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1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main() {
4     char hello[] = "Hello!";
5     char hello2[] = { 72, 101, 108, 108, 111, 33, 0 };
6             H   e   l   l   o   !   \0
7     puts(hello);
8     puts(hello2);
9 }

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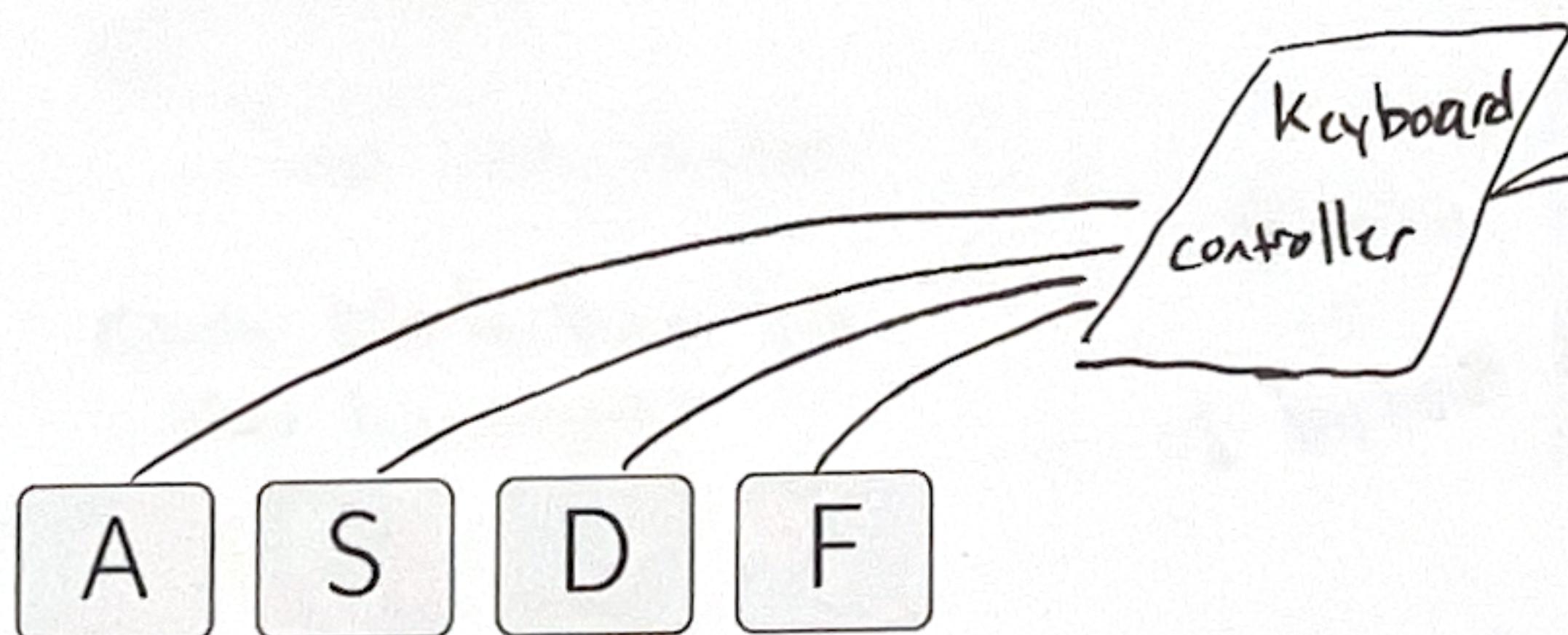
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$ gcc hello.c -o hello
$ ./hello
Hello!
Hello!

```

ASCII - most common  
byte  $\leftrightarrow$  char mapping

What happens when you press a key?



creating an array of characters

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char s[] = "...";
char sz[] = { ... };

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H e l l o ! \0

72 101 108 108 111 33 0

these arrays store identical bits

hello2  
hello

72	101	108	108	111	33	0
H	e	l	l	l	o	!



