

CS 33

Data Representation

Number Representation

- **Hindu-Arabic numerals**
 - developed by Hindus starting in 5th century
 - » positional notation
 - » symbol for 0
 - adopted and modified somewhat later by Arabs
 - » known by them as “Rakam Al-Hind” (Hindu numeral system)
 - 1999 rather than MCMXCIX
 - » (try doing long division with Roman numerals!)

Which Base?

- **1999**

- **base 10**

- » $9 \cdot 10^0 + 9 \cdot 10^1 + 9 \cdot 10^2 + 1 \cdot 10^3$

- **base 2**

- » **11111001111**

- $1 \cdot 2^0 + 1 \cdot 2^1 + 1 \cdot 2^2 + 1 \cdot 2^3 + 0 \cdot 2^4 + 0 \cdot 2^5 + 1 \cdot 2^6 + 1 \cdot 2^7 + 1 \cdot 2^8 + 1 \cdot 2^9 + 1 \cdot 2^{10}$

- **base 8**

- » **3717**

- $7 \cdot 8^0 + 1 \cdot 8^1 + 7 \cdot 8^2 + 3 \cdot 8^3$

- » **why are we interested?**

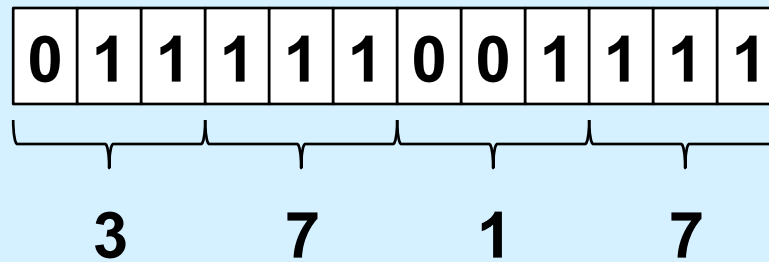
- **base 16**

- » **7CF**

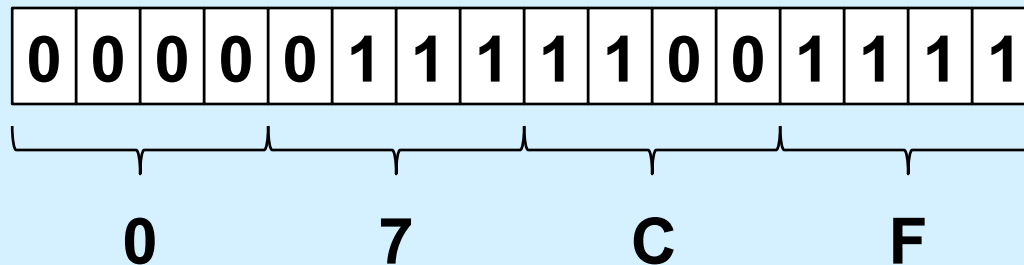
- $15 \cdot 16^0 + 12 \cdot 16^1 + 7 \cdot 16^2$

- » **why are we interested?**

Words ...



12-bit computer word



16-bit computer word

Algorithm ...

```
void baseX(unsigned int num, unsigned int base) {
    char digits[] = {'0', '1', '2', '3', '4', '5', '6', ... };
    char buf[8*sizeof(unsigned int)+1];
    int i;

    for (i = sizeof(buf) - 2; i >= 0; i--) {
        buf[i] = digits[num%base];
        num /= base;
        if (num == 0)
            break;
    }

    buf[sizeof(buf) - 1] = '\\0';
    printf("%s\\n", &buf[i]);
}
```

Or ...

```
$ bc
obase=16
1999
7CF
$
```

Quiz 1

- What's the decimal (base 10) equivalent of 23_{16} ?
 - a) 19
 - b) 33
 - c) 35
 - d) 37

Encoding Byte Values

- **Byte = 8 bits**
 - binary 00000000_2 to 11111111_2
 - decimal: 0_{10} to 255_{10}
 - hexadecimal 00_{16} to FF_{16}
 - » base 16 number representation
 - » use characters '0' to '9' and 'A' to 'F'
 - » write $FA1D37B_{16}$ in C as
 - $0xFA1D37B$
 - $0xfa1d37b$

Hex	Decimal	Binary
0	0	0000
1	1	0001
2	2	0010
3	3	0011
4	4	0100
5	5	0101
6	6	0110
7	7	0111
8	8	1000
9	9	1001
A	10	1010
B	11	1011
C	12	1100
D	13	1101
E	14	1110
F	15	1111

Boolean Algebra

- **Developed by George Boole in 19th Century**
 - algebraic representation of logic
 - » encode “true” as 1 and “false” as 0

And

- $A \& B = 1$ when both $A=1$ and $B=1$

$\&$	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

Or

- $A | B = 1$ when either $A=1$ or $B=1$

$ $	0	1
0	0	1
1	1	1

Not

- $\sim A = 1$ when $A=0$

\sim	
0	1
1	0

Exclusive-Or (Xor)

- $A \wedge B = 1$ when either $A=1$ or $B=1$, but not both

\wedge	0	1
0	0	1
1	1	0

General Boolean Algebras

- Operate on bit vectors
 - operations applied bitwise

01101001	01101001	01101001	
& <u>01010101</u>	<u>01010101</u>	^ <u>01010101</u>	~ <u>01010101</u>
01000001	01111101	00111100	10101010

- All of the properties of boolean algebra apply

Example: Representing & Manipulating Sets

- Representation

- width- w bit vector represents subsets of $\{0, \dots, w-1\}$
- $a_j = 1$ iff $j \in A$

