

COMP6010 Practical Week 2

1. Convert the following decimal numbers to Base-2 and Base-8 numbers respectively

(a) 123

ANS: (<https://madformath.com/calculators/basic-math/base-converters/base-converters>)

RESULT

$$(123)_{10} = (1111011)_2$$

DESCRIPTIONS

Divide the number repeatedly by 2 until the quotient becomes 0.

		Remainders
2	123	1
2	61	1
2	30	0
2	15	1
2	7	1
2	3	1
2	1	1
	0	

(b) 2784

ANS:

RESULT

$$(2784)_{10} = (101011100000)_2$$

(c) 86910

ANS:

RESULT

$$(86910)_{10} = (1010100110111110)_2$$

2. Convert the following binary numbers to decimal numbers.

(1) 1010

ANS:

RESULT

$$(1010)_2 = (10)_{10}$$

(2) 1101001

ANS:

RESULT

$$(1101001)_2 = (105)_{10}$$

3. Given a non-negative integer n, calculate its last digit.

ANS: $n \% 10$

4. Given a negative integer n , calculate its last digit (note $-11 \bmod 7 = 3$ because $-11 = 7(-2) + 3$).

ANS: $10 - n \% 10$, or, $\text{abs}(n) \% 10$

5. Given an integer n , get its second last digit, and its first digit.

ANS:

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import math
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n = 123
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print(abs(n)%10)
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print(pow(10, (int)(math.log10(abs(n)))))
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6. Given a string, output its first character and last character.

ANS:

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str[0]
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str[-1]
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7. Given a string 'Hello World', output the two words separately.

ANS:

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str = 'Hello World'
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print(str[:str.index(' ')+1]) # method 1
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print(str[str.index(' ')+1:])
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list = str.split(' ') # method 2
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print(list[0])
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```
print(list[1])
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