



AOLME CURRICULUM

SESSION 4



LEVEL I

- SESSION 1: **Basic of Raspberry PI and Linux**-(motivational overview of projects-images, ls, cd, to find previously made files)
- SESSION 2: **Introduction to Python** (print, for, if)
- SESSION 3: **Algorithms** (for loops-arithmetic progressions, if statements-ranges, inequalities)
- SESSION 4: **Binary and Hexadecimal number systems**
- SESSION 5: **The Coordinate Plane and Black & White Images in Python**
- SESSION 6: **Images and Their Components (histograms)**
- SESSION 7: **Creation of Images and Video**
- FINAL PROJECT: VIDEO



BINARY & HEXADECIMAL NUMBER SYSTEMS

OBJECTIVES:

1. Develop connections and number sense across decimal, binary, and hexadecimal systems.
2. Identify real-world applications of binary numbers.
3. Convert number values across systems.

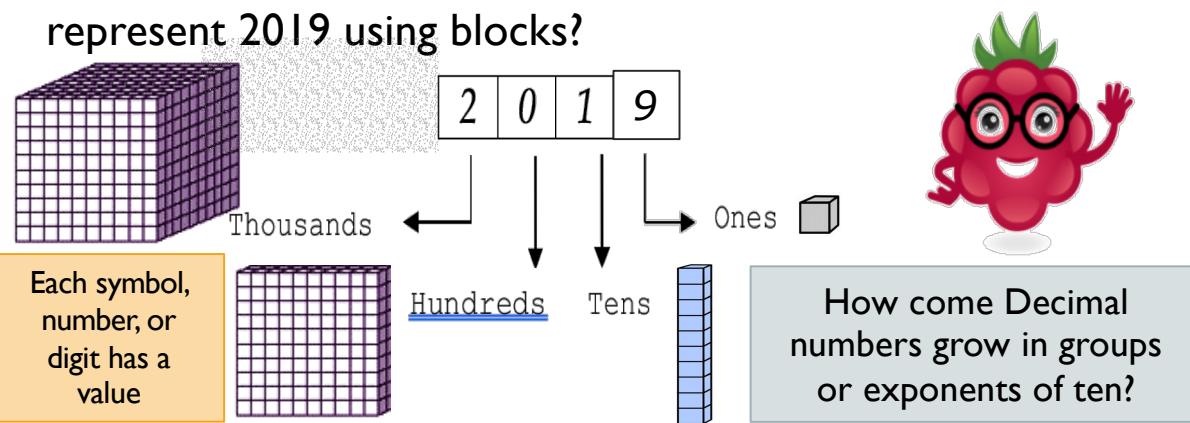
SELECTED ACTIVITIES

- 1. How do Decimal & Binary Numbers work?**
- 2. Comparing Binary and Decimal Numbers**
- 3. Hexadecimal Numbers**