01101001 { 0, 3, 5, 6 }
76543210

01010101 { 0, 2, 4, 6 }
76543210

- Operations

&	intersection	01000001	{ 0, 6 }
	union	01111101	{ 0, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 }
^	symmetric difference	00111100	{ 2, 3, 4, 5 }
~	complement	10101010	{ 1, 3, 5, 7 }

Bit-Level Operations in C

- **Operations &, |, ~, ^ available in C**
 - apply to any “integral” data type
 - » long, int, short, char
 - view arguments as bit vectors
 - arguments applied bit-wise
- **Examples (char datatype)**
 - $\sim 0x41 \rightarrow 0xBE$
 - $\sim 01000001_2 \rightarrow 10111110_2$
 - $\sim 0x00 \rightarrow 0xFF$
 - $\sim 00000000_2 \rightarrow 11111111_2$
 - $0x69 \& 0x55 \rightarrow 0x41$
 - $01101001_2 \& 01010101_2 \rightarrow 01000001_2$
 - $0x69 | 0x55 \rightarrow 0x7D$
 - $01101001_2 | 01010101_2 \rightarrow 01111101_2$

Contrast: Logic Operations in C

- **Contrast to Logical Operators**

- **&&, ||, !**

- » view 0 as “false”

- » anything nonzero as “true”

- » always return 0 or 1

- » early termination/short-circuited execution

- **Examples (char datatype)**

- !0x41 → 0x00**

- !0x00 → 0x01**

- !!0x41 → 0x01**

- 0x69 && 0x55 → 0x01**

- 0x69 || 0x55 → 0x01**

- p && *p (avoids null pointer access)**

Contrast: Logic Operations in C

- Contrast to Logical Operators

- &&, ||, !

- » view “false”

Watch out for && vs. & (and || vs. |)...
One of the more common oopsies in C programming

- !0x41 → 0x00

- !0x00 → 0x01

- !!0x41 → 0x01

- 0x69 && 0x55 → 0x01

- 0x69 || 0x55 → 0x01

- p && *p (avoids null pointer access)

Shift Operations

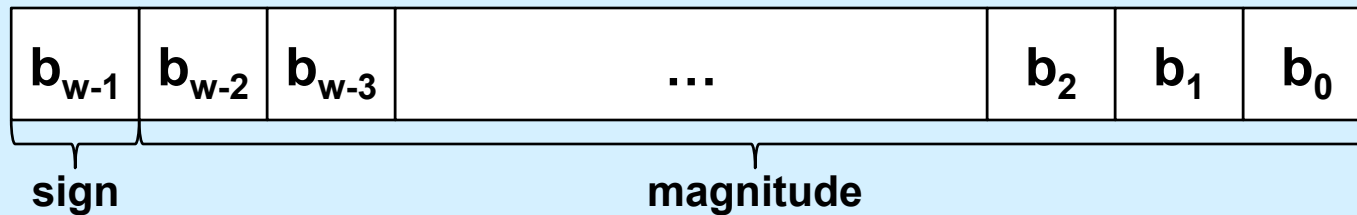
- **Left Shift:** $x \ll y$
 - shift bit-vector x left y positions
 - throw away extra bits on left
 - » fill with 0's on right
- **Right Shift:** $x \gg y$
 - shift bit-vector x right y positions
 - » throw away extra bits on right
 - logical shift
 - » fill with 0's on left
 - arithmetic shift
 - » replicate most significant bit on left
- **Undefined Behavior**
 - shift amount < 0 or \geq word size

Argument x	01100010
$\ll 3$	00010000
Log. $\gg 2$	00011000
Arith. $\gg 2$	00011000

Argument x	10100010
$\ll 3$	00010000
Log. $\gg 2$	00101000
Arith. $\gg 2$	11101000

Signed Integers

- **Sign-magnitude**



$$\text{value} = (-1)^{b_{w-1}} \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i$$

- **two representations of zero!**

Signed Integers

- **Ones' complement**
 - negate a number by forming its bitwise complement
 - » e.g., $(-1) \cdot 01101011 = 10010100$

$$\text{value} = -b_{w-1}(2^{w-1} - 1) + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \quad \text{if } b_{w-1} = 0$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} (b_i - 1) \cdot 2^i \quad \text{if } b_{w-1} = 1$$

} two zeroes!

Signed Integers

- **Two's complement**

$b_{w-1} = 0 \Rightarrow$ non-negative number

$$\text{value} = \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i$$

$b_{w-1} = 1 \Rightarrow$ negative number

$$\text{value} = (-1) \cdot 2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i$$

Signed Integers

- Negating two's complement

$$value = -b_{w-1}2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i 2^i$$

- how to compute $-value$?
 $(\sim value)+1$

Signed Integers

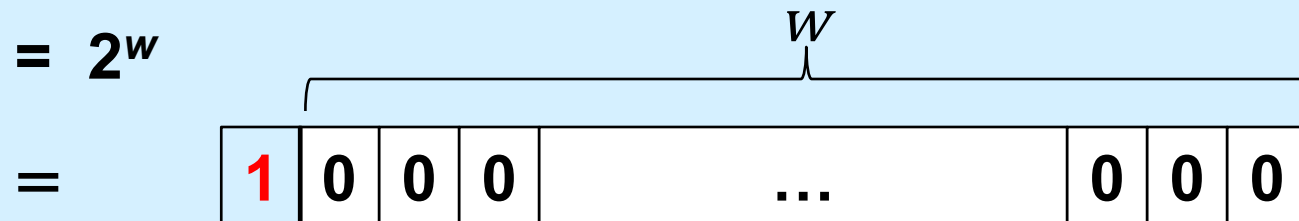
- Negating two's complement (continued)

$$value + (\sim value + 1)$$

$$= (value + \sim value) + 1$$

$$= (2^w - 1) + 1$$

$$= 2^w$$



Quiz 2

- **We have a computer with 4-bit words that uses two's complement to represent negative numbers. What is the result of subtracting 0010 (2) from 0001 (1)?**
 - a) 0111
 - b) 1001
 - c) 1110
 - d) 1111

