

# Chapter 6. Tree

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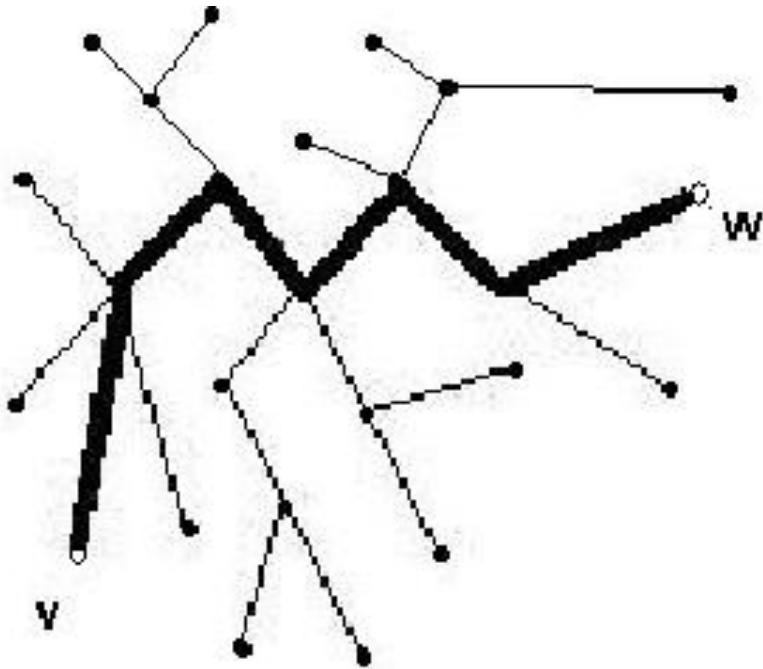
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# 1. Introduction

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A Graph is a TREE if graph is connected and Acyclic

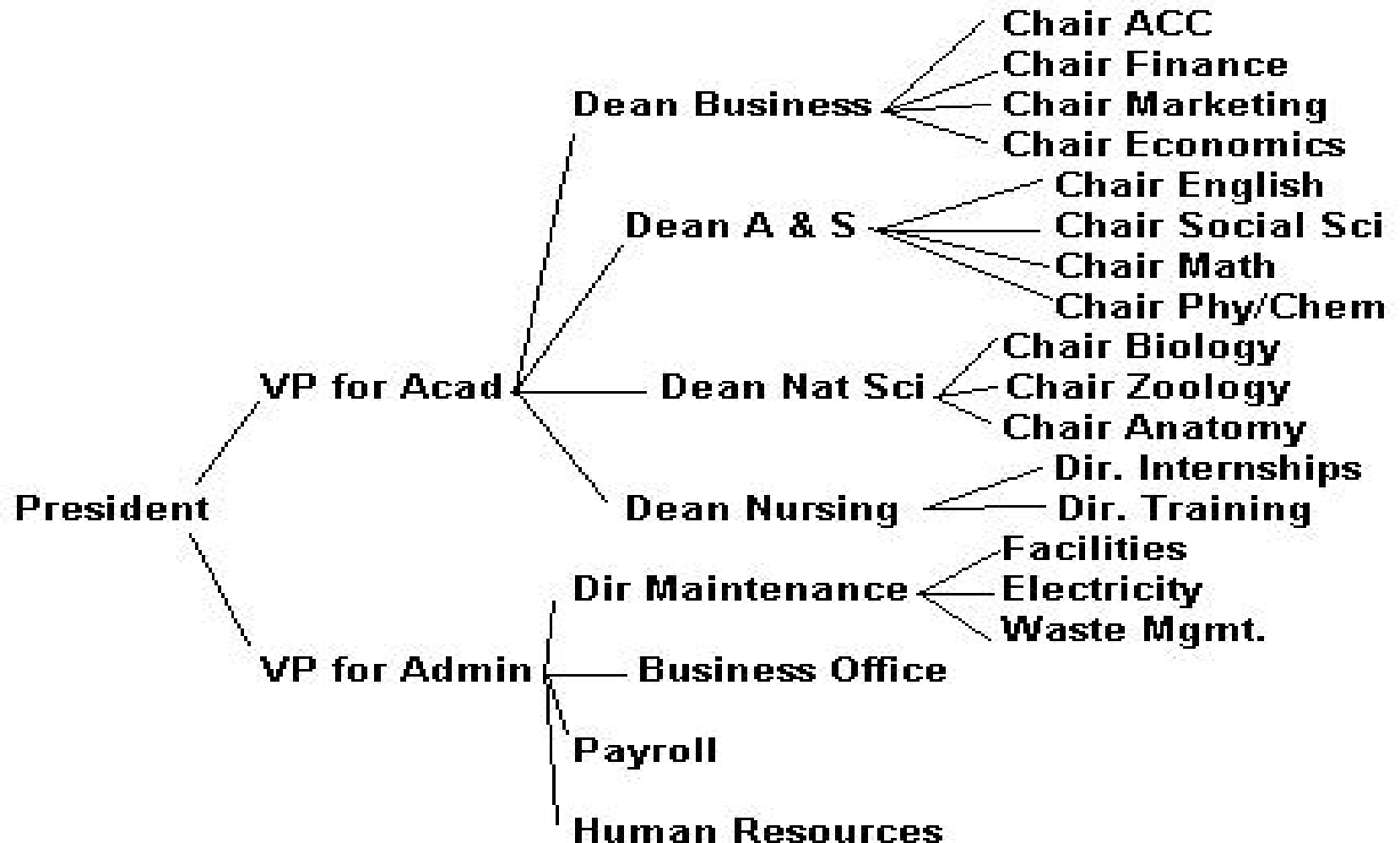


A *(free) tree*  $T$  is

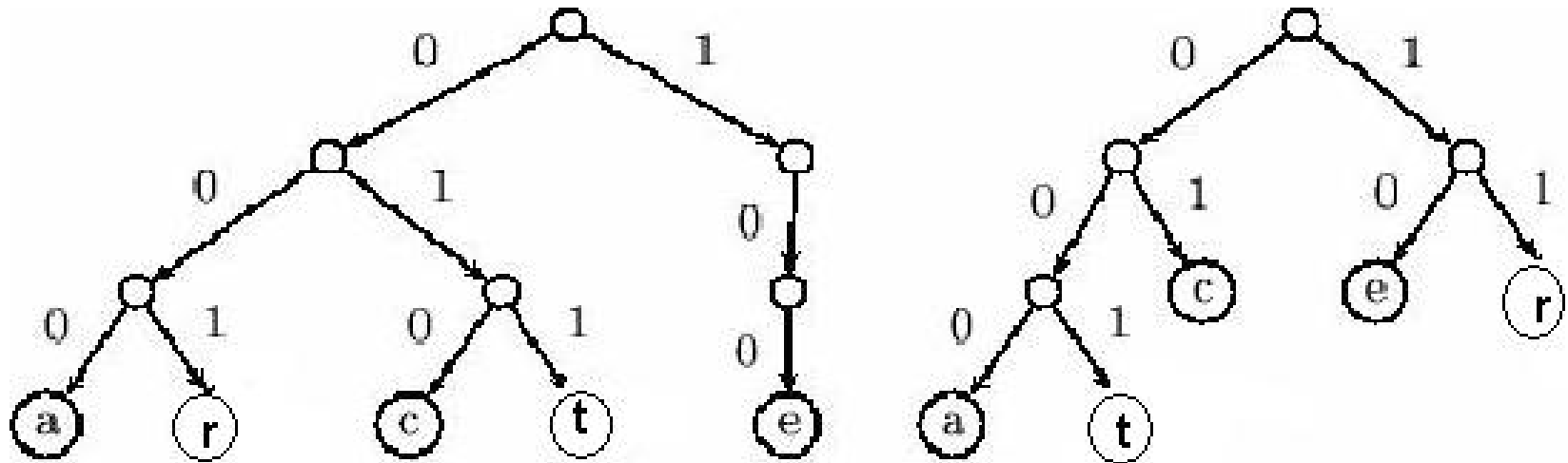
- ▶ A simple graph such that for every pair of vertices  $v$  and  $w$ , there is a unique path from  $v$  to  $w$
- ▶ *Representation vehicle* for expression evaluation in sorting and searching
- ▶ *Hierarchical Representation*