each bit is this flip-flop hardware

Memory Model Diagram

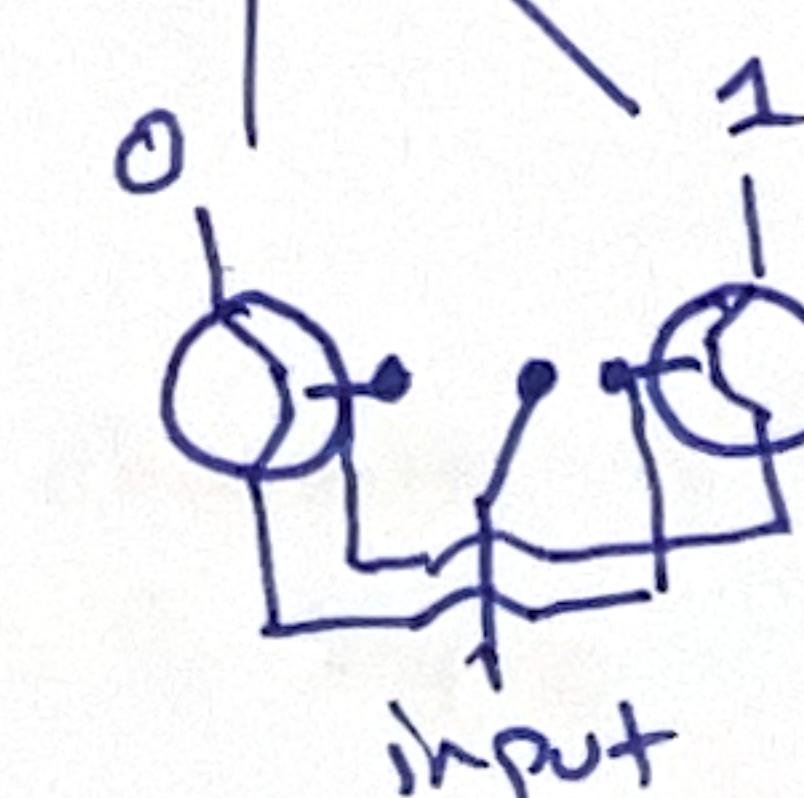
(Computers store things w/metal and electricity, not memory models!)

Inside my computer's memory  
last 10 pressed keys

how many keys  
are there?  
 $\sim 100$

