

Binary Search Tree (Chapter 11: Tamassia, Goldwasser, Goodrich) Chapter 12: Cormen, Leiserson, Rivest, Stein) CLRS

• Node : n

$n.key$, $n.value$, $n.left$, $n.right$, $n.parent$
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Satellite Data

• Tree : T

$T.root$ = root of the tree

Properties

(I) • keys have a total ordering

1-dim:

$$1 < 2$$

(total order)

d-dim:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \not\leq \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

(only partial order)

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} < \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

(II)

Pick nodes n_1 and n_2

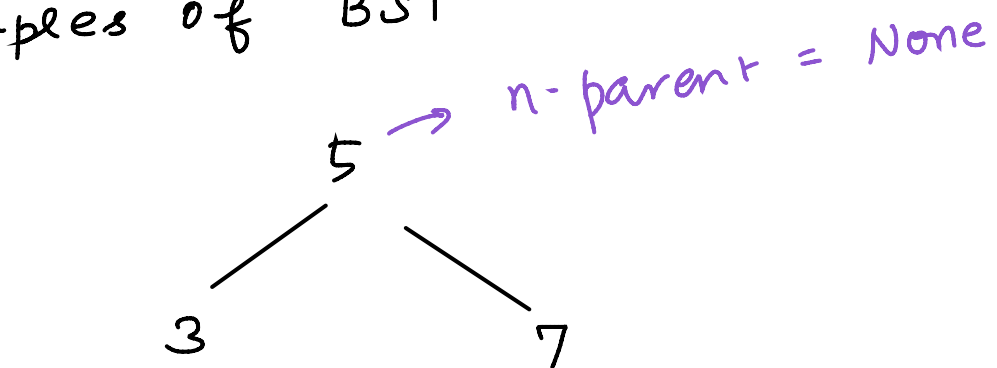
- if n_1 is in the left subtree of n_2

$$\Rightarrow n_1.\text{key} \leq n_2.\text{key}$$

- if n_1 is in the right subtree of n_2

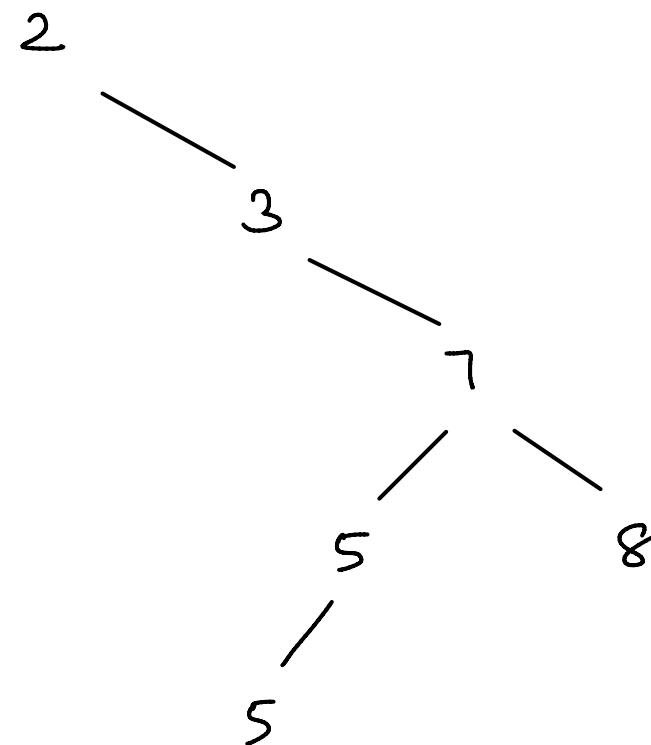
$$\Rightarrow n_2.\text{key} \leq n_1.\text{key}$$

Examples of BST



$n.\text{left} = \text{None}$

$n.\text{right} = \text{None}$



- (I) & (II) allows duplicate keys.

- Can disallow duplicate keys.

