

DATA 301

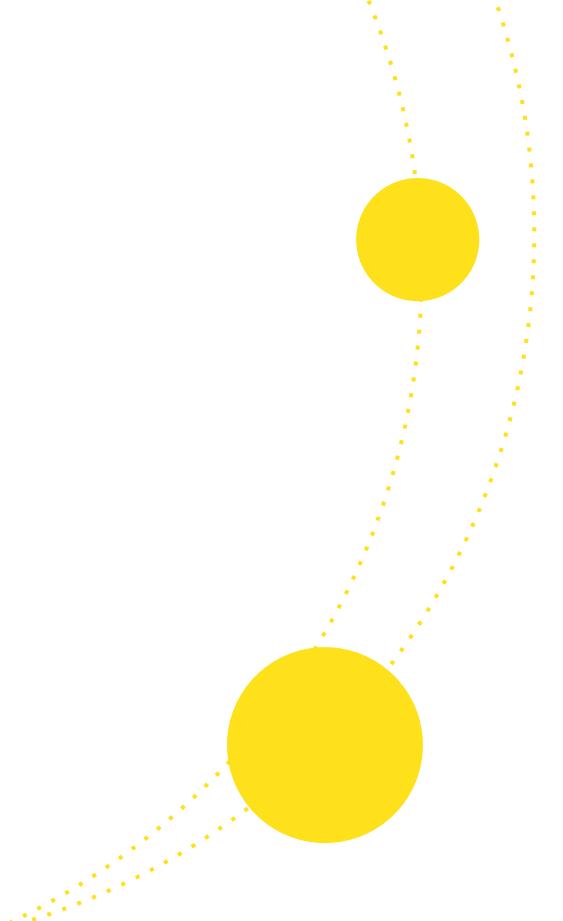
Data Structures and

Algorithms

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Construct BST from a list of values

```
function build_BST(values): # [7, 3, 10, 1, 5, 9, 12]
    Initialize root as null
    for each value in values:
        root = insert_into_BST(root, value)
    return root

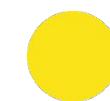
function insert_into_BST(node, value):
    if node is null:
        return new Node(value)
    if value < node.value:
        node.left = insert_into_BST(node.left, value)
    else:
        node.right = insert_into_BST(node.right, value)
    return node
```