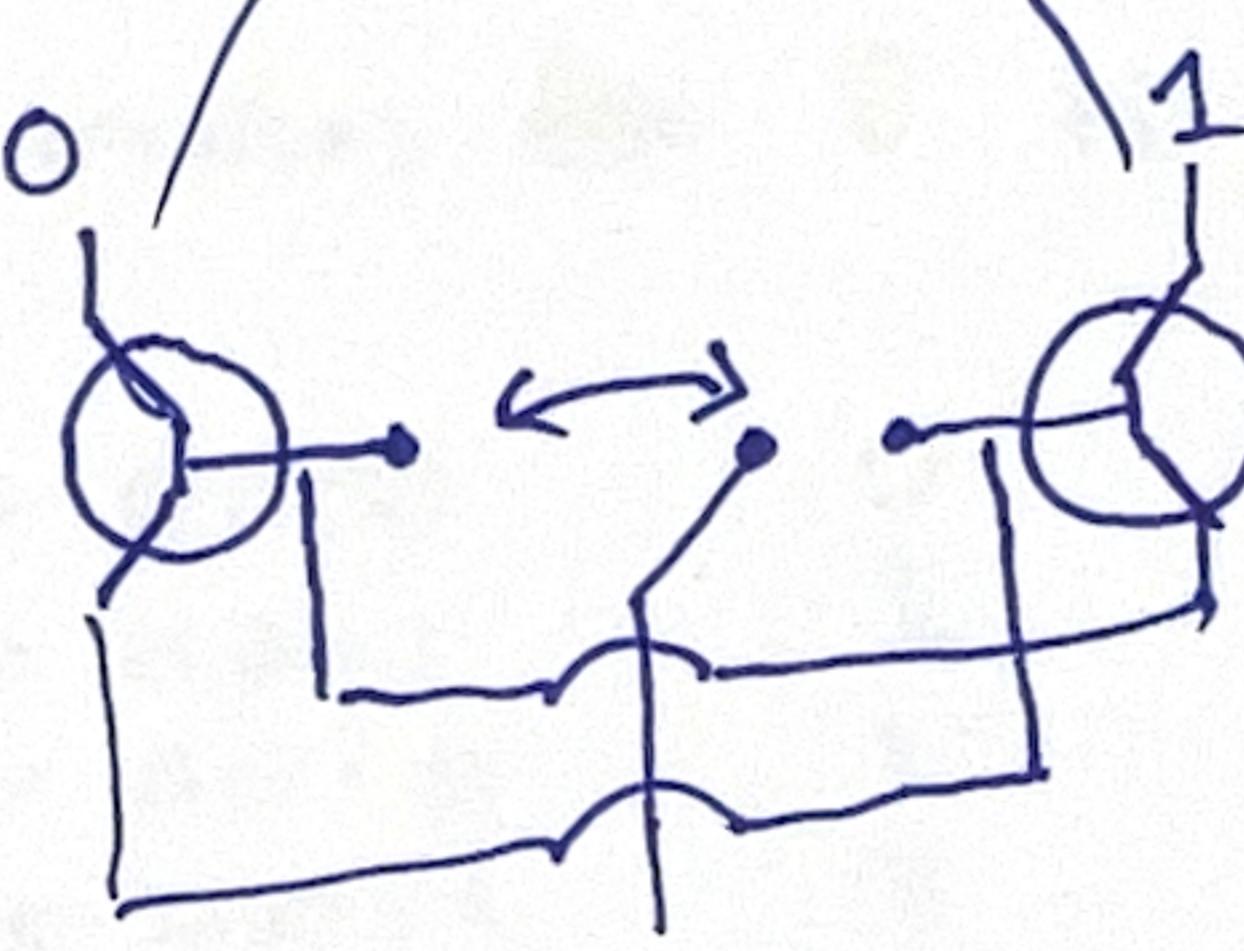
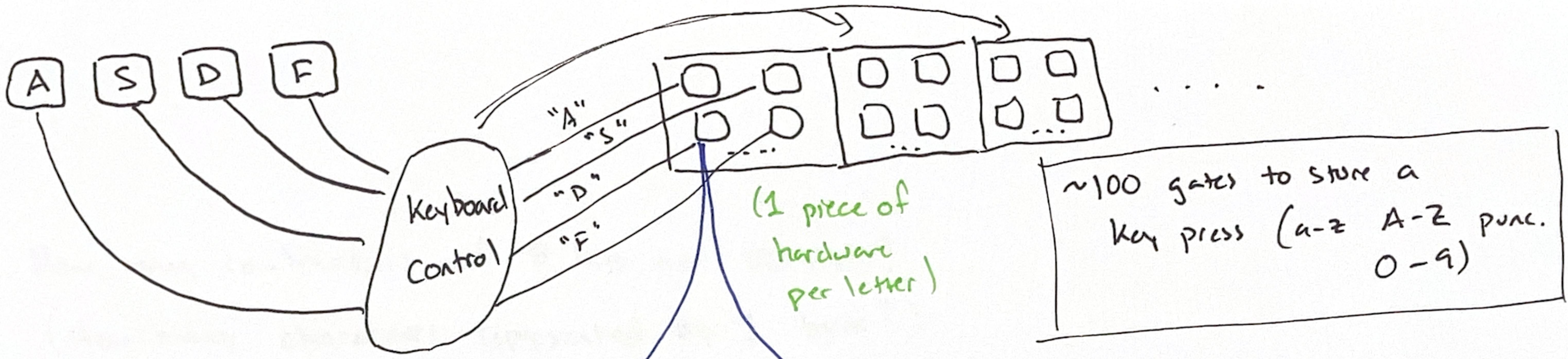


each box stores if particular key was pressed



"Flip Flop Gate"

SRAM  
- cheap (silicon)  
- small  
- fast ( $100\text{~ns}$ )  
- accurate



input  
 "flip flop" gate.  
