COMP108
Data Structures and Algorithms

Trees (Part II Binary Trees)

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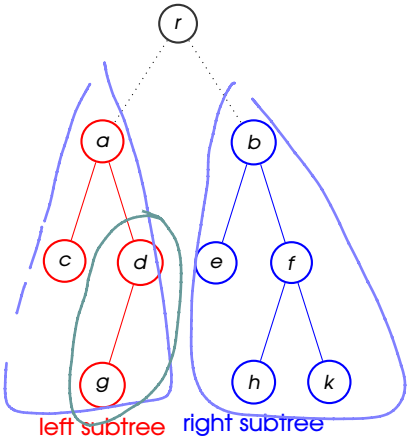

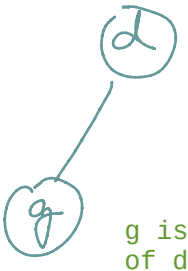

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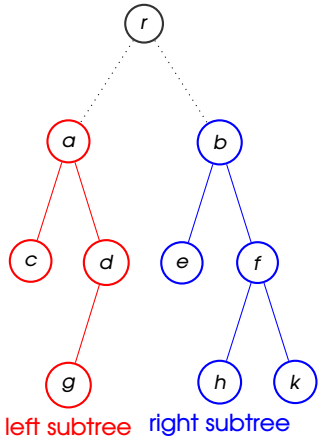

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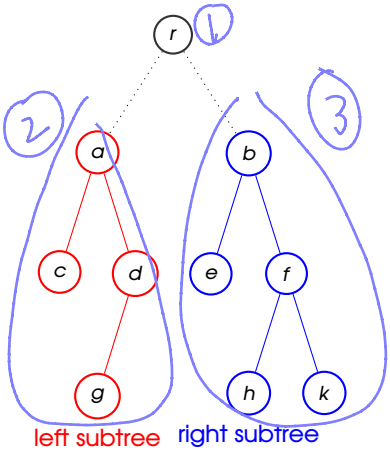

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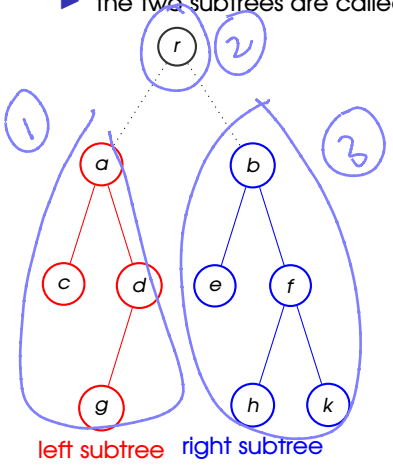

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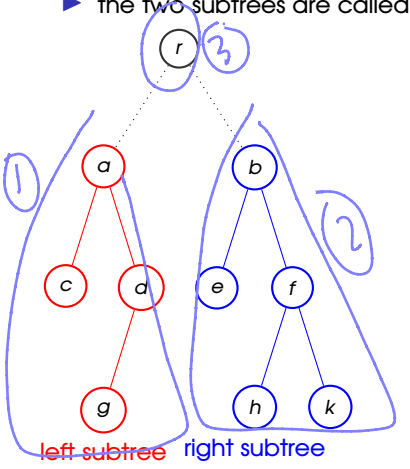

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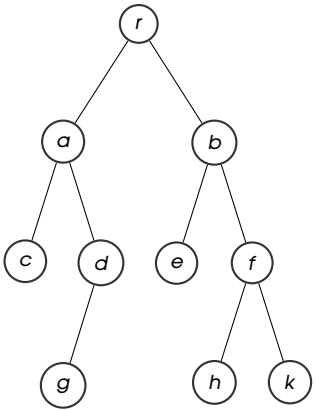
- **postorder** traversal (LRV) - left subtree L, right subtree R, vertex V

