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Grayscale and color formats and also palettes related to old computers and systems...

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```
pRgb = ^TRgb;  
TRgb = packed record b,g,r:byte end; //RGB 24-Bit
```

LUT's (lookup tables)

Lookup tables (arrays) can replace some calculations and speed up the process...

const

```
LUT_2BIT_TO_8BIT:array[0..3] of byte=(0,$55,$AA,$FF);  
LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT:array[0..7] of byte=(0,$24,$49,$6D,$92,$B6,$DB,$FF);  
LUT_4BIT_TO_8BIT:array[0..$F] of byte=(  
    0,$11,$22,$33,$44,$55,$66,$77,$88,$99,$AA,$BB,$CC,$DD,$EE,$FF  
);
```

Find nearest color from a palette

Some formats has no exact algorithm using math to convert from rgb,- and a LUT of rgb24 would take 256^3 (16.777.216 bytes) of space and memory. In those cases another option is to match nearest colors from a palette...

```
//find nearest color from a palette  
function nearestLutColor(pLut,q:pointer;uMax:word):word;  
var n,c,v:longword;nr,ng,nb:byte;p:pRgb;  
begin
```

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```
with p^ do c:=sqr(b-nb)+sqr(g-ng)+sqr(r-nr);  
if c<v then begin v:=c;result:=n end;  
inc(p);  
end;  
end;
```

Monochrome 1-Bit

Each bit defines the color for a pixel (8 pixels per byte).

Total 2 different colors possible, in this case black and white.

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //Monochrome 1-Bit lookup table (LUT)  
LUT_MONO_1BIT:array[boolean] of TRgb=( //[0..1] -> [0..255]  
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00),    //00. #000000    MONO_BLACK  
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)     //01. #FFFFFF    MONO_WHITE  
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Monochrome 1-Bit

Method 1: First convert to Gray 8-Bit, then check if greater than 127 (\$FF div 2).

Method 2: Sum R+G+B value, then check if value is greater than 382 (\$FF*3 div 2).

```
function rgb24_to_mono(p:pointer):byte;  
const BOOL_TO_BYTE:array[boolean] of byte=(0,1);
```

Monochrome 1-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function mono_to_rgb24(mono:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
    result:=LUT_MONO_1BIT[mono<>0]; //a value of [0..1]  
end;
```

Grayscale 2-Bit

Total 4 shades of gray possible (4 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	555555	Dark gray
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	AAAAAA	Light gray
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //Grayscale 2-Bit lookup table (LUT)  
    LUT_GRAY_2BIT:array[0..3] of TRgb=( //Grayscale 2-Bit, 4 colors  
        (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000    GRAY2_BLACK  
        (b:$55;g:$55;r:$55), //01. #555555    GRAY2_DARK  
        (b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$AA), //02. #AAAAAA    GRAY2_LIGHT  
        (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)  //03. #FFFFFF    GRAY2_WHITE  
    );
```

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```
with pragma(p) = do gray8 := (rgb8) div 3; //first convert to gray8
result := gray8 shr 6; //shr 6: get rid of 6 bits
end;
```

Grayscale 2-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function gray2_to_rgb24(gray2:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if gray2>3 then gray2:=0;
  result := LUT_GRAY_2BIT[gray2]; //a value of [0..3]
end;
```

Grayscale 3-Bit

Total 8 shades of gray possible (~2.67 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	242424	Darkest
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	494949	Darker
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	6D6D6D	Dark
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	929292	Light
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	B6B6B6	Lighter
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	DBDBDB	Lightest
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //Grayscale 3-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_GRAY_3BIT:array[0..7] of TRgb=(
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 GRAY3_BLACK
  (b:$24;g:$24;r:$24), //01. #242424 GRAY3_DARKEST
  (b:$49;g:$49;r:$49), //02. #494949 GRAY3_DARKER
  (b:$6D;g:$6D;r:$6D), //03. #6D6D6D GRAY3_DARK
  (b:$92;g:$92;r:$92), //04. #929292 GRAY3_LIGHT
  (b:$B6;g:$B6;r:$B6), //05. #B6B6B6 GRAY3_LIGHTER
  (b:$DB;g:$DB;r:$DB), //06. #DBDBDB GRAY3_LIGHTEST
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //07. #FFFFFF GRAY3_WHITE
);
```

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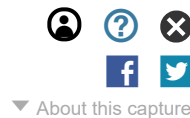
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```
begin
  with pRgb(p)^ do gray8 := (r+g+b) div 3; //first convert to gray8
  result := gray8 shr 5; //shr 5: get rid of 5 bits
end;
```

Grayscale 3-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function gray3_to_rgb24(gray3:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if gray3>7 then gray3:=0;
  result:=LUT_GRAY_3BIT[gray3]; //a value of [0..7]
end;
```

Grayscale 4-Bit

Total 16 shades of gray possible (2 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	111111	Darker 4
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	222222	Darker 3
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	333333	Darker 2
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	444444	Darker 1
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	555555	Dark
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	666666	Medium Low 2
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	777777	Medium Low 1
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	888888	Medium High 1
	<input type="checkbox"/>		

0x0D ☐ DDDDDD **Lighter 3**0x0E ☐ EEEEEEE **Lighter 4**0x0F ☐ FFFFFFF **White**

```
const //Grayscale 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_GRAY_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //Grayscale 4-Bit, 16 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 GRAY4_BLACK
  (b:$11;g:$11;r:$11), //01. #111111 GRAY4_DARKER_4
  (b:$22;g:$22;r:$22), //02. #222222 GRAY4_DARKER_3
  (b:$33;g:$33;r:$33), //03. #333333 GRAY4_DARKER_2
  (b:$44;g:$44;r:$44), //04. #444444 GRAY4_DARKER_1
  (b:$55;g:$55;r:$55), //05. #555555 GRAY4_DARK
  (b:$66;g:$66;r:$66), //06. #666666 GRAY4_MEDIUM_LOW_2
  (b:$77;g:$77;r:$77), //07. #777777 GRAY4_MEDIUM_LOW_1
  (b:$88;g:$88;r:$88), //08. #888888 GRAY4_MEDIUM_HIGH_1
  (b:$99;g:$99;r:$99), //09. #999999 GRAY4_MEDIUM_HIGH_2
  (b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$AA), //10. #AAAAAA GRAY4_LIGHT
  (b:$BB;g:$BB;r:$BB), //11. #BBBBBB GRAY4_LIGHTER_1
  (b:$CC;g:$CC;r:$CC), //12. #CCCCCC GRAY4_LIGHTER_2
  (b:$DD;g:$DD;r:$DD), //13. #DDDDDD GRAY4_LIGHTER_3
  (b:$EE;g:$EE;r:$EE), //14. #EEEEEE GRAY4_LIGHTER_4
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //15. #FFFFFF GRAY4_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Grayscale 4-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_gray4(p:pointer):byte;
var gray8:byte;
begin
  with pRgb(p)^ do gray8 := (r+g+b) div 3; //first convert to gray8
  result := gray8 shr 4; //shr 4: get rid of 4 bits
end;
```

Grayscale 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function gray4_to_rgb24(gray4:byte):TRgb;
begin
```

Grayscale 8-Bit

Total 256 shades of gray possible (1 pixel per byte).

