

## RADIX $r$ NUMBER SYSTEM

A number in radix  $r$  number system  
is represented in terms of **POSITIONAL WEIGHTING**

$$(N)_r = d_{n-1} r^{n-1} + d_{n-2} r^{n-2} + \dots + d_1 r^1 + d_0 r^0 \cdot d_{-1} r^{-1} + \dots + d_{-m} r^{-m}$$

**RADIX POINT**

**INTEGRAL PART**                      **FRACTIONAL PART**

$d_k$  = digit in position  $k$ ,  $-m \leq k \leq n-1$   
 $r^k$  = weight of position  $k$ ,  $-m \leq k \leq n-1$   
 $n$  = number of integral digits in  $N$   
 $m$  = number of fractional digits in  $N$

$(0, \dots, r-1) = \text{DIGITS IN RADIX } r \text{ NUMBER SYSTEM}$

e.g.,

•  $r = 10$  (DECIMAL number system)

digits are (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9)

$$(34.25)_{10} = 3 \times 10^1 + 4 \times 10^0 + 2 \times 10^{-1} + 5 \times 10^{-2}$$

•  $r = 2$  (BINARY number system)

digits are (0, 1)

$$(100010.01)_2 = 1 \times 2^5 + 0 \times 2^4 + 0 \times 2^3 + 0 \times 2^2 + 1 \times 2^1 + 0 \times 2^0 + 0 \times 2^{-1} + 1 \times 2^{-2}$$

•  $r = 8$  (OCTAL number system)

digits are (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7)

$$(42.2)_8 = 4 \times 8^1 + 2 \times 8^0 + 2 \times 8^{-1}$$

•  $r = 16$  (HEXADECIMAL number system)

digits are (0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F)

$$(22.4)_{16} = 2 \times 16^1 + 2 \times 16^0 + 4 \times 16^{-1}$$

$d'$  = COMPLEMENT OF A DIGIT  $d$  IN RADIX  $r$  NUMBER SYSTEM  
=  $(r-1) - d$

e.g.,  $0' = r-1-0 = r-1$

$$1' = r-1-1 = r-2$$

$$(r-2)' = r-1-(r-2) = r-1-r+2 = 1$$

# REPRESENTATION OF HEXADECIMAL, DECIMAL, OCTAL DIGITS

$2^3 2^2 2^1 2^0$	$r=16$	$r=10$	$r=8$
0000	0	0	0
0001	1	1	1
0010	2	2	2
0011	3	3	3
0100	4	4	4
0101	5	5	5
0110	6	6	6
0111	7	7	7
1000	8	8	
1001	9	9	
1010	A		
1011	B		
1100	C		
1101	D		
1110	E		
1111	F		

$n$	$2^n$	$n$	$2^n$
0	1	8	256
1	2	9	512
2	4	10	1,024
3	8	11	2,048
4	16	12	4,096
5	32	13	8,192
6	64	14	16,384
7	128	15	32,768

# I- BINARY $\longleftrightarrow$ DECIMAL

## A) BINARY TO DECIMAL

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{e.g., } (100010.01)_2 &= 1 \times 2^5 + 0 \times 2^4 + 0 \times 2^3 + 0 \times 2^2 + 1 \times 2^1 + 0 \times 2^0 + 0 \times 2^{-1} + 1 \times 2^{-2} \\
 &= 1 \times 32 + 0 + 0 + 0 + 1 \times 2 + 0 + 0 + 1 \times 1/4 \\
 &= 32 + 2 + 1/4 = 34 + 0.25 \\
 &= (34.25)_{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

## B) DECIMAL TO BINARY

$$\text{e.g., } (34.25)_{10} = (?)_2$$

i) CONVERT INTEGRAL PART BY DIVIDING IT SUCCESSIVELY BY 2;

