

CS 106X, Lecture 19

Trees

reading:

Programming Abstractions in C++, Chapters 16.1-16.4

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- Trees
- Announcements
- Binary Search Trees
 - Traversing
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小结:

1. tree = ptr + recursion综合
2. 所有tree的问题: 都与traverse order有关 (思考的角度方向)
3. 不同节点的分类cases: nullptr (base case) 、 leaf (2边都没children) 、“single” internal vertex (只有1边有child, 出现最大最小值) 、 internal vertex (2边都有child)
4. tree branch arrow: 可看作是一个指针
5. remove节点操作: 分类: single vertex (调整arrow指向的终点) ; internal vertex: replace it with right_min / left_max
第2点的补充: 可以参考browser2的inrange函数如何从树种取出从小到大的元素, inorder traverse
6. 在heap中创建数据结构初始化的时候, 即使是empty了记得也要加上nullptr防止dangling ptr; 删除清空的时候也是如此, 删完的指针设置成nullptr
7. Trie: 每条指针代表一个字母, 节点的位置决定一个单词 (参考leetcode一道模版题)
8. 平衡树的构建: hw6的displaying text:
<https://www.baeldung.com/cs/balanced-bst-from-sorted-list>

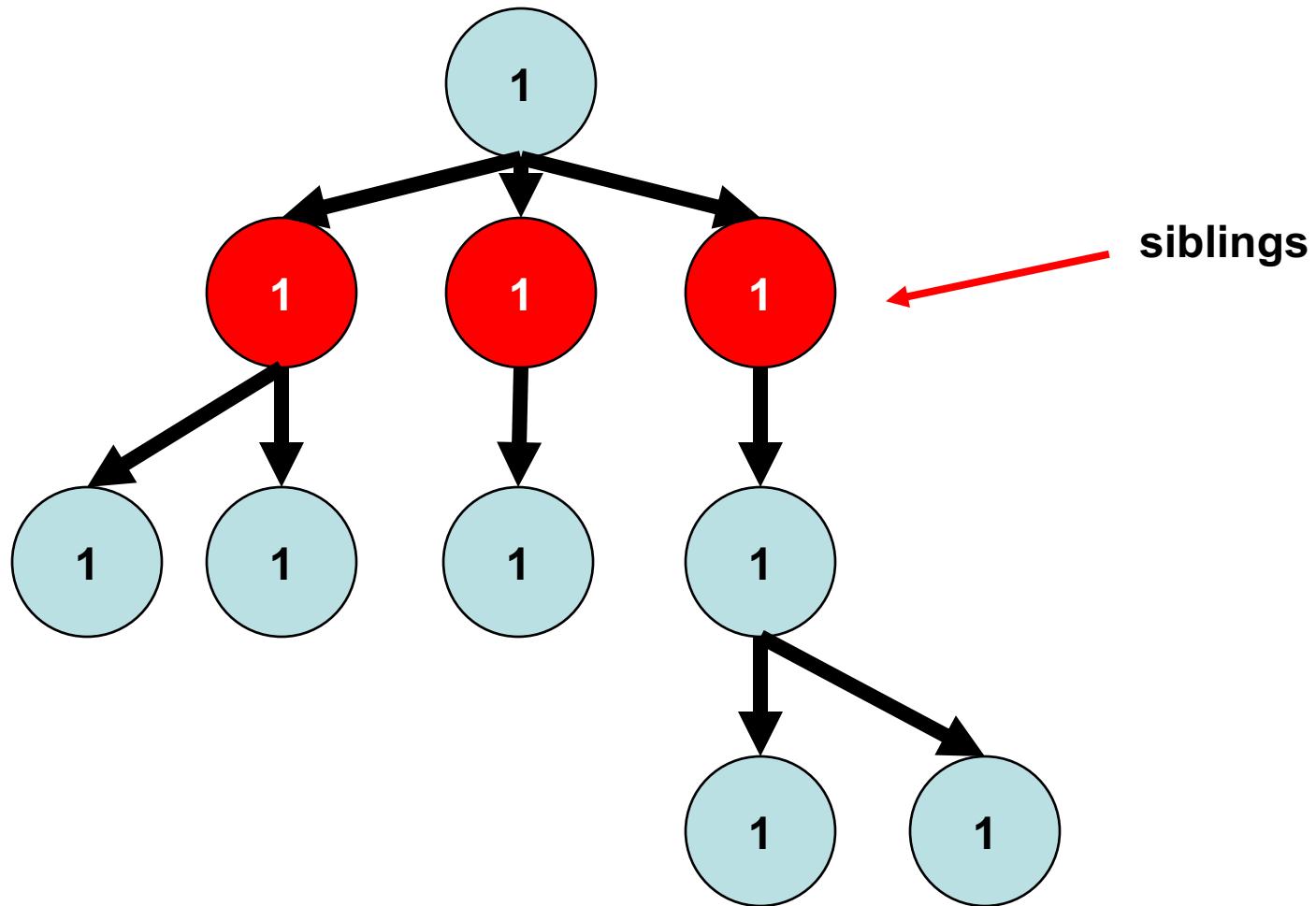
Learning Goals

- Understand how trees use pointers to represent data in useful ways
- Understand the structure of binary search trees and how to traverse/search/update them