# Application - Organizational charts

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# Application - Huffman codes



- ▶ On the left tree the word **rate** is encoded  
001 000 011 100
- ▶ On the right tree, the same word **rate** is encoded  
11 000 001 10

# 1.1 Terminology

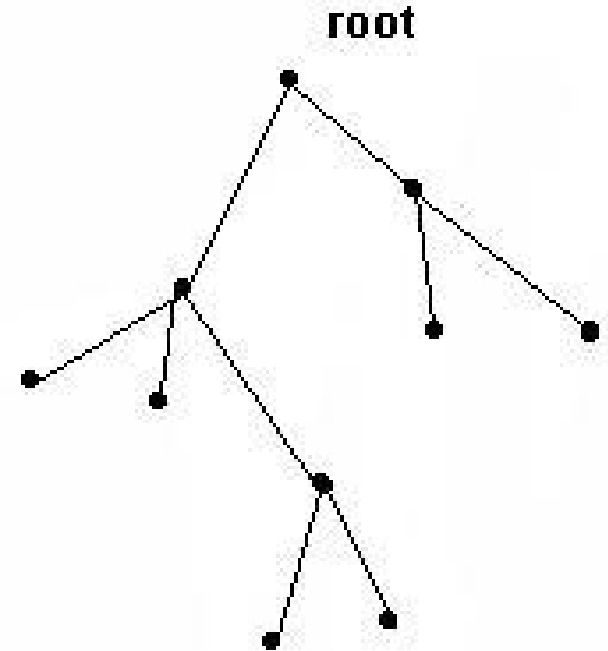
- \* **Rooted Tree:** one of its vertices is designated as the *root*

Let  $T$  be a rooted tree:

- ▶ The *level*  $l(v)$  of a vertex  $v$  is the length of the simple path from  $v$  to the root of the tree
- ▶ The *height*  $h$  of a rooted tree  $T$  is the maximum of all level numbers of its vertices:

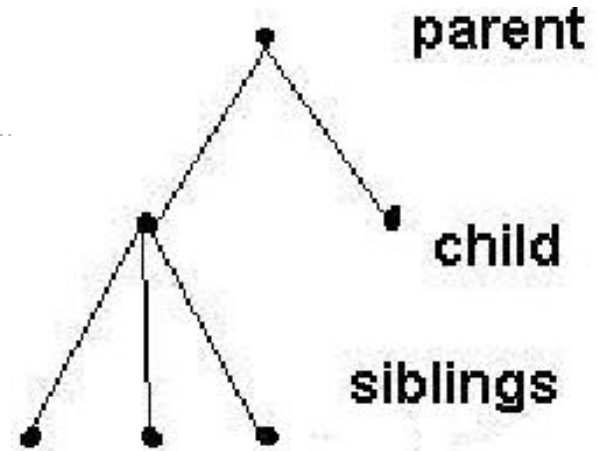
$$h = \max_{v \in V(T)} \{ l(v) \}$$

Ex) the tree on the right has height 3

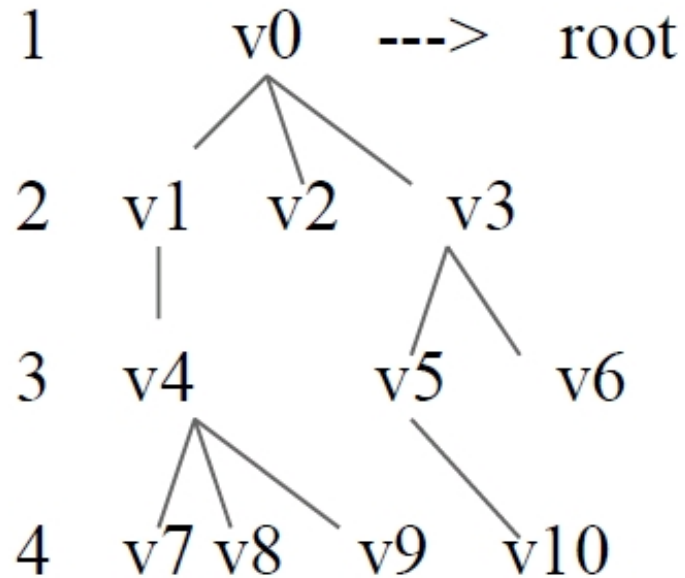


# Terminology

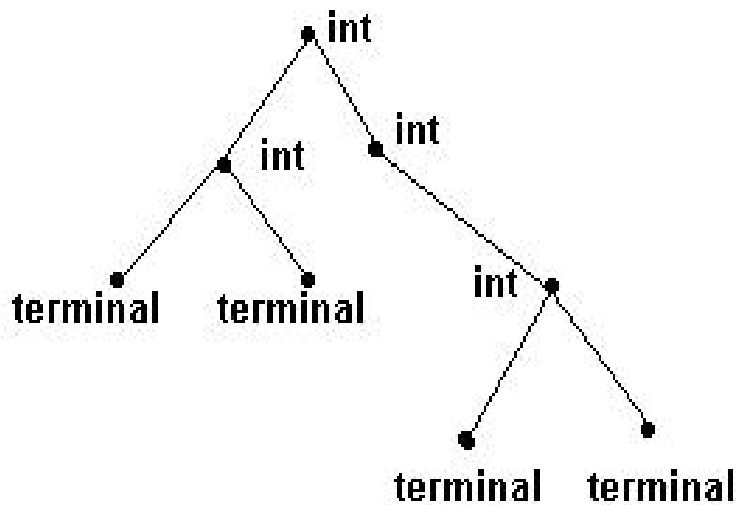
- ▶ Parent of  $V_2 = ?$
- ▶ Child of  $V_3 = ?$
- ▶ Siblings(same parent) of  $V_8 = ?$



- ▶ Ancestor
- ▶ Descendant
- ▶ Terminal vertices
- ▶ Internal vertices



# Internal and external vertices



- ▶ An **internal vertex** is a vertex that has at least one child (**non leaf node, non-terminal**)
- ▶ A **terminal vertex** is a vertex that has no children (**leaf node**)
- ▶ The tree in the example has 4 internal vertices and 4 terminal vertices

Ex) If a graph has  $N$  vertices,  $N-1$  edges.  
Is this graph a TREE?



Def: If Graph  $G$  is connected graph with  $N$  vertices, and has  $N-1$  edges, then it is a TREE

# Characterization of trees

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## **Theorem**

If  $T=(V,E)$  is a graph with  $n$  vertices, the following are equivalent:

- a) Graph  $T$  is a tree
- b)  $T$  is connected and acyclic (“acyclic”= having no cycles)
- c)  $T$  is connected and has  $n-1$  edges
- d)  $T$  is acyclic and has  $n-1$  edges
  
- e) There exists one path between any pair of vertices in  $T$
- f) If remove any edge  $\rightarrow$  disconnects  $T$
- g) Acyclic and adding any edge  $\rightarrow$  creates a cycle





# Proof of the Theorem (1 to 2)

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► **if Graph T is tree then T is connected and acyclic**

**(proof)**

Let T be a tree. Then T is connected since there is a path from any vertex to any other vertex. (by tree definition)

Suppose T contains a cycle C.

