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**Non-Linear Data Structures-I**

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## **Syllabus Contents - Nonlinear data structures-I**

- Introduction to Tree Data Structure and Basic Terminology.
- Implementation of Tree ADT. Types of Trees.
- Binary Tree ADT, Enumeration of Binary Trees, Tree Traversal
- Expression Trees
- Applications of trees
- Binary Search Tree ADT.
- Construct BST from given preorder traversal,
- Binary Tree to Binary Search Tree Conversion.

## Why Trees required in DS?

- Trees are a natural **way to store data** that has a **hierarchical structure**
- Tree data structures allow for **quick searching and sorting**
- **Easy** insertion and deletion
- **No linear time of access** i.e  $O(N)$

- A tree is a collection of nodes
  - The collection can be empty
  - (recursive definition) If not empty,
  - a tree consists of a distinguished node '*r*' (the *root*),
  - and zero or more nonempty subtrees  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_k$ , each of whose roots are connected by a directed *edge* from *r*

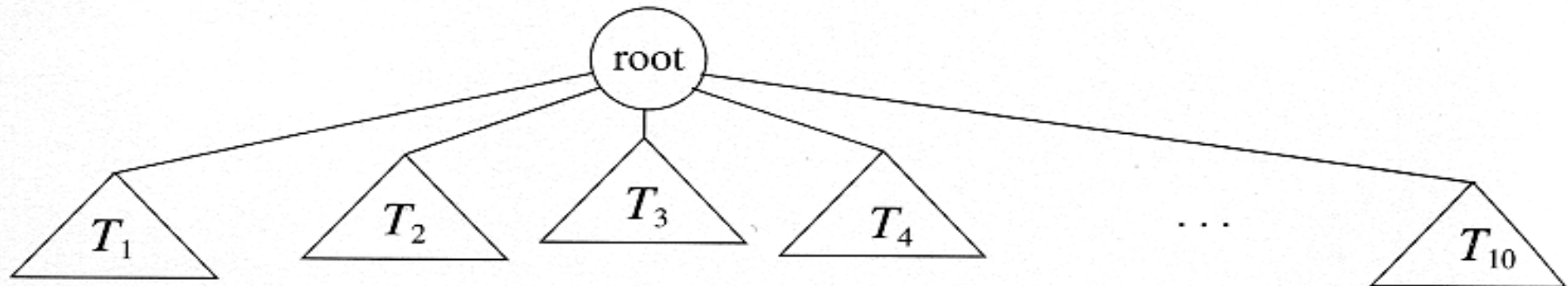
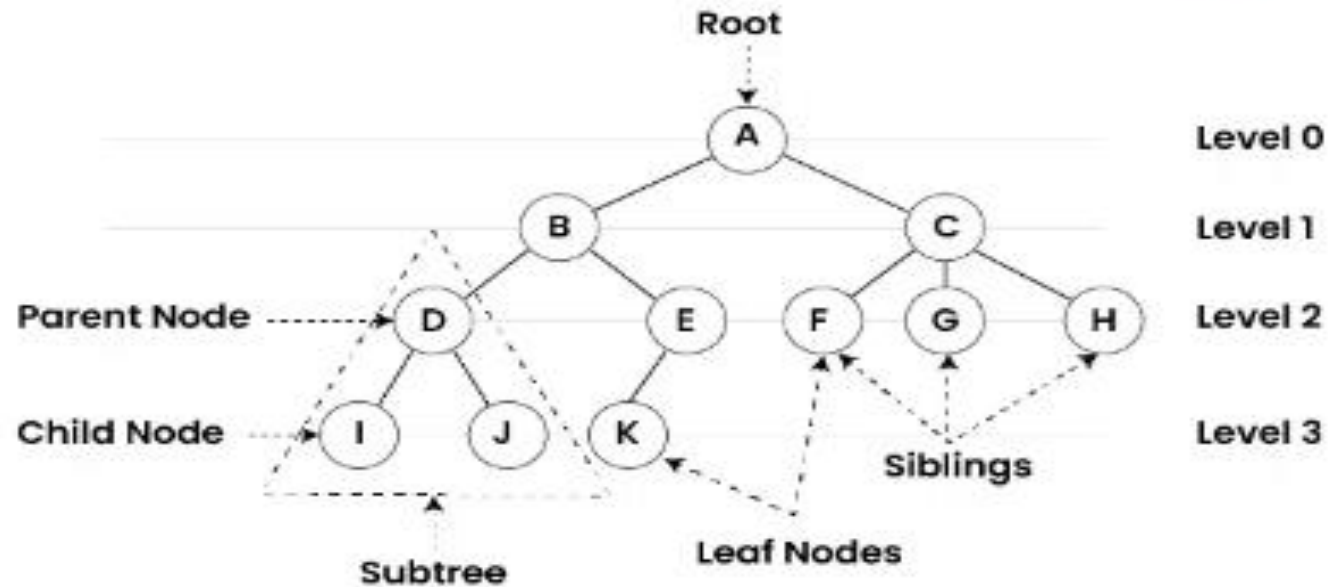


Figure 4.1 Generic tree

# Terminologies



## Root

- In a tree data structure, **the root is the first node of the tree**. And it is the **initial node of the tree in data structures**.
- In the tree data structure, there must be only one root node.

## Parent

In the tree in data structures,

- node that **is the predecessor** of any node is known as a **parent node**

## Child

The node, **a descendant of any node**, is known as **child nodes** in data structures.

In a tree, **any number of parent nodes** can **have any number of child nodes**.

## Siblings

In trees in the data structure, **nodes that belong to the same parent** are called siblings.

## Leaf

- **the node with no child**, is known as a leaf node.
- In trees, leaf nodes are also called **external nodes or terminal nodes**.

## Internal nodes

- Trees in the data structure have at **least one child node known as internal nodes**.
- In trees, **nodes other than leaf nodes** are internal nodes.