Numeric Ranges

- **Unsigned Values**

- $UMin = 0$

- 000...0**

- $UMax = 2^w - 1$

- 111...1**

- **Two's Complement Values**

- $TMin = -2^{w-1}$

- 100...0**

- $TMax = 2^{w-1} - 1$

- 011...1**

- **Other Values**

- Minus 1

- 111...1**

Values for $W = 16$

	Decimal	Hex	Binary
UMax	65535	FF FF	11111111 11111111
TMax	32767	7F FF	01111111 11111111
TMin	-32768	80 00	10000000 00000000
-1	-1	FF FF	11111111 11111111
0	0	00 00	00000000 00000000

Values for Different Word Sizes

	W			
	8	16	32	64
UMax	255	65,535	4,294,967,295	18,446,744,073,709,551,615
TMax	127	32,767	2,147,483,647	9,223,372,036,854,775,807
TMin	-128	-32,768	-2,147,483,648	-9,223,372,036,854,775,808

- **Observations**

$$|TMin| = TMax + 1$$

» Asymmetric range

$$UMax = 2 * TMax + 1$$

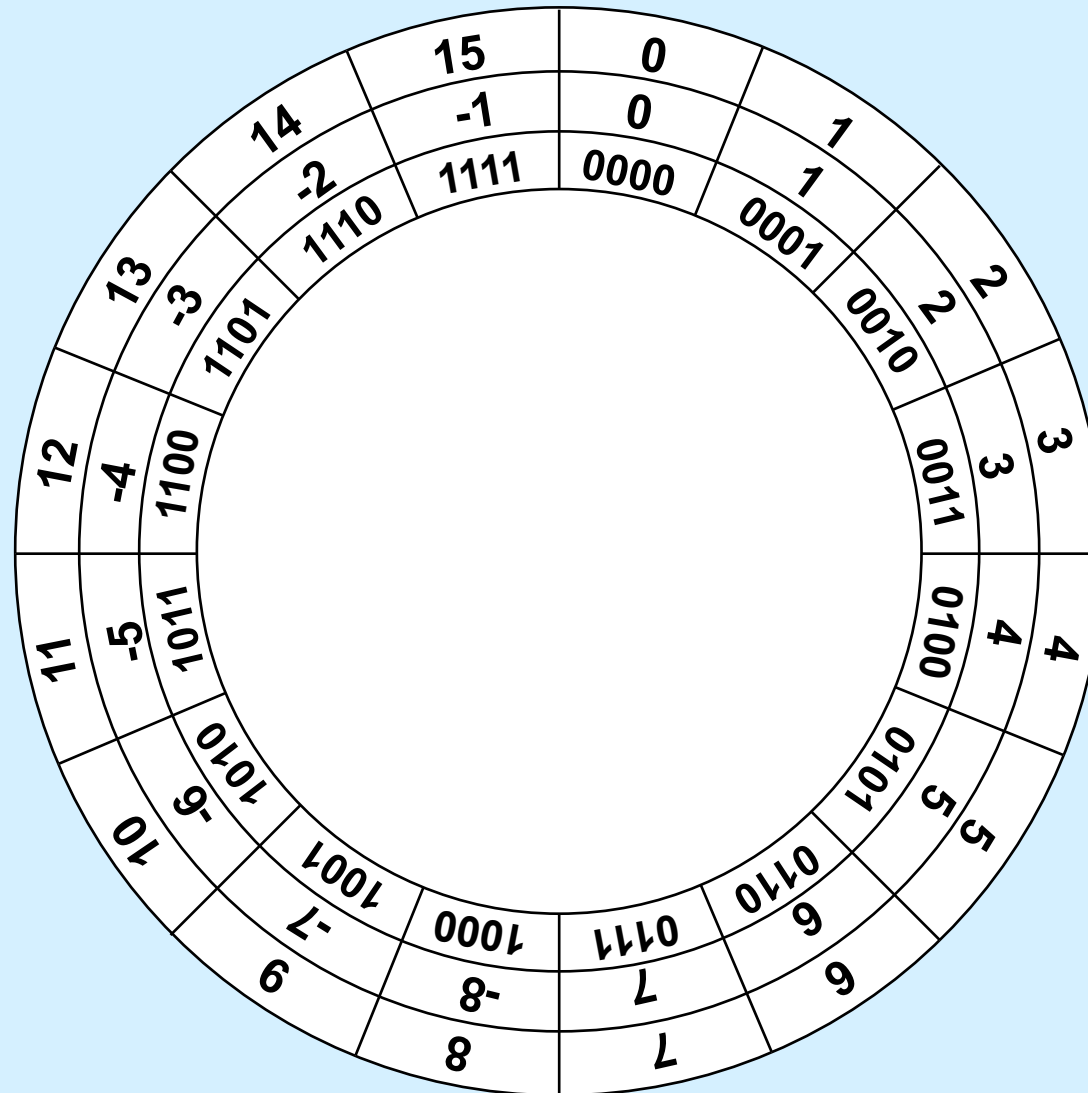
- **C Programming**

- `#include <limits.h>`
- declares constants, e.g.,
 - `ULONG_MAX`
 - `LONG_MAX`
 - `LONG_MIN`
- values platform-specific

