

Floating Point Exercise 1:

1) 175.5 \rightarrow Single precision

$$\text{Exponential bias} = 7 + 127 = 134$$

$$175 = 10101111 > 10101111 = 1.0101111 \times 2^7$$

$$0.5 \times 2 = 1.0$$

Single Precision format: 0 1000 0110 0101111 0000...

Hex equivalent: 43 2F 80

2) 0.09375 \rightarrow Single precision

$$\text{Exponential bias} = -4 + 127 = 123$$

$$0.00011 \rightarrow 0.00011 = 1.1 \times 2^{-4}$$

$$0.09375 \times 2 = 0.1875$$

$$0.1875 \times 2 = 0.375$$

$$0.375 \times 2 = 0.75$$

$$0.75 \times 2 = 1.5$$

$$0.5 \times 2 = 1.0$$

Single Precision Format: 0 011110111000000000000...

Hex equivalent: 3DC0 00

3) -0.0078125 \rightarrow Double precision

$$0.0078125 \times 2 = 0.015625$$

$$0.0000001 = 1.0 \times 2^{-7}$$

$$\text{Exponential bias} = -7 + 1023 = 1016$$

$$0.015625 \times 2 = 0.03125$$

$$0.03125 \times 2 = 0.0625$$

$$0.0625 \times 2 = 0.125$$

$$0.125 \times 2 = 0.25$$

$$0.25 \times 2 = 0.5$$

$$0.5 \times 2 = 1.0$$

Double Precision Format: 101111111000000000000...

Hex Representation: BF 80 00

4) -11.75 → Double precision

$$\text{Exponential Bias} = 3 + 1023 = 1026$$

$$-11 = 1011.11 \rightarrow 1.01111 \times 2^3$$

$$0.75 \times 2 = 1.5$$

$$0.5 \times 2 = 1.0$$

Double Precision Format: 1100/0000/0010/0111/1000/0000...

Hex Representation: C02780

5) 3160.0 → Double extended precision

$$3160 = 1100.0101.1000.0000$$

$$\text{Exponential Bias} = 11 + 16383 = 16394$$

$$= 1100.0101.1000 = 1.10001011000 \times 2^{11}$$

Double Extended Precision: 0100/0000/1010/1000/1011/0000...

Hex Representation: 40 A8 BD / 40 0A C5 80 (as per the listing file)

6) -1.25 → Double extended precision

$$\text{Exponential Bias} = 0 + 16383 = 16383$$

$$1 = 0001.01 \rightarrow 1.01 \times 2^0$$

$$0.25 \times 2 = 0.5$$

$$0.5 \times 2 = 1.0$$

Double Precision Format: 1011/1111/1111/0100/0000...

Hex Representation: BF F4 00