Then T contains a simple cycle C,  $C = (v_0, \dots, v_n)$ ,  $v_0 = v_n$

Since T is a simple graph, C cannot be a loop;

$\Rightarrow$  so C contains at least two distinct vertices  $v_i$  and  $v_j$ ,  $i < j$ .

Now  $(v_i, v_{i+1}, \dots, v_j)$ ,  $(v_i, v_{i-1}, \dots, v_0, v_{n-1}, \dots, v_j)$  are two distinct simple paths from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$ , which contradicts the definition of tree.  $\Rightarrow$  Therefore a tree cannot contain a cycle  $\Rightarrow$  a tree is acyclic



# Proof of the Theorem (2 to 3)

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- ▶ **if  $T$  is connected & acyclic, then  $T$  is connected & has  $n-1$  edges**  
(Math Induction Proof)

- Basis : if  $n=1$ , then  $T$  consists of 1 vertex and 0 edges, so it is true
- Hypothesis : Suppose  $T$  is connected and acyclic graph with  $n$  vertices, so  $T$  has  $n-1$  edges.
- Induction : Let  $T$  be a connected, acyclic graph with  $n+1$  vertices  
Choose simple path  $P$  of maximum length. Since  $T$  is acyclic,  $P$  is not a cycle. Therefore  $P$  contains a vertex  $v$  of degree 1.

Let  $T^*$  be  $T$  with  $v$  and the edge incident on  $v$  removed

Then  $T^*$  is connected and acyclic, because  $T^*$  contains  $n$  vertices, by HYP  $T^*$  contains  $n-1$  edges. Therefore  $T$  contains  $n$  edges.

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## Proof of the Theorem (3 to 4)

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- ▶ **If  $T$  is connected &  $n-1$  edges, then  $T$  is acyclic &  $n-1$  edges**

(Contradiction proof)

Suppose  $T$  is connected and has  $n-1$  edges, then we need to show that  $T$  is acyclic

(not q:) Suppose  $T$  contains at least one cycle.

(prove)  $T^*$  is a resulting graph from removing edges until graph is connected and acyclic

Now  $T^*$  is acyclic, connected graph with  $n$  vertices.

From (2- $\rightarrow$ 3), we conclude that  $T^*$  has  $n-1$  edges.

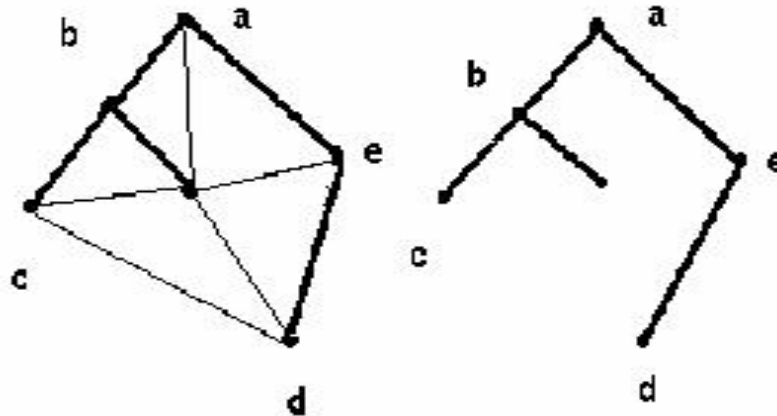
But  $T$  has more than  $n-1$  edges, which is contradiction.



## 2. Spanning trees

Def: Given a graph  $G$ , a tree  $T$  is a *spanning tree* of  $G$  iff:

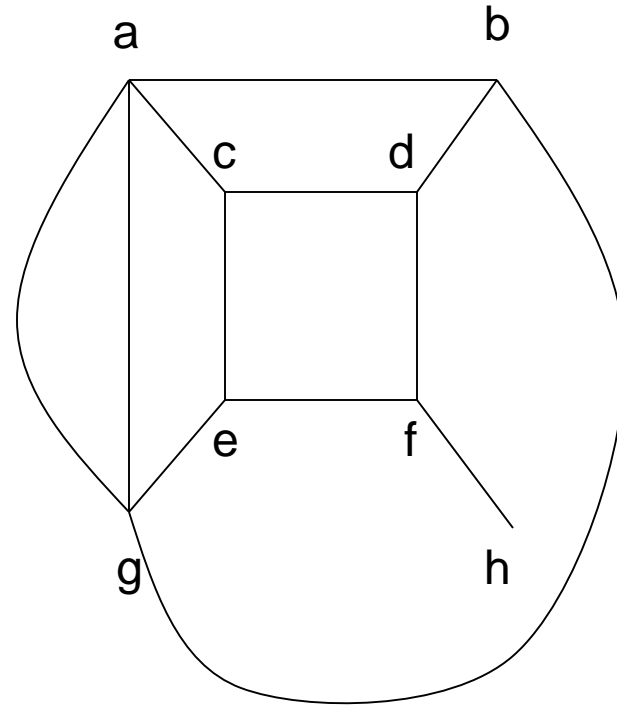
- ▶  $T$  is a subgraph of  $G$  and  $T$  contains all the vertices of  $G$
- Let  $G=(V, E)$ , Let  $G'=(V',E')$ , if  $V'=V$  and  $E'\subseteq E$ , then  $G'$  is Spanning Tree of  $G$ )



# Spanning tree search

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- ▶ Breadth-first search method
- ▶ Depth-first search method (backtracking)



**Algorithm 9.3.6: Breadth-First Search for a Spanning Tree**

Input: A connected graph  $G$  with vertices ordered  
 $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$

Output: A spanning tree  $T$

```

dfs( $V, E$ ) {
    //  $V$  = vertices ordered  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ ;  $E$  = edges
    //  $V'$  = vertices of spanning tree  $T$ ;
    //  $E'$  = edges of spanning tree  $T$ 
    //  $v_1$  is the root of the spanning tree
    //  $S$  is an ordered list
     $S = (v_1)$ 
     $V' = \{v_1\}$ 
     $E' = \emptyset$ 
    while (true) {
        for each  $x \in S$ , in order,
            for each  $y \in V - V'$ , in order,
                if  $((x, y)$  is an edge)
                    add edge  $(x, y)$  to  $E'$  and  $y$  to  $V'$ 
            if (no edges were added)
                return  $T$ 
         $S =$  children of  $S$  ordered consistently with the
            original vertex ordering
    }
}
```

### Algorithm 9.3.7: Depth-First Search for a Spanning Tree

Input: A connected graph  $G$  with vertices ordered  
 $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$

