

CHAPTER 10 - **TREES**

Our goal

11 Trees

11.1 Introduction to Trees

11.2 Applications of Trees

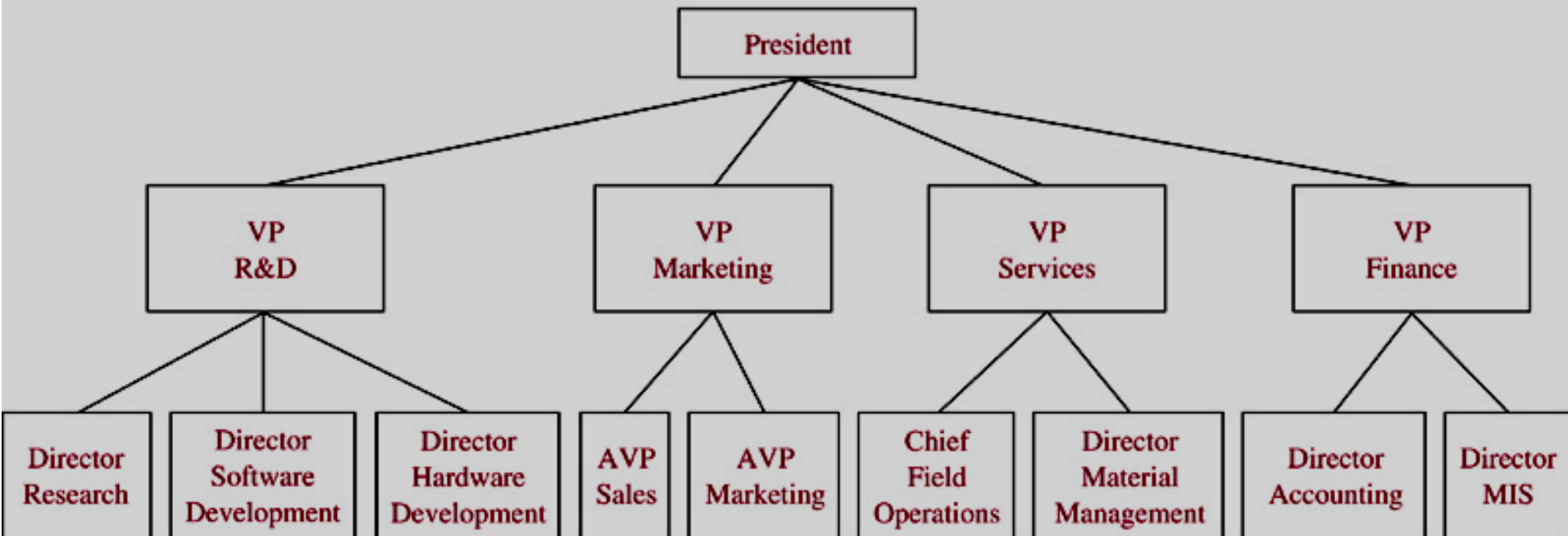
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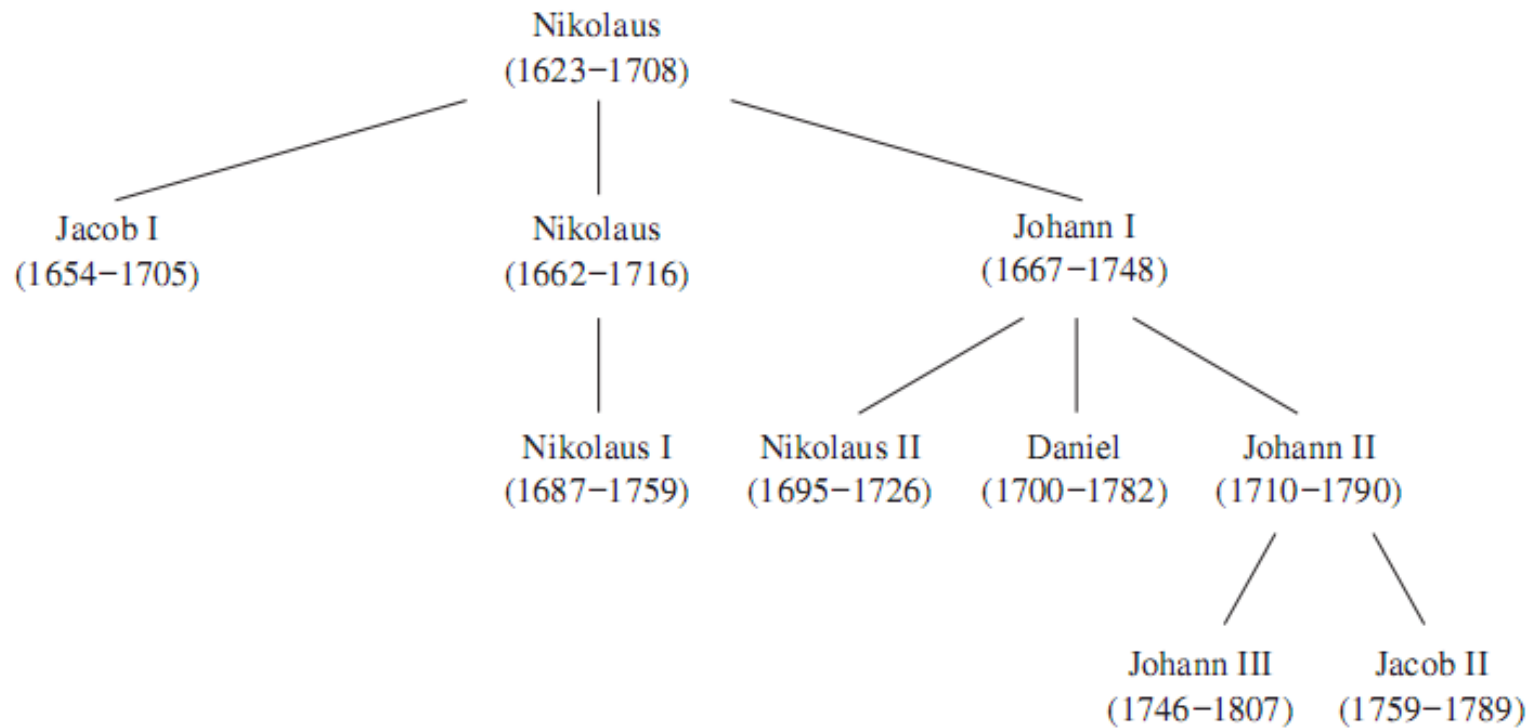
Some Tree Models

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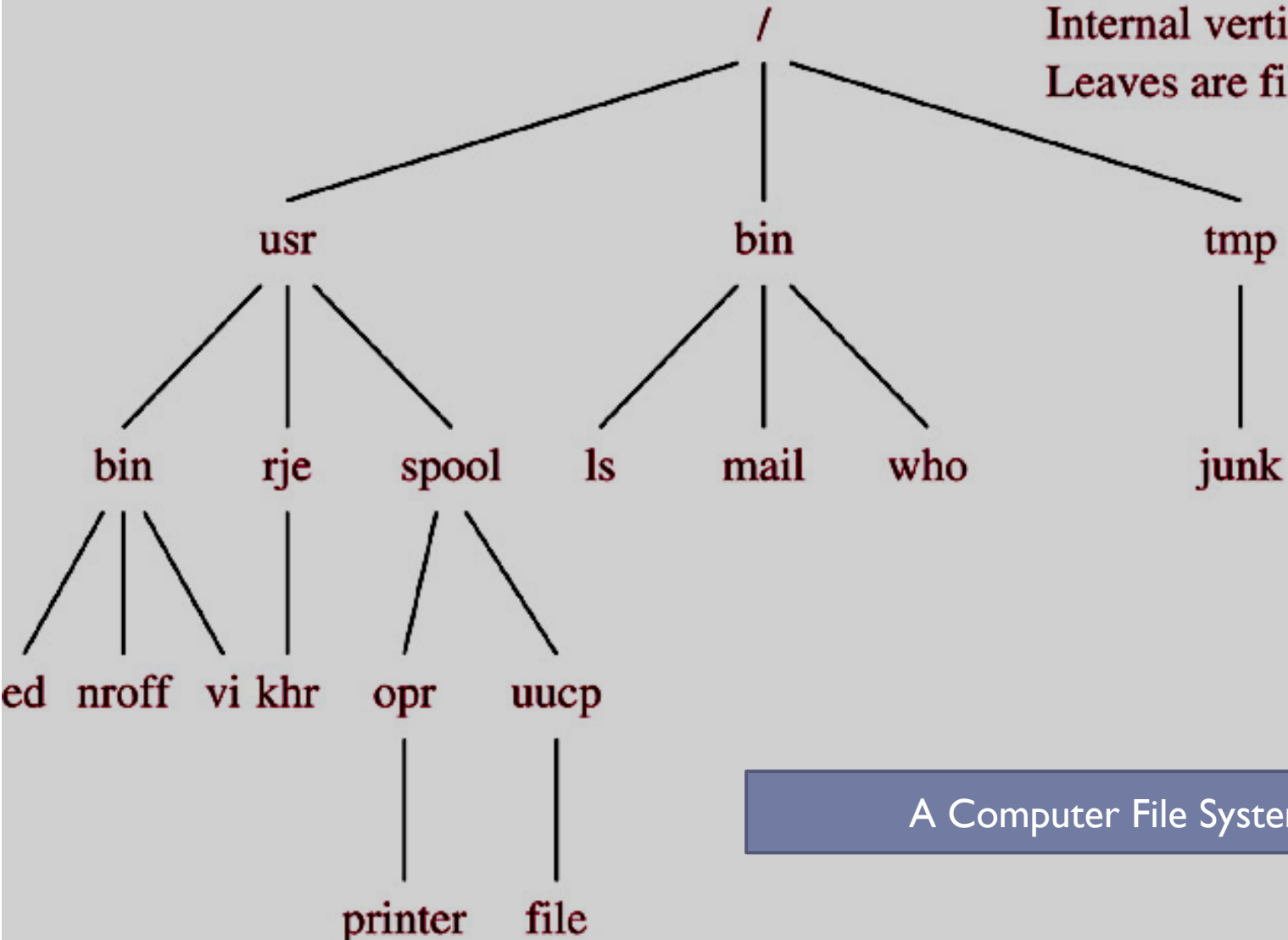


A Organizational Tree

► Family tree



The root is the root directory /
Internal vertices are directories
Leaves are files



A Computer File System

Introduction to Trees

DEFINITION 1

A *tree* is a connected undirected graph with no simple circuits.

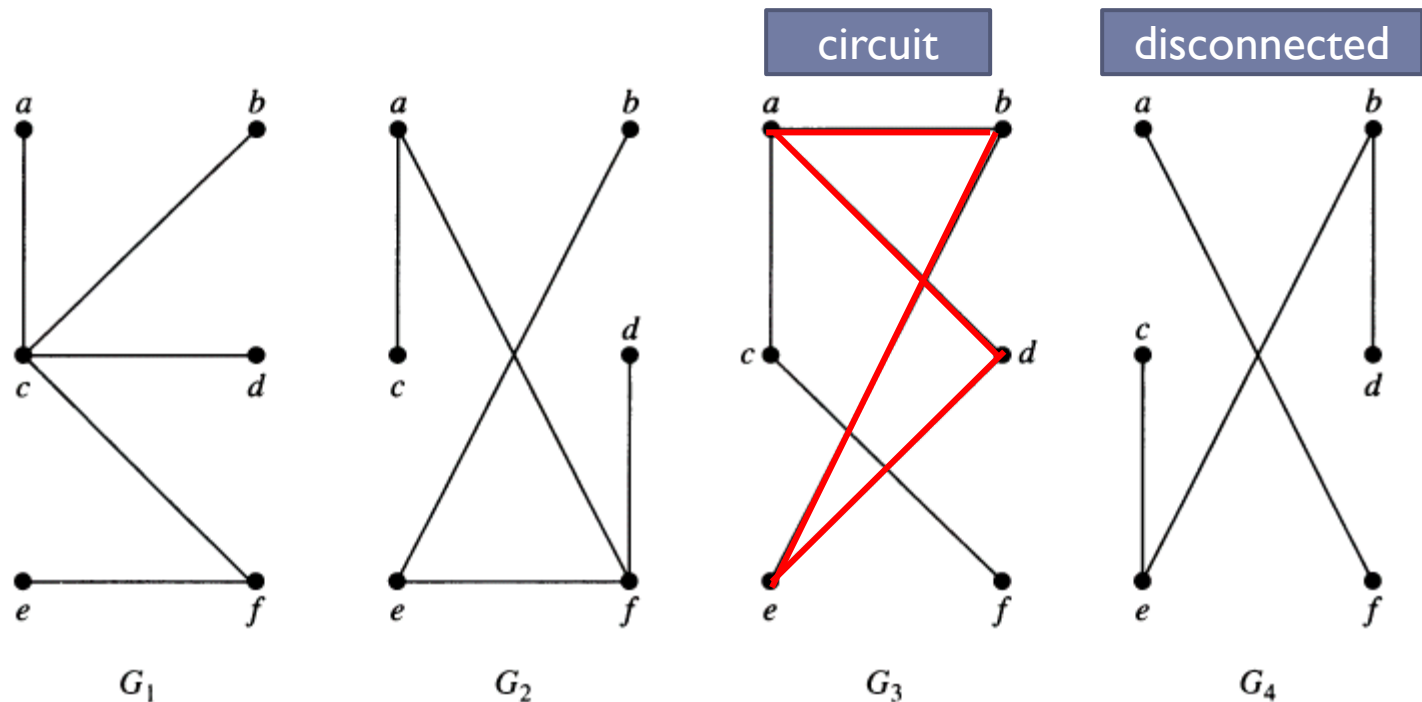
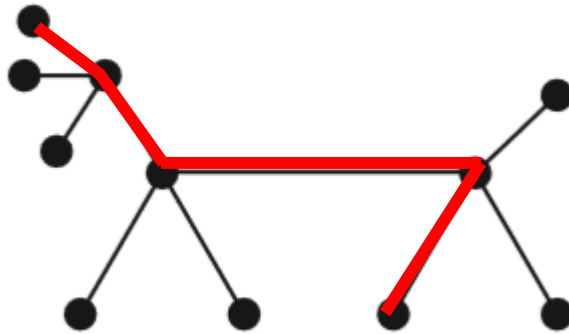


FIGURE 2 Examples of Trees and Graphs That Are Not Trees.

