



## Octal and hexadecimal Number System – Conversions, Examples

**Octal** Every digit has to be converted to a 3-bit binary number. Thus, we get the binary equivalent of the number.

**hexadecimal** Every digit has to be converted to a 4-bit binary number. Thus, we get the binary equivalent of the number.

Let's understand this with the help of an example.

**Example: Convert  $(16)_8$  into a binary number.** Then to **hexadecimal**

**Solution:**  $(16)_8$  is an octal number.

With the above conversion, we can write

$$1_8 = 001_2 \text{ and } 6_8 = 110_2$$

$$\text{Thus, } (16)_8 = (001110)_2$$

$$\text{So } (16)_8 = (0E)_{16}$$

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$$1_{16} = 0001_2 \text{ and } 6_{16} = 0110_2$$

$$\text{Thus, } (16)_{16} = (00010110)_2$$

$$\text{So } (16)_{16} = (26)_8$$

**Convert each hex digit to 4 binary digits and then convert each 3 binary digits to octal digits**

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