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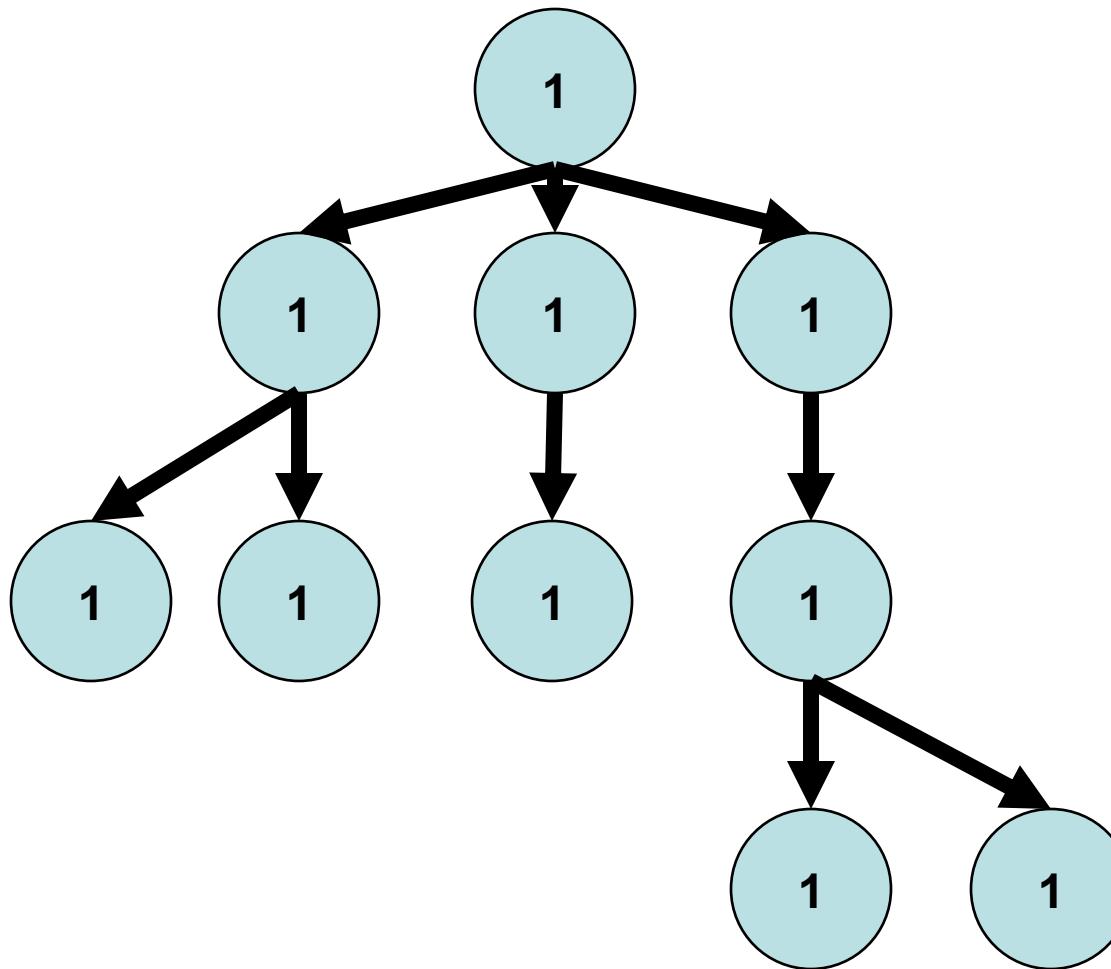
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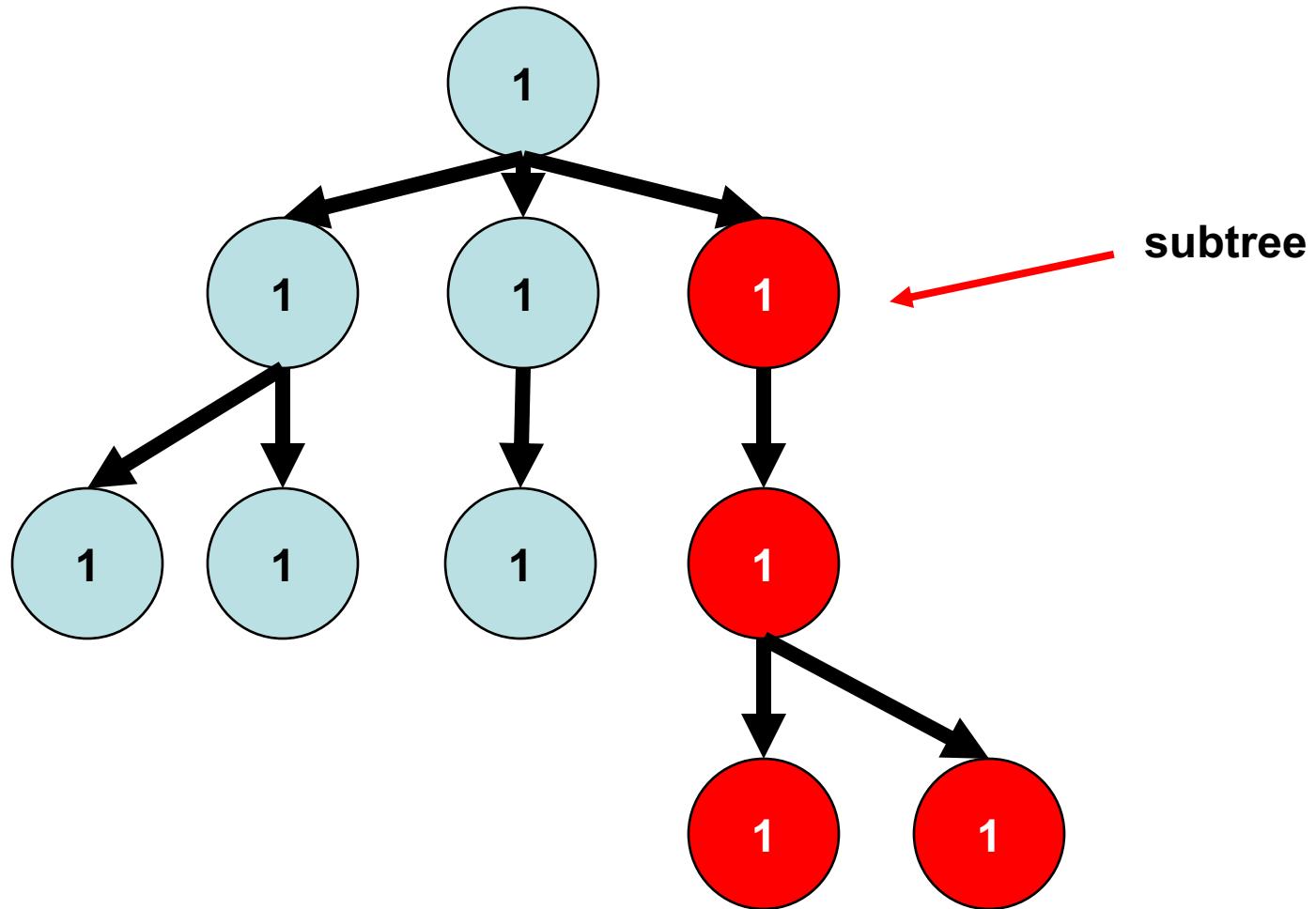
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Level 3

Level 4

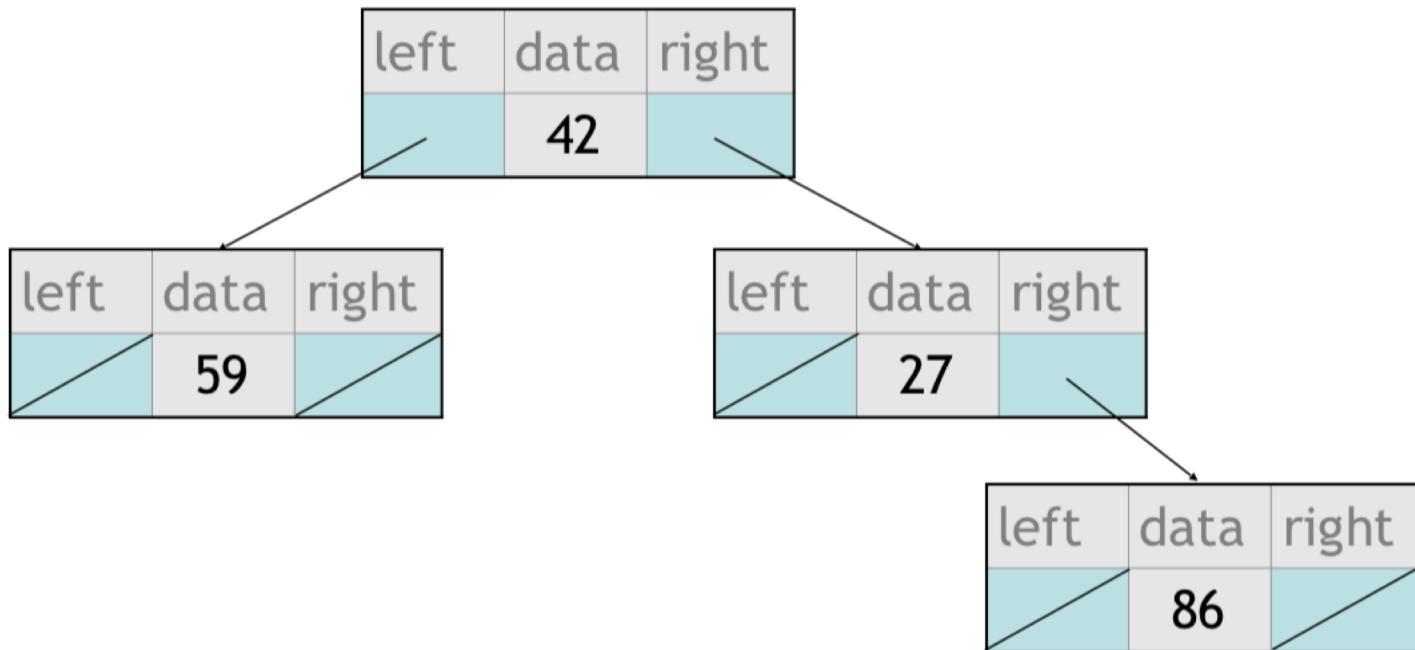


Trees



TreeNode

- A basic **tree node object** stores data and pointers to left/right
 - Multiple nodes can be linked together into a larger tree



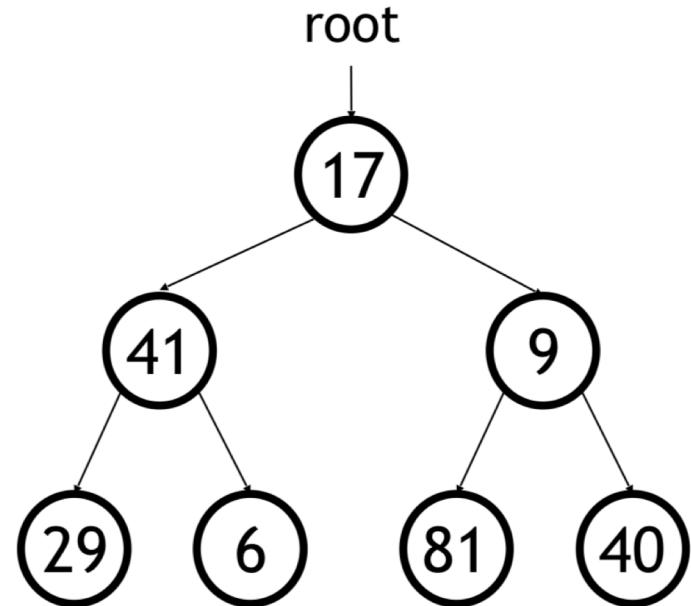
Common Tree Operations

- print
- height
- size
- contains
- deleteTree

print

- Write a function named **print** that accepts a tree node pointer as its parameter and prints the elements of that tree, one per line.
 - A node's left subtree should be printed before it, and its right subtree should be printed after it.
 - Example: `print(root);`