## Degree

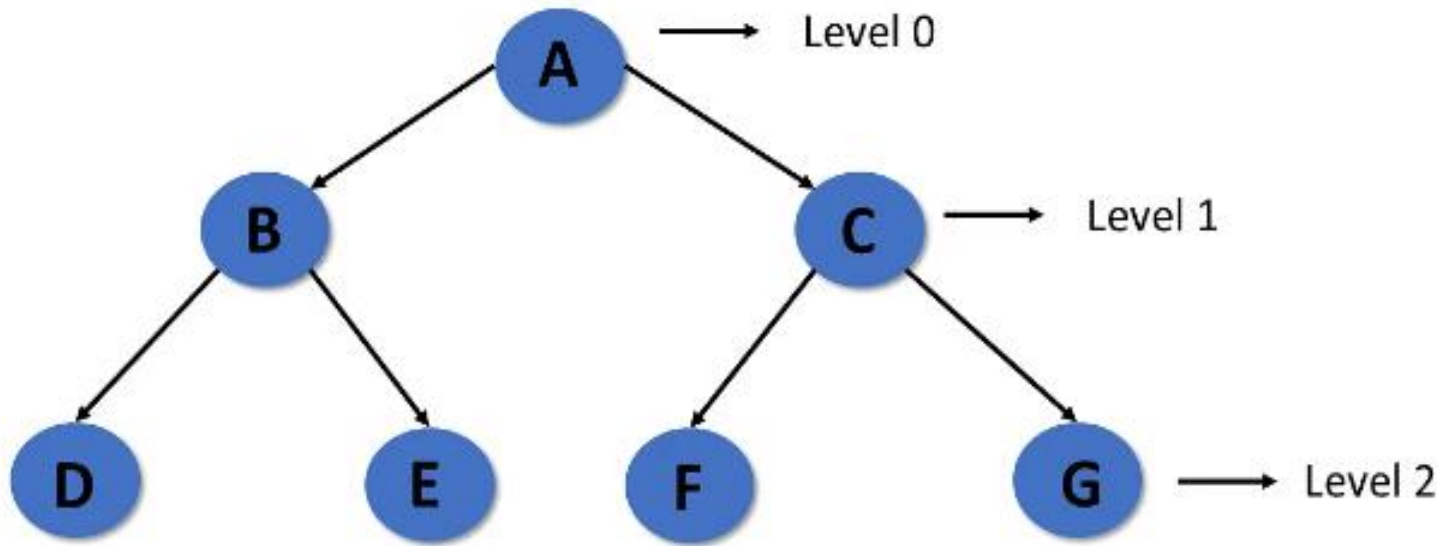
- the **total number of children of a node** is called the **degree of the node**.
- The **highest degree of a node** among all the nodes in a tree is called the **Degree of Tree**.



## Level

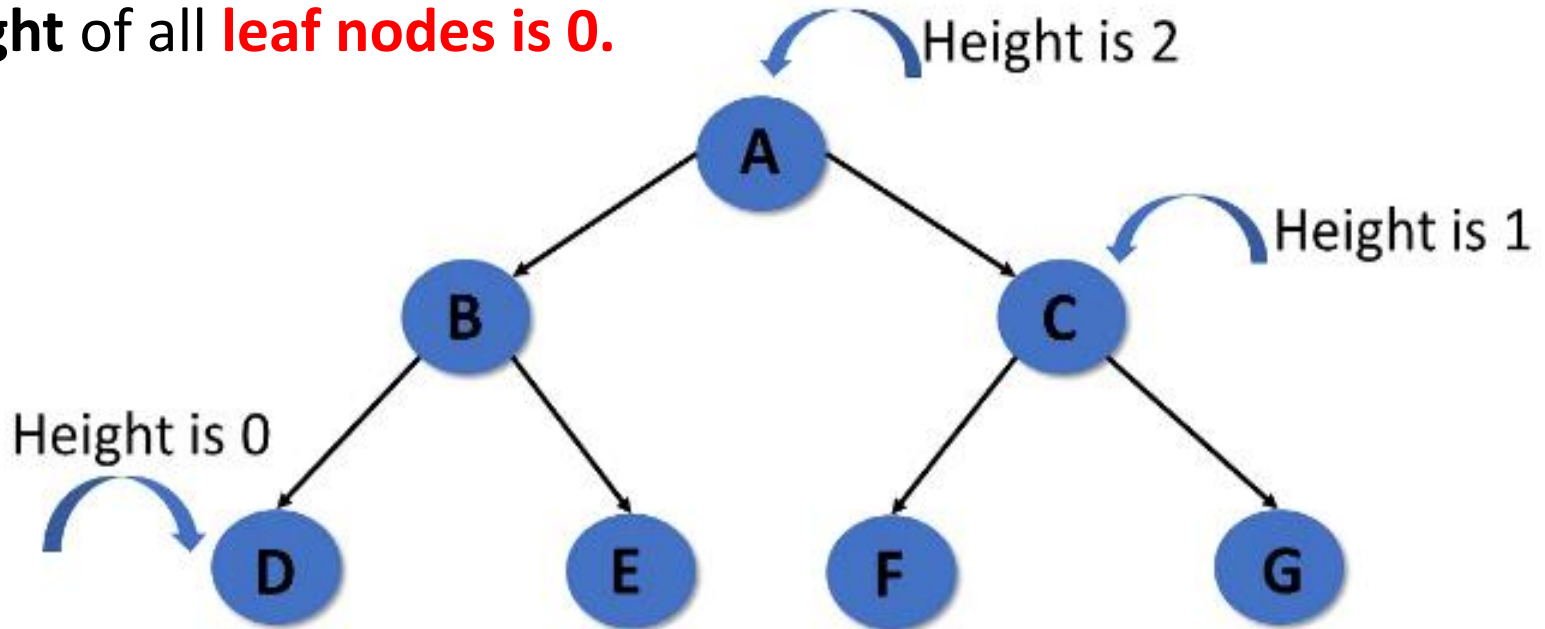
In tree data structures,

- the **root node is said to be at level 0**, and
- the **root node's children are at level 1**,
- and the children of that node at level 1 will be level 2, and so on.