34	2	R
17		0
8		1
4		0
2		0
1		0
0		1

AND BY READING THE REMAINDERS UP, THE RESULT IS  $(100010)_2$

ii) CONVERT FRACTIONAL PART BY MULTIPLYING IT SUCCESSIVELY BY 2

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POINT

$$0.25 \times 2$$

$$0.50 \times 2$$

$$1.00$$

AND BY READING THE INTEGRAL DIGITS DOWN, THE RESULT IS  $(0.01)_2$

iii) COMBINE THE RESULTS i) & ii)

$$(34.25)_{10} = (100010.01)_2$$

## II- BINARY $\longleftrightarrow$ OCTAL

### A) BINARY TO OCTAL

FORM GROUPS OF 3 BITS STARTING AT BINARY POINT  
EACH GROUP OF 3 BITS IS AN OCTAL DIGIT

$$\text{e.g., } (100010.01)_2 \longrightarrow 100 \quad 010 \cdot 010$$

$$= \begin{array}{ccc} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ (42.2)_8 \end{array}$$

### B) OCTAL TO BINARY.

CONVERT EACH OCTAL DIGIT TO ITS EQUIVALENT IN BINARY

$$\text{e.g., } (27.5)_8 \longrightarrow 010 \quad 111 \cdot 101$$

$$= (10111.101)_2$$

## III- BINARY $\longleftrightarrow$ HEXADECIMAL

### A) BINARY TO HEXADECIMAL

FORM GROUPS OF 4 BITS STARTING AT BINARY POINT  
EACH GROUP OF 4 BITS IS AN HEXADECIMAL DIGIT

$$\text{e.g., } (100010.01)_2 \longrightarrow 0010 \quad 0010 \cdot 0100$$

$$= \begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 2 & 4 \\ (22.4)_{16} \end{array}$$

### B) HEXADECIMAL TO BINARY

CONVERT EACH HEXADECIMAL DIGIT TO ITS EQUIVALENT IN BINARY

$$\text{e.g., } (5D.A)_{16} \longrightarrow 0101 \quad 1101 \cdot 1010$$

$$= (1011101.101)_2$$

# REPRESENTATION OF NUMERIC INFO IN BINARY FORM

## ⇒ BINARY NUMBERS

### A) FIXED POINT REPRESENTATION

$\pm N$  has an IMPLICIT binary point in a FIXED POSITION

a) if  $\pm N$  is an integer, binary point is at the right of rightmost digit

$$d_{n-1}d_{n-2}d_{n-3} \dots d_2d_1d_0$$

b) if  $\pm N$  is a fraction, binary point is at the left of leftmost digit

$$d_{-1}d_{-2}d_{-3} \dots d_{-m+2}d_{-m+1}d_{-m}$$

c) if  $\pm N$  is mixed, binary point is between two predetermined digits

$$d_{n-1}d_{n-2}d_{n-3} \dots d_2d_1d_0.d_{-1}d_{-2}d_{-3} \dots d_{-m+2}d_{-m+1}d_{-m}$$

Let us consider the case where

$\pm N$  is an INTEGER represented in an n-bit word  $d_{n-1}d_{n-2}d_{n-3} \dots d_2d_1d_0$

$d_{n-1}$	$d_{n-2}$	$d_{n-3}$	...	$d_2$	$d_1$	$d_0$
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#### A1) UNSIGNED BINARY INTEGERS (UBI)

N is represented in terms of positional weighting :  $0 \leq N \leq 2^n - 1$

#### A2) SIGNED BINARY INTEGERS

$\pm N$  is represented in one of three forms given below where

$d_{n-1}$  represents SIGN (0 is positive and 1 is negative)

$d_{n-2}d_{n-3} \dots d_2d_1d_0$  represents  $|N|$

$? \leq |N| \leq ?$

##### A2.1) SIGN - MAGNITUDE FORM (SMF)

$$0 \leq |N| \leq 2^{n-1} - 1$$

##### A2.2) 1's COMPLEMENT FORM (1's CF)

Note : To find 1's COMPLEMENT of a sequence of bits replace each bit d in the sequence by  $d' = 1-d$

##### A2.3) 2's COMPLEMENT FORM (2's CF)

Note : To find 2's COMPLEMENT of a sequence of bits first find 1's complement of the sequence then add  $(1)_2$  (exceptions: 0 and  $-2^{n-1}$ )

COMPARISON of SMF, 1's CF, and 2's CF  
 ASSUME 4 - BIT WORD LENGTH (i.e., n=4)