RGB 24-Bit to Grayscale 8-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_gray8(p:pointer):byte;  
begin  
  with pRgb(p) ^ do result := (r+g+b) div 3;  
end;
```

Grayscale 8-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function gray8_to_rgb24(gray8:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  result.r := gray8;  
  result.g := gray8;  
  result.b := gray8;  
end;
```

RGB 3-Bit

Total 8 different colors possible (~2.67 pixels per byte).

A single bit for each R,G,B values (3 bits).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00		000000	Black
0x01		0000FF	Blue
0x02		00FF00	Green
0x03		00FFFF	Cyan
0x04		FF0000	Red
0x05		FF00FF	Magenta
0x06		FFFF00	Yellow
0x07		FFFFFF	White

```
const //RGB 3-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_RGB_3BIT:array[0..7] of TRgb=( //RGB 3-Bit, 8 colors.
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000   RGB3_BLACK
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), //01. #0000FF   RGB3_BLUE
  (b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), //02. #00FF00   RGB3_GREEN
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), //03. #00FFFF   RGB3_CYAN
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //04. #FF0000   RGB3_RED
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$FF), //05. #FF00FF   RGB3_MAGENTA
  (b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF), //06. #FFFF00   RGB3_YELLOW
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)  //07. #FFFFFF   RGB3_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to RGB 3-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb3(p:pointer):byte;
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do
    result:=(r shr 7) shl 2 //shl 2: put at 3rd bit.
             or (g shr 7) shl 1 //shl 1: put at 2nd bit.
             or (b shr 7);      //shr 7: get rid of 7 bits
  end;
```

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```
begin
  if rgb3>7 then rgb3:=0;
  result:=LUT_RGB_3BIT[rgb3]; //a value of [0..7]
end;
```

RGBi 4-Bit

Total 16 different colors possible (2 pixels per byte).
A single bit for each R,G,B values + I intensity (4 bits).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	000091	Dark blue
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	009100	Dark green
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	009191	Dark cyan
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	910000	Dark red
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	910091	Dark magenta
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	919100	Dark yellow
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	B7B7B7	Gray
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	686868	Dark gray
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	0000FF	Blue
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FF00	Green
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FFFF	Cyan
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF0000	Red
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF00FF	Magenta
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF00	Yellow
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

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```

(b:$91;g:$00;r:$00), //01. #000091  RGBI_BLUE_DARK
(b:$00;g:$91;r:$00), //02. #009100  RGBI_GREEN_DARK
(b:$91;g:$91;r:$00), //03. #009191  RGBI_CYAN_DARK
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$91), //04. #910000  RGBI_RED_DARK
(b:$91;g:$00;r:$91), //05. #910091  RGBI_MAGENTA_DARK
(b:$00;g:$91;r:$91), //06. #919100  RGBI_YELLOW_DARK
(b:$B7;g:$B7;r:$B7), //07. #B7B7B7  RGBI_GRAY_LIGHT
(b:$68;g:$68;r:$68), //08. #686868  RGBI_GRAY_DARK
(b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), //09. #0000FF  RGBI_BLUE
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), //10. #00FF00  RGBI_GREEN
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), //11. #00FFFF  RGBI_CYAN
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //12. #FF0000  RGBI_RED
(b:$FF;g:$00;r:$FF), //13. #FF00FF  RGBI_MAGENTA
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF), //14. #FFFF00  RGBI_YELLOW
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)  //15. #FFFFFF  RGBI_WHITE
);

```

RGB 24-Bit to RGBi 4-Bit

```

function rgb24_to_rgb(p:pointer;scale:word=300):byte; //[0..15]
var bl:boolean;
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do
    result:=byte(r+g+b>scale) shl 3  //shl 3: put at 4th bit.
    or (r shr 7) shl 2              //shl 2: put at 3rd bit.
    or (g shr 7) shl 1              //shl 1: put at 2nd bit.
    or (b shr 7);                  //shr 7: get rid of 7 bits
  end;

```

RGBi 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```

function rgbi_to_rgb24(rgbi:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if rgbi>$F then rgbi:=0;
  result:=LUT_RGBI_4BIT[rgbi]; //a value of [0..15]
end;

```

0x00	000000	0x10	550000	0x20	AA0000	0x30	FF0000
0x01	000055	0x11	550055	0x21	AA0055	0x31	FF0055
0x02	0000AA	0x12	5500AA	0x22	AA00AA	0x32	FF00AA
0x03	0000FF	0x13	5500FF	0x23	AA00FF	0x33	FF00FF
0x04	005500	0x14	555500	0x24	AA5500	0x34	FF5500
0x05	005555	0x15	555555	0x25	AA5555	0x35	FF5555
0x06	0055AA	0x16	5555AA	0x26	AA55AA	0x36	FF55AA
0x07	0055FF	0x17	5555FF	0x27	AA55FF	0x37	FF55FF
0x08	00AA00	0x18	55AA00	0x28	AAAA00	0x38	FFAA00
0x09	00AA55	0x19	55AA55	0x29	AAAA55	0x39	FFAA55
0x0A	00AAAA	0x1A	55AAAA	0x2A	AAAAAA	0x3A	FFAAAA
0x0B	00AAFF	0x1B	55AAFF	0x2B	AAAAFF	0x3B	FFAAFF
0x0C	00FF00	0x1C	55FF00	0x2C	AAFF00	0x3C	FFFF00
0x0D	00FF55	0x1D	55FF55	0x2D	AAFF55	0x3D	FFFF55
0x0E	00FFAA	0x1E	55FFAA	0x2E	AAFFAA	0x3E	FFFFAA
0x0F	00FFFF	0x1F	55FFFF	0x2F	AAFFFF	0x3F	FFFFFF

```
const //RGB 6-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_RGB_6BIT:array[0..63] of TRgb=( //RGB 6-Bit, 64 colors.
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), (b:$55;g:$00;r:$00), (b:$AA;g:$00;r:$00),
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), (b:$00;g:$55;r:$00), (b:$55;g:$55;r:$00),
  (b:$AA;g:$55;r:$00), (b:$FF;g:$55;r:$00), (b:$00;g:$AA;r:$00),
  (b:$55;g:$AA;r:$00), (b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$00), (b:$FF;g:$AA;r:$00),
  (b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), (b:$55;g:$FF;r:$00), (b:$AA;g:$FF;r:$00),
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), (b:$00;g:$00;r:$55), (b:$55;g:$00;r:$55),
  (b:$AA;g:$00;r:$55), (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$55), (b:$00;g:$55;r:$55),
  (b:$55;g:$55;r:$55), (b:$AA;g:$55;r:$55), (b:$FF;g:$55;r:$55),
```