## Height

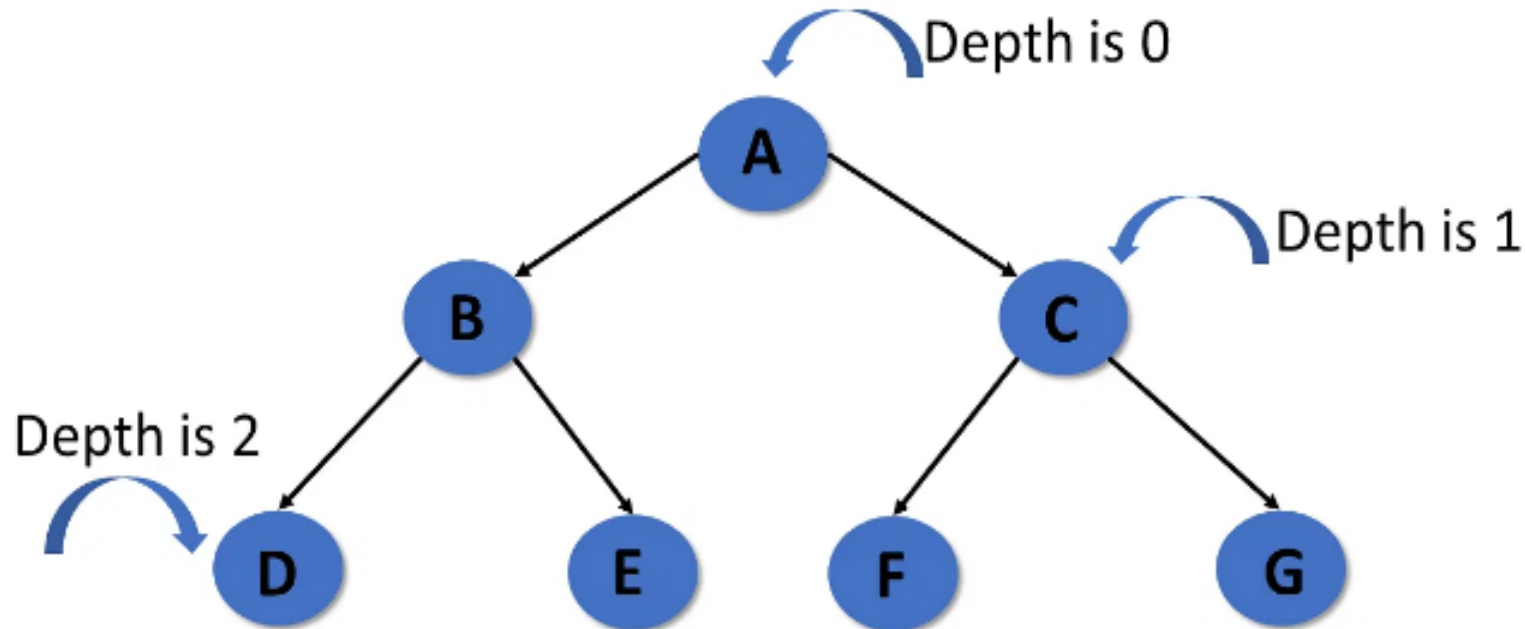
- the **no. of edges** from the leaf node to the particular node in the longest **path** is known as the height of that node.
- the **height of the root node** is called "**Height of Tree**".
- The **tree height** of all **leaf nodes is 0**.



## Depth

- the **total number of edges** from the **root node** to the **leaf node** in the **longest path** is known as "**Depth of Tree**".

In the tree data structures, the **depth of the root node is 0**.

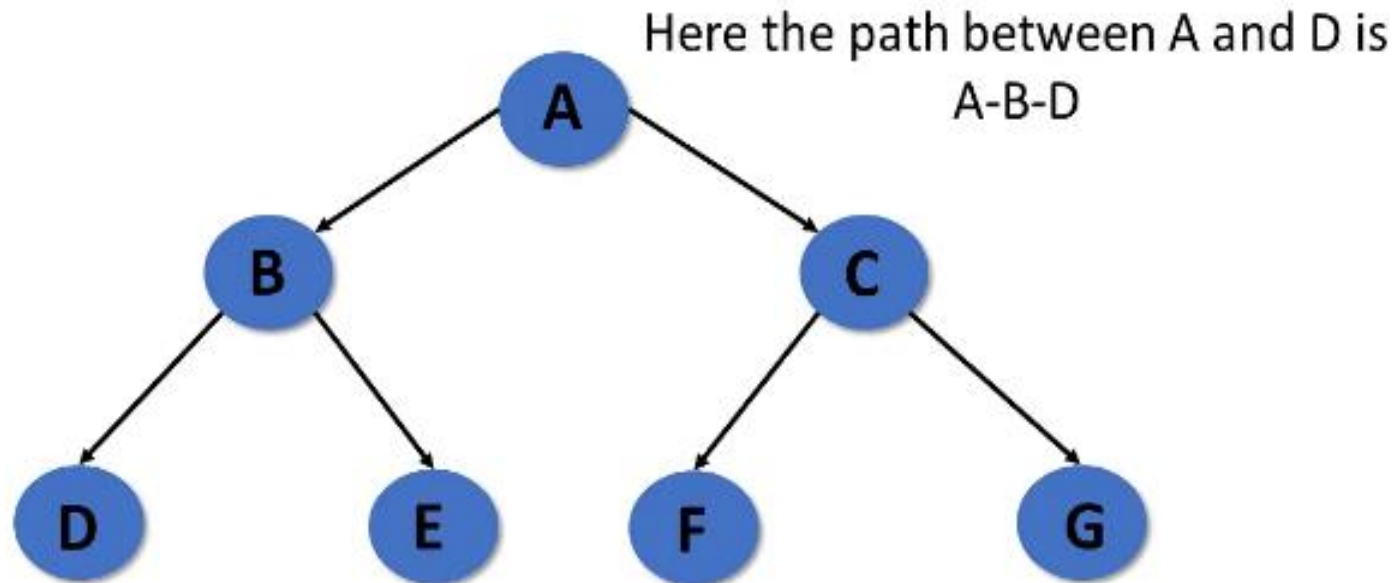


# Terminologies

## Path

- the sequence of nodes and edges from one node to another node is called the path between those two nodes.