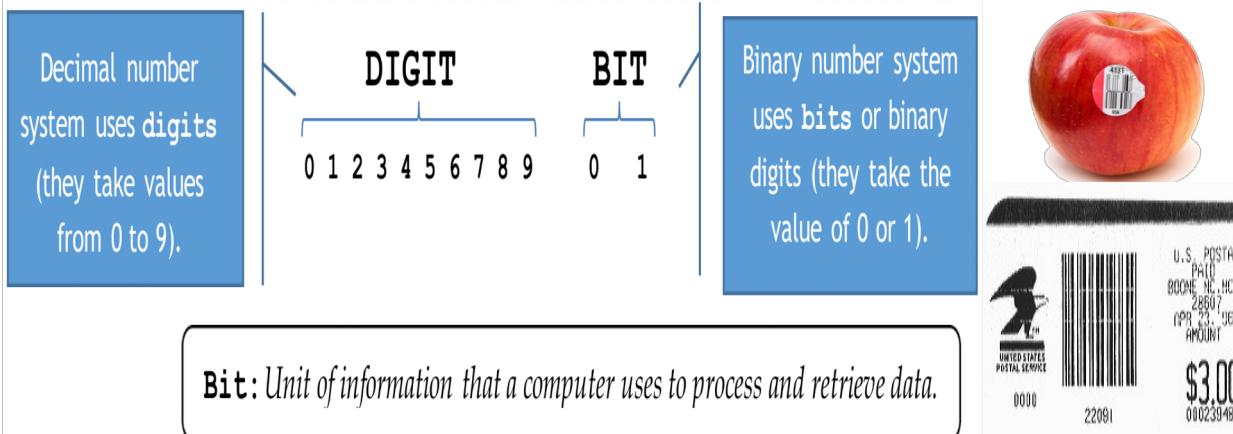


4. I. How do Decimal & Binary Numbers work?

I. Decimal Numbers: We use base-ten or decimal numbers all the time. For example, we are in the Year 2019. How would represent 2019 using blocks?



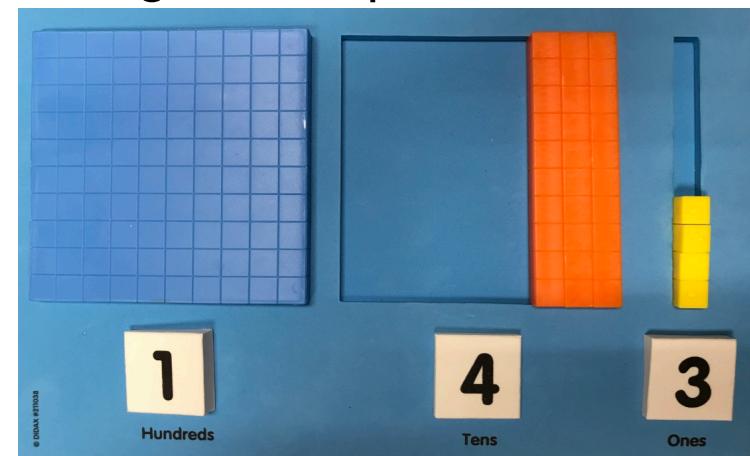
3. Think Binary Numbers: What do you know about binary numbers? Why are these binary numbers?



2. Investigate: What's wrong with the picture?

The place of a number affects its value!!

In your team, take turns coming up with a decimal number and representing it using the blocks as the picture on the right shows. Describe why you did it.



4. Explore: Binary numbers with only ones and zeros create any value. Explore patterns of how the blocks representing binary numbers grow. How are the patterns and exponents related?

2^5 ($2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 32$)	2^4 ($2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 16$)	2^3 ($2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$)	2^2 ($2 \times 2 = 4$)	2^1 ($2 \times 1 = 2$)	2^0 ($2 \times 0 = 1$)

What's an exponent?

Complete this table using blocks. Zeros turn off & Ones turn on the values of the column wherein they are placed. **Why do you think it is so?** For example, the binary number of 101_2 is equivalent to the value of the decimal number of 5_{10} . **Why?**

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Resources for the Activity

1. Activity Card
2. 3 decks of cards (white, yellow, green) with names, definition, visual of computer parts
3. Raspberry Pi
4. Old real-life computer
5. Student journal

Everyone in the team gets to play a role:

Discussion Expert: Leads the team discussion asking questions about the session.

