# CS302 - Data Structures using C++

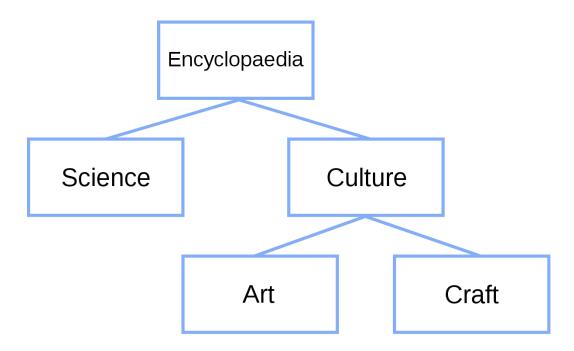
Topic: Trees

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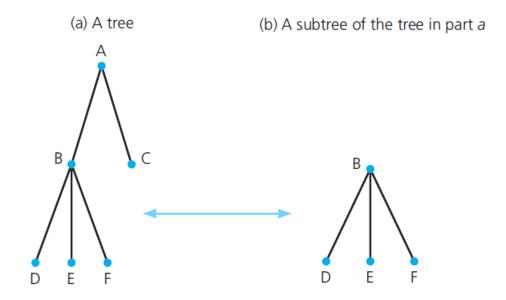
#### Trees

- List, stacks, and queues are linear in their organization of data.
  - Items are one after another
- In this section, we organize data in a nonlinear hierarchical form.
  - Item can have more than one immediate successor.

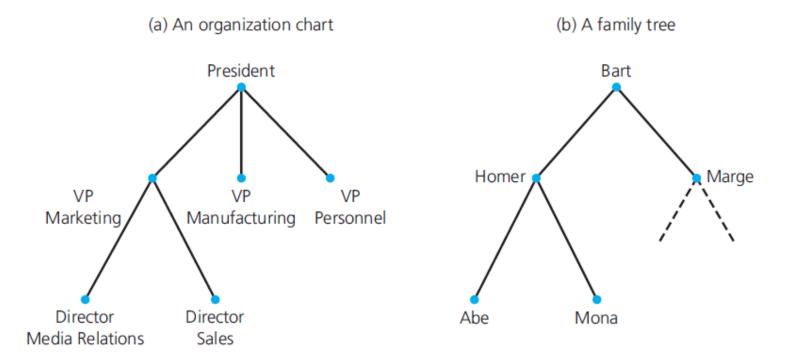
• Use trees to represent relationships



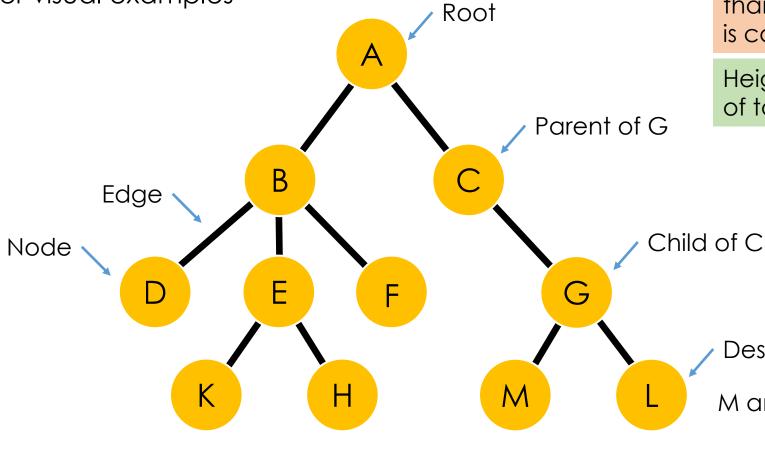
- Trees are hierarchical in nature
  - Means a parent-child relationship between nodes
- A tree and one of its subtrees



Further visual examples



Further visual examples



#### Node with no children: leaf

If each node has no more than n-children then this tree is called n-ary tree

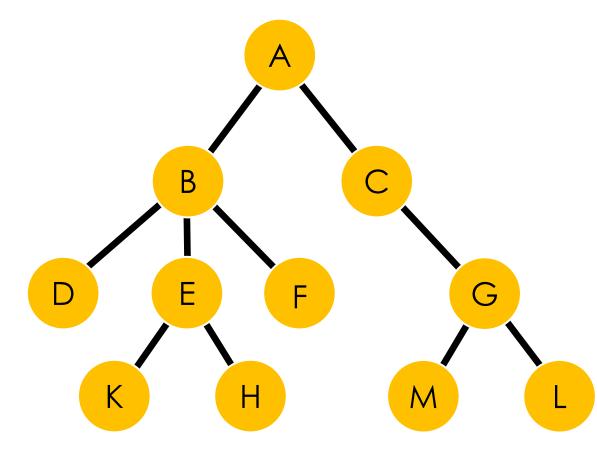
If each node has no more than 2-children then this tree is called a binary tree