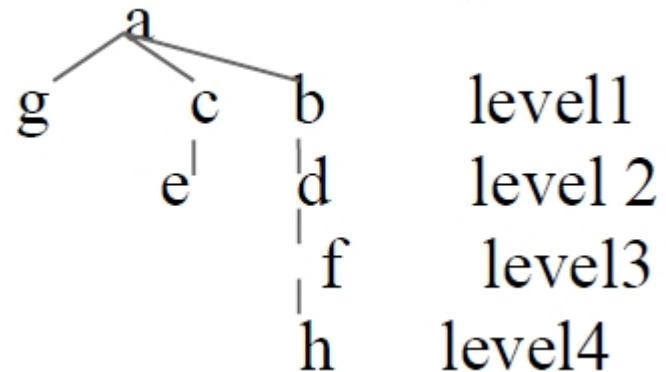
Output: A spanning tree  $T$

```
dfs( $V, E$ ) {  
    //  $V'$  = vertices of spanning tree  $T$ ;  
    //  $E'$  = edges of spanning tree  $T$   
    //  $v_1$  is the root of the spanning tree  
     $V' = \{v_1\}$   
     $E' = \emptyset$   
     $w = v_1$   
    while (true) {  
        while (there is an edge  $(w, v)$  that when added to  $T$   
            does not create a cycle in  $T$ ) {  
            choose the edge  $(w, v_k)$  with minimum  $k$  that when  
                added to  $T$  does not create a cycle in  $T$   
            add  $(w, v_k)$  to  $E'$   
            add  $v_k$  to  $V'$   
             $w = v_k$   
        }  
        if ( $w == v_1$ )  
            return  $T$   
         $w = \text{parent of } w \text{ in } T$  // backtrack  
    }  
}
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## 2.1 Tree Search - BFS

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- 1) Let's start with 'a'
- 2) Add all edges (a,x),  $x = b$  to  $h$ , which does not create a cycle  
     $x = g, c, b$  at level 1 (a,g), (a,c), (a,b)
- 3) repeat this process at level 1  
    b: include (b,d), c: include (c,e), g: none
- 4) repeat this process at level2 repeat this process at level3  
    d: include (d,f), e: none  
    f: include (f,h)

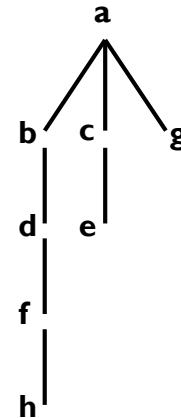




# Tree Search - DFS

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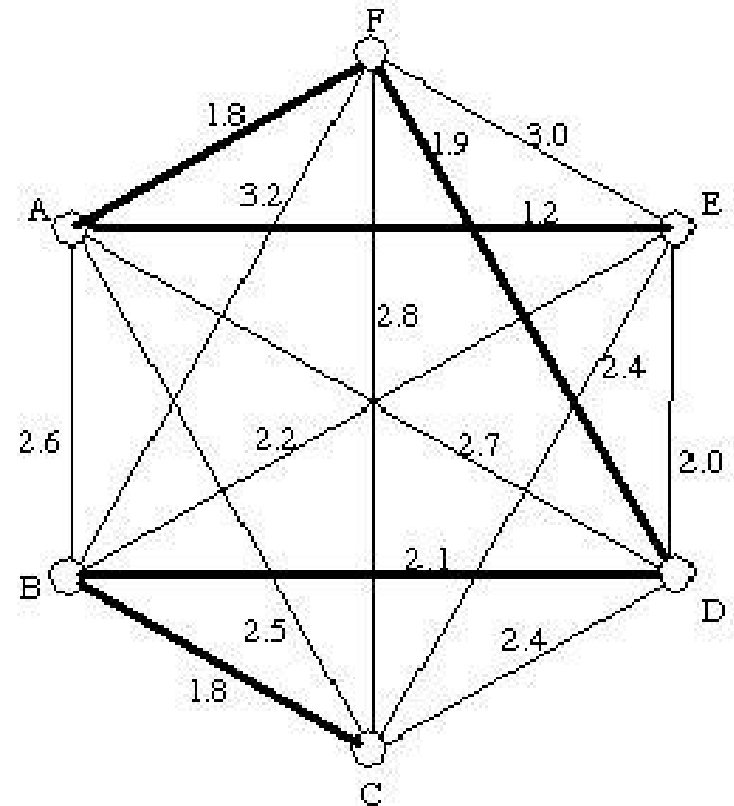
- ▶ 정점 a에서 시작, 자식 노드들:  $\{(a,b), (a,c), (a,g)\}$  이다
- ▶ 다음 탐색 정점인 b를 탐색하면, (a, b)를 E'에 추가  
b의 child, (b, d) E'에 추가 -> d의 child, (d, f) 추가  
-> f의 child h, (f, h)를 E'에 추가
- ▶ H다음 -> deadlock 발생 -> backtrack -> c로 내려감
- ▶ 노드 c의 child는 e, (c, e)를 E'에 추가
- ▶ 모든 노드를 탐색 하였기 때문에 종료함.



## 2.2 최소비용트리 Minimal spanning trees (MST)

Def: Given a weighted graph  $G$ , a *minimum spanning tree* is

- ▶ a spanning tree of  $G$
  - ▶ that has minimum “weight”
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- ▶ 알고리즘
    - 1) Kruskal
    - 2) Prim



# Kruskal's algorithm

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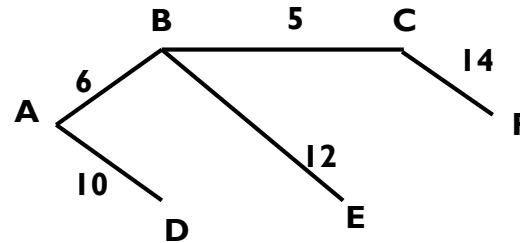
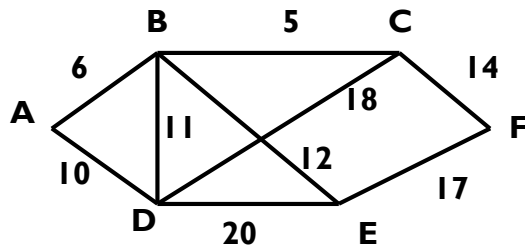
```
begin      // Assume edges are sorted already
T <- {0}
m <- 0