Quiz 3

- What is $-TMin$ (assuming two's complement signed integers)?
 - a) $TMin$
 - b) $TMax$
 - c) 0
 - d) 1

4-Bit Computer Arithmetic



Signed vs. Unsigned in C

- **Constants**

- by default are considered to be signed integers
- unsigned if have “U” as suffix

0U, 4294967259U

- **Casting**

- explicit casting between signed & unsigned

```
int tx, ty;  
unsigned int ux, uy; // “unsigned” means “unsigned int”  
tx = (int) ux;  
uy = (unsigned int) ty;
```

- implicit casting also occurs via assignments and procedure calls

```
tx = ux;  
uy = ty;
```

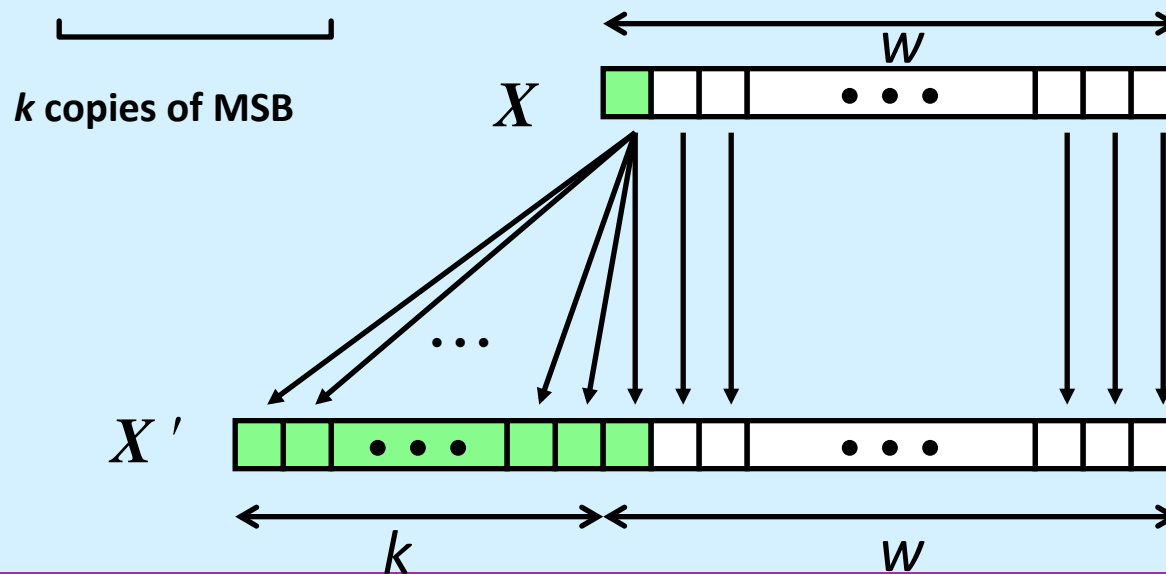
Casting Surprises

- Expression evaluation
 - if there is a mix of unsigned and signed in single expression,
signed values implicitly cast to unsigned
 - including comparison operations <, >, ==, <=, >=
 - examples for $W = 32$: **TMIN = -2,147,483,648** , **TMAX = 2,147,483,647**

Constant ₁	Constant ₂	Relation	Evaluation
0	0U	==	unsigned
-1	0	<	signed
-1	0U	>	unsigned
2147483647	-2147483647-1	>	signed
2147483647U	-2147483647-1	<	unsigned
-1	-2	>	signed
(unsigned)-1	-2	>	unsigned
2147483647	2147483648U	<	unsigned
2147483647	(int) 2147483648U	>	signed

Sign Extension

- Task:
 - given w -bit signed integer x
 - convert it to $w+k$ -bit integer with same value
- Rule:
 - make k copies of sign bit:
 - $X' = X_{w-1}, \dots, X_{w-1}, X_{w-1}, X_{w-2}, \dots, X_0$



Sign Extension Example

```
short int x = 15213;
int      ix = (int) x;
short int y = -15213;
int      iy = (int) y;
```

	Decimal	Hex	Binary
x	15213	3B 6D	00111011 01101101
ix	15213	00 00 3B 6D	00000000 00000000 00111011 01101101
y	-15213	C4 93	11000100 10010011
iy	-15213	FF FF C4 93	11111111 11111111 11000100 10010011

- **Converting from smaller to larger integer data type**
 - C automatically performs sign extension

Does it Work?

$$val_w = -2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i$$

$$\begin{aligned} val_{w+1} &= -2^w + 2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \\ &= -2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} val_{w+2} &= -2^{w+1} + 2^w + 2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \\ &= -2^w + 2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \\ &= -2^{w-1} + \sum_{i=0}^{w-2} b_i \cdot 2^i \end{aligned}$$