Height of Tree T = 1 + height of tallest subtree of T

Descendant of C

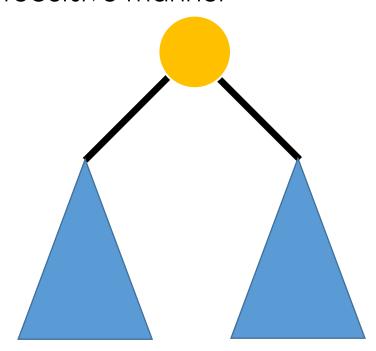
M and L are Siblings

- Length of a path = number of edges
- Depth of a node x = length of path fromroot to x
- Height of node x = length of longest path from x to leaf
- Depth and height of tree = height of root
- The label of a node: A, B, C ...



- Graph-theoretic definition of a Tree: A tree is a graph for which there exists a node, called root such that
  - For any node x, there exists exactly one path from the root to x
- Recursive Definition of a Tree: A tree is either
  - Empty or
  - It has a node called the root, followed by zero or more trees called subtrees

• Think of a Tree in a recursive manner

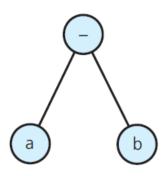


# Kinds of Trees (first examples)

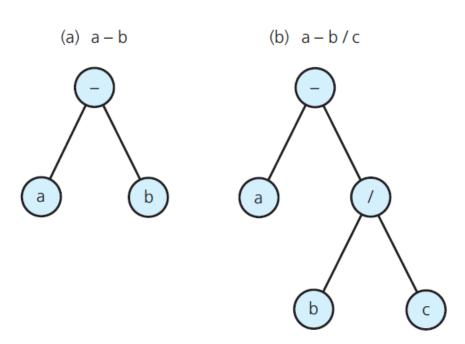
- General Tree
  - Set **T** of one or more nodes
  - **T** is partitioned into disjoint subsets
- Binary Tree
  - Set of **T** nodes either empty or partitioned into disjoint subsets
  - Single node **r**, the root
  - Two (possibly empty) sets left and right subtrees

• Binary Trees that represent algebraic expressions

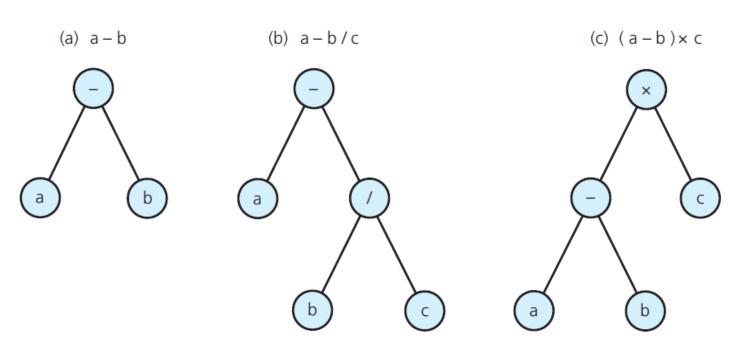
(a) 
$$a - b$$



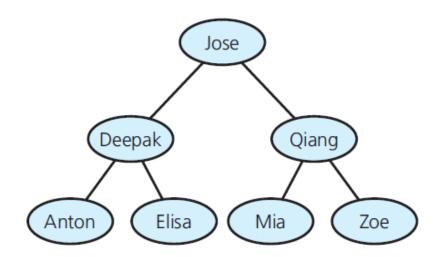
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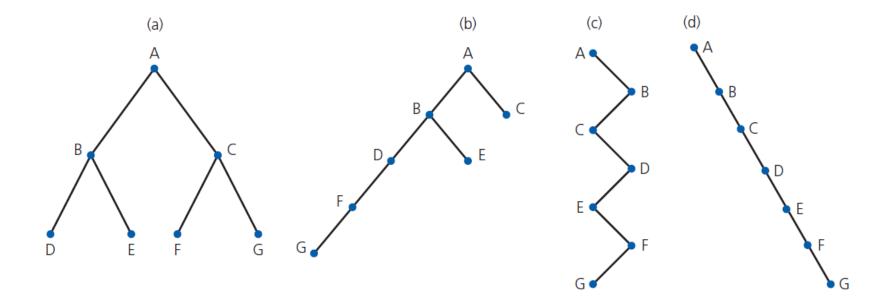