```
(b:$00;g:$55;r:$AA),(b:$55;g:$55;r:$AA),(b:$AA;g:$55;r:$AA),
(b:$FF;g:$55;r:$AA),(b:$00;g:$AA;r:$AA),(b:$55;g:$AA;r:$AA),
(b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$AA),(b:$FF;g:$AA;r:$AA),(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$AA),
(b:$55;g:$FF;r:$AA),(b:$AA;g:$FF;r:$AA),(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$AA),
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF),(b:$55;g:$00;r:$FF),(b:$AA;g:$00;r:$FF),
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(b:$AA;g:$55;r:$FF),(b:$FF;g:$55;r:$FF),(b:$00;g:$AA;r:$FF),
(b:$55;g:$AA;r:$FF),(b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$FF),(b:$FF;g:$AA;r:$FF),
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF),(b:$55;g:$FF;r:$FF),(b:$AA;g:$FF;r:$FF),
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to RGB 6-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb6(p:pointer):byte;
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do
    result:=(r shr 6) shl 4 //shl 4: put at 5th bit.
      or (g shr 6) shl 2 //shl 2: put at 3rd bit.
      or (b shr 6); //shr 6: get rid of 6 bits
  end;
```

RGB 6-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
//conversion using a single LUT for the palette
function rgb6_to_rgb24(rgb6:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if rgb6>63 then rgb6:=0;
  result:=LUT_RGB_6BIT[rgb6]; //a value of [0..63]
end;

//OR:

//conversion of each RGB value from 2-Bit to 8-Bit
procedure rgb6_to_rgb24_alt(rgb6:byte):TRgb;
begin
  result.r:=LUT_2BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb6 shr 4 and 3]; //shr 4: get rid of 5 bits
  result.g:=LUT_2BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb6 shr 2 and 3]; //and 3: keep only 2 bits
```

RGB 8-Bit (True Color)

Total 256 different colors possible (1 pixel per byte).

3 bits of red, 3 bits of green, 2 bits of blue. (RRRGGBB)

RGB 24-Bit to RGB 8-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb8(p:pointer):byte;  
begin  
  with pRgb(p) ^ do  
    result:=(r shr 5) shl 5 //shl 5: put at 6th bit.  
              or (g shr 5) shl 2 //shl 2: put at 3th bit.  
              or (b shr 6);      //shr 6: get rid of 6 bits  
  end;
```

RGB 8-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function rgb8_to_rgb24(rgb8:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  result.r := LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb8 shr 5]; //Red: 3 bits  
  result.g := LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb8 shr 2 and 7]; //Green: 3 bits  
  result.b := LUT_2BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb8 and 3]; //Blue: 2 bits  
end;
```

RGB 9-Bit

Total 512 different colors possible.

Three bits for each R,G,B values (9 bits).

RGB 24-Bit to RGB 9-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb9(p:pointer):word; //8*8*8 = 512
begin
  with pRgb(p)^ do
    result:=(r shr 5) shl 6 //shl 6: put at 7th bit.
      or (g shr 5) shl 3 //shl 3: put at 4th bit.
      or (b shr 5); //shr 5: get rid of 5 bits
  end;
```

RGB 9-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function rgb9_to_rgb24(rgb9:word):TRgb;
begin
  result.r := LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb9 shr 6 and 7]; //shr 6: get rid of 6 bits
  result.g := LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb9 shr 3 and 7]; //and 7: keep only 3 bits
  result.b := LUT_3BIT_TO_8BIT[rgb9 and 7]; //and 7: keep only 3 bits
end;
```

RGB 12-Bit

Total 4096 different colors possible.

Four bits for each R,G,B values (12 bits).

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```
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do
    result:=(r shr 4) shl 8 //shl 8: put at 9th bit.
    or (g shr 4) shl 4 //shl 4: put at 5th bit.
    or (b shr 4); //shr 4: get rid of 4 bits
  end;
```

RGB 12-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function rgb12_to_rgb24(n:word):TRgb;
begin
  result.r := LUT_4BIT_TO_8BIT[n shr 8 and $F]; //shr 8: get rid of 8 bits
  result.g := LUT_4BIT_TO_8BIT[n shr 4 and $F]; //and $F: keep only 4 bits
  result.b := LUT_4BIT_TO_8BIT[n and $F]; //and $F: keep only 4 bits
end;
```

RGB 15-Bit

Total 32768 different colors possible.

Five bits for each R,G,B values (15 bits).

RGB 24-Bit to RGB 15-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb15(p:pointer):word;
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do
    result:=(r shr 3) shl 10 //shl 10: put at 11th bit.
    or (g shr 3) shl 5 //shl 5: put at 6th bit.
    or (b shr 3); //shr 3: get rid of 3 bits
  end;
```

RGB 15-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function rgb15_to_rgb24(rgb15:word):TRgb;
begin
  result.b := (rgb15 and $1F) shl 3;
  result.g := ((rgb15 shr 5) and $1F) shl 3;
  result.r := ((rgb15 shr 10) and $1F) shl 3;
end;
```


RGB 24-Bit to RGB 16-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_rgb16(p:pointer):word;  
begin  
  with pRgb(p) ^ do  
    result:=(r shr 3) shl 11 //shl 11: put at 12th bit.  
             or (g shr 2) shl 5 //shl 5: put at 6th bit.  
             or (b shr 3);      //shr 3: get rid of 3 bits  
  end;
```

RGB 16-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function rgb16_to_rgb24(rgb16:word):TRgb;  
begin  
  result.r := ((rgb16 and $F800) shr 11) shl 3;  
  result.g := ((rgb16 and $07E0) shr 5) shl 2;  
  result.b := (rgb16 and $1F) shl 3;  
end;
```

RGB 24-Bit

A byte (8 bits) for each value of R,G,B (24 bits).
Total 16.777.216 different colors possible.

RGBA 32-Bit

A byte (8 bits) for each value of R,G,B (24 bits).
Also a byte for the alpha channel (transparency).
Four bytes per pixel (32 bits).

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Total 216 colors possible.

