

# Topic 02 Digital Representation

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RECAP SUMMARY

# ASCII TABLE

Decimal	Hex	Char	Decimal	Hex	Char	Decimal	Hex	Char	Decimal	Hex	Char
0	0	[NULL]	32	20	[SPACE]	64	40	@	96	60	`
1	1	[START OF HEADING]	33	21	!	65	41	A	97	61	a
2	2	[START OF TEXT]	34	22	"	66	42	B	98	62	b
3	3	[END OF TEXT]	35	23	#	67	43	C	99	63	c
4	4	[END OF TRANSMISSION]	36	24	\$	68	44	D	100	64	d
5	5	[ENQUIRY]	37	25	%	69	45	E	101	65	e
6	6	[ACKNOWLEDGE]	38	26	&	70	46	F	102	66	f
7	7	[BELL]	39	27	'	71	47	G	103	67	g
8	8	[BACKSPACE]	40	28	(	72	48	H	104	68	h
9	9	[HORIZONTAL TAB]	41	29	)	73	49	I	105	69	i
10	A	[LINE FEED]	42	2A	*	74	4A	J	106	6A	j
11	B	[VERTICAL TAB]	43	2B	+	75	4B	K	107	6B	k
12	C	[FORM FEED]	44	2C	,	76	4C	L	108	6C	l
13	D	[CARRIAGE RETURN]	45	2D	-	77	4D	M	109	6D	m
14	E	[SHIFT OUT]	46	2E	.	78	4E	N	110	6E	n
15	F	[SHIFT IN]	47	2F	/	79	4F	O	111	6F	o
16	10	[DATA LINK ESCAPE]	48	30	0	80	50	P	112	70	p
17	11	[DEVICE CONTROL 1]	49	31	1	81	51	Q	113	71	q
18	12	[DEVICE CONTROL 2]	50	32	2	82	52	R	114	72	r
19	13	[DEVICE CONTROL 3]	51	33	3	83	53	S	115	73	s
20	14	[DEVICE CONTROL 4]	52	34	4	84	54	T	116	74	t
21	15	[NEGATIVE ACKNOWLEDGE]	53	35	5	85	55	U	117	75	u
22	16	[SYNCHRONOUS IDLE]	54	36	6	86	56	V	118	76	v
23	17	[ENG OF TRANS. BLOCK]	55	37	7	87	57	W	119	77	w
24	18	[CANCEL]	56	38	8	88	58	X	120	78	x
25	19	[END OF MEDIUM]	57	39	9	89	59	Y	121	79	y
26	1A	[SUBSTITUTE]	58	3A	:	90	5A	Z	122	7A	z
27	1B	[ESCAPE]	59	3B	;	91	5B	[	123	7B	{
28	1C	[FILE SEPARATOR]	60	3C	<	92	5C	\	124	7C	
29	1D	[GROUP SEPARATOR]	61	3D	=	93	5D	]	125	7D	}
30	1E	[RECORD SEPARATOR]	62	3E	>	94	5E	^	126	7E	~
31	1F	[UNIT SEPARATOR]	63	3F	?	95	5F	_	127	7F	[DEL]

# ASCII Table

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Stores only 128 Characters

- Most are words in English

Unicode to replace ASCII code

- So that European, Cyrillic, Chinese Mandarin can be stored
- Allows computers to be used by people of different languages

# Decimal (Base 10)

Radix	10	10	10	10
Position In	3	2	1	0
Calculate	$10^3$	$10^2$	$10^1$	$10^0$
Positional Value	1000	100	10	1

People use the **denary** (or decimal) number system in their day-to-day lives. This system has 10 digits that we can use: 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

	<u>1234</u>			
	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
Positional Value	1000	100	10	1
Decimal Number	1	2	3	4
Calculate	$1 \times 1000$	$2 \times 100$	$3 \times 10$	$4 \times 1$
Add them	1000	+200	+30	+4
Result	<u>1234</u>			

	<u>4321</u>			
	Thousands	Hundreds	Tens	Ones
Positional Value	1000	100	10	1
Decimal Number	4	3	2	1
Calculate	$4 \times 1000$	$3 \times 100$	$2 \times 10$	$1 \times 1$
Add them	4000	+300	+20	+1
Result	<u>4321</u>			

# Binary (Base 2)

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## Simply a string of 0's and 1's

- For example, 4-bit binary code could look like 0001
- Each digit in the code links to a set value determined
- Starting from right and moving to the left, taking the number 1 and then doubling as you move along to the next slot (1, 2, 4, 8, 16, and so on)

Decimal Digit Value	256	128	64	32	16	8	4	2	1
Binary Digit Value	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1

By adding together ALL the decimal number values from right to left at the positions that are represented by a "1" gives

us:  $(256) + (64) + (32) + (4) + (1) = 357_{10}$  or three hundred and fifty seven as a decimal number.

