

TIME SAVERS!

$x \& (x-1)$ will clear the lowest set bit of x

$x \& \sim(x-1)$ extracts the lowest set bit of x (all others are clear). Pretty patterns when applied to a linear sequence.

$x \& (x + (1 \ll n)) = x$, with the run of set bits (possibly length 0) starting at bit n cleared.

$x \& \sim(x + (1 \ll n))$ = the run of set bits (possibly length 0) in x , starting at bit n .

$x \mid (x + 1) = x$ with the lowest cleared bit set.

$x \mid \sim(x + 1)$ = extracts the lowest cleared bit of x (all others are set).

$x \mid (x - (1 \ll n)) = x$, with the run of cleared bits (possibly length 0) starting at bit n set.

$x \mid \sim(x - (1 \ll n))$ = the lowest run of cleared bits (possibly length 0) in x , starting at bit n are the only clear bits.

Geeks

Find the element that appears once when every other element appears thrice

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/find-the-element-that-appears-once/>

Count total no of set bits in all numbers from 1 to n

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/count-total-set-bits-in-all-numbers-from-1-to-n/>

Add two numbers

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/add-two-numbers-without-using-arithmetic-operators/>

Next higher number with same number of set bits

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/next-higher-number-with-same-number-of-set-bits/>

Reverse bits

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/write-an-efficient-c-program-to-reverse-bits-of-a-number/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/next-power-of-2/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/divisibility-9-using-bitwise-operators/>

TO DO

Immediate smaller number

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/count-total-set-bits-in-all-numbers-from-1-to-n/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/swap-bits-in-a-given-number/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/smallest-of-three-integers-without-comparison-operators/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/program-to-count-number-of-set-bits-in-an-big-array/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/compute-the-integer-absolute-value-abs-without-branching/>

<http://www.geeksforgeeks.org/divide-and-conquer-set-2-karatsuba-algorithm-for-fast-multiplication/>