29
41
6
17
81
9
40

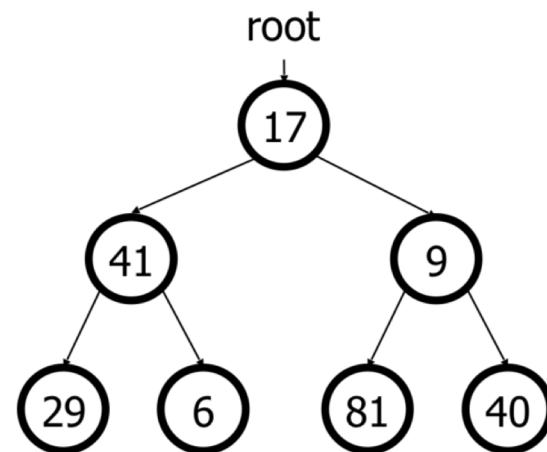


print

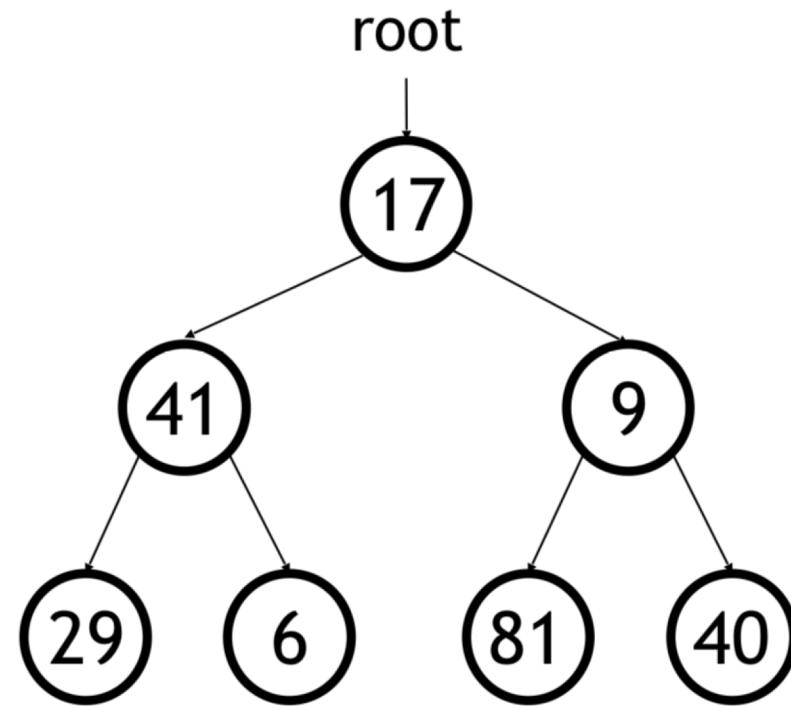
```
void print(TreeNode* node) {
    // (base case is implicitly to do nothing on NULL)
    if (node != nullptr) {
        // recursive case: print left, center, right
        print(node->left);
        cout << node->data << endl;
        print(node->right);
    }
}
```

Traversal

- **traversal:** An examination of the elements of a tree.
 - A pattern used in many tree algorithms and methods
- Common orderings for traversals:
 - **pre-order:** process root node, then its left/right subtrees
 - **in-order:** process left subtree, then root node, then right
 - **post-order:** process left/right subtrees, then root node



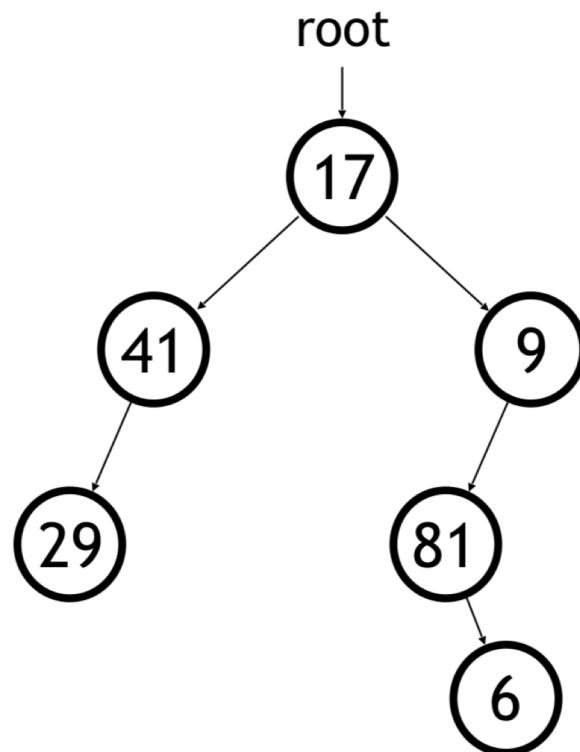
Traversal



- pre-order: 17 41 29 6 9 81 40
- in-order: 29 41 6 17 81 9 40
- post-order: 29 6 41 81 40 9 17

size

- Write a function named **size** that accepts a tree node pointer as its parameter and returns the number of elements of that tree.
 - An empty/null tree is defined as having a size of 0.
 - Example: `size(root)` returns 6

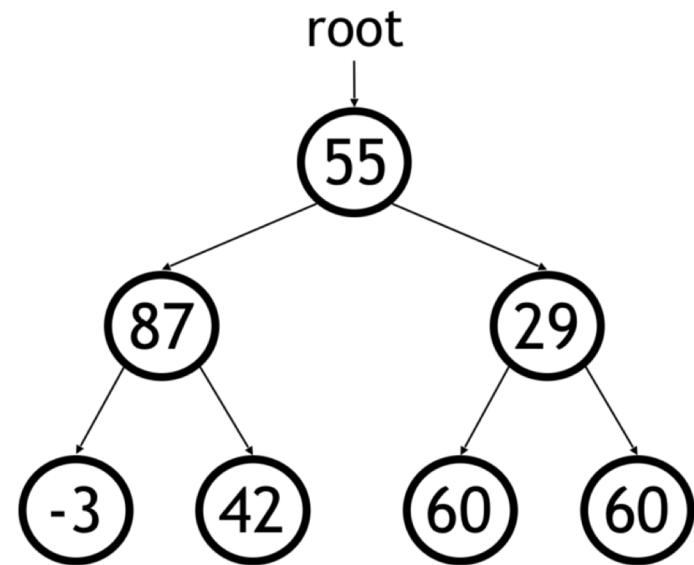


size

```
int size(TreeNode* node) {  
    if (node == nullptr) {  
        // base case: empty tree  
        return 0;  
    } else {  
        // recursive case: non-NULL node  
        // with possible children  
        return 1 + size(node->left) + size(node->right);  
    }  
}
```

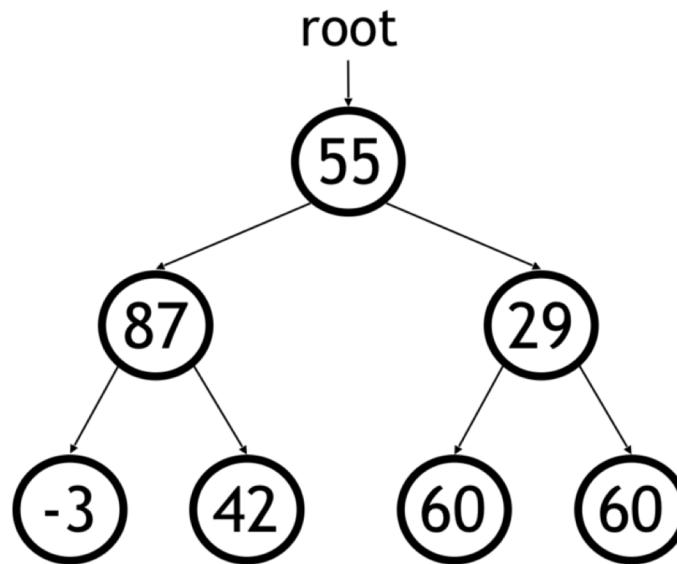
contains

- Write a function **contains** that accepts a tree node pointer as its parameter and searches the tree for a given integer, returning true if found and false if not.
 - `contains(root, 87) → true`
 - `contains(root, 60) → true`
 - `contains(root, 63) → false`



height

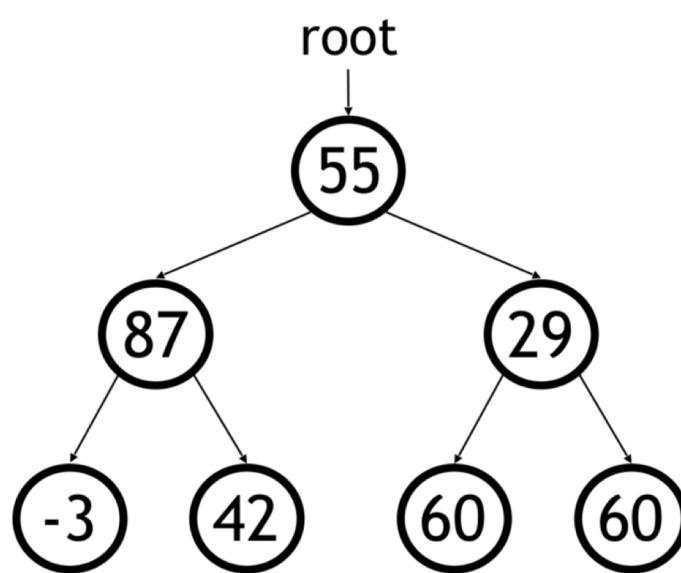
- Write a function **height** that accepts a tree node pointer as its parameter and returns the height of the tree.
- Height is defined as the longest path from the root to any node, in # nodes.



