## Representing Numbers

How values can be coded?
$\square$ Digital CMOS design
In a digital circuit each signal can take 2 values $(0,1)$ (Boolean world)

A vector of $n$ bits can represent up to $2^{n}$ values

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How values can be coded ?
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What is the meaning of 01000110 ?
The character ' F ',
The character ' $\Phi$ '
The number 46
The number 70
The number 123
Any symbol in a set where the Card $=256$
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How can I represent a Natural number ?
I need at least $n$ bits for a Natural ranging from 0 to $2^{n}-1$
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How can I represent a Natural number ?
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Natural Binary Code :
Binary Coded Decimal :
The bits represent the successive powers of 2
The bits represent the successive powers of 2
The quartets represent the successive powers of 10


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How can I represent a Relative number ?

## Sign + Value

The bits represent the successive powers of 2
The Msb represents the sign (1 means negative)
The bytes represent the successive powers of 10
In each byte the 4 Msb are 0
$01000110=$ Illegal $\underbrace{00000110}_{10^{0}}=6$
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How can I represent a Relative number ?
How can I represent a Relative number ?
Sign+Value :


2's complemented
The bits represent the successive powers of 2
The Msb represents $-2^{n-1}$
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How can I represent a Relative number ?
2's complemented :


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11000110=2^{1}+2^{2}+2^{6}-2^{7}=-58
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How can I represent a Relative number ?

2's complemented :

| $01000110=2^{1}+2^{2}+2^{6}=70$ |
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| $2^{7}=1+2^{0}+2^{1}+2^{2}+2^{3}+2^{4}+2^{5}+2^{6}$ |
| $2^{7}=1+2^{0}+$ |
| $-70=1+2^{0}+$ |
| $-70=$ |
| $2^{3}+2^{4}+2^{5}$ |
| $2^{3}+2^{4}+2^{5}$ |
| $2^{3}+2^{4}+2^{5}$ |

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How can I represent a Real number?
2's complement Fixed Point:
The bits represents the successive powers of 2

$4 \square^{0} 6$
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How can I represent a Real number ?
How can I represent a Real number ?

Normalized scientific representation
Wide range
High precision
$R=(-1)^{S} \times M \times: 2^{E}$
$\mathrm{S}:$ Sign (1 if negative)
M: Mantissa $\quad(\in[1,2[\quad)$
E: Exponent (relative number)
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Single precision : Special cases

(128) means $\pm \infty$ or
$000 \ldots 000$ means $\pm \infty$ other values mean error ( NaN )
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R=(-1)^{S} \times M \times 2^{E}
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Single precision : Special cases


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