

CS 64 Week 1 Lecture 1

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Overview

- Administrative stuff
- Class motivation
- Syllabus
- Working with different bases
- Bitwise operations
- Twos complement

Administrative Stuff

About Me

- 5th year Ph.D. candidate, doing programming languages research (automated testing)
- **Not** a professor; just call me Kyle
- Fifth time teaching; second time teaching CS64

About this Class

- See something wrong? Want something improved? Email me about it!
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- I generally operate based on feedback

Bad Feedback

- This guy sucks.
- This class is boring.
- This material is useless.

Good Feedback

- This guy sucks, *I can't read his writing.*
- This class is boring, *it's way too slow.*
- This material is useless, *I don't see how it relates to anything in reality.*
- I can't fix anything if I don't know what's wrong

Questions

- Which best describes you?
 - CS major
 - ECE major
 - Other

Office Hours Placement

Class Motivation

```
int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    ...  
}
```

```
int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    . . .  
}
```



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int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    ...  
}
```



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int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    ...  
}
```



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int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    ...  
}
```

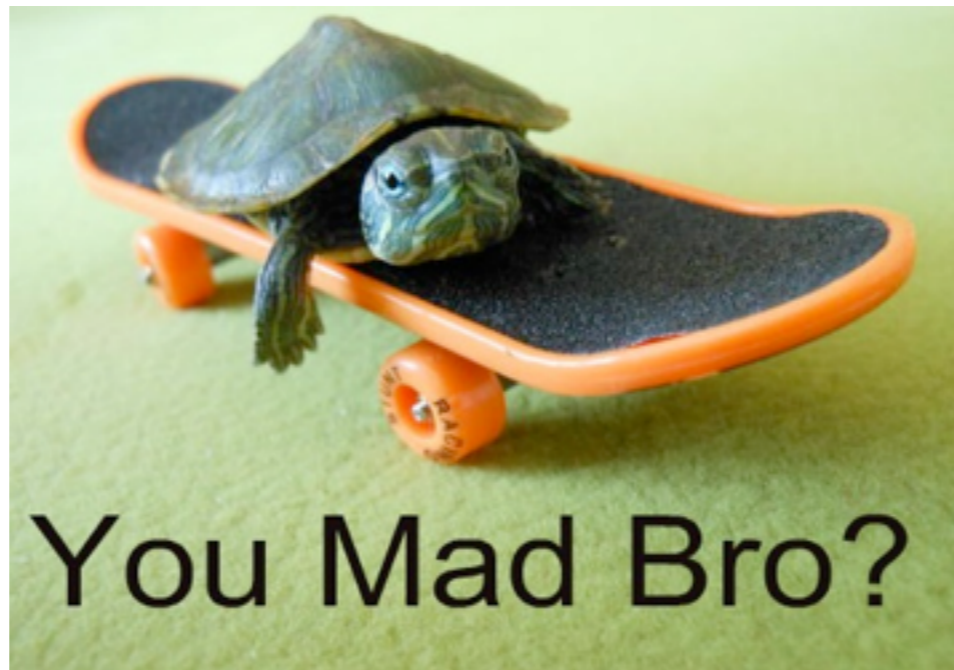


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More Efficient Algorithms