RGB 24-Bit to Web216 8-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_web216(p:pointer):byte;  
begin  
  with pRgb(p) ^ do  
    result:=b div $33*$24  
      +(g div $33*6)  
      +(r div $33);  
  end;
```

Web216 8-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function web216_to_rgb24(n:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if n>$D7 then n:=$D7;  
  result.b := n div $24*$33;n:=n mod $24;  
  result.g := n div 6*$33;n:=n mod 6;  
  result.r := n*$33;  
end;
```

EGA 4-Bit

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	680000	Darker red
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	006800	Dark green
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	B70000	Dark red
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	686800	Dark yellow
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF0000	Red
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	686868	Dark gray
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	6868B7	Blue
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	B76800	Brown
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	B76868	Light red
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	B768B7	Purple
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	68B700	Light green
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF6800	Orange
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	B7B7B7	Light gray
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFB768	Yellow
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //EGA 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_EGA_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb= ( //EGA 4-Bit, 16 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000   EGA4_BLACK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$68), //01. #680000   EGA4_RED_DARKER
  (b:$00;g:$68;r:$00), //02. #006800   EGA4_GREEN_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$B7), //03. #B70000   EGA4_RED_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$68;r:$68), //04. #686800   EGA4_YELLOW_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //05. #FF0000   EGA4_RED
  (b:$68;g:$68;r:$68), //06. #686868   EGA4_GRAY_DARK
  (b:$B7;g:$68;r:$68), //07. #6868B7   EGA4_BLUE
  (b:$00;g:$68;r:$B7), //08. #B76800   EGA4_BROWN
  (b:$68;g:$68;r:$B7), //09. #B76868   EGA4_RED_LIGHT
```

```
(b:$68;g:$B7;r:$FF), //14. #FFB768  EGA4_YELLOW
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF)  //15. #FFFFFF  EGA4_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to EGA 4-Bit

```
//Match nearest colors from the palette.
function rgb24_to_ega4(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_EGA_4BIT[0];
  maxid   := $F;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

EGA 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function ega4_to_rgb24(ega4:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if ega4>$F then ega4:=0;
  result:=LUT_EGA_4BIT[ega4]; //a value of [0..15]
end;
```

CGA 4-Bit (RGBi)

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).
Based on RGBi as described above.

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0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	00AAAA	Cyan low
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA0000	Red low
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA00AA	Magenta low
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA5500	Brown
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	AAAAAA	Gray high
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	555555	Gray low
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	5555FF	Blue high
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	55FF55	Green high
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	55FFFF	Cyan high
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF5555	Red high
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF55FF	Magenta high
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF55	Yellow
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //CGA 4-Bit (RGBi) lookup table (LUT)
LUT_CGA_RGBI_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //CGA RGBI 4-Bit, 16 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 CGA4_BLACK
  (b:$AA;g:$00;r:$00), //01. #0000AA CGA4_BLUE_LOW
  (b:$00;g:$AA;r:$00), //02. #00AA00 CGA4_GREEN_LOW
  (b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$00), //03. #00AAAA CGA4_CYAN_LOW
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$AA), //04. #AA0000 CGA4_RED_LOW
  (b:$AA;g:$00;r:$AA), //05. #AA00AA CGA4_MAGENTA_LOW
  (b:$00;g:$55;r:$AA), //06. #AA5500 CGA4_BROWN
  (b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$AA), //07. #AAAAAA CGA4_GRAY_LIGHT
  (b:$55;g:$55;r:$55), //08. #555555 CGA4_GRAY_DARK
  (b:$FF;g:$55;r:$55), //09. #5555FF CGA4_BLUE_HIGH
  (b:$55;g:$FF;r:$55), //10. #55FF55 CGA4_GREEN_HIGH
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$55), //11. #55FFFF CGA4_CYAN_HIGH
  (b:$55;g:$55;r:$FF), //12. #FF5555 CGA4_RED_HIGH
  (b:$FF;g:$55;r:$FF), //13. #FF55FF CGA4_MAGENTA_HIGH
  (b:$55;g:$FF;r:$FF), //14. #FFFF55 CGA4_YELLOW
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //15. #FFFFFF CGA4_WHITE
);
```

CGA 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function cga4_to_rgb24(cga4:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if cga4>$F then cga4:=0;  
  result:=LUT_CGA_RGBI_4BIT[cga4]; //a value of [0..15]  
end;
```

CGA 2-Bit (Mode 5)

Total 4 colors possible (4 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	55FF55	Green bright
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF5555	Red bright
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF55	Yellow

```
const //CGA 2-Bit Mode 5 lookup table (LUT)  
LUT_CGA_2BIT_MODE5:array[0..3] of TRgb=( //CGA 2-Bit A, 4 colors.  
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 CGA2A_BLACK  
  (b:$55;g:$FF;r:$55), //01. #55FF55 CGA2A_GREEN_BRIGHT  
  (b:$55;g:$55;r:$FF), //02. #FF5555 CGA2A_RED_BRIGHT  
  (b:$55;g:$FF;r:$FF) //03. #FFFF55 CGA2A_YELLOW  
);
```

```
function rgb24_to_cga2(p:pointer):byte;  
var cga4:byte;  
begin  
  cga4:=rgb24_to_cga4(p); //first convert to cga 4-Bit  
  result:=CGA4_TO_CGA2[cga4]; //then pick related color from array  
end;
```

CGA 2-Bit Mode 5 to RGB 24-Bit

```
function cga2_to_rgb24(cga2:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if cga2>3 then cga2:=0;  
  result:=LUT_CGA_2BIT_MODE5[cga2]; //a value of [0..3]  
end;
```

Windows 4-Bit

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

The 16 default color palette from Microsoft Windows.

RGBi variation, colors in different order.

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	800000	Maroon
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	008000	Green
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	808000	Olive
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	000080	Navy
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	800080	Purple

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0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FF00	Lime
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF00	Yellow
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	0000FF	Blue
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF00FF	Fuchsia
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FFFF	Aqua
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

```
const //MSWIN 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_MSWIN_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //16 default color palette (4-Bit)
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 WIN_BLACK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$80), //01. #800000 WIN_MAROON
  (b:$00;g:$80;r:$00), //02. #008000 WIN_GREEN
  (b:$00;g:$80;r:$80), //03. #808000 WIN_OLIVE
  (b:$80;g:$00;r:$00), //04. #000080 WIN_NAVY
  (b:$80;g:$00;r:$80), //05. #800080 WIN_PURPLE
  (b:$80;g:$80;r:$00), //06. #008080 WIN_TEAL
  (b:$C0;g:$C0;r:$C0), //07. #C0C0C0 WIN_SILVER
  (b:$80;g:$80;r:$80), //08. #808080 WIN_GRAY
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //09. #FF0000 WIN_RED
  (b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), //10. #00FF00 WIN_LIME
  (b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF), //11. #FFFF00 WIN_YELLOW
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), //12. #0000FF WIN_BLUE
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$FF), //13. #FF00FF WIN_FUCHSIA
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), //14. #00FFFF WIN_AQUA
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //15. #FFFFFF WIN_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Windows 4-Bit

```
const
  RGBI_TO_MSWIN4:array[0..$F] of byte=(0,4,2,6,1,5,3,7,8,12,10,14,9,13,11,15);

function rgb24_to_mswin4(p:pointer):byte;
var rgbi:byte;
begin
  rgbi:=rgb24_to_rgb(p); //first convert to RGBi (4-Bit)
```


Windows 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function mswin4_to_rgb24(win4:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if win4>$F then win4:=0;  
  result:=LUT_MSWIN_4BIT[win4]; //a value of [0..15]  
end;
```

Apple II 4-Bit

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

A duplicate gray results in 15 colors instead of 16...

