

# Data III & Integers I

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# Administrivia

- ❖ Lab 0 and hw2 due tonight (4/05) @ 11:59 pm
- ❖ hw3 due Wednesday (4/07) @ 11:59 pm
- ❖ hw4 due Friday (4/09) @ 11:59 pm
- ❖ **From here on out, at 11am on day of lecture:**
  - Reading for that lecture is DUE at 11am
  - Lecture activities from the previous lecture are DUE at 11am
- ❖ **Questions Doc:** You must log on with your @uw google account to access!!
  - <https://tinyurl.com/CSE351-21sp-Questions>
  - Then open the “TODAY's Lecture Questions” doc for 11:30/2:30
  - See <https://edstem.org/us/courses/4805/discussion/339425> for info about turning on your UW G Suite account for your @uw address

# Lab 1a released

- ❖ Labs can be found linked on our course home page:
  - <https://courses.cs.washington.edu/courses/cse351/21sp/labs/lab1a.php>
- ❖ Workflow:
  - 1) Edit `pointer.c`
  - 2) Run the Makefile (`make`) and check for compiler errors & warnings
  - 3) Run `pctest` (`./pctest`) and check for correct behavior
  - 4) Run rule/syntax checker (`python dlc.py`) and check output
- ❖ Due Monday 4/12, will overlap a bit with Lab 1b
  - Submit in Gradescope
  - We grade just your *last* submission

# Lab Reflections

- ❖ All subsequent labs (after Lab 0) have a “reflection” portion
  - The Reflection questions can be found on the lab specs and are intended to be done *after* you finish the lab
  - You will type up your responses in a `.txt` file for submission on Gradescope
  - These will be graded “by hand” (read by TAs)
- ❖ Intended to check your understand of what you should have learned from the lab

# Memory, Data, and Addressing

- ❖ Representing information as bits and bytes
  - Binary, hexadecimal, fixed-widths
- ❖ Organizing and addressing data in memory
  - Memory is a byte-addressable array
  - Machine “word” size = address size = register size
  - Endianness – ordering bytes in memory
- ❖ Manipulating data in memory using C
  - Assignment
  - Pointers, pointer arithmetic, and arrays
- ❖ **Boolean algebra and bit-level manipulations**

# Reading Review

- ❖ Terminology:
  - Bitwise operators (&, |, ^, ~)
  - Logical operators (&&, ||, !)
  - Short-circuit evaluation
  - Unsigned integers
  - Signed integers (Two's Complement)

# Review Questions

- ❖ Compute the result of the following expressions for `char c = 0x81;`
  - `c ^ c`
  - `~c & 0xA9`
  - `c || 0x80`
  - `!!c`
  
- ❖ Compute the value of `signed char sc = 0xF0;`  
(Two's Complement)

# Bitmasks

- ❖ Typically binary bitwise operators ( $\&$ ,  $|$ ,  $\wedge$ ) are used with one operand being the “input” and other operand being a specially-chosen **bitmask** (or *mask*) that performs a desired operation
- ❖ Operations for a bit  $b$  (answer with 0, 1,  $b$ , or  $\bar{b}$ ):

$$b \ \& \ 0 = \underline{\quad}$$

$$b \ \& \ 1 = \underline{\quad}$$

$$b \ | \ 0 = \underline{\quad}$$

$$b \ | \ 1 = \underline{\quad}$$

$$b \ \wedge \ 0 = \underline{\quad}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} \boxed{01010101} \quad \leftarrow \text{input} \\ | \quad \boxed{11110000} \quad \leftarrow \text{bitmask} \\ \hline \boxed{11110101} \end{array}$$

# Short-Circuit Evaluation

- ❖ If the result of a binary logical operator (`&&`, `||`) can be determined by its first operand, then the second operand is never evaluated
  - Also known as *early termination*
- ❖ Example: `(p && *p)` for a pointer `p` to “protect” the dereference
  - Dereferencing `NULL (0)` results in a segfault