```
int main(int argc, char** argv) {  
    ...  
}
```

More Efficient Algorithms



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**Why are things still
slow?**

**The magic box isn't so
magic**

Array Access

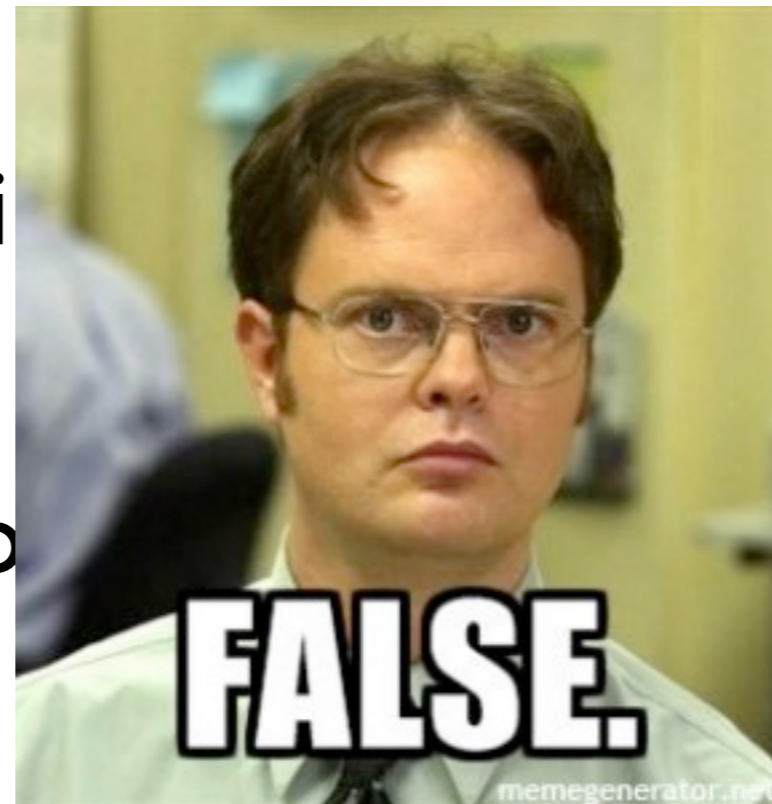
```
arr[x]
```

- Constant time! ($O(1)$)
- Where the **random** in random access memory comes from!

Array Access

`arr[x]`

- Constant time
- Where the memory cost



random access

Array Access

- Memory is loaded as chunks into *caches*
 - Cache access is much faster (e.g., 10x)
 - Iterating through an array is fast
 - Jumping around any which way is slow
- Can change time complexity if accounted for
 - $O(N^3)$ versus $\sim O(N^4)$

Instruction Ordering

```
int x = a + b;  
int y = c * d;  
int z = e - f;
```

```
int z = e - f;  
int y = c * d;  
int x = a + b;
```

Instruction Ordering

```
int x = a + b;  
int y = c * d;  
int z = e - f;
```

3 Milliseconds?

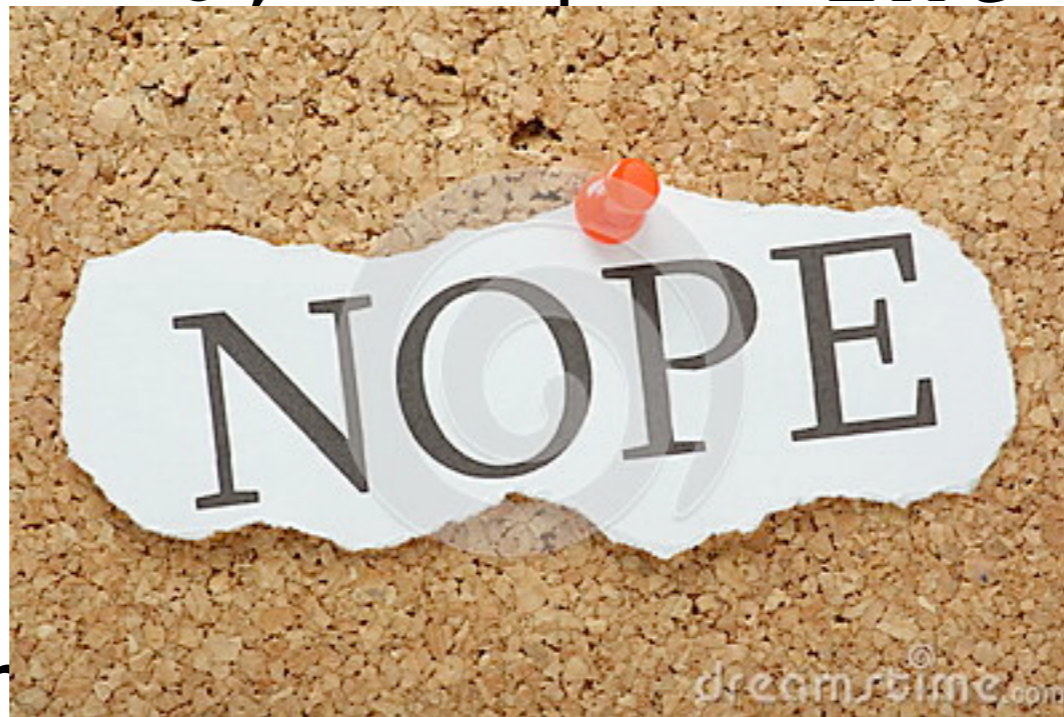
```
int z = e - f;  
int y = c * d;  
int x = a + b;
```

3 Milliseconds?

Instruction Ordering

