Mathematical Operations

Working with Numbers

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- Without the ability to perform basic math operations (i.e. addition and subtraction), having the ability to represent numbers is meaningless.
- Again we will work from what we know about base-10 addition.
- When adding 2 base-10 numbers addition is performed from right to left, least significant digit to most significant digit.

When two base-10 digits are added:

- if the sum is less than or equal to 9 then the sum is the result
 - 9 being the largest digit in base-10
- if the sum exceeds 9, then the sum is a two digit value
 - the low order digit of the sum is the result
 - the high order digit of the sum is a carry
 - the carry is added with the next pair of digits or
 - the number of digits increases in size by 1.

Addition - Binary

Binary addition rules are especially simple:

$$0 + 0 = 0$$
 $1 + 0 = 0 + 1 = 1$
 $1 + 1 = 10_2$ actually 0 with a carry of 1
 $1 + 1 + 1 = 11_2$ actually 1 with a carry of 1

The first three assume a carry-in of 0, having a carry-in of 1 goes to the next rule down

We can generalize base-10 addition to any base-B (just need to know how to carry).

Addition rules for a base-B are as follows (where 0 <= A,C,D < B):

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0 + A = A \text{ (identity rule)}
C + A = A + C \text{ (commutative property)}
(A + C) + D = A + (C + D) \text{ (associative property)}
A + C = 1D_B \text{ where } D = (A + C) \text{ mod } B, \text{ with a carry of 1 for the } 10_B \text{ column}
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Example: add two binary numbers:

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100110011101<sub>2</sub>
+ <u>111011001100</u><sub>2</sub>
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Example: add two binary numbers:

Typically only carries of 1 are included:

Your turn

Your turn

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1111 (carries) 1
01110_{2} 	 102A_{16} + 10110_{2} 	 + 3E1_{16} + 100100_{2}
1100100<sub>2</sub>
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We can generalize base-10 subtraction to any base-B (just need to know how to carry).

Subtraction rules for a base-B are as follows (where 0 <= A,C,D,E < B):

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A - 0 = A \text{ (identity rule)}
A - A = 0
CD - A = (C-1)E_B \text{ where } E = (D + B) - A, \text{ subtract 1 from the carry column (i.e. column with digit C)}
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Subtraction - Binary

Binary addition rules are especially simple:

1 - 0 =
$$1_2$$

0 - 0 = 0_2
1 - 1 = 0_2
10 - 1 = 1_2 (01_2) actually 1 with a borrow of 10_2 or 2

Example: subtract two binary numbers

101001011₂
- 100101110₂

Example: subtract two binary numbers

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10<del>1</del>00<del>1</del>011<sub>2</sub>
- 100101110<sub>2</sub>
000011101<sub>2</sub>
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Your turn

10110₂
- <u>01101</u>₂

Your turn