## CS100J 29 March 2007 Reading: 8.5 Arrays: searching & sorting. Searching and sorting algorithms are on the course website. Why did I get a Christmas Card on Halloween? Decimal Octal Binary Decimal Octal Binary Decimal Octal Binary 10101 32

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Decimal 5482: 5*10<sup>3</sup> + 4*10<sup>2</sup> + 8*10<sup>1</sup> + 2*10<sup>0</sup>

Octal 3726: 3*8<sup>3</sup> + 7*8<sup>2</sup> + 2*8<sup>1</sup> + 6*10<sup>0</sup>

Binary 1011: 1*2<sup>3</sup> + 0*2<sup>2</sup> + 1*2<sup>1</sup> + 1*2<sup>0</sup>

/** = a string that contains the binary representation of n. Precondition: n >= 0 */

public static String binary(int n) {
    if (n <= 1)
        return "" + n;

    return binary(n/2) + (n%2);
}
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Getting an invariant as picture:
Combine pre- and
post-condition
                                reds
                                            whites
                                                              blues
                         post:
 Dutch national flag
                                 0
                                reds
                                           whites
                                                              blues
 Finding the minimum
                          pre:
  value of an array
                                        x is the min of this
                                x is the min of this
                         inv:
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• Linear search. Vague spec.: find first occurrence of v in b[h..k-1]. Better spec.: Store an integer in i to truthify: postcondition: (0) v is not in b[h..i-1] (1) Either i = k or v = b[k]v is not in b[h..i-1] • Finding the min. Vague spec.: Find the min of b[h..k] Better spec.: Precondition: h <= k (because an empty set of values has no min) Store in m to truthify: postcondition: b[m] is the min of b[h..k] (and it is first occur. of the min) b[m] is the min of b[h..t-1] (and it is first occur. of the min) • Binary search: Vague spec: Look for v in sorted array segment b[h..k]. Better spec: Precondition: b[h..k] is sorted (in ascending order). Store in i to truthify: postcondition:  $b[h..i] \le v$  and v < b[i+1..k]invariant:  $b[h..i] \le v$  and v < b[j..k]