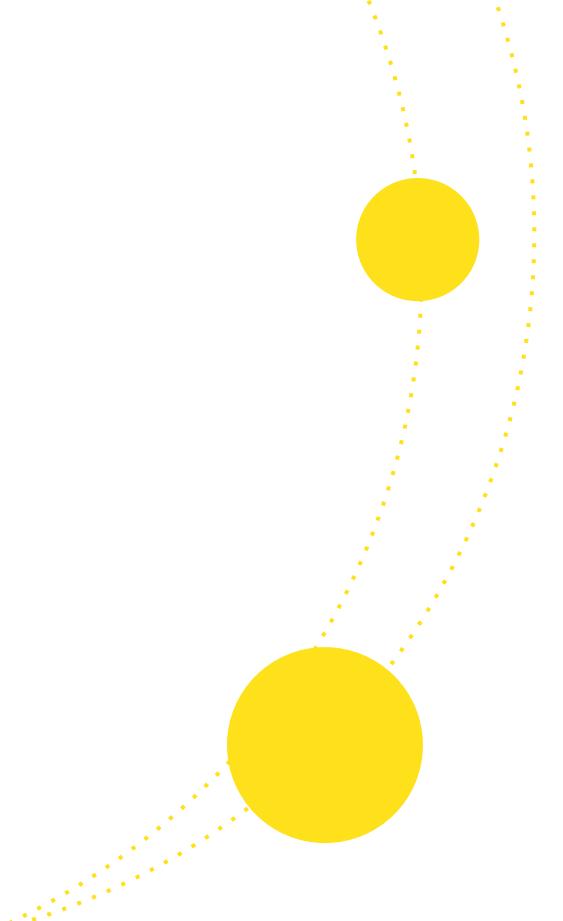


Dry Run

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    7
   / \
  3   10
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1 5 9 12
```

Step	Insert Value	Path Followed	Inserted At
1	7	root	root
2	3	3 < 7 → left of 7	7.left
3	10	10 > 7 → right of 7	7.right
4	1	1 < 7 → 1 < 3 → left of 3	3.left
5	5	5 < 7 → 5 > 3 → right of 3	3.right
6	9	9 > 7 → 9 < 10 → left of 10	10.left
7	12	12 > 7 → 12 > 10 → right of 10	10.right





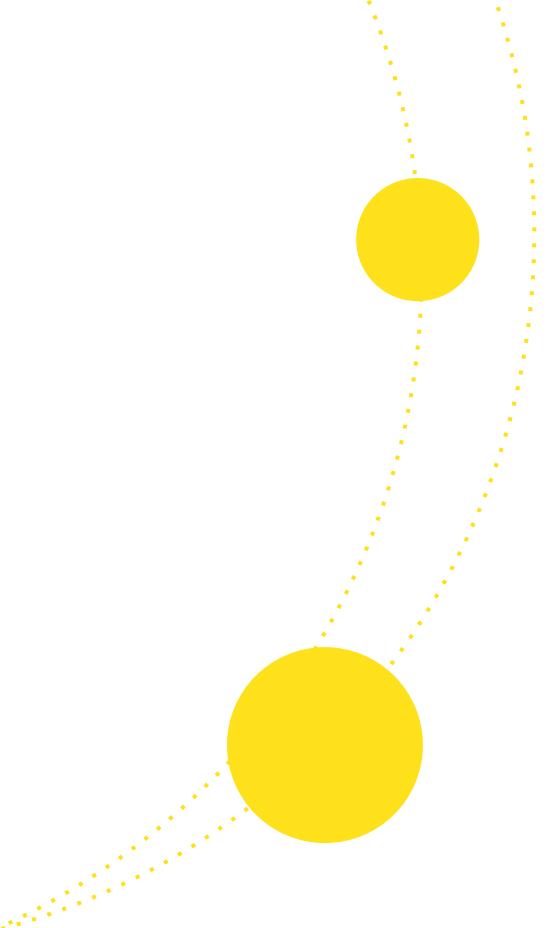
In-Class Practices

Exercise 1: [6, 2, 8, 1, 4, 7, 9]

Exercise 2: [12, 5, 18, 2, 9, 15, 19, 13, 17]



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Write Python Code

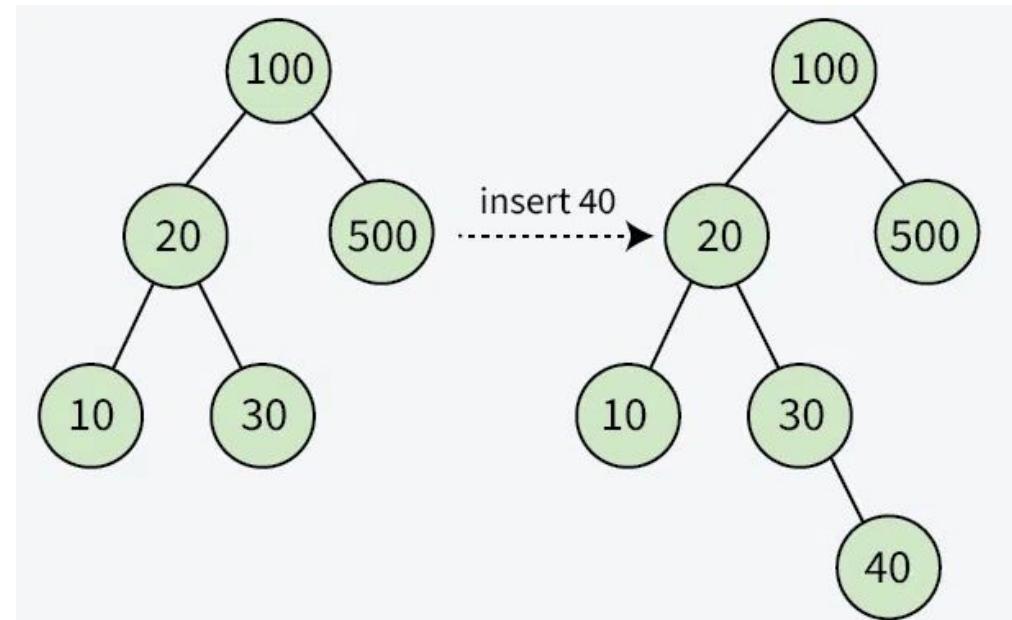
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Insertion a key in a binary search tree

- Initialize the current node (say, **currNode** or **node**) with root node
- Compare the **key** with the current node.
- **Move left** if the **key** is less than or equal to the current node value.
- **Move right** if the **key** is greater than current node value.
- Repeat steps 2 and 3 until you reach a leaf node.
- Attach the **new key** as a left or right child based on the comparison with the leaf node's value.





Insertion a key in a binary search tree