E.g. the height of this tree is 3.

deleteTree

- Write a function **deleteTree** that accepts a tree node pointer as its parameter and frees all memory associated with the given tree.

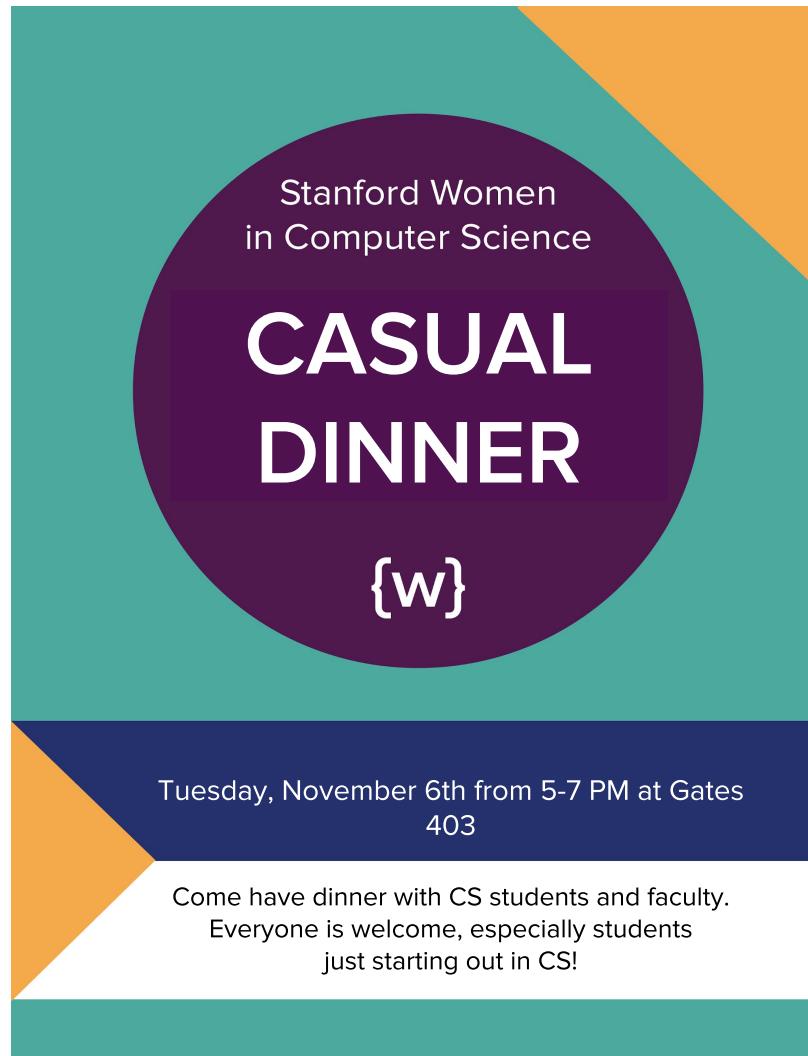


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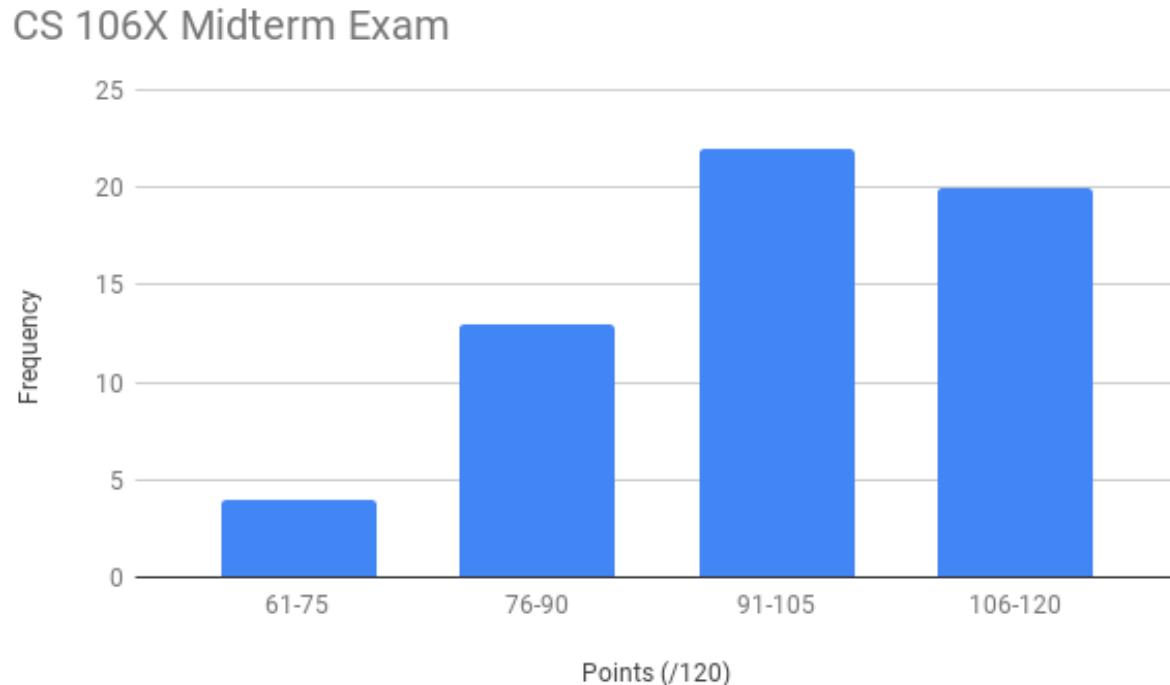
Announcements

- WiCS Casual Dinner **Tues. 11/6 5-7 in Gates 403!** Join me!



Announcements

- Midterms have been graded, and will be returned after class
- Visit gradescope.com (you should receive an email) to view your exam and score
- Regrades accepted until next Monday at 1:30PM