Traversing a binary tree



preorder traversal (VLR)

r, a, c, d, g, b, e, f, h, k

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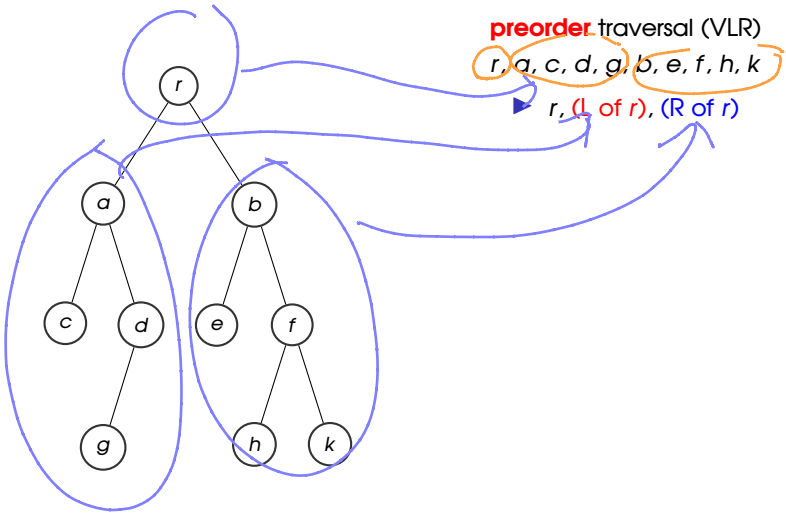

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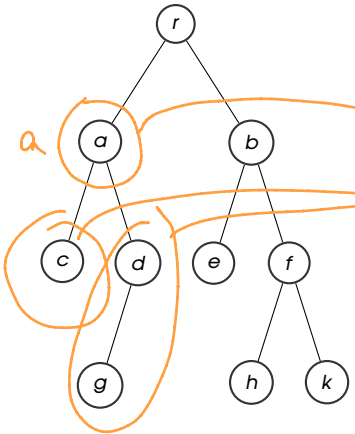

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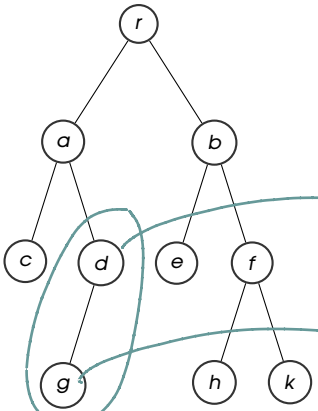

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a, c, d, g

empty

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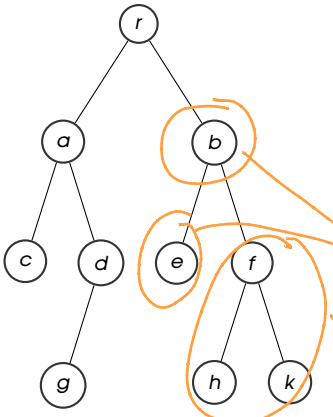

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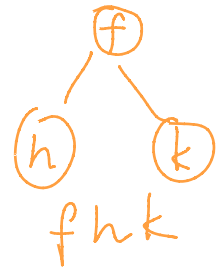

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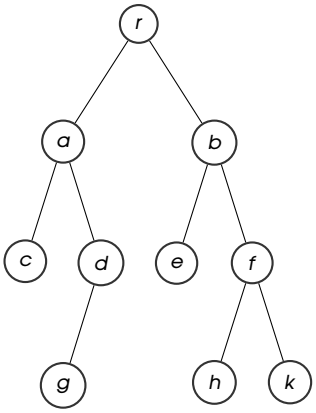

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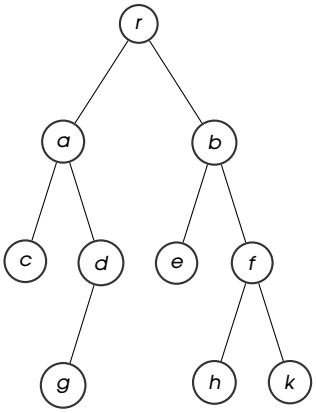

