

BINARY ARITHMETIC

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Binary Arithmetic

- Unsigned
 - Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division
- Signed
 - Two's Complement Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division
 - Chosen because of its widespread use

Binary Arithmetic

- Couple of definitions
 - Subtrahend: what is being subtracted
 - Minuend: what it is being subtracted from
- Example: $612 - 485 = 127$
- 485 is the subtrahend, 612 is the minuend, 127 is the result

Binary Addition – Unsigned

- Reasonably straight forward
- Example: Perform the binary addition $111011 + 101010$

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|-------|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Carry | | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| A | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| B | | + | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Sum | | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Step | | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

In Decimal: $59 + 42 = 101$

Binary Subtraction – Unsigned

- Reasonably straight forward as well 😊
- Example: Perform the binary subtraction $1010101 - 11100$

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|-------------|--|---|---|----|----|---|---|---|
| A'' | | 0 | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| A' | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | | | |
| A | | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| B | | | – | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Diff | | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Step | | 7 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |

| Step k | $A_k - B_k = \text{Diff}_k$ | |
|----------|--|--|
| 1 | $1 - 0 = 1$ | |
| 2 | $0 - 0 = 0$ | |
| 3 | $1 - 1 = 0$ | |
| 4 | $0 - 1$ give | Borrow by subtracting 1 from $A_{7..5}=101$ to give $A'_{7..5}=100$ and $A'_4=10$. Now use A' instead of A , e.g. $A'_4 - B_4$ |
| 5 | $10 - 1 = 1$ $0 - 1$ $=01, A''_5 = 10$. | Subtract 1 from $A'_{7..6}=10$ to give $A''_{7..6}$ Now use A'' instead of A' , e.g. $A''_5 - B_5$ |
| 6 | $10 - 1 = 1$ $1 - 0 = 1$ i.e. $A''_6 - B_6$ | |
| 7 | $0 - 0 = 0$ | |

Binary Multiplication – Unsigned

- Example: Perform the binary multiplication 11101 x 111

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|---------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| A | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| B | | | | | x | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | 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 | | | |

Binary Division – Unsigned

- Recall:
 - Division is: $\frac{dividend}{divisor} = quotient + \frac{remainder}{divisor}$
 - Or: $dividend = quotient \times divisor + remainder$
 - Left as an exercise 😊
 - Can use long division

Binary Arithmetic – Signed

- Two's complement Arithmetic because of it's widespread use
- Recall
 - Addition and subtraction in two's complement works without having a separate sign bit
- Overflow
 - Result of an arithmetic operation is too large or too small to fit into the resultant bit-group (E.g.: 9 can't fit into 4-bits in Two's complement)
 - Normally left to programmer to deal with this situation

Two's Complement – Addition

- Add the values and discard any carry-out bit
- Example: Add -8 to $+3$ and -2 and -5 using 8-bit two's complement

| | | | | | |
|-------|-----------|--|-------|---------------------|--|
| (+3) | 0000 0011 | | (-2) | 1111 1110 | |
| +(-8) | 1111 1000 | | +(-5) | 1111 1011 | |
| (-5) | 1111 1011 | | (-7) | 1 1111 1001 | |
| | | | | ↑ Discard Carry-Out | |


Two's Complement – Addition

- Overflow
 - Occurs if and only if 2 Two's Complement numbers are added and they both have the same sign (both positive or both negative) and the result has the opposite sign
 - Adding two positive numbers must give a positive result
 - Adding two negative numbers must give a negative result
 - Never occurs when adding operands with different signs
- E.g.
 - $(+A) + (+B) = -C$
 - $(-A) + (-B) = +C$

Two's Complement – Addition

- Overflow
 - Example: Using 4-bit Two's Complement numbers ($-8 \leq x \leq +7$), calculate $(-7) + (-6)$

| | | |
|-------|--------|-------------------|
| (-7) | 1001 | |
| +(-6) | 1010 | |
| (+3) | 1 0011 | “Overflow” |



Two's Complement – Subtraction

- Accomplished by negating the subtrahend and adding it to the minuend
 - Any carry-out bit is discarded
- Example: Calculate $8 - 5$ using an 8-bit two's complement representation
 - Recall: $8 - 5 \rightarrow 8 + (-5)$

| | | | |
|-------|-----------|--------------|--------------------------|
| (+8) | 0000 1000 | | 0000 1000 |
| -(+5) | 0000 0101 | -> Negate -> | + 1111 1011 |
| (+3) | | | 1 0000 0011 ↑ Discard |