Inorder traversal of BST gives a sorted order (ascending) of keys

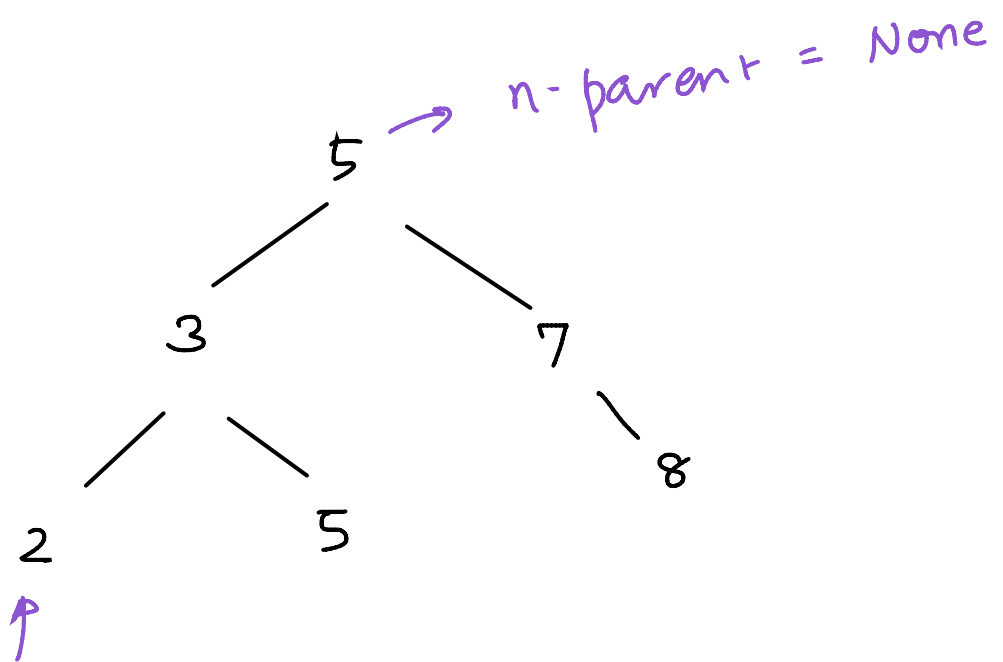
inorder-tree-walk(n)

if $n \neq \text{None}$

inorder-tree-walk($n.\text{left}$)

print($n.\text{key}$)

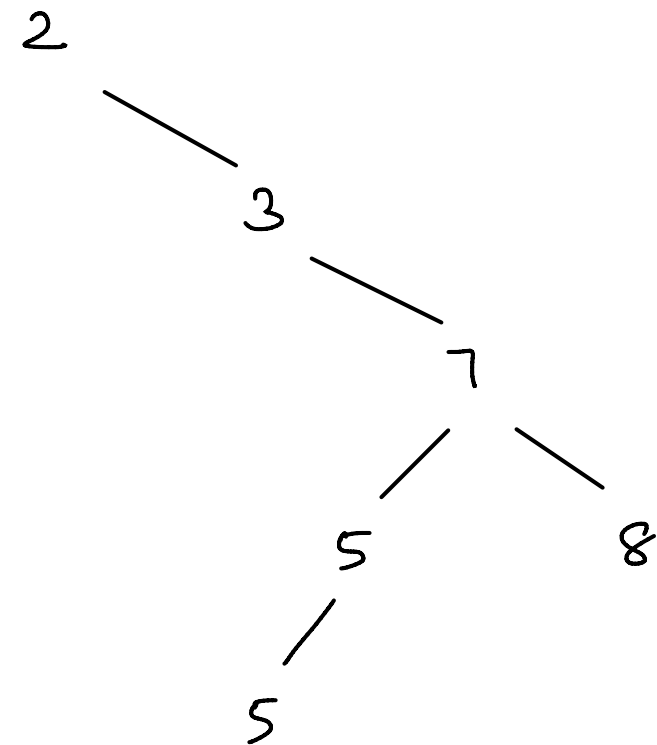
inorder-tree-walk($n.\text{right}$)