Trees

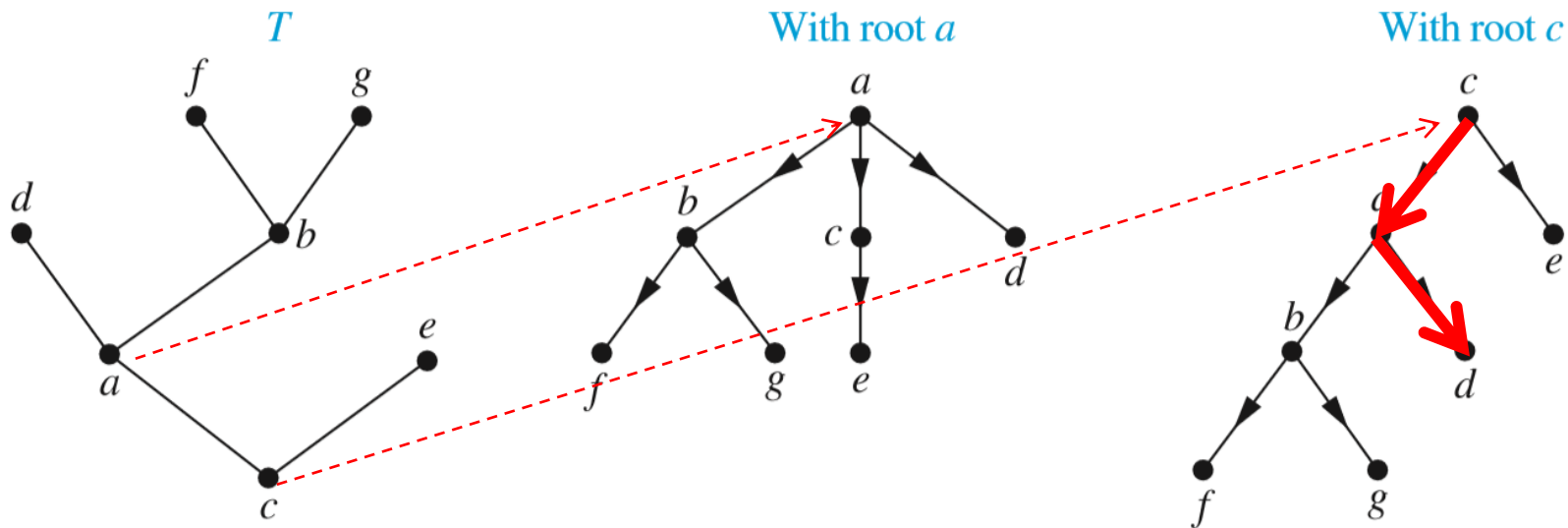
► Theorem.

An undirected graph is a tree if and only if there is a **unique simple path** between any two of its vertices.

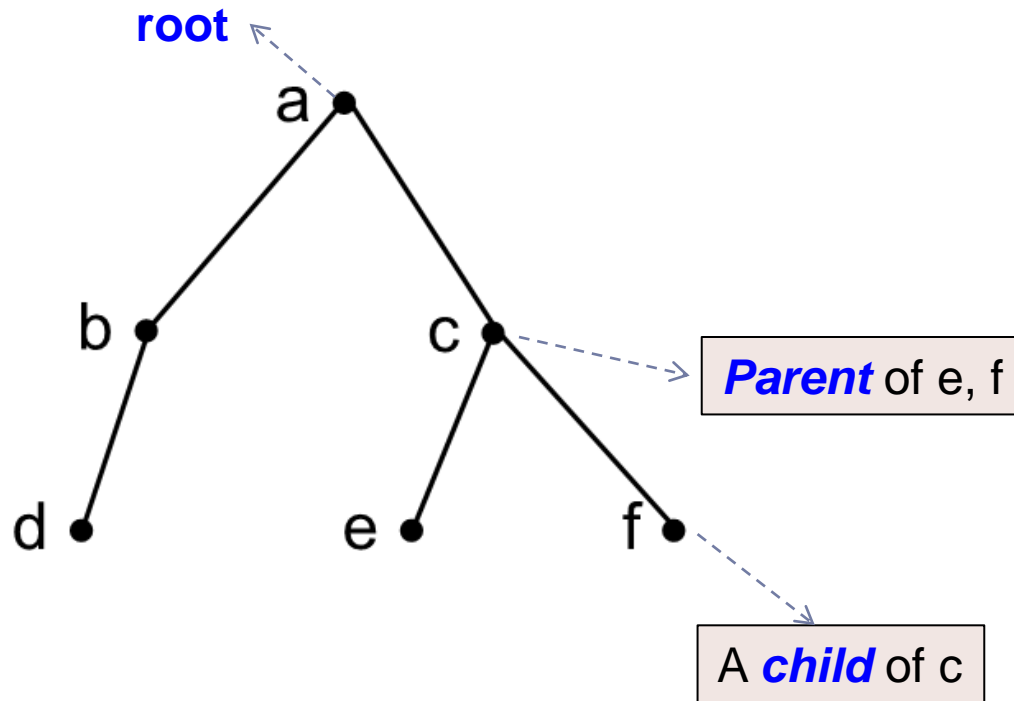


Rooted trees

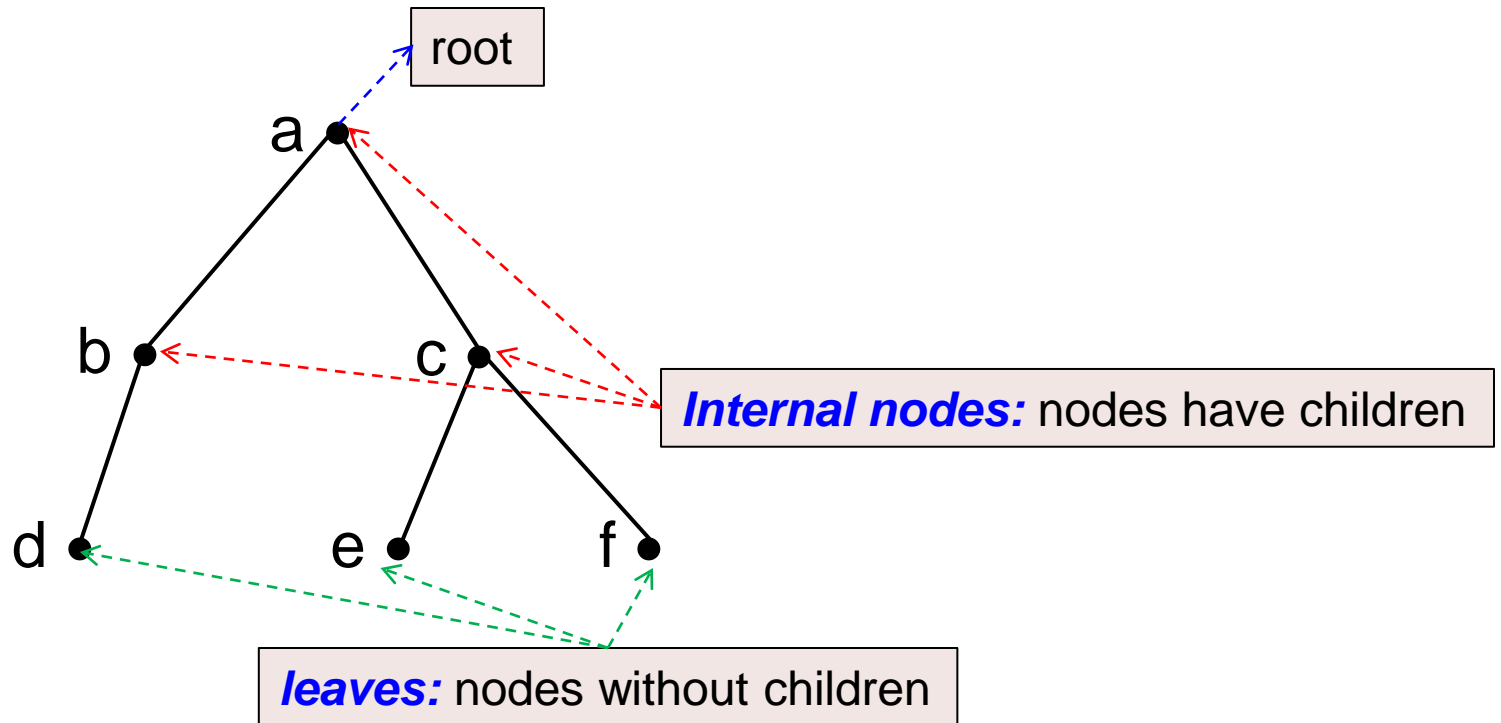
A **rooted tree** is a tree in which one vertex has been designated as the root



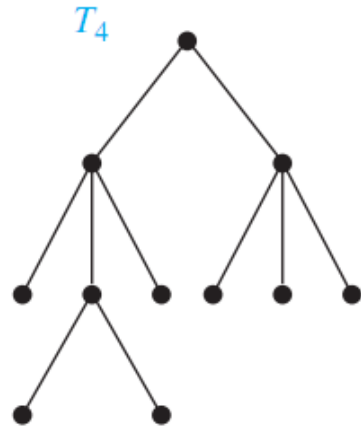
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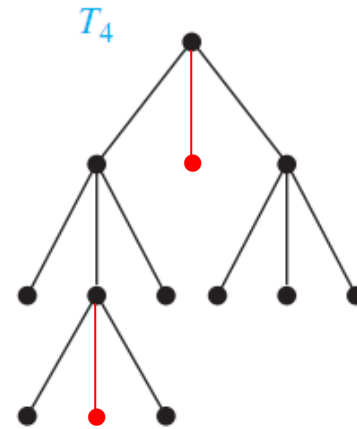
Terminologies