```
# A utility function to insert
# a new node with the given key

def insert(root, key):

    if root is None:

        return Node(key)

    if root.val == key:

        return root

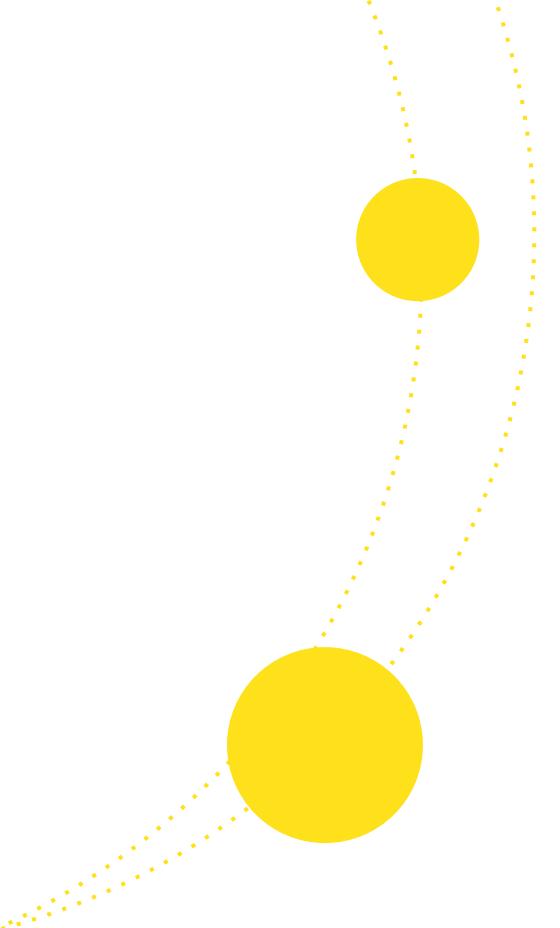
    if root.val < key:

        root.right = insert(root.right, key)

    else:

        root.left = insert(root.left, key)
    return root
```





Time Complexity Analysis

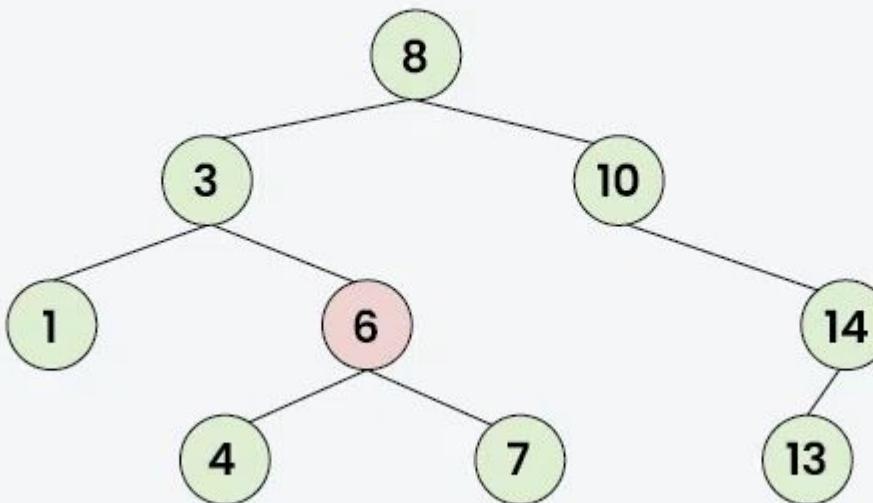
- The worst-case time complexity of insert operations is **$O(h)$** where **h** is the height of the Binary Search Tree.
- In the worst case, we may have to travel from the root to the deepest leaf node. The height of a skewed tree may become **n** and the time complexity of insertion operation may become **$O(n)$** .



Searching in a BST

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Step

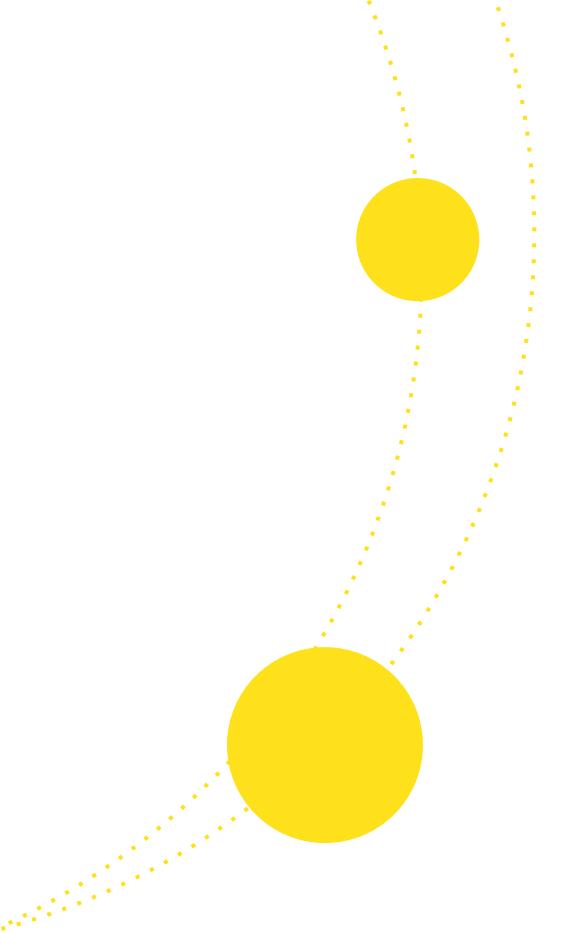
Consider the Following BST
Key = 6



Searching in BST



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Searching in a BST

#function to search a key in a BST