$n.\text{left} = \text{None}$

$n.\text{right} = \text{None}$

2 3 5 5 7 8



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Insertion

n is a new node

Tree-Insert (T, n)

parent node \leftarrow None

current node \leftarrow T.root

while current node \neq None

parent node \leftarrow current node

if $n.key < \text{current node}.key$

then current node \leftarrow current node.left

else current node \leftarrow current node.right

$n.parent \leftarrow \text{parent node}$

if parent node = None

then T.root \leftarrow node

else if $n.key < \text{parent}.key$

then parent.left $\leftarrow n$

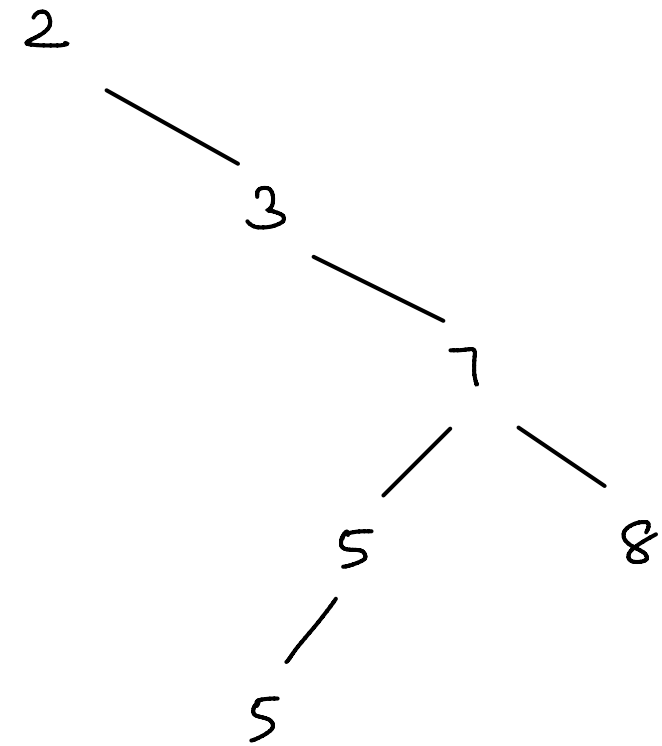
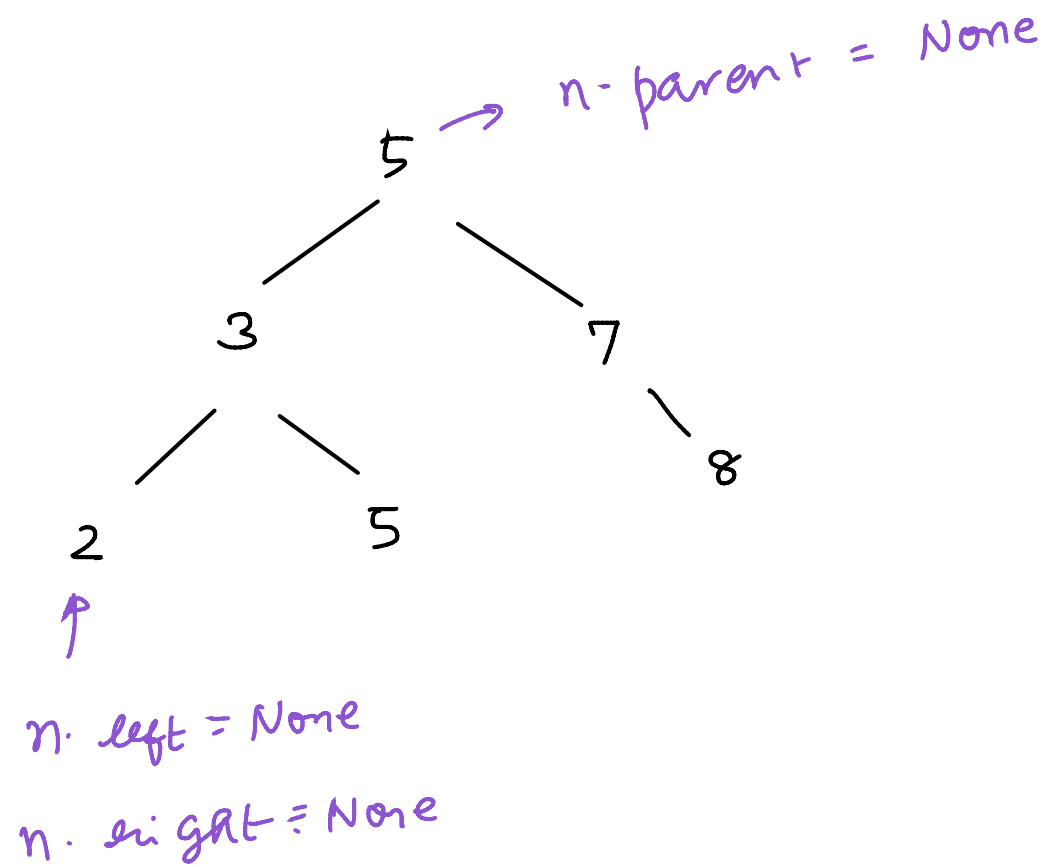
else parent.right $\leftarrow n$