4-bit word	UBI	SMF	1's CF	2's CF
0000	0	+0	+0	0
0001	1	+1	+1	+1
0010	2	+2	+2	+2
0011	3	+3	+3	+3
0100	4	+4	+4	+4
0101	5	+5	+5	+5
0110	6	+6	+6	+6
0111	7	+7	+7	+7
1000	8	-0	-7	-8
1001	9	-1	-6	-7
1010	10	-2	-5	-6
1011	11	-3	-4	-5
1100	12	-4	-3	-4
1101	13	-5	-2	-3
1110	14	-6	-1	-2
1111	15	-7	-0	-1

Observe the following from the above table:

A. The leftmost bit is the sign bit such that  
 if it is 0, the number is positive, and if it is 1, the number is negative.

B. In both SMF and 1's CF, there are  
 seven positive integers, seven negative integers, and  
 two 0's, (-0 and +0), making a total of 16 unique numbers.  
 In 2's CF, there are  
 seven positive integers, eight negative integers, and  
 one 0, making a total of 16 unique numbers.

C. Assume n-bit word length.

In both SMF and 1's CF, there are

$2^{n-1} - 1$  positive integers,

$2^{n-1} - 1$  negative integers, and

2 0's, for a total of  $2^n$  unique numbers.

In 2's CF, there are

$2^{n-1} - 1$  positive integers,

$2^{n-1}$  negative integers, and

1 0, for a total of  $2^n$  unique numbers.

# FIXED POINT ARITHMETIC IN 2's CF

## - ADDITION

**sum = augend + addend**

where augend and addend are in 2's CF

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- NO SPECIAL TREATMENT OF THE SIGN BIT
- DISCARD THE CARRY-OUT

e.g., ASSUME 4 - BIT WORD LENGTH

0101 (+5)  
0010 + (+2)  
 0111 (+7)

0101 (+5)  
1110 + (-2)  
 0011 (+3)

*Discard carry out*

1011 (-5)  
0010 + (+2)  
 1101 (-3)

1011 (-5)  
1110 + (-2)  
 1001 (-7)

*Discard carry out*

**BOTH OPERANDS AND THE RESULT ARE IN 2's CF**

## OVERFLOW

Occurs (only when the sign bits of both operands are the same)

If the sign bit of the result is not the same as the sign bits of the operands

Algorithm for  $S = X + Y$

Given X and Y which are both signed integers represented in n-bit words in 2's CF

S is formed by performing  $X + Y$  which requires ignoring carry-out (if any)

S is correct if overflow does not occur, i.e.,

$$-2^{n-1} \leq X + Y \leq 2^{n-1} - 1$$

0001  
 + 0110  
 0111

0001  
 + 0111  
 1000

↑↑  
 overflow

1111  
 + 1001  
 1000

1111  
 + 1000  
 10111

↑↑  
 overflow

## SUBTRACTION

**difference = minuend - subtrahend**

where minuend and subtrahend are in 2's CF

SUBTRACTION IS PERFORMED BY ADDITION

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**difference = minuend + (- subtrahend)**

where (- subtrahend) is 2's complement of subtrahend

e.g., ASSUME 4 - BIT WORD LENGTH

$$\begin{array}{rcll} 0101 & (+5) & & 0101 \\ \underline{0010} & - (+2) & \Rightarrow & \underline{+ (-2)} & 1110 \\ & & & (+3) & 0011 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcll} 0101 & (+5) & & 0101 \\ \underline{1110} & - (-2) & \Rightarrow & \underline{+ (+2)} & 0010 \\ & & & (+7) & 0111 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcll} 1011 & (-5) & & 1011 \\ \underline{0010} & - (+2) & \Rightarrow & \underline{+ (-2)} & 1110 \\ & & & (-7) & 1001 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcll} 1011 & (-5) & & 1011 \\ \underline{1110} & - (-2) & \Rightarrow & \underline{+ (+2)} & 0010 \\ & & & (-3) & 1101 \end{array}$$

**BOTH OPERANDS AND THE RESULT ARE IN 2's CF**

**Algorithm for  $D = X - Y$**  (subtraction in 2's CF)

Given X and Y which are both signed integers represented in n-bit words in 2's CF

D is formed by

- taking 2's complement of Y

- performing  $X + (2's \text{ complement of } Y)$  which requires ignoring carry-out (if any)

