

Binary Tree

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Data Structure and Algorithm

Post-order Traversal

I.

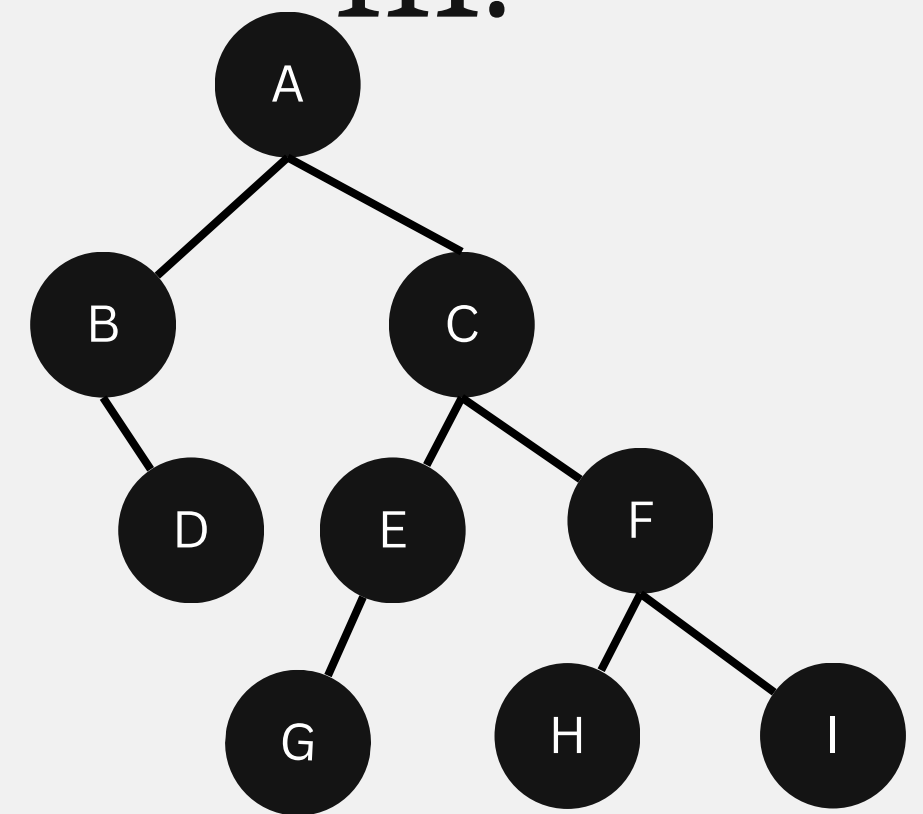
1. Traverse the left subtree in postorder.
2. Traverse the right subtree in postorder.
3. Visit the root.

II.

Algorithm

1. ptr=root
2. postorder(ptr)
3. if(ptr!=NULL)
 - a. postorder(ptr->left)
 - b. postorder(ptr->right)
 - c. print(ptr->info)

III.



D B G E H I F C A

In-order Traversal

I.

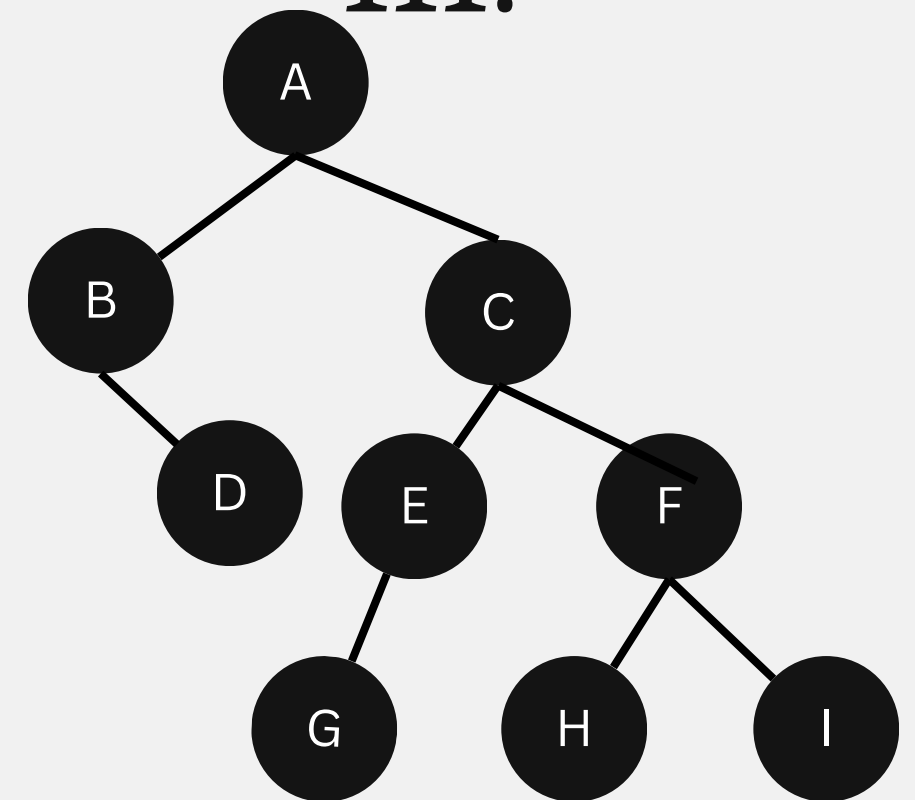
1. Traverse the left subtree in inorder.
2. Visit the root.
3. Traverse the right subtree in postorder