Full m-ary trees



$m = 3$: Ternary tree

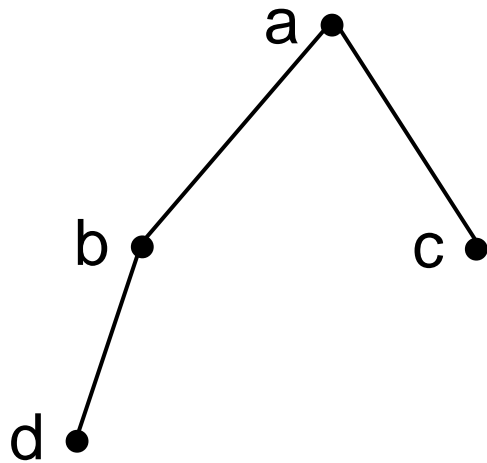


Full Ternary tree

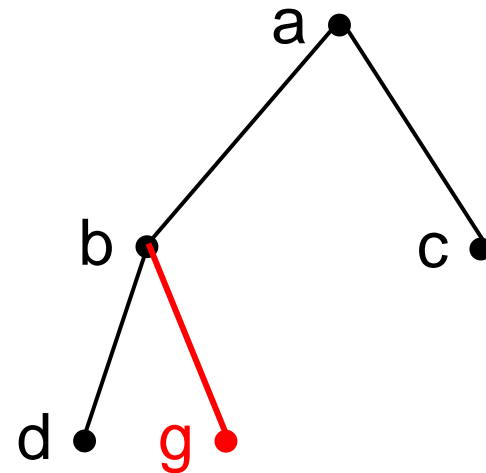


Full
5-ary tree

Full m-ary trees

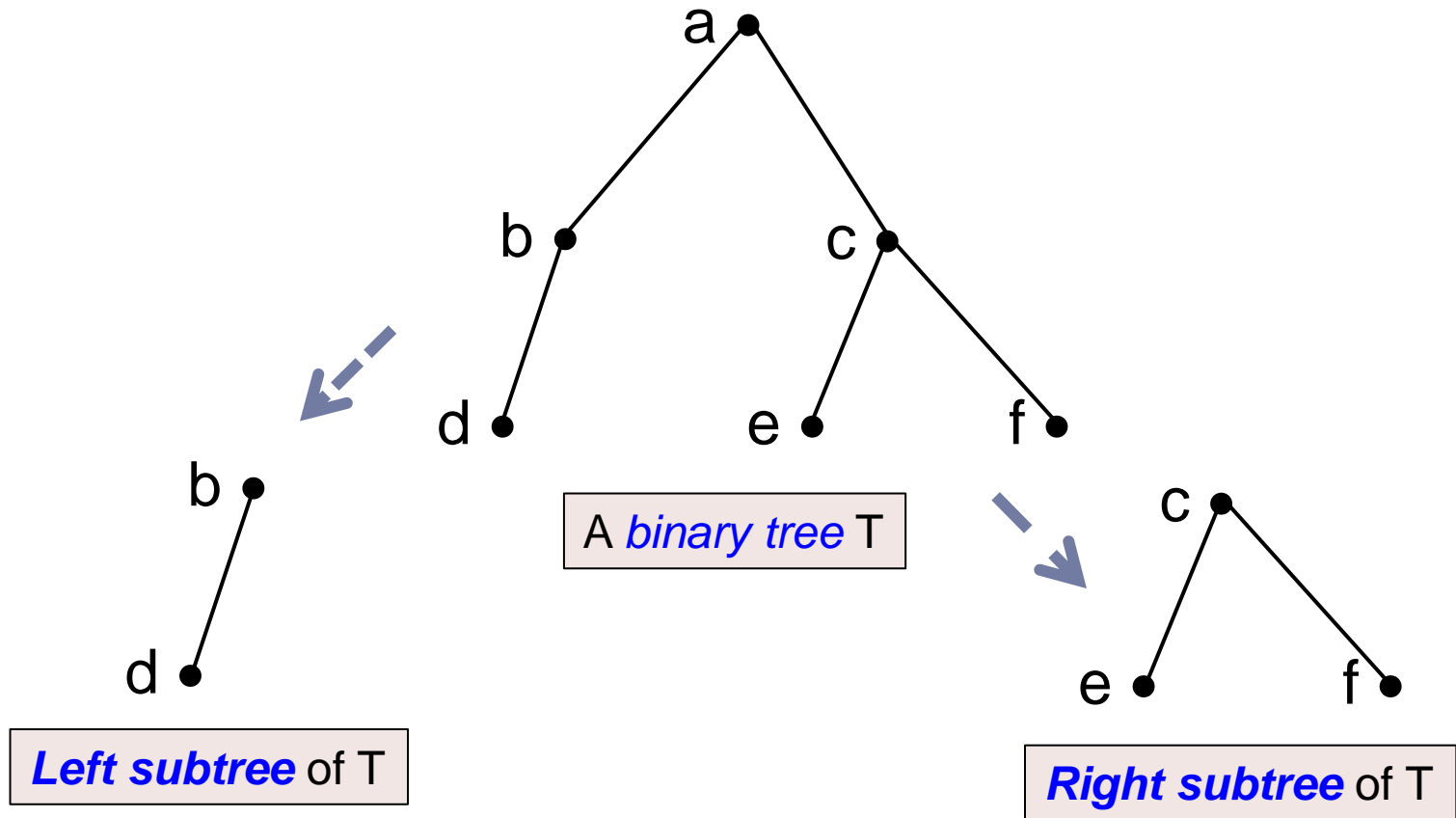


m=2: binary tree T



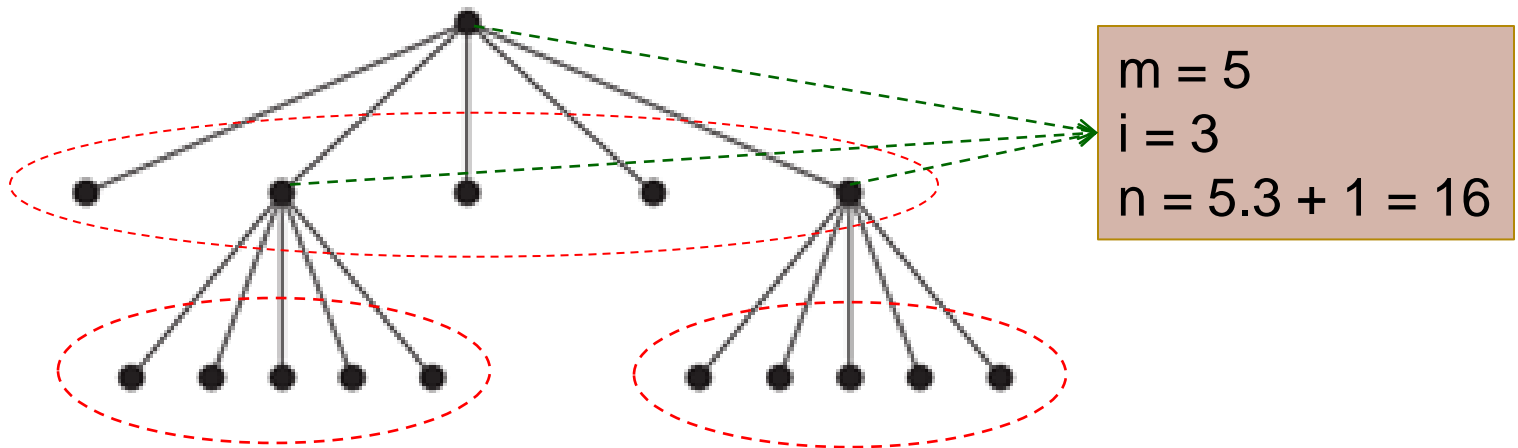
A **full** binary tree T

Binary tree



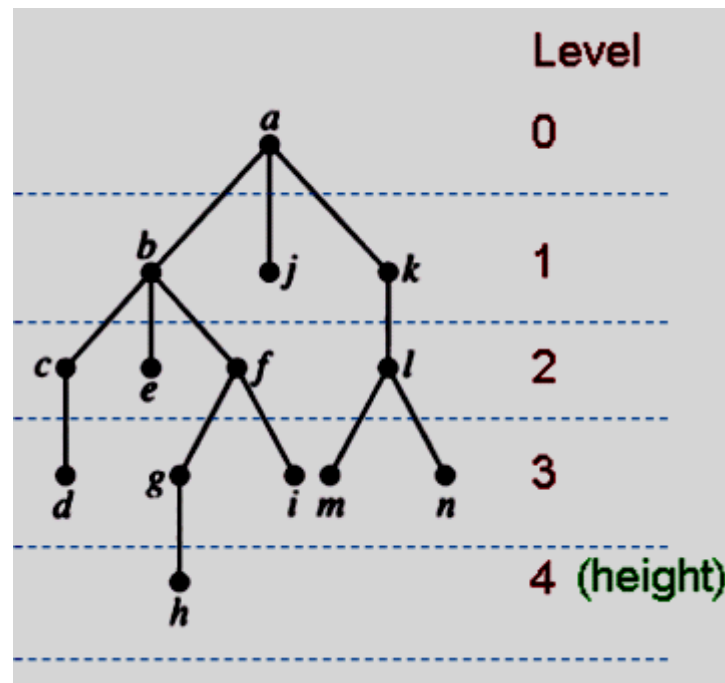
Properties of Trees

- A tree with n vertices has $n-1$ edges #n: Number of *nodes*
- For a **full m-ary** tree:
 - $n = mi + 1$ // i : Number of *internal nodes*
 - $n = i + \ell$ // ℓ : Number of *leaves*



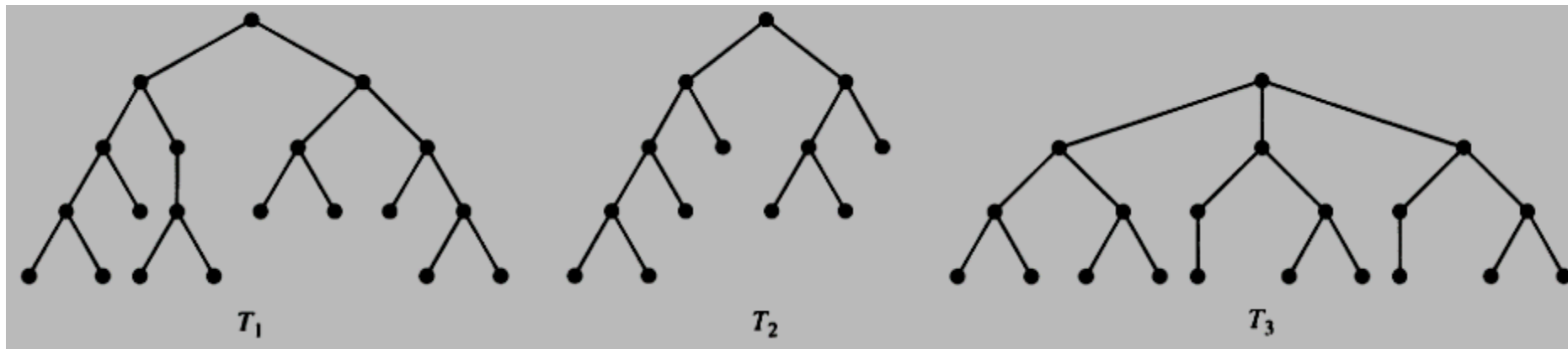
Introduction to Trees...

- ▶ **Level** of a vertex: The **length** of the simple path from the root to this vertex.
- ▶ **Height** of Tree = the **maximum of levels**



Introduction to Trees...

A m-ary tree is called **balanced** if all leaves are at levels **h** or **$h-1$** .
// h = height



$h=4$
All leaves are at levels
3, 4
→ Balanced

$h=4$
All leaves are at levels
2, 3, 4
→ Not Balanced

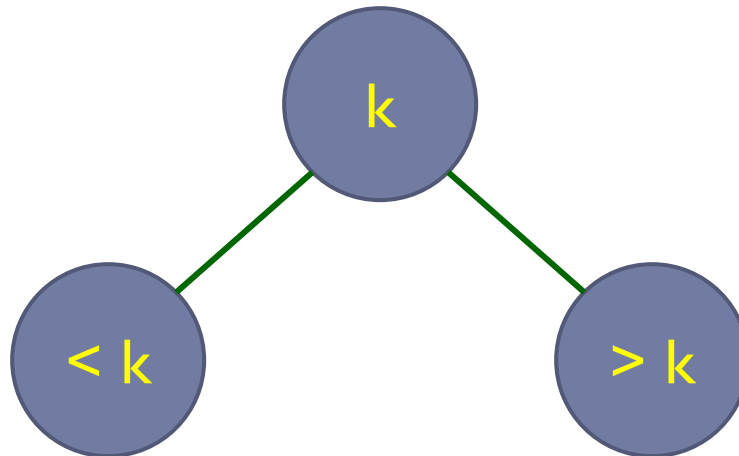
$h=3$
All leaves are at levels
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→ Balanced

10.2- Applications of Trees

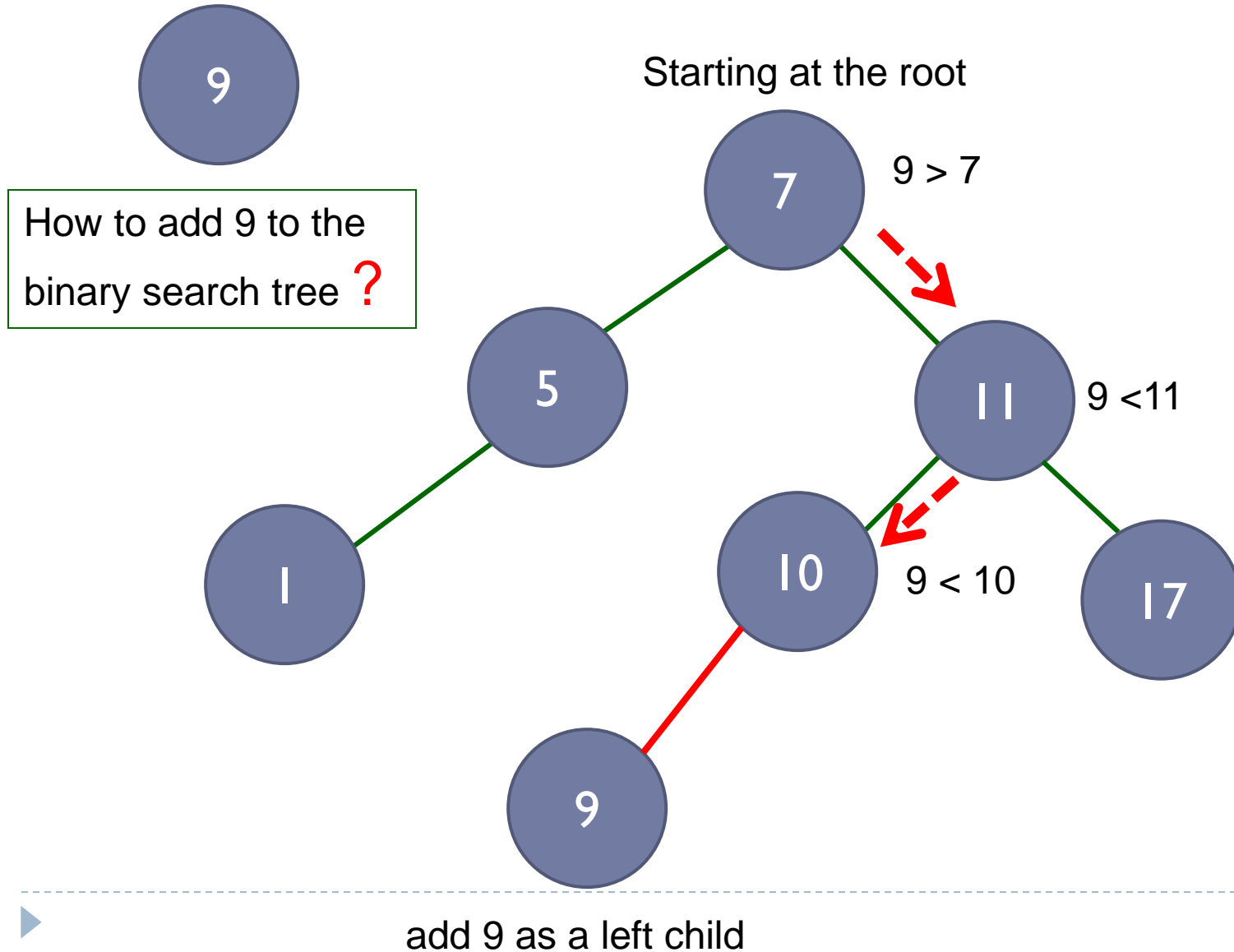
- ▶ Binary Search Trees
- ▶ Decision Trees
- ▶ Prefix Codes

Binary search tree

- ▶ A binary tree where each vertex is labeled with a key
- ▶ the key of a vertex is both larger than the keys of all vertices in its left subtree and smaller than the keys of all vertices in its right subtree.



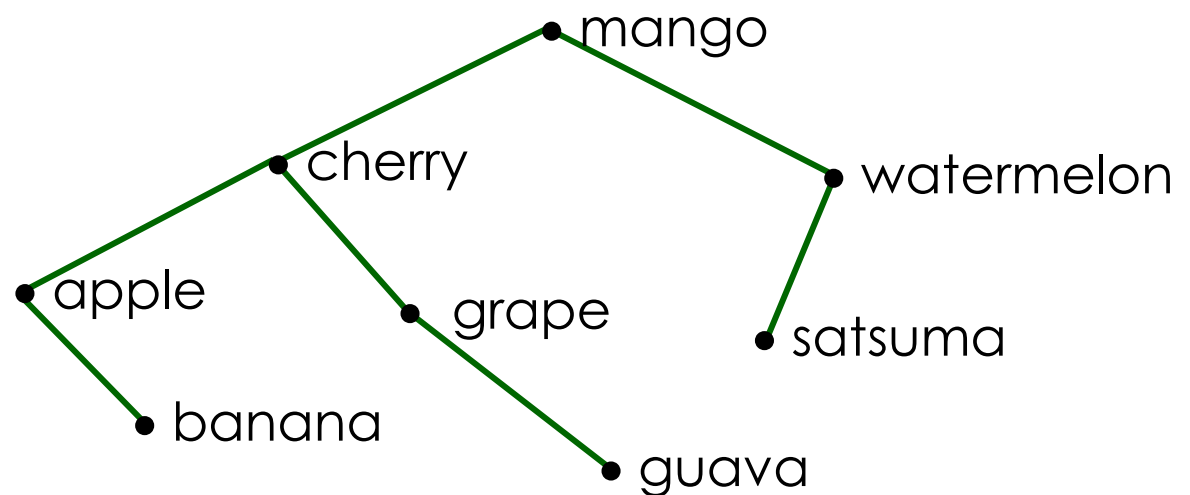
Binary search tree - Add a new vertex



Constructing a binary search tree

- Binary search tree for words: mango, cherry, grape, apple, guava, watermelon, satsuma, banana

smaller key →
go/add to the left
greater key →
go/add to the right



Algorithm for inserting an element to BST

ALGORITHM 1 Locating and Adding Items to a Binary Search Tree.

procedure *insertion*(T : binary search tree, x : item)

$v := \text{root of } T$

{a vertex not present in T has the value *null*}

while $v \neq \text{null}$ and $\text{label}(v) \neq x$

begin

if $x < \text{label}(v)$ **then**

if left child of $v \neq \text{null}$ **then** $v := \text{left child of } v$

else add *new vertex* as a left child of v and set $v := \text{null}$

else

if right child of $v \neq \text{null}$ **then** $v := \text{right child of } v$

else add *new vertex* as a right child of v to T and set $v := \text{null}$

end

if root of $T = \text{null}$ **then** add a vertex v to the tree and label it with x

else if v is null or $\text{label}(v) \neq x$ **then** label *new vertex* with x and let v be this new vertex