D is correct if overflow does not occur, i.e.,

$$-2^{n-1} \leq X + (2's \text{ CF of } Y) \leq 2^{n-1} - 1$$

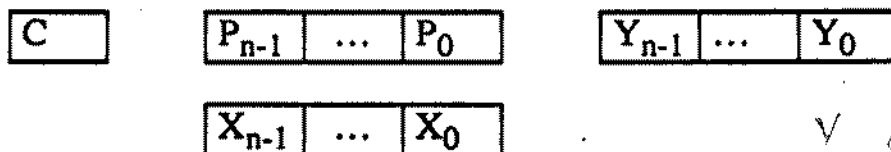
addition in 2's CF



## MULTIPLICATION

product = multiplicand \* multiplier

Recall the multiplication algorithm for unsigned integers:



*Y determines action.*

e.g.,  $Z = X * Y$ , where  $X = 7$  (i.e., 0111) and  $Y = 13$  (i.e., 1101)

C	P	Y	
0	0000	1101	initial
<i>n = 4</i>			
	$\begin{array}{r} + X \\ 0111 \end{array}$	1101	after P = P + X
0	0011	1110	after 1-bit shift right
0	0001	1111	after 1-bit shift right
	$\begin{array}{r} + X \\ 0100 \end{array}$	1111	after P = P + X
0	0100	0111	after 1-bit shift right
	$\begin{array}{r} + X \\ 0101 \end{array}$	0111	after P = P + X
0	0101	1011	after 1-bit shift right
$Z = X * Y = 7 * 13 = 91$			

Algorithm for  $X * Y$  where  $X$  and  $Y$  are unsigned integers

Given  $X$  and  $Y$  which are both represented in  $n$ -bit words

$C \leftarrow 0, P \leftarrow 0, i \leftarrow n$

do while  $i \neq 0$

    if  $Y_0 = 1$  then  $P \leftarrow P + X$  fi

    shift  $C, P$ , and  $Y$  together to right

$i \leftarrow i - 1$

od

The product is the combined contents of  $P$  and  $Y$  together

The above algorithm cannot be used if  $X$  and  $Y$  are signed integers in 2's CF.

If  $X$  and  $Y$  above were considered as in 2's CF,

$X = +7$  and  $Y = -3$  and the product must have been  $-21$  in 2's CF i.e.,

*11101011 but it isn't.*

**Booth's Algorithm for  $X * Y$  where  $X$  and  $Y$  are signed integers**  
i.e., multiplicand and multiplier are in 2's CF

$P_{n-1} \dots P_0$

$Y_{n-1} \dots Y_0$

$Y_{-1}$

$X_{n-1} \dots X_0$

$Y_0 Y_{-1}$  determine action

e.g.,  $Z = X * Y$ , where  $X = 7$  (i.e., 0111) and  $Y = -3$  (i.e., 1101)

P	Y	$Y_{-1}$	
0000	1101	0	initial
$+ (-X)$			
1001	1101	0	after $P = P - X$
1100	1110	1	after 1-bit arithmetic shift right
$+ X$			
0011	1110	1	after $P = P + X$
0001	1111	0	after 1-bit arithmetic shift right
$+ (-X)$			
1010	1111	0	after $P = P - X$
1101	0111	1	after 1-bit arithmetic shift right
1110	1011	1	after 1-bit arithmetic shift right

$\equiv -21$  in 2's CF

**Booth's Algorithm for  $X * Y$  where  $X$  and  $Y$  are signed integers in 2's CF**  
Given  $X$  and  $Y$  which are both represented in  $n$ -bit words

$P \leftarrow 0, Y_{-1} \leftarrow 0, i \leftarrow n$

do while  $i \neq 0$

if  $Y_0 = 1$  and  $Y_{-1} = 0$  then  $P \leftarrow P - X$  fi

if  $Y_0 = 0$  and  $Y_{-1} = 1$  then  $P \leftarrow P + X$  fi

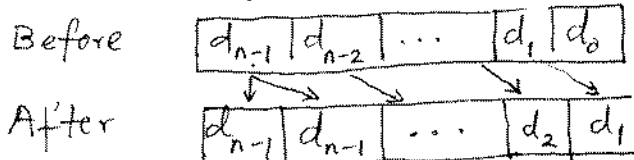
arithmetic shift  $P, Y$  and  $Y_{-1}$  together to right