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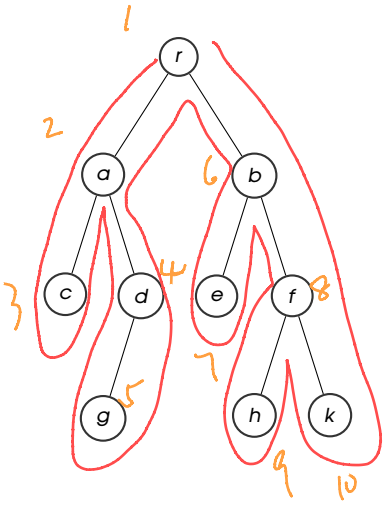

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- R of *b*: *f*, (L of *f*), (R of *f*) $\implies$ *f*, *h*, *k*
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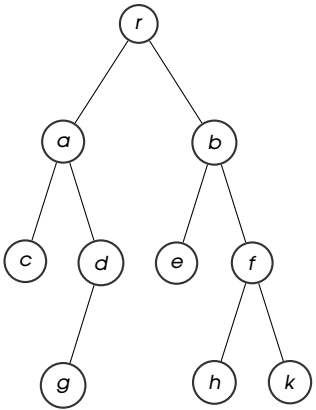

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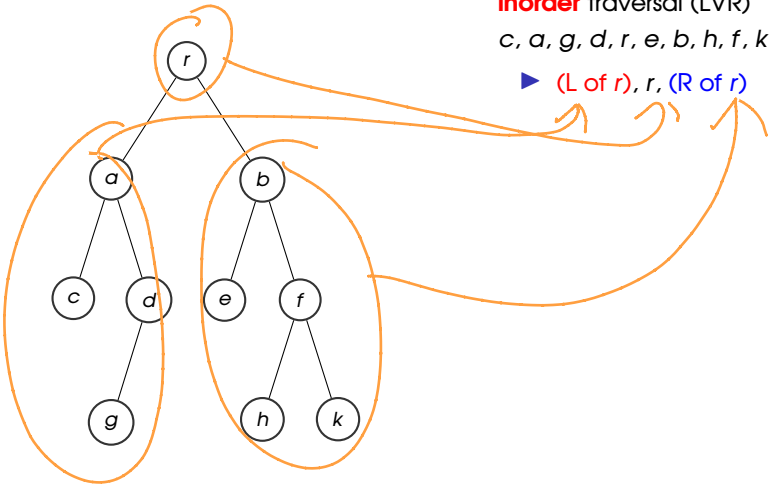

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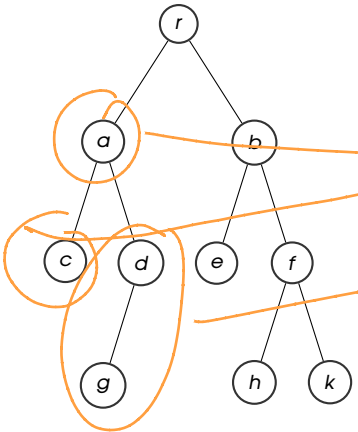

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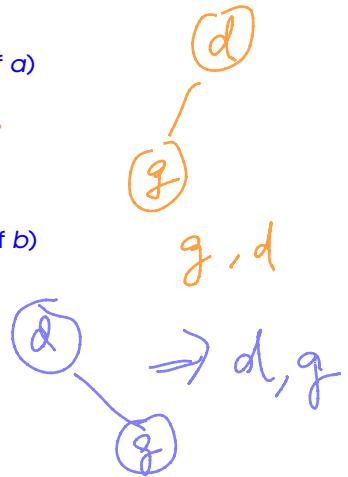

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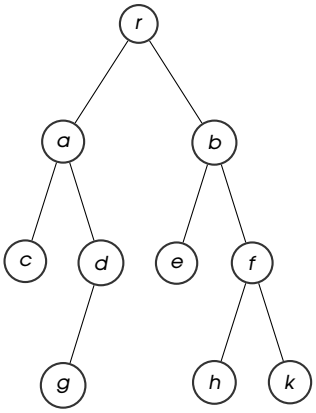