The **length of a path** is **the total number of nodes** in a path



- ▣ each node in a tree **can have an arbitrary number of children**, and that **number is not known in advance**
- ▣ the *general* tree can be implemented using a **first child/next sibling** method

```
struct tree_node  
{  
    element_type element;  
    tree_ptr first_child;  
    tree_ptr next_sibling;  
};
```

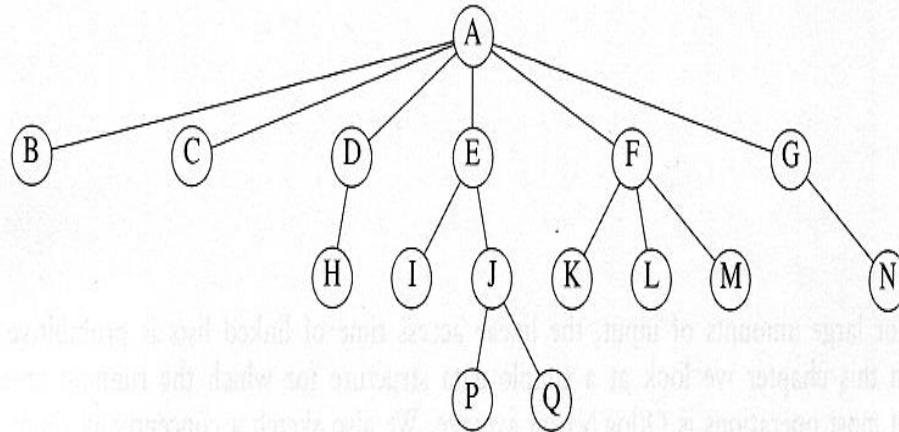
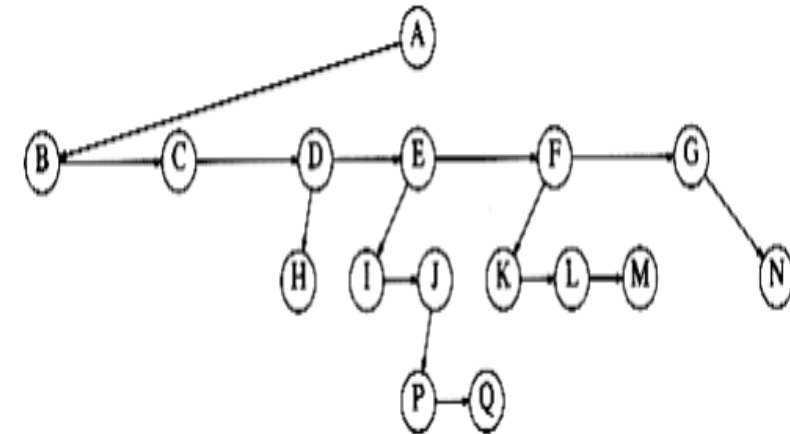


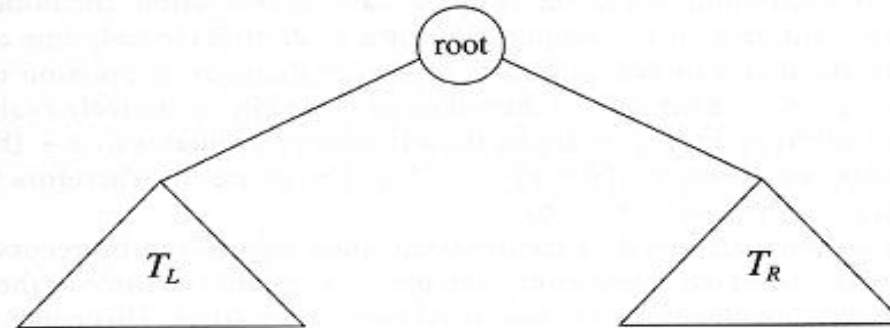
Figure 4.2 A tree



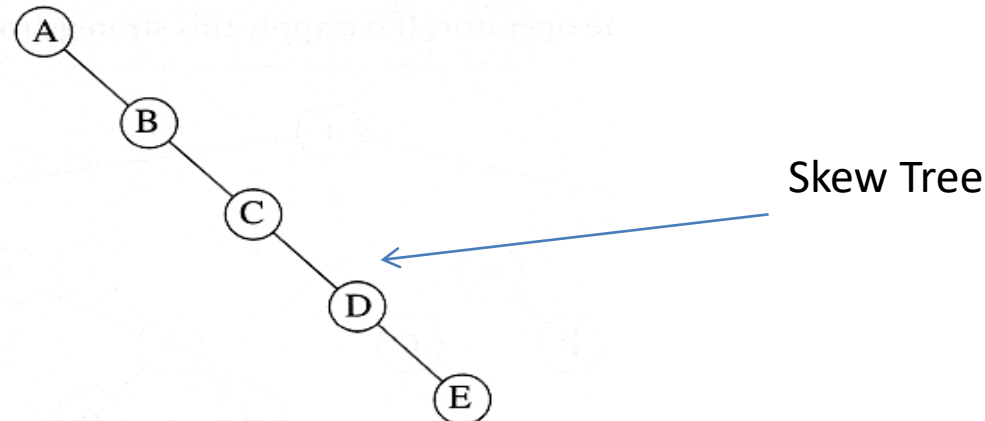
- Arrows that **point downward** are ***first\_child*** pointers
- Arrows that **go left to right** are ***next\_sibling*** pointers