## The Height of Trees

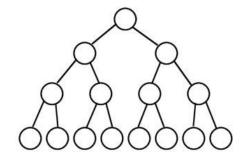
- Level of a node, **n** 
  - If **n** is root, level 1
  - If **n** not the root, level is 1 greater than level of its parent
- Height of a tree
  - Number of nodes on longest path from root to a leaf
  - Tempty, height 0
  - **T** not empty, height equal to max level of nodes

# The Height of Trees

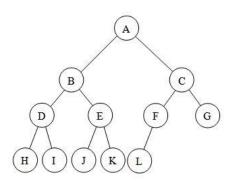
• Binary Trees with the same nodes but different heights



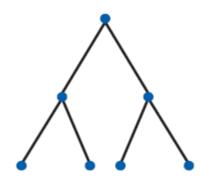
 A full binary tree (sometimes also called a proper tree or a 2-tree) is a tree in which every node other than the leaves has two children.



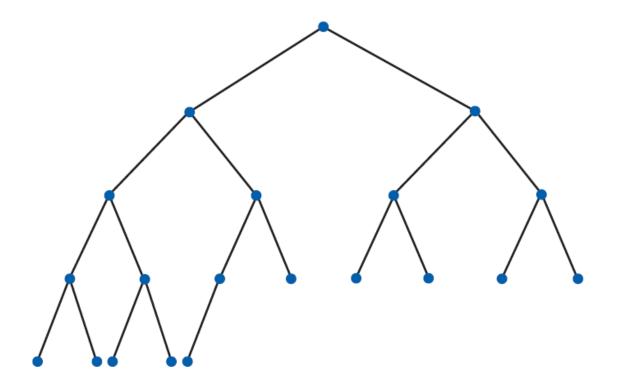
 A complete binary tree is a binary tree in which every level, except possibly the last, is completely filled and all nodes are as far left as possible.



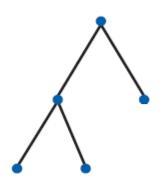
• A **full binary tree** of height 3



A complete binary tree

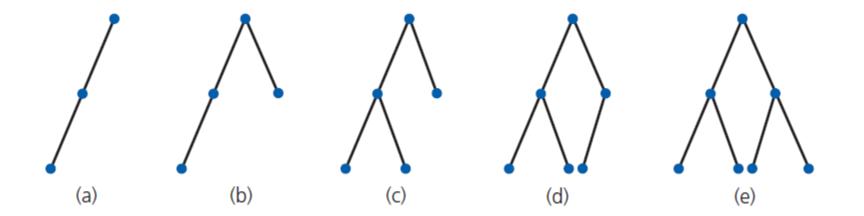


• A **balanced binary tree** is a binary tree in which the left and right subtrees of every node differ in height by no more than 1.

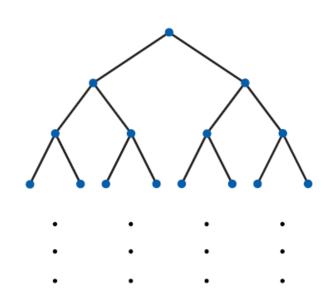


- Binary Tree with **n** nodes
  - Max height is n
- To minimize the height of a binary tree of n nodes
  - Fill each level of a tree as completely as possible
  - A complete tree meets this requirement

• Binary Trees of height 3

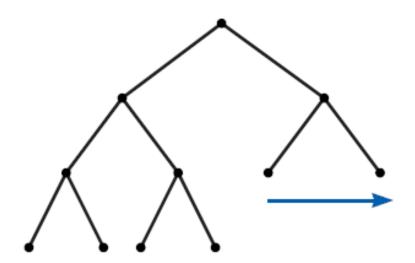


Counting the nodes in a full binary tree of height h



Level	Number of nodes at this level	Total number of nodes at this level and all previous levels
1	$1 = 2^{\circ}$	1=21-1
2	$2 = 2^{1}$	3=2 <sup>2</sup> -1
3	$4 = 2^2$	7=2 <sup>3</sup> -1
4	$8 = 2^3$	15=24-1
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•	•	•
•	•	•
h	2 <sup>h-1</sup>	2h-1

