

## Binary Search Tree Iterator (LeetCode 173 - Medium)

### Problem Description

Implement an iterator over a binary search tree (BST). Your iterator will be initialized with the root node of a BST.

Calling **next()** will return the next smallest number in the BST.

**Note:** **next()** and **hasNext()** should run in average  $O(1)$  time and uses  $O(h)$  memory, where  $h$  is the height of the tree.

\* Your BSTIterator will be called like this:  
\* `BSTIterator i = new BSTIterator(root);`  
\* `while (i.hasNext()) v[f()] = i.next();`

### Solution

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//DFS - stack
public class BSTIterator {

    Stack<TreeNode> stack;

    public BSTIterator(TreeNode root) {
        stack = new Stack<TreeNode>();
        pushAllLeft(root);
    }

    /** @return whether we have a next smallest number */
    public boolean hasNext() {
        return !stack.isEmpty();
    }

    /** @return the next smallest number */
    public int next() {
        TreeNode currentTop = stack.pop();
        int rv = currentTop.val;
        pushAllLeft(currentTop.right);
        return rv;
    }

    private void pushAllLeft(TreeNode node) {
        while (node != null) {
            stack.push(node);
            node = node.left;
        }
    }
}
```