

Objectives - Thu 3/7/2019

- Endianness
- x/
- Bit operations

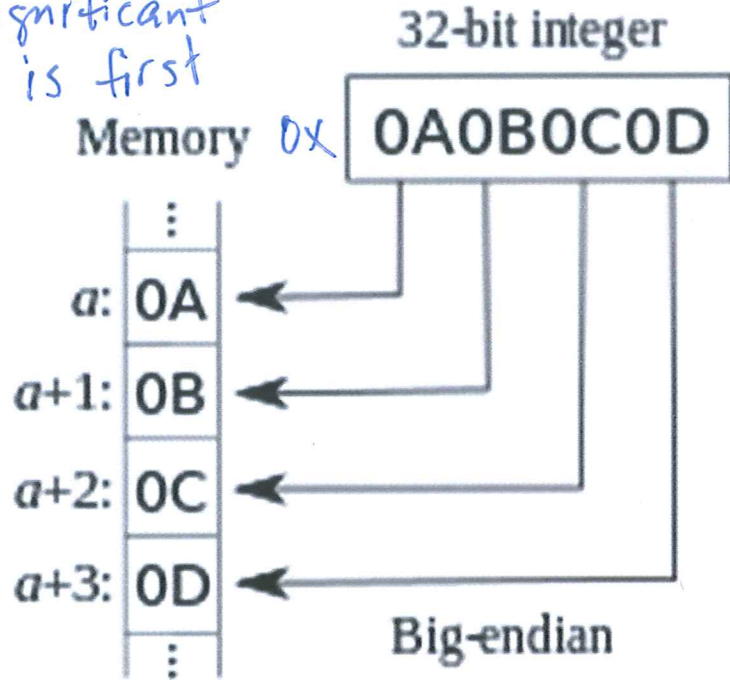
x/ units

	<u># of bytes</u>	<u># of bits</u>	<u># of hex digits</u>
bit	$\frac{1}{8}$	1	1
nibble (1 hex digit)	$\frac{1}{2}$	4	1
byte	1	8	2
half-word	2	16	4
<u>word</u> 4 bytes	4	32	8
giant	8	64	16

8888

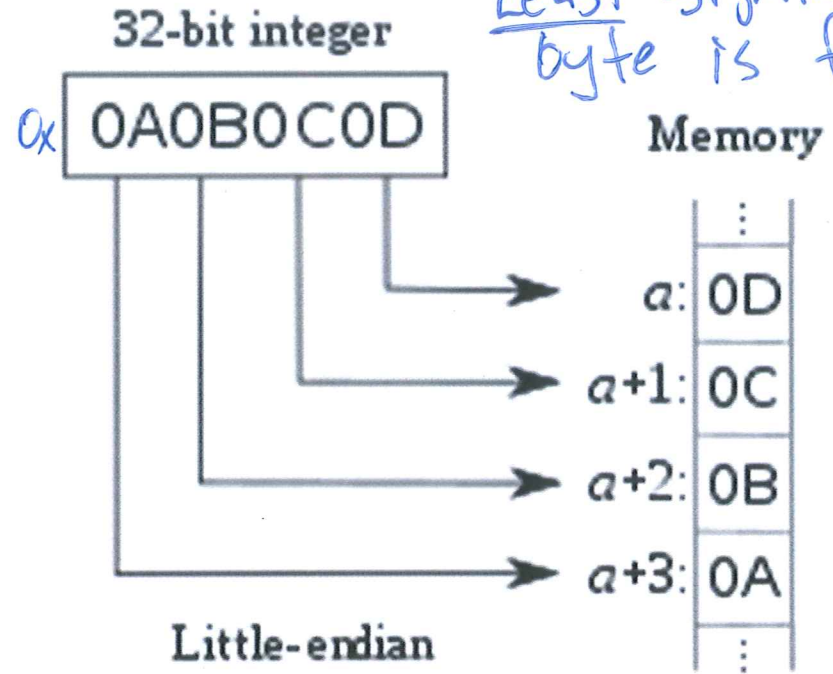
Big endian

Most significant byte is first



Little endian

Least significant byte is first



Open RISC

IBM z/series



humans (vs)

ece grid

Your PC at home

Your phone

Your watch

Credit: <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Endianness>

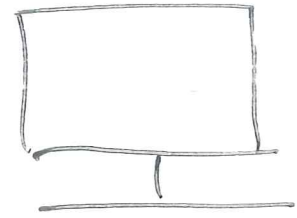
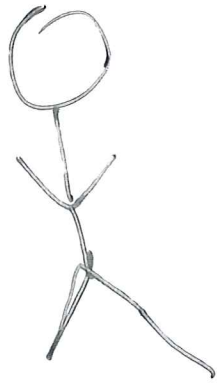
YOUR COMPUTER IS WIERD

giant

g g g g g

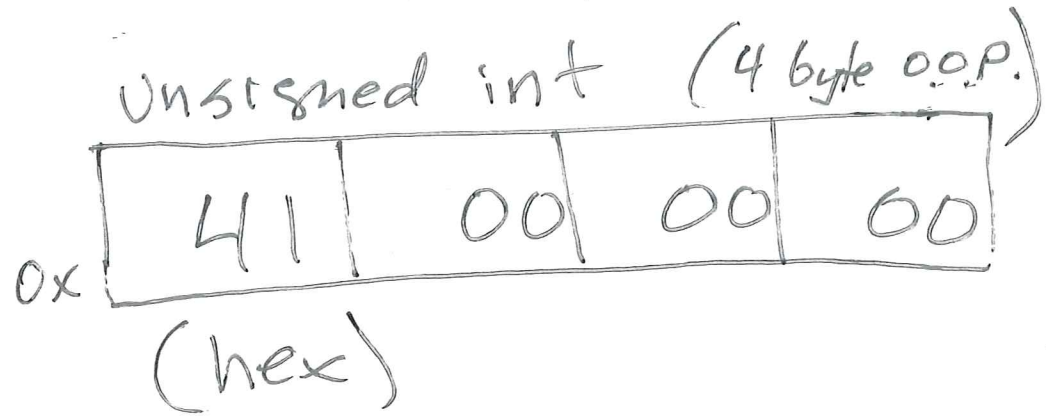
Why

"sixty-five"
('A' == 0x41)



0000 65

write only what
we need



most significant byte



least significant digit



0x 0a 0b 0c 0d

168496141

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Little endian affects only
within a single number
(eg. int, address)

Arrays + struct objects
are in the order in
your code — not
"strange"

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struct Point {  
    int x; ← first  
    int y;   in memory  
};
```

What gets "flipped"?
(by little endian)

flipped (bytes)

multi byte numbers

int

long

address

float

not flipped

hex digits within
a byte

array elements

struct fields

(in order given in
type definition)

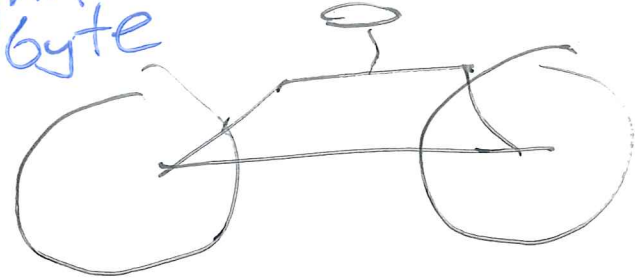
bits (within a byte)

As a C literal (human-readable)

0x 0a 0b 0c 0d

most significant byte

least significant byte



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most significant digit