# Binary Trees

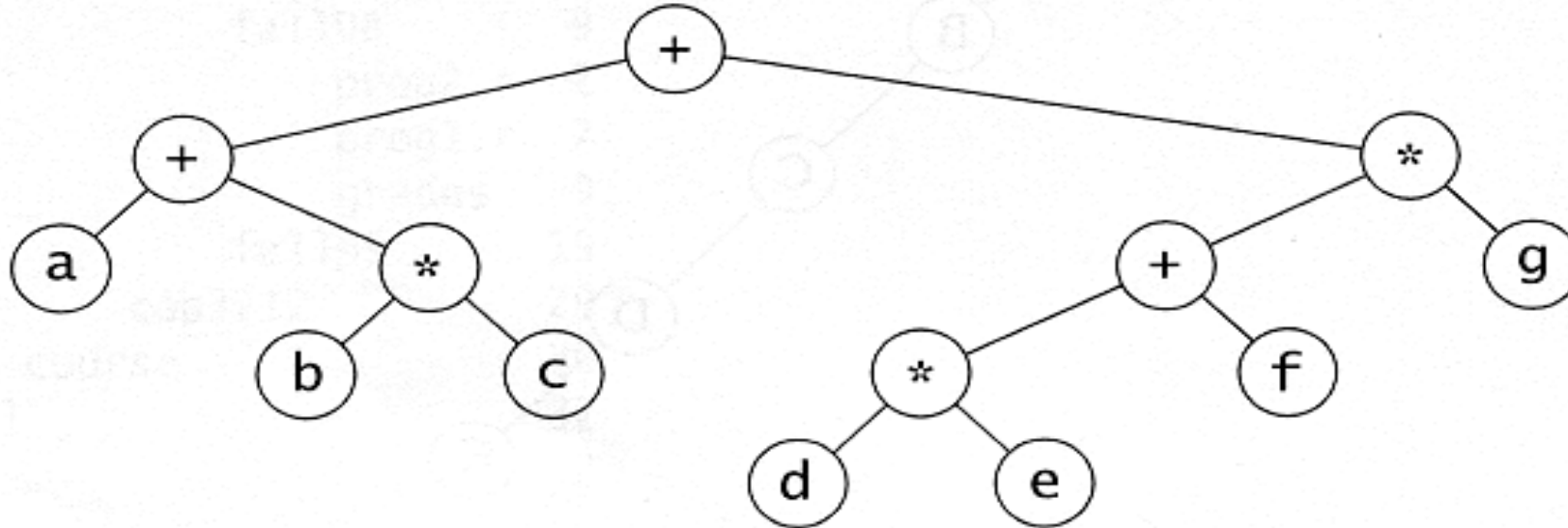
- A tree in which **no node can have more than two children**



- The depth of an “average” binary tree is considerably smaller than  $N$ , even though in the worst case, the depth can be as large as  $N - 1$ .



# Expression Trees



**Figure 4.14** Expression tree for  $(a + b * c) + ((d * e + f) * g)$

- The expression tree is a **binary tree** in which each **internal node** corresponds to the **operator** and each **leaf node** corresponds to the **operand**

### Algorithm

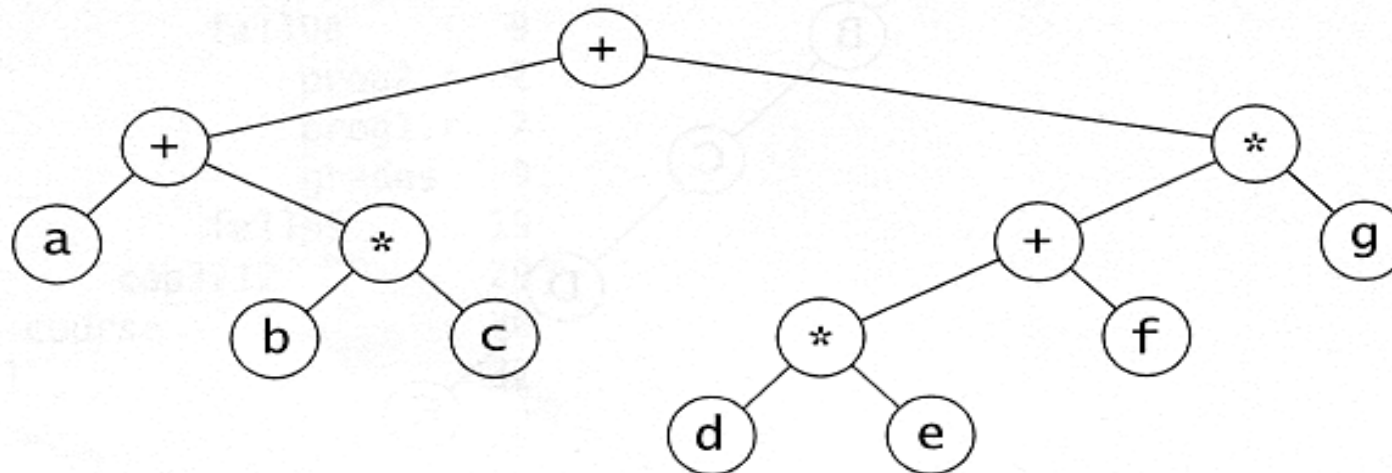
1. Scan the expression from left to right.
2. If an operand is found. Then create a node for this operand and push it into the stack.
3. If an operator is found. Pop two nodes from the stack and make a node keeping the operator as the root node and the two items as the left and the right child. Push the newly generated node into the stack.
4. Keep repeating the above two steps until we reach the end of our postfix expression.
5. The node that is left behind in the stack represents the head of the expression tree.



# Tree Traversals

- Used to print out the data in a tree in a certain order
- Pre-order traversal
  - **Print the data at the root**
  - Recursively print out all data in the **left subtree**
  - Recursively print out all data in the **right subtree**

- Preorder traversal
  - Process Node data, visit Left Subtree recursively, visit Right Subtree recursively
  - **Produces prefix expression**  
 $++a*bc*+*defg$