Power-of-2 Multiply with Shift

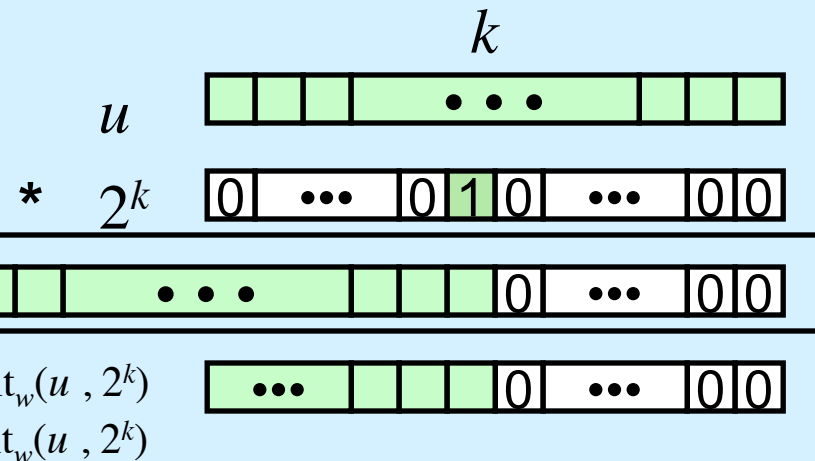
- **Operation**

- $u \ll k$ gives $u * 2^k$
- both signed and unsigned

operands: w bits

true product: $w+k$ bits $u * 2^k$

discard k bits: w bits



- **Examples**

$$u \ll 3 == u * 8$$

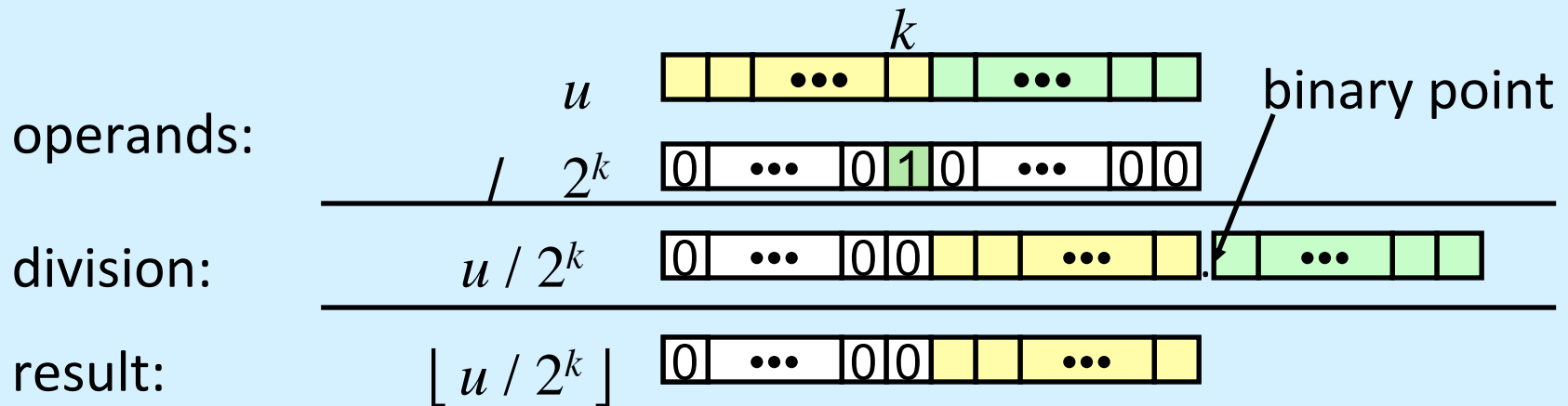
$$u \ll 5 - u \ll 3 == u * 24$$

- most machines shift and add faster than multiply
- » compiler generates this code automatically

Unsigned Power-of-2 Divide with Shift

- Quotient of unsigned by power of 2

- $u \gg k$ gives $\lfloor u / 2^k \rfloor$
- uses logical shift

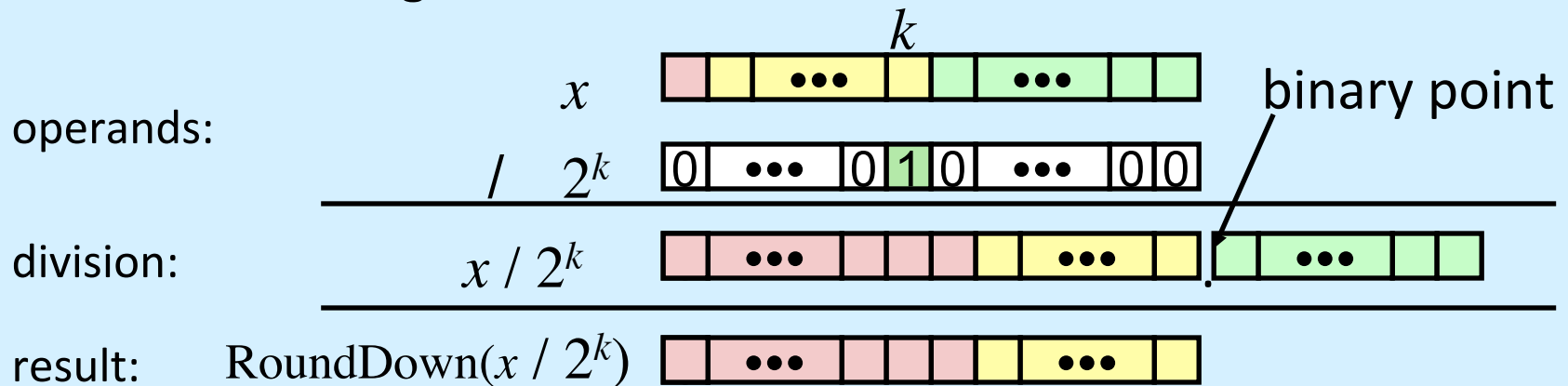


	Division	Computed	Hex	Binary
x	15213	15213	3B 6D	00111011 01101101
x >> 1	7606.5	7606	1D B6	00011101 10110110
x >> 4	950.8125	950	03 B6	00000011 10110110
x >> 8	59.4257813	59	00 3B	00000000 00111011