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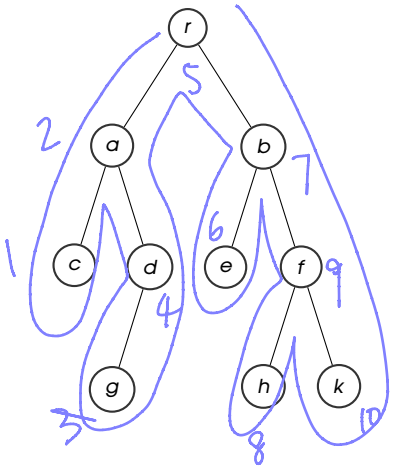

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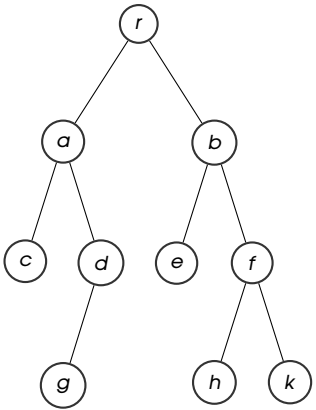

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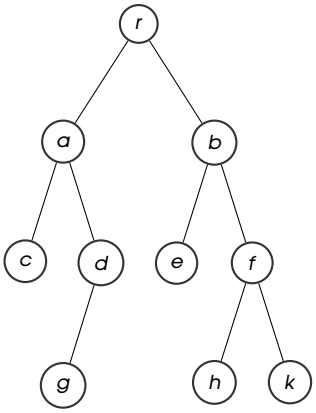

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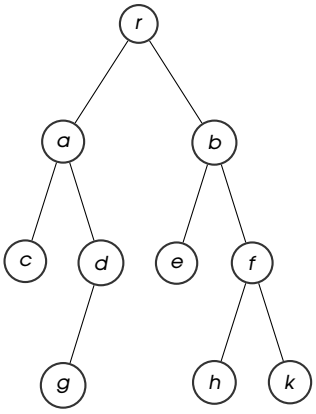

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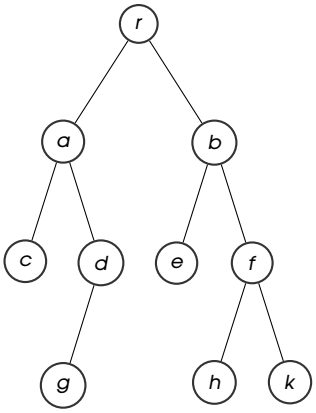

postorder traversal (LRV)

c, g, d, a, e, h, k, f, b, r

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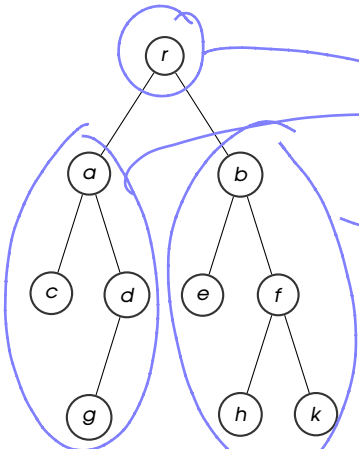

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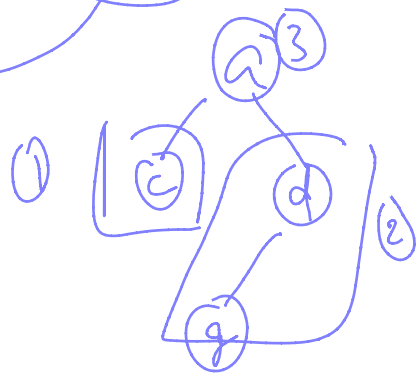

c, d, g, a

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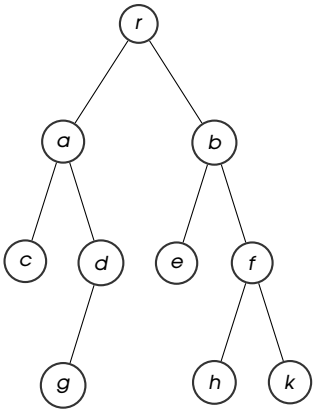