```
int x = a + b;  
int y = c * d;  
int z = e
```

```
int z = e - f;  
int y = c * d;  
x = a + b;
```



3 Milliseconds

Milliseconds?

Instruction Ordering

- Modern processors are *pipelined*, and can execute sub-portions of instructions in parallel
 - Depends on when instructions are encountered
- Some can execute whole instructions in different orders
- If your processor is from Intel, it is insane.

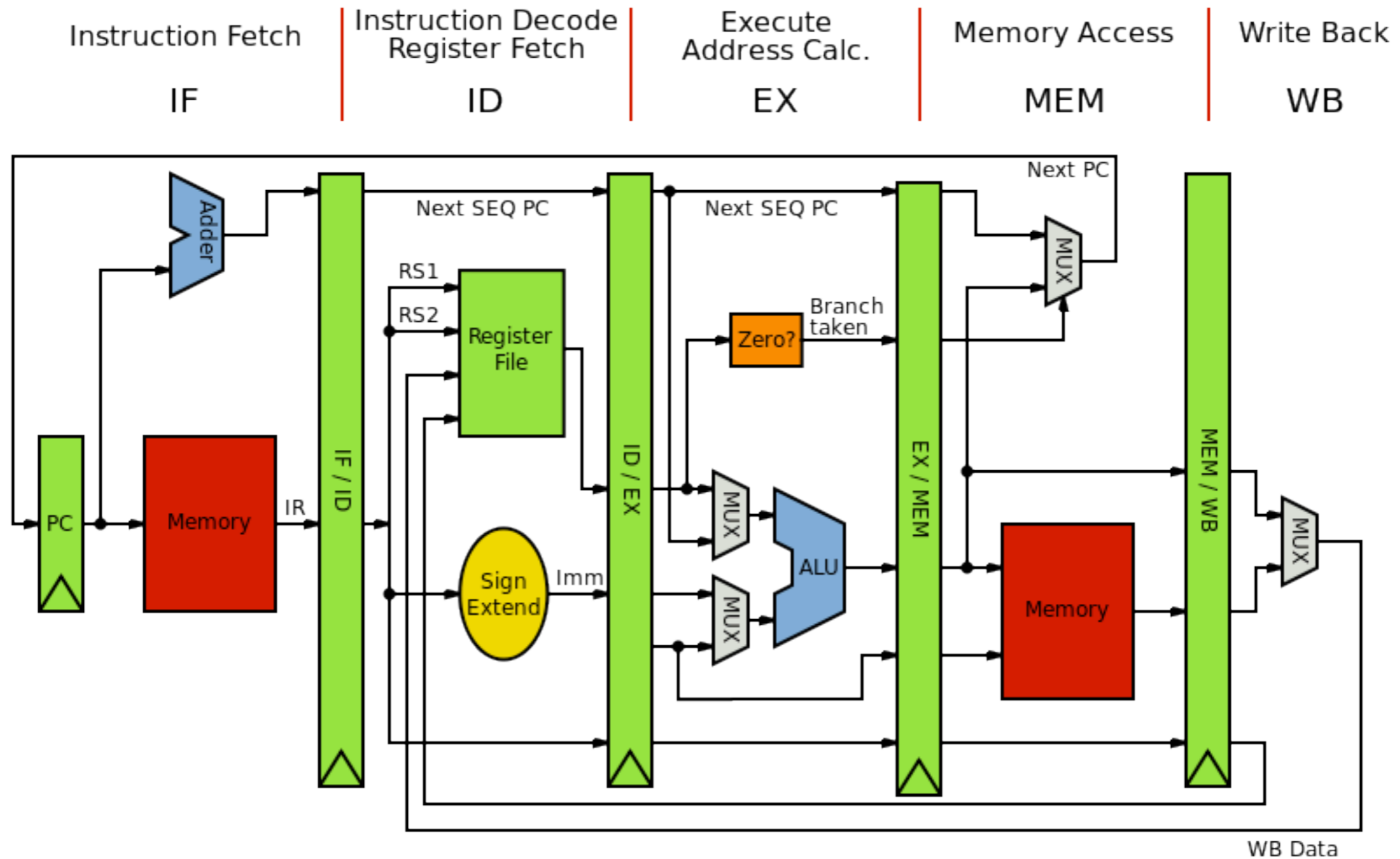
The Point

- If you really want performance, you need to know how the magic works
 - “But it scales!” - empirically, probably not
 - Chrome is fast for a reason
- If you want to write a naive compiler (CS160), you need to know some low-level details
- If you want to write a *fast* compiler, you need to know *tons* of low-level details

So Why Digital Design?



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So Why Digital Design?

- Basically, circuits are the programming language of hardware
 - Yes, everything goes back to physics

Syllabus

Working with Different Bases

What's In a Number?

- Question: why exactly does 123 have the value 123? As in, what does it *mean*?

What's In a Number?

123

What's In a Number?

1

2

3

What's In a Number?

1

Hundreds

2

Tens

3

Ones

What's In a Number?

1

Hundreds

100

2

Tens

10

10

3

Ones

1

1

1

Question

- Why did we go to tens? Hundreds?

1

Hundreds

100

2

Tens

10

10

3

Ones

1

1

1

Answer

- Because we are in decimal (base 10)

1

Hundreds

100

2

Tens

10

10

3

Ones

1

1

1

Another View

123

Another View

1

2

3

Another View

1

$$1 \times 10^2$$

2

$$2 \times 10^1$$

3

$$3 \times 10^0$$

Conversion from Some Base to Decimal

- Involves repeated division by the value of the base
 - From right to left: list the remainders
 - Continue until 0 is reached
 - Final value is result of reading remainders from bottom to top
- For example: what is 231 decimal to decimal?

Conversion from Some Base to Decimal

231

Conversion from Some Base to Decimal

	Remainder
$10 \overline{) 231}$	
$\quad 23$	1

Conversion from Some Base to Decimal

	Remainder
$10 \overline{)231}$	
$10 \overline{)23}$	1
2	3

Conversion from Some Base to Decimal

	Remainder
$10 \overline{)231}$	
$10 \overline{)23}$	1
$10 \overline{)2}$	3
0	2

Now for Binary

- Binary is base 2
- Useful because circuits are either on or off, representable as two states, 0 and 1

Now for Binary

1010

Now for Binary

1

0

1

0

Now for Binary

1

0

1

0

Eights

Fours

Twos

Ones

Now for Binary

1

0

1