Signed Power-of-2 Divide with Shift

- Quotient of signed by power of 2

- $x \gg k$ gives $\lfloor x / 2^k \rfloor$
- uses arithmetic shift
- rounds wrong direction when $x < 0$

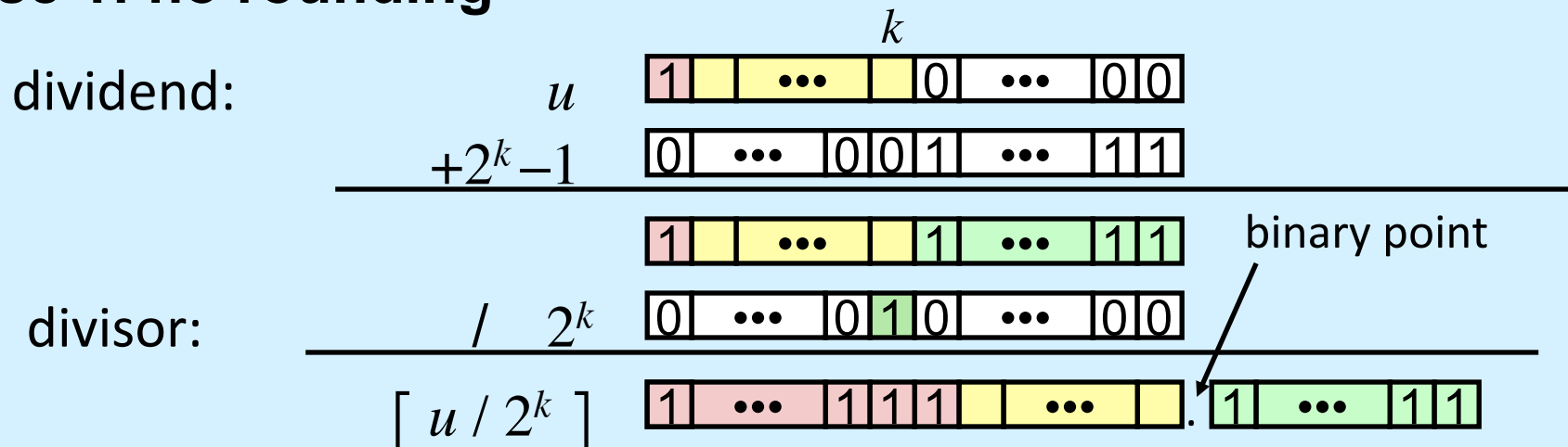


	Division	Computed	Hex	Binary
y	-15213	-15213	C4 93	11000100 10010011
$y \gg 1$	-7606.5	-7607	E2 49	11100010 01001001
$y \gg 4$	-950.8125	-951	FC 49	11111100 01001001
$y \gg 8$	-59.4257813	-60	FF C4	11111111 11000100

Correct Power-of-2 Divide

- Quotient of negative number by power of 2
 - want $\lceil x / 2^k \rceil$ (round toward 0)
 - compute as $\lfloor (x+2^k-1) / 2^k \rfloor$
 - » in C: $(x + (1 \ll k) - 1) \gg k$
 - » biases dividend toward 0

