## CONVERSIONS

## DECIMAL TO OTHER

## 1. DECIMAL TO BINARY

## Decimal Number System to Other Base

To convert Number system from Decimal Number System to Any Other Base is quite easy; you have to follow just two steps:
A) Divide the Number (Decimal Number) by the base of target base system (in which you want to convert the number: Binary (2), octal (8) and Hexadecimal (16)).
B) Write the remainder from step 1 as a Least Signification Bit (LSB) to Step last as a Most Significant Bit (MSB).

| Decimal to Binary Conversion |  |  |  | Result |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Decimal Number is : (12345) $\mathbf{1 0}$ |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | 12345 | 1 | LSB |  |
| 2 | 6172 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 3086 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 1543 | 1 |  |  |
| 2 | 771 | 1 |  |  |
| 2 | 385 | 1 |  |  |
| 2 | 192 | 0 |  | Binary Number is |
| 2 | 96 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 48 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 24 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 12 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 6 | 0 |  |  |
| 2 | 3 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 1 | 1 | MSB |  |

## 2. DECIMAL TO OCTAL

| Decimal to Octal Conversion | Result |
| :--- | :--- |


| Decimal Number is : (12345) $\mathbf{1 0}$ |  |  |  | Octal Number is$(\mathbf{3 0 0 7 1})_{8}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | 12345 | 1 | LSB |  |
| 8 | 1543 | 7 |  |  |
| 8 | 192 | 0 |  |  |
| 8 | 24 | 0 |  |  |
|  | 3 | 3 | MSB |  |

## 3. DECIMAL TO HEXADECIMAL

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Decimal to Hexadecimal Conversion Result
Example 1
Decimal Number is : ( $\mathbf{( 2 3 4 5 ) _ { 1 0 }}$

| 16 | 12345 |  | 9 | LSB | Hexadecimal Number is (3039) ${ }_{16}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 16 | 771 |  | 3 | MSB |  |
| 16 | 48 |  | 0 |  |  |
| 8 | 3 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Example 2 <br> Decimal Number is : (725) $\mathbf{1 0}^{\mathbf{1 0}}$ |  |  |  | LSB | Hexadecimal Number is (2D5) ${ }_{16}$ <br> Convert <br> 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 to its equivalent... <br> A, B, C, D, E, F |
| 16 | 725 | 5 | 5 |  |  |
| 16 | 45 | 13 | D |  |  |
|  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 MSB |  |

## BINARY TO OTHER

A) Multiply the digit with 2(with place value exponent). Eventually add all the multiplication becomes the Decimal number.

## 1. BINARY TO DECIMAL



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1+8+16+64+128=217
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## 2. BINARY TO OCTAL

An easy way to convert from binary to octal is to group binary digits into sets of three, starting with the least significant (rightmost) digits.

| Binary: $11100101=$ | 11 | 100 | 101 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | 111 100 101 | Pad the most significant digits with zeros if <br> necessary to complete a group of three. |  |  |

Then, look up each group in a table:

| Binary: | 000 | 001 | 010 | 011 | 100 | 101 | 110 | 111 |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Octal: | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |  |


| Binary $=$ | 011 | 100 | 101 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- |
| Octal $=$ | 3 | 4 | 5 | $=345 \mathrm{oct}$ |

## 3. BINARY TO HEXADECIMAL

An equally easy way to convert from binary to hexadecimal is to group binary digits into sets of four, starting with the least significant (rightmost) digits.

Binary: $11100101=1110 \quad 0101$
Then, look up each group in a table:

| Binary: | 0000 | 0001 | 0010 | 0011 | 0100 | 0101 | 0110 | 0111 |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Hexadecimal: | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |  |
| Binary: | 1000 | 1001 | 1010 | 1011 | 1100 | 1101 | 1110 | 1111 |  |
| Hexadecimal: | 8 | 9 | A | B | C | D | E | F |  |


| Binary $=$ | 1110 | 0101 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Hexadecimal $=$ | E | 5 | $=$ E5 hex |

## OCTAL TO OTHER

## 1. OCTAL TO BINARY

Converting from octal to binary is as easy as converting from binary to octal. Simply look up each octal digit to obtain the equivalent group of three binary digits.

| Octal: | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Binary: | 000 | 001 | 010 | 011 | 100 | 101 | 110 | 111 |


| Octal $=$ | 3 | 4 | 5 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :--- |
| Binary $=$ | 011 | 100 | 101 | $=011100101$ binary |

## 2. OCTAL TO HEXADECIMAL

When converting from octal to hexadecimal, it is often easier to first convert the octal number into binary and then from binary into hexadecimal. For example, to convert 345 octal into hex:
(from the previous example)

| Octal $=$ | 3 | 4 | 5 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Binary $=$ | 011 | 100 | 101 | $=011100101$ binary |

Drop any leading zeros or pad with leading zeros to get groups of four binary digits (bits):
Binary $011100101=11100101$
Then, look up the groups in a table to convert to hexadecimal digits.


| Hexadecimal $=$ | E | 5 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |

Therefore, through a two-step conversion process, octal 345 equals binary 011100101 equals hexadecimal E5.

## 3. OCTAL TO DECIMAL

The conversion can also be performed in the conventional mathematical way, by showing each digit place as an increasing power of 8 .

345 octal $=\left(3 * 8^{2}\right)+\left(4 * 8^{1}\right)+\left(5 * 8^{0}\right)=(3 * 64)+(4 * 8)+(5 * 1)=229$ decimal
OR

Converting octal to decimal can be done with repeated division.

1. Start the decimal result at 0 .
2. Remove the most significant octal digit (leftmost) and add it to the result.
3. If all octal digits have been removed, you're done. Stop.
4. Otherwise, multiply the result by 8 .
5. Go to step 2 .

## Octal Digits Operation Decimal Result Operation Decimal Result

| 345 | +3 | 3 | $\times 8$ | 24 |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 45 | +4 | 28 | $\times 8$ | 224 |
| 5 | +5 | 229 |  |  |

## HEXADECIMAL TO OTHER

## 1. HEXADECIMAL TO BINARY

Converting from hexadecimal to binary is as easy as converting from binary to hexadecimal. Simply look up each hexadecimal digit to obtain the equivalent group of four binary digits.

| Hexadecimal: | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Binary: | 0000 | 0001 | 0010 | 0011 | 0100 | 0101 | 0110 | 0111 |
| Hexadecimal: | 8 | 9 | A | B | C | D | E | F |
| Binary: | 1000 | 1001 | 1010 | 1011 | 1100 | 1101 | 1110 | 1111 |


| Hexadecimal $=$ | A | 2 | D | E |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Binary $=$ | 1010 | 0010 | 1101 | 1110 | $=1010001011011110$ binary |

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