```
def search(root, key):
```

Base Cases: root is null or key

is present at root

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if root is None or root.key == key:
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    return root
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Key is greater than root's key

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if root.key < key:
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    return search(root.right, key)
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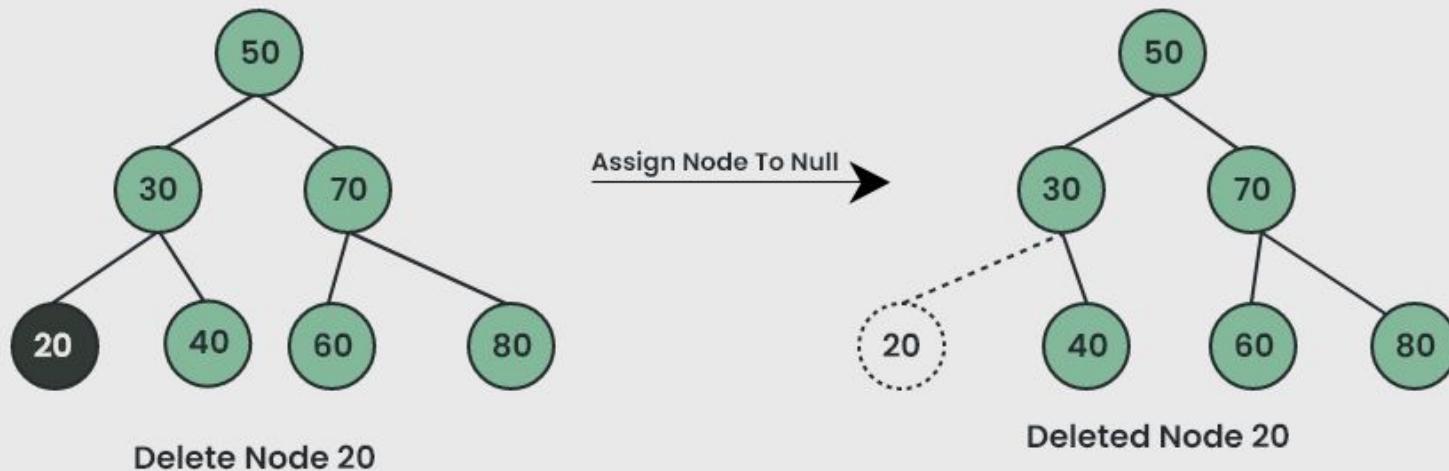
Key is smaller than root's key

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return search(root.left, key)
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Deletion (Case 1)