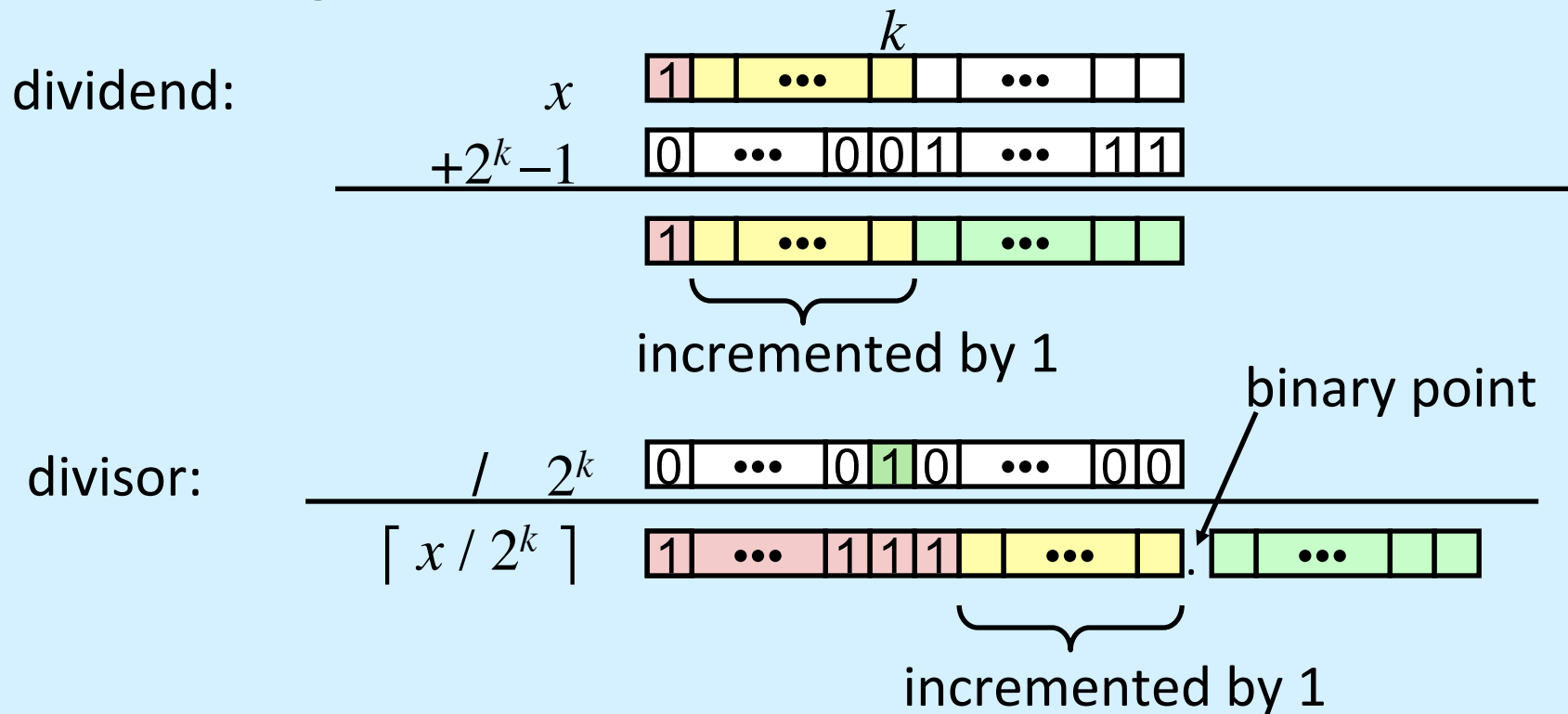
Case 1: no rounding



Biasing has no effect

Correct Power-of-2 Divide (Cont.)

Case 2: rounding



Biasing adds 1 to final result

Why Should I Use Unsigned?

- ***Don't* use just because number nonnegative**

- easy to make mistakes

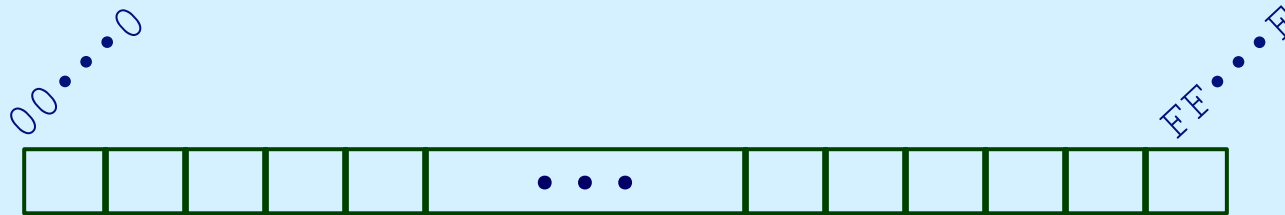
```
unsigned i;  
for (i = cnt-2; i >= 0; i--)  
    a[i] += a[i+1];
```

- can be very subtle

```
#define DELTA sizeof(int)  
int i;  
for (i = CNT; i-DELTA >= 0; i-= DELTA)  
    . . .
```

- ***Do* use when performing modular arithmetic**
 - multiprecision arithmetic
- ***Do* use when using bits to represent sets**
 - logical right shift, no sign extension

Byte-Oriented Memory Organization



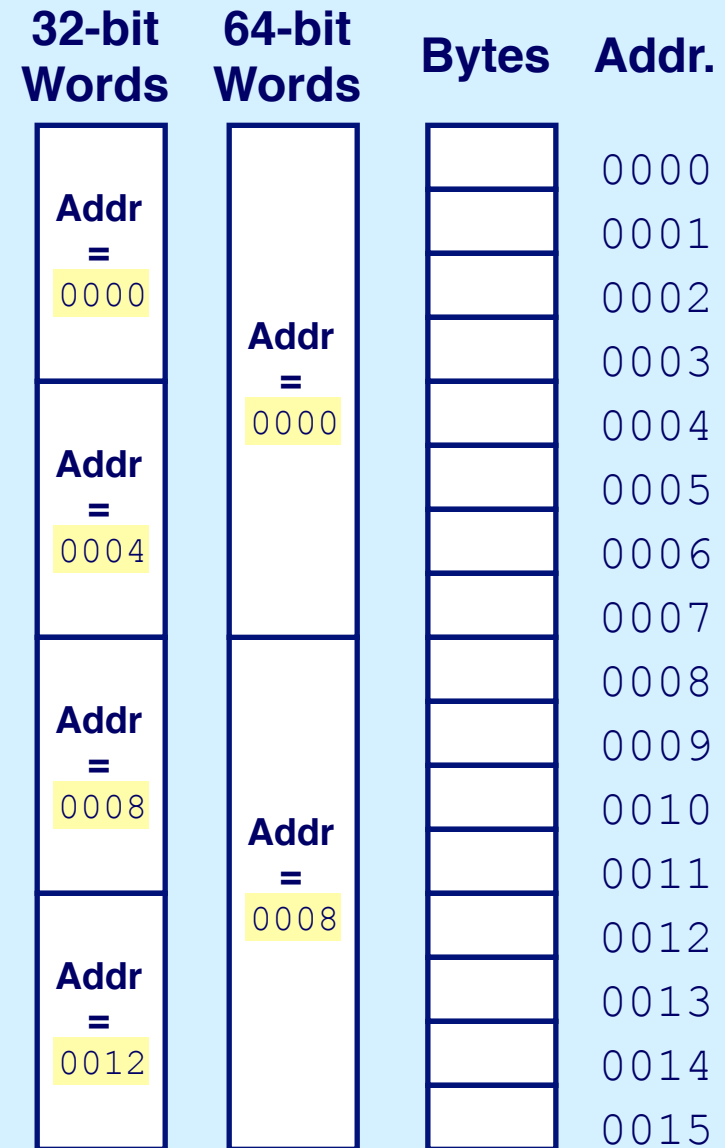
- **Programs refer to data by address**
 - **conceptually, envision it as a very large array of bytes**
 - » **in reality, it's not, but can think of it that way**
 - **an address is like an index into that array**
 - » **and, a pointer variable stores an address**
- **Note: system provides private address spaces to each “process”**
 - **think of a process as a program being executed**
 - **so, a program can clobber its own data, but not that of others**