{ $v = \text{location of } x$ }

Complexity: $O(\log n)$

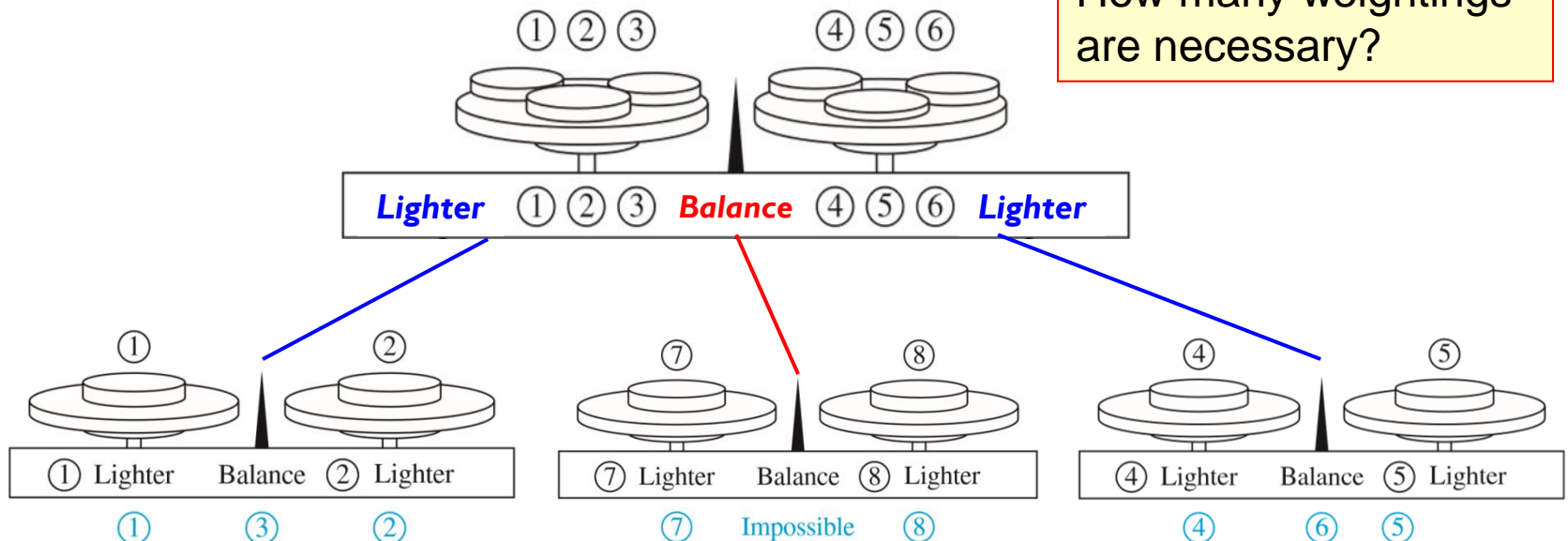
Proof: page 698

Decision Trees

The Counterfeit Coin Problem.

- 8 coins, *1 fake coin* (counterfeit, lighter) ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧
- Use a two-pan *balance scale* to determine the *lighter one*.

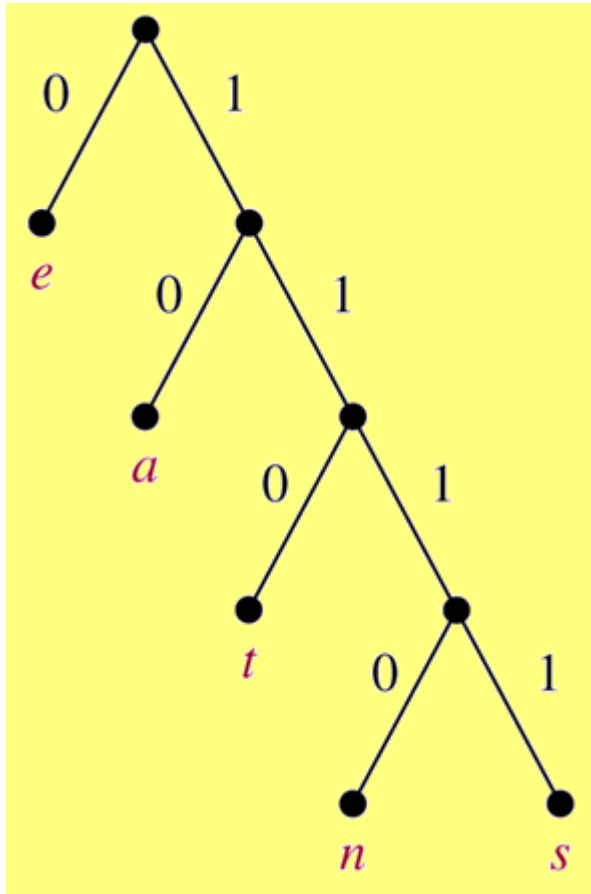
How many weightings are necessary?



Prefix Codes

- ▶ Introduction to Prefix Codes
- ▶ Huffman Coding Algorithm

Prefix Codes



► Construct a binary tree with a prefix code.

► **sane** will be store as
11111011100 → 11 bits

11111011100 : s

11111011100 : a

11111011100 : n

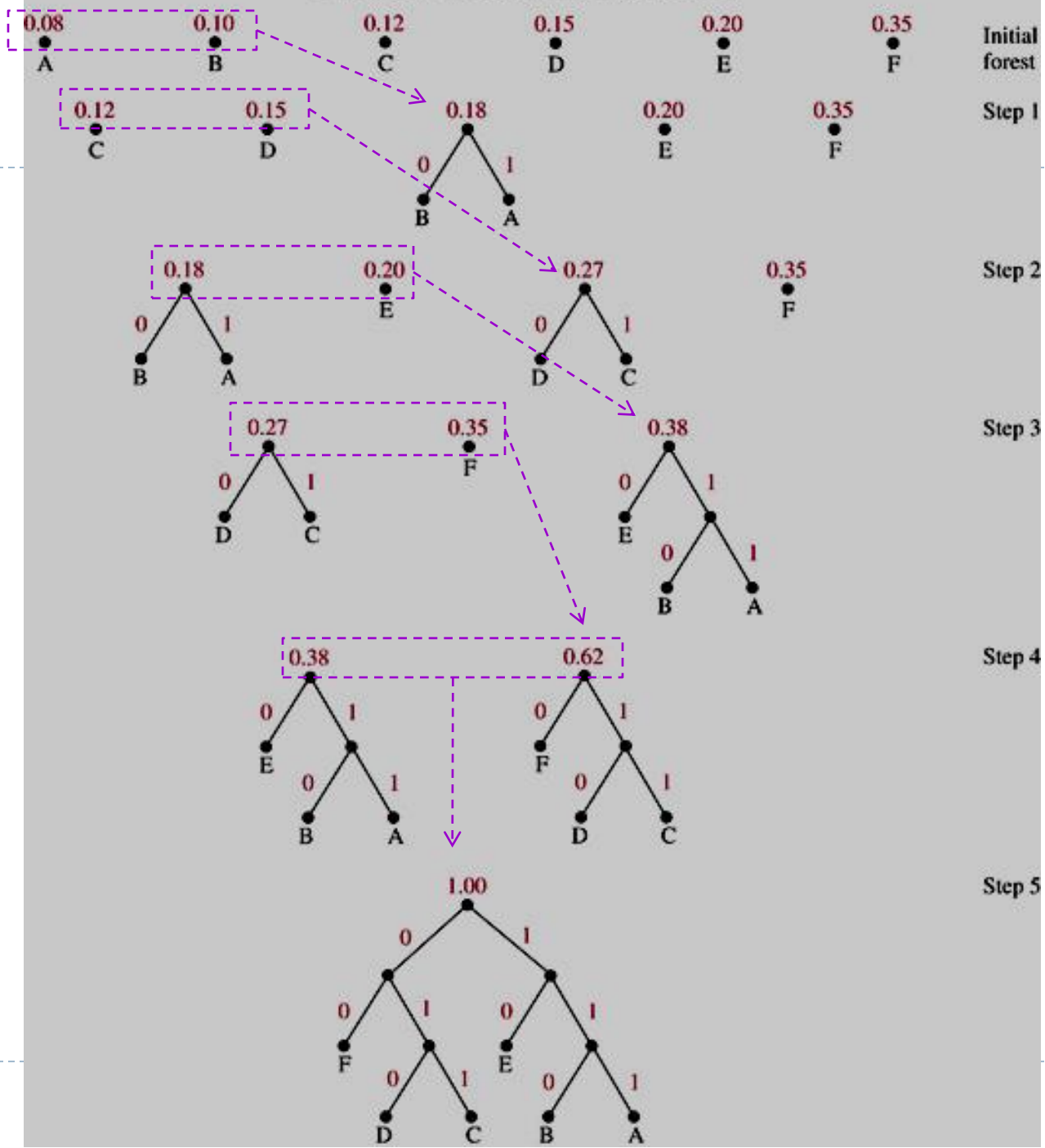
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ASCII uses 32 bits to store **sane**

→ **Compression factor: 32/11 ~ 3**

Prefix Codes: Huffman Coding Algorithm

- ▶ Counting occurrences of characters in a text
→ frequencies (probabilities) of each character.
- ▶ Constructing a binary tree representing prefix codes of characters.
 - The set of binary codes representing each character.
 - Coding source text



Prefix Codes: Huffman Coding Algorithm

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ALGORITHM 2 Huffman Coding.

```
procedure Huffman( $C$ : symbols  $a_i$  with frequencies  $w_i, i = 1, \dots, n$ )  
 $F :=$  forest of  $n$  rooted trees, each consisting of the single vertex  $a_i$  and assigned weight  $w_i$   
while  $F$  is not a tree  
begin  
  Replace the rooted trees  $T$  and  $T'$  of least weights from  $F$  with  $w(T) \geq w(T')$  with a tree  
  having a new root that has  $T$  as its left subtree and  $T'$  as its right subtree. Label the new  
  edge to  $T$  with 0 and the new edge to  $T'$  with 1.  
  Assign  $w(T) + w(T')$  as the weight of the new tree.  
end  
{the Huffman coding for the symbol  $a_i$  is the concatenation of the labels of the edges in the  
unique path from the root to the vertex  $a_i$ }
```

Traversal Algorithms

- ▶ At a time, a vertex is **visited**
- ▶ **Recursive algorithm**
- ▶ Traversals are classified into:
 - ▶ **Pre**-order traversal.
 - ▶ **In**-order traversal.
 - ▶ **Post**-order traversal.

N L R

L N R

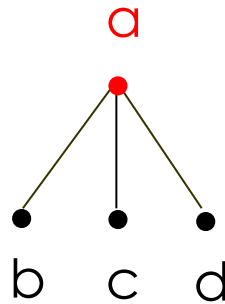
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// N: root **node**

// L: left subtree

// R: right subtree

Tree traversals



Pre-order traversal:

N L R
a b c d

in-order traversal:

L N R
b a c d

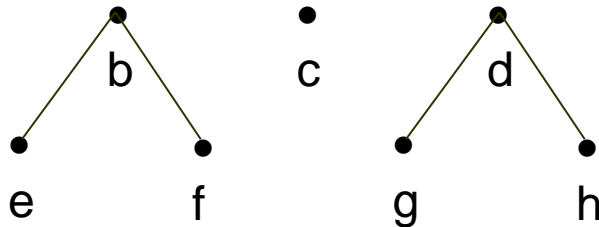
post-order traversal:

L R N
b c d a

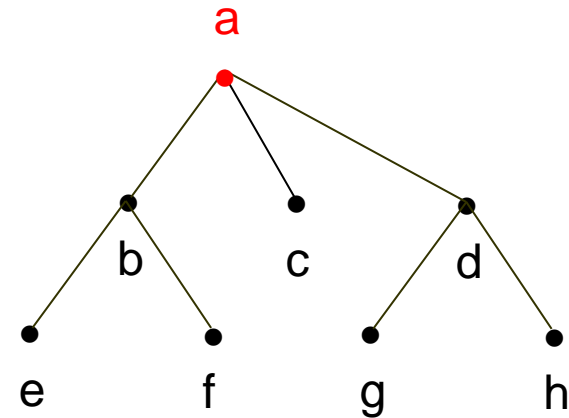
Preorder traversal - example

Pre-order traversal: **N** L R

a
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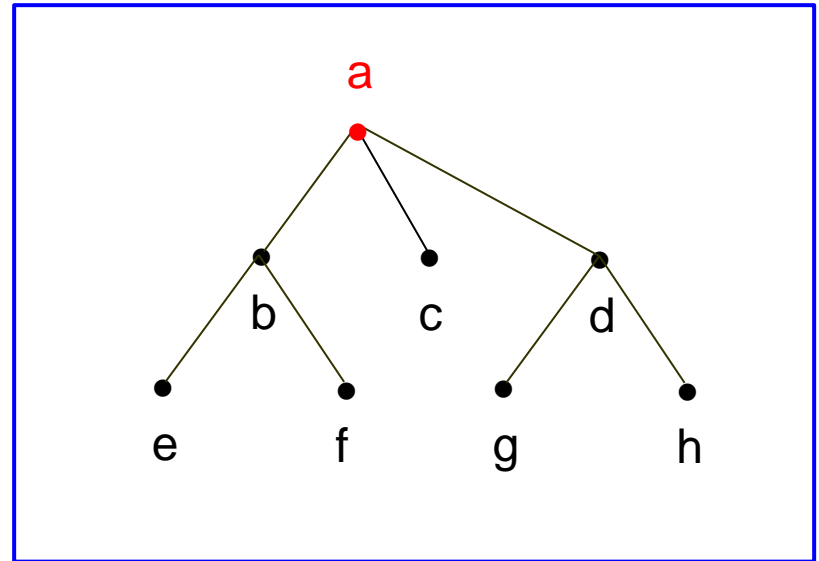
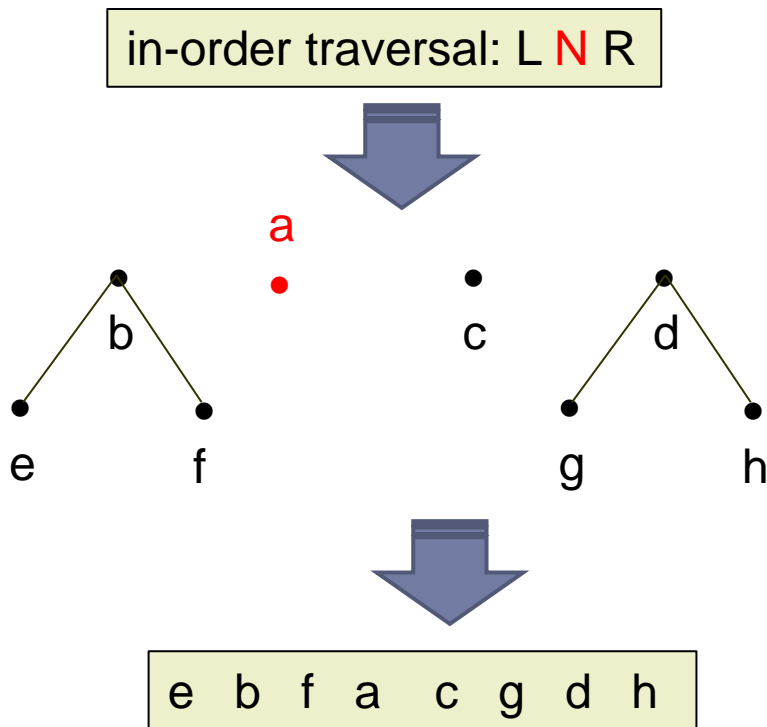
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ALGORITHM 1 Preorder Traversal.

```
procedure preorder(T: ordered rooted tree)
  r := root of T
  list r
  for each child c of r from left to right
  begin
    T(c) := subtree with c as its root
    preorder(T(c))
  end
```

Inorder traversal - example

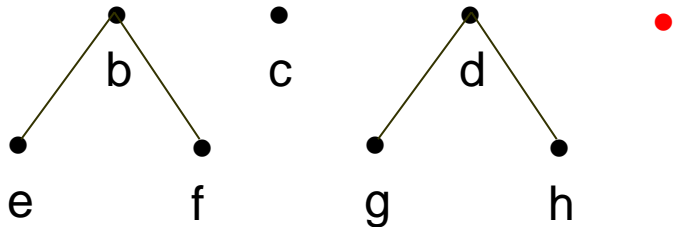


ALGORITHM 2 Inorder Traversal.