\leftarrow assignment

while continues until we hit a leaf node

temp variable \rightarrow

inserting
very first
element



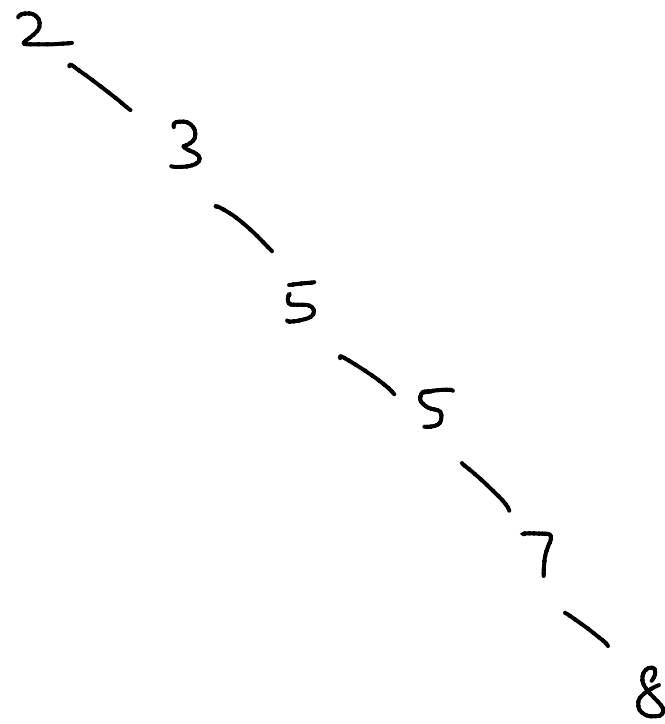
Inorder walk 2 3 5 5 7 8

order of insertion : 5 3 7 5 8 2

Say order of insertion was 2 3 5 5 7 8 itself

2 3 5 5 7 8

2 3 7 5 8 5



Searching: For a key 'k' in a tree 'T' rooted at node 'n'

Tree-Search (n, k)

if n = None or k = n.key

return n

if k < n.key

then return (Tree-Search (n.left, k))

else return (Tree-Search (n.right, k))

} example
of
recursive
call

Exercise: write a non-recursive / iterative pseudocode for Tree-Search

Node with Minimum key

Tree-Minimum(n)