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Activity I Goal: Develop connections and number sense across decimal, binary, and hexadecimal computer systems. (b) Convert number values across systems. © Identify real-world applications of binary

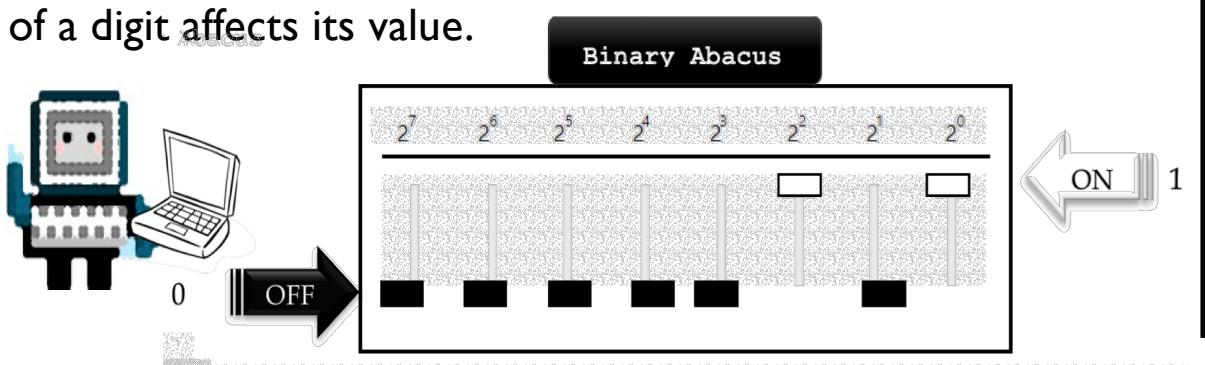
4.2. Comparing Binary and Decimal Numbers

1. Practice: Using the same table, blocks and binary digits (1 & 0) represent binary numbers taking turns. Then, represent the same value using decimal blocks/numbers.

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Play: Come up with a binary number and have your peers find out its value.

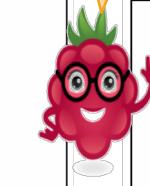
3. Represent Binary Abacus with the **Binary Abacus** on your laptop desktop. Take turns creating binary numbers by switching values **on** (1) or **off** (0). Write them down and justify how place of a digit affects its value.



2. Compare: These numbers look the same, but they don't have the same value. On the left are decimal numbers and on the right binary.

Which is worth more?

10^2	10^1	10^0	2^2	2^1	2^0
1	1	0	1	1	0



4. Practice: Using the handout: **Creating, Writing and Comparing Numbers**, work in pairs and compare results of conversions. Check answers in Binary Abacus.

Your Data

Computer Data

01110101011010101
10100101011010101
01010101011010101
01000101011010101
01101010101001100
00101011011001111
10101001010101010

Why is it important to understand binary numbers when working with computers?

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Resources for the Activity

1. Activity Card
2. Raspberry Pi kit per group
3. Power strip
4. Monitor



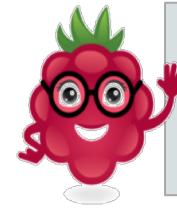
Activity 2 Goals: (a) Develop connections and applications of binary numbers across systems. (b) Convert number values across decimal, binary, and hexadecimal systems.

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Recommended Steps for the Activity

1. Have students describe the illustration of taking pictures as an example of data flow and create a story-like about the data flow. Elaborate on data flow ideas by having them further think about their own experiences at school using data on a computer.
2. Motivate students to use the names of the components of the computer as they talk. Model that type of talk to them as the team puts the computer system together.
3. Make sure all students participate in the assembly and ask them to describe using related vocabulary on what they are doing or how they connected those parts.
4. Have students describe their own experiences assembling computers at home or school. Number sense across decimal, binary, and hexadecimal systems.
5. Ask for any questions they might have and encourage team members to respond.