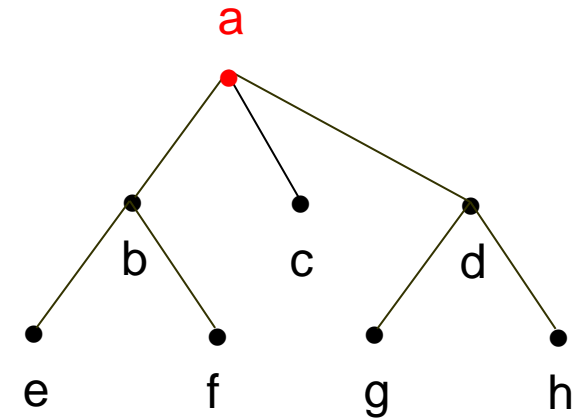
```
procedure inorder(T: ordered rooted tree)
  r := root of T
  if r is a leaf then list r
  else
    begin
      l := first child of r from left to right
      T(l) := subtree with l as its root
      inorder(T(l))
      list r
      for each child c of r except for l from left to right
        T(c) := subtree with c as its root
        inorder(T(c))
    end
```

Postorder traversals - examples

post-order traversal: L R N



e f b c g h d a



ALGORITHM 3 Postorder Traversal.

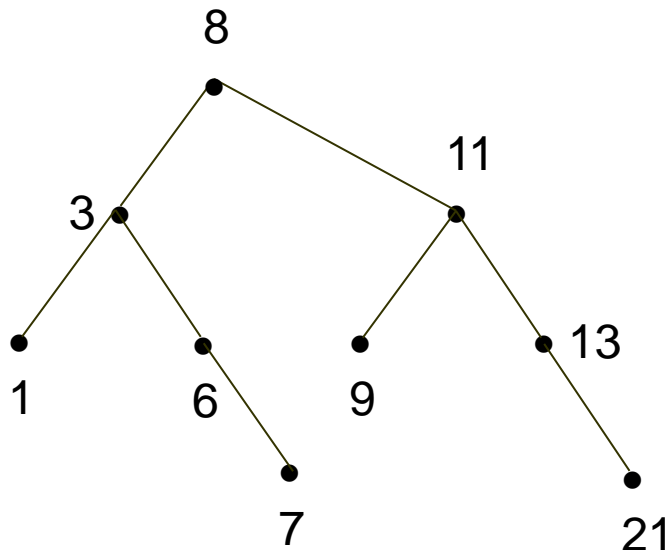
```
procedure postorder(T: ordered rooted tree)
  r := root of T
  for each child c of r from left to right
  begin
    T(c) := subtree with c as its root
    postorder(T(c))
  end
  list r
```

Tree traversals - examples

Construct a **binary search tree** for the numbers:
8, 11, 3, 6, 9, 1, 13, 7, 21

What are the order of numbers after applying:

- preorder traversal
- inorder traversal
- postorder traversal?



Preorder traversal:
8 3 1 6 7 11 9 13 21

Inorder traversal:
1 3 6 7 8 9 11 13 21

Sorted

Postorder traversal:
1 7 6 3 9 21 13 11 8

Binary search tree

Infix, Prefix, and Postfix Notation

Expression Trees

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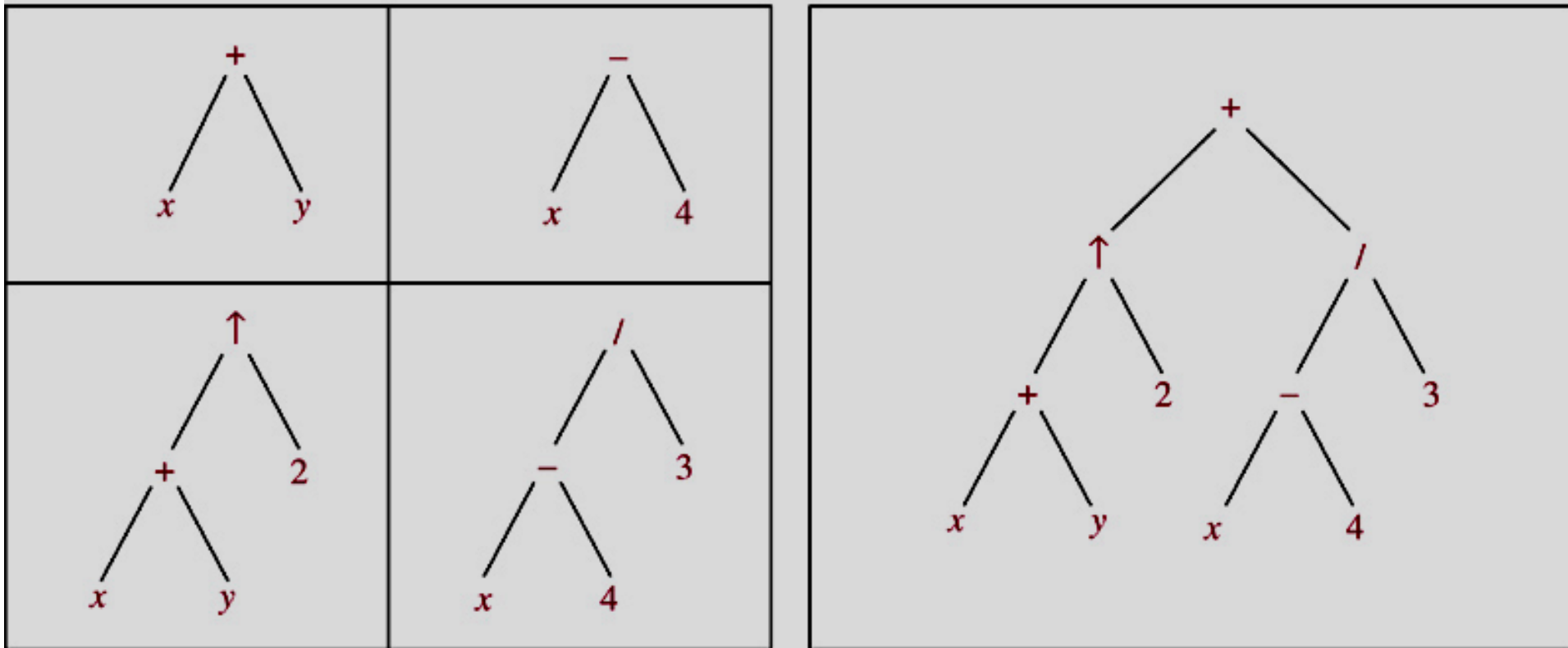


FIGURE 10 A Binary Tree Representing $((x + y) \uparrow 2) + ((x - 4) / 3)$.

Infix, Prefix, and Postfix Notation

► Expression Trees

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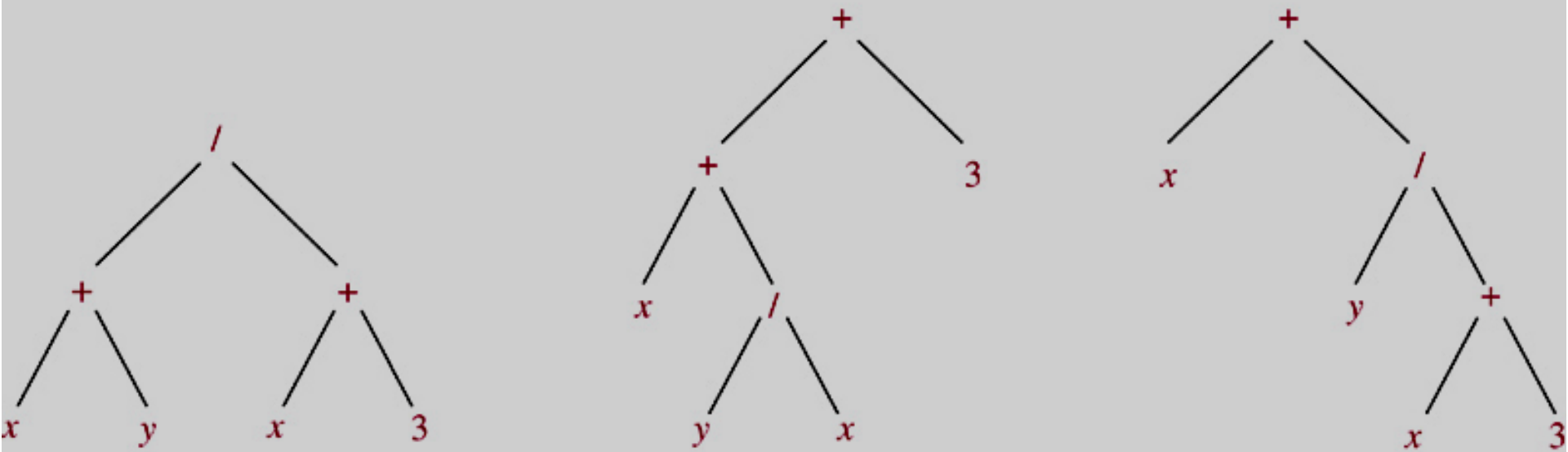


FIGURE 11 Rooted Trees Representing $(x + y) / (x + 3)$, $(x + (y / x)) + 3$, and $x + (y / (x + 3))$.

Infix, Prefix, and Postfix Notation

- ▶ **Infix form:**

operand_1 operator operand_2 $x + y$

- ▶ **Prefix form:**

operator(operand_1,operand_2) $+ x y$

- ▶ **Postfix form:**

(operand_1,operand_2)operator $x y +$

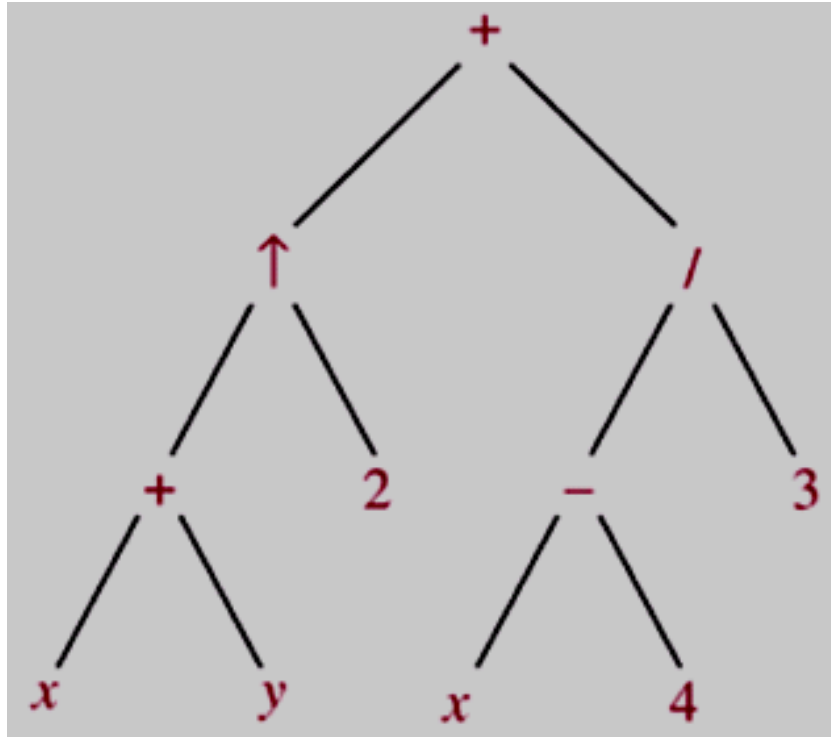
- ▶ How to find prefix and postfix form from infix form?

- (1) Draw expression tree.