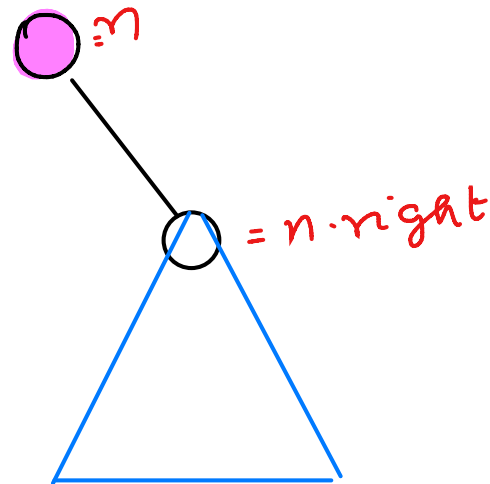
while $n.\text{left} \neq \text{None}$

$n \leftarrow n.\text{left}$

return n

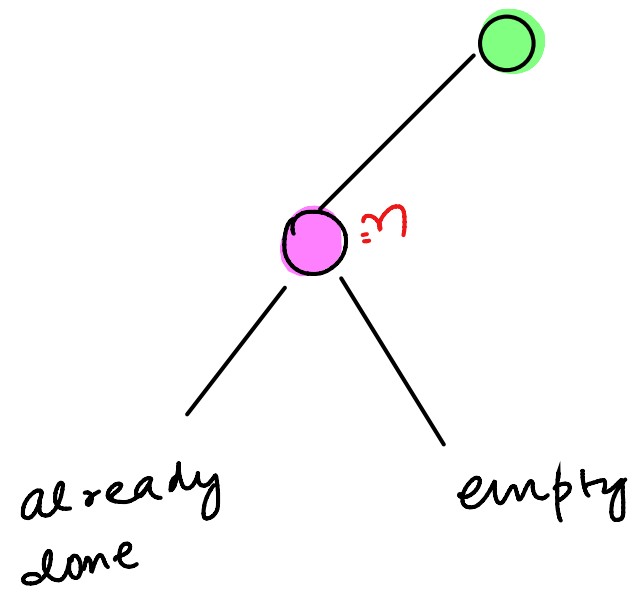
Successor : Assume that all keys are distinct, successor(n) is
of
node ' n ' the node with the smallest key greater than $n.\text{key}$

Case 1 :



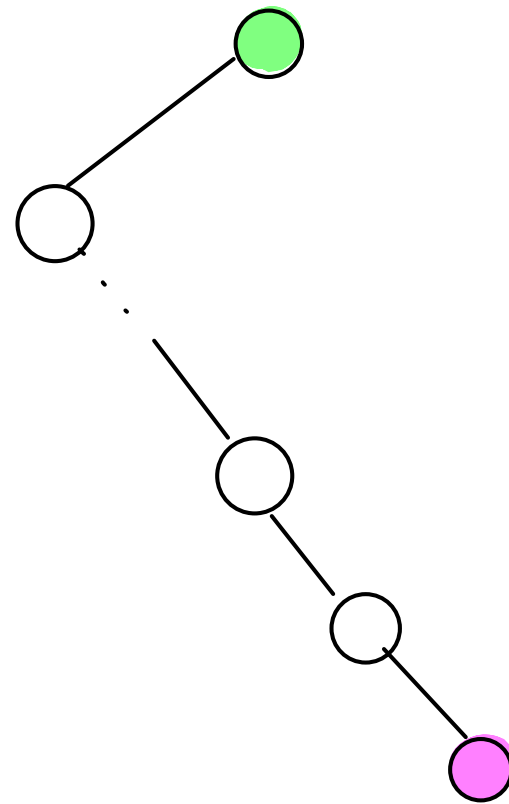
Tree-Minimum($n.\text{right}$)

Case 2: Right subtree is empty



lucky case 2: if node is left child of its parent then parent itself is successor

- exhausted left, node, right is empty
- if at all anything, it has to be with parent
- lucky case 2 does not happen \Rightarrow



Find that ancestor to whose left subtree node n belongs to