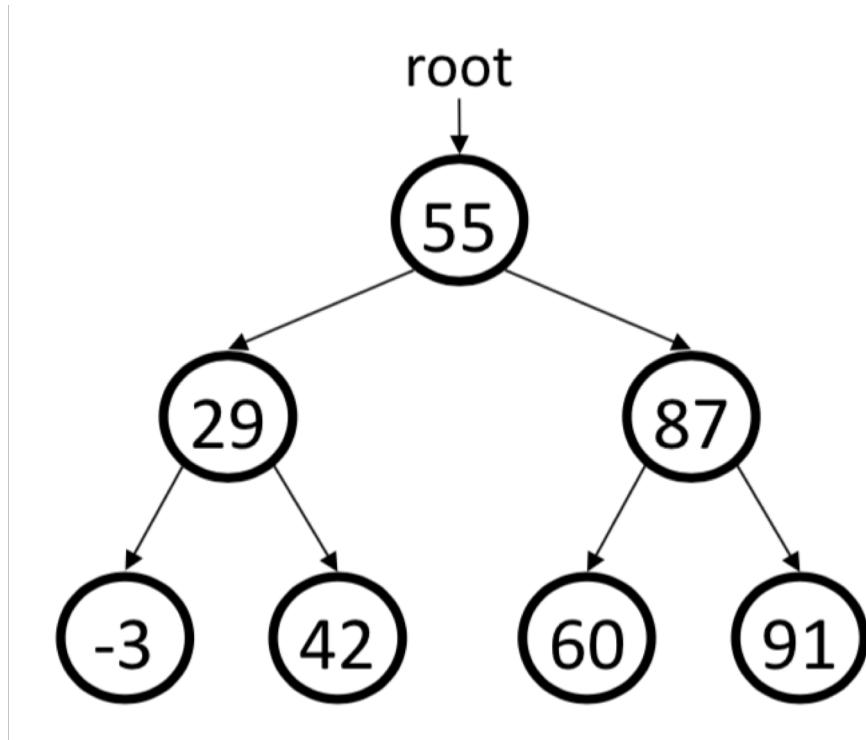


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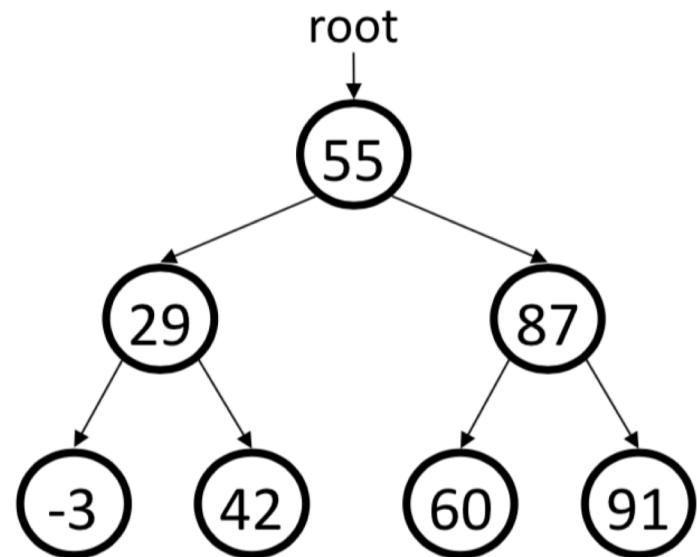
Binary Search Trees

- BSTs store their elements in **sorted order**, which is helpful for searching/sorting tasks.
- Used to implement the Stanford Set



Binary Search Trees

- **binary search tree ("BST"):** a binary tree where each non-empty node R has the following properties:
 - every element of R 's left subtree contains data less than R 's data,
 - every element of R 's right subtree contains data greater than R 's,
 - R 's left and right subtrees are also binary search trees.



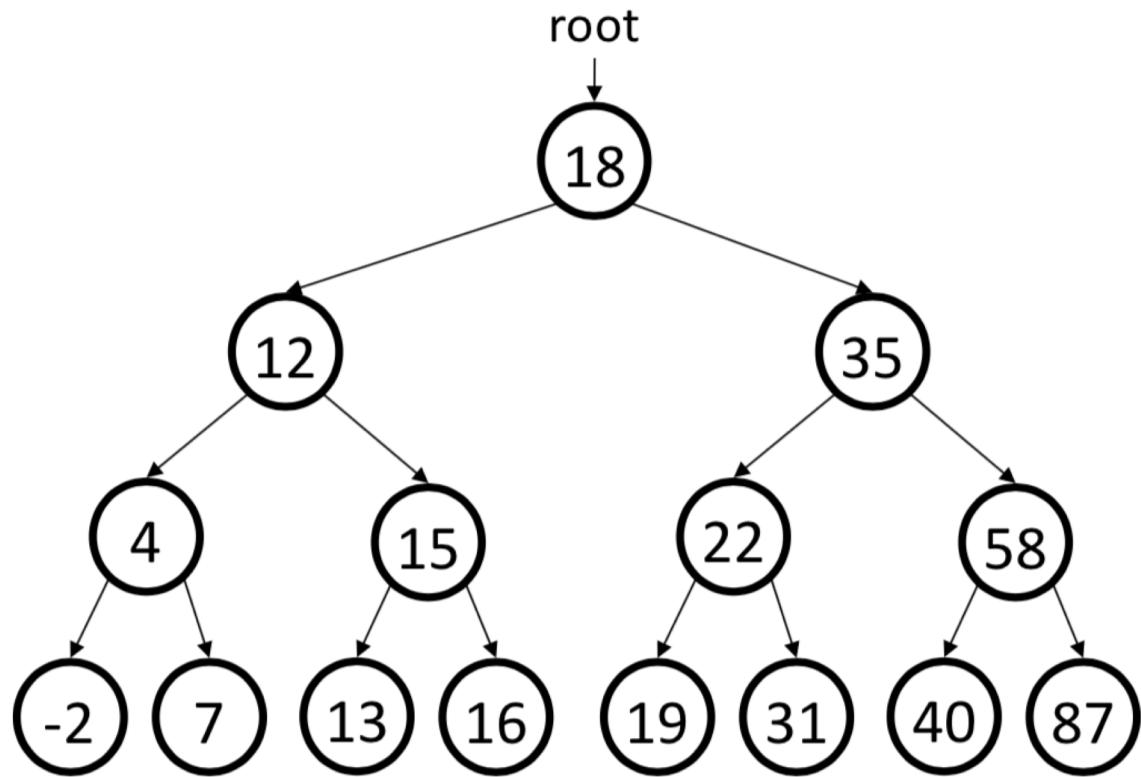
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Searching a BST

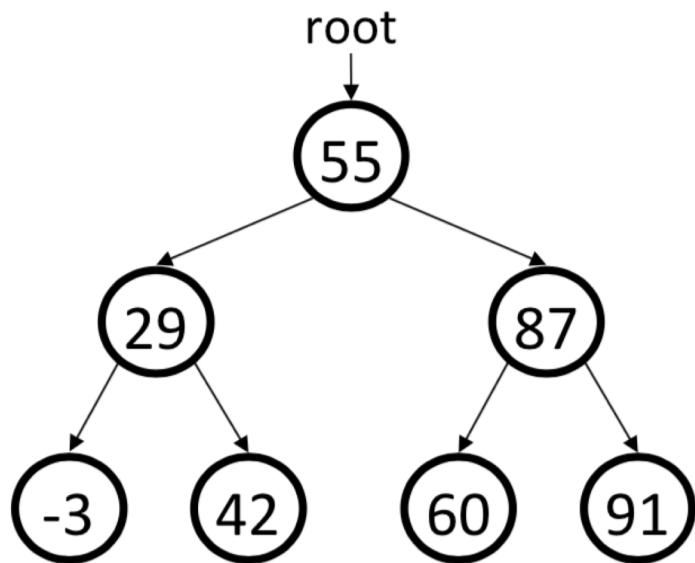
- Describe an algorithm for searching a binary search tree.
 - Try searching for the value 31, then 6.

- What is the maximum number of nodes you would need to examine to perform any search?



Exercise: contains

- Modify our **contains** function to take advantage of the BST's ordering and structure.
 - `contains(root, 29) → true`
 - `contains(root, 55) → true`
 - `contains(root, 63) → false`
 - `contains(root, 35) → false`



Exercise: contains

```
/*
 * Returns true if the given tree contains the given value.
 */
bool contains(TreeNode *node, int value) {
    if (node == nullptr) {
        return false;    // base case: not found here
    } else if (node->data == value) {
        return true;     // base case: found here!
    } else {
        // recursive case: search left/right subtrees
        return contains(node->left, value) ||
               contains(node->right, value);
    }
}
```

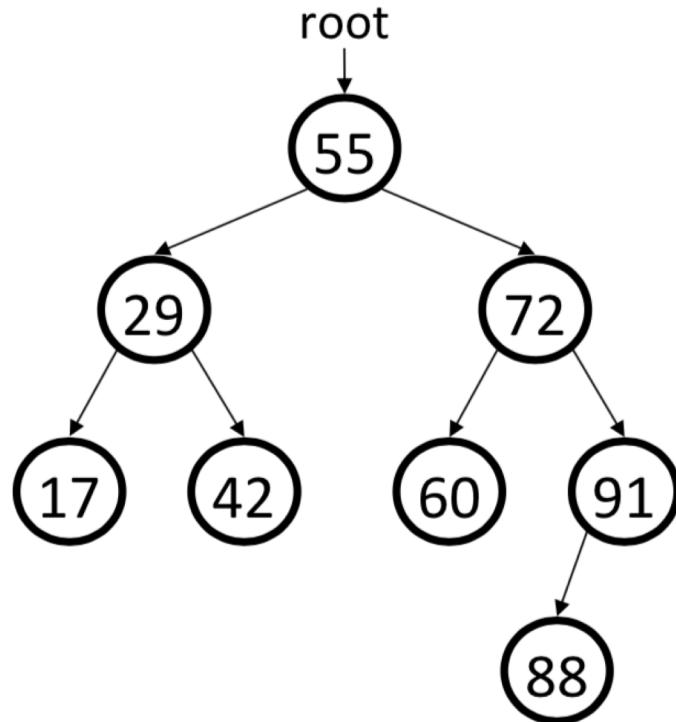
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    } else if (node->data == value) {
        return true;     // base case: found here!
    } else if (node->data > value) {
        return contains(node->left, value);
    } else {
        return contains(node->right, value);
    }
}
```

Exercise: getMin/getMax

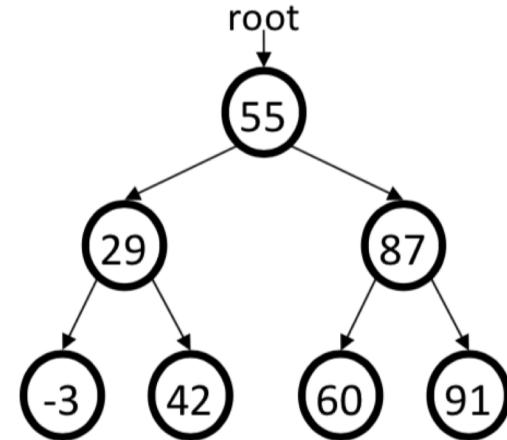
- Write functions **getMin** and **getMax** that accept a node pointer and return the minimum and maximum integer value from the tree. Assume that the tree is a valid non-empty binary search tree.