# Roadmap

C:

```
car *c = malloc(sizeof(car));
c->miles = 100;
c->gals = 17;
float mpg = get_mpg(c);
free(c);
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Java:

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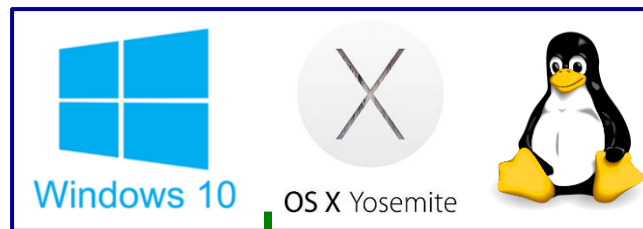
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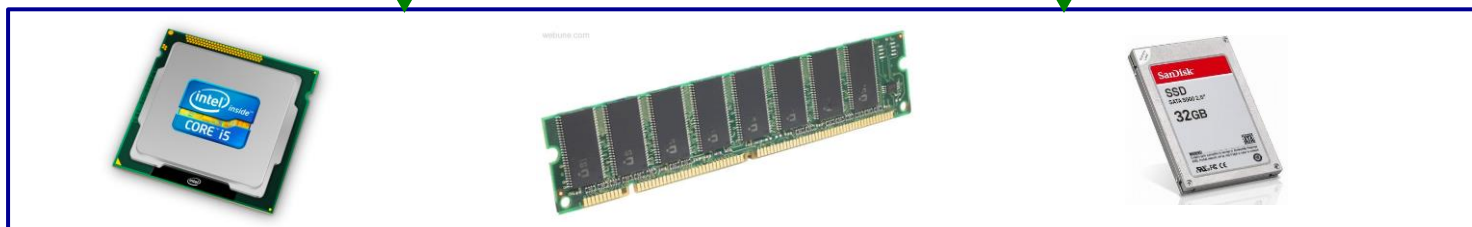
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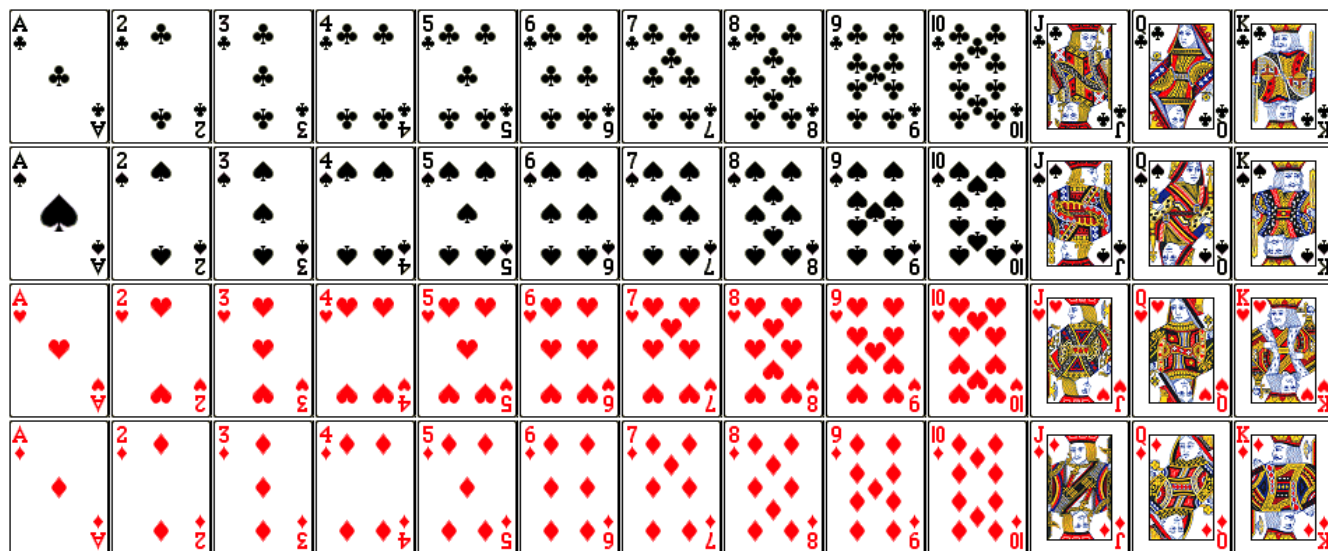


Computer system:



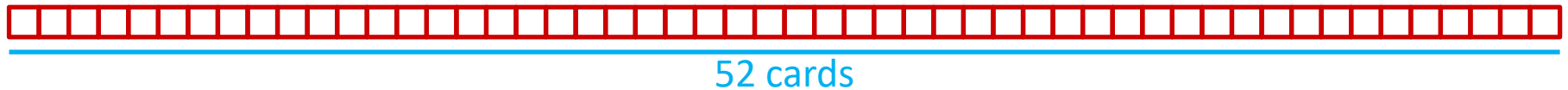
# But before we get to integers....

- ❖ Encode a standard deck of playing cards
- ❖ 52 cards in 4 suits
  - How do we encode suits, face cards?
- ❖ What operations do we want to make easy to implement?
  - Which is the higher value card?
  - Are they the same suit?



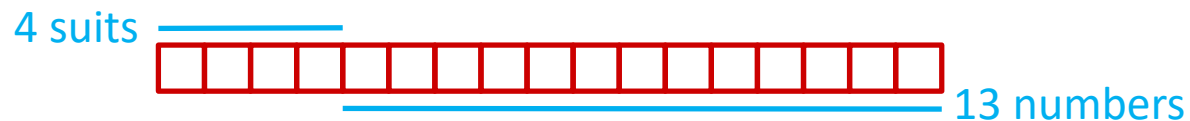
# Two possible representations

1) 1 bit per card (52): bit corresponding to card set to 1



- “One-hot” encoding (similar to set notation)
- Drawbacks:
  - Hard to compare values and suits
  - Large number of bits required

2) 1 bit per suit (4), 1 bit per number (13): 2 bits set



- **Pair** of one-hot encoded values (two fields)
- Easier to compare suits and values, but still lots of bits used

# Two better representations

## 3) Binary encoding of all 52 cards – only 6 bits needed

- $2^6 = 64 \geq 52$



low-order 6 bits of a byte

- Fits in one byte (smaller than one-hot encodings)
- How can we make value and suit comparisons easier?





## 4) Separate binary encodings of suit (2 bits) and value (4 bits)



suit value

- Also fits in one byte, and easy to do comparisons

<b>K</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>A</b>
1101	1100	1011	...	0011	0010	0001

	00
	01
	10
	11

# Compare Card Suits

**mask:** a bit vector designed to achieve a desired behavior when used with a bitwise operator on another bit vector  $v$ .  
Here we turn all *but* the bits of interest in  $v$  to 0.