while (m < n-1)
  find smallest e
  delete e from E
  If addition of e to T does not produce cycle
  then add e to T
    and set m = m+1
end while
```

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# Kruskal's algorithm exercise

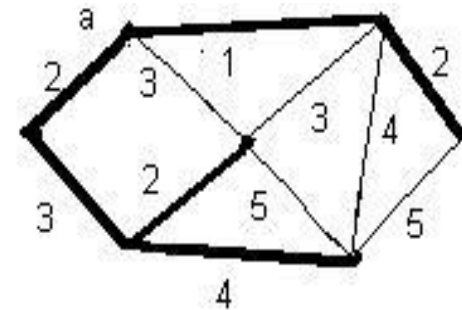


(MST) Cost = 47

| edges | Action  | cost             |
|-------|---|------------------|
| 5     | accept edge 5                                   | cost=5           |
| 6     | accept edge 6                                   | cost= 5+6=11     |
| 10    | accept edge 10                                  | cost= 11+10=21   |
| 11    | edge 11추가, cycle발생, reject edge 11              |                  |
| 12    | accept edge 12                                  | cost= 21+12=33   |
| 14    | accept edge 14                                  | cost= 33+14 = 47 |
| 17    | counter= n-1, 여기에서 stop. Edge 17, 18, 20은 사용 못함 |                  |

# Prim's algorithm

- ▶ Step 0: Pick any vertex as a starting vertex (call it  $a$ ).  $T = \{a\}$ .
- ▶ Step 1:
  - Find the edge with smallest weight incident to  $a$ .
  - Add it to  $T$ . Also include in  $T$  the next vertex and call it  $b$ .
- ▶ Step 2: Find the edge of smallest weight incident to either  $a$  or  $b$ .
- ▶ Step 3: Repeat Step 2, choosing the edge of smallest weight that does not form a cycle until all vertices are in  $T$ . The resulting subgraph  $T$  is a minimum spanning tree.



Include in  $T$  that edge and the next incident vertex. Call that vertex  $c$ .

# Prime Algorithm exercise

1) Start at vertex 1: produce edges with vertex 1

(1,2)-4, (1,3)-2, (1,5)-3

2) select **(1,3)** **weight = 2**

produce edges with vertex 3 and the remaining

(1,2) -4, (1,5)-3, (3,4)-1, (3,5)-6, (3,6)-3

3) select **(3,4)** **weight=2+1=3**

produce edges with vertex 4 and the remainings

(1,2)-4, (1,5)-3, (2,4)-5, (3,5)-6, (3,6)-3, (4,6)-6

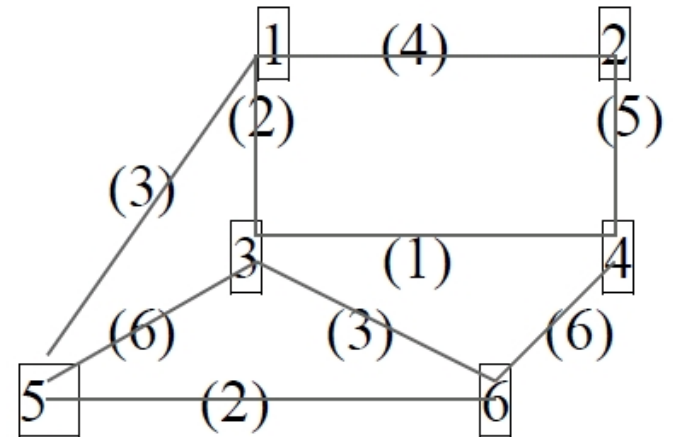
4) select (1,5) or (3,6), => we will select **(1,5)** **w= 3+3**

produce edges with vertex 5 and remaining

(1,2)-4, (2,4)-5, (3,6)-3, (4,6)-6, (5,6)-2

5) select (5,6)  $w = 6 + 2 = 8$  produce edges (1,2)-4, (2,4)-5

6) select (1,2)  $w = 8 + 4 = 12$ , which is least total w.

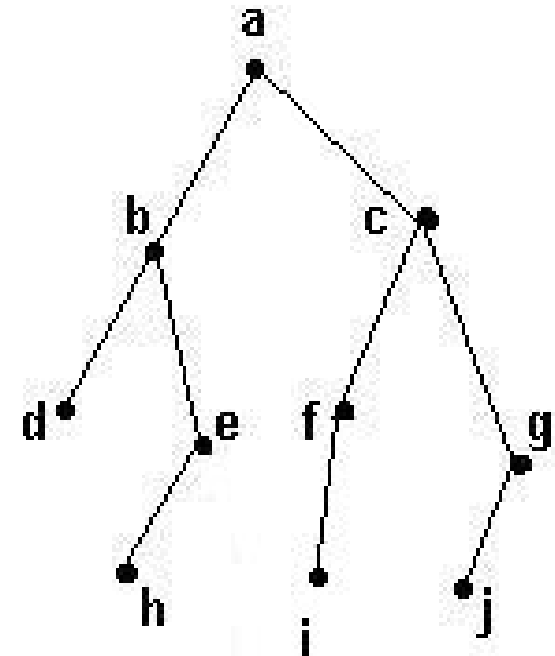


# 3. Binary trees

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A ***binary tree*** is a **rooted tree** where each vertex has zero, one or two children.

And each child is designated as **left child** or **right child**.



Types of Binary Tree (BT)

- 1) Skewed BT
- 2) Full BT
- 3) Complete BT



# 3.1 Properties of binary tree

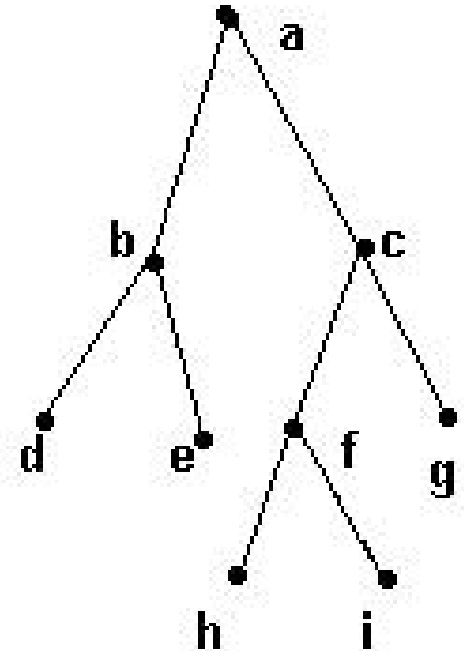
- ▶ Full BT: A *full* binary tree is a binary tree in which each vertex has two or no children.
- ▶ Complete BT: BT is either full or full through the next to last level, with the leaves on the last level as far as to the left as possible



Full and complete



complete





# Properties of BT

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Thm: If  $T$  is a full binary tree with  $n$  internal vertices, then  $T$  has  $n+1$  terminal vertices and  $2n+1$  total vertices

(proof)

The vertices of  $T$  consists of children and non-children.

There is 1 non-child node  $\rightarrow$  root.

There are  $n$  internal vertices, if each having two children, there are  $2n$  children.

Thus, the number of vertices of  $T$  is  $2n+1$  (including Root).

And the number of terminal vertices is  $(2n+1) - n = n+1$

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# Properties of BT

We like to know maximum number of nodes in a BT of depth  $k$

- 1) The maximum number of nodes on level  $i$  of a BT is  $\Rightarrow 2^{i-1}$ ,
- 2) The maximum number of nodes in a BT of depth  $k$  is  $\Rightarrow 2^k - 1$ ,

(proof for 1)

. base: root is only node on level  $i=1$ , *maximum nodes on level  $i$  is  $2^{i-1} = 2^0 = 1$*

. hyp: For all  $j$ ,  $1 \leq j < i$ , maximum nodes on level  $j$  is  $\Rightarrow 2^{j-1}$ ,

. induction: maximum nodes on level  $i-1$  is  $\Rightarrow 2^{i-2}$  *by HYP*

since every node in BT has a maximum degree of 2, the maximum nodes on level  $i$  is *two times the maximum nodes on level  $i-1$  or  $2^{i-1}$*

(Proof for 2)

$$\sum_{i=1}^k (\text{maximum number of nodes on level } i) = \sum 2^{i-1} = 2^k - 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  full binary tree of depth  $k$  has  $\Rightarrow 2^k - 1$  nodes



# Properties of BT

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## ► **Relation between number of leaf nodes and nodes of degree 2**

“For any BT, T, if  $n_0$  is the number of leaf nodes and,  $n_2$  the number of nodes of degree 2, then  $n_0 = n_2 + 1$ ”

(sol)

Let  $n_1$  be the number of nodes of degree 1.

$N$  be the total number of nodes.

Since all the nodes in T are of degree at most 2,

we have:  $n = n_0 + n_1 + n_2$

If B is the branches, then  $n = B + 1$

And all nodes stem from a node of degree one or two, then

$B = n_1 + 2n_2$ , So, we obtain  $n = (n_1 + 2n_2) + 1$ ,

→  $n_0 + n_1 + n_2 = n_1 + 2n_2 + 1$ , Therefore,  $n_0 = n_2 + 1$

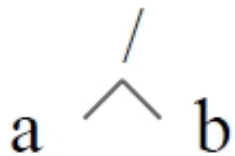
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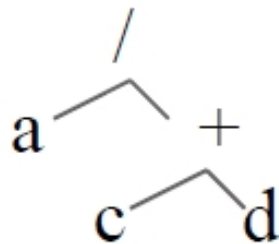
# Binary tree Representation

- ▶ Algebraic Expression involving Binary operation can be represented by an ordered rooted tree

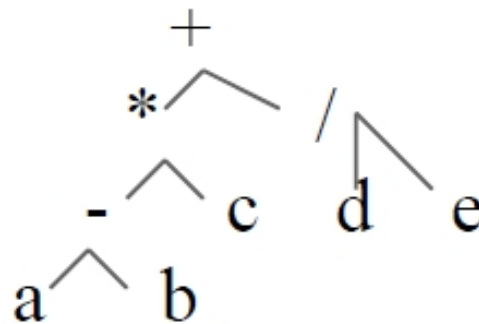
ex)  $a / b$



$a / (c + d)$



$((a - b) * c) + (d / e)$



## 3.2 Tree Traversals

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- ▶ Def: way to traverse a tree in a systematic way so that each vertex is visited exactly once.
  - ▶ Methods: BFS, DFS, and Preorder, Postorder, Inorder methods
  - ▶ Result - prefix(polish), postfix(reverse polish), infix notation
    - Preorder: Find Root(data), Find Leftchild, FindRightChild (DLR)
    - Inorder: Find Leftchild, Find Root, Find RightChild (LDR)
    - Postorder: Find Leftchild, Find RightChild, Find Root (LRD)
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### Algorithm 9.6.1: Preorder Traversal

Input:  $PT$ , the root of a binary tree

Output: Dependent on how “process” is interpreted in line 3