 send a signal 0 or 1  
 on input and flip flop  
 "sticks" to that side  
 (requires power)

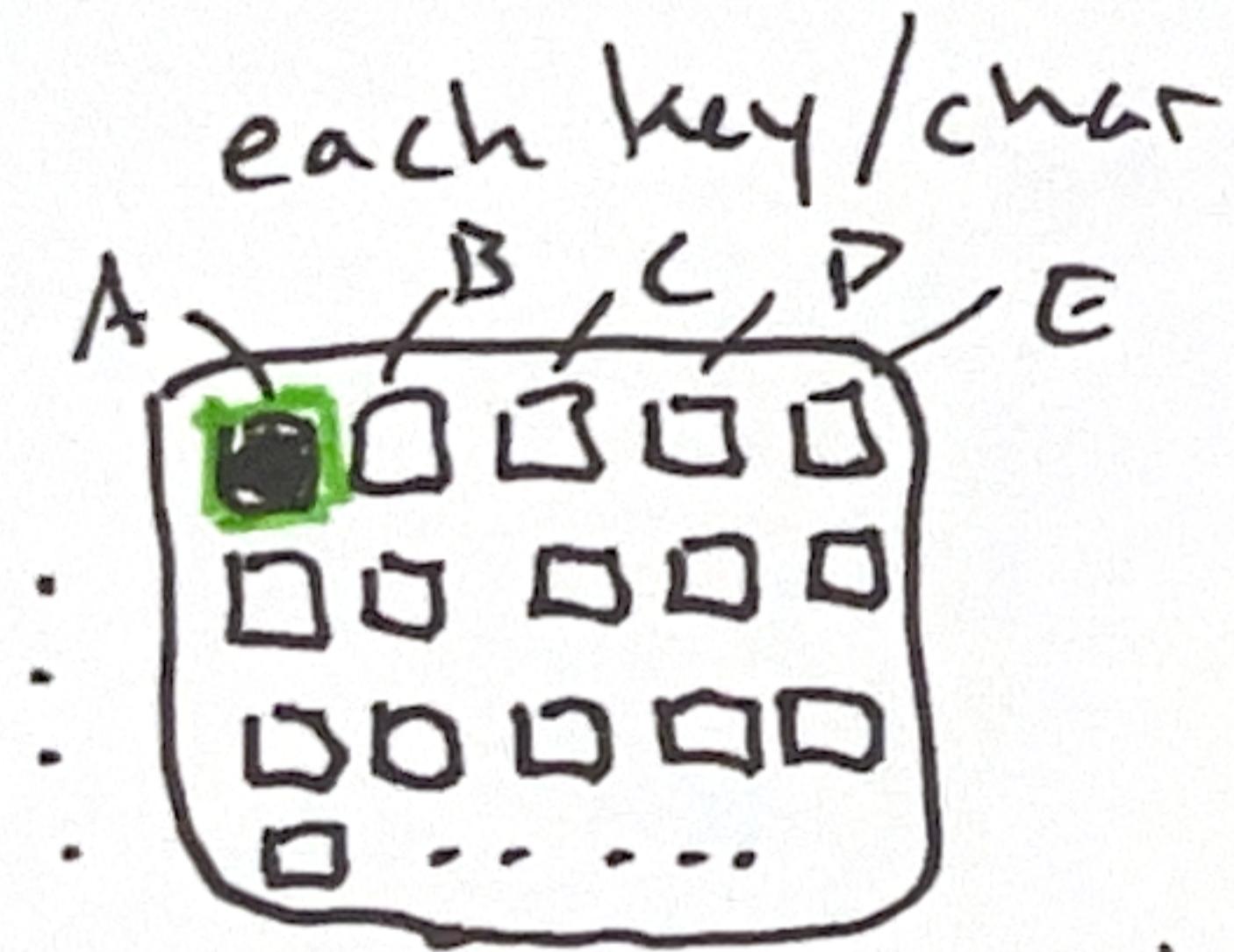
### SRAM

- cheap (silicon)
- small
- fast (100M times/sec)
- accurate

(How) Can we do better than 100 gates per character / per key? By "better" I mean fewer flip-flops

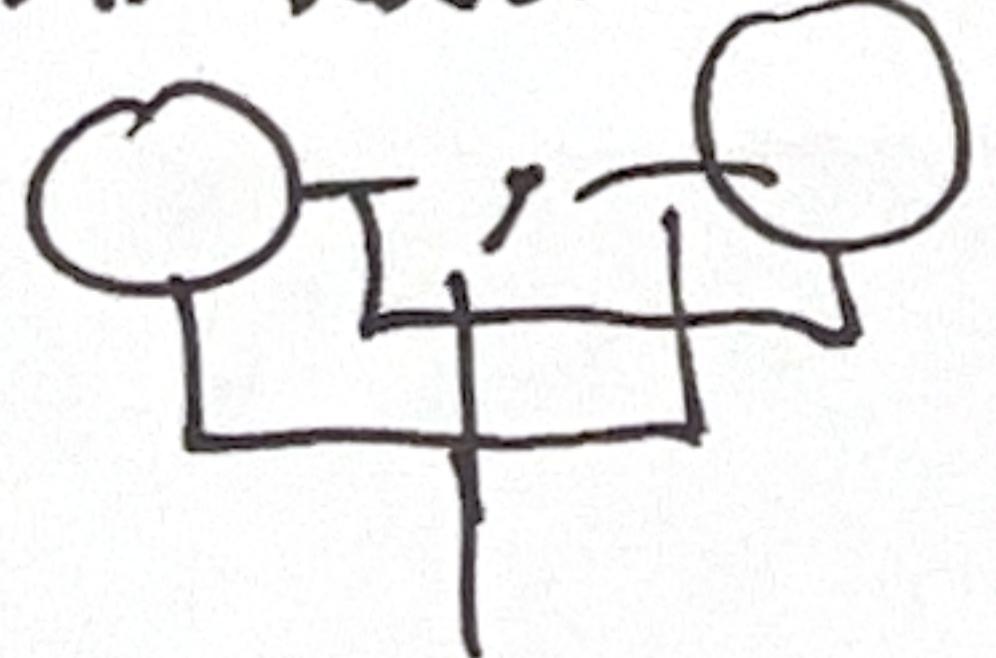
flip flops per character

current picture:



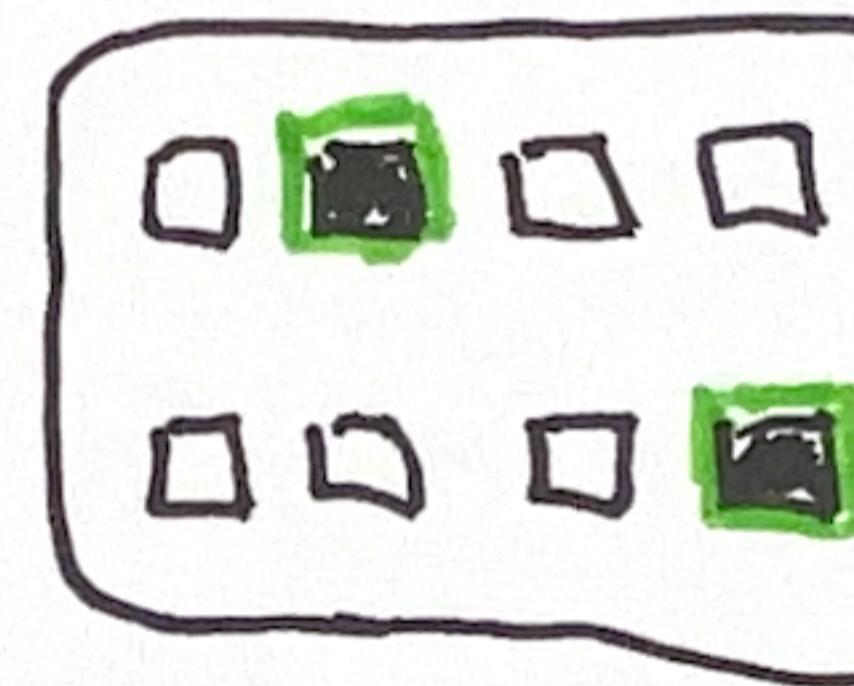
each little box is

this hardware:

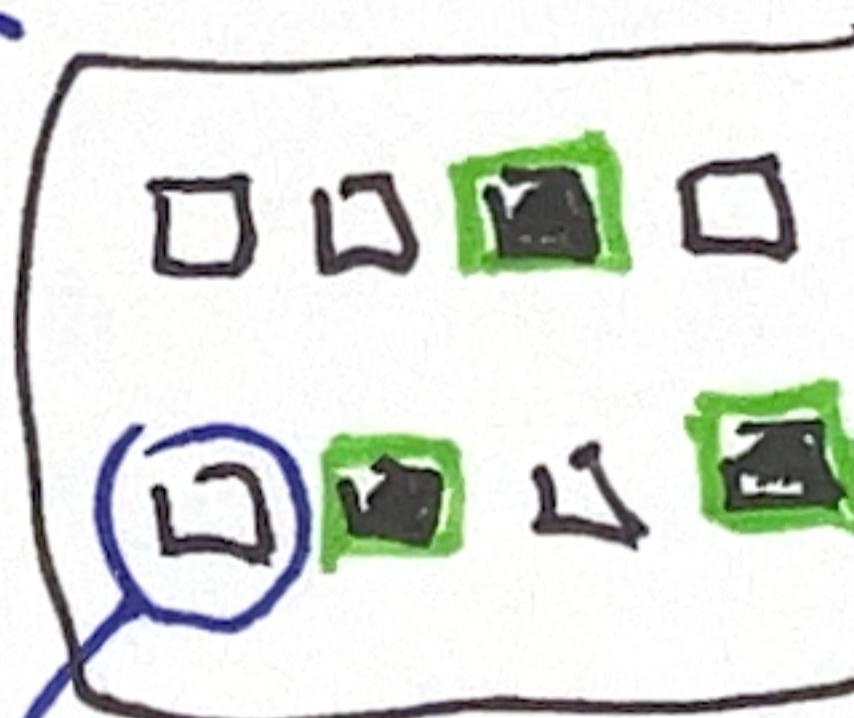