II.

Algorithm

1. ptr=root
2. inorder(ptr)
3. if(ptr!=NULL)
 - a. inorder(ptr->left)
 - b. print(ptr->info)
 - c. inorder(ptr->right)

III.



B D A G E C H F I

Binary Tree from In-order and Post-order

Post-order: 9, 1, 2, 12, 7, 5, 3, 11, 4, 8

Left Right Root

In-order: 9, 5, 1, 7, 2, 12, 8, 4, 3, 11

Left Root Right

For root look post-order from the end

For branch look in-order

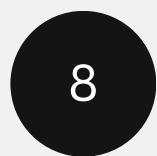
Implementation

Post-order: 9,1,2,12,7,5,3,11,4,8

In-order: 9,5,1,7,2,12,8,4,3,11

Phase 1

8 is taken first for the root.



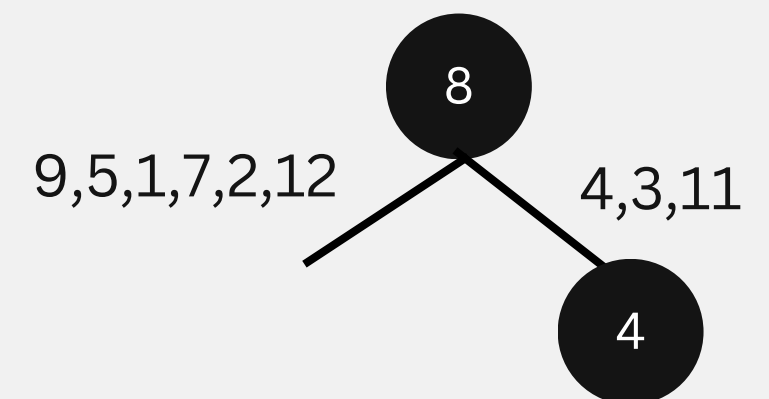
Phase 2

Left of 8 in inorder is left branch and right is right branch.



Phase 3

Next element in postorder is 4.



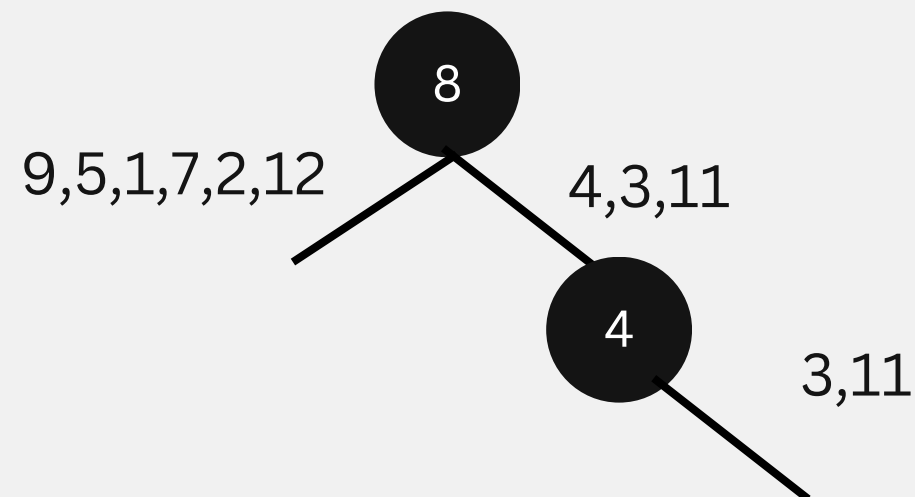
Implementation

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In-order: 9,5,1,7,2,12,8,4,3,11