# Convert decimal numbers to binary

## Converting the number 19 to binary

- The procedure is to keep dividing the number by 2, and keeping track of the remainder until we get 0 as a result of the division. Then read the remainder values in reverse order

Division	Quotient	Remainder	Value
19 / 2	9	1	$2^0$
9 / 2	4	1	$2^1$
4 / 2	2	0	$2^2$
2 / 2	1	0	$2^3$
1 / 2	0	1	$2^4$

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# Number Representation - Unsigned

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Unsigned numbers used for Memory address, cluster number (file system) and process identifier (PID).

If there are N bits in the binary number, the range of the number is:  $2^N - 1$

1. Assume 4 bits:  $2^4 - 1 = 16 - 1 = 15$

- Range for 8 bits:  $2^8 - 1 = 256 - 1 = 255$



# Number Representation (Hexadecimal to Decimal)

### Hexadecimal (Base 16):

$H = h_3 h_2 h_1 h_0$  (h = hexadecimal ranging from 0 to 9, A to F)

If  $h_i = 1$ , then  $16^i$  is added into the sum that determines the value of  $H$ .

For values  $> 9$ , we use A,B,C,D,E,F to represent digits up to 15.

Let's assume that  $H = A^2 F^7$

<b>A</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>7</b>
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 $16^3 \quad 16^2 \quad 16^1 \quad 16^0$ 

				$7 \times 16^0 = 7$
				$15 \times 16^1 = 240$
				$2 \times 16^2 = 512$
				$10 \times 16^3 = 40960$

decimal:

41719

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

Binary / Hexadecimal / Decimal

# Notation for binary, hexadecimal and decimal (summary)

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## Binary (base 2)

- $10101111_2$
- $10101111$

## Hexadecimal (base 16)

- $AF_{16}$
- $0xAF$

## Decimal (base 10)

- $175$

## Number Representation - Signed

For signed integers, the leftmost bit is used to indicate the sign:

0 for positive

1 for negative



There are three ways to  
represent signed integers:

Sign and  
magnitude

1's  
complement

2's  
complement

$B$	Values represented		
$b_3 b_2 b_1 b_0$	Sign and magnitude	1's complement	2's complement
0 1 1 1	+7	+7	+7
0 1 1 0	+6	+6	+6
0 1 0 1	+5	+5	+5
0 1 0 0	+4	+4	+4
0 0 1 1	+3	+3	+3
0 0 1 0	+2	+2	+2
0 0 0 1	+1	+1	+1
0 0 0 0	+0	+0	+0
1 0 0 0	-0	-7	-8
1 0 0 1	-1	-6	-7
1 0 1 0	-2	-5	-6
1 0 1 1	-3	-4	-5
1 1 0 0	-4	-3	-4
1 1 0 1	-5	-2	-3
1 1 1 0	-6	-1	-2
1 1 1 1	-7	-0	-1

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Positive values have identical representations in all systems.

Negative numbers have different representations

- **Sign-and-magnitude:** negative values are represented by changing the most significant bit (b3).
- **1's-complement:** negative values are obtained by complementing each bit of the corresponding positive number.
- **2's-complement:** obtain by forming bit complement of that number, then add 1.

# 2's-complement integers

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2's-complement representation is used in current computers

Consider a four-bit signed integer example, where the value +5 is represented as:

0 1 0 1

To form the value -5, complement all bits of

0 1 0 1 to obtain

1 0 1 0 (1's-complement)

and then add 1 to obtain

1 0 1 1 (2's-complement)

# 2's-Complement

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2's-complement system is the most efficient way to carry out addition and subtraction operations.

It is the most often used in modern computers

Using 1's complement

$$\begin{array}{r} 1100 \text{ (-3)} \\ + 1101 \text{ (-2)} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$1001 \text{ (-6)}$$

Overflow check needed

Using 2's complement

$$\begin{array}{r} 1101 \text{ (-3)} \\ + 1110 \text{ (-2)} \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$1011 \text{ (-5)}$$

Ignore overflow



# Addition

There are four rules that need to be followed when adding two binary numbers.

- $0 + 0 = 0$
- $1 + 0 = 1$
- $1 + 1 = 10$  (binary for 2)
- $1 + 1 + 1 = 11$  (binary for 3)

Two examples of adding four-bit numbers:


0001	+1	0100	+4
+ 0101	+5	+ 1010	-6
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0110	+6	1110	-2

# Subtraction

Form the 2's-complement of the subtrahend (the bottom value) and then perform normal addition

This operation is done in exactly the same manner for both positive and negative numbers

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1110	-2		1110
- 1011	-5		+ 0101
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			0011      +3

# Overflow

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Overflow occurs when the answer does not fit in the number range

0110	+6	1110	-2
+ 10101	+5	+ 1001	-7
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1011	+11	0111	-9


The answers are incorrect!


- For signed integers, the leftmost bit is used to indicate the sign:
  - 0 for positive
  - 1 for negative
- Range:  $-2^{n-1}$  to  $+2^{n-1}-1$ 
  - 4 bits: -8 to 7 ( $-2^3$  to  $2^3-1$ ), 8 bits: -128 to 127 ( $-2^7$  to  $2^7-1$ )

# Sign extension

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Replicate the sign bit to extend 4-bit signed integers to 8-bit signed integers

0 1 0 1            0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1

1 1 1 0            1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0