```
int min = getMin(root); // 17  
int max = getMax(root); // 91
```



Exercise: getMin/getMax

```
// Returns the minimum/maximum value from this BST.  
// Assumes that the tree is a nonempty valid BST.  
  
int getMin(TreeNode* root) {  
    if (root->left == nullptr) {  
        return root->data;  
    }  
  
    int getMax(TreeNode* root) {  
        if (root->right == nullptr) {  
            return root->data;  
        } else {  
            return getMax(root->right);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

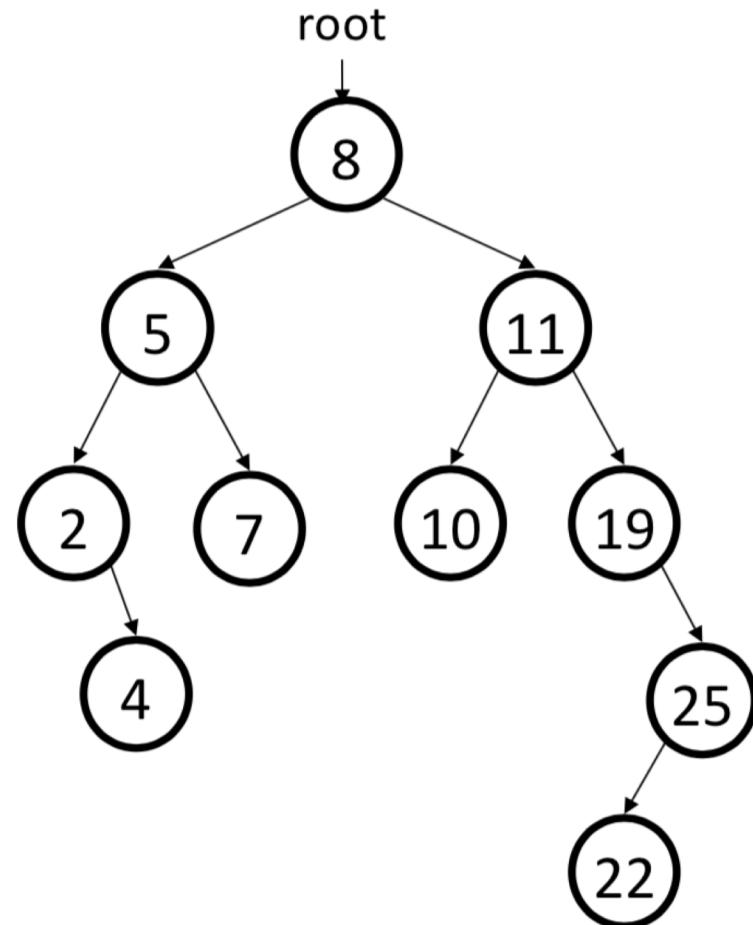


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Adding to a BST

- Suppose we want to add new values to the BST below.
 - Where should the value 14 be added?
 - Where should 3 be added? 7?
 - If the tree is empty, where should a new value be added?
- What is the general algorithm?



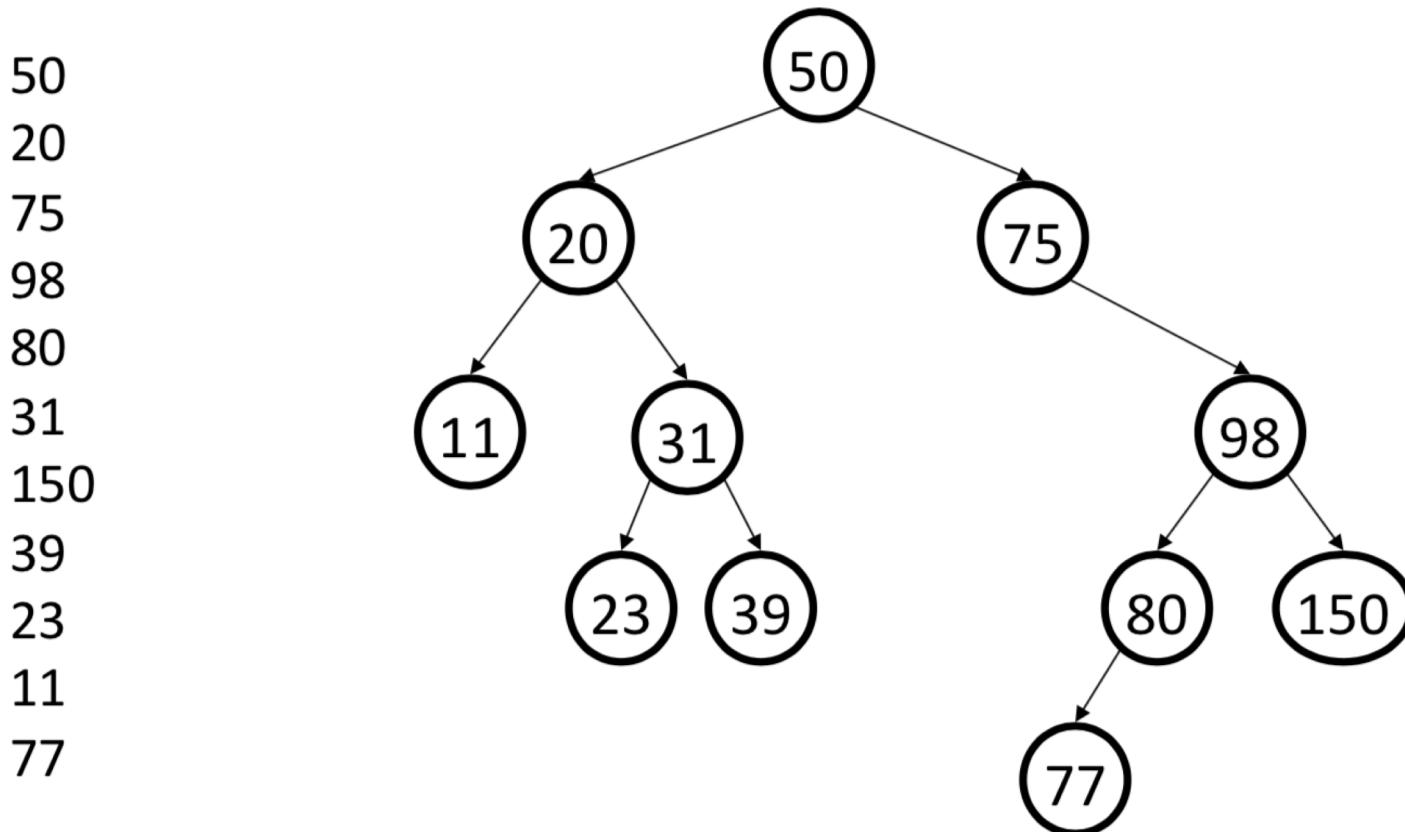
Adding to a BST

- Draw what a binary search tree would look like if the following values were added to an initially empty tree in this order:

