

# Topics to discuss

Bit manipulation Problem - 8

Reverse Bits



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## 190. Reverse Bits

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Reverse bits of a given 32 bits unsigned integer.

Note:

- Note that in some languages, such as Java, there is no unsigned integer type. In this case, both input and output will be given as a signed integer type. They should not affect your implementation, as the integer's internal binary representation is the same, whether it is signed or unsigned.
- In Java, the compiler represents the signed integers using [2's complement notation](#). Therefore, in **Example 2** above, the input represents the signed integer `-3` and the output represents the signed integer `-1073741825`.

Example 1:

**Input:** `n = 00000010100101000001111010011100`

**Output:** `964176192 (00111001011110000010100101000000)`

**Explanation:** The input binary string `00000010100101000001111010011100` represents the unsigned integer 43261596, so return 964176192 which its binary representation is `00111001011110000010100101000000`.

$n =$   $\frac{0}{31}$   $\frac{0}{30}$   $\frac{0}{29}$   $\frac{0}{28}$   $\dots$   $\frac{1}{3}$   $\frac{0}{2}$   $\frac{1}{1}$   $\frac{1}{0}$  ① lsb

② fix correct position

$rev =$   $\frac{1}{31}$   $\frac{1}{30}$   $\frac{0}{29}$   $\frac{1}{28}$   $\dots$   $\frac{0}{3}$   $\frac{0}{2}$   $\frac{0}{1}$   $\frac{0}{0}$  ③ OR operate

for ①  $rev = 100000\dots$   
for ②  $rev = 010000\dots$  } OR

110000...

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Public class solution {
    public int reverseBits (int n) {
        int result = 0;
        for (int i=0 ; i<32 ; i++) {
            int lsb = n & 1;
            int rev = lsb << (31-i);
            result = result | rev;
            n = n >> 1;
        }
        return result;
    }
}

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$$n = 1100$$

$$res = 0$$

for (i=0; i<4; i++)

loop ① i=0

$$lsb = 0$$

$$rev = 0 \ll 3 = 0000$$

$$res = 0 | 0000 = 0000$$

$$n = 110$$

loop ② i=1

$$lsb = 0$$

$$rev = 0 \ll 2 = 000$$

$$res = 0000 | 000 = 0000$$

$$n = 11$$

loop ③ i=2

$$lsb = 1$$

$$rev = 1 \ll 1 = 10$$

$$res = 0000 | 10 = 0010$$

$$n = 1$$

④ i=3

$$lsb = 1$$

$$rev = 1 \ll 0 = 1$$

$$res = 0010 | 1$$

$$= 0011$$

$$n = 1771 = 0$$

⑤ i=4 stop

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