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CS 340

Brain



Building a Bit of Bit Intuition

Learning Goals

- Build intuition with bits, binary, and hexadecimal
 - A few “trick” questions coming up
 - Goal: point out misconceptions and nuances
 - Learn some cool things we can do with bits to save space!
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Plan for Today

- Warm Up/Review
- UTF-8
- Bit Operators
- Bit Masks
- Sets

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To get the 0.1% extra credit, answer a majority of the clicker questions.

What is 1101 in hexadecimal?

10 11 12 13 14 15
A B C D E F

0b

0x

0x1101

0xD

0x44D

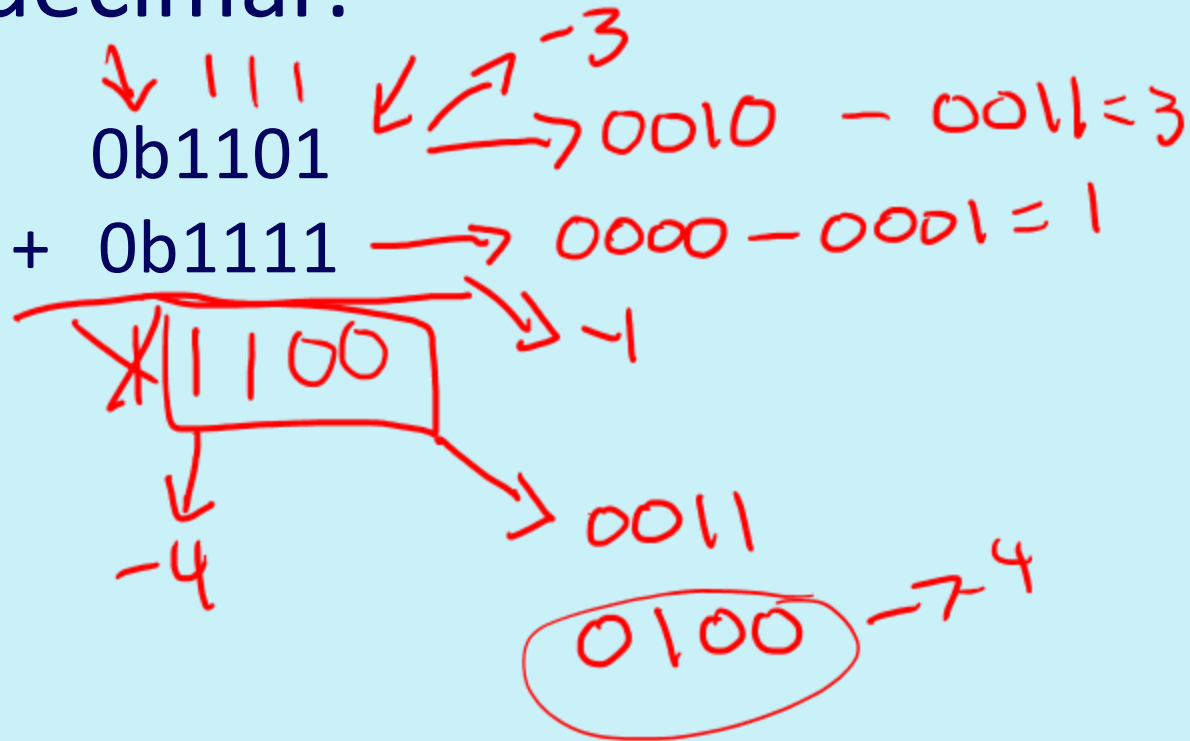
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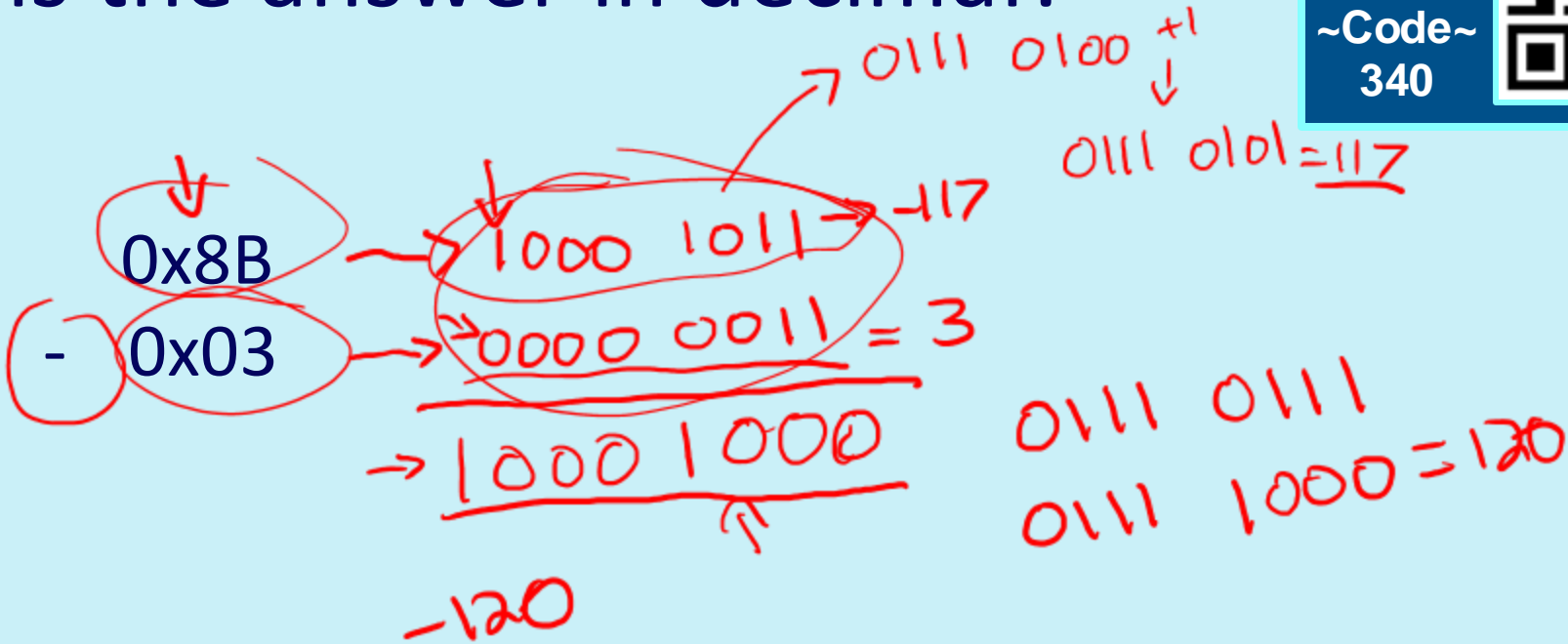
What is the answer in decimal?