```
char hand[5];           // represents a 5-card hand
char card1, card2;     // two cards to compare
card1 = hand[0];
card2 = hand[1];
...
if ( sameSuitP(card1, card2) ) { ... }
```

```
#define SUIT_MASK 0x30
```

```
int sameSuitP(char card1, char card2) {
    return (!(card1 & SUIT_MASK) ^ (card2 & SUIT_MASK));
    //return (card1 & SUIT_MASK) == (card2 & SUIT_MASK);
}
```

returns **int**

SUIT\_MASK = 0x30 = 

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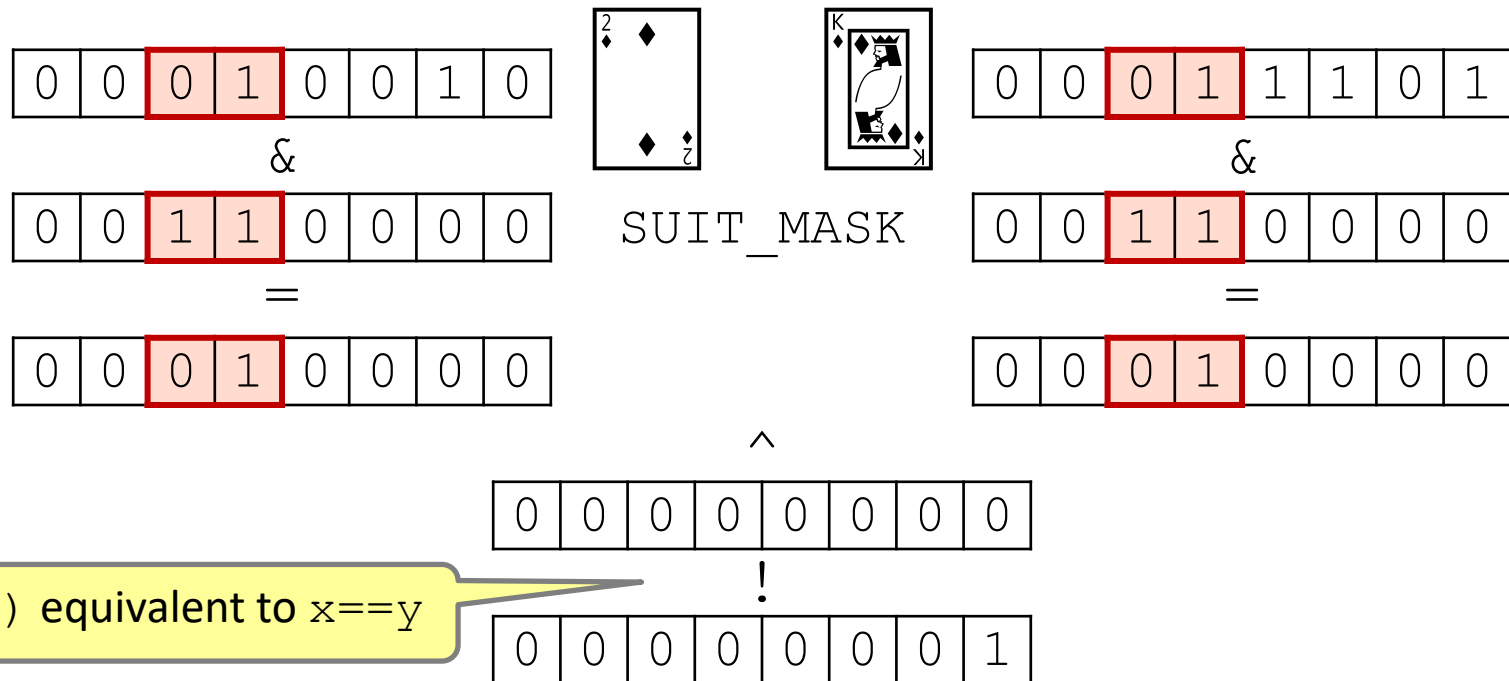
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! (x ^ y) equivalent to x == y



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if ( greaterValue(card1, card2) ) { ... }
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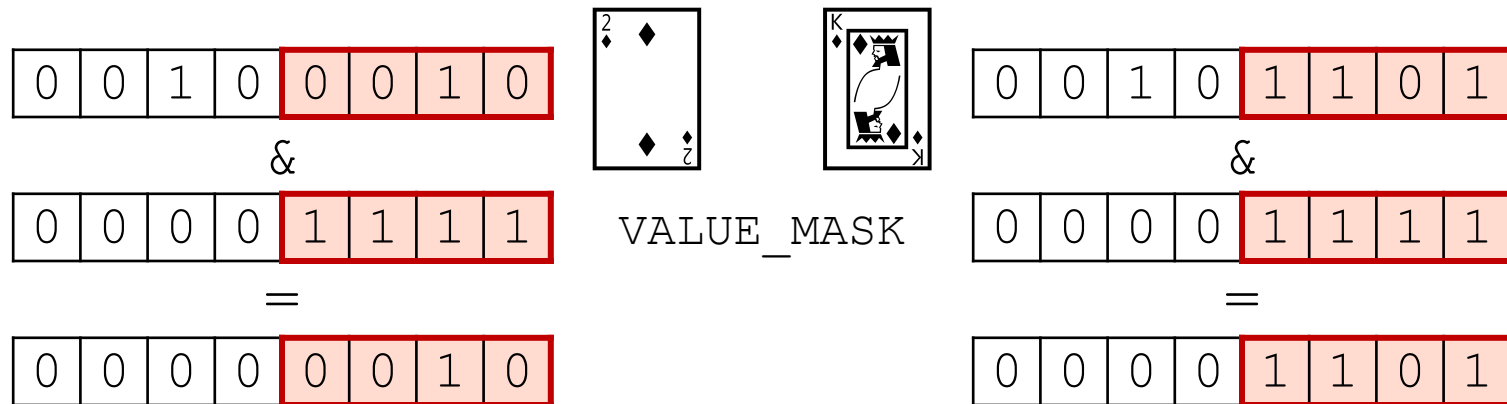
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$2_{10} > 13_{10}$

0 (false)