• Filling in the last level of a tree



# The ADT Binary Tree

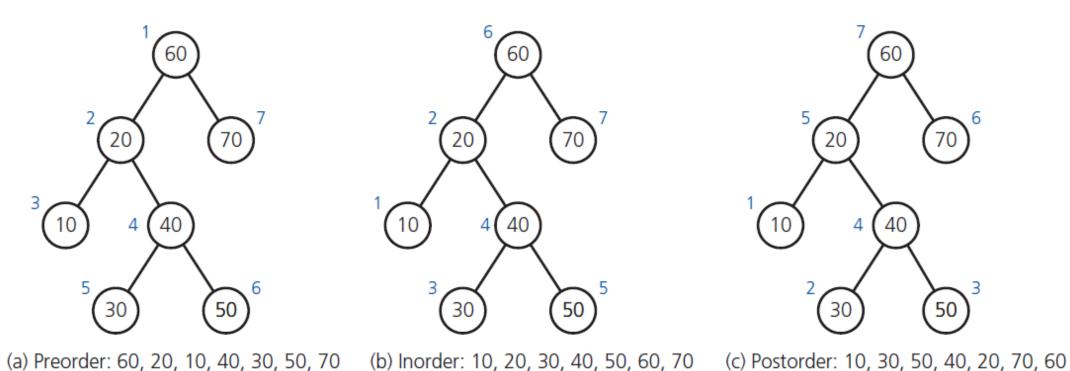
- Operations of ADT binary tree
  - Add, remove
  - Set, retrieve data
  - Test for empty
  - Traversal operations that visit every node
- Traversal can visit nodes in several different orders

• Pseudocode for general form of a recursive traversal algoritm

```
if (T is not empty)
{
    Display the data in T's root
    Traverse T's left subtree
    Traverse T's right subtree
}
```

- Options for when to visit the root (defines traversal type)
  - **Preorder:** before it traverses both subtrees
  - Inorder: after it traverses left subtree, before it traverses right subtree
  - **Postorder:** after it traverses both subtrees
- Node traversal is O(n)

Three traversals of a binary tree



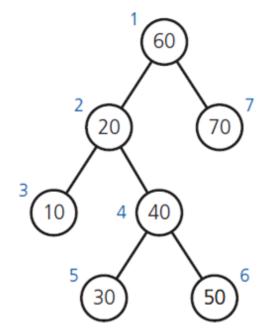
(Numbers beside nodes indicate traversal order.)

- Preorder traversal algorithm
  - Process (visit) root
  - Traverse(Left subtree of Tree's root)
  - Traverse(Right subtree of Tree's root)
- Exploits recursive character of how a tree is built
- A type of depth-first traversal

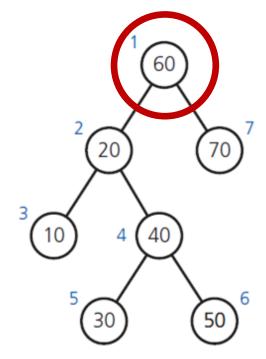
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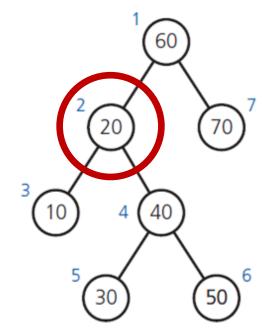
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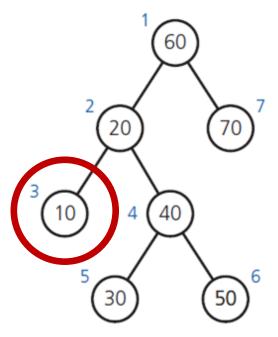


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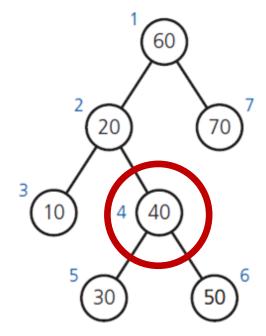