Given two signed chars, what is the answer in decimal?

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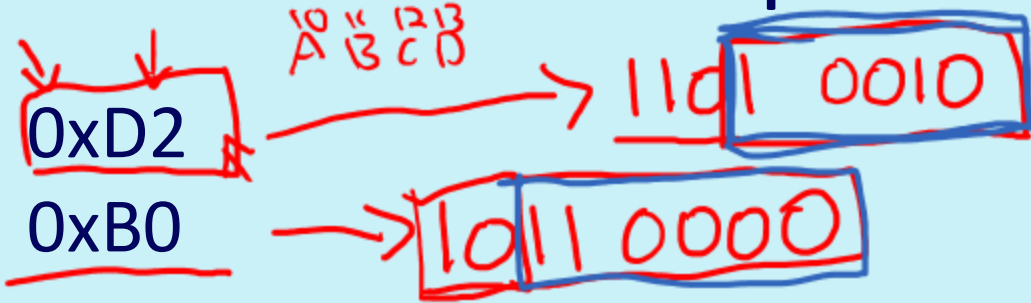
Takeaways

- 0b ← means binary, 0x ← means hexadecimal
- Data is represented by 1's and 0's
 - The type determines how the 1's and 0's are interpreted
- Negative numbers are stored as the 2's complement
 - Pros
 - No negative 0
 - No complex hardware needed for many operations

UTF-8

- A system for storing unicode characters in 1-4 bytes
 - Many c-string functions work with both ascii chars and UTF-8 codepoints

Decode the codepoint!



0 ← 100101100000
= 1,200

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Byte	Meaning
0xxxxxxx	only byte of character
10xxxxxx	second, third, or fourth byte of a character
110xxxxx	first byte of a two-byte character
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Decode the codepoint!