50
20
75
98
80
31
150
39
23
11
77

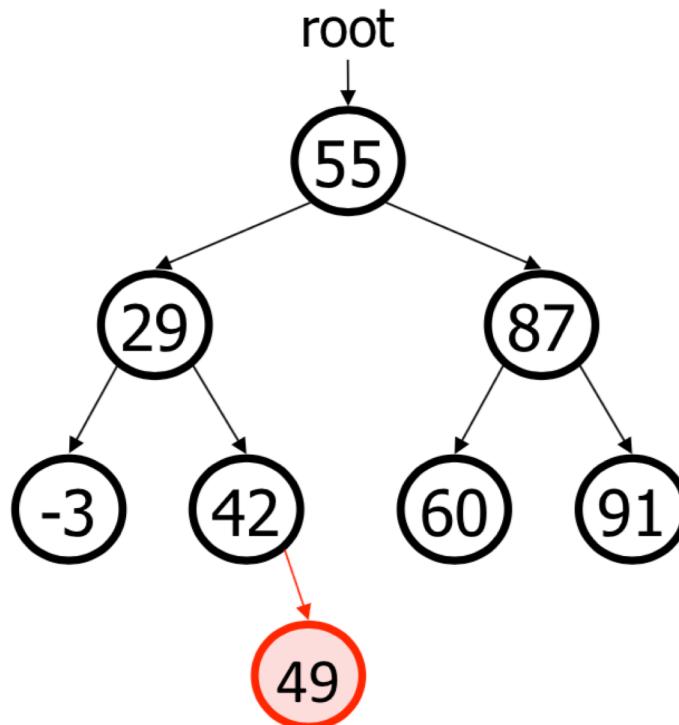
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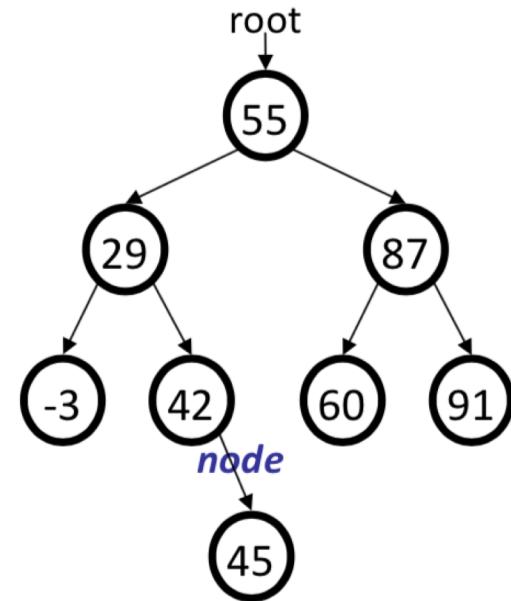
Exercise: add

- Write a function **add** that adds a given integer value to the BST.
 - Add the new value in the proper place to maintain BST ordering.
 - `tree.add(root, 49);`



Exercise: add

```
void add(TreeNode*& node, int value) {  
    if (node == nullptr) {  
        node = new TreeNode(value);  
    } else if (node->data > value) {  
        add(node->left, value);  
    } else if (node->data < value) {  
        add(node->right, value);  
    }  
}
```



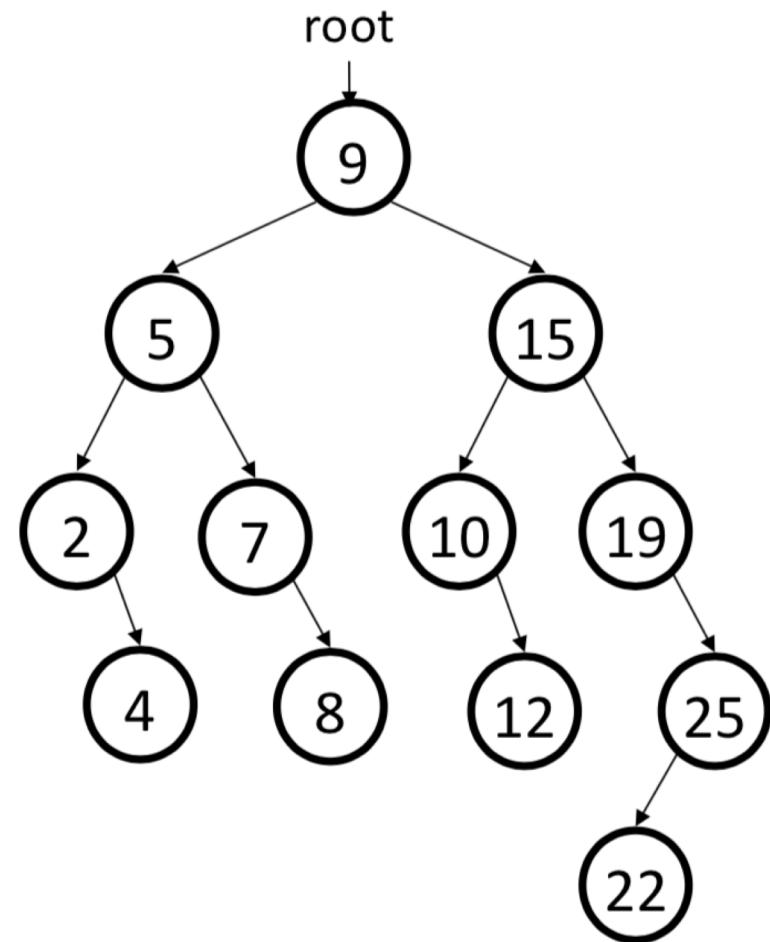
- Must pass the current node *by reference* for changes to be seen.

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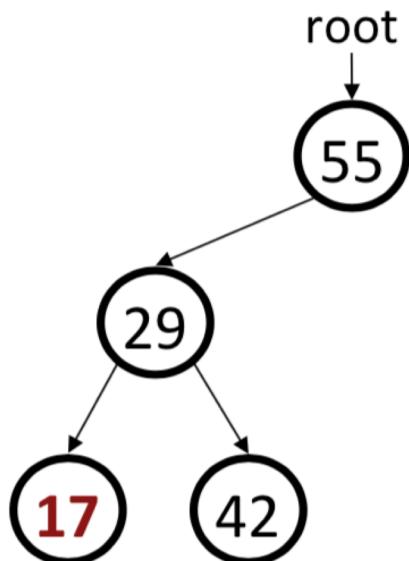
Removing from a BST

- Suppose we want to **remove** values from the BST below.
 - Removing a leaf like 4 or 22 is easy.
 - What about removing 2? 19?
 - How can you remove a node with two large subtrees under it, such as 15 or 9?
- What is the general algorithm?

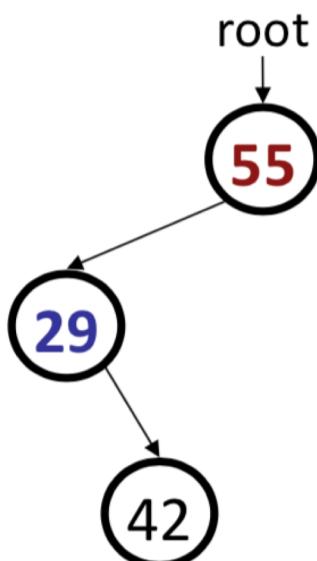


Removing from a BST

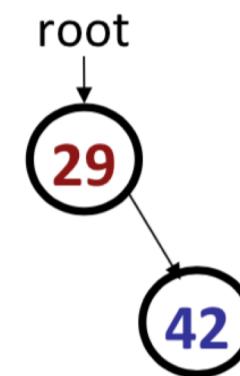
1. a **leaf**:
2. a node with a **left child only**:
3. a node with a **right child only**:



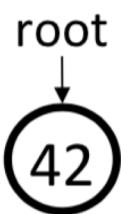
```
remove(root, 17);
```



```
remove(root, 55);
```



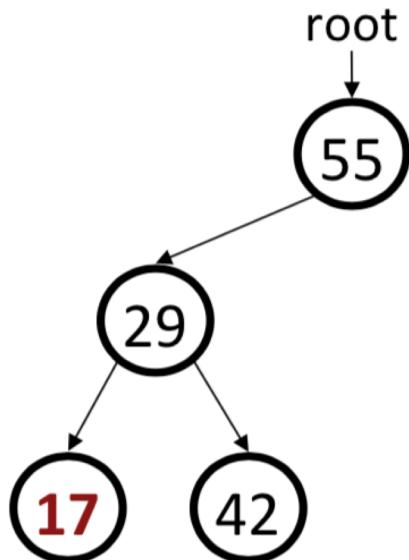
```
remove(root, 29);
```



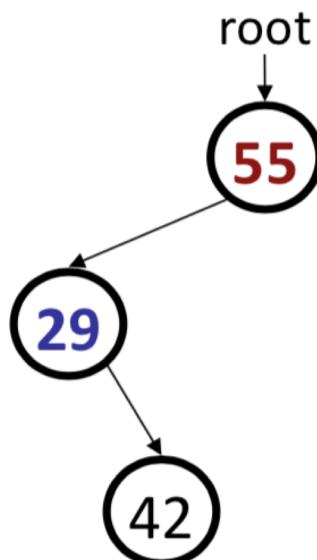
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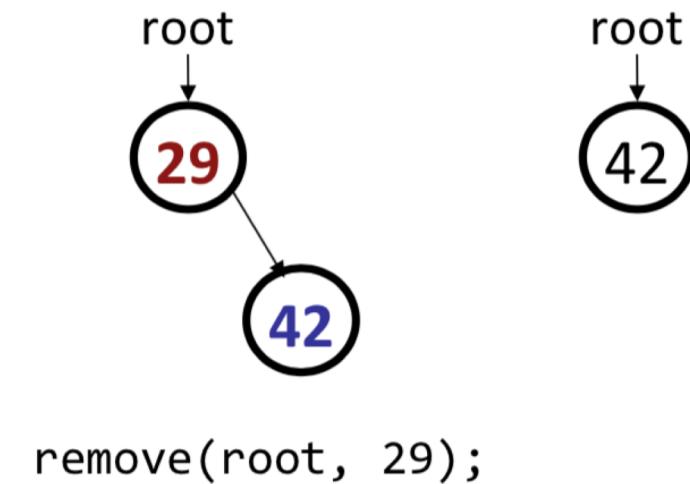
Replace with nullptr
Replace with left child
Replace with right child