$i \leftarrow i - 1$

od

The product is the combined contents of  $P$  and  $Y$  together

Arithmetic shift right

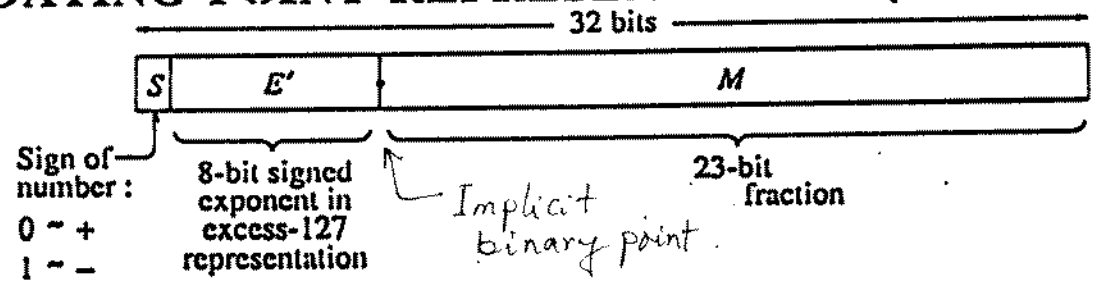


## DIVISION

**remainder and quotient  $\leftarrow$  dividend / divisor**

Recall the division algorithm for unsigned integers: SEEN IN CSI 1101

# B) FLOATING POINT REPRESENTATION (IEEE 754)



where S is Sign Bit (0 for + or 1 for -)  
 $0 \leq E' \leq 2^8 - 1$   
 $0 \leq M \leq 2^{23} - 1$

$E' = 0$  and  $E' = 255$  are used for four special values:

S	00000000	000000000000000000000000	==> S Zero
S	00000000	aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa	==> S $2^{-126}$
S	11111111	000000000000000000000000	==> S Infinity
S	11111111	aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa	==> NAN (not a number.)

where a is 0 or 1

With IEEE 754, a number is represented as SIGN SIGNIFICAND  $\times 2$  SIGNED EXPONENT

**SIGNIFICAND IS NORMALIZED!**  
 WHY?

to obtain a unique representation for each number

**HOW?**  
 by placing the binary bit to the right of the first non-zero bit  
 Therefore, significand is represented by 1.M

**SIGNED EXPONENT IS BIASED!**  
 WHY?

to simplify comparison of exponents

**HOW?**  
 by adding  $2^{8-1} - 1 (= 127)$  to the actual exponent

i.e.,

8 bits	E'	Actual Exponent
00000000	0	-127
00000001	1	-126
01111110	126	-1
01111111	127	0
10000000	128	+1
11111110	254	+127
11111111	255	+128

The number represented in IEEE 754 32-bit format is

$$S \ 1.M \times 2^{(E' - 127)}$$

(provided that  $0 < E' < 255$  i.e.,  $-126 \leq E' - 127 \leq +127$ )

e.g.,  $\overset{S}{\textcircled{1}} \overset{E'}{\boxed{10000001}} \overset{M}{\boxed{111000000000000000000000}}$

$$S = -$$

$$E' = 129 \Rightarrow E' - 127 = 2$$

$$M = 111$$

$$\Rightarrow -(1.111)_2 \times 2^2 = -(111.1)_2 \times 2^0 = -(7.5)_{10}$$

e.g.,  $+(0.75)_{10}$

$$\Rightarrow +(0.11)_2 \times 2^0 = +(1.1)_2 \times 2^{-1}$$

$$S = +$$

$$E' - 127 = -1 \Rightarrow E' = 126$$

$$M = 1$$

$$0 \ 01111110 \ 100000000000000000000000$$

e.g.,  $+(75)_{10}$

$$\Rightarrow +(1001011)_2 \times 2^0 = +(1.001011)_2 \times 2^6$$

$$S = +$$

$$E' - 127 = 6 \Rightarrow E' = 133$$

$$M = 001011$$

$$0 \ 10000101 \ 001011000000000000000000$$