Two's Complement – Subtraction

- Overflow
 - 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.
 - $(+A) - (-B) = -C$
 - $(-A) - (+B) = +C$

Two's Complement – Subtraction

- Overflow
 - Example: Using 4-bit Two's Complement numbers ($-8 \leq x \leq +7$), calculate $7 - (-6)$

| | |
|---------|------|
| (+7) | 0111 |
| $-(-6)$ | 1010 |
| | |

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|---------|------------------------|
| (+7) | 0111 |
| $-(-6)$ | 0110 (Negated) |
| (-3) | 1101 “Overflow” |

Two's Complement – Summary

- Addition
 - Add the values, discarding any carry-out bit
- Subtraction
 - Negate the subtrahend and add, discarding any carry-out bit
- Overflow
 - Adding two positive numbers produces a negative result
 - Adding two negative numbers produces a positive result
 - Adding operands of unlike signs never produces an overflow
 - **Note** - discarding the carry out of the most significant bit during Two's Complement addition is a normal occurrence, and does not by itself indicate overflow

Two's Complement – Multiplication and Division

- Cannot be accomplished using the standard technique
- Example: consider $X * (-Y)$
 - Two's complement of $-Y$ is $2^n - Y \rightarrow X * (Y) = X * (2^n - Y) = 2^n X - XY$
 - Expected result should be $2^{2n} - XY$

Signed multiplication

- Booth's multiplication algorithm
- Let **m** and **r** be the multiplicand and multiplier, respectively; and let x and y represent the number of bits in **m** and **r**.
- Determine the values of A and S , and the initial value of P . All of these numbers should have a length equal to $(x + y + 1)$.
 - A : Fill the most significant (leftmost) bits with the value of **m**. Fill the remaining $(y + 1)$ bits with zeros.
 - S : Fill the most significant bits with the value of $(-\mathbf{m})$ in two's complement notation. Fill the remaining $(y + 1)$ bits with zeros.
 - P : Fill the most significant x bits with zeros. To the right of this, append the value of **r**. Fill the least significant (rightmost) bit with a zero.
- Determine the two least significant (rightmost) bits of P .
 - If they are 01, find the value of $P + A$. Ignore any overflow.
 - If they are 10, find the value of $P + S$. Ignore any overflow.
 - If they are 00, do nothing. Use P directly in the next step.
 - If they are 11, do nothing. Use P directly in the next step.
- Arithmetically shift the value obtained in the 2nd step by a single place to the right. Let P now equal this new value.
- Repeat steps 2 and 3 until they have been done y times.
- Drop the least significant (rightmost) bit from P . This is the product of **m** and **r**.

Booth's multiplication example

- Find $3 \times (-4)$, with $m = 3$ and $r = -4$, and $x = 4$ and $y = 4$:
- $m = 0011$, $-m = 1101$, $r = 1100$
- $A = 0011\ 0000\ 0$
- $S = 1101\ 0000\ 0$
- $P = 0000\ 1100\ 0$
- Perform the loop four times:
 - $P = 0000\ 1100\ 0$. The last two bits are 00.
 - $P = 0000\ 0110\ 0$. Arithmetic right shift.
 - $P = 0000\ 0110\ 0$. The last two bits are 00.
 - $P = 0000\ 0011\ 0$. Arithmetic right shift.
 - $P = 0000\ 0011\ 0$. The last two bits are 10.
 - $P = 1101\ 0011\ 0$. $P = P + S$.
 - $P = 1110\ 1001\ 1$. Arithmetic right shift.
 - $P = 1110\ 1001\ 1$. The last two bits are 11.
 - $P = 1111\ 0100\ 1$. Arithmetic right shift.
- The product is $1111\ 0100$, which is -12 .

Two's Complement – Multiplication and Division

- Can perform multiplication and division by converting the two's complement numbers to their absolute values and then negate the result if the signs of the operands are different
- Most architectures implement more sophisticated algorithms (Booth's multiplication algorithm, Wallace tree, Dadda multiplier)