

Binary Arithmetic

Binary Addition

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \\
 01 \\
 + 01 \\
 \hline
 10
 \end{array}
 \quad (1+1 = 0 \text{ carry } 1 \text{ to the next column, so } 1+1=10)$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 10 \\
 + 01 \\
 \hline
 11
 \end{array}
 \quad (\text{no carry})$$

But,

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \\
 11 \\
 + 01 \\
 \hline
 100
 \end{array}
 \quad (1 + 1 = 0 \text{ carry } 1 \text{ to next column, then again } 1 + 1 \text{ is } 0 \text{ carry } 1 \text{ to next column})$$

There are only two **carry** combinations

$$\begin{array}{l}
 1 + 1 = 10 \\
 1 + 1 + 1 = 11
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \\
 101 \\
 + 001 \\
 \hline
 110
 \end{array}
 \quad (1 + 1 = 0 \text{ carry } 1 \text{ to next column})$$

Now try this:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \quad 1 \\
 101 \\
 + 011 \\
 \hline
 1000
 \end{array}
 \quad (\text{all columns involve carry})$$

And this,

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \quad 1 \\
 111 \\
 + 011 \\
 \hline
 1010
 \end{array}
 \quad (\text{all columns involve carry, remember } 1+1+1 = 1 \text{ carry } 1 \text{ to next column})$$

Try these examples:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1011010 \\
 + 0110000 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1100011 \\
 + 0111100 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1101011 \\
 + 111011 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r}
 11 \\
 1011010 \\
 + 0110000 \\
 \hline
 10001010
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 \\
 1100011 \\
 + 0111100 \\
 \hline
 10011111
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 11111 \\
 1101011 \\
 + 111011 \\
 \hline
 10100110
 \end{array}$$

It doesn't matter how many digits (bits) there are in the binary number the rules are the same. Remember:

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 + 0 &= 1 \\
 1 + 1 &= 10 \\
 1 + 1 + 1 &= 11
 \end{aligned}$$

Another, longer example:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1111111111 \\
 111001101000110001 \\
 + 1110011110000011 \\
 \hline
 1001000000110110100
 \end{array}$$

Now try these examples: (results on the next page)

a)
$$\begin{array}{r}
 10110001 \\
 + 1111100 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

b)
$$\begin{array}{r}
 101011001111 \\
 + 10000101 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

c)
$$\begin{array}{r}
 110011001100 \\
 + 1110100100 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

d)
$$\begin{array}{r}
 111100001111 \\
 + 101010101 \\
 \hline
 \end{array}$$

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- a) $1011\ 0001 + 111\ 1100 = 1\ 0010\ 1101$
- b) $1010\ 1100\ 1111 + 1\ 0000\ 0101 = 1011\ 1101\ 0100$
- c) $1100\ 1100\ 1100 + 11\ 1010\ 0100 = 1\ 0000\ 0111\ 0000$
- d) $1111\ 0000\ 1111 + 10\ 1010\ 0101 = 1\ 0001\ 1011\ 0100$