```
preorder( $PT$ ) {  
1.   if ( $PT$  is empty)  
2.     return  
3.   process  $PT$   
4.    $l$  = left child of  $PT$   
5.   preorder( $l$ )  
6.    $r$  = right child of  $PT$   
7.   preorder( $r$ )  
}
```

### Algorithm 9.6.3: Inorder Traversal

Input:  $PT$ , the root of a binary tree

Output: Dependent on how “process” is interpreted in line 5

```
inorder( $PT$ ) {  
1.   if ( $PT$  is empty)  
2.     return  
3.    $l$  = left child of  $PT$   
4.   inorder( $l$ )  
5.   process  $PT$   
6.    $r$  = right child of  $PT$   
7.   inorder( $r$ )  
}
```

### Algorithm 9.6.5: Postorder Traversal

Input:  $PT$ , the root of a binary tree

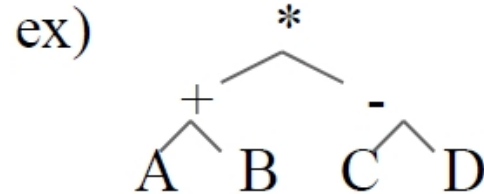
Output: Dependent on how “process” is interpreted in line 7

```
    postorder( $PT$ ) {  
1.      if ( $PT$  is empty)  
2.        return  
3.       $l$  = left child of  $PT$   
4.      postorder( $l$ )  
5.       $r$  = right child of  $PT$   
6.      postorder( $r$ )  
7.      process  $PT$   
    }
```



# Tree Traverse

## 1) Preorder

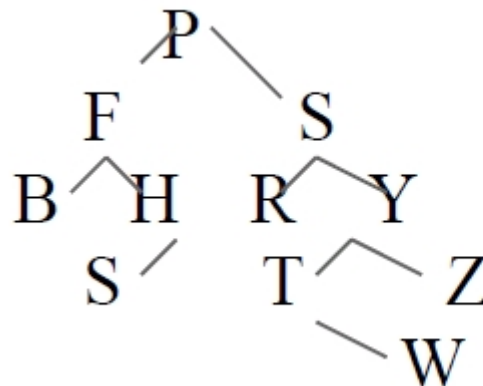


order of processing:  $* + A B - C D$

2) **Inorder** of processing:  $(A+B) * (C-D)$

3) **Postorder** of processing:  $AB+CD-*$

Ex)



IN :

PRE :

POST:

# Arithmetic expressions

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- ▶ Standard: *infix* form

$$(A+B) * C - D / E$$

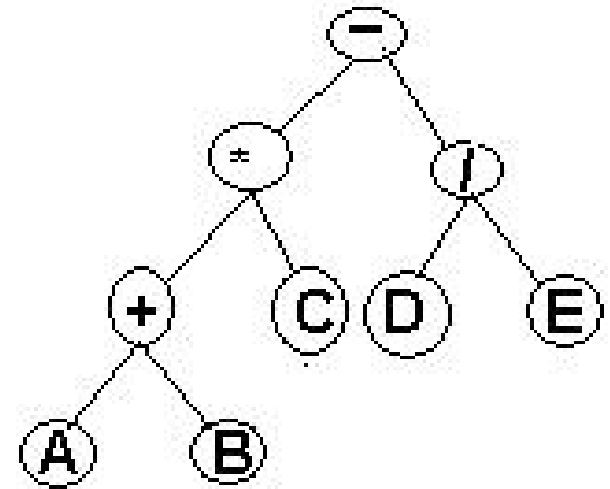
- ▶ Fully parenthesized form (in-order & parenthesis):

$$(((A + B) * C) - (D / E))$$

- ▶ *Postfix* form (reverse Polish notation):  $A B + C * D E / -$

- ▶ *Prefix* form (Polish notation):

$$- * + A B C / D E$$



# Tree Traverse Exercise

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ex) if  $A=1$ ,  $B=2$ ,  $C=3$ , what is the result of the postfix expression?

- |                |                    |
|----------------|--------------------|
| 1) $AB+C-$     | 2) $AB+CD*AA/--B*$ |
| 3) $ABAB*+*D*$ | 4) $ADBCD*-+*$     |

ex) Draw the postfix form as a BT, and transform as prefix form, and represent as fully parenthesized infix form. [Postfix form:  $ABC+-$  ]

- 1) BT      2) prefix form:      3) infix form:

→  $ABCD+*/E-$ ,  $ABC**CDE+/-$

ex) preorder of a tree is 'ABCEFD', and inorder is ACFEBD.

Draw the tree.

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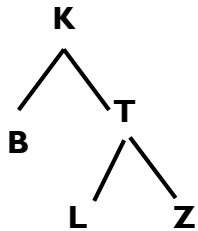


## 3.3 Binary Search Tree(BST)

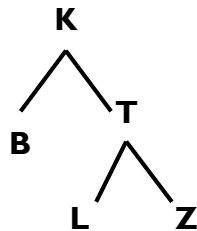
- ▶ BST is the most effective way of searching data, and has the following characteristics

- . Left-subtree of Tree T : Store data if  $<$  root
- . Right-subtree of Tree T : Store data if  $>$  root

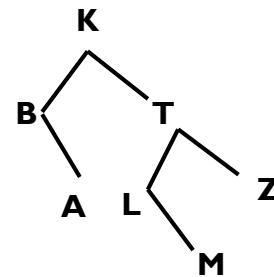
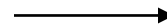
It works same as the rest of the subtrees of Tree T



Search



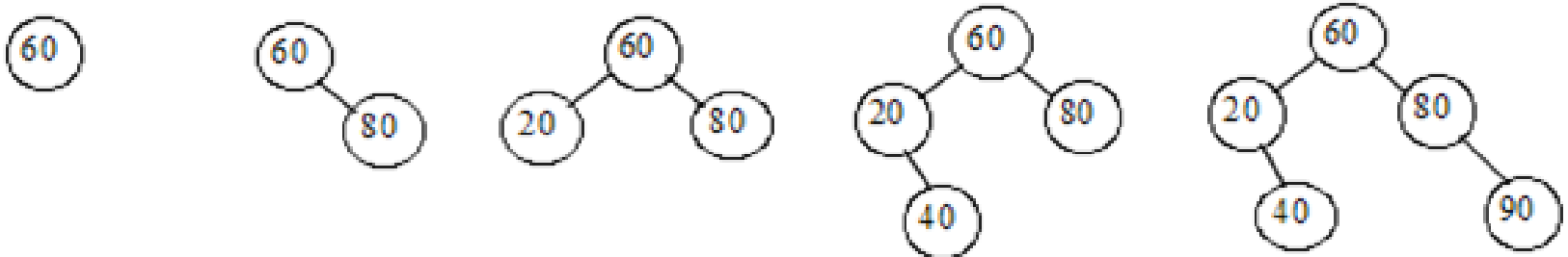
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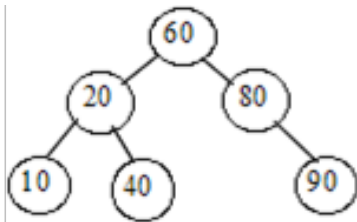
# Binary Search Tree (BST)

**[example] Insert 60 80 20 40 90 10 70 in order**

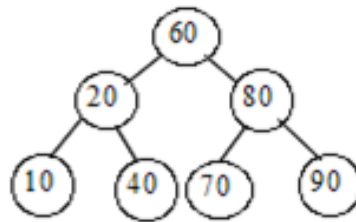
(1) insert 60 (2) insert 80 (3) insert 20 (4) insert 40 (5) insert 90



(6) insert 10



(7) insert 70



- ▶ Representation: same as BT
- ▶ Operation: same as tree traversal +additional (insert, delete, search)



# BST (searching)

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**search (tree-ptr ptr, int key)**