- (2) Using Preorder traverse → Prefix form

- Using Postorder traverse → Postfix form

Infix, Prefix, and Postfix Notation



Infix form

$((x + y) \uparrow 2) + ((x - 4) / 3)$

Prefix form

$+ \uparrow + x y 2 / - x 4 3$

Postfix form

$x y + 2 \uparrow x 4 - 3 / +$

Infix, Prefix, and Postfix Notation

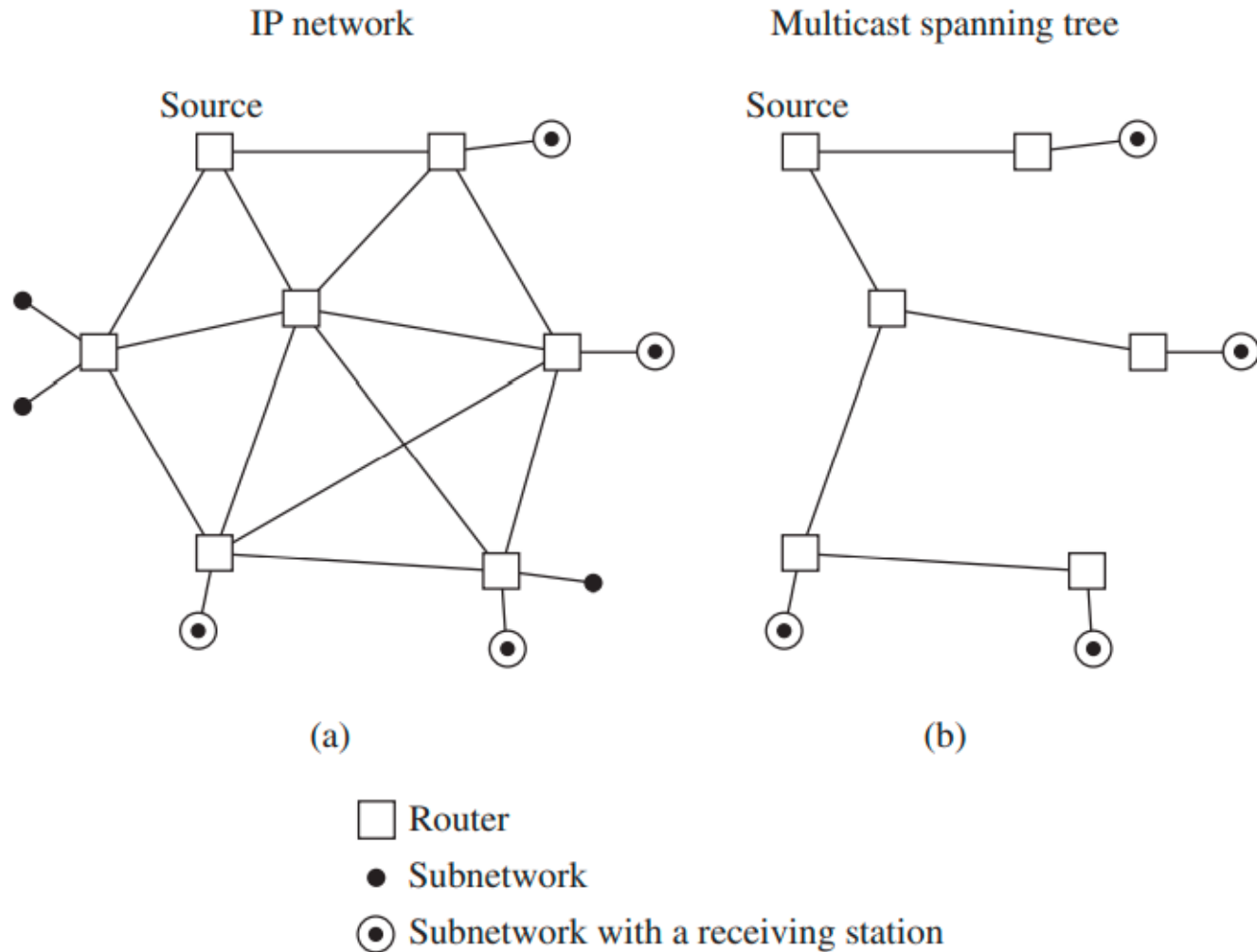
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 & & & & & & & 2 \uparrow 3 = 8 \\
 + & - & * & 2 & 3 & 5 & / & 8 \ 4 \\
 & & & & & & & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & & & & & & & 8 / 4 = 2 \\
 + & - & * & 2 & 3 & 5 & 2 \\
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 & & & 2 \ 3 = 6 \\
 + & - & 6 & 5 & 2 \\
 & & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & & 6 - 5 = 1 \\
 + & 1 & 2 \\
 & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & 1 + 2 = 3 \\
 \text{Value of expression} & 3
 \end{array}$$

FIGURE 12 Evaluating a Prefix Expression.

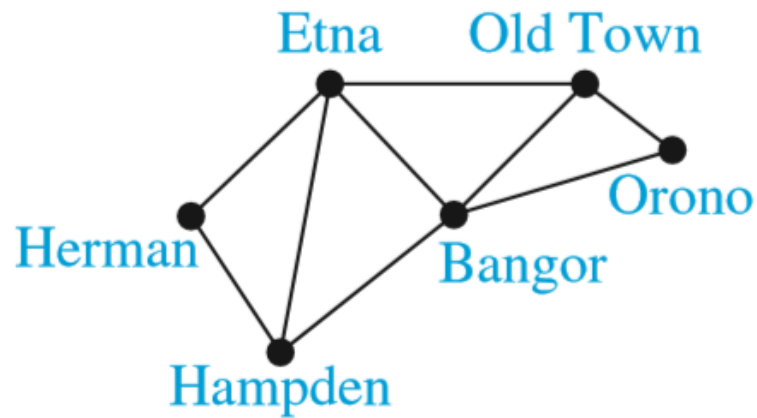
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 & 2 * 3 = 6 \\
 7 & 6 & - & 4 & \uparrow & 9 & 3 & / \ + \\
 & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & 7 - 6 = 1 \\
 1 & 4 & \uparrow & 9 & 3 & / \ + \\
 & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & 1^4 = 1 \\
 1 & 9 & 3 & / \ + \\
 & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & 9 / 3 = 3 \\
 1 & 3 & + \\
 & \underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} \\
 & 1 + 3 = 4 \\
 \text{Value of expression} & 4
 \end{array}$$

FIGURE 13 Evaluating a Postfix Expression.

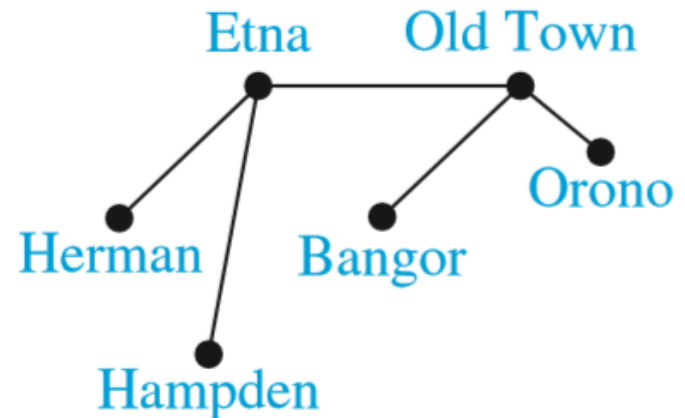
Spanning trees



Spanning trees



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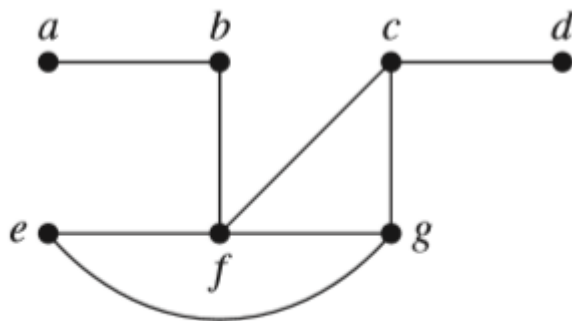
(b)

Spanning trees

Definition.

Let G be a simple graph. A spanning tree of G is a subgraph of G that is a tree containing every vertex of G .

EXAMPLE 1 Find a spanning tree of the simple graph G shown in Figure 2.



Edge removed: $\{a, e\}$

(a)

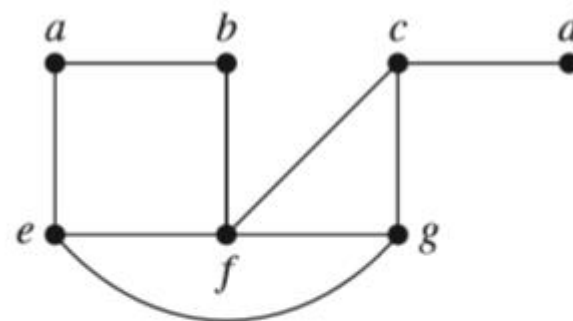
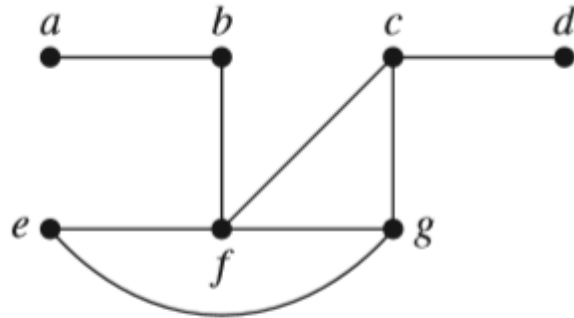
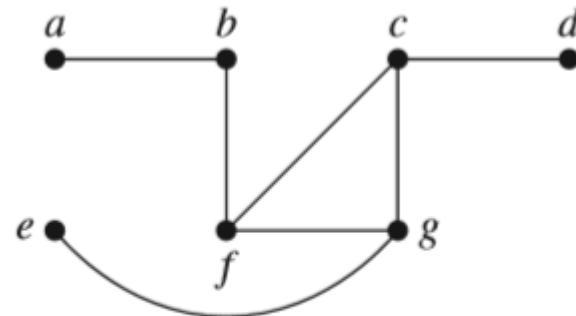


FIGURE 2 The Simple Graph G .



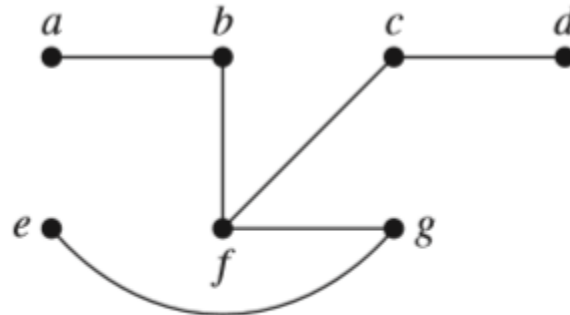
Edge removed: $\{a, e\}$

(a)



$\{e, f\}$

(b)



$\{c, g\}$

(c)

Remove Edges That Form Simple Circuits.

THEOREM 1

A simple graph is connected if and only if it has a spanning tree.

Depth-First Search

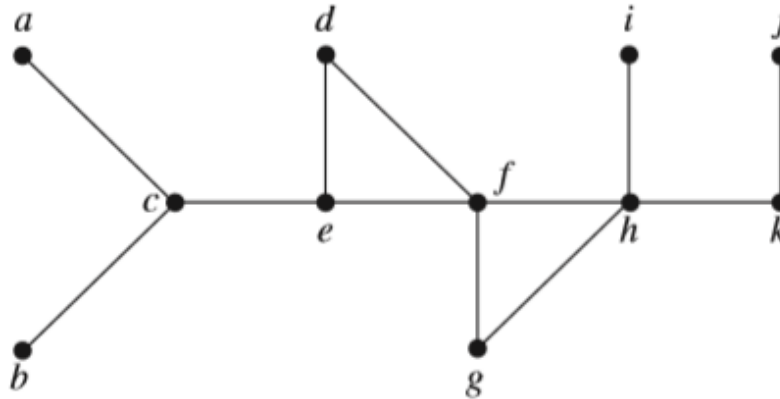


FIGURE 6 The Graph *G*.

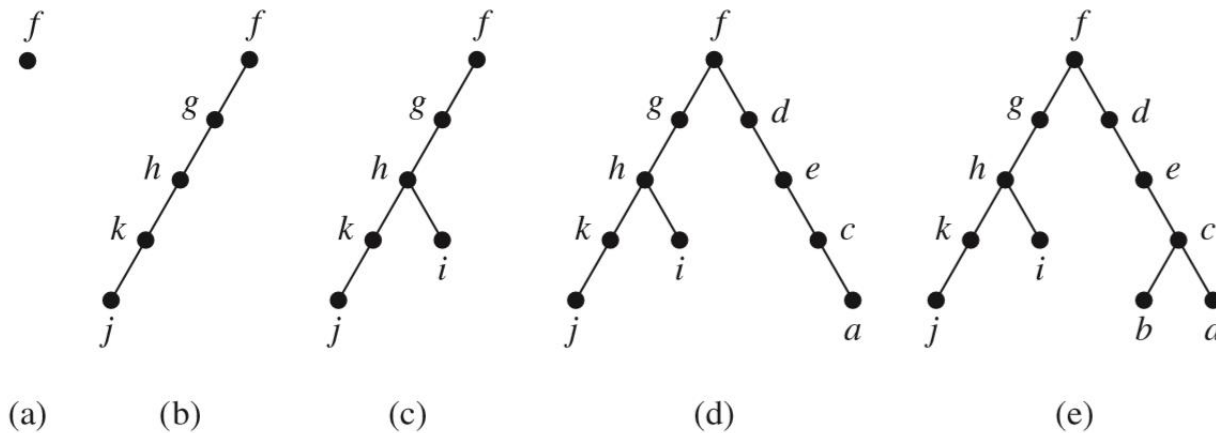
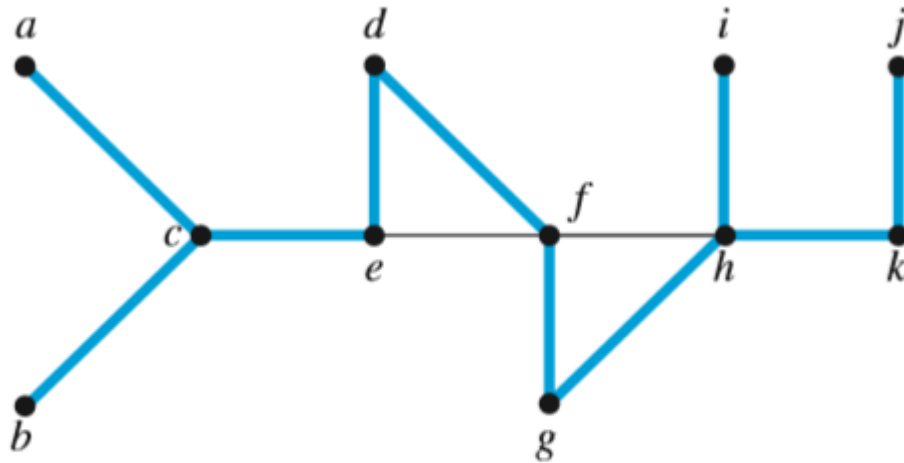


FIGURE 7 Depth-First Search of *G*.



The edges selected by depth-first search of a graph are called **tree edges**.

All other edges are called **back edges**.

FIGURE 8 The Tree Edges and Back Edges of the Depth-First Search in Example 4.