**Figure 4.14** Expression tree for  $(a + b * c) + ((d * e + f) * g)$

- **Postorder traversal**

- Visit Left Subtree recursively, Visit Right Subtree Recursively, Node data

- postfix expression

- $abc*+de*f+g*+$

- **Inorder traversal**

- left, node, right

- infix expression

- $a+b*c+d*e+f*g$

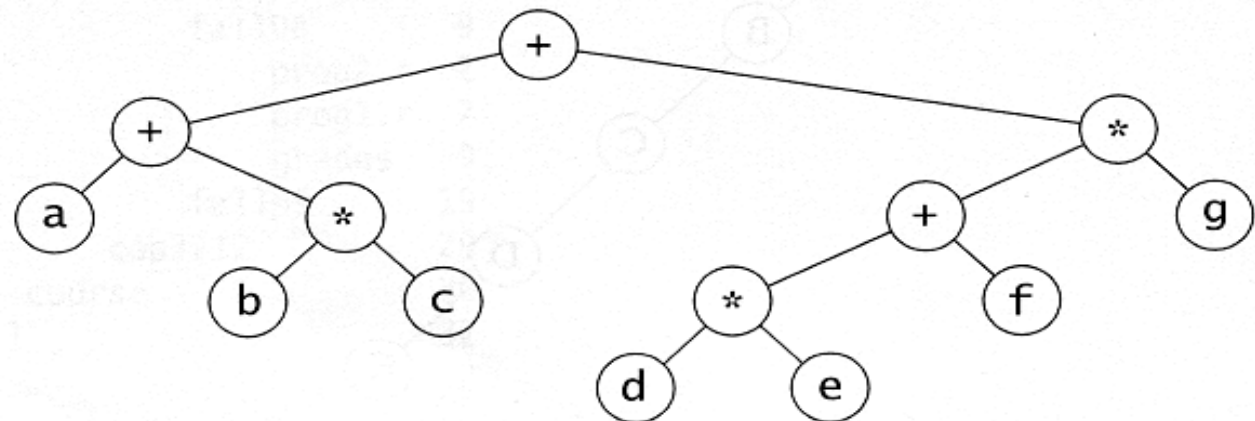


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**Algorithm** *Preorder*( $x$ )

**Input:**  $x$  is the root of a subtree.

1.   **if**  $x \neq \text{NULL}$
2.       **then** output key( $x$ );
3.           *Preorder*(left( $x$ ));
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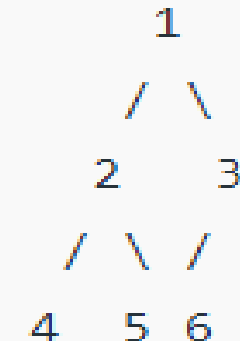
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A **Binary tree** data structure is represented using two methods.

- **Array Representation**
- **Linked List Representation**

## Array Representation

```
arr[] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6}
```



- if the **parent node** is at **index  $i$  in the array** then (array index starts at '0')
- the **left child** of that node is at index  **$(2*i + 1)$**  and
- the **right child** is at index  **$(2*i + 2)$**  in the array.

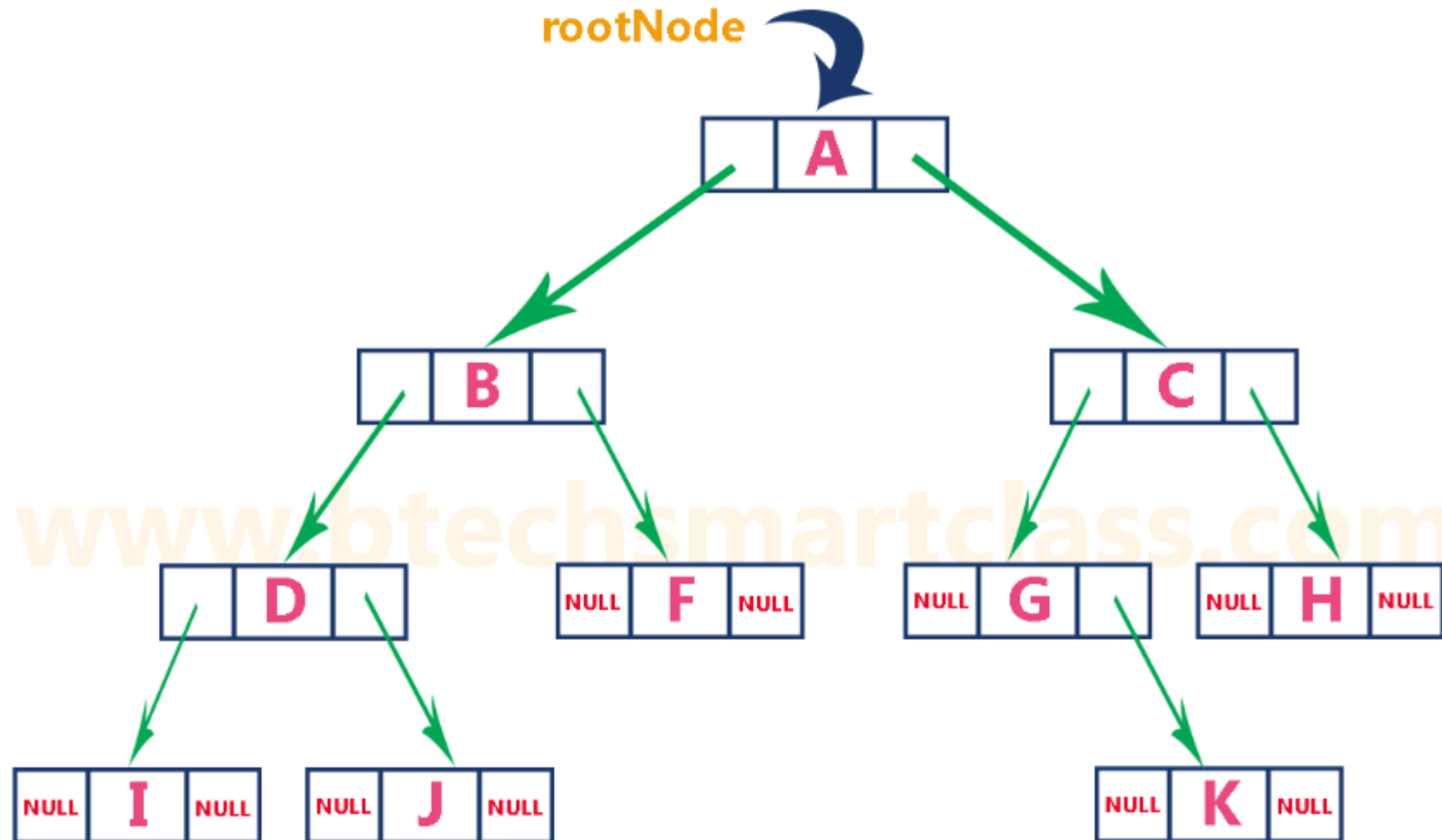
## Linked List Representation

- use a **doubly linked list** to represent a binary tree
- every node consists of 3 fields.
- Field-1 for storing left child address,
- Field-2 storing actual data and
- Field-3 for storing right child address.