```
{  
    if (ptr = NULL) return NULL; //search unsuccessful  
    else {  
        if (key == p->data) return ptr;  
        else if (key < ptr->data)  
            ptr = search (ptr->left, key); //search leftsubtree  
        else if (key > ptr->data)  
            ptr= search(ptr->right, key); //search rightsubtree  
    }  
    return ptr;  
}
```

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# BST (inserting)

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INSERT (ptr, key) //recursive version

```
{  
    if (ptr=NULL) {        // create a new node with data  
        create_new_node(ptr);  
        ptr->data = key;    ptr->left = NULL; ptr->right = NULL;  
    }  
    else if (key < ptr->data)  
        ptr->left = INSERT(ptr->left, key);  
    else if (key > ptr->data)  
        ptr->right = INSERT(ptr->right, key);  
    return ptr;  
}
```

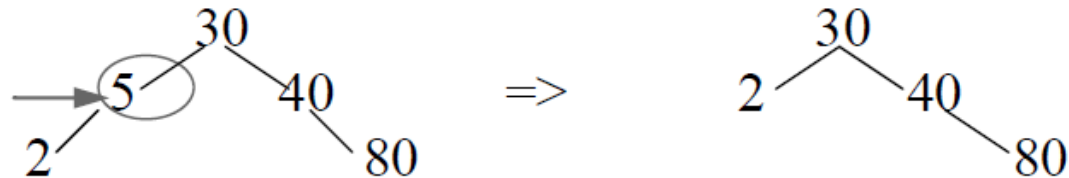
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# BST (deleting)

1) leaf node : set the child field of the node's parent pointer to NULL & free node

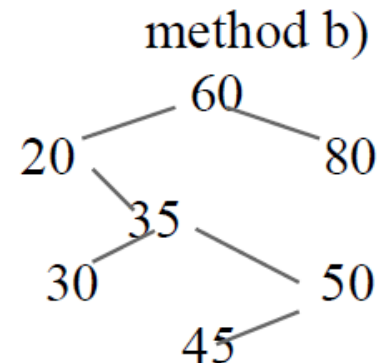
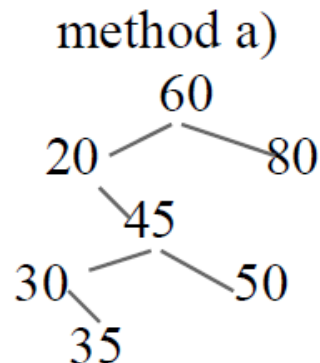
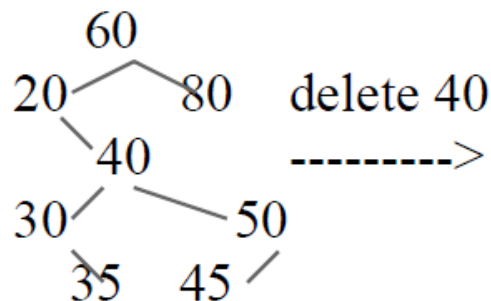
2) nonleaf node with one child: change pointer from parent to single child



3) Nonleaf node with two children

a. replace with smallest element in rightsubtree

b. replace with largest element in leftsubtree





# BST (deleting)

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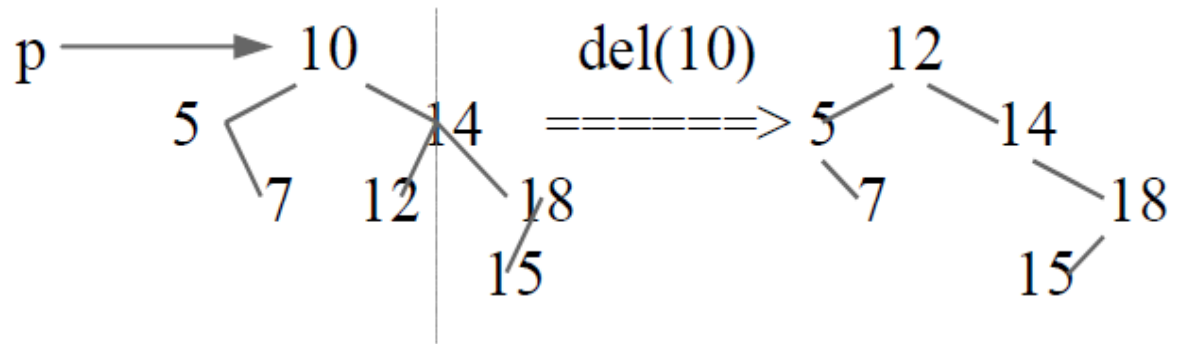
```
delete (key, ptr) {  
    if (key < ptr->data)  
        ptr->left = delete(key, ptr->left)  /* move to the node */  
    else if (key > ptr->data)  
        ptr->right = delete (key, ptr->right) /* arrived at the node*/  
    else if ((ptr->left == NULL) && (ptr->right==NULL))  
        ptr=NULL                          /*leaf*/  
    else if (ptr->left == NULL) {  
        p = ptr; ptr=ptr->right; delete(p); /*rightchild only*/ }  
    elseif (ptr->right == NULL) {  
        p = ptr; ptr=ptr->left; delete(p); /*left child only */ }  
    else ptr->data = find_min(ptr->right) /*or find_max(ptr->left), both child exists */  
}
```

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# BST (find-min algorithm)