`remove(root, 17);`



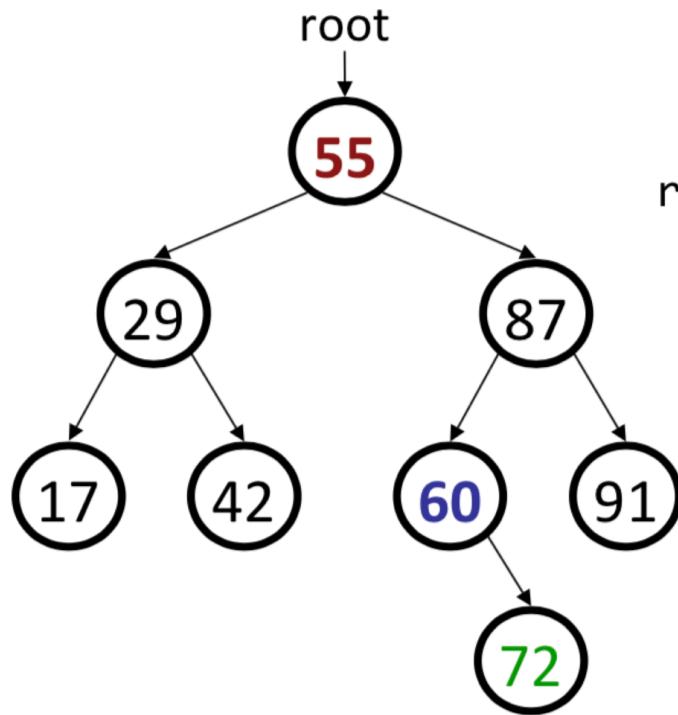
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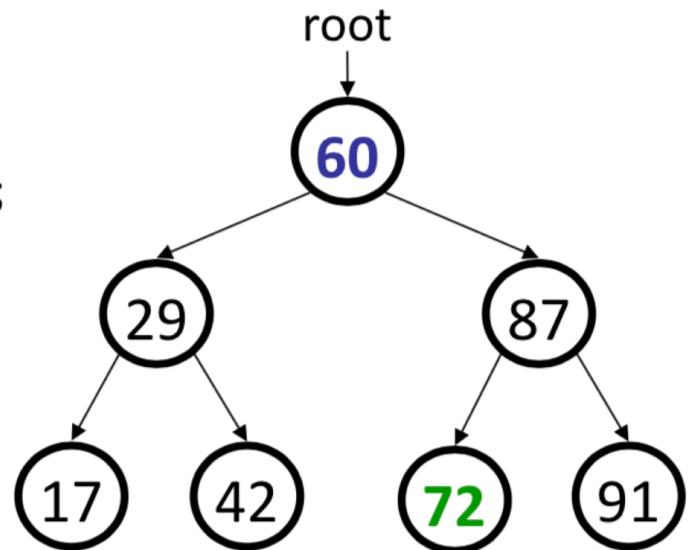
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Removing from a BST

4. a node with **both** children:

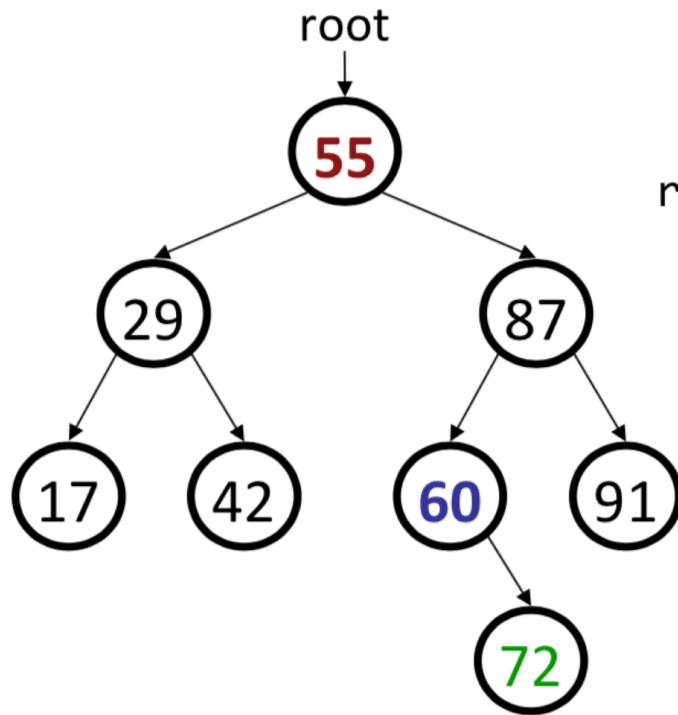


`remove(root, 55);`

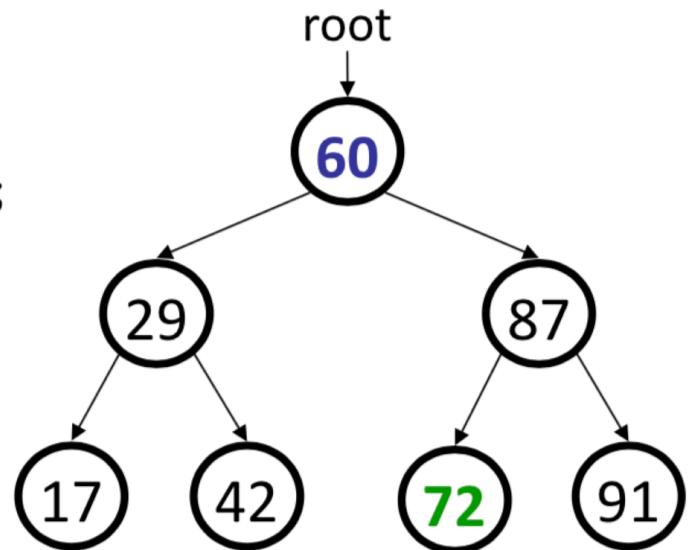


Removing from a BST

4. a node with **both** children: replace with **min from right**
(replacing with **max from left** would also work)



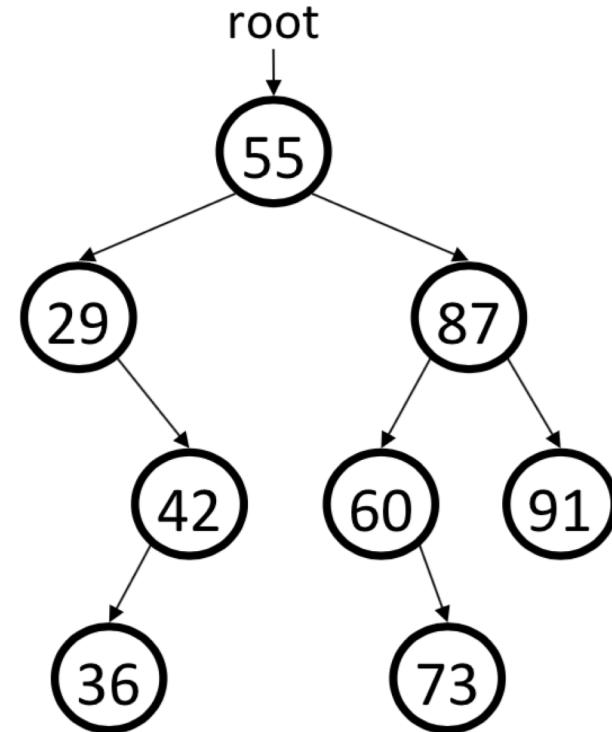
remove(root, 55);



Exercise: remove

- Add a function **remove** that accepts a root pointer and removes a given integer value from the tree, if present. Remove the value in such a way as to maintain BST ordering.

- `remove(root, 73);`
- `remove(root, 29);`
- `remove(root, 87);`
- `remove(root, 55);`



Recap

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Next time: Balanced Binary Trees and other advanced trees