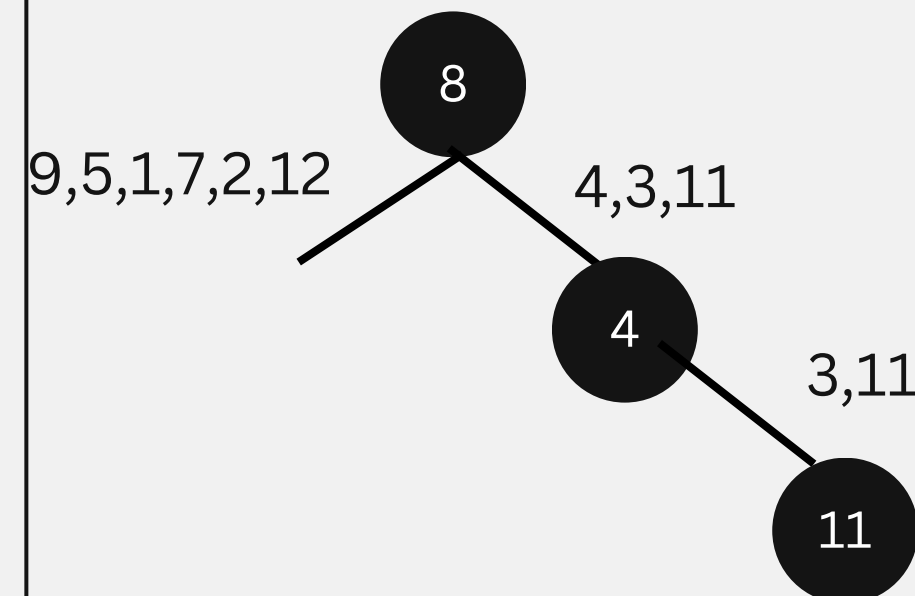
Phase 4

At left of 4 there is no element (i.e no left branch) and right elements in right branch.



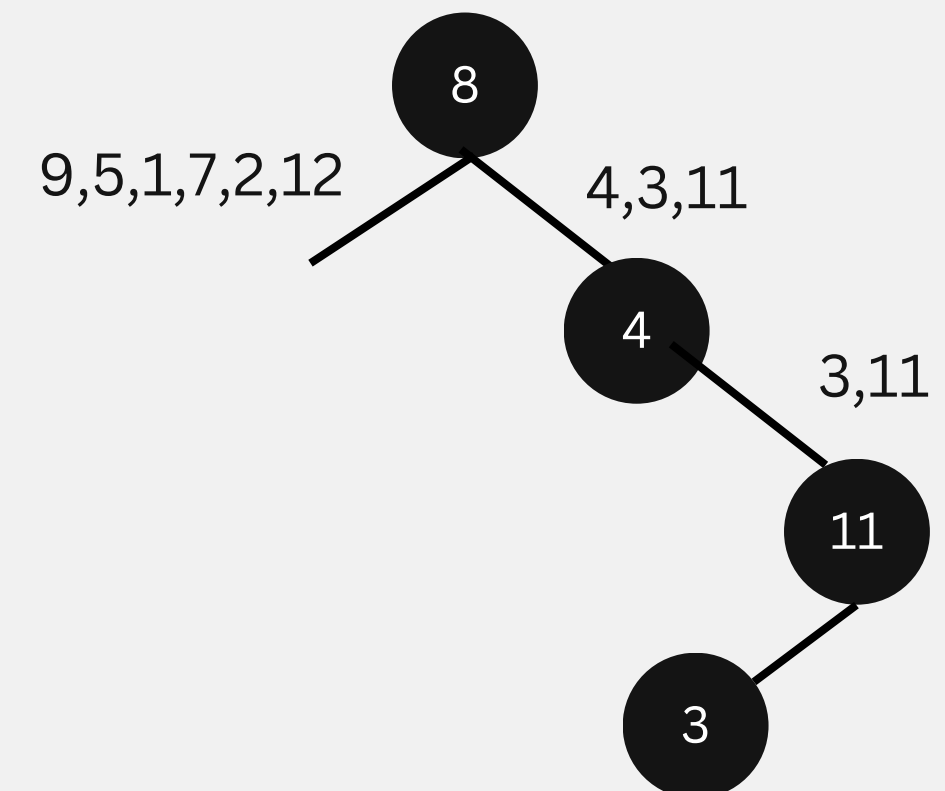
Phase 5

Next element in postorder is 11.