Case 1 : Delete A Leaf Node In BST



Deletion In BST

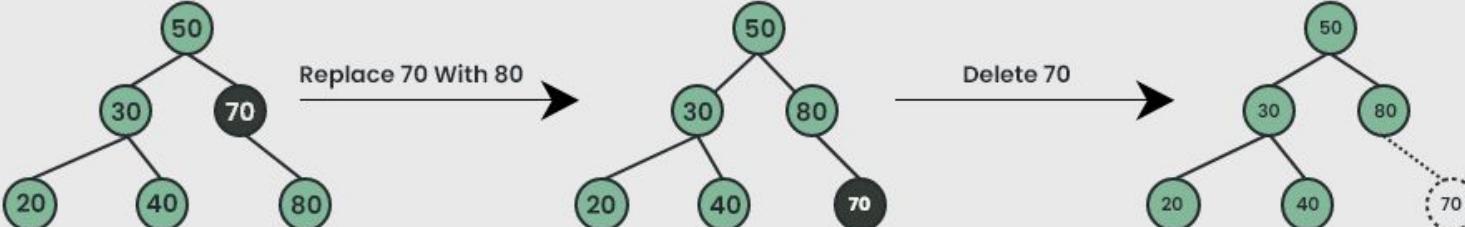
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Deletion (Case 2)

Case 2: Delete A Node With Single Child In BST



Delete Node 70

After Deletion

Deletion In BST

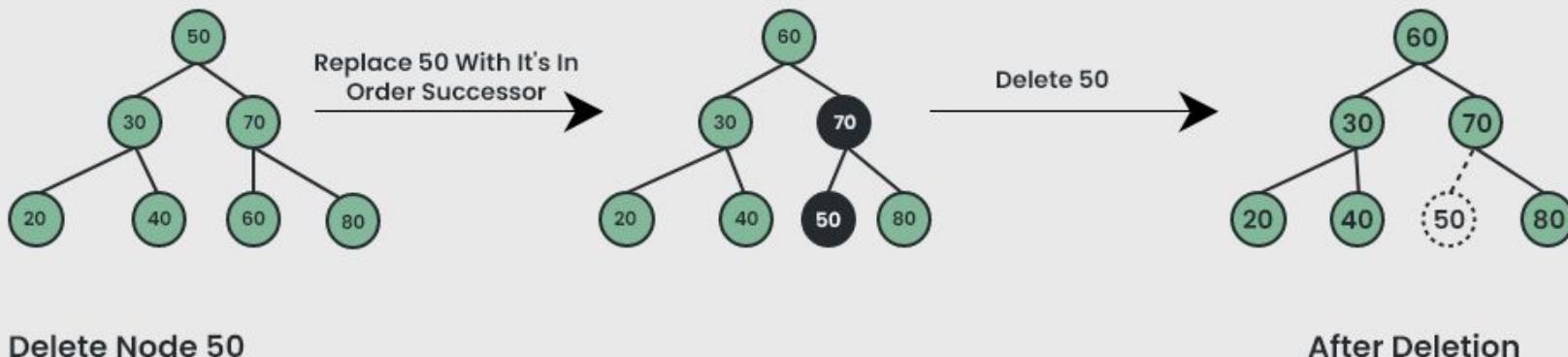
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Deletion (Case 3) - find the smallest node in right subtree

Case 3 : Delete A Node With Both Children In BST



Deletion In BST



Deletion (Pseudo Code)

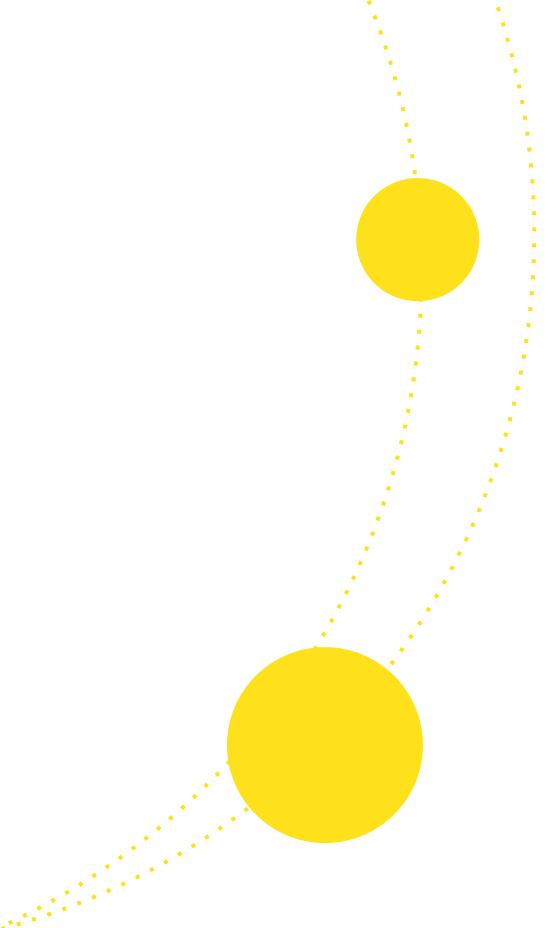
Case 1

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if root.left is NULL and root.right is NULL:  
    delete root  
    return NULL
```

