

CONVERSION BETWEEN NUMBER SYSTEMS. PART 1: FROM DECIMAL TO ANY...

Lecture 6



QUESTIONS

- 1. What is a number system?
- 2. Which number systems do you know?
- 3. What is a radix (base of number system)? What does it mean?
- 4. What is an alphabet (or set of symbols) of a number system? What's the alphabet of decimal number system?

HOW TO CONVERT FROM DEC TO ANY?

•There are many methods or techniques which can be used to convert numbers from one base to another.

AN EXAMPLE



EXAMPLES



ALGORITHM

- **Step 1 -** Divide the decimal number to be converted by the value of the new base.
- •**Step 2 -** Get the remainder from Step 1 as the rightmost digit (least significant digit) of new base number.
- •Step 3 Divide the quotient of the previous divide by the new base.
- **Step 4 -** Record the remainder from Step 3 as the next digit (to the left) of the new base number.

Repeat Steps 3 and 4, getting remainders from right to left, until the quotient becomes zero in Step 3.

FRACTION

0, **375**₁₀

 $0, 375_{10} = 0,011_2$

AN EXAMPLE

 $16,24_{10} = ?_5$



$$16,24_{10} = 31_5 + 0,11_5 = 31,11_5$$

TASKS TO DO

convert decimal numbers to new system:

A number in decimal system	New base (new radix)
5	2
12	7
24	16
29	16
9,5	8
16	2

HOME TASKS

convert decimal numbers to new system:

A number in decimal system	New base (new radix)
23	2
29	8
62	16
8,25	2
8	8
2,5	2