# CSCI 2270 Data Structures and Algorithms Lecture 17

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Wed 1-2pm

Fri 2-3pm

### Administrivia

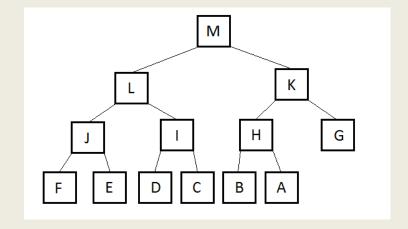
Thursday 2-3 office hours have moved to Friday 2-3

HW2 will post on Tuesday (part 1)
linked list implementation of a bijig integer in any base

Lab this week: review for test

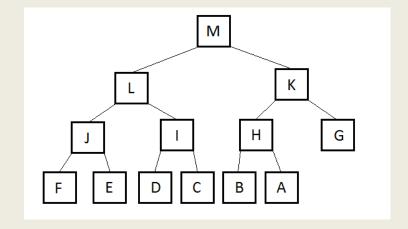
One bug in doubly linked list code: posted correction

Recursive process

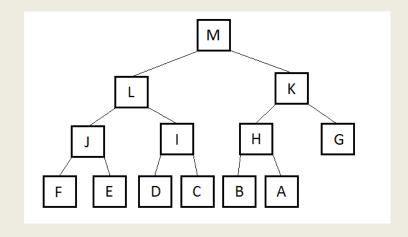


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preorder_print (const binary_tree_node* bintree)
    if (bintree is not empty)
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        print out data at root
        preorder_print(left subtree of bintree's root)
        preorder_print(right subtree of bintree's root)
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```

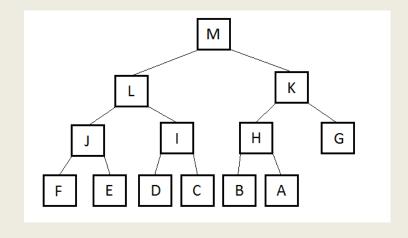
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inorder_print (const binary_tree_node* bintree) :
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```
postorder_print (const binary_tree_node* bintree):

if (bintree is not empty)
{

    postorder_print(left subtree of bintree's root)

    postorder_print(right subtree of bintree's root)

    print out data at root

}
```

# Destroying a binary tree

```
void tree_clear(binary_tree_node*& root_ptr) {
       binary_tree_node* child;
       if (root_ptr != nullptr)
               child = root_ptr->left;
               tree_clear( child );
               child = root_ptr->right;
               tree clear(child);
               delete root ptr;
               root ptr = nullptr;
```

# Destroying a binary tree

```
void tree_clear(binary_tree_node*& root_ptr) {
       binary_tree_node* child;
       if (root_ptr != nullptr) // what happens if it is nullptr?
              // destroy child nodes first (else we lose them)
              child = root_ptr->left;
              tree_clear( child );
              child = root ptr->right;
              tree clear(child);
              delete root ptr;
              root ptr = nullptr;
```

# Copying a binary tree

```
binary_tree_node* tree_copy(const binary_tree_node*
       root_ptr) {
       binary_tree_node* l_ptr; binary_tree_node* r_ptr;
       if (root_ptr == nullptr) return nullptr;
       else {
         l_ptr = tree_copy( root_ptr->left );
         r_ptr = tree_copy( root_ptr->right );
         binary_tree_node* new_tree = new binary_tree_node;
         new tree->data = root ptr->data;
         new tree->left = | ptr; new tree->right = r ptr;
         return new_tree;
```

## Traversal order matters (post order)

```
Tree clear:
              child = root ptr->left; tree clear(child);
               child = root ptr->right; tree clear(child);
               delete root ptr; root ptr = nullptr;
               l_ptr = tree_copy( root_ptr->left );
Tree_copy:
               r ptr = tree copy(root ptr->right);
               binary tree node* new tree = new
                      binary tree node;
               new tree->data = root ptr->data;
               new_tree->left = l_ptr; new_tree->right = r_ptr;
               return new tree;
```

# Trees offer the chance for log(n) performance if you're lucky

For a binary search tree of n nodes,

Search: O(log n) average, O(n) worst case

Insert: O(log n) average, O(n) worst case

Remove: O(log n) average, O(n) worst case

Traverse: O(n)

Another tree ADT, the B-tree, ensures that the tree is perfectly full—guarantees the O(log n) performance, worst case