Case 2

```
if root.left is NULL:  
    temp = root.right  
    delete root  
    return temp  
else if root.right is NULL:  
    temp = root.left  
    delete root  
    return temp
```





Deletion (Pseudo Code)

Case 3

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temp = FindMin(root.right)
root.value = temp.value
root.right = DeleteNode(root.right, temp.value)
```

Function FindMin(node):

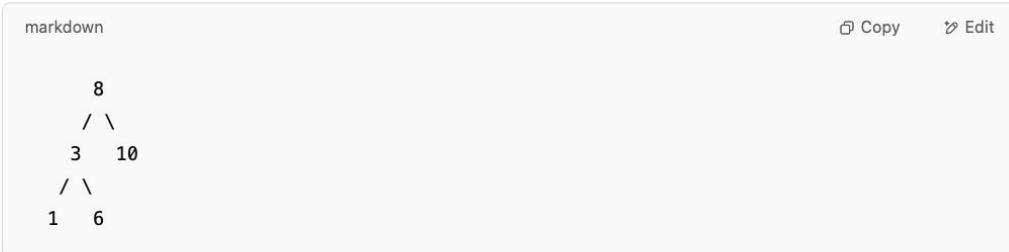
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    while node.left is not NULL:
        node = node.left
    return node
```



Deletion (Case 1) - Dry Run

🥇 Case 1: Deleting a Leaf Node (No Children)

Tree Before Deletion:



Task: Delete node 1

Dry Run Steps:

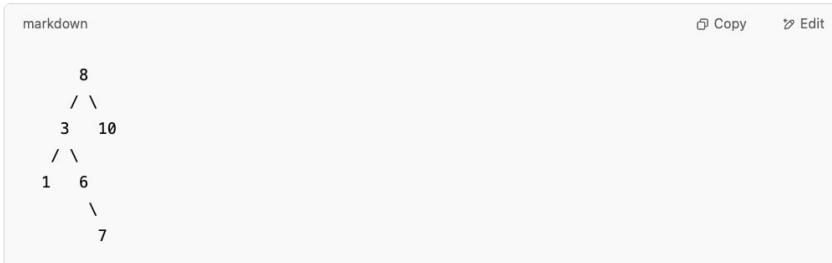
Step	Current Node	Value to Delete	Decision (Left/Right/Found)	Action
1	8	1	$1 < 8 \rightarrow$ Go Left	Move to 3
2	3	1	$1 < 3 \rightarrow$ Go Left	Move to 1
3	1	1	Found	Delete (leaf node, simply remove)



Deletion (Case 2) - Dry Run

Case 2: Deleting a Node with One Child

Tree Before Deletion:

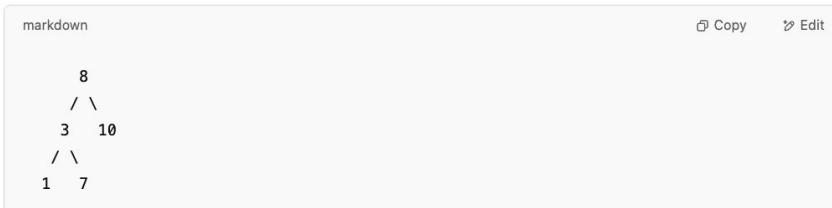


Task: Delete node 6

Dry Run Steps:

Step	Current Node	Value to Delete	Decision (Left/Right/Found)	Action
1	8	6	6 < 8 → Go Left	Move to 3
2	3	6	6 > 3 → Go Right	Move to 6
3	6	6	Found	Replace node with its right child (7)

