Integer Conversion



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The Challenge

Write a number to text conversion covering integers 0 to 100.

Conversion Algorithm

- 1.Factor for case structures.
- 2.Process by decades 0, 1, 2 ... to 10.
- 3. Exception: 90 is ninety, 91 is ninety-one.
- 4. Special handling for 10 to 19.
- 5.Report out of range error.

Setup

CREATE Output.Text 31 allot \ final text CREATE Scratch 31 allot \ interim text

Units Conversion

: do.units (n --- string2) \ convert 0..9 into a counted string 10 mod case 0 of c" zero" endof 1 of c" one" endof 2 of c" two" endof 3 of c" three" endof 4 of c" four" endof 5 of c" five" endof 6 of c" six" endof 7 of c" seven" endof 8 of c" eiqht" endof 9 of c" nine" endof abort" units error" endcase ;

Tens Conversion

- : add.teen (n --- addr1 addr2) do.units c" teen" ;
- : do.tens (n --- addr1 addr2) dup

case 10 of drop c" ten" c" " endof 11 of drop c" eleven" c" " endof 12 of drop c" twelve" c" " endof 13 of drop c" thirteen" c" " endof 14 of add.teen endof 15 of drop c" fifteen" c" " endof 16 of add_teen endof 17 of add.teen endof 18 of add.teen endof 19 of add.teen endof endcase ; abort" teens error"

Fixup For Decades

- \ 90 yields "ninety"
- \ 91 yields "ninety-one"

Top Down By Decade

- : all.decades (n --- string1 string2)
 \ resolve input by decade
 dup 100 > over 0< or abort" out of range"
 dup 10 /</pre>
 - case 10 of drop

c''	one hund	endof		
9 of c"	ninety"	do.decade	endof	
8 of c"	eighty"	do.decade	endof	
7 of c"	seventy"	do.decade	endof	
6 of c"	sixty"	do.decade	endof	
5 of c"	fifty"	do.decade	endof	
4 of c"	forty"	do.decade	endof	
3 of c"	thirty"	do.decade	endof	
2 of c"	twenty"	do.decade	endof	
1 of		do.tens	endof	
Øof	do.units c" "		endof	
abort" decade error"			endcase	

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Top Level Elements

- \ Convert and display one integer.
- : convert.one (n ---)
 all.decades output.text concat
 output.text count type ;
- \ Report writer, integers 0 to 100.
- : full cr 101 0 do cr i 4 .r 2 spaces i convert.one loop ;

Output Example

- 0 zero
- 1 one
- 2 two
- 3 three
- 4 Four
- 5 five
- 6 six
- 7 seven
- 8 eight
- 9 nine

- 10 ten
- 11 eleven
- 12 twelve
- 13 thirteen
- 14 fourteen
- 15 fifteen
- 16 sixteen
- 17 seventeen
- 18 eighteen
- 19 nineteen

Example 20s to 100

- 20 twenty
- 21 twenty-one
- 22 twenty-two
- 23 twenty-three
- 24 twenty-four
- 25 twenty-five
- 26 twenty-six
- 27 twenty-seven
- 28 twenty-eight
- 29 twenty-nine

- 90 ninety
- 91 ninety-one
- 92 ninety-two
- 93 ninety-three
- 94 ninety-four
- 95 ninety-five
- 96 ninety-six
- 97 ninety-seven
- 98 ninety-eight
- 99 ninety-nine
- 100 one hundred ok

Summary

The programming took more effort than I anticipated.

Win32Forth has no string concatenate. That was the highest effort task.

There are many irregularities in low numbers. Our children learn by rote.

How do non-English speakers learn?

For voice response, the hyphen '-' would be omitted.