0

Eights

Fours

Twos

Ones

$$1 \times 2^3$$

$$0 \times 2^2$$

$$1 \times 2^1$$

$$0 \times 2^0$$

8

0

2

0

Question

- What is binary 0101 as a decimal number?

Answer

- What is binary 0101 as a decimal number?
 - 5

0

1

0

1

Eights

Fours

Twos

Ones

0×2^3

1×2^2

0×2^1

1×2^0

0

4

0

1

From Decimal to Binary

- What is decimal 57 to binary?

From Decimal to Binary

57

From Decimal to Binary

$2 \overline{) 57}$	Remainder
28	1

From Decimal to Binary

	Remainder
$2 \overline{) 57}$	
$2 \overline{) 28}$	1
14	0

From Decimal to Binary

	Remainder
$2 \overline{) 57}$	
$2 \overline{) 28}$	1
$2 \overline{) 14}$	0
7	0

From Decimal to Binary

	Remainder
$2 \overline{) 57}$	
$2 \overline{) 28}$	1
$2 \overline{) 14}$	0
$2 \overline{) 7}$	0
3	1

From Decimal to Binary

	Remainder
$2 \overline{) 57}$	
$2 \overline{) 28}$	1
$2 \overline{) 14}$	0
$2 \overline{) 7}$	0
$2 \overline{) 3}$	1
1	1

From Decimal to Binary

	Remainder
$2 \overline{) 57}$	
$2 \overline{) 28}$	1
$2 \overline{) 14}$	0
$2 \overline{) 7}$	0
$2 \overline{) 3}$	1
$2 \overline{) 1}$	1
0	1

Octal

- Octal is base 8
- Same idea

Octal Example

- What is 172 octal in decimal?

Octal Example

172

Octal Example

1

7

2

Octal Example

1

Sixty-fours

$$1 \times 8^2$$

7

Eights

$$7 \times 8^1$$

2

Ones

$$2 \times 8^0$$

Octal Example

1

Sixty-fours

$$1 \times 8^2$$

64

7

Eights

$$7 \times 8^1$$

8 8 8 8 8 8 8

(56)

2

Ones

$$2 \times 8^0$$

1 1

Octal Example

Answer: 122

1

Sixty-fours

$$1 \times 8^2$$

64

7

Eights

$$7 \times 8^1$$

8 8 8 8 8 8 8

(56)

2

Ones

$$2 \times 8^0$$

1 1

From Decimal to Octal

- What is 182 decimal to octal?

From Decimal to Octal

182

From Decimal to Octal

		Remainder
8	$\overline{182}$	
	22	6

From Decimal to Octal

	Remainder
$8 \overline{)182}$	
$8 \overline{)22}$	6
2	6

From Decimal to Octal

	Remainder
$8 \overline{) 182}$	
$8 \overline{) 22}$	6
$8 \overline{) 2}$	6
0	2

Hexadecimal

- Base 16
- Binary is horribly inconvenient to write out
- Easier to convert between hexadecimal (which is more convenient) and binary
 - Each hexadecimal digit maps to four binary digits
 - Can just memorize a table

Hexadecimal

- Digits 0-9, along with A (10), B (11), C (12), D (13), E (14), F (15)

Hexadecimal Example

- What is 1AF hexadecimal in decimal?

Hexadecimal Example

I

A

F

Hexadecimal Example

I

Two-fifty-sixes

A

Sixteens

F

Ones

Hexadecimal Example

I

Two-fifty-sixes

$$1 \times 16^2$$

A

Sixteens

$$10 \times 16^1$$

F

Ones

$$15 \times 16^0$$

