

## MC140: lecture #4

today's topic:

*data storage*  
*binary arithmetic*

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reading a value.

if code contains:

```
int x;  
printf( "please enter a number: " );  
scanf( "%d",&x );
```

and run looks like this:

```
please enter a number: 97
```

then memory will look like this:



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the scanf function.

- **scanf**
  - input statement = "read formatted data"
  - stdio library function
  - format:  

```
scanf( "%d",&x );
```
  - "%d" = input is an integer
  - &x = store input in memory location named x

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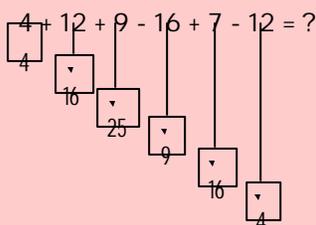
storage.

- what does "memory location named x" mean?
  - the computer *stores* data so it can be used later
  - stores = remembers
  - for example:
    - STORE / STO command on a calculator

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storage, 2:  
calculator example.

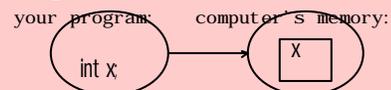


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storage, 3:  
variables.

- think of the computer's memory as a bunch of boxes
  - inside each box, there is a number
  - you give each box a name
- ⇒ defining a *variable*

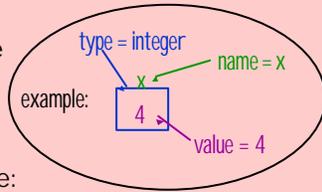


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## variables, 1.

- variables have
  - type
  - name
  - value
- first data type:
  - int = integer
  - ⇒ whole numbers, including 0 and negative numbers



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## variables, 2: naming.

- naming rules in C:
  - names may contain letters and/or numbers
  - names may also contain “\_”
  - length between 1 and 245 (max for LCC)
  - cannot use C keywords
  - cannot begin with a number
  - C is case-sensitive!!!

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## variables, 3: data types.

- int = integer
- float = real numbers
- double = really big/precise real numbers
- char = character

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## data storage.

- data is stored in *bytes* = words
- 1 byte = 8 bits
- 1 bit = 1 switch/relay
  - ON or OFF
  - OPEN or CLOSED
  - value = 1 or 0

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## data representation.

- 1 byte = 8 bits:
- because each bit can have one of two values, numbers are stored using the *binary* or *base 2* number system

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## what is a *base*?

- we normally use base 10
  - right-most digit is 1's digit
  - then (moving left) is 10's digit
  - then 100's digit
  - etc.
- example: 
  - 2 1's
  - 6 10's
  - 3 100's
  - ⇒  $(2 * 1) + (6 * 10) + (3 * 100)$

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### base 10.

- $1 = 10^0$   
 $10 = 10^1$   
 $100 = 10^2$   
etc.
- so:  
 $(2 * 1) + (6 * 10) + (3 * 100)$   
 $= (2 * 10^0) + (6 * 10^1) + (3 * 10^2)$
- valid digits: 0 .. 9

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### base 2.

- $1 = 2^0$   
 $10 = 2^1$   
 $100 = 2^2$   
etc.
- valid digits: 0 .. 1
- examples:  
10010100  
0001  
1111

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### base conversion: base 2 → base 10.

- what are these numbers in base 10?  
(1) start from right-most digit
  - that is  $2^0$ -th place
  - next is  $2^1$ -th place
  - next is  $2^2$ -th place
  - etc.
- (2) multiply value of digit by place value
- (3) add them all up

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### base conversion, 2 → 10: example.

$10010100_2 =$		$10010100_2 =$
$(0 * 2^0) +$		$(0) +$
$(0 * 2^1) +$		$(0) +$
$(1 * 2^2) +$	▶	$(4) +$
$(0 * 2^3) +$		$(0) +$
$(1 * 2^4) +$		$(16) +$
$(0 * 2^5) +$		$(0) +$
$(0 * 2^6) +$		$(0) +$
$(1 * 2^7)$		$(128) = 148_{10}$

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### base conversion: base 10 → base 2.

- how do we get base 2?  
(1) divide base 10 number by 2, repeatedly, until there is nothing left
- (2) remember all the remainders
- (3) list the remainders backwards and you've got the base 2 equivalent

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### base conversion, 10 → 2: example.