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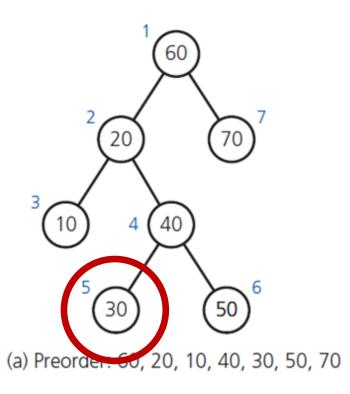


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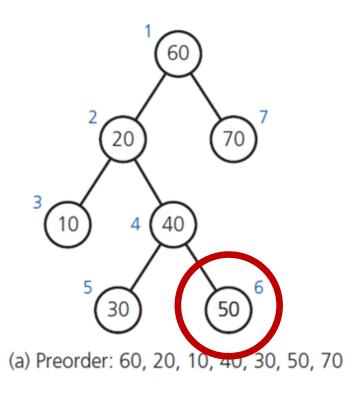
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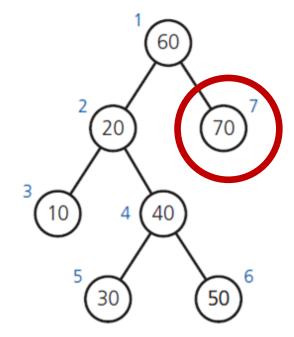
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(a) Preorder: 60, 20, 10, 40, 30, 50, 70

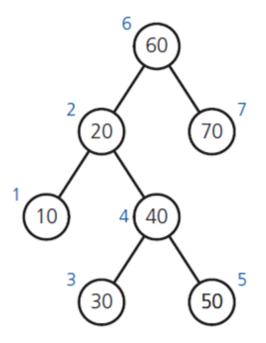
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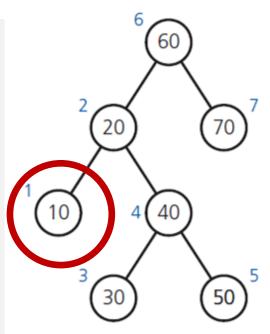
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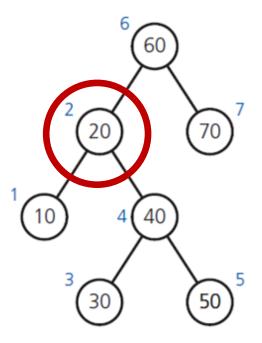
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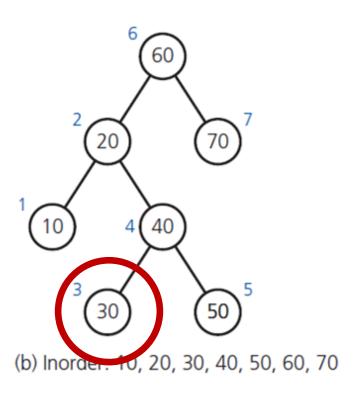
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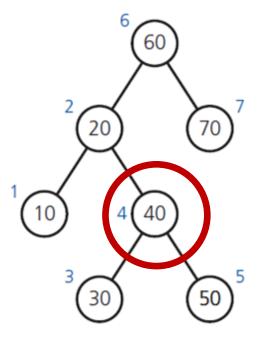
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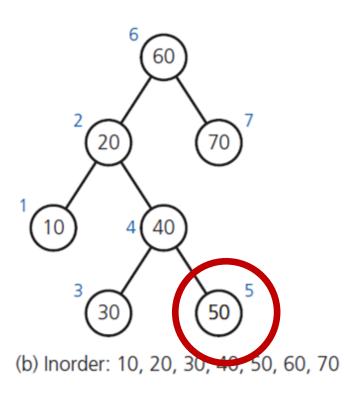
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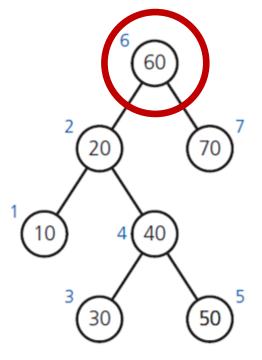
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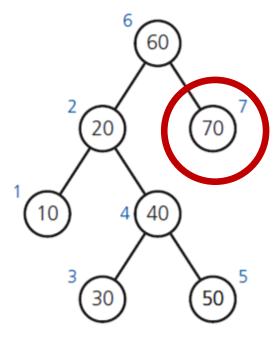
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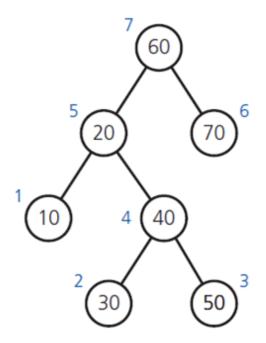
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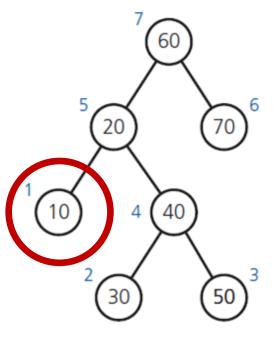
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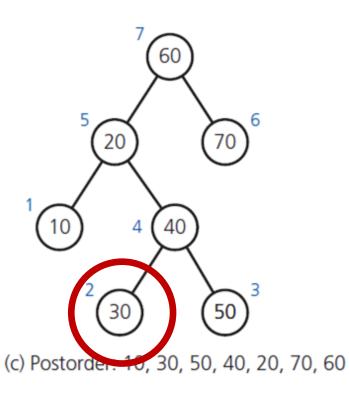