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	722640	Magenta
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	40337F	Dark blue
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	E434FE	Purple
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	0E5940	Dark green
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	808080	Gray
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	1B9AFE	Medium blue
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	BFB3FF	Light blue
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	404C00	Brown
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	E46501	Orange
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	808080	Duplicate gray
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	F1A6BF	Pink
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	1BCB01	Green
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	BFCC80	Yellow
	<input type="checkbox"/>		

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```
CONST //Apple II 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_APPLEII_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //Apple II, 4-Bit
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  APPLE_II_BLACK
  (b:$40;g:$26;r:$72), //01. #722640  APPLE_II_MAGENTA
  (b:$7F;g:$33;r:$40), //02. #40337F  APPLE_II_BLUE_DARK
  (b:$FE;g:$34;r:$E4), //03. #E434FE  APPLE_II_PURPLE
  (b:$40;g:$59;r:$0E), //04. #0E5940  APPLE_II_GREEN_DARK
  (b:$80;g:$80;r:$80), //05. #808080  APPLE_II_GRAY
  (b:$FE;g:$9A;r:$1B), //06. #1B9AFE  APPLE_II_BLUE_MEDIUM
  (b:$FF;g:$B3;r:$BF), //07. #BFB3FF  APPLE_II_BLUE_LIGHT
  (b:$00;g:$4C;r:$40), //08. #404C00  APPLE_II_BROWN
  (b:$01;g:$65;r:$E4), //09. #E46501  APPLE_II_ORANGE
  (b:$80;g:$80;r:$80), //10. #808080  APPLE_II_GRAY_DUPL
  (b:$BF;g:$A6;r:$F1), //11. #F1A6BF  APPLE_II_PINK
  (b:$01;g:$CB;r:$1B), //12. #1BCB01  APPLE_II_GREEN
  (b:$80;g:$CC;r:$BF), //13. #BFCC80  APPLE_II_YELLOW
  (b:$BF;g:$D9;r:$8D), //14. #8DD9BF  APPLE_II_AQUA
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //15. #FFFFFF  APPLE_II_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Apple II 4-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_appleii(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_APPLEII_4BIT[0];
  maxid   := $F;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

Apple II 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function appleii4_to_rgb24(n:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if n>$F then n:=0;
  result:=LUT_APPLEII_4BIT[n]; //a value of [0..15]
end;
```

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	8D3E37	Red
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	72C1C8	Cyan
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	80348B	Purple
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	55A049	Green
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	40318D	Blue
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	AAB95D	Yellow
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	8B5429	Orange
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	D59F74	Light orange
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	B86962	Light red
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	87D6DD	Light cyan
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA5FB6	Light purple
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	94E089	Light green
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	8071CC	Light blue
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	BFCE72	Light yellow

```
const //Commodore VIC-20 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_VIC20_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //VIC20 4-Bit, 16 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 VIC20_BLACK
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF), //01. #FFFFFF VIC20_WHITE
  (b:$37;g:$3E;r:$8D), //02. #8D3E37 VIC20_RED
  (b:$C8;g:$C1;r:$72), //03. #72C1C8 VIC20_CYAN
  (b:$8B;g:$34;r:$80), //04. #80348B VIC20_PURPLE
```

```
(b:$74;g:$9F;r:$D5), //09. #D59F74 VIC20_ORANGE_LIGHT
(b:$62;g:$69;r:$B8), //10. #B86962 VIC20_RED_LIGHT
(b:$DD;g:$D6;r:$87), //11. #87D6DD VIC20_CYAN_LIGHT
(b:$B6;g:$5F;r:$AA), //12. #AA5FB6 VIC20_PURPLE_LIGHT
(b:$89;g:$E0;r:$94), //13. #94E089 VIC20_GREEN_LIGHT
(b:$CC;g:$71;r:$80), //14. #8071CC VIC20_BLUE_LIGHT
(b:$72;g:$CE;r:$BF) //15. #BFCE72 VIC20_YELLOW_LIGHT
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Vic-20 4-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_vic20(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_VIC20_4BIT[0];
  maxid   := $F;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

Vic-20 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function vic20_to_rgb24(vic20:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if vic20>$F then vic20:=0;
  result:=LUT_VIC20_4BIT[vic20]; //a value of [0..15]
end;
```

Commodore 64, 4-Bit

Commodore 64 palette, 4-Bit.

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	883932	Red
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	67B6BD	Cyan
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	8B3F96	Purple
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	55A049	Green
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	40318D	Blue
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	BFCE72	Yellow
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	8B5429	Orange
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	574200	Brown
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	B86962	Light red
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	505050	Dark gray
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	787878	Gray
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	94E089	Light green
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	7869C4	Light blue
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	9F9F9F	Light gray

```
const //Commodore 64 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_C64_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //C64 4-Bit, 16 colors.
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000 C64_BLACK
  (b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF), //01. #FFFFFF C64_WHITE
  (b:$32;g:$39;r:$88), //02. #883932 C64_RED
  (b:$BD;g:$B6;r:$67), //03. #67B6BD C64_CYAN
  (b:$96;g:$3F;r:$8B), //04. #8B3F96 C64_PURPLE
  (b:$49;g:$A0;r:$55), //05. #55A049 C64_GREEN
  (b:$8D;g:$31;r:$40), //06. #40318D C64_BLUE
  (b:$72;g:$CE;r:$BF), //07. #BFCE72 C64_YELLOW
  (b:$29;g:$54;r:$8B), //08. #8B5429 C64_ORANGE
  (b:$00;g:$42;r:$57), //09. #574200 C64_BROWN
```

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```
(b:$C4;g:$69;r:$78), //14. #7869C4 C64_BLUE_LIGHT
(b:$9F;g:$9F;r:$9F) //15. #9F9F9F C64_GRAY_LIGHT
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to C64 4-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_c64(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_C64_4BIT[0];
  maxid := $F;
  result := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

C64 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function c64_to_rgb24(c64:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if c64>$F then c64:=0;
  result:=LUT_C64_4BIT[c64]; //a value of [0..15]
end;
```

Commodore Amiga 2-Bit

Commodore Amiga 2-Bit palette.

Total 4 different colors possible (4 pixels per byte).