Tree After Deletion:



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3 Case 3: Deleting a Node with Two Children

Tree Before Deletion:

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3   10  
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1   6  
/ \  
4   7
```

Task: Delete node 3

Dry Run Steps:

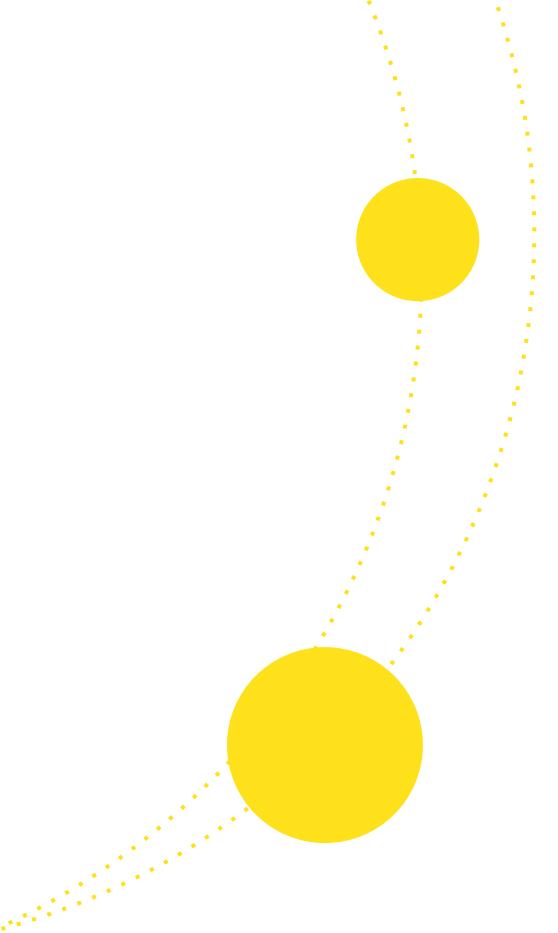
Step	Current Node	Value to Delete	Decision (Left/Right/Found)	Action
1	8	3	$3 < 8 \rightarrow$ Go Left	Move to 3
2	3	3	Found	Find in-order successor (smallest in right subtree)
3	6	(Right child of 3)	Move to 4 (leftmost)	4 is the successor
4	Replace value of 3 with 4	Now delete 4	4 is a leaf node	

Tree After Deletion:

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1   6  
    \  
     7
```



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Exercises

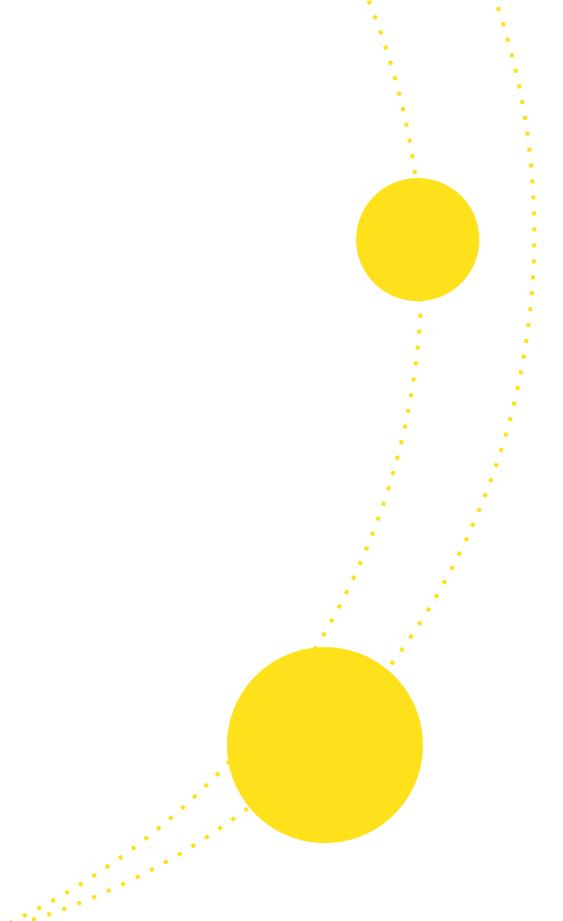
1. Manual Tracing Exercise

Insert the following numbers into an initially empty BST in order:

45, 20, 60, 10, 30, 50, 70

- Draw the BST after all insertions.
- What is the inorder traversal of the BST?





