## Chapter 2

Number Systems, Arithmetic, and Code

## Positional number systems

- What is the underlying principle?
- Can you find an example of a number system that is not positional?
- What are the reasons for using different bases?


## Notational convention

- 234.16

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =2 \times 100+3 \times 10+4 \times 1+1 \times 0.1+6 \times 0.01 \\
& =2 \times 10^{2}+3 \times 10^{1}+4 \times 10^{0}+1 \times 10^{-1}+6 \times 10^{-2}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Basic arithmetic operations

- The basic operations are addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division.
- They are very similar for positional number systems with different bases.
- Solutions to any computational problems to be solved on a computer must be expressed in terms of these operations.


## Methods of number conversion

- Polynomial method
- Iterative method
- Special conversion method


## Signed numbers

- sign and magnitude
- r's-complement
- (r-1)'s complement



## Graphical interpretation of complements

Offset origin True origin


## Subtraction

- Shown below are the steps involved in performing M-N through complementation and addition.
- Here M and N are unsigned numbers.


## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | $(\mathrm{r}-1)^{\prime}$ 's complement | r's complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Definition: <br> given N with <br> n digits | $\left(\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}-1\right)-\mathrm{N}$ |  |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | (r-1)'s complement | r's complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Computation <br> involved in <br> obtaining the <br> complement | digitwise (bitwise) <br> complementation | digitwise (bitwise) <br> complementation +1 |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | $(\mathrm{r}-1)$ 's complement | r's complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number of <br> zero | two (+0 and -0$)$ | one |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | (r-1)'s complement | r's complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Subtraction operation | $\begin{aligned} M & -N \rightarrow M+\left(r^{n}-1\right)-N \\ & =r^{n}+M-N-1 \\ & =\left(r^{n}-1\right)-(N-M) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} M-N \rightarrow M+r^{n}-N \\ =r^{n}+M-N \\ =r^{n}-(N-M) \end{gathered}$ |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | $(\mathrm{r}-1)$ 's complement | r's complement |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow \mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}+\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N}-1$ |  |
| What will happen? | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow \mathrm{M}+\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}-\mathrm{N}$ |  |
| If $\mathrm{M}>\mathrm{N}$ | What will happen? <br> How is a carry. <br> (1) Subtract $\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}$ by <br> discarding the carry. <br> (2) Add 1 to it. | There is a carry. <br> How to produce $M-N ?$ <br> Subtract $\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}$ by <br> discarding the carry. |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | (r-1)'s complement | r's complement |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| if $\mathrm{M}<\mathrm{N}$ | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow\left(\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}-1\right)-(\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{M})$ <br> What will happen? There is no carry. <br> How to produce $M-N$ (in sign-and-magnitude)? <br> The result is negative and in (r1)'s complement. <br> (1) Perform (r-1)'s complement to obtain (N-M). <br> (2) Prefix it with a minus sign to indicate that it is negative. | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow \mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}-(\mathrm{N}-\mathrm{M})$ <br> What will happen? There is no carry. <br> How to produce $M-N$ (in sign-and-magnitude)? <br> The result is negative and in r's complement. <br> (1) Perform r's complement (i.e., (r-1)'s complement plus 1) to obtain (N-M). <br> (2) Prefix it with a minus sign to indicate that it is negative. |

## (r-1)'s vs. r's complement

|  | $(\mathrm{r}-1)$ 's complement | r 's complement |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow \mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}+\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N}-1$ <br> What will happen? | $\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{N} \rightarrow \mathrm{M}+\mathrm{r}^{\mathrm{n}}-\mathrm{N}$ |
| if $\mathrm{M}=\mathrm{N}$ | There is no carry. <br> How to produce $M-\mathrm{N} ?$ <br> It is treated as if $\mathrm{M}<\mathrm{N}$, <br> producing a "-0" as the <br> result. | There is a carry. <br> How to produce $M-N ?$ <br> It is treated as if $\mathrm{M}>\mathrm{N}$, <br> producing a "0" as the <br> result. |

Interpretation of four-bit signed binary integers

| $\underline{\mathrm{b}}_{3} \underline{\mathrm{~b}}_{2} \underline{b}_{1} \underline{b}_{0} \underline{b}^{2}$ | sign and mag. | 1's complement | 2's complement |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 0111 |  |  |  |
| 0110 | +7 | +7 | +7 |
| 0101 | +6 | +6 | +6 |
| 0100 | +5 | +5 | +5 |
| 0011 | +4 | +4 | +4 |
| 0010 | +3 | +3 | +3 |
| 0001 | +2 | +2 | +2 |
| 0000 | +1 | +1 | +1 |
| 1000 | +0 | +0 | +0 |
| 1001 | -0 | -7 | -8 |
| 1010 | -1 | -6 | -7 |
| 1011 | -2 | -5 | -6 |
| 1100 | -3 | -4 | -5 |
| 1101 | -4 | -3 | -4 |
| 1110 | -5 | -2 | -3 |
| 1111 | -6 | -1 | -2 |

## The use of 2's complement

- In practice, signed numbers are always represented by 2's complements because then there is only one zero.
- Existence of more than one zero leads to complication in programming.