Hexadecimal Example

I

Two-fifty-sixes

$$1 \times 16^2$$

256

A

Sixteens

$$10 \times 16^1$$

16 16 16 16 16

16 16 16 16 16

(160)

F

Ones

$$15 \times 16^0$$

| | | | |

| | | | |

| | | | |

(15)

Hexadecimal to Binary

- Previous techniques all work, using decimal as an intermediate
- The faster way: memorize a table (which can be easily reconstructed)

Hexadecimal to Binary

Hexadecimal	Binary
0	0000
1	0001
2	0010
3	0011
4	0100
5	0101
6	0110
7	0111

Hexadecimal	Binary
8	1000
9	1001
A (10)	1010
B (11)	1011
C (12)	1100
D (13)	1101
E (14)	1110
F (15)	1111

Bitwise Operations

Bitwise AND

- Similar to logical AND ($\& \&$), except it works on a bit-by-bit manner
- Denoted by a single ampersand: $\&$

$$\begin{array}{r} (1001 \ \& \\ 0101) = \\ 0001 \end{array}$$

Bitwise OR

- Similar to logical OR (`||`), except it works on a bit-by-bit manner
- Denoted by a single pipe character: `|`

$$\begin{array}{l} (1001 \ | \\ 0101) = \\ 1101 \end{array}$$

Bitwise XOR

- Exclusive OR, denoted by a carat: \wedge
- Similar to bitwise OR, except that if both inputs are 1 then the result is 0

$$\begin{array}{r} (1001 \wedge \\ 0101) = \\ 1100 \end{array}$$

Bitwise NOT

- Similar to logical NOT (!), except it works on a bit-by-bit manner
- Denoted by a tilde character: ~

$$\begin{array}{r} \sim 1001 = \\ 0110 \end{array}$$

Shift Left

- Move all the bits N positions to the left, subbing in N 0s on the right

Shift Left

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1001

Shift Left

- Move all the bits N positions to the left, subbing in N 0s on the right

$$\begin{array}{r} 1001 \ll 2 = \\ 100100 \end{array}$$

Shift Left

- Useful as a restricted form of multiplication
- Question: how?

$$\begin{array}{r} 1001 \ll 2 = \\ 100100 \end{array}$$

Shift Left as Multiplication

- Equivalent decimal operation:

234

Shift Left as Multiplication

- Equivalent decimal operation:

$$\begin{array}{r} 234 \ll 1 = \\ 2340 \end{array}$$

Shift Left as Multiplication

- Equivalent decimal operation:

$$\begin{array}{l} 234 \ll 1 = \\ 2340 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 234 \ll 2 = \\ 23400 \end{array}$$

Multiplication

- Shifting left N positions multiplies by $(base)^N$
- Multiplying by 2 or 4 is often necessary (shift left 1 or 2 positions, respectively)
- Often a whooole lot faster than telling the processor to multiply
- Compilers try hard to do this

$$\begin{array}{r} 234 \ll 2 = \\ 23400 \end{array}$$

Shift Right

