

# **Lab Assignment #1**

## **Bit Lab**

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# Preliminary: Linux & CSPRO

- Linux tutorial is uploaded in *Cyber Campus*
- If you are familiar with Linux, take it as a brief review
- If you haven't used Linux before, read it carefully
- In both cases, don't forget to change the password of your account

# General Information

- **There will be three lab assignments in this semester**
  - The total point of each programming lab assignment is 100 points.
  - But in the final score, each lab will be reflected with different weight

# We Use *Cyber Campus*

- Check “*Lab Assignment #1*” posted in “*Assignments*” tab in Cyber Campus
  - Skeleton code (Lab1.zip) is attached in the “*Lab Assignment #1*” post
  - Deadline: **4/4** Tuesday 23:59
  - Late submission deadline: **4/5** Wednesday 23:59 (-20% penalty)
  - Late submission penalty will be applied uniformly (not problem by problem)
  
- Submit/upload your completed work on the same “*Lab Assignment #1*” post
  - Please read the **last two slides** carefully!
  - The last two slides will let you know how to submit your work:
    - Which file to submit, what should be the name of file
    - What happens if you make a mistake in the submission

# Outline

- **Task: Warm-up exercise to review basic C programming**
  - Four small programming tasks (25 points each, total 100 points)
  - Puzzles using **bit-level operations** (a.k.a. *DataLab* in *CSAPP*)
- **Problems themselves are not so difficult, but it can take you some time to get familiar with the skeleton code and scripts**
  - Read the slide carefully and follow the instructions

# Task: C Programming Exercise

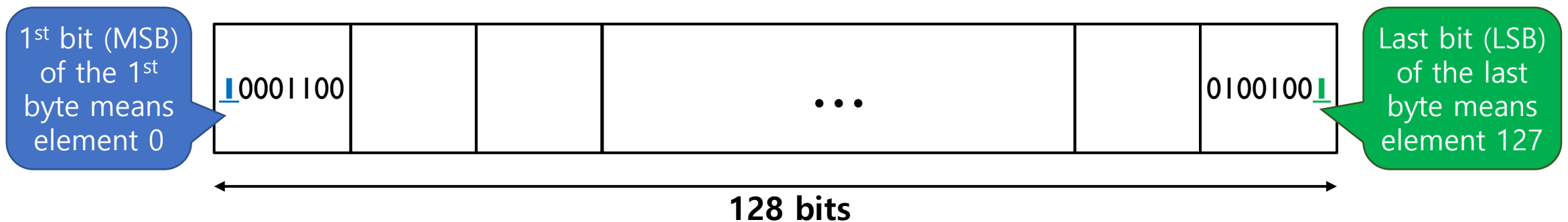
- From 1-1 to 1-3, there are several **constraints** that your code must satisfy (failing to do so will result in **0 point**)
  - Allowed operators: ! ~ & ^ | + << >>
    - Don't use other operators such as && || - == < > ?
  - Write straight-line code
    - Don't use any control constructs such as if, do, while, for, switch, etc.
  - Do not include any additional header file
  - Do not declare or call any function in your code

# Task: C Programming Exercise (Cont')

- From 1-1 to 1-3, you must implement the following functions
  - **Provided code does not satisfy the constraints, so you should rewrite it**
  - **Problem 1-1 (copyLSB.c):**
    - copyLSB(x): return an int with all bits set to the least significant bit of x
    - Ex) copyLSB(5) = 0xFFFFFFFF, copyLSB(6) = 0x00000000
  - **Problem 1-2 (absVal.c):**
    - absVal(x): return the absolute value of x (assume  $-S_{MAX} \leq x \leq S_{MAX}$ )
    - Ex) absVal(-1) = 1
  - **Problem 1-3 (conditional.c):**
    - conditional(x, y, z): return the result of ternary operation “x ? y : z” in C
    - Ex) conditional(2,4,5) = 4

# Task: C Programming Exercise (Cont')

- For 1-4, there is *no constraint* on the code; just focus on the functionality
  - Problem 1-4 (bitset.c):
    - Cf. Chapter 2 Data representation - "Exercise: Representing & Manipulating Sets"
    - addNumber(set, x): Add 'x' to the *bitset* represented by 'set'; do nothing if 'x' already exists in 'set'
    - Assume that  $0 \leq x \leq 127$  and 'set' is a pointer to a 16-byte array as below





# Execution (Grading) Environment

- Assume that `int` is 4-byte data type
- Byte ordering won't matter in this assignment
  - But if you think it matters, then assume little endian system
- If you are not sure, we recommend you to use CSPRO server instead of your machine.

# Directory Structure & How to Build

## ■ Each directory (1-1, 1-2, ...) has the following structure

- Makefile allows you to build the program with 'make' command
- main.c is the driver code that calls your function (**don't change this file**)
- validate checks whether your code satisfies the requested constraints

```
$ ./validate absVal.c
```

(If nothing is printed, it means your code passed the check)

- main.bin executable file will be created upon the build
- testcase contains test cases and their expected outputs

```
$ ./main.bin testcase/tc-1
```

(The output must match with testcase/ans-1)

```
1-2/  
├── Makefile  
├── absVal.c  
├── absVal.h  
├── main.c  
├── testcase  
│   ├── ans-1  
│   ├── ans-2  
│   ├── tc-1  
│   └── tc-2  
└── validate
```

# Testing (Self-Grading) Your Code

- You can find `check.py` script in the top-level directory (Lab1)
  - `"./check.py 1-1"` will grade problem 1-1 with the test cases
  - `"./check.py all"` will grade all the problems from 1-1 to 1-4
  - Each character in the result has following meaning
    - 'O': Correct output / 'X': Wrong output / 'C': Compile error / 'T': Timeout
    - 'I': Invalid (failed to pass the validator) / 'E': Runtime error (e.g., crash)

```
jason@DESKTOP-79QRSKE:~/CSE3030-Assignment/Lab1$ ./check.py all
[*] Grading 1-1 ...
[*] Result: II
[*] Grading 1-2 ...
[*] Result: OX
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[*] Result: OX
```

# Test Cases for Real Grading

- On top of the provided test cases, I will use additional test cases to grade your code
- In other words, even if you pass all the test cases in the skeleton code, that does not guarantee that you will get 100 points.
- So you are encouraged to test your own code with various inputs

# ChatGPT?

- In fact, Programming Assignment #1 is not a difficult challenge at all
- You can easily solve them by asking *ChatGPT* (or with *Googling*)
- But remember: if you start relying on *ChatGPT* from now on, it will eventually limit your capability
- On the other hand, if you continue working on these challenges on your own, you will surpass *ChatGPT* one day

# Submission Guideline

- **Don't forget the deadline**

- Deadline: **4/4** Tuesday 23:59
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- **You should submit the following four files:**

- `copyLSB.c` (Problem 1-1)
- `absVal.c` (Problem 1-2)
- `conditional.c` (Problem 1-3)
- `bitset.c` (Problem 1-4)

# Submission Guideline (Cont')

- **Please strictly follow the specified submission format below:**
  - **DO NOT** zip four files, just upload four files directly to *Cyber Campus*
  - **DO NOT** change the file name (e.g., do not add any suffix)
  - If your submission format is wrong, you will get **-50% penalty**
- **If the submitted file doesn't compile with the "make" command, we cannot give you any point for that problem**
- **If you submit a wrong file for each problem, we cannot give you any point for that problem**
  - E.g., If you submit `absVal.h` instead of `absVal.c`, you will get zero point