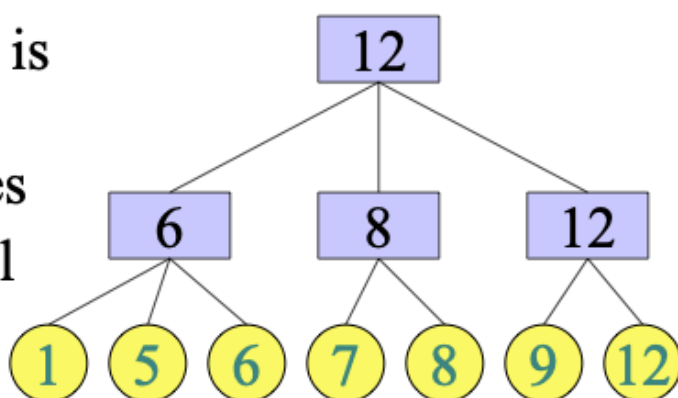


MA251 - Lab 8

2-3 Trees

- Degree of each node is either 2 or 3
- Keys are in the leaves
- All leaves have equal depth
- Leaves are sorted
- Each node x contains maximum key in the sub-tree, denoted $x.max$



- Internal nodes:
 - Values:
 - $x.max$: maximum key in the sub-tree
 - Pointers:
 - $left[x]$
 - $mid[x]$
 - $right[x]$: can be null
 - $p[x]$: can be null for the root

- ...

- Leaves:
 - `x.max` : the key
- 2-3 trees are the simplest balanced trees.
- Write a program to implement Search, Insert and Deletion in 2-3 trees.