ALGORITHM 1 Depth-First Search.

procedure *DFS*(G : connected graph with vertices v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n)

$T :=$ tree consisting only of the vertex v_1

visit(v_1)

procedure *visit*(v : vertex of G)

for each vertex w adjacent to v and not yet in T

 add vertex w and edge $\{v, w\}$ to T

visit(w)

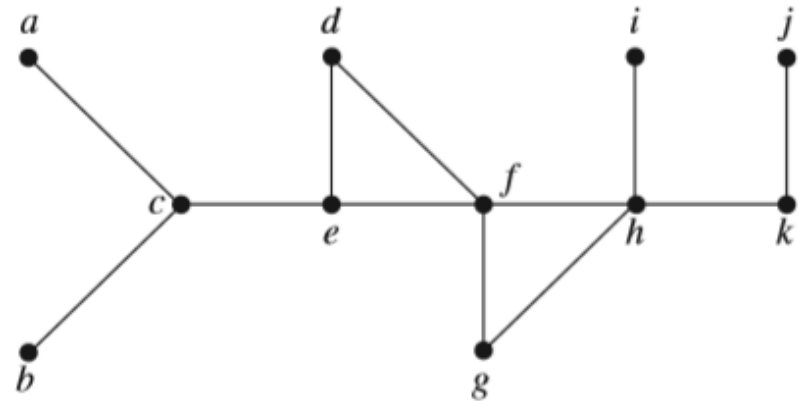


FIGURE 6 The Graph G .

Backtracking Applications

- ▶ Graph Colorings
- ▶ Then-Queens Problem
- ▶ Sums of Subsets

Graph Colorings - example

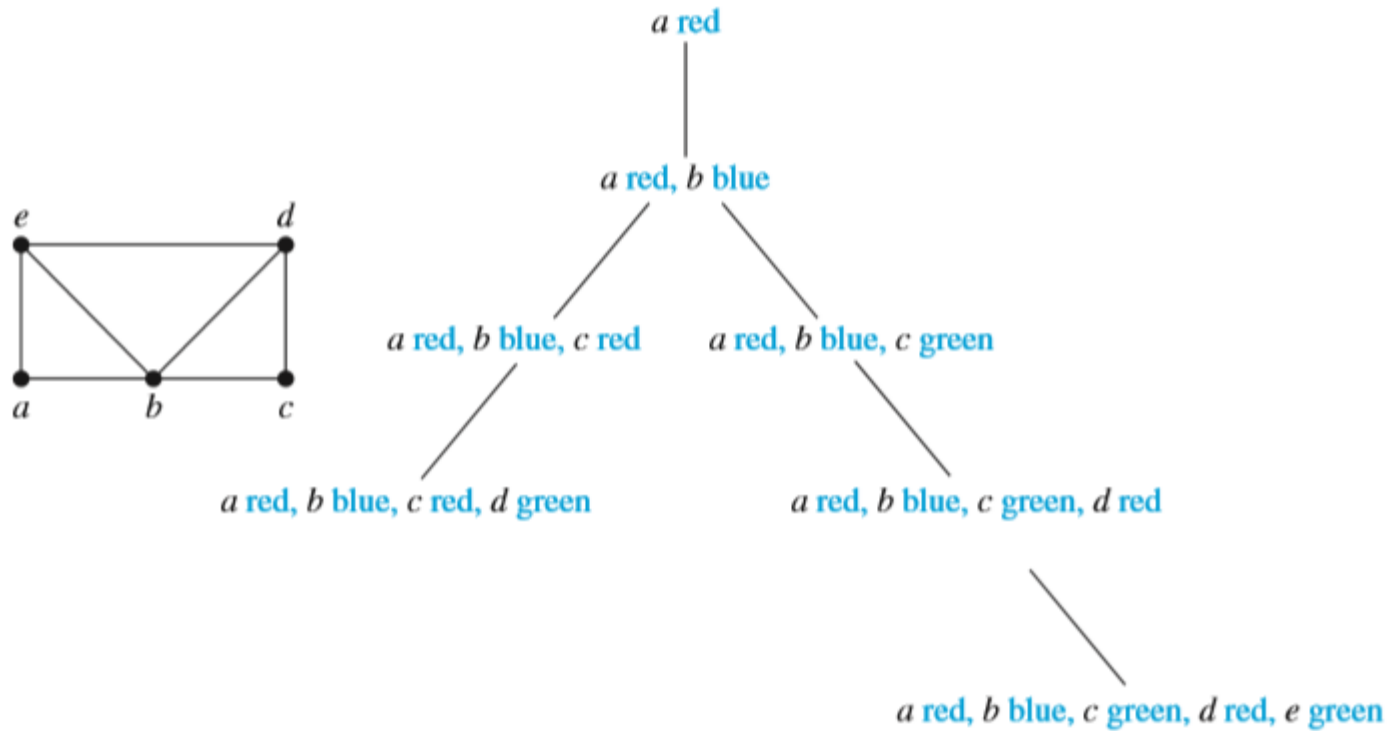


FIGURE 11 Coloring a Graph Using Backtracking.

The n-Queens Problem

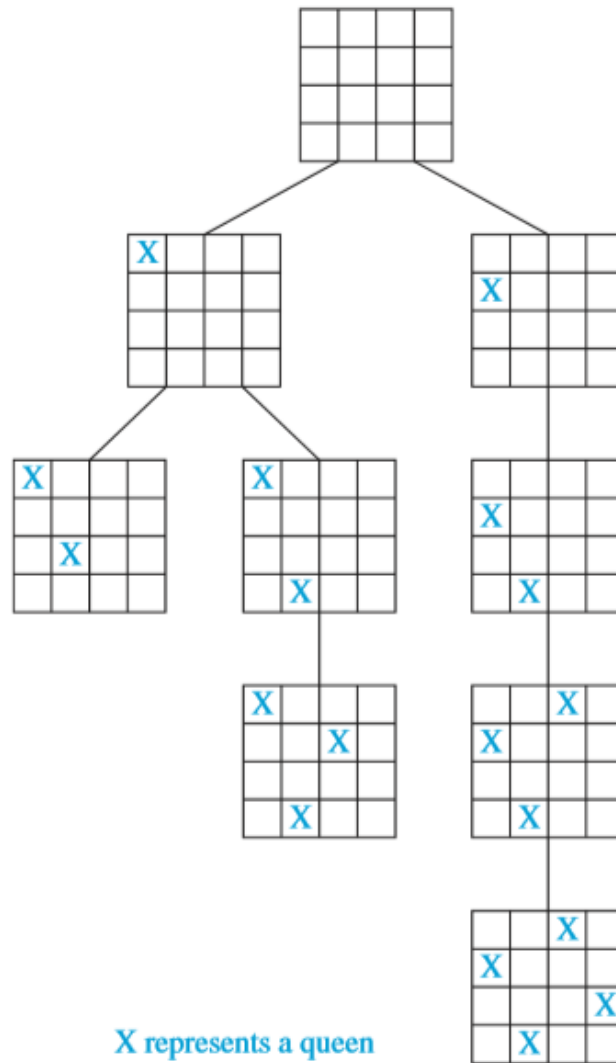


FIGURE 12 A Backtracking Solution of the Four-Queens Problem.

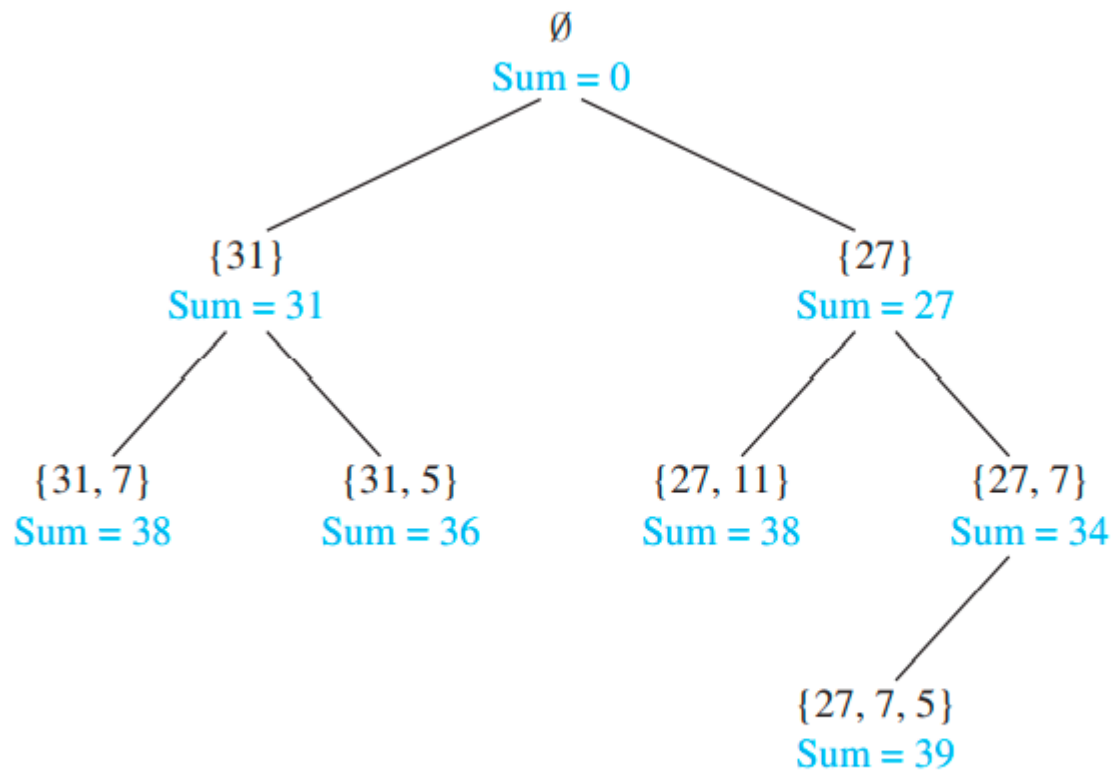


FIGURE 13 Find a Sum Equal to 39 Using Backtracking.

Breadth-First Search

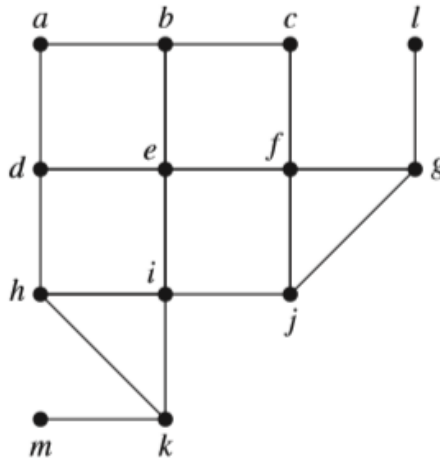


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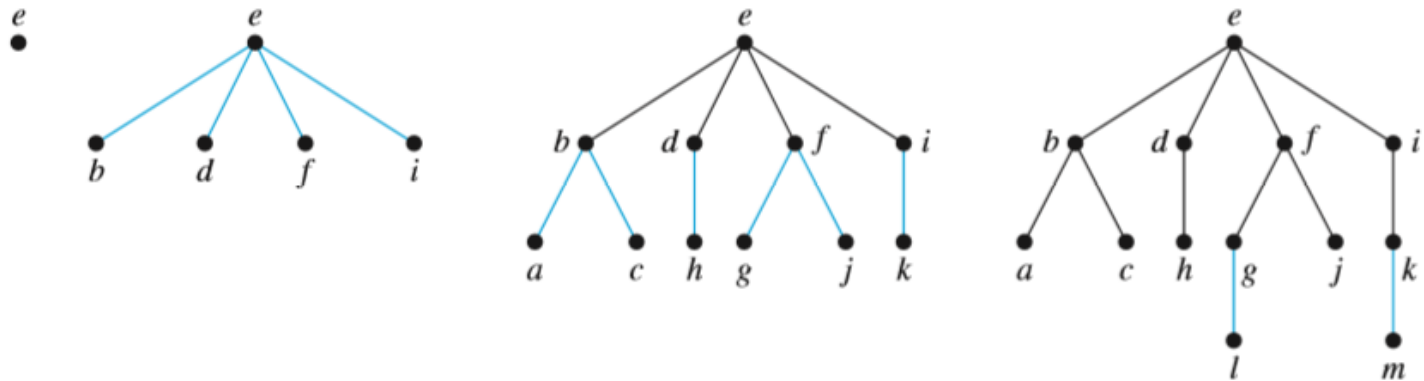


FIGURE 10 Breadth-First Search of G .