0x03 ☐ EECC99 Yellow

```
const //Commodore Amiga 2-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_AMIGA_2BIT:array[0..3] of TRgb=( //Amiga 2-Bit, 4 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  AMIGA_2BIT_BLACK
  (b:$22;g:$33;r:$EE), //01. #EE3322  AMIGA_2BIT_RED
  (b:$55;g:$66;r:$66), //02. #666655  AMIGA_2BIT_GRAY
  (b:$99;g:$CC;r:$EE)  //03. #EECC99  AMIGA_2BIT_YELLOW
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Amiga 2-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_amiga2(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_AMIGA_2BIT[0];
  maxid   := 3;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

Amiga 2-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function amiga2_to_rgb24(amiga2:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if amiga2>3 then amiga2:=0;
  result:=LUT_AMIGA_2BIT[amiga2]; //a value of [0..3]
end;
```

Commodore Amiga 3-Bit

Commodore Amiga 3-Bit palette.

Total 8 different colors possible (~2.67 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	A80000	Dark red
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	447800	Green
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF5631	Light red
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	788998	Gray
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF8956	Orange
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFC678	Yellow
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	F1F1D4	White

```
const //Commodore Amiga 3-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_AMIGA_3BIT:array[0..7] of TRgb=( //Amiga 3-Bit, 8 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  AMIGA_3BIT_BLACK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$A8), //01. #A80000  AMIGA_3BIT_RED_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$78;r:$44), //02. #447800  AMIGA_3BIT_GREEN
  (b:$31;g:$56;r:$FF), //03. #FF5631  AMIGA_3BIT_RED_LIGHT
  (b:$98;g:$89;r:$78), //04. #788998  AMIGA_3BIT_GRAY
  (b:$56;g:$89;r:$FF), //05. #FF8956  AMIGA_3BIT_ORANGE
  (b:$78;g:$C6;r:$FF), //06. #FFC678  AMIGA_3BIT_YELLOW
  (b:$D4;g:$F1;r:$F1)  //07. #F1F1D4  AMIGA_3BIT_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Amiga 3-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_amiga3(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_AMIGA_3BIT[0];
  maxid   := 7;
```


Amiga 3-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function amiga3_to_rgb24(amiga3:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if amiga3>7 then amiga3:=0;  
  result:=LUT_AMIGA_3BIT[amiga3]; //a value of [0..7]  
end;
```

Commodore Amiga 4-Bit

Commodore Amiga 4-Bit palette.

Total 16 different colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	561C1C	Dark brown
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	315600	Dark green
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	B70000	Dark red
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	68681C	Dark yellow
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	E31C1C	Red
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	686868	Gray
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	A85631	Brown
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	788998	Blue
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	78A831	Light green
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF5631	Light red
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	B78968	Light brown
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	98A8B7	Light blue
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF8956	Orange
	<input type="checkbox"/>		

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```
CONST // Commodore Amiga 4-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_AMIGA_4BIT:array[0..$F] of TRgb=( //Amiga 4-Bit, 16 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  AMIGA_4BIT_BLACK
  (b:$1C;g:$1C;r:$56), //01. #561C1C  AMIGA_4BIT_BROWN_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$56;r:$31), //02. #315600  AMIGA_4BIT_GREEN_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$B7), //03. #B70000  AMIGA_4BIT_RED_DARK
  (b:$1C;g:$68;r:$68), //04. #68681C  AMIGA_4BIT_YELLOW_DARK
  (b:$1C;g:$1C;r:$E3), //05. #E31C1C  AMIGA_4BIT_RED
  (b:$68;g:$68;r:$68), //06. #686868  AMIGA_4BIT_GRAY
  (b:$31;g:$56;r:$A8), //07. #A85631  AMIGA_4BIT_BROWN
  (b:$98;g:$89;r:$78), //08. #788998  AMIGA_4BIT_BLUE
  (b:$31;g:$A8;r:$78), //09. #78A831  AMIGA_4BIT_GREEN_LIGHT
  (b:$31;g:$56;r:$FF), //10. #FF5631  AMIGA_4BIT_RED_LIGHT
  (b:$68;g:$89;r:$B7), //11. #B78968  AMIGA_4BIT_BROWN_LIGHT
  (b:$B7;g:$A8;r:$98), //12. #98A8B7  AMIGA_4BIT_BLUE_LIGHT
  (b:$56;g:$89;r:$FF), //13. #FF8956  AMIGA_4BIT_ORANGE
  (b:$78;g:$C6;r:$FF), //14. #FFC678  AMIGA_4BIT_YELLOW
  (b:$D4;g:$E3;r:$F1) //15. #F1E3D4  AMIGA_4BIT_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Amiga 4-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_amiga4(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_AMIGA_4BIT[0];
  maxid   := $F;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

Amiga 4-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function amiga4_to_rgb24(amiga4:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if amiga4>15 then amiga4:=0;
  result:=LUT_AMIGA_4BIT[amiga4]; //a value of [0..15]
end;
```

ID	Color	Value	Name	ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black	0x10	<input type="checkbox"/>	779999	Dark cyan
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	331100	Dark brown	0x11	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF6644	Red lighter
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	112200	Darker green	0x12	<input type="checkbox"/>	CC8866	Orange dark
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	990000	Darker red	0x13	<input type="checkbox"/>	8899DD	Blue light
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	333333	Darker gray	0x14	<input type="checkbox"/>	99AAAA	Gray
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	663311	Brown	0x15	<input type="checkbox"/>	88BB77	Light green 2
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	335500	Dark green	0x16	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF9944	Orange
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	DD1111	Dark red	0x17	<input type="checkbox"/>	AACC33	Lime green
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	665555	Dark gray	0x18	<input type="checkbox"/>	BBBBBB	Light gray
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA3322	Red	0x19	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFBB55	Dark yellow
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	448811	Green	0x1A	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFAA88	Light orange
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	666688	Blue	0x1B	<input type="checkbox"/>	BBDDEE	Light cyan
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA6644	Light brown	0x1C	<input type="checkbox"/>	EECCCC	Light purple
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF4422	Light red	0x1D	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFDD66	Yellow
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	997788	Purple	0x1E	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF99	Light yellow
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	779933	Light green	0x1F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFEEDD	White

```
const //Commodore Amiga 5-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_AMIGA_5BIT:array[0..31] of TRgb=( //Amiga 5-Bit, 32 colors
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  AMIGA_5BIT_BLACK
  (b:$00;g:$11;r:$33), //01. #331100  AMIGA_5BIT_BROWN_DARK
  (b:$00;g:$22;r:$11), //02. #112200  AMIGA_5BIT_GREEN_DARKER
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$99), //03. #990000  AMIGA_5BIT_RED_DARKER
  (b:$33;g:$33;r:$33), //04. #333333  AMIGA_5BIT_GRAY_DARKER
```