Machine Words

- **Any given computer has a “word size”**
 - **nominal size of integer-valued data**
 - » **and of addresses**
 - **until recently, most machines used 32 bits (4 bytes) as word size**
 - » **limits addresses to 4GB (2^{32} bytes)**
 - » **become too small for memory-intensive applications**
 - **leading to emergence of computers with 64-bit word size**
 - **machines still support multiple data formats**
 - » **fractions or multiples of word size**
 - » **always integral number of bytes**

Word-Oriented Memory Organization

- **Addresses specify byte locations**
 - address of first byte in word
 - addresses of successive words differ by 4 (32-bit) or 8 (64-bit)



Byte Ordering

- **Four-byte integer**
 - 0x7654321
- **Stored at location 0x100**
 - which byte is at 0x100?
 - which byte is at 0x103?

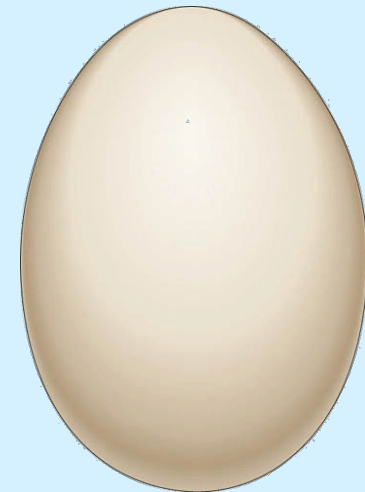


01	23	45	67
0x100	0x101	0x102	0x103

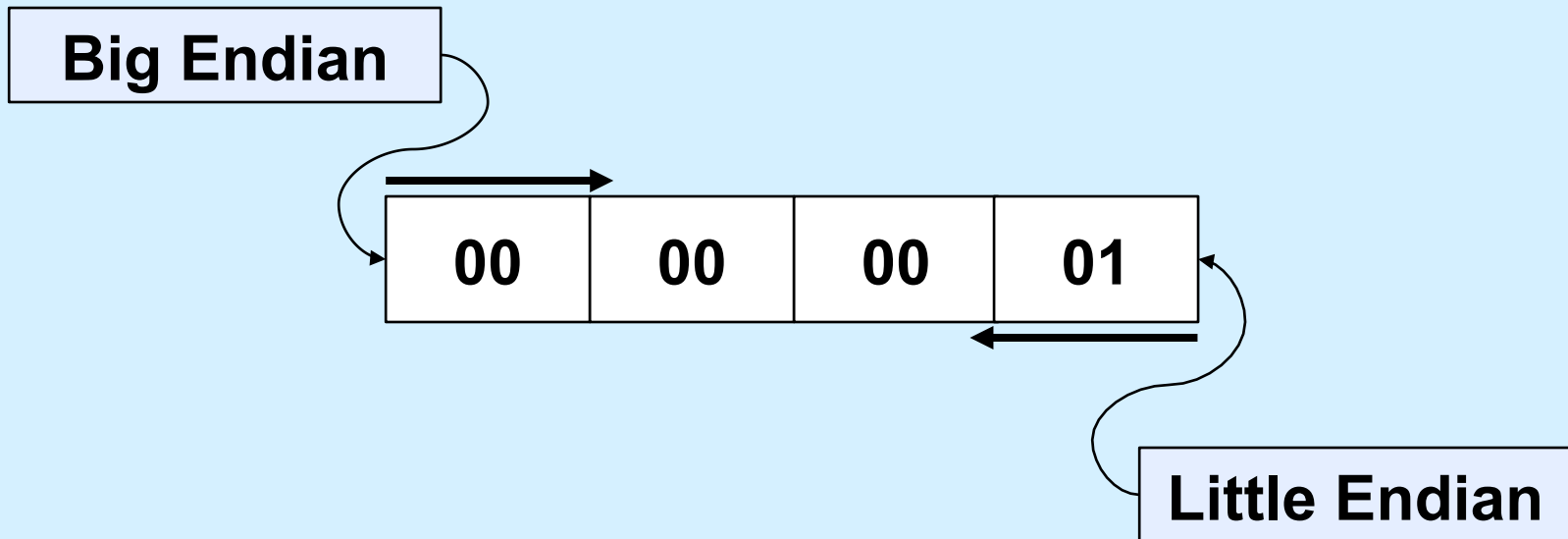
Little-endian

67	45	23	01
0x100	0x101	0x102	0x103

Big-endian



Byte Ordering (2)



Quiz 4

```
int main() {  
    long x=1;  
    proc(x);  
    return 0;  
}  
  
void proc(int arg) {  
    printf("%d\n", arg);  
}
```

**What value is printed
on a big-endian 64-bit
computer?**

- a) 0
- b) 1
- c) 2^{32}
- d) $2^{32}-1$