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01011110



10011011 B

??? C = A & & B







NOTE: we are assuming an 8-bit value

Representing Logical Values

Most of the time, we represent logical values using a multi-bit value. (e.g., using 8 or 16 bits). The rules are:

- A value of zero is interpreted as *false*
- A non-zero value is interpreted as *true*

Representing Logical Values

A logical operator will give a result of *true* or *false*:

- false is represented with a value of zero (0)
- *true* is represented with a value of one (1)

Other Operators

LOGICAL Bit-Wise

- OR: || |
- NOT: ! ~
- XOR: ^
- Shift left: <<
- Shift right: >>

When coding: keep this distinction straight

Putting the Bit-Wise Operators to Work: Bit Manipulation

Assume a variable A is declared as such:

u_int8_t A;

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A = A | 4;

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What is the code that allows us to set bit 2 of A to 0?

$$A = A \& OxFB;$$

or

 $A = A \& \sim 4;$

Bit Shifting

What are the values of B and C? What mathematical operations have we performed?