Binary Arithmetic

Subtrahend: what is being subtracted

Minuend: What it is being subtracted from

Minuend – Subtrahend = Result

0 + 0 = 0

0 + 1 = 1

1 + 0 = 1

1 + 1 = 0 carry over 1

1 + 1 + 1 = 1 carry over 1

Example: Perform the binary subtraction 1010101 - 11100

A'	0	1	10				
A'	1	0	0	10			
A	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
В		-	1	1	1	0	0
Diff	0	1	1	1	0	0	1
Step	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

A				1	1	1	0	1
В					х	1	1	î
				1	1	1	0	1
			1	1	1	0	1	
		1	1	1	0	1		
Answer	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
Carry	1	10	10	1	1			

- Division = Dividend / Divisor = Quotient + (remainder / divisor)
- Use long division.

Overflow

- When the result of an arithmetic operation is too large or too small to fit into the resultant bit-group (e.g. 9 cannot fit into 4-bits in 2's C)
- · Normally left to programmer to deal with this

Two's Complement - Addition

- Add the values
- · Discard all carry out bits

Two's Complement - Overflow through Addition

- Occurs if and only if 2 Two's Complement numbers are added and they both have the same sign and the result has the opposite sign
- E.g (-7) + (-6) using 4 bits
- +7 = 0111
- -7 = 1001
- +6 = 0110
- -6 = 1010
- (-7) + (-6) = 1 0011 = Overflow = +3

Two's Complement – Subtraction

- Negate the subtrahend and add to the minuend
- Discard all carry out bits
- e.g. 8 5 = 8 + (-5) = using 8 bits
- +8 = 00001000
- +5 = 00000101
- -5 = 11111011
- 1 00000011 = 00000011

Two's Complement – Overflow through Subtraction

- Occurs if and only if 2 Two's Complement numbers are subtracted, and their signs are different, and the result has the same sign as the subtrahend
- e.g. using 4 bits = 7 (-6)
- 7 = 0111
- 6 = 0110
- -6 = 1010

- --6 = 0110
- 7 + (--6) = 1101 = Overflow = -3

Two's Complement - Multiplication and Division

Cannot be accomplished using the standard technique

Example: consider X * (-Y)

- Two's complement of -Y is $2^n-Y \rightarrow X * (-Y) = X * (2^n-Y) = 2^nX XY$
- Expected result should be 2²ⁿ XY

Sign extension to 2^{2n} and omission of the leading n bits works but is extremely inefficient

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+3 * -2 (4-bit)

0000 0011 × 1111 1110
0000 0011
0000 0011
0000 0011
0000 0011
0000 0011
0000 0011
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