

Think Pink - Communication Skills to Defeat Overlords

Colors, sounds, and various commonly used systems can be used in unconventional ways. Each cell should invent it's own systems, so that a breach does little damage to the entire body. Here is an example of how our cell "Puts a Hex" on someone – blacklists them, communicates a key code, gives someone "the finger", to sign a code, etc. Songs containing note sequences are excellent, since they can be referred to openly and can contain codes in the lyrics, the notes, the album art, etc.

•Color references in HTML, CSS and X Window can be expressed with six hexadecimal digits (two each for the red, green and blue components, in that order) prefixed with #: white, for example, is represented #FFFFFF. CSS allows 3-hexdigit abbreviations with one hexdigit per component: #FA3 abbreviates #FFAA33 (a golden orange: ■).

0 _{hex} = 0 _{dec} = 0 _{oct}	0	0	0	0
1 _{hex} = 1 _{dec} = 1 _{oct}	0	0	0	1
2 _{hex} = 2 _{dec} = 2 _{oct}	0	0	1	0
3 _{hex} = 3 _{dec} = 3 _{oct}	0	0	1	1
4 _{hex} = 4 _{dec} = 4 _{oct}	0	1	0	0
5 _{hex} = 5 _{dec} = 5 _{oct}	0	1	0	1
6 _{hex} = 6 _{dec} = 6 _{oct}	0	1	1	0
7 _{hex} = 7 _{dec} = 7 _{oct}	0	1	1	1
8 _{hex} = 8 _{dec} = 10 _{oct}	1	0	0	0
9 _{hex} = 9 _{dec} = 11 _{oct}	1	0	0	1
A _{hex} = 10 _{dec} = 12 _{oct}	1	0	1	0
B _{hex} = 11 _{dec} = 13 _{oct}	1	0	1	1
C _{hex} = 12 _{dec} = 14 _{oct}	1	1	0	0
D _{hex} = 13 _{dec} = 15 _{oct}	1	1	0	1
E _{hex} = 14 _{dec} = 16 _{oct}	1	1	1	0
F _{hex} = 15 _{dec} = 17 _{oct}	1	1	1	1

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F	10
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	A	B	C	D	E	F	10
2	2	4	6	8	A	C	E	10	12	14	16	18	1A	1C	1E	20
3	3	6	9	C	F	12	15	18	1B	1E	21	24	27	2A	2D	30
4	4	8	C	10	14	18	1C	20	24	28	2C	30	34	38	3C	40
5	5	A	F	14	19	1E	23	28	2D	32	37	3C	41	46	4B	50
6	6	C	12	18	1E	24	2A	30	36	3C	42	48	4E	54	5A	60
7	7	E	15	1C	23	2A	31	38	3F	46	4D	54	5B	62	69	70
8	8	10	18	20	28	30	38	40	48	50	58	60	68	70	78	80
9	9	12	1B	24	2D	36	3F	48	51	5A	63	6C	75	7E	87	90
A	A	14	1E	28	32	3C	46	50	5A	64	6E	78	82	8C	96	A0
B	B	16	21	2C	37	42	4D	58	63	6E	79	84	8F	9A	A5	B0
C	C	18	24	30	3C	48	54	60	6C	78	84	90	9C	A8	B4	C0
D	D	1A	27	34	41	4E	5B	68	75	82	8F	9C	A9	B6	C3	D0
E	E	1C	2A	38	46	54	62	70	7E	8C	9A	A8	B6	C4	D2	E0
F	F	1E	2D	3C	4B	5A	69	78	87	96	A5	B4	C3	D2	E1	F0
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	A0	B0	C0	D0	E0	F0	100

Systems of counting on digits have been devised for both binary and hexadecimal. Arthur C.

Clarke suggested using each finger as an on/off bit, allowing finger counting from zero to 1023 on ten fingers. Another system for counting up to FF (255₁₀) is illustrated on the right.

