

# avr-gcc and binary cheatsheet

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Remember!
Decimal->Hex->Binary
0 == 0 \times 0 == 0 \times 0 \times 0 \times 0 = 0
                                = to assign
== to compare
    == 0 \times 2 == 0 \times 0 \times 10^{-1}
    == 0x3 == 0b0011
                                Operators:
    == 0 \times 4 == 0 \times 100
    == 0x5 == 0b0101
                                Arithmetic:
   == 0 \times 6 == 0 \times 0 \times 110
                                + - * /
    == 0x7 == 0b0111
                                 % (remainder)
   == 0 \times 8 == 0 \text{ b} 1000
                                 (5 \% 2 == 1)
9 == 0 \times 9 == 0 \text{ b} 1001
10 == 0 \times A == 0 b 1 0 1 0
                                Comparison:
11 == 0 \times B == 0 b 1 0 1 1
                                > < <= >=
12 == 0 \times C == 0 \text{ b} 1100
                                 == '=
13 == 0 \times D == 0 + 1101
14 == 0 \times E == 0 \text{ b} 1110
                                Logical:
15 == 0xF == 0b1111
                                 AND: &&
                                 0R: ||
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#### Bitwise operations && masking bits:

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Bitwise AND:
0b00101011 & 0b00001111 == 0b00001011
0b11101010 & 0b00001111 == 0b00001010
0b00101011 & 0b11111111 == 0b00101011
0b11101010 & 0b11111111 == 0b11101010
Bitwise OR:
0b00101010 |
             0b00001111 == 0b00101111
0b11101010 i
             0b00001111 == 0b11101111
0b00101011 i
             0b11111111 == 0b11111111
0b11101010 | 0b11111111 == 0b11111111
Bitwise XOR:
0b00101010 ^ 0b00001111 == 0b00100101
0b11101010 ^ 0b00001111 == 0b11100101
0b00101011 ^ 0b11111111 == 0b11010100
0b11101010 ^ 0b11111111 == 0b00010101
Bitwise NOT:
\sim 0b11110000 == 0b00001111
~ 0b01010101 == 0b10101010
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## Shifting bits

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Shifting up (by power of 2):
0b00000001 << 1 == 0b00000010
0b00010011 << 2 == 0b01001100
0b00000110 << 3 == 0b00110000

Shifting down (bits fall off):
0b00000001 >> 1 == 0b00000000
0b00010011 >> 2 == 0b00000000
0b00000110 >> 3 == 0b00000000

Similarly with shifting up:
uint8_t x = 0b11001101
x << 1 == 0b10011010
// shifts off the end!
uint16_t x = 0b11001101
x << 1 == 0b0000000100110100
// now has room to shift
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type name[ number of elements ];

First element is index '0':
    uint8_t foo[3] = { 12, 4, 22 }
    -> foo[0] == 12
    -> foo[1] == 4
    -> foo[2] == 22

Strings are arrays of type 'char':
    char bar[] = "Hello World!";
    -> bar[0] == 'H'
    -> bar[5] == ' '
    -> bar[11] == '!'
    -> bar[12] == \0 // null.

Careful not to read past the end!:
    -> bar[13] == who knows what?!
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Switch/case
select ( var ) {
  case 'a':
     ...;
     break;
  case 'b':
     . . . ;
     break:
  default:
     ...;
     break;
Omitting 'break'
will continue
execution into next
case. Sometimes you
want this.
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Comments

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// single line

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## **Typecasting**

C tries to do this for you, but sometimes it needs help (and sometimes you need to make it obvious what you're doing to others!)

Particularly, with bit fiddling, be careful not to shift yourself to 0, by typecasting to a larger type:

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### Looping

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for (uint8_t i=0; i<100; i++) { ... }
  -> do ... 100 times
while (thing == true) { ... }
  -> does ... only if condition true
do { ... } while ( thing == true )
  -> does ... at least once.

continue; // skip to next loop
break; // break out of loop
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If ... else if... else
if (thing is true) { ... }
else if (other thing is true) { ... }
else { ... }

Shorthand:
var = thing ? if_true : if_false;
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