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```
(b:$22;g:$33;r:$AA), //09. #AA3322 AMIGA_5BIT_RED
(b:$11;g:$88;r:$44), //10. #448811 AMIGA_5BIT_GREEN
(b:$88;g:$66;r:$66), //11. #666688 AMIGA_5BIT_BLUE
(b:$44;g:$66;r:$AA), //12. #AA6644 AMIGA_5BIT_BROWN_LIGHT
(b:$22;g:$44;r:$FF), //13. #FF4422 AMIGA_5BIT_RED_LIGHT
(b:$88;g:$77;r:$99), //14. #997788 AMIGA_5BIT_PURPLE
(b:$33;g:$99;r:$77), //15. #779933 AMIGA_5BIT_GREEN_LIGHT
(b:$99;g:$99;r:$77), //16. #779999 AMIGA_5BIT_CYAN_DARK
(b:$44;g:$66;r:$FF), //17. #FF6644 AMIGA_5BIT_RED_LIGHTER
(b:$66;g:$88;r:$CC), //18. #CC8866 AMIGA_5BIT_ORANGE_DARK
(b:$DD;g:$99;r:$88), //19. #8899DD AMIGA_5BIT_BLUE_LIGHT
(b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$99), //20. #99AAAA AMIGA_5BIT_GRAY
(b:$77;g:$BB;r:$88), //21. #88BB77 AMIGA_5BIT_GREEN_LIGHT2
(b:$44;g:$99;r:$FF), //22. #FF9944 AMIGA_5BIT_ORANGE
(b:$33;g:$CC;r:$AA), //23. #AACC33 AMIGA_5BIT_GREEN_LIME
(b:$BB;g:$BB;r:$BB), //24. #BBBBBB AMIGA_5BIT_GRAY_LIGHT
(b:$55;g:$BB;r:$FF), //25. #FFBB55 AMIGA_5BIT_YELLOW_DARK
(b:$88;g:$AA;r:$FF), //26. #FFAA88 AMIGA_5BIT_ORANGE_LIGHT
(b:$EE;g:$DD;r:$BB), //27. #BBDDEE AMIGA_5BIT_CYAN_LIGHT
(b:$CC;g:$CC;r:$EE), //28. #EECCCC AMIGA_5BIT_GRAY_LIGHTER
(b:$66;g:$DD;r:$FF), //29. #FFDD66 AMIGA_5BIT_YELLOW
(b:$99;g:$FF;r:$FF), //30. #FFFF99 AMIGA_5BIT_YELLOW_LIGHT
(b:$DD;g:$EE;r:$FF) //31. #FFEEDD AMIGA_5BIT_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Amiga 5-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_amiga5(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_AMIGA_5BIT[0];
  maxid   := $1F;
  result  := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```

Amiga 5-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

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```
result: not_ansi_3bit[ansi3], // a value of [0..31]  
end;
```

ZX Spectrum 4-Bit

ZX Spectrum palette, 4-Bit.

Total 16 colors possible (2 pixels per byte).

RGBi variation (15 colors and a duplicate black).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Black
0x01	<input type="checkbox"/>	0000AA	Dark blue
0x02	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA0000	Dark red
0x03	<input type="checkbox"/>	AA00AA	Dark magenta
0x04	<input type="checkbox"/>	00AA00	Dark green
0x05	<input type="checkbox"/>	00AAAA	Dark cyan
0x06	<input type="checkbox"/>	AAAA00	Dark yellow
0x07	<input type="checkbox"/>	AAAAAA	Gray
0x08	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Duplicate black
0x09	<input type="checkbox"/>	0000FF	Blue
0x0A	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF0000	Red
0x0B	<input type="checkbox"/>	FF00FF	Magenta
0x0C	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FF00	Green
0x0D	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FFFF	Cyan
0x0E	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFF00	Yellow
0x0F	<input type="checkbox"/>	FFFFFF	White

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```
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF), //01. #FFFFFF SPECTRUM_WHITE
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$AA), //02. #AA0000 SPECTRUM_RED_DARK
(b:$AA;g:$00;r:$AA), //03. #AA00AA SPECTRUM_MAGENTA_DARK
(b:$00;g:$AA;r:$00), //04. #00AA00 SPECTRUM_GREEN_DARK
(b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$00), //05. #00AAAA SPECTRUM_CYAN_DARK
(b:$00;g:$AA;r:$AA), //06. #AAAA00 SPECTRUM_YELLOW_DARK
(b:$AA;g:$AA;r:$AA), //07. #AAAAAA SPECTRUM_GRAY
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //08. #000000 SPECTRUM_BLACK_DUPL
(b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), //09. #0000FF SPECTRUM_BLUE
(b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //10. #FF0000 SPECTRUM_RED
(b:$FF;g:$00;r:$FF), //11. #FF00FF SPECTRUM_MAGENTA
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), //12. #00FF00 SPECTRUM_GREEN
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), //13. #00FFFF SPECTRUM_CYAN
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF), //14. #FFFF00 SPECTRUM_YELLOW
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //15. #FFFFFF SPECTRUM_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to ZX Spectrum 4-Bit




























```
const
  RGBI_TO_SPECTRUM:array[0..$F] of byte=(0,1,4,5,2,3,6,7,8,9,12,13,10,11,14,15);

function rgb24_to_spectrum(p:pointer):byte;
var rgbi:byte;
begin
  rgbi:=rgb24_to_rgb(p); //first convert to RGBi (4-Bit)
  result:=RGBI_TO_SPECTRUM[rgbi]; //then pick related color from array
end;
```

Amstrad CPC 5-Bit

Amstrad CPC palette, 5-Bit.

Total 27 colors used.

ID	Color	Value	Name	ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00		000000	Black	0x10		FF8080	Pink
0x01		000080	Blue	0x11		FF80FF	Pale magenta
0x02		0000FF	Bright blue	0x12		00FF00	Bright green
0x03		800000	Red	0x13		00FF80	Sea green
0x04		800080	Magenta	0x14		00FFFF	Bright cyan
0x05		8000FF	Violet	0x15		80FF00	Lime green
0x06		FF0000	Bright red	0x16		80FF80	Pale green
0x07		FF0080	Purple	0x17		80FFFF	Pale cyan
0x08		FF00FF	Bright magenta	0x18		FFFF00	Bright yellow
0x09		008000	Green	0x19		FFFF80	Pale yellow
0x0A		008080	Cyan	0x1A		FFFFFF	White
0x0B		0080FF	Sky blue				
0x0C		808000	Yellow				
0x0D		808080	Gray				
0x0E		8080FF	Pale blue				
0x0F		FF8000	Orange				