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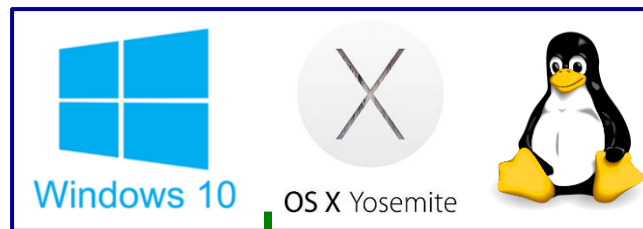
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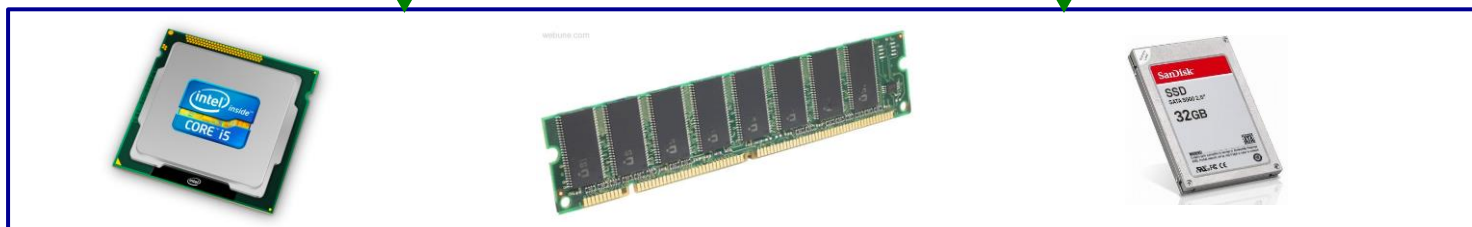
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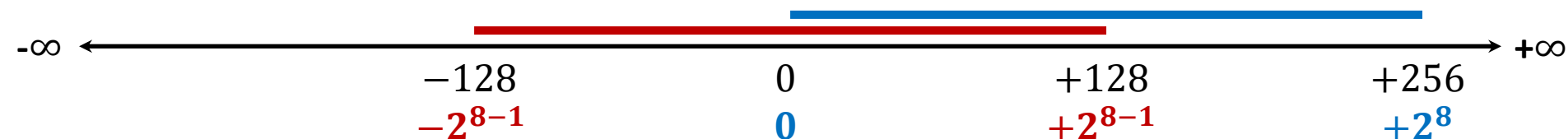


# Integers

- ❖ **Binary representation of integers**
  - **Unsigned and signed**
- ❖ Shifting and arithmetic operations
- ❖ In C: Signed, Unsigned and Casting
- ❖ Consequences of finite width representations
  - Overflow, sign extension

# Encoding Integers

- ❖ The hardware (and C) supports two flavors of integers
  - *unsigned* – only the non-negatives
  - *signed* – both negatives and non-negatives
- ❖ Cannot represent all integers with  $w$  bits
  - Only  $2^w$  distinct bit patterns
  - Unsigned values:  $0 \dots 2^w - 1$
  - Signed values:  $-2^{w-1} \dots 2^{w-1} - 1$
