

Yes, Booth recoding can reduce the overall work...

- But why do negative multipliers work all of a sudden?

– Or, do they?

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10: beginning of a run of 1s, subtract multiplicand
11: middle of a run of 1s, do nothing
01: end of a run of 1s, add multiplicand

- First, use a naïve algorithm to find the answer
- Then, use Booth's recoding

4b signed example 0101
 x1010

In groups, list the partial product at each step (8b) for each case, go!

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0111 1001	0011 1100
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Negate Product:	1110 0010
	-30

Booth's Algorithm

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Negative multiplicand: 1011

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0000 1010 0	0000 0101 0
1011 0101 0	1101 1010 1
0010 1010 1	0001 0101 0
1100 0101 0	1110 0010 0
Final Product:	1110 0010
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