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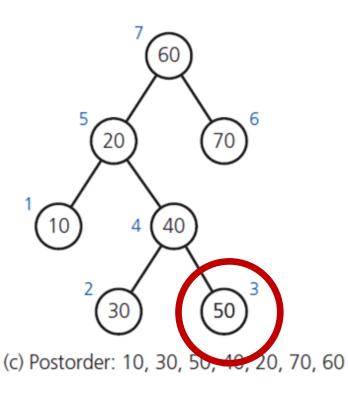


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```
// Traverses the given binary tree in postorder
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postorder(binTree: BinaryTree): void
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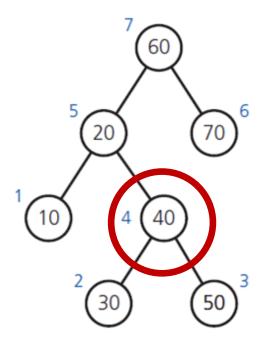


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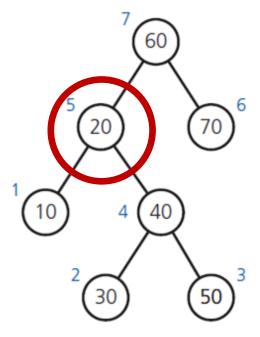


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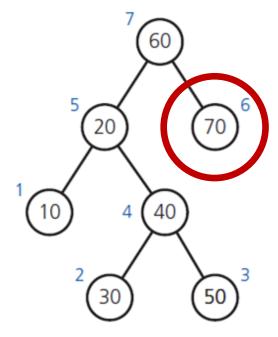
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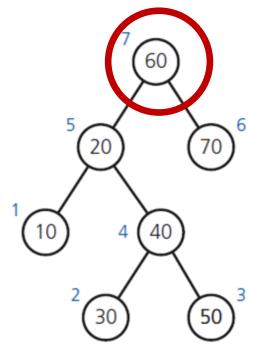
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### Binary Tree Operations

UML diagram for the class BinaryTree

#### **UML** Notation

#### BinaryTree

```
+isEmpty(): boolean
+getHeight(): integer
+getNumberOfNodes(): integer
+getRootData(): ItemType
+setRootData(newData: ItemType): void
+add(newData: ItemType): boolean
+remove(target: ItemType): boolean
+clear(): void
+getEntry(target: ItemType): ItemType
+contains(target: ItemType): boolean
+preorderTraverse(visit(item: ItemType): void): void
+inorderTraverse(visit(item: ItemType): void): void
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# Interface for the ADT Binary Tree

An interface template for the ADT Binary Tree