- ❖ **Example:** 8-bit integers (*e.g.* `char`)



# Unsigned Integers

- ❖ Unsigned values follow the standard base 2 system
  - $b_7b_6b_5b_4b_3b_2b_1b_0 = b_72^7 + b_62^6 + \dots + b_12^1 + b_02^0$
- ❖ Useful formula:  $2^{N-1} + 2^{N-2} + \dots + 2 + 1 = 2^N - 1$ 
  - *i.e.*, N ones in a row =  $2^N - 1$
  - *e.g.*, 0b1111111 = 63

# Sign and Magnitude

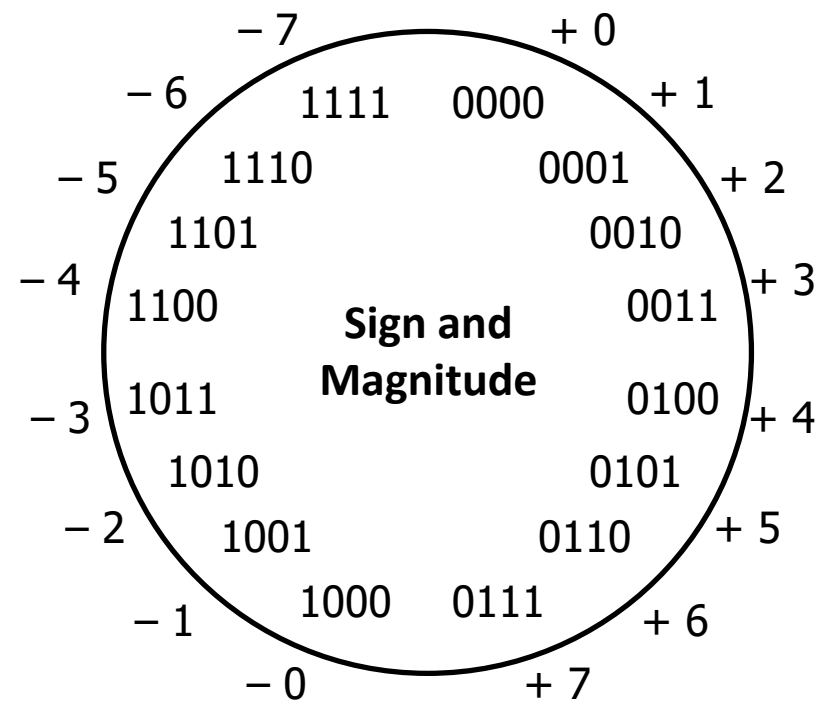
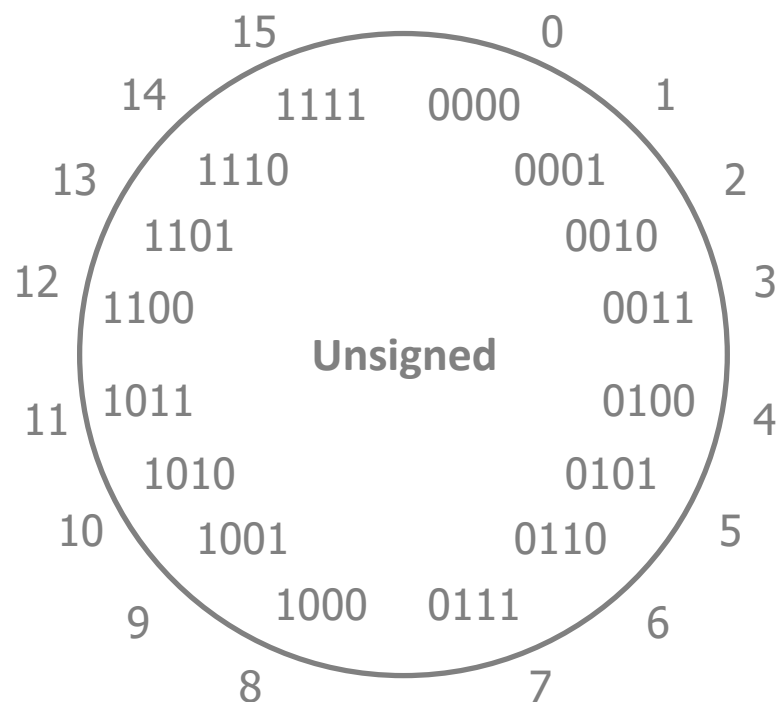
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- ❖ Designate the high-order bit (MSB) as the “sign bit”
  - $sign=0$ : positive numbers;  $sign=1$ : negative numbers
- ❖ Benefits:
  - Using MSB as sign bit matches positive numbers with unsigned
  - All zeros encoding is still  $= 0$
- ❖ Examples (8 bits):
  - $0x00 = 00000000_2$  is non-negative, because the sign bit is 0
  - $0x7F = 01111111_2$  is non-negative ( $+127_{10}$ )