$148_{10} =$		
$148 / 2 = 74 \text{ rem } 0$		
$74 / 2 = 37 \text{ rem } 0$		
$37 / 2 = 18 \text{ rem } 1$		
$18 / 2 = 9 \text{ rem } 0$		
$9 / 2 = 4 \text{ rem } 1$		
$4 / 2 = 2 \text{ rem } 0$		
$2 / 2 = 1 \text{ rem } 0$		
$1 / 2 = 0 \text{ rem } 1$		

▶  $10010100_2$

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## back to storage...

- **int** = integer
  - one byte (aka **short**) = 8 bits
  - two bytes = 16 bits
- **float** = real number (aka floating point)
  - four bytes = 32 bits
- **double** = real number, larger, more precision
  - eight bytes = 64 bits
- **char** = character
  - one byte = 8 bits

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## so... a few questions:

- short or 1-byte or 8-bit integers can have a maximum value of...?
- int or 2-byte or 16-bit integers can have a maximum value of...?
- how is the maximum represented?

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## some things to KNOW.

- base 10 = decimal
- base 8 = octal (0..7)
  - 3 bits
- base 16 = hexadecimal (0..F), aka hex
  - 4 bits
- know how to convert binary ↔ hex
  - 4-bit trick...

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## more questions...

- how are floating point numbers stored? doubles?
- i.e., how are fractions stored?
- how are negative numbers stored?
- how are characters stored?
- today: characters
- future: answers to other questions ☺

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## characters.

- 1 byte = 8 bits
- numeric values from 0 to 127
- used as indexes into a table  
the **ASCII table**
- ASCII = American Standard Code for Information Interchange
- contains numbers, letters (upper and lower case), escape sequences, punctuation marks...

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## ASCII.

Oct	Dec	Hex	Char	Oct	Dec	Hex	Char	Oct	Dec	Hex	Char	Oct	Dec	Hex	Char
000	0	00	NUL '\0'	100	64	40	@	041	33	21	!	140	96	60	~
001	1	01	SOH	101	65	41	A	042	34	22	"	141	97	61	a
002	2	02	STX	102	66	42	B	043	35	23	#	142	98	62	b
003	3	03	ETX	103	67	43	C	044	36	24	\$	143	99	63	c
004	4	04	EOF	104	68	44	D	045	37	25	%	144	100	64	d
005	5	05	ENQ	105	69	45	E	046	38	26	&	145	101	65	e
006	6	06	ACK	106	70	46	F	047	39	27	'	146	102	66	f
007	7	07	BEL '\a'	107	71	47	G	050	40	28	(	147	103	67	g
010	8	08	BS '\b'	110	72	48	H	051	41	29	)	151	105	69	i
011	9	09	HT '\t'	111	73	49	I	052	42	2A	+	152	106	6A	j
012	10	0A	LF '\n'	112	74	4A	J	053	43	2B	,	153	107	6B	k
013	11	0B	VT '\v'	113	75	4B	K	054	44	2C	.	154	108	6C	l
014	12	0C	FF '\f'	114	76	4C	L	055	45	2D	-	155	109	6D	m
015	13	0D	CR '\r'	115	77	4D	M	056	46	2E	=	156	110	6E	n
016	14	0E	SO	116	78	4E	N	057	47	2F	/	157	111	6F	o
017	15	0F	SI	117	79	4F	O	060	48	30	0	160	112	70	p
020	16	10	SHL	120	80	50	P	061	49	31	1	161	113	71	q
021	17	11	DCL	121	81	51	Q	062	50	32	2	162	114	72	r
022	18	12	DC2	122	82	52	R	063	51	33	3	163	115	73	s
023	19	13	DC3	123	83	53	S	064	52	34	4	164	116	74	t
024	20	14	DCL	124	84	54	T	065	53	35	5	165	117	75	u
025	21	15	NAK	125	85	55	U	066	54	36	6	166	118	76	v
026	22	16	SYN	126	86	56	V	067	55	37	7	167	119	77	w
027	23	17	ETB	127	87	57	W	070	56	38	8	170	120	78	x
030	24	18	CAN	130	88	58	X	071	57	39	9	171	121	79	y
031	25	19	EM	131	89	59	Y	072	58	3A	:	172	122	7A	z
032	26	1A	SOB	132	90	5A	Z	073	59	3B	;	173	123	7B	[
033	27	1B	BSC	133	91	5B	[	074	60	3C	<	174	124	7C	]
034	28	1C	FS	134	92	5C	\	075	61	3D	=	175	125	7D	^
035	29	1D	GS	135	93	5D	]	076	62	3E	>	176	126	7E	_
036	30	1E	RS	136	94	5E	^	077	63	3F	?	177	127	7F	DEL

## reading.

- material covered today:
  - DD: ch 2.3 - 2.4

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