Proposal

each key/char



(this combo means 'A')



(this combo means '%')

8 bits  
= 1 byte\*

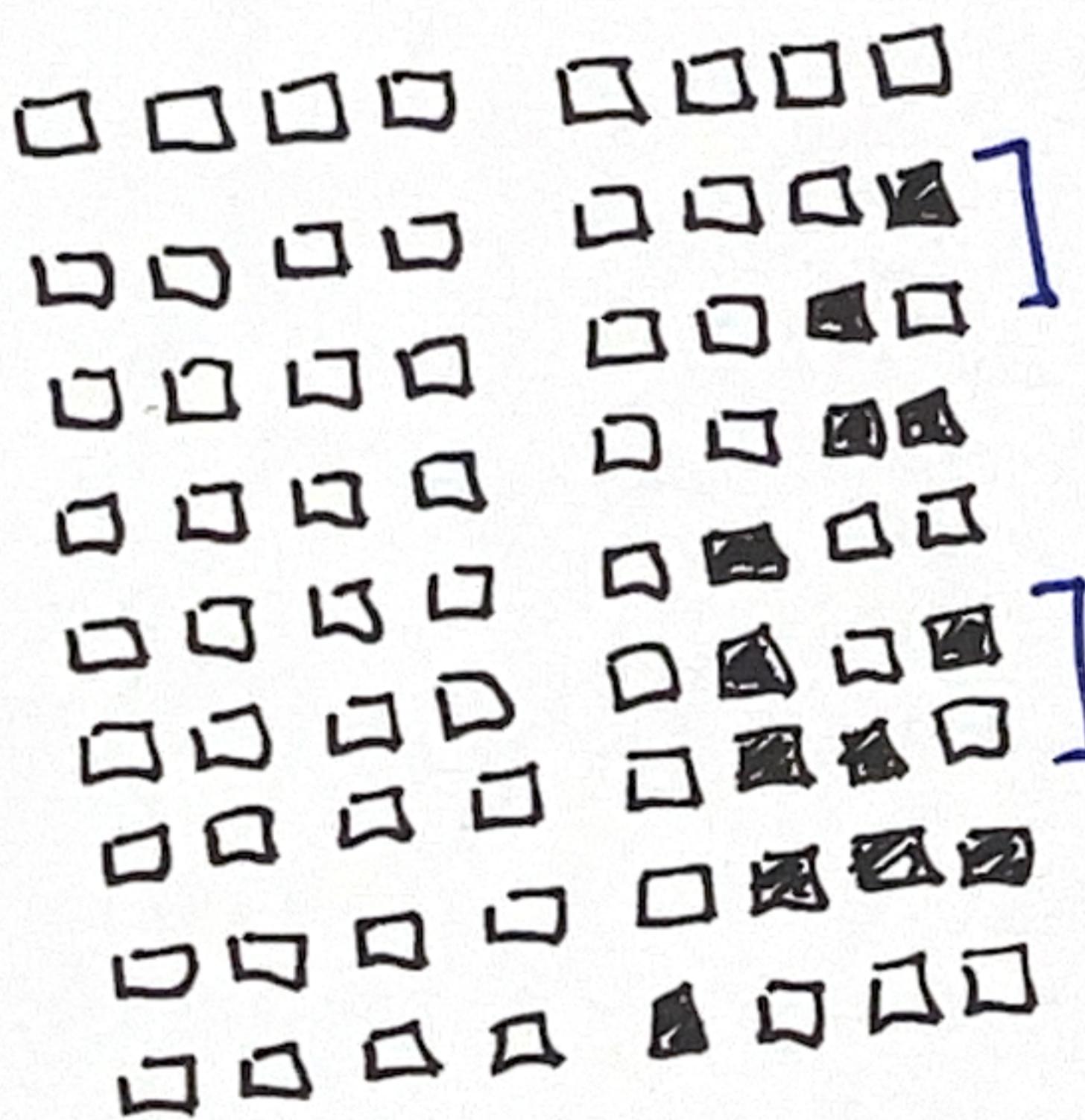
bits

one character is represented  
by 1 byte

How many combinations of 8 bits are possible?

(How many characters represented by 1 byte?)

Combinatorics mindset: 2 choices ~~per~~ 8 times =  $2^8 = 256$



0000 0000	0
0000 0001	1
0000 0010	2
0000 0011	3
0000 0100	4
0000 0101	5
0000 0110	6
0000 0111	7
0000 1000	8
.	.
.	.
1111 1111	255

there are 256 rows!

1111 1111 255

What would the  
01... for 255 be?

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1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main() {
4     char hello[] = "Hello!";
5     char hellonum[] = { 72,          101,         108,         108,         111,         33,          0 };
6     char hellobin[] = { 0b1001000, 0b1100101, 0b1101100, 0b1101100, 0b1101111, 0b100001, 0b0 };
7
8     puts(hello);
9     puts(hellonum);
10    puts(hellobin);
11
12    printf("%c %c %c\n", hello[0], hello[1], hello[2]);
13
14    printf("%d %d %d\n", hello[0], hellonum[0], hellobin[0]);
15    printf("%c %c %c\n", hello[0], hellonum[0], hellobin[0]);
16 }

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Ob \_\_\_\_\_ means writing a number (a single byte here)  
"Binary Literal" directly as bits

%c : print a value as char  
%d : print a value as decimal #

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$ gcc hellobin.c -o hellobin
$ ./hellobin
Hello!
Hello!
Hello!
