# **Lab: Bitwise Operations**

Problems for in-class lab for the "Programming Fundamentals" course @ SoftUni.

## 1. Binary Digits Count

You are given a positive integer number and one binary digit B (0 or 1). Your task is to write a program that finds the number of binary digits (B) in a given integer.

### **Examples**

Input	Output	Comments
20 0	3	20 -> 1 <mark>0</mark> 1 <mark>00</mark> We have <b>3 zeroes</b> .
15 1	4	15 -> <b>1111</b> We have <b>4 ones</b> .
10 0	2	10 -> 1 <mark>0</mark> 10 We have <b>2 zeroes</b> .

#### Hints

- 1. Declare **two** variables (**n** and **b**).
- 2. Read the user input from the console.
- 3. Convert the **n** into **binary representation** (you can use the built-in method).
- 4. Count the **b** digit in the binary number.
- 5. Print the result on the console.

## 2. Bit at Position 1

Write a program that prints the bit at position 1 of the given integer. We use the standard counting: from right to left, starting from 0.

## **Examples**

Input	Output	Comments
2	1	000000 <mark>1</mark> 0 → 1
51	1	001100 <mark>1</mark> 1 → 1
13	0	000011 <mark>0</mark> 1 → 0
24	0	000110 <mark>0</mark> 0 → 0

#### Hints

- 1. Declare two variables (n and bitAtPosition1).
- 2. **Read** the user input from the console.
- 3. Find the value of the bit at position 1 (position 1 is the second bit from right to left: [7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0]):

















- a. Shift the number n times to the right (where n is the position, in this case, it is 1) by using the >> operator. In that way, the bit we want to check will be at position 0;
- b. Find the bit at position 0. Use & 1 operator expression to extract the value of a bit. By using the following formulae (bitAtPosition 1 & 1) you check whether the bit at position 0 is equal to 1 or not. If the bit is equal to 1 the result is 1 if the bit is not equal - the result is 0;
- c. Save the result in bitAtPosition1;
- 4. **Print** the result on the console.

#### 3. P-th Bit

Write a program that prints the bit at position **p** of the given integer. We use the standard counting: from right to left, starting from 0.

### **Examples**

Input	Output	Comments
2145	1	0000100001 <mark>1</mark> 00001 → <b>1</b>
5		
512	0	000000100000000 <mark>0</mark> → 0
0		
111	0	0000000 <mark>0</mark> 011011111 → 0
8		
255	1	00000000 <mark>1</mark> 1111111 → <b>1</b>
7		_

#### Hints

- 1. Declare three variables (n, p and bitAtPositionP).
- 2. **Read** the user input from the console.
- 3. Find the value of the bit at position p:
  - a. Shift the number p times to the right (where p is the position) by using the >> operator. In that way the bit we want to check will be at position 0;
  - b. Find the bit at position 0. Use & 1 operator expression to extract the value of a bit. By using the following formula (bitAtPositionP & 1) you check whether the bit at position 0 is equal to 1 or not. If the bit is equal to 1 the result is 1 if the bit is not equal - the result is 0;
  - c. Save the result in bitAtPosition1;
- 4. **Print** the result on the console.

## 4. Bit Destroyer

Write a program that sets the bit at **position p** to **0**. Print the resulting integer.

## **Examples**

Input	Output	Comments
1313	1281	010100 <mark>1</mark> 00001 → 010100 <mark>0</mark> 00001
5		















231 2	227	000011100 <mark>1</mark> 11 → 000011100 <mark>0</mark> 11
111 6	47	00000 <mark>1</mark> 101111 → 00000 <mark>0</mark> 101111
111 4	111	0000011 <mark>0</mark> 1111 → 0000011 <mark>0</mark> 1111

#### Hints

- 1. Declare **four** variables (n, p, mask, and newNumber).
- 2. **Read** the user input from the console.
- 3. **Set** the **value** of the **bit at position p** to **0**:
  - a. Shift the number 1, p times to the left (where p is the position) by using the << operator. In that way, the bit we want to delete will be at position p. Save the resulting value in a mask;
  - b. Invert the mask (e.g., we move the number 1, 3 times, and we get 00001000, after inverting, we get 11110111).
  - c. Use & mask operator expression to set the value of a number to 0. By using the following formulae (n & mask), you copy all the bits of the number, and you set the bit at position p to 0;
  - d. Save the result in newNumber;
- 4. **Print** the result on the console.

### 5. \* Odd Times

You are given an array of positive integers in a single line, separated by a space (' '). All numbers occur an even number of times except one number, which occurs an odd number of times. Find it using only bitwise operations.

## **Examples**

Input	Output
1 2 3 2 3 1 3	3
5 7 2 7 5 2 5	5

#### Hints

- 1. Read an array of integers.
- 2. Initialize a variable **result** with a value of **0**.
- 3. Iterate through all numbers in the array.
- 4. Use **XOR** (^) of the **result** and **all numbers** in the **array**.
  - a. XOR of two elements is 0 if both elements are the same, and XOR of a number x with 0 is x
- 5. Print the result.

Think about why the above algorithms are correct.

### 6. \* Tri-bit Switch

Write a program that inverts the 3 bits from position p to the left with their XOR opposites (e.g., 111 -> 000, 101 -> **010**) in a 32-bit number. Print the resulting integer on the console.















## **Examples**

Input	Output	Comments
1234	1874	00000000000000000001 <mark>001</mark> 1010010 →
7		00000000000000000001 <mark>110</mark> 1010010
44444	44524	00000000000000001011011 <mark>001</mark> 1100 →
4		0000000000000001010111111101100

### Hints

- 1. Shift the number 7 (the number 7 has the bits 111, which we use to get 3 consecutive values), p times to the left (where p is the position) by using the << operator. In that way, the 3 bits we want to invert will be at position **p**. Save the resulting value in the **mask**.
- 2. Use the ^ mask operator expression to invert the values of the three bits starting from position p. By using the following formulae (n ^ mask), you copy all the bits of the number, and you invert the bits at position p, **p+1,** and **p+2**.
- 3. Save the result in **result**.