  - $0x85 = 10000101_2$  is negative ( $-5_{10}$ )
  - $0x80 = 10000000_2$  is negative... zero???

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- ❖ Drawbacks?

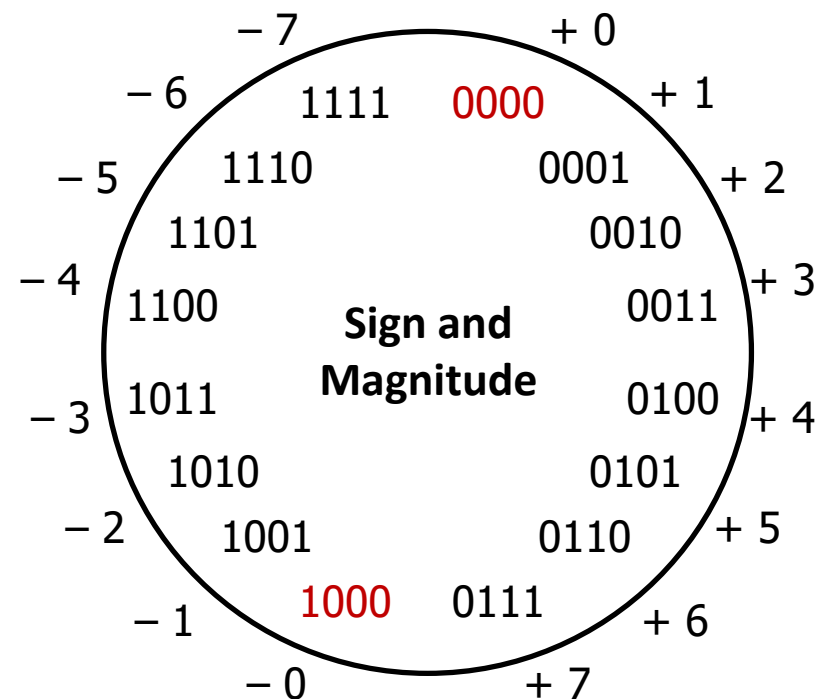




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■ **Arithmetic is cumbersome**

- Example:  $4 - 3 \neq 4 + (-3)$

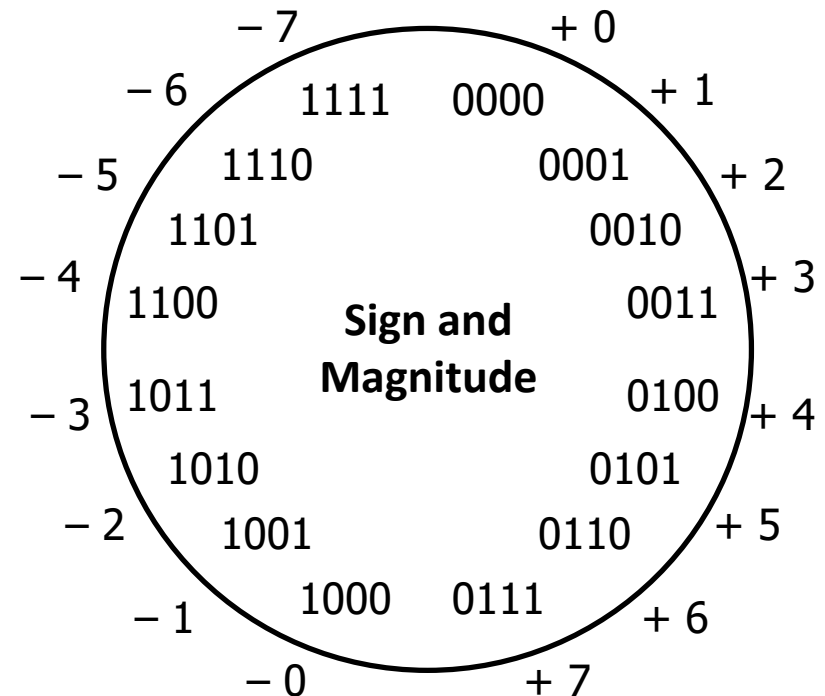
4	0100
<u>- 3</u>	<u>- 0011</u>
1	0001



4	0100
<u>+ -3</u>	<u>+ 1011</u>
-7	1111



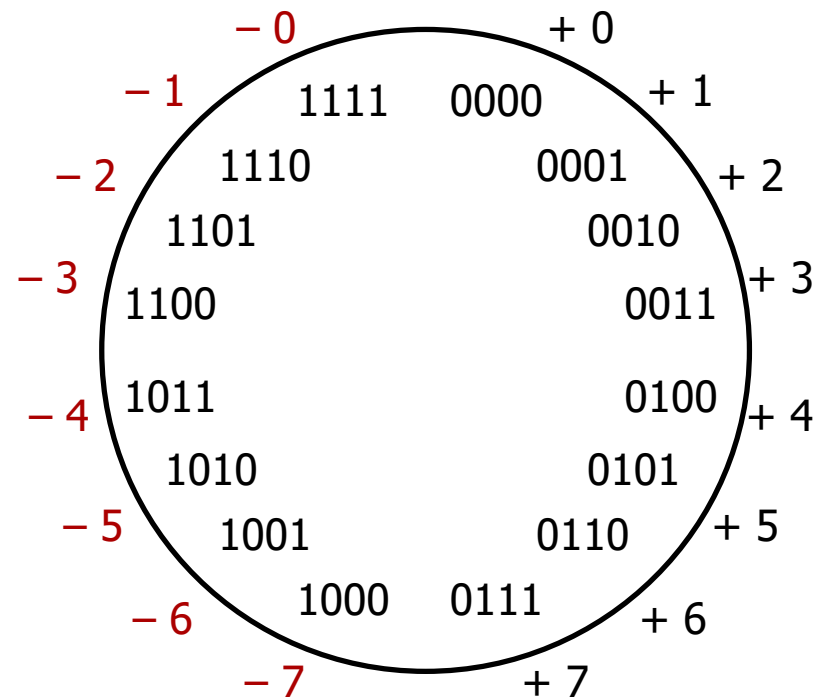
- Negatives “increment” in wrong direction!



# Two's Complement

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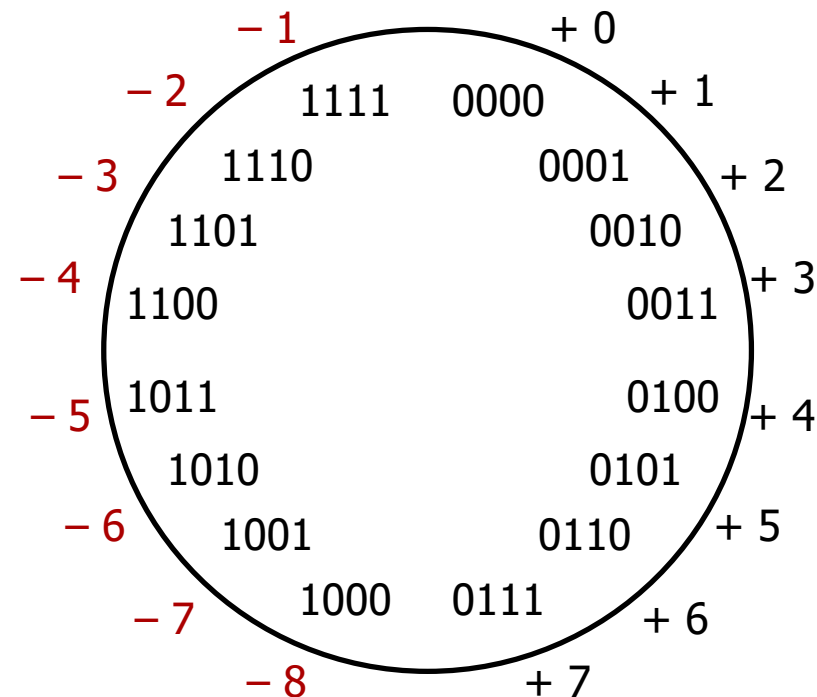
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❖ Let's fix these problems:

- 1) "Flip" negative encodings so incrementing works
- 2) "Shift" negative numbers to eliminate  $-0$

❖ MSB *still* indicates sign!