H e l
72 72 72
H H H

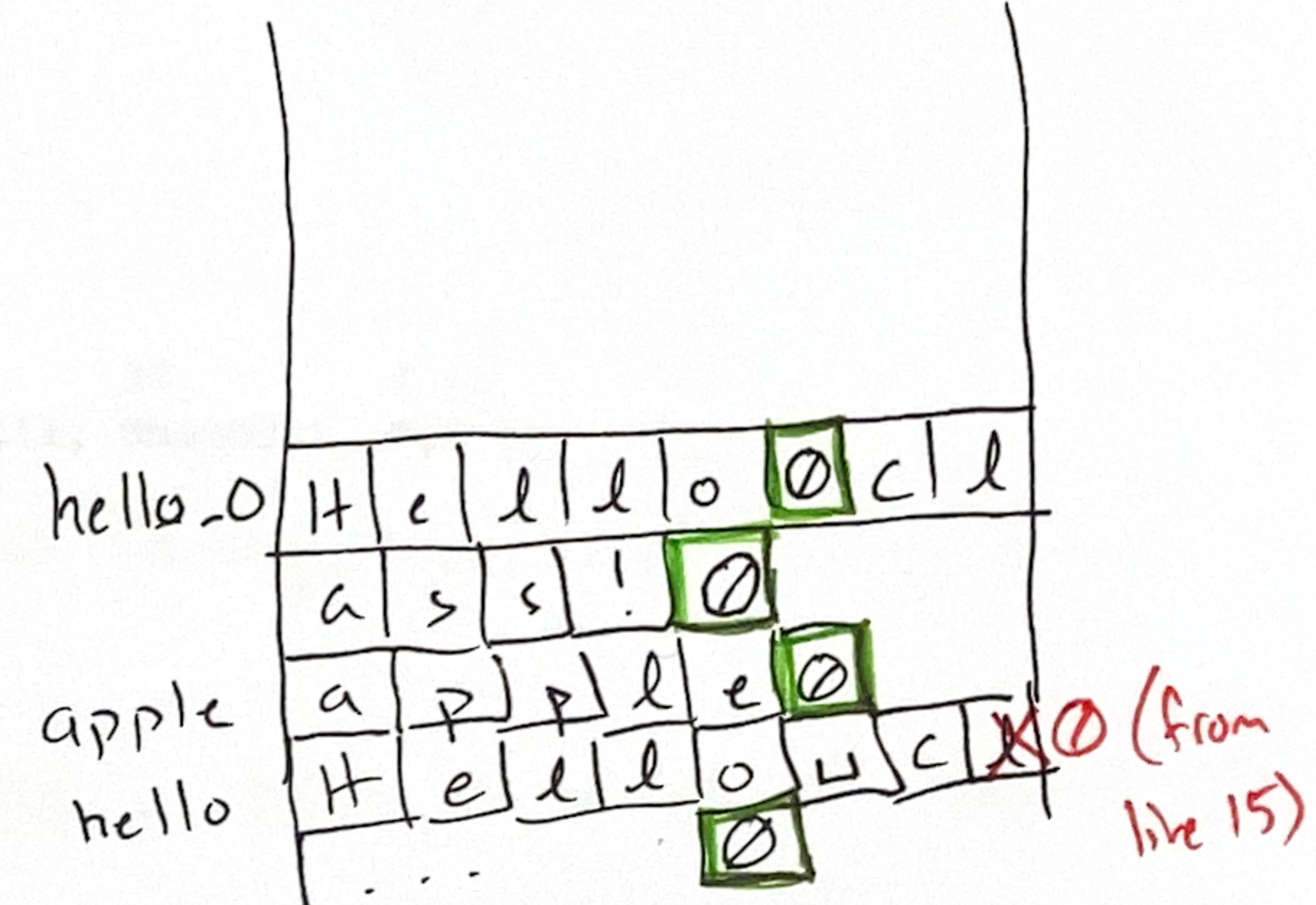
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puts  
 Line 12

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2 #include <stdlib.h>
3 #include <string.h>
4
5 int main() {
6     char hello[] = "Hello class!";
7     char apple[] = "apple";
8     char hello_0[] = "Hello\0class!";
9
10    printf("%ld\n", strlen(hello));
11    printf("%ld\n", strlen(apple));
12
13    printf("%s, length: %ld\n", hello_0, strlen(hello_0));
14
15    hello[7] = 0;
16
17    printf("%s, length: %ld\n", hello, strlen(hello));
18
19    return 0;
20 }
```

these are null terminated because they are string literals  
(true for all string literals)

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$ gcc strlen.c -o strlen
$ ./strlen
12
5
Hello, length 5
Hello c, length: 7
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$ gcc adjacent.c -o adjacent  
$ ./adjacent
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helloeveryone	H   e   l   l   o   ,   w   e
	v   e   r   y   o   n   e   !
hi	H   i   l   l   a   l   l   !   o