```
#ifndef BINARY TREE INTERFACE
#define BINARY TREE INTERFACE
#include "NotFoundException.h"
template<class ItemType>
class BinaryTreeInterface
public:
     // Tests whether this binary tree is empty
     // @return True if the binary tree is empty, or false if not
     virtual bool isEmpty() const = 0;
     // Gets the height of this binary tree
     // @return The height of the binary tree
     virtual int getHeight() const = 0;
     // Gets the number of nodes in this binary tree
     // @return The number of nodes in the binary tree
     virtual int getNumberOfNodes() const = 0;
     // Gets the data that is in the root of the binary tree
     // @pre: The binary tree is not empty
     // @post: The root's data has been returned, binary tree is unchanged
     // @return: The data n the root of the binary tree
     virtual ItemType getRootData() const = 0
```



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```
// Replaces the data in the root of this binary tree with the given data,
// if the tree is not empty. However, if the tree is empty, inserts a new
// root node containing the given data into the tree
// @pre None
// @post The data in the root of the binary tree is as given
// @param newData The data for the root
virtual bool setRootData(const ItemType& newData) = 0;
// Adds the given data to this binary tree
// @param newData The data to add to the binary tree
// @post The binary tree contains the new data
// @return True if the addition is successful, or false if not
virtual bool add(const ItemType& newData) = 0;
// Removes the specified data from this binary tree
// @param target The data to remove from the binary tree
// @return True if the remove is successful, or false if not
virtual bool remove(const ItemType& target) = 0;
// Removes all data from this binary tree
virtual void clear() = 0;
// Retrieves the specified data from this binary tree
// @post The desired data has been returned, and the binary tree is unchanged.
        If no such data was found, exception is thrown
// @param target The data to locate
// @return The data in the binary tree that matches the given data
virtual ItemType getEntry(const ItemType& target) const = 0;
```



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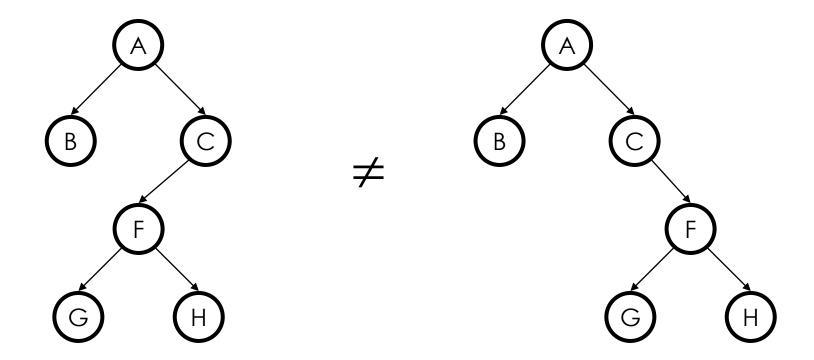
```
// Tests whether the specified data occurs in this binary tree
// @post The binary tree is unchanged
// @param target The data to find
// @return True if data matching the target occurs in the tree, or false otherwise
virtual bool contains(const ItemType& target) const = 0;

// Traverses this binary tree in preorder (inorder, postorder) and
// calls the function visit once for each node
// @param visit A client-defined function that performs an operation on either each visited node or its data
virtual void preorderTraverse(void visit(ItemType&)) const = 0;
virtual void inorderTraverse(void visit(ItemType&)) const = 0;
virtual void postorderTraverse(void visit(ItemType&)) const = 0;
// Destroys this tree and frees its assigned memory
virtual ~BinaryTreeInterface() { }
}; // end BinaryTreeInterface
#endif;
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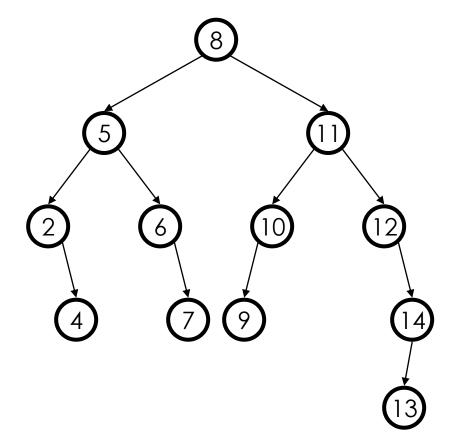


- Recursive definition of a binary search tree
  - The value of  $\bf n$  is greater than all values in its left subtree  $\bf T_L$
  - The value of  $\bf n$  is less than all values in its right subtree  $\bf T_R$
  - Both  $\mathbf{T_L}$  and  $\mathbf{T_R}$  are binary search trees

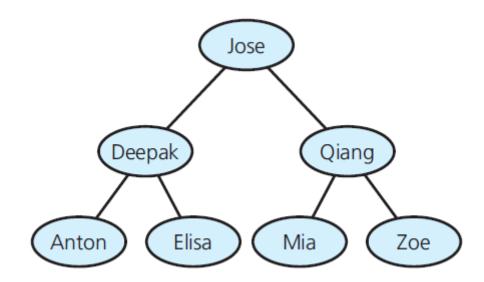
Notice: we distinguish between left and right child



- Search tree property
  - All keys in left subtree smaller than root's key
  - All keys in right subtree larger than root's key
  - Result:
    - · Easy to find any given key
    - Inserts/deletes by changing links

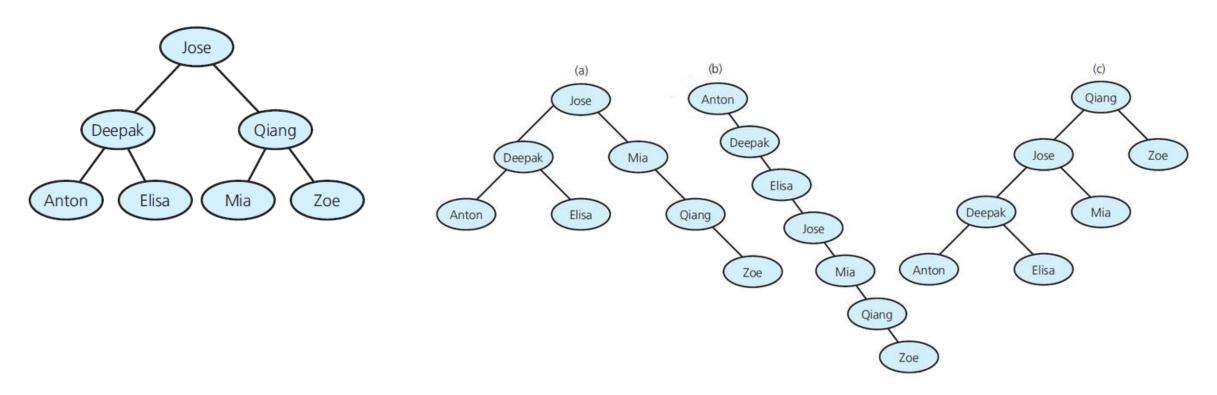


A binary search tree of names



# Binary Search Tree Operations

Binary search trees with the same data



### Binary Search Tree Operations

- Test whether a binary search tree is empty
- Get the height of a binary search tree
- Get the number of nodes in a binary search tree
- Get the data in a binary search tree's root
- Add the given data item to a binary search tree
- Remove the specified data item from a binary search tree
- Remove all data items from a binary search tree
- Retrieve the specified data item in a binary search tree
- Test whether a binary search tree contains specific data
- Traverse the nodes in a binary search tree in preorder, inorder, or postorder sense These operations define the ADT binary search tree



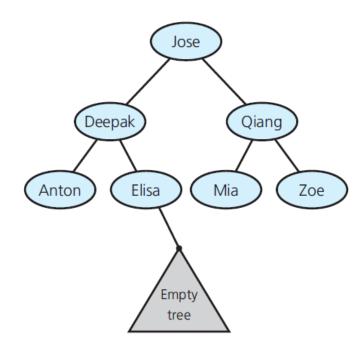
## Searching a Binary Search Tree

Search algorithm for a binary search tree