- This is why we represent one more negative than positive number ( $-2^{N-1}$  to  $2^{N-1} - 1$ )



# Two's Complement Negatives

- ❖ Accomplished with one neat mathematical trick!

$b_{w-1}$  has weight  $-2^{w-1}$ , other bits have usual weights  $+2^i$



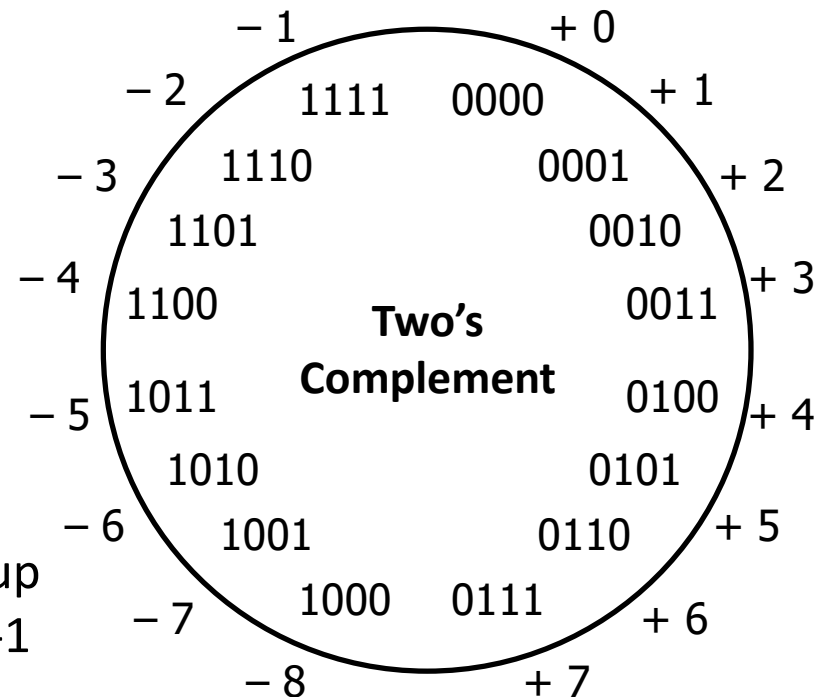
- 4-bit Examples:

- $1010_2$  unsigned:  
 $1*2^3+0*2^2+1*2^1+0*2^0 = 10$
- $1010_2$  two's complement:  
 $-1*2^3+0*2^2+1*2^1+0*2^0 = -6$

- -1 represented as:

$$1111_2 = -2^3 + (2^3 - 1)$$

- MSB makes it super negative, add up all the other bits to get back up to -1



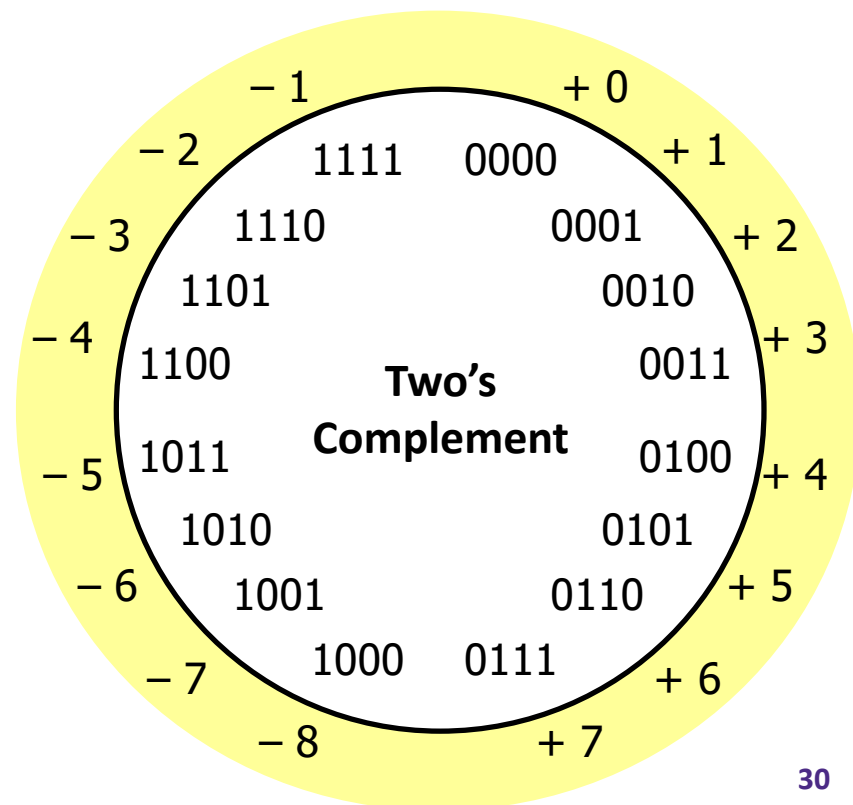
# Why Two's Complement is So Great

- ❖ Roughly same number of (+) and (-) numbers
- ❖ Positive number encodings match unsigned
- ❖ Single zero
- ❖ All zeros encoding = 0

- ❖ Simple negation procedure:

- Get negative representation of any integer by taking bitwise complement and then adding one!

$$(\sim x + 1 == -x)$$



# Polling Question

- ❖ Take the 4-bit number encoding  $x = 0b1011$
- ❖ Which of the following numbers is NOT a valid interpretation of  $x$  using any of the number representation schemes discussed today?
  - Unsigned, Sign and Magnitude, Two's Complement
  - Vote in Ed Lessons
- A. -4
- B. -5
- C. 11
- D. -3
- E. We're lost...

# Summary

- ❖ Bit-level operators allow for fine-grained manipulations of data
  - Bitwise AND ( $\&$ ), OR ( $|$ ), and NOT ( $\sim$ ) different than logical AND ( $\&\&$ ), OR ( $||$ ), and NOT ( $!$ )
  - Especially useful with bit masks
- ❖ Choice of *encoding scheme* is important
  - Tradeoffs based on size requirements and desired operations
- ❖ Integers represented using unsigned and two's complement representations
  - Limited by fixed bit width
  - We'll examine arithmetic operations next lecture