

Max-Heaps

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 - **Extract_Max(S):** returns $\text{Max}(S)$ and removes it from S .



An Application of Priority Queue

The OS can use a Priority Queue to maintain a set S of jobs and schedule them according to their priorities:

- When a new job x arrives, the OS does **Insert(S,x)**.
- When a processor becomes available to execute a job, the OS does **Extract_Max(S)**



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Goal: Data Structure that does each operation in $\Theta(\log n)$ time



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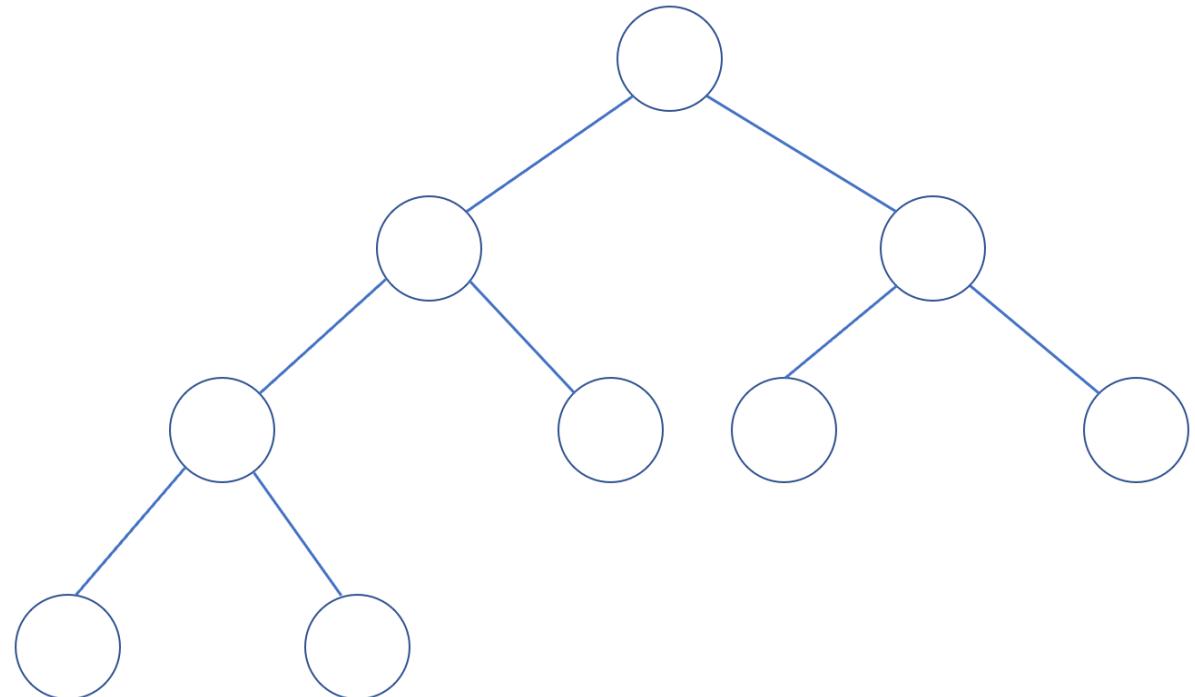


Visualizing Max-Heaps

Elements of Max-Heap are stored in a Complete Binary Tree.