Phase 6

At right of 11 there is no element (i.e no right branch) and left element in left branch.



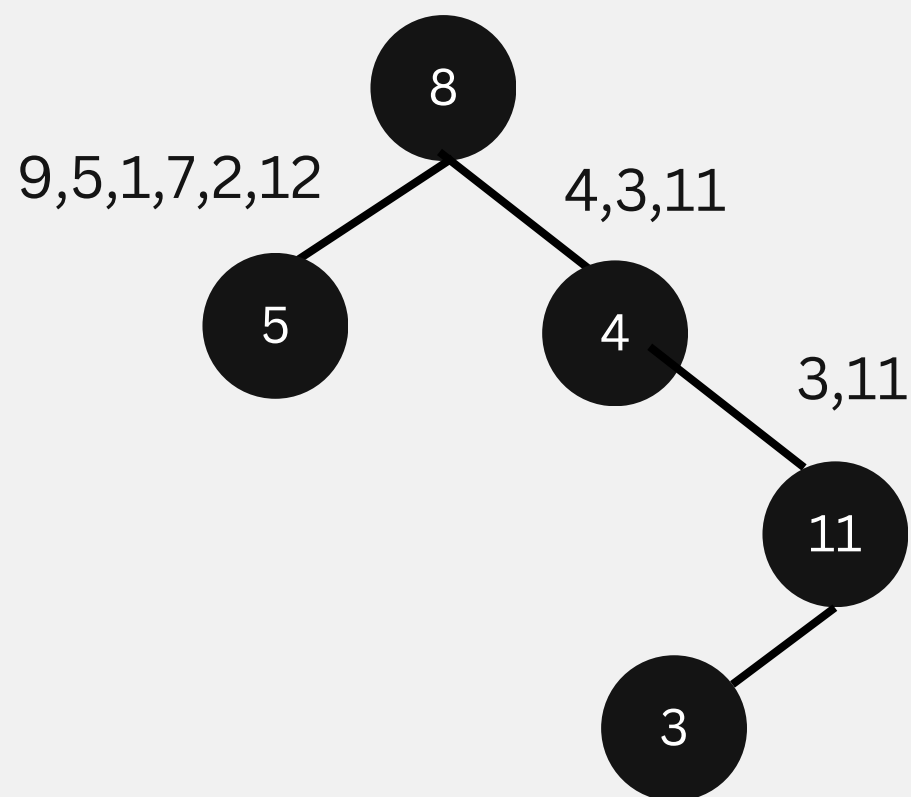
Implementation

Post-order: 9, 1, 2, 12, 7, 5, 3, 11, 4, 8

In-order: 9, 5, 1, 7, 2, 12, 8, 4, 3, 11

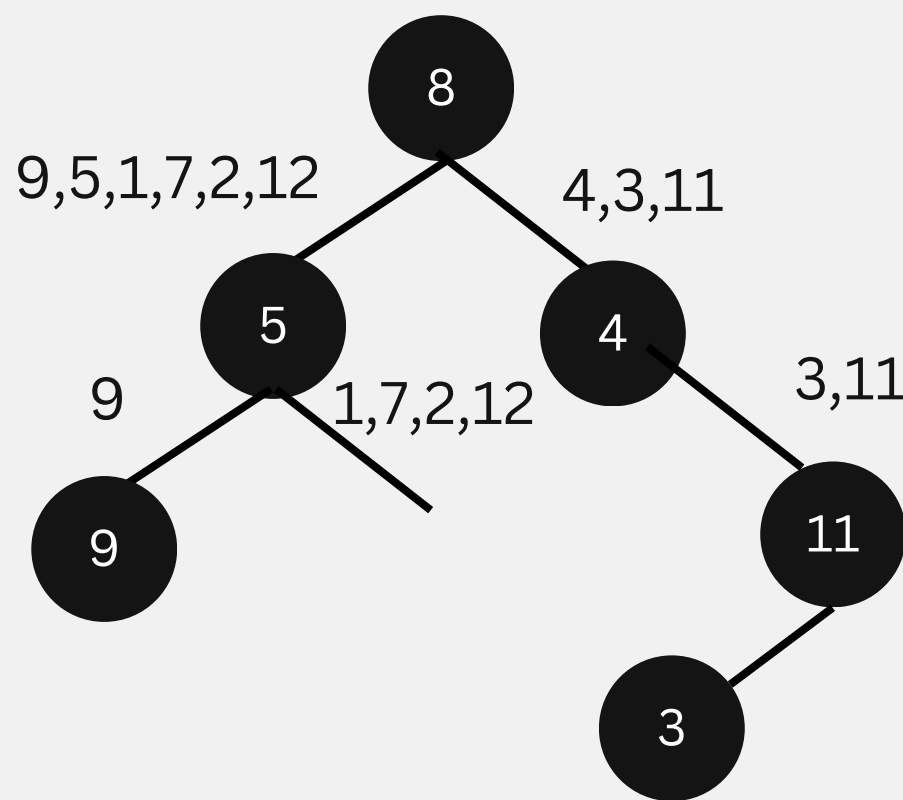
