

Data type declaration *	Number of bits	Range of values
char k; unsigned char k; uint8_t k;	8	0..255
signed char k; int8_t k;	8	-128..+127
short k; signed short k; int16_t k;	16	-32768..+32767
unsigned short k; uint16_t k;	16	0..65535
intk; signed intk; int32_t k;	32	-2147483648.. +2147483647
unsigned intk; uint32_t k;	32	0..4294967295

intx_t and uintx_t defined in stdint.h

Automatic variable example.

- Declare within a function/procedure
- Variable is visible (has scope) only within that function
 - Space for the variable is allocated on the system stack when the procedure is entered. Deallocated, to be re-used, when the procedure is exited
 - If only 1 or 2 variables, the compiler may allocate them to registers within that procedure, instead of allocating memory.
 - Values are not retained between procedure calls

Variables must be initialized each time the procedure is entered since values are not retained when the procedure is exited.

```
void delay ()
{
    int i,j; //automatic variables –visible only within delay()
    for (i=0; i<100; i++)
    { //outer loop
        for (j=0; j<20000; j++)
        { //inner loop
            //do nothing
        }
    }
}
```

Static variable example

```
unsigned char count; //global variable is static –allocated a fixed RAM location
//count can be referenced by any function
```

```
void math_op() {
    int i; //automatic variable –allocated space on stack when function entered
    static int j; //static variable –allocated a fixed RAM location to maintain the value
    if (count == 0) //test value of global variable count
```

```

        j = 0; //initialize static variable j first time math_op() entered
        i = count; //initialize automatic variable i each time math_op() entered
        j = j + i; //change static variable j –value kept for next function call
    } //return & deallocate space used by automatic variable i

```

```

void main(void) {
    count = 0; //initialize global variable count
    while (1) {
        math_op();
        count++; //increment global variable count
    }
}

```

Arithmetic operations

C examples –with standard arithmetic operators

```

    int i, j, k;           // 32-bit signed integers
    uint8_t m, n, p;      // 8-bit unsigned numbers
    i = j + k;            // add 32-bit integers
    m = n - 5;           // subtract 8-bit numbers
    j = i * k;            // multiply 32-bit integers
    m = n / p;           // quotient of 8-bit divide
    m = n % p;           // remainder of 8-bit divide
    i = (j + k) * (i - 2); // arithmetic expression

```

*, /, % are higher in precedence than +, - (higher precedence applied 1st)

Example: $j * k + m / n = (j * k) + (m / n)$

Bit-parallel logical operators

Bit-parallel (bitwise) logical operators produce n-bit results of the corresponding logical operation: &(AND) |(OR) ^(XOR) ~(Complement)

```

C = A & B; A 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0
(AND) B 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1
      C 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0

```

```

C = A | B; A 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0
(OR) B 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0
      C 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 0

```

```

C = A ^ B; A 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0
(XOR) B 1 0 1 1 0 0 1 1
      C 1 1 0 1 0 1 1 1

```

```

B = ~A;      A 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0
(COMPLEMENT) B 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 1

```

Bit set/reset/complement/test

Use a “mask” to select bit(s) to be altered

```

C = A & 0xFE; A a b c d e f g h Clear selected bit of A
              0xFE 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 0

```

C a b c d e f g 0

C = A & 0x01; A a b c d e f g h Clear all but the selected bit of A
0xFE 00000001
C 0000000h

C = A | 0x01; A a b c d e f g h Set selected bit of A
0x01 00000001
C a b c d e f g 1

C = A ^ 0x01; A a b c d e f g h Complement selected bit of A
0x01 00000001
C a b c d e f g h'

Bit examples for input/output

- Create a "pulse" on bit 0 of PORTA (assume bit is initially 0)

```
PORTA = PORTA | 0x01; //Force bit 0 to 1  
PORTA = PORTA & 0xFE; //Force bit 0 to 0
```

- Examples:

```
if ( (PORTA & 0x80) != 0 ) //Or: ((PORTA & 0x80) == 0x80)
```

```
    bob(); // call bob() if bit 7 of PORTA is 1
```

```
c = PORTB & 0x04; // mask all but bit 2 of PORTB value
```

```
if ((PORTA & 0x01) == 0) // test bit 0 of PORTA
```

```
    PORTA = c | 0x01; // write c to PORTA with bit 0 set to 1
```

Shift operators

Shift operators:

x >> y (right shift operand x by y bit positions)

x << y (left shift operand x by y bit positions)

Vacated bits are filled with 0's.

Shift right/left fast way to multiply/divide by power of 2

B = A << 3; A 1 0 1 0 1 1 0 1
(Left shift 3 bits) B 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0

B = A >> 2; A 1 0 1 1 0 1 0 1
(Right shift 2 bits) B 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1

B = '1'; B = 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 (ASCII 0x31)

C = '5'; C = 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 1 (ASCII 0x35)

D = (B << 4) | (C & 0x0F);

(B << 4) = 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0

(C & 0x0F) = 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1

D = 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 (Packed BCD 0x15)

Relational Operators

Test relationship between two variables/expressions

Test	TRUE condition	Notes
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(m == b)	m equal to b	Double =
(m != b)	m not equal to b	
(m < b)	m less than b	1
(m <= b)	m less than or equal to b	1
(m > b)	m greater than b	1
(m >= b)	m greater than or equal to b	1
(m)	m non-zero	
(1)	always TRUE	
(0)	always FALSE	

Boolean operators

- Boolean operators &&(AND) and ||(OR) produce TRUE/FALSE results when testing multiple TRUE/FALSE conditions

```
if ((n > 1) && (n < 5)) //test for n between 1 and 5
if ((c = 'q') || (c = 'Q')) //test c = lower or upper case Q
```

- Note the difference between Boolean operators &&, || and bitwise logical operators &, |

```
if ( k && m) //test if k and m both TRUE (non-zero values)
if ( k & m) //compute bitwise AND between m and n,
//thentest whether the result is non-zero (TRUE)
```

Function arguments

Calling program can pass information to a function in two ways

- By value: pass a constant or a variable value function can use, but not modify the value
- By reference: pass the address of the variable function can both read and update the variable
- Values/addresses are typically passed to the function by pushing them onto the system stack Function retrieves the information from the stack

Example –pass by reference

```
/* Function to calculate x2*/
void square ( int x, int*y) { //value of x, address of y
    *y = x * x; //write result to location whose address is y
}

void main {
int k,n; //local variables –scope limited to main
n = 5;
    square(n, &k); //calculate n-squared and put result in k
    square(5, &n); // calculate 5-squared and put result in n
}
```

In the above, *main* tells *square* the location of its local variable, so that *square* can write the result to that variable.