0x15 → 0101
0001 0101 = 21

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^{10 11 12 13 14 15}
A B C D E F

0xC2F3



110xxxxx

→ 10xxxxxx

560000

Invalid

011

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Encode the codepoint in Bytes

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1 2 3 4 5
11001

0x19
0001 1001

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Bits needed	Groups used
0-7	1
8-11	2
12-16	3
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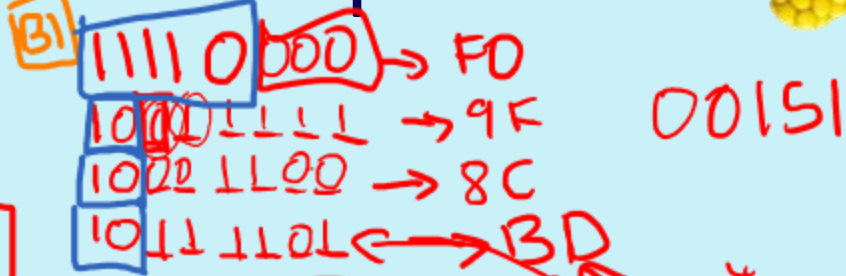
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U+1F33D

AKA - 0001 1111 0011 0011 1101



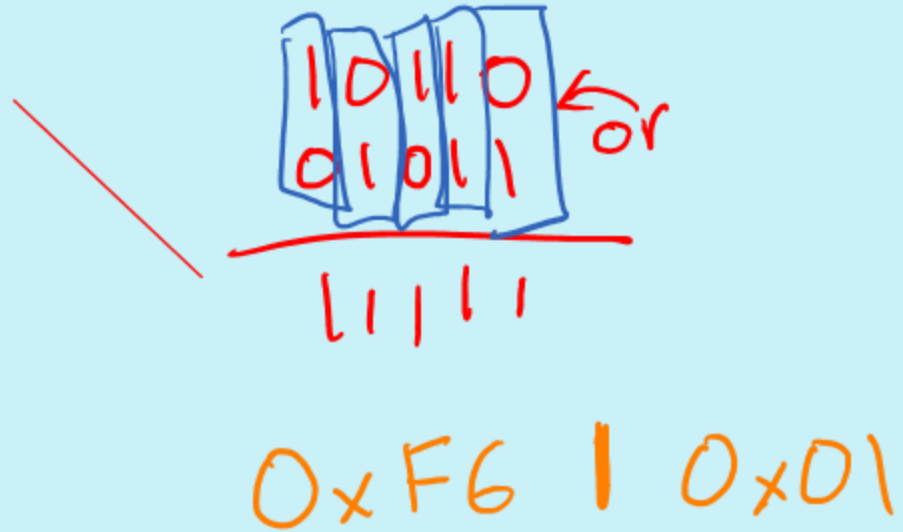
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Bit Operators

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A	B	or
1	1	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	0



Bit Operators

100101
→

AND, OR, XOR, NOT

>>
<<

1000

7 << 3 = 8

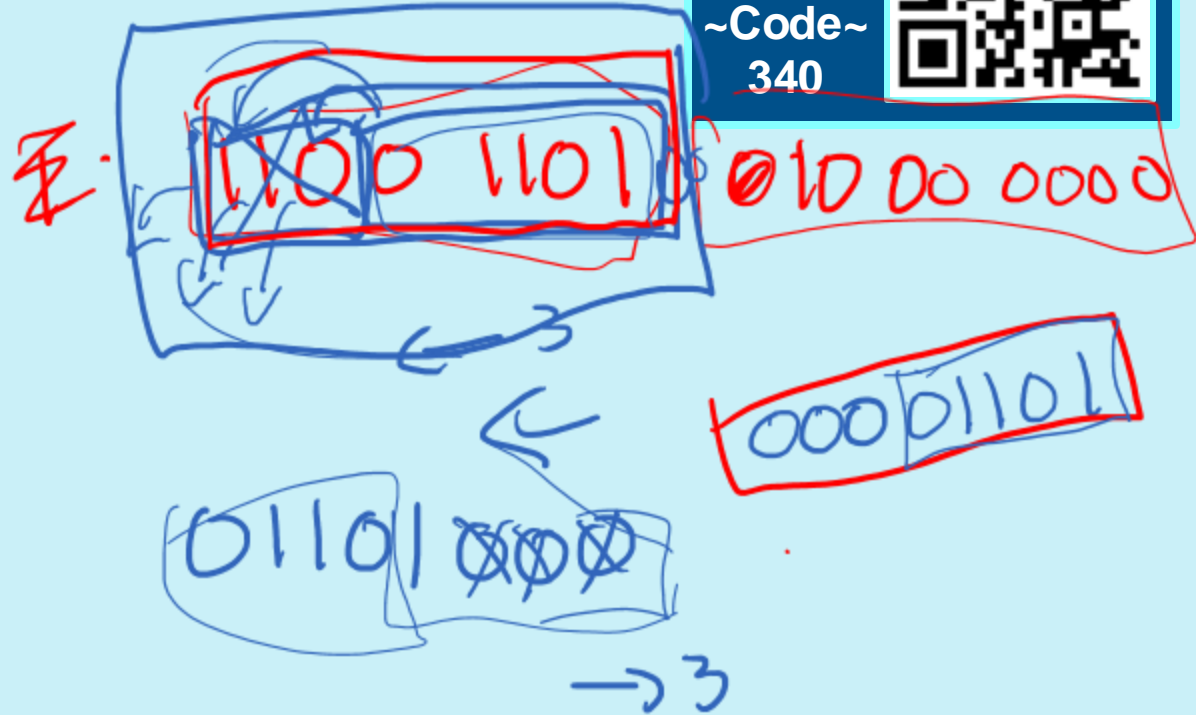
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0111