### Node Structure:



## Binary Tree - Representation



It means that the **no. of distinct binary trees created** from a **given no. of nodes or a binary tree.**

**Unlabelled Binary Tree** - Binary Tree is unlabelled if nodes are not assigned any label.

Below two are considered same unlabelled trees



**Labelled Binary Tree** - Binary Tree is labeled if every node is assigned a label

Below two are considered different labelled trees



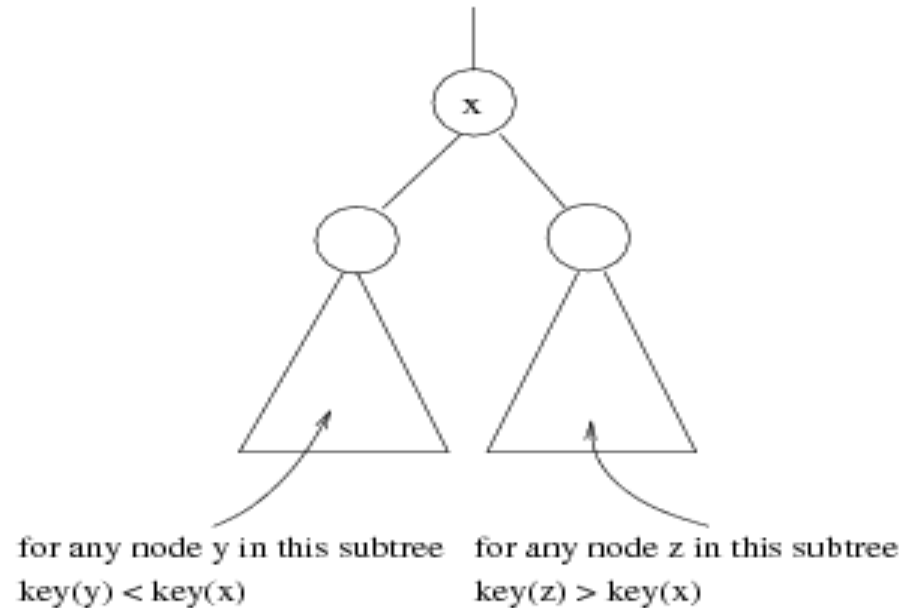


- No. of Unlabelled Binary Trees =  $(2n)! / (n+1)! * n!$
- When  $n = 3$ , No. of Unlabelled B.Trees is = 5
- No. of Labelled Trees = (Number of unlabelled trees) \*  $n!$   
$$= [(2n)! / (n+1)!n!] \times n!$$
- For example for  $n = 3$ , there are  $5 * 3! = 5 * 6 = 30$  different labelled trees

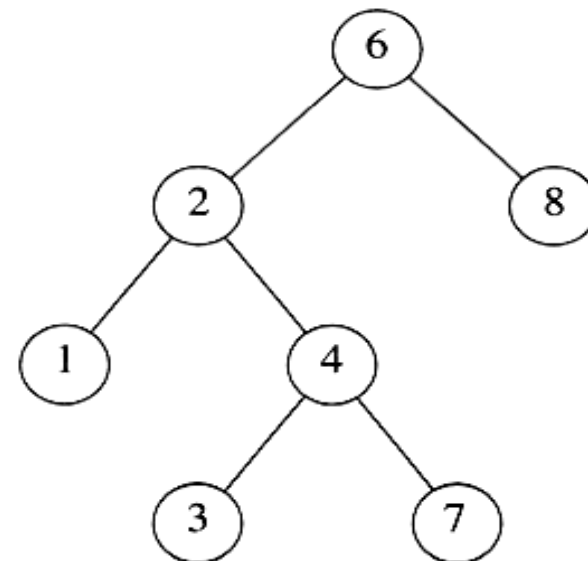
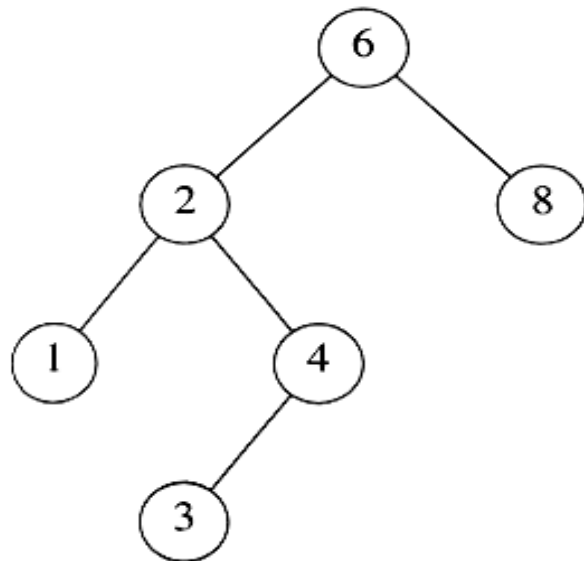
- Stores keys in the nodes in a way so that searching, insertion and deletion can be done efficiently.