Examples of 1's complement addition

| $(+5)$ |
| ---: |
| $+(+2)$ |
| $(+7)$ |$\quad$| 0101 |
| ---: |
| +0010 |
| 0111 |


| $(+5)$ |
| ---: |
| $+\quad(-2)$ |
| $(+3)$ |$\quad$| 0101 |
| ---: |
| +1110 |

ignore

| $(-5)$ |
| ---: |
| $+(+2)$ |
| $(-3)$ |$\quad$| 1011 |
| ---: |
| $+\quad 0010$ |
| 1101 |



Examples of 2's complement addition


| (+5) | 0101 | 0101 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{-(-2)}$ | -1110 | +0010 |
| (+7) |  | 0111 |
| (-5) | 1011 | 1011 |
| $\underline{-(-2)}$ | -1110 | +0010 |
| (-3) |  | 1101 |

Examples of 2's complement subtraction

## Overflow

- In adding two binary numbers, an overflow condition is said to occur if the resulting sum requires more bits than are available.
- Let $x$ be the carry into the sign-bit position and $y$ be the carry from the sign-bit position, then there is an overflow if and only if $\mathrm{x} \oplus \mathrm{y}=1$.

| $(+7)$ |
| ---: | :--- |
| $+(+2)$ |
| $(+9)$ |$\quad$| 0111 |
| ---: |
| $+\quad 0010$ |$\quad$| 1001 |
| :--- |
| $c_{4}=$ |
| $c_{3}=$ |


| $(-7)$ |
| ---: |
| $+(+2)$ |
| $(-5)$ |$\quad$| 1001 |
| ---: |
| +0010 |
| 1011 |

$$
c_{4}=0
$$

$$
c_{4}=0
$$

$$
c_{3}=1
$$

$$
c_{3}=0
$$

| $(+7)$ |
| ---: | :--- |
| $+(-2)$ |
| $(+5)$ |$\quad$| 0 | 1111 |
| ---: | :--- |
| + | 1110 |
|  | 10101 |
| $c_{4}$ | $=1$ |
| $c_{3}$ | $=1$ |


| $(-7)$ |
| ---: | :--- |
| $+\quad(-2)$ |
| $(-9)$ |$\quad$| 1001 |  |
| ---: | :--- |
| + | 1110 |
| 10111 |  |
| $c_{4}$ | $=1$ |
| $c_{3}$ | $=0$ |

There is an overflow if $\mathrm{c}_{3} \oplus \mathrm{c}_{4}=1$
Examples of determination of overflow

## Decimal codes

- Weighted decimal codes
- Non-weighted decimal codes
- Bar codes

Weighted decimal codes

| decimal <br> digit | 8421 <br> code <br> (BCD) | 2421 <br> code | 5421 <br> code | 7536 <br> code | biquinary <br> code <br> 5043210 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0000 | 0000 | 0000 | 0000 | 0100001 |
| 1 | 0001 | 0001 | 0001 | 1001 | 0100010 |
| 2 | 0010 | 0010 | 0010 | 0111 | 0100100 |
| 3 | 0011 | 0011 | 0011 | 0010 | 0101000 |
| 4 | 0100 | 0100 | 0100 | 1011 | 0110000 |
| 5 | 0101 | 1011 | 1000 | 0100 | 1000001 |
| 6 | 0110 | 1100 | 1001 | 1101 | 1000010 |
| 7 | 0111 | 1101 | 1010 | 1000 | 1000100 |
| 8 | 1000 | 1110 | 1011 | 0110 | 1001000 |
| 9 | 1001 | 1111 | 1100 | 1111 | 1010000 |

Nonweighted decimal codes

| decimal digit | excess-3 code | 2-out-of-5 code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 0011 | 11000 |
| 1 | 0100 | 00011 |
| 2 | 0101 | 00101 |
| 3 | 0110 | 00110 |
| 4 | 0111 | 01001 |
| 5 | 1000 | 01010 |
| 6 | 1001 | 01100 |
| 7 | 1010 | 10001 |
| 8 | 1011 | 10010 |
| 9 | 1100 | 10100 |

## US Postal Service bar code (2 out of 5)



Gray code (a unit distance code)

| decimal number | Gray code |
| :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 000 |
| 1 | 001 |
| 2 | 011 |
| 3 | 010 |
| 4 | 110 |
| 5 | 111 |
| 6 | 101 |
| 7 | 100 |

## Angular position encoders

## conventional binary

Gray code


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## The effects of misaligned sensors on the encoders


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## Alphanumeric Codes

- ASCII code
- Unicode Standard


## Error detection

- A parity bit can be used to detect single-bit errors.
- Additional parity bits can be used to detect multiple errors.

