



## **Trees**

Siblings

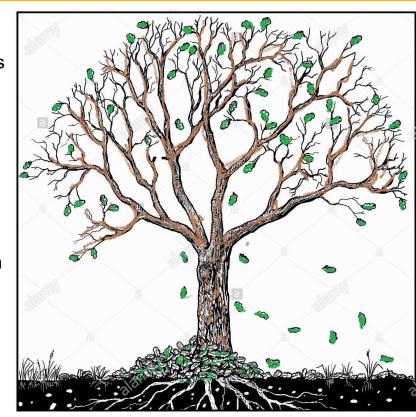
Degree of node

Successor node

Children

Parent node

Root



Depth

Internal node

Leaf node

Height

Path

Ancestor

Descendant

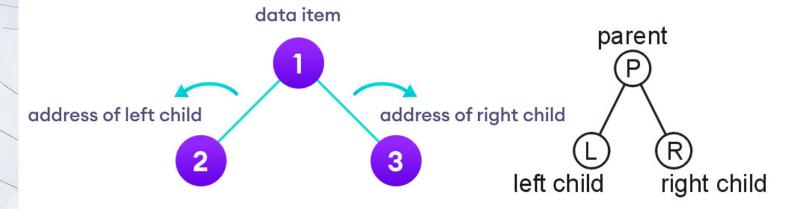
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#### **Binary Tree**

- A binary tree is a tree data structure in which each node has at most two children.
- The arbitrary number of children in general trees is often unnecessary—many reallife trees are restricted to two branches
  - Expression trees using binary operators
  - An ancestral tree of an individual, parents, grandparents, etc.
  - Phylogenetic trees
  - Lossless encoding algorithms
- A binary tree is a tree data structure in which each parent node can have at most two children. Each node of a binary tree consists of three items:
  - □ data item
  - address of left child
  - address of right child
- A binary tree is a hierarchical data structure in which each node has at most two children generally referred as left child and right child.
  - Pointer to left subtree
  - Pointer to right subtree
  - Data element

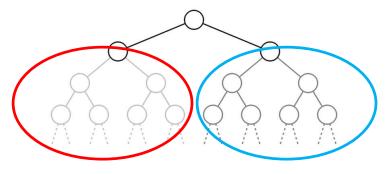
#### **Binary Tree**

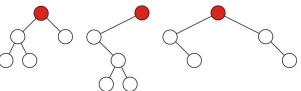
- A binary tree is a restriction where each node has exactly two children:
  - Each child is either empty or another binary tree
  - This restriction allows us to label the children as left and right subtrees



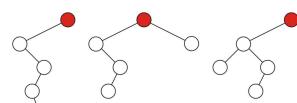
## **Binary Tree**

- We will also refer to the two sub-trees as
  - The left-hand sub-tree,
  - The right-hand sub-tree



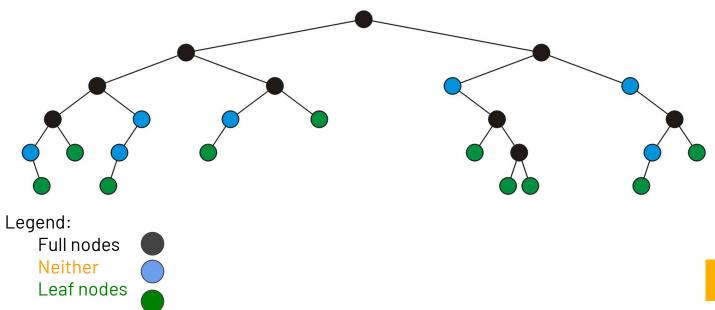


Sample variations on binary trees with five nodes:



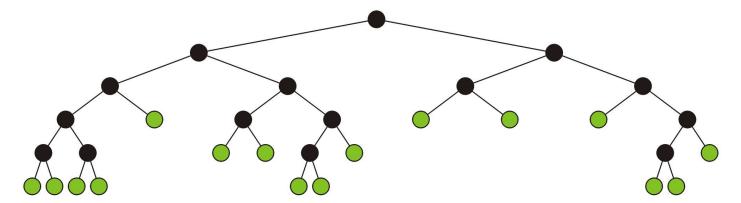
## Full node

A full node is a node where both the left and right sub-trees are non-empty trees



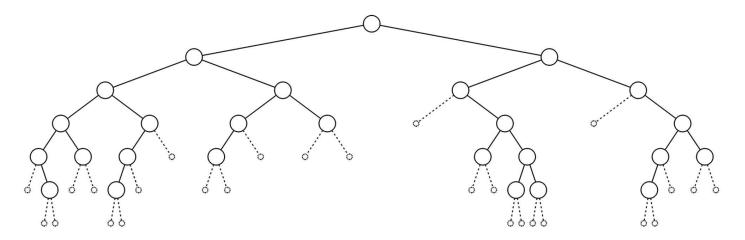
## Full node

- A full binary tree is where each node is:
  - A full node, or
  - A leaf node
- These have applications in
  - Expression trees
  - Huffman encoding