```
int find_min(ptr)  /*right subtree에서 가장 작은것 선택 */
{
    if (ptr->left == NULL)
    {
        temp = ptr->data;  ptr = ptr->right;
    }
    else temp = find_min (ptr->left);
    return temp;
}
```

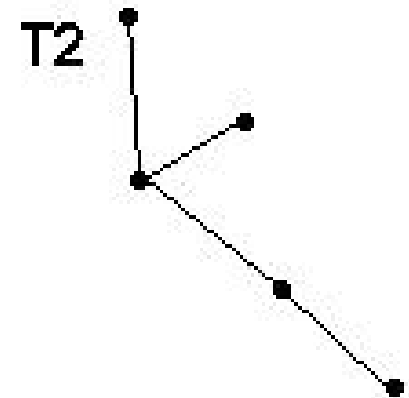
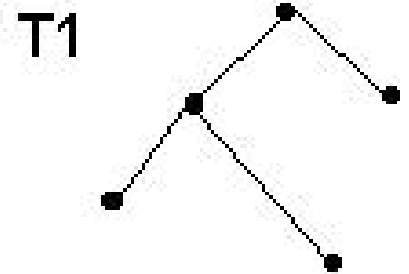


## 3.4 Isomorphism of trees

Given two trees  $T_1$  and  $T_2$

□  $T_1$  is *isomorphic* to  $T_2$

- ▶ if we can find a one-to-one and onto function  $f : T_1 \rightarrow T_2$
- ▶ that preserves the adjacency relation
  - ▶ if  $v, w \in V(T_1)$  and  $e = (v, w)$  is an edge in  $T_1$ , then  $e' = (f(v), f(w))$  is an edge in  $T_2$ .
  - ▶ Then we call the function “ $f$ ” an Isomorphism

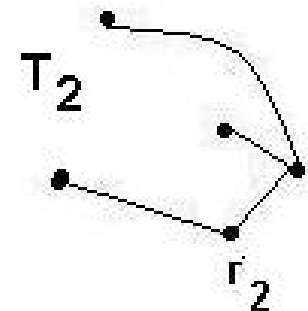
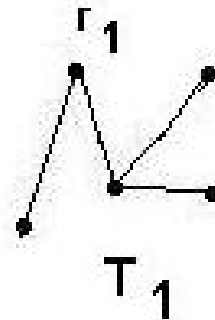
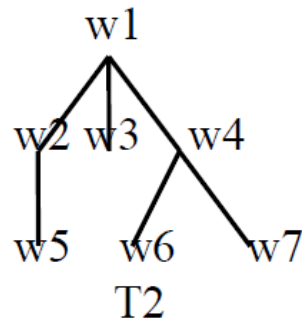
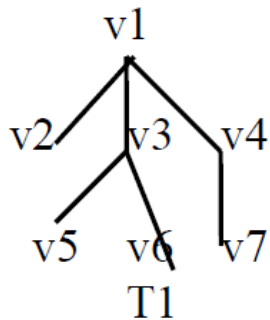


# Isomorphism of rooted trees

Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be rooted trees with roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$ , respectively.  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are *isomorphic as rooted trees* if

- there is a one-to-one function  $f: V(T_1) \rightarrow V(T_2)$  such that vertices  $v$  and  $w$  are adjacent in  $T_1$  if and only if  $f(v)$  and  $f(w)$  are adjacent in  $T_2$
- $f(r_1) = r_2$

Ex:  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are isomorphic  
as rooted trees



The rooted tree  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are isomorphic.  
An Isomorphism is  $f(v_1) = w_1$ ,  $f(v_2) = w_3$   
 $f(v_3) = w_4$   $f(v_4) = w_2$   $f(v_5) = w_7$ ,  $f(v_6) = w_6$   
 $f(v_7) = w_5$

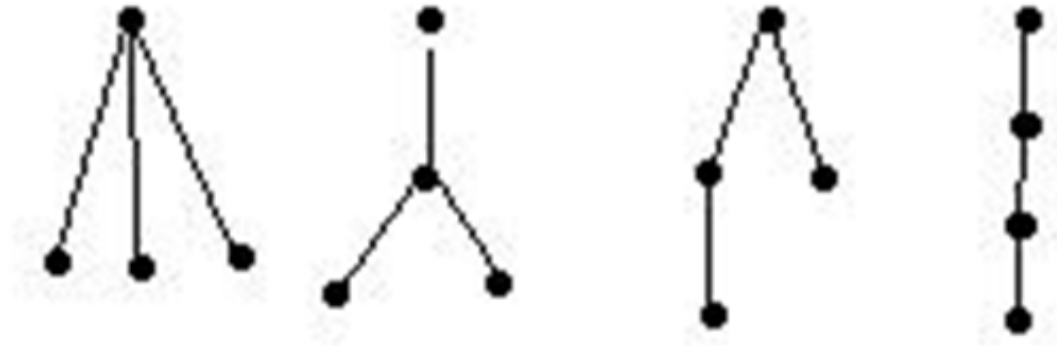


# Non-isomorphism of rooted trees

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Theorem: There are four non-isomorphic rooted trees with four vertices.

- ▶ The root is the top vertex in each tree.



# Isomorphism of binary trees

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Let  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  be binary trees with roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$ , respectively.  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are isomorphic as binary trees if

- a)  $T_1$  and  $T_2$  are isomorphic as rooted trees through an isomorphism  $f$ , and
- b)  $v$  is a left (right) child in  $T_1$  if and only if  $f(v)$  is a left (right) child in  $T_2$

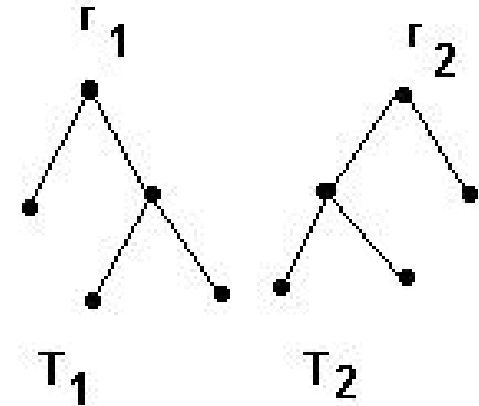
- ▶ Note: Left children must be mapped onto left children and right children must be mapped onto right children.



# Binary tree isomorphism

Example: the following two trees are

- ❑ isomorphic as rooted trees, but
- ❑ not isomorphic as binary trees



- Counting non-isomorphic BT with given  $N$  vertices can be done by Using CATALAN Numbers

$$C(2n, n)/(n+1) = 1, 2, 5, 14, 42, \dots$$

- ex) if  $n=1$ , non-isomorphic BT = 1  
if  $n=2$ , non-isomorphic BT = 2  
if  $n=3$ , non-isomorphic BT = 5 ...



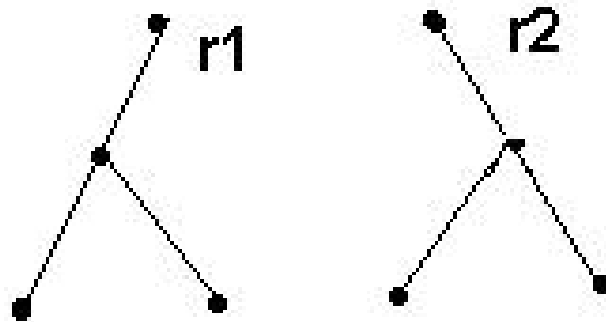
# Summary of tree isomorphism

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There are 3 kinds of tree isomorphism

- ❑ Isomorphism of trees
- ❑ Isomorphism of rooted trees (root goes to root)
- ❑ Isomorphism of binary trees

(left children goes to left children, right children goes to right children)



**Two binary trees  
isomorphic as rooted trees,  
not as binary trees**





# Non-isomorphism of trees

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- ▶ Many times it may be easier to determine when two trees are not isomorphic rather than to show their isomorphism.
- ▶ **A tree isomorphism** must respect certain properties, such as
  - ▶ the number of vertices
  - ▶ the number of edges
  - ▶ the degrees of corresponding vertices
  - ▶ roots must go to roots
  - ▶ position of children, etc.



# Game trees

Trees can be used to analyze all possible move sequences in a game:

- ▶ Vertices are positions. An edge represents a move
- ▶ A path represents a sequence of moves

Ex) Tic-Tac-Toe