Examples of ASCII code with parity bit

| characters | with even parity | with odd parity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\cdot$ | $\cdot$ | . |
| $\cdot$ | $\cdot$ | . |
| $\cdot$ | 10000010 | 10000011 |
| A | 10000100 | 10000101 |
| B | 10000111 | 10000110 |
| D | 10001000 | 10001001 |
| . | $\cdot$ | . |
| $\cdot$ | $\cdot$ | . |
| . | . | . |

## Error correction

- Hamming code
- Use of check-sum digits


## Hamming code

- Hamming code is an error-detection and errorcorrection binary code.
- A single-bit error can be automatically corrected if we can determine which bit is in error.
- A single-bit error can be detected by using a parity bit.
- Multiple parity bits can be used to pinpoint the bit in error.


## Hamming code

| Bit position | 1 | 2 |  | 4 | 5 | 6 |  | 8 | 9 | 10 | 1 | 12 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Use | $\mathrm{P}_{1}$ | $\mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | $\mathrm{P}_{4}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{5}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{6}$ |  |  | $\mathrm{D}_{9}$ | $\mathrm{D}_{10}$ | D | $\mathrm{D}_{12}$ |
| Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{1}$ | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |
| Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{2}$ |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |  |  |
| Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{4}$ |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |  |  |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ |
| Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{8}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ | $\checkmark$ |

## Example

For example, to cons truct the Hamming code of 00101110
Use

$$
\begin{array}{llllllllllll}
\mathrm{P}_{1} & \mathrm{P}_{2} & \mathrm{D}_{3} & \mathrm{P}_{4} & \mathrm{D}_{5} & \mathrm{D}_{6} & \mathrm{D}_{7} & \mathrm{P}_{8} & \mathrm{D}_{9} & \mathrm{D}_{10} & \mathrm{D}_{11} & \mathrm{D}_{12}
\end{array}
$$

Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{1}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{2}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{4}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{8}$
$\begin{array}{lllllllllllll}\text { Bit position } & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 & 11 & 12\end{array}$

## Example (continued)

Choose 0 for $\mathrm{P}_{1}$ (assuming the use of even parity)


Example (continued)

Choose 1 for $\mathrm{P}_{2}$


## Example (continued)

Choose 1 for $\mathrm{P}_{4}$
Use $\quad \begin{array}{llllllllllll} & \mathrm{P}_{1} & \mathrm{P}_{2} & \mathrm{D}_{3} & \mathrm{P}_{4} & \mathrm{D}_{5} & \mathrm{D}_{6} & \mathrm{D}_{7} & \mathrm{P}_{8} & \mathrm{D}_{9} & \mathrm{D}_{10} & \mathrm{D}_{11} \\ \mathrm{D}_{12}\end{array}$

Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{1}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{2}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{4}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{8}$
$\begin{array}{lllllllllllll}\text { Bit position } & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 & 11 & 12\end{array}$

## Example (continued)

Choose 1 for $\mathrm{P}_{8}$
Use
$\begin{array}{llllllllllll}\mathrm{P}_{1} & \mathrm{P}_{2} & \mathrm{D}_{3} & \mathrm{P}_{4} & \mathrm{D}_{5} & \mathrm{D}_{6} & \mathrm{D}_{7} & \mathrm{P}_{8} & \mathrm{D}_{9} & \mathrm{D}_{10} & \mathrm{D}_{11} & \mathrm{D}_{12}\end{array}$

Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{1}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{2}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{4}$
Scope of $\mathrm{P}_{8}$
$\begin{array}{lllllllllllll}\text { Bit position } & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 & 11 & 12\end{array}$

## General properties of Hamming code

- It can be used for any code words with $m$ information bits. It uses k parity bits such that $m \leq 2^{\mathrm{k}}-\mathrm{k}-1$.
- By adding an additional parity bit to a Hamming code, we will be able to achieve single-error correction and double-error detection.

Check sum digit is inserted to satisfy the relation:
ZIP digit sum + check sum digit $=0$ modulo 10 to make error correction possible. (Error detection is achieved by using the 2-out-of-5 code of individual digit)

Frame


Frame
bar

Check
sum digit