Phase 7

Next element in postorder is 5 which goes to left branch .



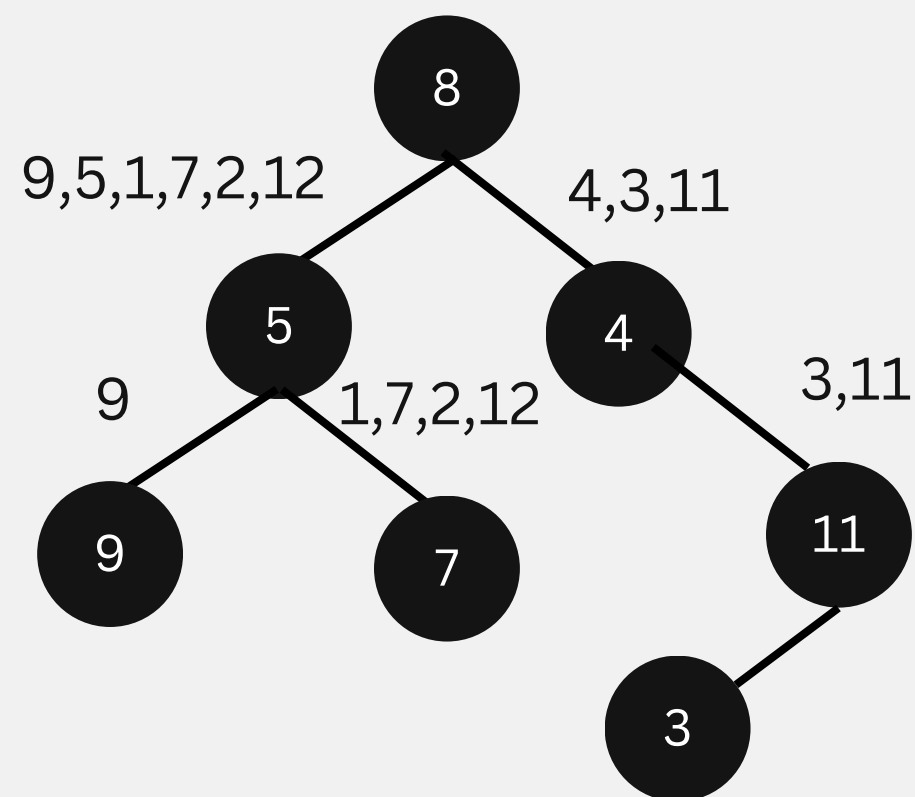
Phase 8

In inorder elements right to 5, lies in right branch and elements in left, lies in left branch.



Phase 9

In postorder next element is 7 which goes to right branch.



