



## Representing Numerical Data Integers

Reading: Chapter 5.1-5.2  
(except binary coded decimal  
and 10's complement)



## Representing Numbers

- If we attempt to add numbers stored as characters, simple binary addition does not provide the correct result

Character representation of 3	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
+	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
	1	1	0	0	0	1	1

Binary addition results  
in  $63_{16}$  which is c

3 is represented as  $33_{16}$  and  
0 is represented as  $30_{16}$



## Number Representation

- We need to use a non-character representation to enable mathematical operations (e.g., addition)
- Numbers can be integers (e.g., 3) or real (floating point) numbers (e.g., 2.75)
- Numbers can be represented as a combination of
  - Value or magnitude
  - Sign (plus or minus)

We cover floating point numbers in the next session

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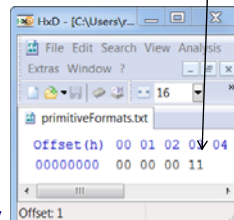
## Example

```
package lectures;
import java.io.*;
import java.lang.Object.*;
public class GeneralBinaryCreator {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws IOException {
        FileOutputStream out = null;
        File f = new File("primitiveFormats.txt");
        boolean result = f.createNewFile();
        out = new FileOutputStream("primitiveFormats.txt");
        ByteArrayOutputStream byte_out = new ByteArrayOutputStream();
        DataOutputStream data_out = new DataOutputStream(byte_out);
        int c = 17;
        data_out.writeInt(c);
        byte[] b = byte_out.toByteArray();
        out.write(b);
        out.close();
    }
}
```

Program writes the Java int 17 as a binary value (not a string)

Note the hex representation of 17

DataOutputStream does not always write the exact binary representation of a Java primitive



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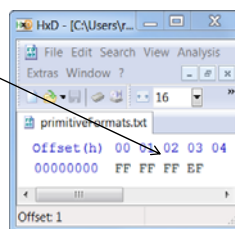


## Example (continued)

- If we change the value of *c* in the program to -17, notice the new hex value

What is  $FF\ FF\ FF\ EF + 11$   
in hex arithmetic?

Is it the same as  $(-17+17)$



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## Unsigned Numbers: Integers

- Unsigned whole number or *integer*
- Direct *binary* equivalent of decimal integer
  - 8 bits: 0 to 99
  - 16 bits: 0 to 9,999
  - 32 bits: 0 to 99,999,999

Decimal	Binary
<b>68</b>	= 0100 0100 = $2^6 + 2^2 = 64 + 4 = \mathbf{68}$
<b>255</b> (largest 8-bit binary)	= 1111 1111 = $2^8 - 1 = \mathbf{255}$

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## Signed-Integer Representation

- No obvious direct way to represent the sign in binary notation
- Options:
  - Sign-and-magnitude representation
  - 1's complement
  - 2's complement (most common)

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## Sign-and-Magnitude

- Use left-most bit for sign
  - 0 = plus; 1 = minus
- Total range of integers the same
  - Half of integers positive; half negative
  - Magnitude of largest integer half as large
- Example using 8 bits:
  - Unsigned: 1111 1111 = +255
  - Signed: 0111 1111 = +127  
1111 1111 = -127
  - Note: 2 values for 0:  
+0 (0000 0000) and -0 (1000 0000)

Not used in practice  
(difficult to implement in HW)

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## What Should Integers Do

- Leading bit tells us the sign of the integer
- The negative of a negative integer is the original integer (i.e.,  $-(-17)$  is 17)
- $x - y$  gives the same result as  $x + -y$  (i.e.,  $5 - 3$  result is the same as  $5 + -3$ )
- Negative and positive numbers are treated the same in integer operations (e.g., multiplication)

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## Complement Representation

- Sign of the number does not have to be handled separately
- Consistent for all different signed combinations of input numbers
- Two methods
  - 1's complement - overflow bits are carried around back into the sum
  - 2's complement - overflow bits are discarded

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## Overflow

- Fixed word size has a fixed range size
- Overflow: combination of numbers that adds to result outside the range
- End-around carry in modular arithmetic avoids problem
- Complementary arithmetic: numbers *out of range* have the opposite sign
  - Test: If both inputs to an addition have the same sign and the output sign is different, an overflow occurred

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## Overflow in Java

- Example causes an overflow of a short
- Notice that the overflow causes a wrap

```

1  package lectures;
2
3  import java.io.*;
4
5  public class IntOverflow {
6
7      public static void main(String[] args)
8          short s = 32763;
9          for (short i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
10             s++;
11             System.out.println(s);
12         }
13     }
14 }

```

Output - CodeSE218 (run)


```

run:
32764
32765
32766
32767
-32768
-32767
-32766
-32765
-32764
-32763
BUILD SUCCESSFUL (total time: 1 second)

```

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## 1's Binary Complement

- *Taking the complement:* subtracting a value from a standard basis value
  - Binary (base 2) system diminished radix complement
  - Radix minus 1 =  $2 - 1 \rightarrow 1$  as the basis
- *Inversion: change 1's to 0's and 0's to 1s*
  - Numbers beginning with 0 are positive
  - Numbers beginning with 1 are negative
  - 2 values for zero
- Example with 8-bit binary numbers

Note the 2 values for zero

Numbers	Negative		Positive	
Representation method	Complement		Number itself	
Calculation	Inversion		None	
Representation example	10000000	11111111	00000000	01111111

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## Example (1's Complement)

- The 32 bit integer that represents 17 is stored as
 
$$0011_{16} \text{ (0000 ... 010001)}$$
- The 1-complement inversion of the above number is
 
$$FFEE_{16} \text{ (1111 ... 101110)}$$
- And the sum of the 2 numbers is  $FFFF_{16}$

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## Subtraction


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- 8-bit number
 

0110 1010 =	106
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Invert</li> </ul> 0101 1010 (90 <sub>10</sub> ) ←	-0101 1010 = 90
1010 0101	
  
- Add
 

0110 1010 =	106
-1010 0101	= 90
①0000 1111 End-around carry of overflow bit → +1	
0001 0000	= 16

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## 2's Complement

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- Modulus = a base 2 "1" followed by specified number of 0's
  - For 8 bits, the modulus = 1000 0000
- Two ways to find the complement
  - Subtract value from the modulus or invert (+1)

Numbers	Negative		Positive	
Representation method	Complement		Number itself	
Calculation	Inversion		None	
Representation example	10000000	11111111	00000000	01111111

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## Example (1's Complement)

- The 32 bit integer that represents 17 is stored as

$0011_{16}$  (0000 ... 010001)

- The 2's-complement of the above number is

$FFEE_{16}$  (1111 ... 101111)

- And the sum of the 2 numbers is  $0000_{16}$

2's complement formed by  
inverting original number and  
adding 1