4.3. Hexadecimal Numbers

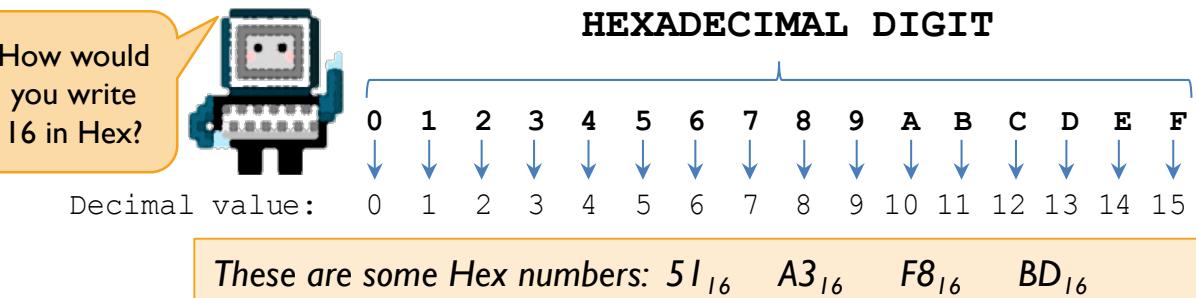


What base are these number notations in?

111_2 $A0_{16}$ 1010 $1A_{16}$

Create your own number system notation!

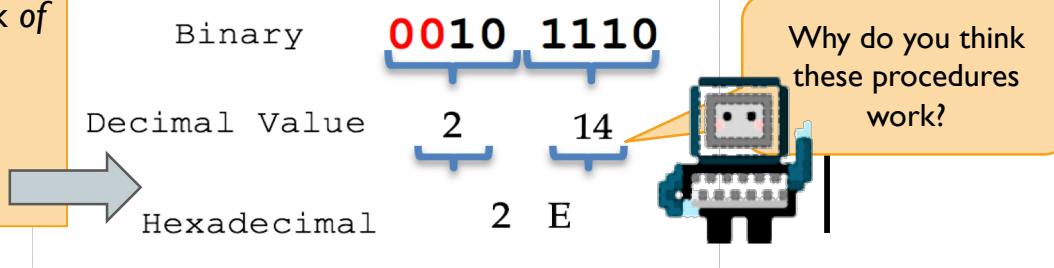
- “Hexadecimal” means Hexa-(six) plus decimal (ten), or sixteen, or “based 16”. People also call them **Hex**. Hex numbers have 16 hexadecimal digits (or nibbles). To represent them we use the symbols below:



3. Conversions: Binary → Hexadecimals

Hex help write binary numbers easier by grouping binary numbers in bits or sets of 4 binary digits. Each bit can be represented with a hex. For example, 101110_2 :

Using the table on the back of the Binary table, take turns converting binary into Hex numbers. Follow similar procedures to these ones:



- Hex grow in groups of 16. What's the value of $2A_{16}$ and $A2_{16}$?

16^1	16^0

Take turns, using the hex blocks, digits, & table (red sheet, represent hex numbers. **Remember, place matters!**

Use decimals numbers to write on board the value of each number:

10 (decimal): ___, 10_2 (binary): ___, 10_{16} (hexadecimal): ___

11 (decimal): ___, 11_2 (binary): ___, 11_{16} (hexadecimal): ___

- Challenge: Now that you have learned new numbers systems, complete the table called: “**Table of Three Numbers Systems from 0-15**”. This table might help remember in the future how these numbers work.



Write about what you learned in Session 4. For example, write sentences that start with:
-Digits of binary numbers are ...
-Exponents are numbers that ... They mean ...
-Hex and binary numbers are different in...



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Resources for the Activity

1. Activity Card
2. Raspberry Pi kit
3. Student journal

Evaluate how did the team roles work?

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Activity 3 Goal: Develop connections and number sense across decimal, binary, and hexadecimal systems. (b) Convert number values across systems.

Recommended Steps for the Activity

1. Have students think about how they usually navigate computers and use that to think about this session.
 2. Motivate students to take turns typing in commands, so that all of them have similar participation.
 3. Let students pay attention to what is happening when commands are typed, and ask students who are not typing to describe what is happening and why. If the group wants, create own names for directories.
 4. Have students debrief what they learned at the end of the session and write in their journal at least 3 thoughts.
- Promote collaboration by listening to and helping each other. An error is just a step to get better.