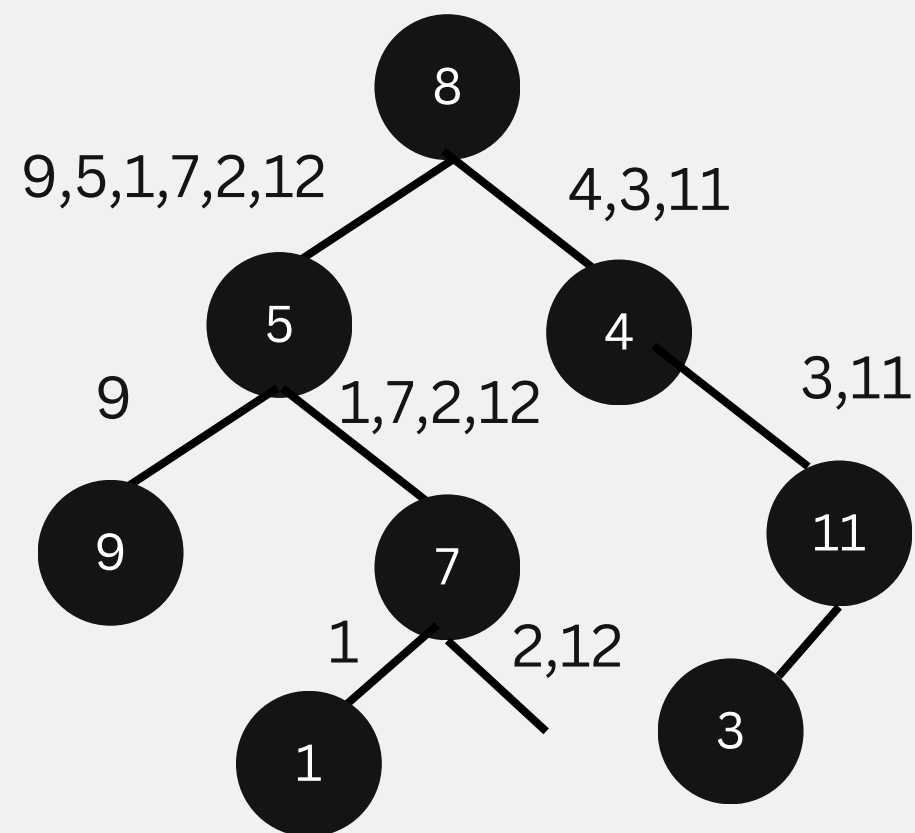
Implementation

Post-order: 9, 1, 2, 12, 7, 5, 3, 11, 4, 8

In-order: 9, 5, 1, 7, 2, 12, 8, 4, 3, 11

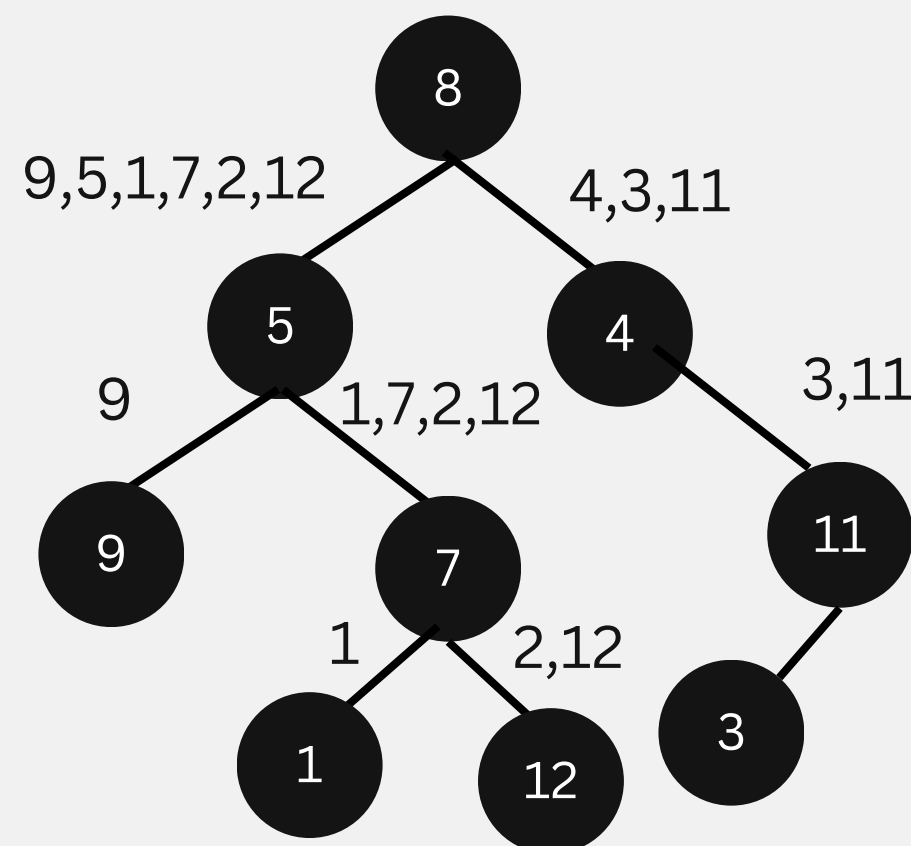
Phase 10

In inorder elements right to 7, lies in right branch and elements in left, lies in left branch.