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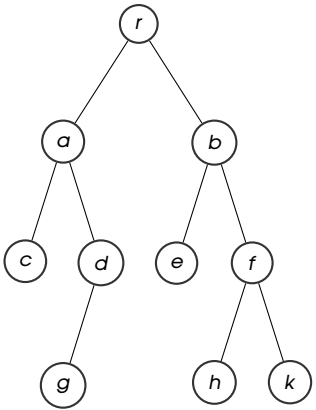

postorder traversal (LRV)

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- L of *a*: *c*
- R of *a*: (L of *d*), (R of *d*), *d* $\Longrightarrow$ *g*, *d*
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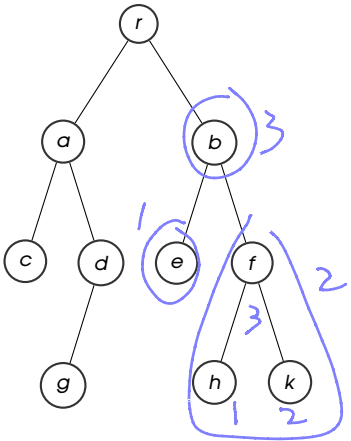

postorder traversal (LRV)

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- (L of *r*), (R of *r*), *r*
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e h k f b

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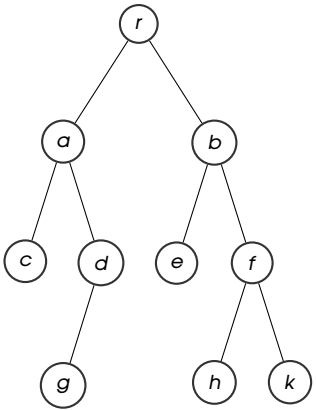

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- L of *a*: *c*
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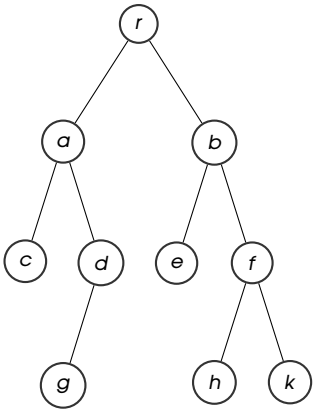

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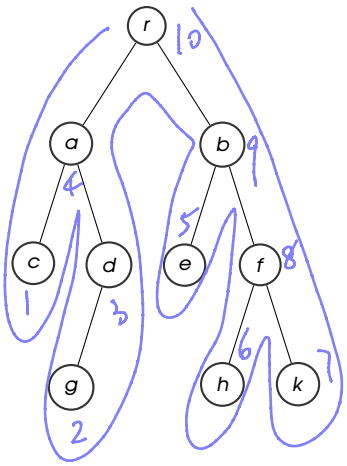
- R of *b*: (L of *f*), (R of *f*), *f* $\implies$ *h*, *k*, *f*
- $\implies$ R of *r*: *e*, *h*, *k*, *f*, *b*

Traversing a binary tree



postorder traversal (LRV)

c, *g*, *d*, *a*, *e*, *h*, *k*, *f*, *b*, *r*

- (L of *r*), (R of *r*), *r*
- L of *r*: (L of *a*), (R of *a*), *a*
- L of *a*: *c*
- R of *a*: (L of *d*), (R of *d*), *d* $\implies$ *g*, *d*
- $\implies$ L of *r*: *c*, *g*, *d*, *a*
- R of *r*: (L of *b*), (R of *b*), *b*
- L of *b*: *e*
- R of *b*: (L of *f*), (R of *f*), *f* $\implies$ *h*, *k*, *f*
- $\implies$ R of *r*: *e*, *h*, *k*, *f*, *b*
- Final: *c*, *g*, *d*, *a*, *e*, *h*, *k*, *f*, *b*, *r*