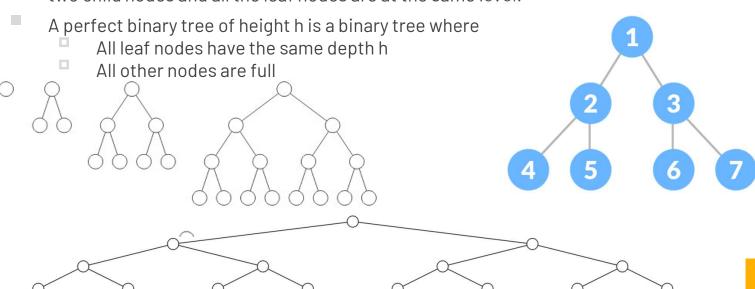
# **Empty node**

An empty node or a null sub-tree is any location where a new leaf node could be appended



#### **Perfect Binary Tree**

A perfect binary tree is a type of binary tree in which every internal node has exactly two child nodes and all the leaf nodes are at the same level.

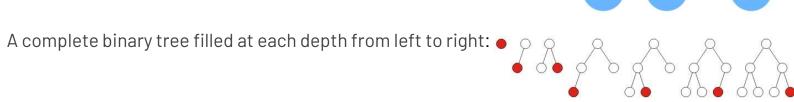


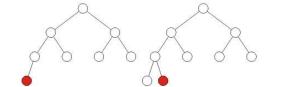
#### **Complete Binary Tree**

A complete binary tree is just like a full binary tree, but with two major differences



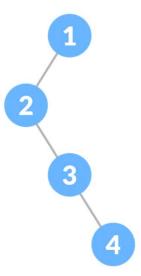
- All the leaf elements must lean towards the left.
- The last leaf element might not have a right sibling i.e. a complete binary tree doesn't have to be a full binary tree.





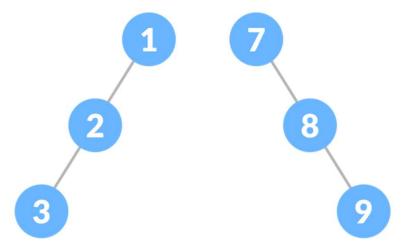
## **Degenerate or Pathological Tree**

A degenerate or pathological tree is the tree having a single child either left or right.



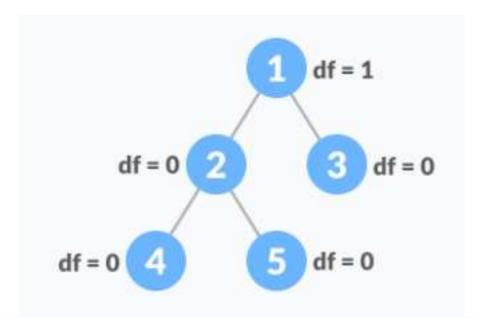
#### **Skewed Binary Tree**

A skewed binary tree is a pathological/degenerate tree in which the tree is either dominated by the left nodes or the right nodes. Thus, there are two types of skewed binary tree: left-skewed binary tree and right-skewed binary tree.



#### **Balanced Binary Tree**

It is a type of binary tree in which the difference between the height of the left and the right subtree for each node is either 0 or 1.



#### **Run Times**

- Recall that with linked lists and arrays, some operations would run in **O(n)** time
- The run times of operations on binary trees, we will see, depends on the height of the tree

We will see that:

- The worst is clearly  $\mathbf{O}(\mathbf{n})$  Under average conditions, the height is  $\mathbf{\Theta}(\sqrt{n})$  The best case is  $\mathbf{O}(\ln(\mathbf{n}))$



- If we can achieve and maintain a height O(lg(n)), we will see that many operations can run in O(lg(n)) we
- Logarithmic time is not significantly worse than constant time:

kB
MB
GB
ТВ

THERE'S BEEN A LOT OF CONFUSION OVER 1024 VS 1000, KBYTE VS KBIT, AND THE CAPITALIZATION FOR EACH.

HERE, AT LAST, IS A SINGLE, DEFINITIVE STANDARD:

SYMBOL	NAME	SIZE	NOTES
kВ	KILOBYTE	1024 BYTES OR 1000 BYTES	1000 BYTES DURING LEAP YEARS, 1024 OTHERWISE
KB	KELLY-BOOTLE STANDARD UNIT	1012 BYTES	COMPROMISE BETWEEN 1000 AND 1024 BYTES
KiB	IMAGINARY KILOBYTE	1024 JFI BYTES	USED IN QUANTUM COMPUTING
kb	INTEL KILOBYTE	1023.937528 BYTES	CALCULATED ON PENTIUM F.P.U.
Кь	DRIVEMAKER'S KILOBYTE	CURRENTLY 908 BYTES	SHRINKS BY 4 BYTES EACH YEAR FOR MARKETING REASONS
KBa	BAKER'S KILOBYTE	1152 BYTES	9 BITS TO THE BYTE SINCE YOU'RE SUCH A GOOD CUSTOMER