

## Domain of a processor

### Processor rules its domain

- **Main memory:**
  - addressing scheme (perhaps 16 or 32 bits)

### Ports (addressable) for

- **Graphics for display**
- **Keyboard**
- **Network interface**
- **Secondary storage**

Multi-core?

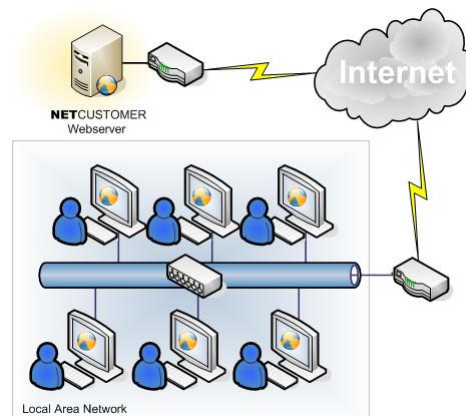
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## Other domains

- **Local network**
  - Addressing/access mechanism in the network
- **Internet – Global network**
  - Addressing/access mechanism in the network



## What a computer does

- **Stores information**
  - Storage technology
  - Access & addressing method, Access delay
  - Amount of storage, cost
- **Moves information**
  - Controlling transfers
  - bits transferred at a time
  - Serial/parallel/block
- **Manipulates information**
  - Arithmetic/logic operations
  - Searching & reorganization

## Chronology of Computing Ideas

### BC:

- Roman number system (XII, IV) etc: ?
- Abacus tablets with calculi pebbles: 500 BCE
- Mail: 550 BCE: Cyrus the great
  - “Neither rain nor snow ... shall keep the postman from his appointed rounds”
- Algorithm: Euclid 300 BCE greatest common divisor algorithm
- Binary system: I-Ching 3<sup>rd</sup> BCE
- Antikythera mechanism: analog computation device: 150 BCE

### 5-9<sup>th</sup> CE:

- Positional Decimal system with 0: fifth century
- Al-Khwarezmi 825: Algorithms using decimal numbers

### Since 10<sup>th</sup> CE:

- Floating point decimal numbers: 14<sup>th</sup> century

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### Early

1642 Pascal: automated carry in machines  
 1833: Babbage conditional control  
 1890: Hollerith: data recorded on punched cards

### 1940s:

1941: Zusa: binary system machine, floating point numbers (0 and infinity)  
 1943: Aiken: subroutines  
 1945: Von Neumann: unified memory holds both data and instructions  
 1946: ENIAC: Mauchly Eckert: programming by re-wiring  
 1948: Wheeler: assembly language

### 1950s:

1951: Wilkes: Microprogramming  
 1952: Grace Hopper: first compiler  
 1953: Backus: FORTRAN one of the first high level languages  
 1955: Bauer: computer stack  
 1958: Kilby: multiple switches on a chip: IC

### 1960s

1962: Steve Russell: Spacewar game  
 1964: Kemeny & Kurtz: BASIC: interpretation  
 1964: Engelbart: mouse and windows  
 1964: Kleinrock: packet switching  
 1969: 4-machine arpanet: internet

### 1970s:

1971: 4004: processor on a chip  
 1970s: Kay: Xerox PARC small talk: object oriented programming  
 1971: Shugart: floppy  
 1971: email  
 1975: Altair: switch programmable  
 1978: SPAM is born

### Recent:

1980s: Cocke: RISC architecture  
 1990: Lee: browser  
 1994: Gosling: Java virtual machine

## Euclid



## Postman



## Antikythera Mechanism

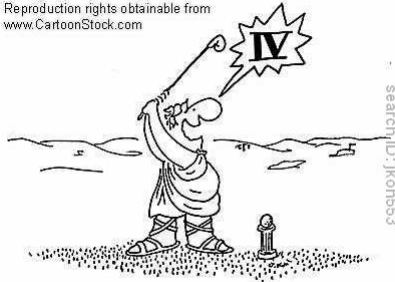


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# Roman Numerals

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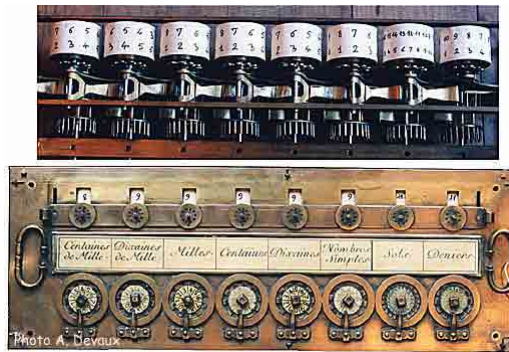


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### Counting board and Decimal numbers



### Pascal



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- **1972: C** Dennis Ritchie
  - **1979: C++** Bjarne Stroustrup
  - **1994: Java**
    - 1996: JDK 1.0 with AWT (Abstract Window Toolkit)
    - 1998: J2SE 1.2 with swing
    - 2004: J2SE 5.0 (Java 2 Platform, St. Ed.) “1.5”
    - 2006: Java SE 6
    - Latest 1.6.0\_16 (a.k.a Version 6 Update 16)
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## Java using Command Prompt

- **Compile using javac HelloWorld.java**
    - Check version: javac -version
  - **Run using java HelloWorld**
  - **Running Applets: appletviewer HelloWorld.html**  
..<applet code="HelloWorld.class" width=500 height=400></applet>..
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