Introduction to Computer Science & Engineering

Lecture 5: Computing Components and von Neumann Machine

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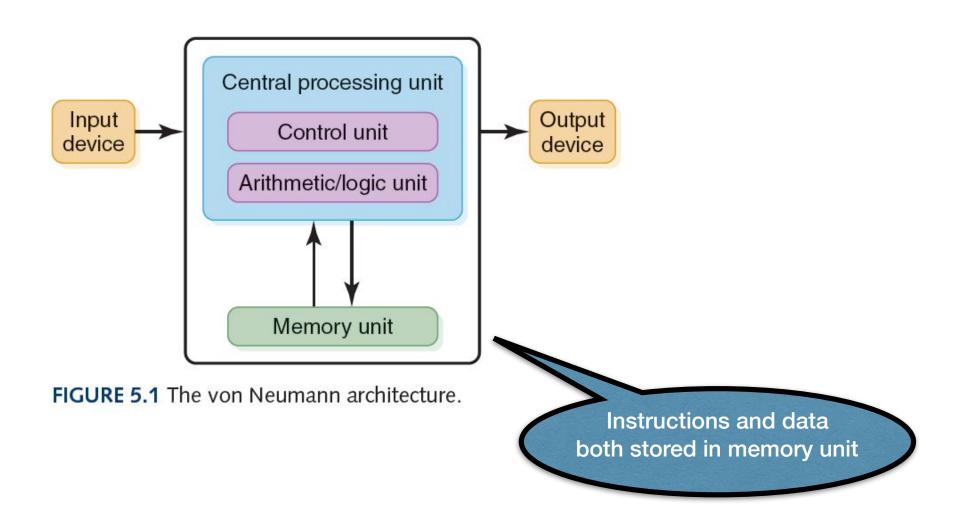
Size in Perspective

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Power of 10	Power of 2	Value of Power of 2	Prefix	Abbreviation	Derivation
10 ⁻¹²			pico	р	Italian for <i>little</i>
10 ⁻⁹			nano	n	Greek for dwarf
10-6			micro	μ	Greek for small
10 ⁻³			milli	m	Latin for thousandth
10^{3}	210	1024	kilo	K	Greek for thousand
10 ⁶	220	1,048,576	mega	M	Greek for large
10 ⁹	2 ³⁰	1,073,741,824	giga	G	Greek for giant
1012	2 ⁴⁰	not enough room	tera	Т	Greek for monster
1015	250	not enough room	peta	Р	Greek prefix for five

Von Neumann Architecture

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Memory

- A collection of cells, each with a unique physical address
- Most computers are byteaddressable
- Cell at address <u>11111110</u>
 contains <u>10101010</u>

Address	Contents		
00000000	11100011		
00000001	10101001		
*	•		
	#8		
	•		
11111100	00000000		
11111101	11111111		
11111110	10101010		
11111111	00110011		

Should be careful!: Could be address or contents

Arithmetic/Logic Unit

- Performs basic arithmetic operations such as addition and subtraction
- Performs logical operations such as AND, OR, and NOT
- Most modern ALUs have a small amount of special storage units called registers that can be accessed faster than main memory

Input/Output Units

- Input
 - Keyboard, mouse, etc..
- Output
 - Monitor, etc...

Control Unit

- Control unit
 - The organizing force in the computer
- Instruction register (IR)
 - Contains the instruction that is being executed
- Program counter (PC)
 - Contains the address of the next instruction to be executed
- Central Processing Unit (CPU)
 - ALU and the control unit called the Central Processing Unit, or CPU

Information Flow

Bus

- ► A communication system that transfers data between components inside a computer or between computers; the medium (wires, optical fiber, etc.) and the protocols (rules for sharing the medium nicely)
- "The" bus: Connects the CPU, main memory, I/O devices, and possibly other components (e.g. hard disk drive)

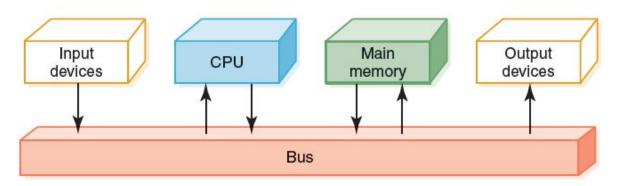


FIGURE 5.2 Data flow through a von Neumann machine

MATLAB

- Install MATLAB
- And get used to it!