{10101111}_F)_2 = (?)_{16}$

0000	0001	0010	0011	0100	0101	0110	0111
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

1000	1001	1010	1100	1110	1101	1011	1111
8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F

Knowledge Check: Represent in Binary $(345)_{10} = (?)_2$

$$(345 < 512 < 2^9)$$

<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1	

$$(345)_{10} = (101011001)_2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 345 \\ - 256 \\ \hline 89 \\ - 64 \\ \hline 25 \\ - 16 \\ \hline 9 \end{array}$$