## Binary search tree property

$$\underline{\text{value(LST)} < \text{value (Root)} < \text{value (RST)}}$$



# Binary Search Tree



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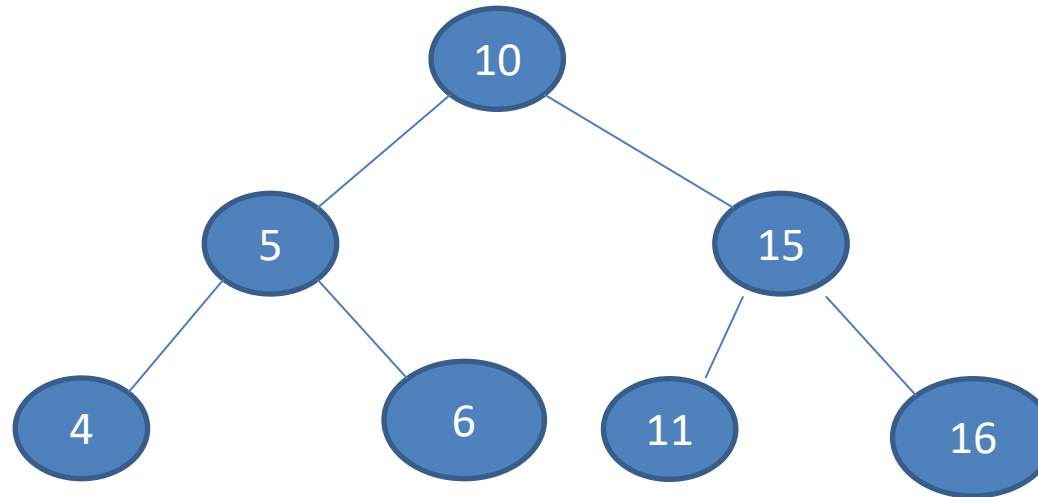
# Binary Search Tree from Preorder Traversal

## Procedure:

1. Take the **first element** as the **root** of the BST
2. Identify the index (i) of **immediate largest element** of the root element
3. Take the elements from **index i to n-1** for 'Right Sub Tree'
4. The elements between index of **root to i** will be taken to 'Left Sub Tree'.
5. Recursively do the same for constructing BST

## Binary Search Tree from Preorder Traversal

Ex: 10, 5, 4, 6, 15, 11, 16



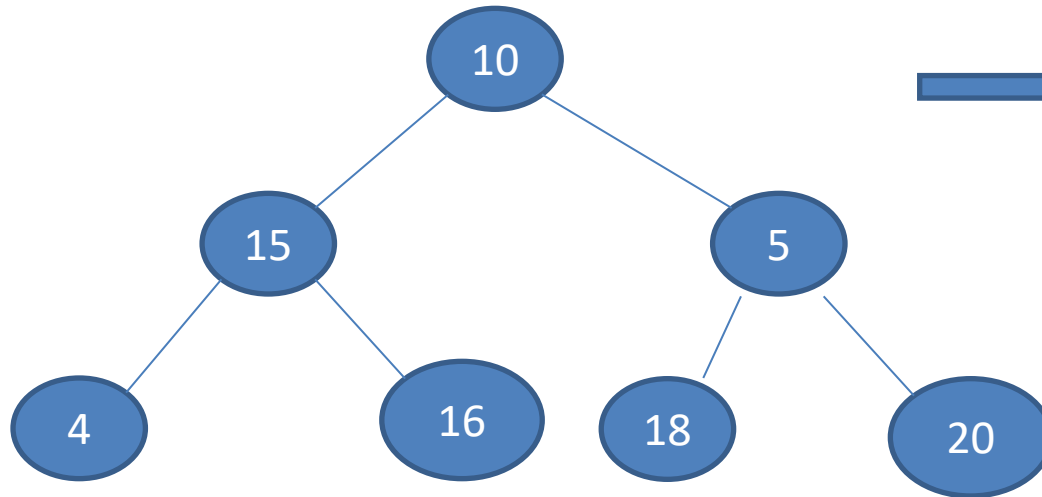
- The first element 10 will be root node, because in pre order traversal the root of the BT will be visited at first.
- The immediate largest element of root element 10 is 15, and its index 4.
- The elements in index 4 to 6 will be taken to RST.
- The elements in index 1 to 3 will be taken to LST.
- Repeat the same on the above portion of elements to find the roots of subtrees

### Procedure:

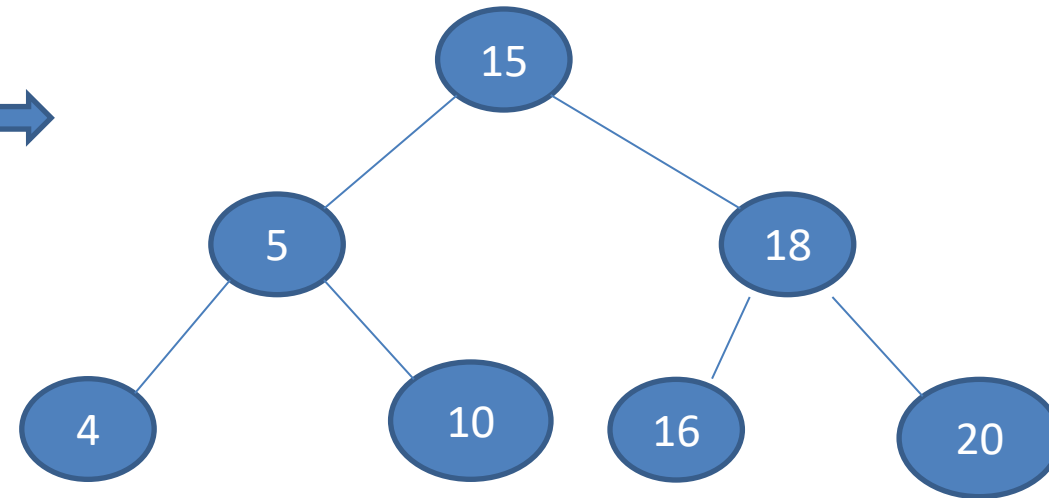
1. Declare an array to have in-order traversal of Binary Tree
2. **Sort it using a Sorting Algorithm which consumes less time complexity**
3. Take the **in-order traversal** of the **Binary Tree** and **move the nodes to**

### Binary Search Tree

**Binary Tree**



**Binary Search Tree**



- Take the in-order traversal into an array: Temp[] = 4 15 16 10 18 5 20
- Sort the array: Temp[] = 4 5 10 15 16 18 20
- Take nodes using in-order traversal for constructing BST.