Binary Search Tree

For a vertex with value X

- left child has value $\leq X$
- right child has value $> X$

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balanced tree
depth (number of level)
is O(log n)
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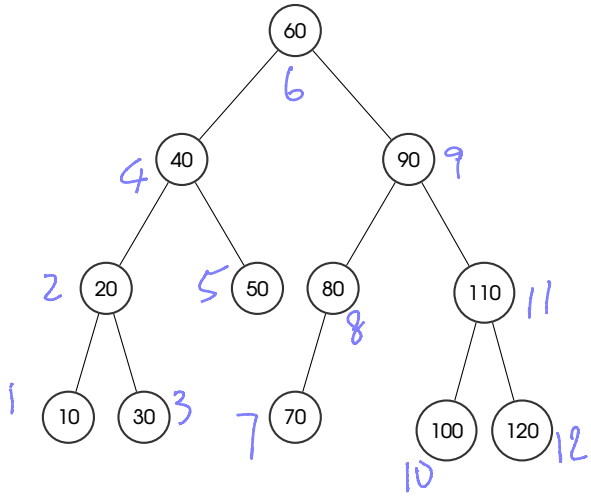

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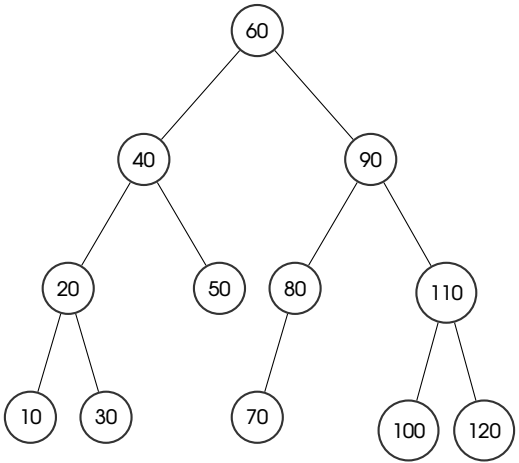

inorder traversal

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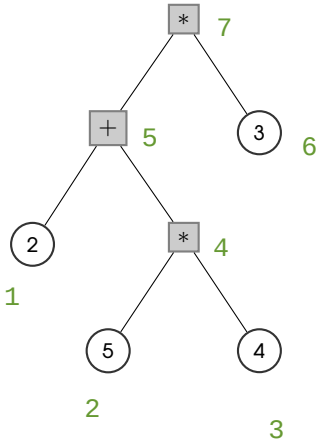
Expression Tree



- infix: (2+5*4)*3
- postfix: 2 5 4 * + 3 *

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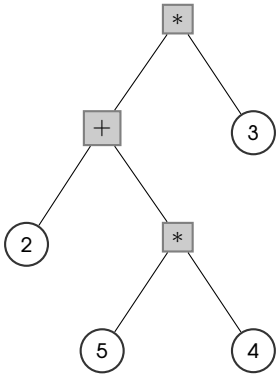

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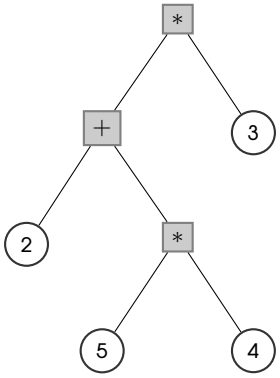

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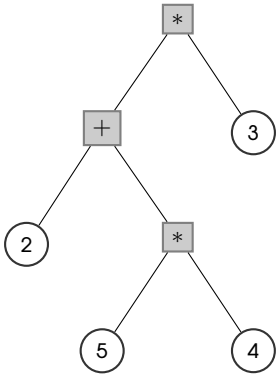

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postorder traversal

Recall that we can use a stack to evaluate a postfix expression

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For note taking