ALGORITHM 2 Breadth-First Search.

```
procedure BFS ( $G$ : connected graph with vertices  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n$ )  
   $T :=$  tree consisting only of vertex  $v_1$   
   $L :=$  empty list  
  put  $v_1$  in the list  $L$  of unprocessed vertices  
  while  $L$  is not empty  
    remove the first vertex,  $v$ , from  $L$   
    for each neighbor  $w$  of  $v$   
      if  $w$  is not in  $L$  and not in  $T$  then  
        add  $w$  to the end of the list  $L$   
        add  $w$  and edge  $\{v, w\}$  to  $T$ 
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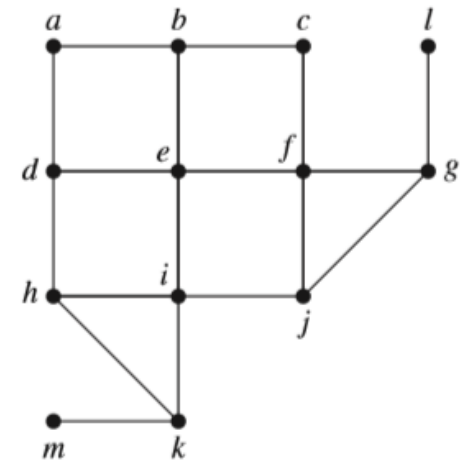


FIGURE 9 A Graph G .

Minimum Spanning Trees

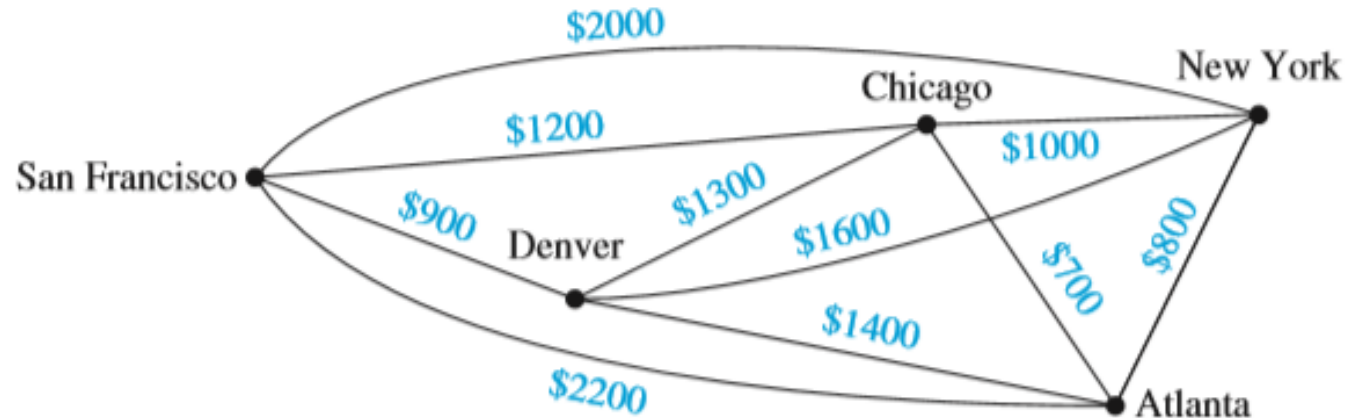


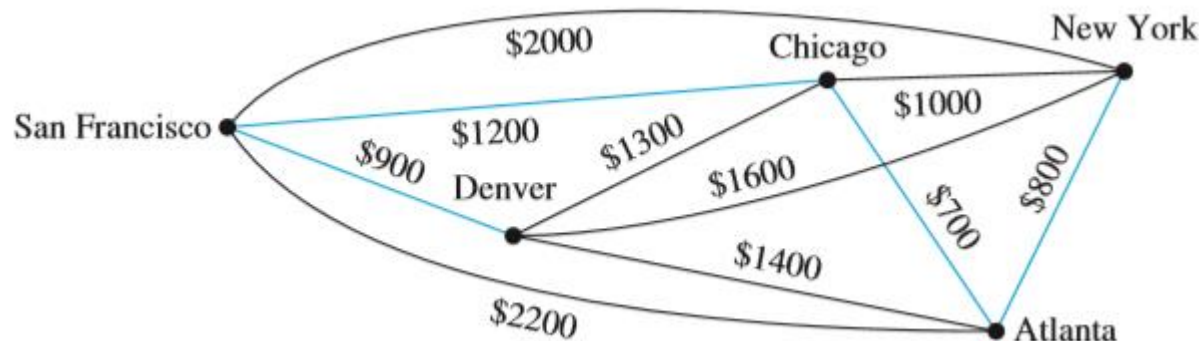
FIGURE 1 A Weighted Graph Showing Monthly Lease Costs for Lines in a Computer Network.

Which links should be made to ensure that there is a path between any two computer centers so that the total cost of the network is minimized?

→ minimum spanning tree: a spanning tree that has the smallest possible sum of weights of its edges.

Algorithms for Minimum Spanning Trees

- ▶ Prim's algorithm (1957 by Robert Prim) (originally discovered by Vojtech Jarník in 1930).
- ▶ Choosing any edge with smallest weight, putting it into the spanning tree.
- ▶ Add to the tree edges of minimum weight that are incident to a vertex already in the tree, never forming a simple circuit with those edges already in the tree.
- ▶ Stop when $n-1$ edges have been added.



Choice	Edge	Cost
1	{Chicago, Atlanta}	\$ 700
2	{Atlanta, New York}	\$ 800
3	{Chicago, San Francisco}	\$ 1200
4	{San Francisco, Denver}	\$ 900
Total:		\$3600

ALGORITHM 1 Prim's Algorithm.

```

procedure Prim( $G$ : weighted connected undirected graph with  $n$  vertices)
   $T :=$  a minimum-weight edge
  for  $i := 1$  to  $n - 2$ 
     $e :=$  an edge of minimum weight incident to a vertex in  $T$  and not forming a
      simple circuit in  $T$  if added to  $T$ 
     $T := T$  with  $e$  added
  return  $T$  { $T$  is a minimum spanning tree of  $G$ }
  
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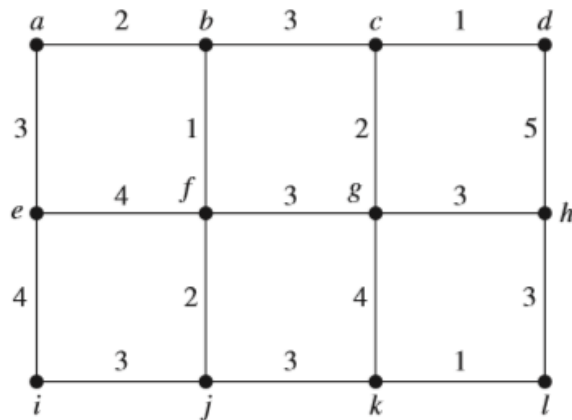


FIGURE 3 A Weighted Graph.

Choice	Edge	Weight
1	$\{b, f\}$	1
2	$\{a, b\}$	2
3	$\{f, j\}$	2
4	$\{a, e\}$	3
5	$\{i, j\}$	3
6	$\{f, g\}$	3
7	$\{c, g\}$	2
8	$\{c, d\}$	1
9	$\{g, h\}$	3
10	$\{h, l\}$	3
11	$\{k, l\}$	1

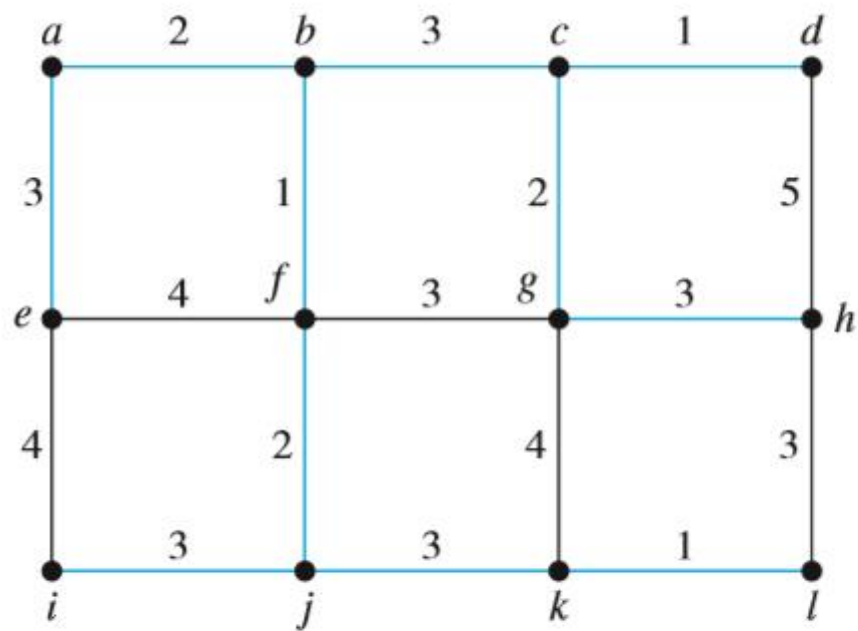
Total: 24

Kruskal's algorithm (by Joseph Kruskal in 1956)

- ▶ Choose an edge in the graph with minimum weight.
- ▶ Add edges with minimum weight that do not form a simple circuit with those edges already chosen.
- ▶ Stop after $n-1$ edges have been selected.

ALGORITHM 2 Kruskal's Algorithm.

```
procedure Kruskal( $G$ : weighted connected undirected graph with  $n$  vertices)  
   $T :=$  empty graph  
  for  $i := 1$  to  $n - 1$   
     $e :=$  any edge in  $G$  with smallest weight that does not form a simple circuit  
      when added to  $T$   
     $T := T$  with  $e$  added  
  return  $T$  { $T$  is a minimum spanning tree of  $G$ }
```



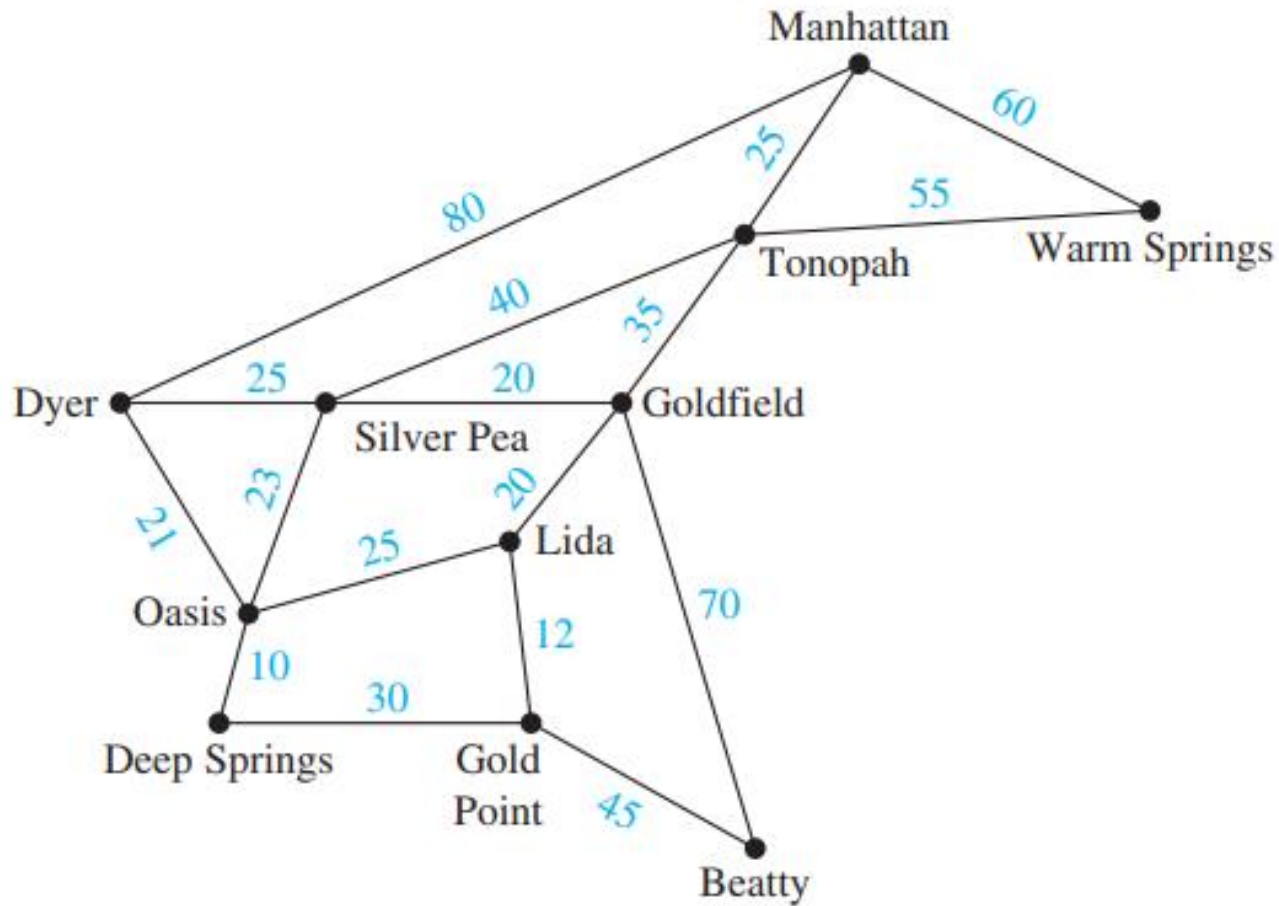
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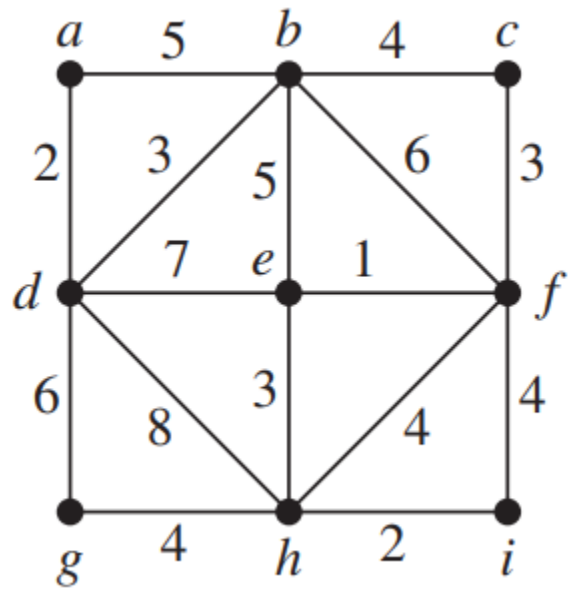
Choice	Edge	Weight
1	$\{c, d\}$	1
2	$\{k, l\}$	1
3	$\{b, f\}$	1
4	$\{c, g\}$	2
5	$\{a, b\}$	2
6	$\{f, j\}$	2
7	$\{b, c\}$	3
8	$\{j, k\}$	3
9	$\{g, h\}$	3
10	$\{i, j\}$	3
11	$\{a, e\}$	3

Total: 24

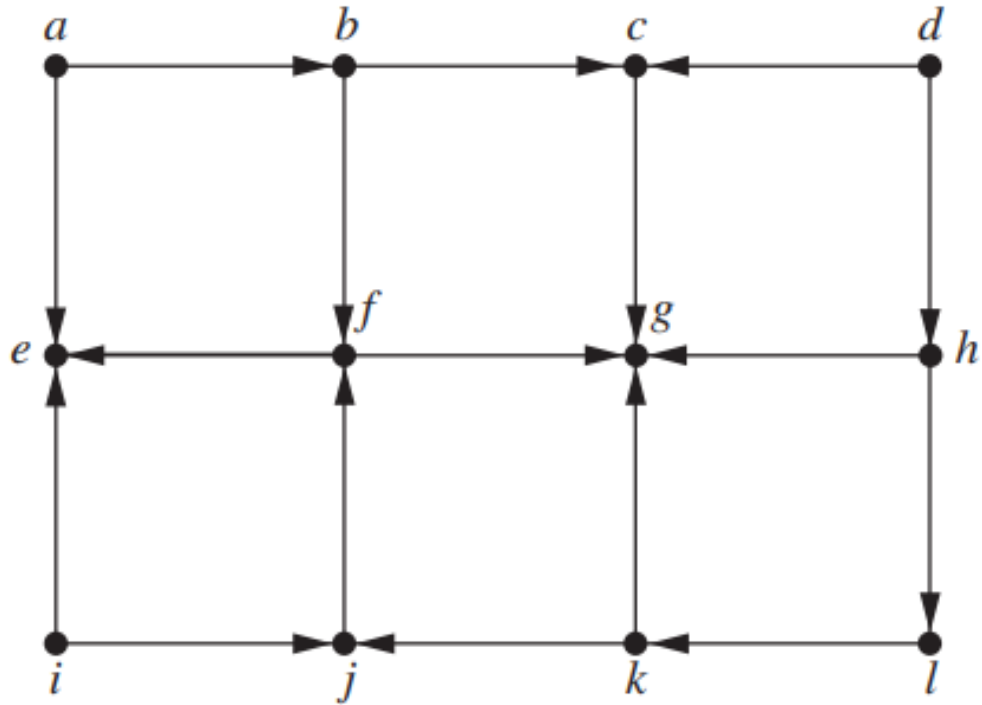
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FIGURE 5 A Minimum Spanning Tree Produced by Kruskal's Algorithm.





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