Phase 11

In postorder next element is 12 which goes to right branch.



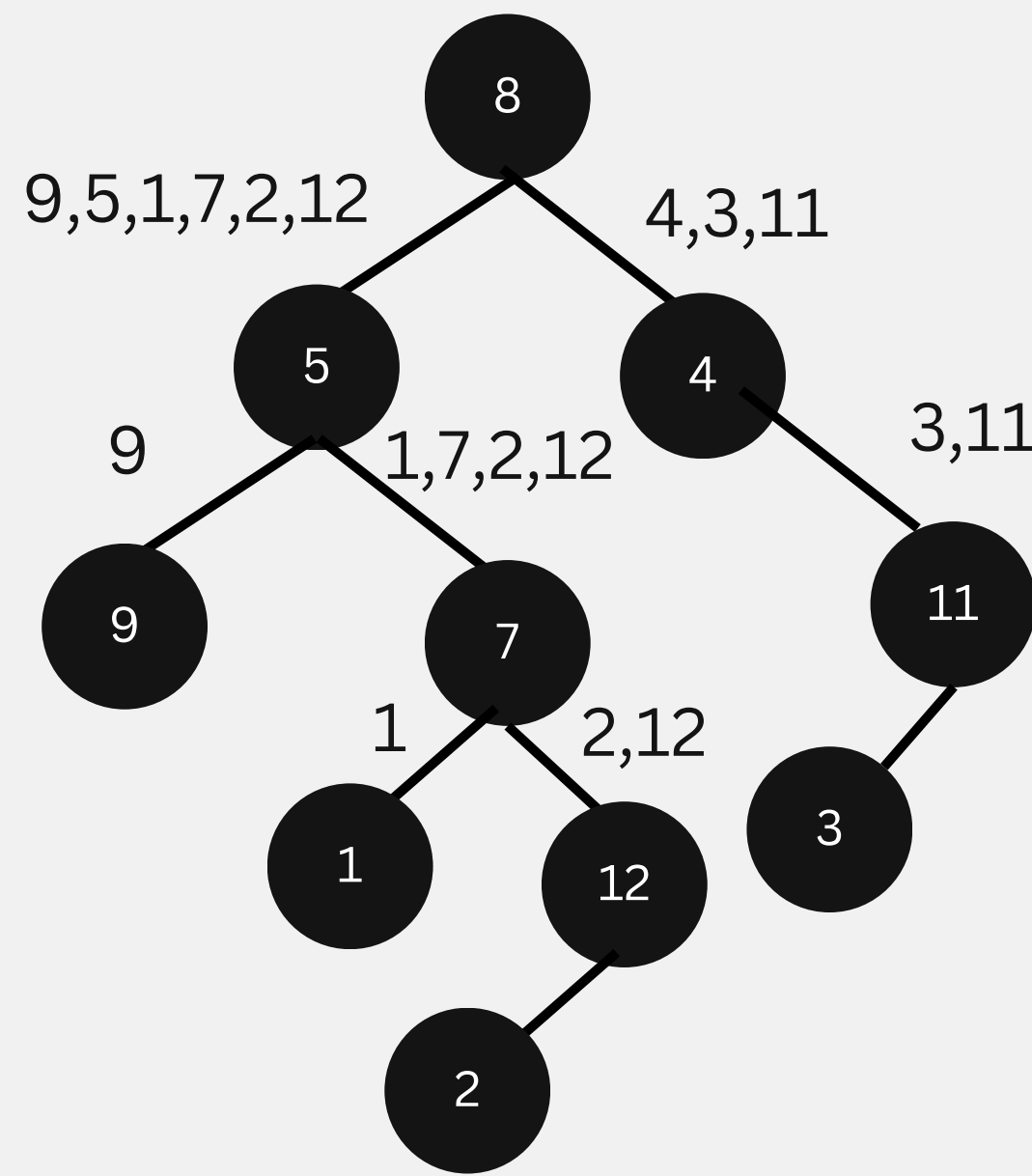
Implementation

Post-order:9,1,2,12,7,5,3,11,4,8

In-order:9,5,1,7,2,12,8,4,3,11

Final Phase

At right of 12 there is no element (i.e no right branch) and left element in left branch.



THANK YOU!