7 >> 2 = 1

ab
00 | 0
10 | 1
11 | 0

What 10 bit value does this produce?

$(\sim 0) \ll 3$



What 10 bit value does this produce?

$((\sim 0) \ll 3) \wedge ((\sim 0) \ll 6)$



$\text{int } x = 0x16;$
00010110
 $16 \times 2 = 32$

$\text{int } x = 6;$ $0 \leftarrow 0110$
 $\text{int } y = x \ll 2;$
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What 10 bit value does this produce?

$y = 0b1001110100$

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not signed

1111111000

1111 1111 0000
1111 0000 0000

0x030

$z = (((\sim 0) \ll 3) \wedge ((\sim 0) \ll 6)) \ll 6$

$y \& z$


$y \& z = ?$

$z = 0000111000$
 $\& 1001110100$

 0000110000

Bit Mask

0x000111100

- Is a value used to select bits from another value.
- The 1's in the mask indicate which bits to keep and the 0's which to remove
- The target value is then & with  the mask to get just those bits from the target value

Sets

Definition - a collection of things with no repeats and no inherent order necessary.

How many bytes are needed to store all the information in this fruit_bskt_1



```
char *firt_bskt_1[] = {"apple", "orange", "kiwi"};
```

orange, banana, pineapple...

How could I use less bytes to represent the same information?

A set with any combination of: apple, orange, banana, blueberry, pineapple, kiwi, and dragon

→ char fruit[] = { 'a', 'o', 'k' }; = 3 bytes
char fruit = 3;



What hexadecimal number represents this combo?

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```
{"apple", "dragon", "kiwi", "orange"}
```

Bit Vector Sets

Using each bit as a flag to indicate something being present

How would I combine two sets? AKA Union

char set1 = 0x05

char set2 = 0x17

??? set1 | set2

0000 0101
0001 0111

0001 0111

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How would I see what sets have in common? AKA Intersection

char set1 = 0x24

char set2 = 0x1E

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Bit vector sets have space and time savings

```
char **intersection(char **firt_bskt_1, char **firt_bskt_2);
```

How would I see what is in set1 but not set2?

char set1 = 0x1F

char set2 = 0x3C

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Example IRL

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open, openat, creat – open and possibly create a file

LIBRARY

Standard C library (libc, -lc)

SYNOPSIS

```
#include <fcntl.h>
```

```
int open(const char *pathname, int flags);  
int open(const char *pathname, int flags, mode_t mode);
```

```
int creat(const char *pathname, mode_t mode);
```

```
int openat(int dirfd, const char *pathname, int flags);  
int openat(int dirfd, const char *pathname, int flags, mode_t mode);
```

```
→ char path[PATH_MAX];  
fd = open("/path/to/dir", 0 TMPFILE | 0 RDWR,  
S_IRUSR | S_IWUSR);
```

1011000

01000000

~~00101100~~

01000000

What is coming up

- Finish HW (due before class next Thursday (12:30pm))
- Work on MP 2 (due 11:59pm Tuesday)
- Read website text for more details and information
- Tuesday's Topic: Memory