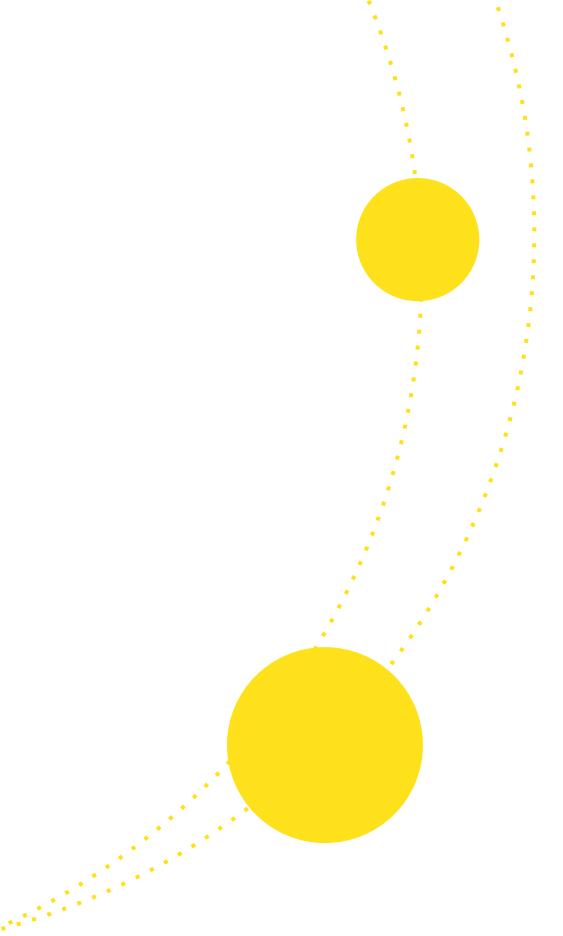
Exercises

2. Search Exercise

Given the BST created above:

- Search for the following numbers and state if they are found or not:
 - 30
 - 15
 - 60
 - 75





Exercises

3. Deletion - Case 1 (No Child)

Delete a **leaf node** (node with no children) from the BST:

- Delete 10.
- Draw the BST after deletion.

4. Deletion - Case 2 (One Child)

Delete a **node with only one child**:

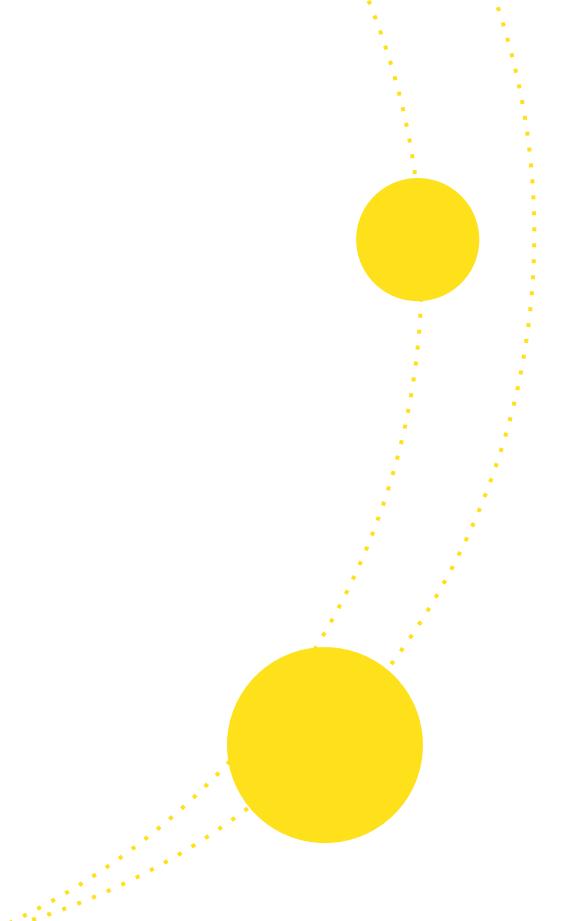
- Delete 30.
- Draw the BST after deletion.

5. Deletion - Case 3 (Two Children)

Delete a **node with two children**:

- Delete 45.
- Draw the BST after deletion.





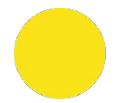
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