```
const //Amstrad CPC 5-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_AMSTRAD_5BIT:array[0..26] of TRgb=( //Amstrad CPC
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$00), //00. #000000  AMSTRAD_BLACK
  (b:$80;g:$00;r:$00), //01. #000080  AMSTRAD_BLUE
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$00), //02. #0000FF  AMSTRAD_BLUE_BRIGHT
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$80), //03. #800000  AMSTRAD_RED
  (b:$80;g:$00;r:$80), //04. #800080  AMSTRAD_MAGENTA
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$80), //05. #8000FF  AMSTRAD_VIOLET
  (b:$00;g:$00;r:$FF), //06. #FF0000  AMSTRAD_RED_BRIGHT
  (b:$80;g:$00;r:$FF), //07. #FF0080  AMSTRAD_PURPLE
  (b:$FF;g:$00;r:$FF), //08. #FF00FF  AMSTRAD_MAGENTA_BRIGHT
  (b:$00;g:$80;r:$00), //09. #008000  AMSTRAD_GREEN
```

```
(b:$FF;g:$80;r:$80), //14. #8080FF AMSTRAD_BLUE_PALE
(b:$00;g:$80;r:$FF), //15. #FF8000 AMSTRAD_ORANGE
(b:$80;g:$80;r:$FF), //16. #FF8080 AMSTRAD_PINK
(b:$FF;g:$80;r:$FF), //17. #FF80FF AMSTRAD_MAGENTA_PALE
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$00), //18. #00FF00 AMSTRAD_GREEN_BRIGHT
(b:$80;g:$FF;r:$00), //19. #00FF80 AMSTRAD_GREEN_SEA
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$00), //20. #00FFFF AMSTRAD_CYAN_BRIGHT
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$80), //21. #80FF00 AMSTRAD_GREEN_LIME
(b:$80;g:$FF;r:$80), //22. #80FF80 AMSTRAD_GREEN_PALE
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$80), //23. #80FFFF AMSTRAD_CYAN_PALE
(b:$00;g:$FF;r:$FF), //24. #FFFF00 AMSTRAD_YELLOW_BRIGHT
(b:$80;g:$FF;r:$FF), //25. #FFFF80 AMSTRAD_YELLOW_PALE
(b:$FF;g:$FF;r:$FF) //26. #FFFFFF AMSTRAD_WHITE
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to Amstrad CPC 5-Bit

```
//Match nearest color from the palette...
function rgb24_to_amstrad(p:pointer):byte;
var palette:pointer;maxid:byte;
begin
  palette := @LUT_AMSTRAD_5BIT[0];
  maxid := 26;
  result := nearestLutColor(palette,p,maxid); //see above
end;
```





Amstrad CPC 5-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function amstrad5_to_rgb24(n:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if n>26 then n:=0;
  result:=LUT_AMSTRAD_5BIT[n]; //a value of [0..26]
end;
```

Nintendo GameBoy 2-Bit

Nintendo GameBoy palette, 2-Bit.

Total 4 shades of green possible (4 pixels per byte).

ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00		0F380F	Darkest
0x01		306230	Dark
0x02		7DA114	Bright
0x03		9BBC0F	Brightest

```
const //Nintendo GameBoy 2-Bit lookup table (LUT)
LUT_GAMEBOY_2BIT:array[0..3] of TRgb=( //GameBoy 2-Bit
  (b:$0F;g:$38;r:$0F), //00. #0F380F GAMEBOY_DARKEST
  (b:$30;g:$62;r:$30), //01. #306230 GAMEBOY_DARK
  (b:$14;g:$A1;r:$7D), //02. #7DA114 GAMEBOY_BRIGHT
  (b:$0F;g:$BC;r:$9B) //03. #9BBC0F GAMEBOY_BRIGHTEST
);
```

RGB 24-Bit to GameBoy 2-Bit

```
function rgb24_to_gameboy(p:pointer):byte; //same thing as: rgb24_to_gray2
var gray8:byte;
begin
  with pRgb(p) ^ do gray8 := (r+g+b) div 3; //first convert to gray8
  result := gray8 shr 6; //shr 6: get rid of 6 bits
end;
```

GameBoy 2-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function gameboy_to_rgb24(n:byte):TRgb;
begin
  if n>3 then n:=0;
```


























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Nintendo NES 8-Bit

Nintendo Entertainment System palette, 6-Bit.

Total 64 colors of which 8 colors are unused.

ID	Color	Value	Name	ID	Color	Value	Name
0x00		7C7C7C	Gray	0x20		F8F8F8	Lightest gray
0x01		0000FC	Blue	0x21		3CBCFC	Sky blue
0x02		0000BC	Dark blue	0x22		6888FC	Medium blue
0x03		4428BC	Viola	0x23		9878F8	Lighter viola
0x04		940084	Dark magenta	0x24		F878F8	Light magenta
0x05		A80020	Dark red	0x25		F85898	Light pink
0x06		A81000	Dark orange	0x26		F87858	Light red
0x07		881400	Darker red	0x27		FCA044	Light orange
0x08		503000	Brown	0x28		F8B800	Yellow
0x09		007800	Medium green	0x29		B8F818	Lime green
0x0A		006800	Dark green	0x2A		58D854	Light green
0x0B		005800	Darker green	0x2B		58F898	Turquoise
0x0C		004058	Darkest cyan	0x2C		00E8D8	Dark cyan
0x0D		000000	Black	0x2D		787878	Darker gray
0x0E		-	Unused 1	0x2E		-	Unused 5
0x0F		-	Unused 2	0x2F		-	Unused 6
0x10		BCBCBC	Gray	0x30		FCFCFC	White
0x11		0078F8	Light blue	0x31		A4E4FC	Light cyan
0x12		0058F8	Medium blue	0x32		B8B8F8	Lighter blue
0x13		6844FC	Light viola	0x33		D8B8F8	Light purple
0x14		D800CC	Magenta	0x34		F8B8F8	Lighter magenta
0x15		E40058	Pink	0x35		F8A4C0	Lighter pink

0x1A	<input type="checkbox"/>	00A800	Medium green 1	0x3A	<input type="checkbox"/>	B8F8B8	Lighter green
0x1B	<input type="checkbox"/>	00A844	Medium green 2	0x3B	<input type="checkbox"/>	B8F8D8	Light turquoise
0x1C	<input type="checkbox"/>	008888	Darker cyan	0x3C	<input type="checkbox"/>	00FCFC	Cyan
0x1D	<input type="checkbox"/>	000000	Duplicate black	0x3D	<input type="checkbox"/>	D8D8D8	Light gray
0x1E		-	Unused 3	0x3E		-	Unused 7
0x1F		-	Unused 4	0x3F		-	Unused 8

NES 6-Bit to RGB 24-Bit

```
function nes_to_rgb24(nes6:byte):TRgb;  
begin  
  if nes6>63 then nes6:=0;  
  result:=LUT_NES_6BIT[nes6]; //a value of [0..63]  
end;
```

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