```
// Searches the binary search tree for a given target value
search(bstTree: BinarySearchTree, target: ItemType)
{
    if (bstTree is empty)
        The desired item is not found
    else if (target == data item in the root of bstTree)
        The desired item is found
    else if (target < data item in the root of bstTree)
        search(Left subtree of bstTree, target)
    else
        search(Right subtree of bstTree, target)
}</pre>
```

## Creating a Binary Search Tree

• Empty subtree where the search algorithm terminates when looking for Finn



#### Traversals of a Binary Search Tree

Inorder traversal of a binary search tree visits tree's nodes in sorted search-key order

```
// Traverses the given binary tree in inorder
// Assumes that "visit a node" means to process the node's data item
inorder(binTree: BinaryTree): void
{
    if (binTree is not empty)
    {
        inorder(Left subtree of binTree's root)
            Visit the root of binTree
        inorder(Right subtree of binTree's root)
    }
}
```

# Efficiency of Binary Search Tree Operations

- Max number of comparisons for retrieval, addition, or removal
  - The height of the tree
- Adding entries in sorted order
  - Produces maximum-height binary search tree
- Adding entries in random order
  - Produces near-minimum-height binary search tree

# Efficiency of Binary Search Tree Operations

 The Big O for the retrieval, addition, removal, and traversal operations of the ADT binary search tree (BST):

Operation	Average Case	Worst Case
Retrieval	O(logn)	O(n)
Addition	O(logn)	O(n)
Removal	O(logn)	O(n)
Traversal	O(n)	O(n)

#### Thank you