- Move all the bits N positions to the right, subbing in **either** N 0s or N 1s on the left
- Two different forms

Shift Right

- Move all the bits N positions to the right, subbing in **either** N 0s or N (whatever the leftmost bit is)s on the left
- Two different forms

`1001 >> 2 =
either 0010 or 1110`

Shift Right Trick

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$$\begin{array}{r} 234 \\ 23 \end{array} \gg 1 =$$

Two Forms of Shift

Right

- Subbing in 0s makes sense
- What about subbing in the leftmost bit?
 - And why is this called “arithmetic” shift right?

1100 (arithmetic) >> 1 =
1110

Answer...Sort of

- Arithmetic form is intended for numbers in *twos complement*, whereas the non-arithmetic form is intended for *unsigned* numbers

Twos Complement

Problem

- Binary representation so far makes it easy to represent positive numbers and zero
- Question: What about representing negative numbers?

Twos Complement

- Way to represent positive integers, negative integers, and zero
- If 1 is in the *most significant bit* (generally leftmost bit in this class), then it is negative

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Example: -5 decimal to binary (twos complement)

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$$5 \text{ (decimal)} = 0101 \text{ (binary)}$$

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Then, take the bits, and negate them

Decimal to Twos Complement

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0101

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Then, take the bits, and negate them

$$\begin{array}{r} \sim 0101 = \\ 1010 \end{array}$$

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Finally, add one:

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Finally, add one:

1010

Decimal to Twos Complement

- Finally, add one:

$$\begin{array}{r} 1010 \\ + 1 \\ \hline 1011 \end{array} =$$

Twos Complement to Decimal

- Same operation: negate the bits, and add one

Twos Complement to Decimal

- Same operation: negate the bits, and add one

1011

Twos Complement to Decimal

- Same operation: negate the bits, and add one

$$\sim 1011 = 0100$$

Twos Complement to Decimal

- Same operation: negate the bits, and add one

0100

Twos Complement to Decimal

- Same operation: negate the bits, and add one

$$\begin{array}{r} 0100 \\ + 1 \\ \hline 0101 \end{array} =$$

Where Is Twos Complement From?

- Intuition: try to subtract 1 from 0, in decimal
- Involves borrowing from an invisible number on the left
- Twos complement is based on the same idea