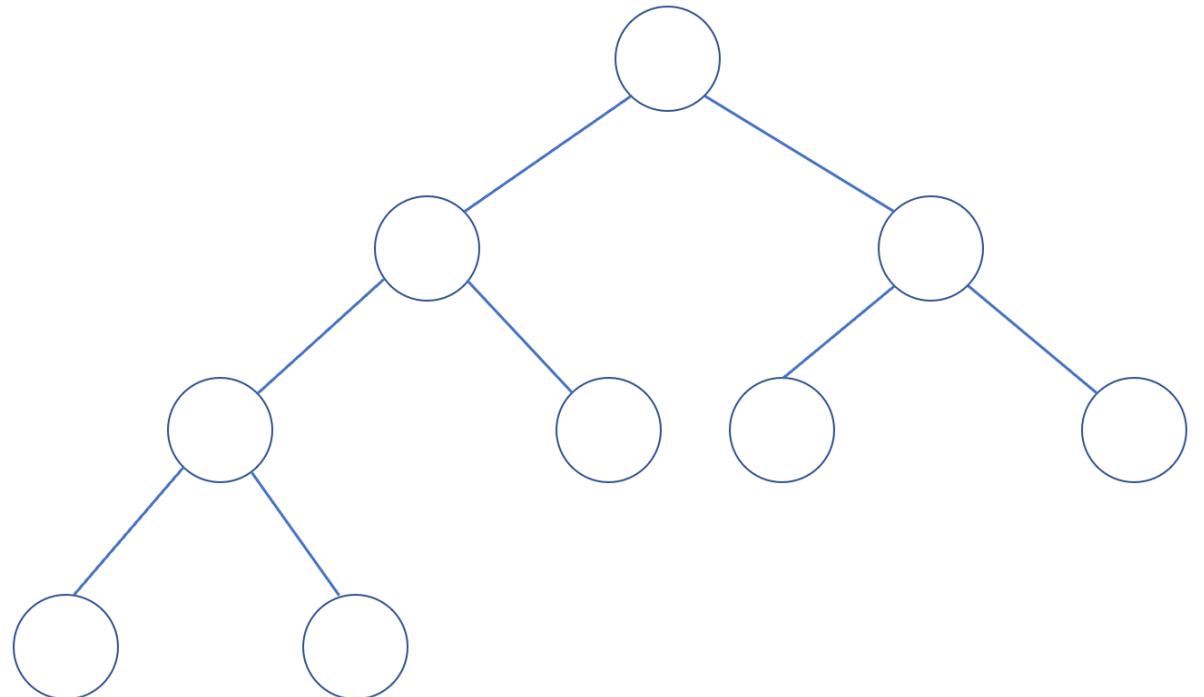


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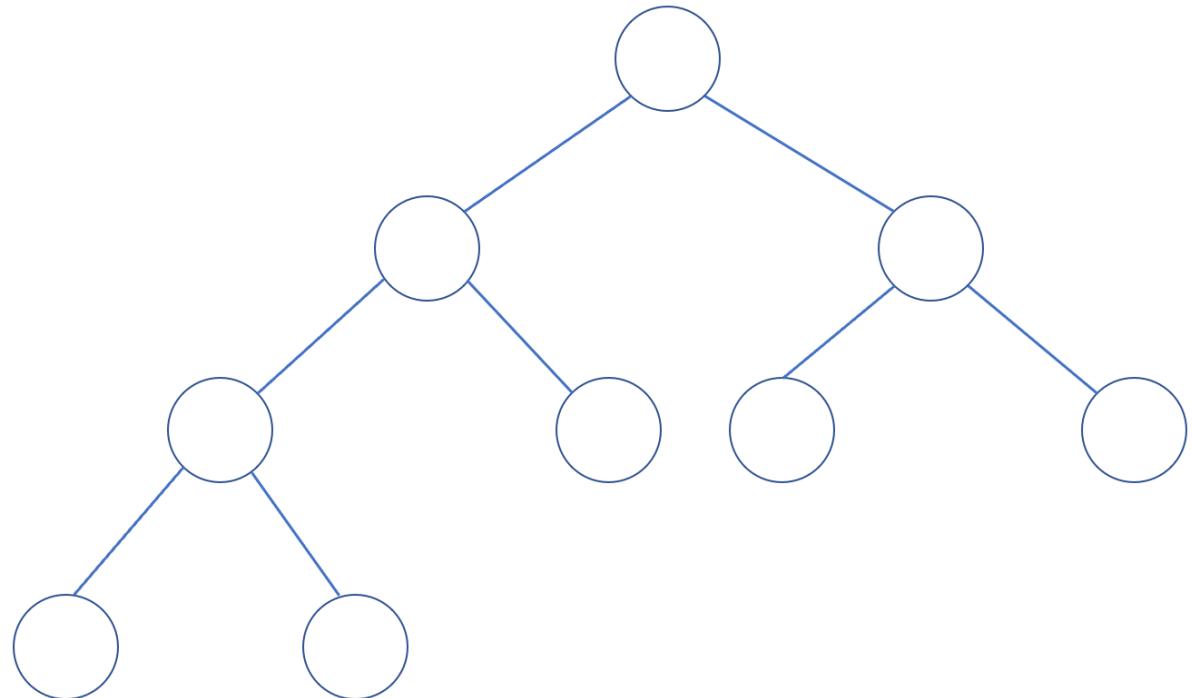
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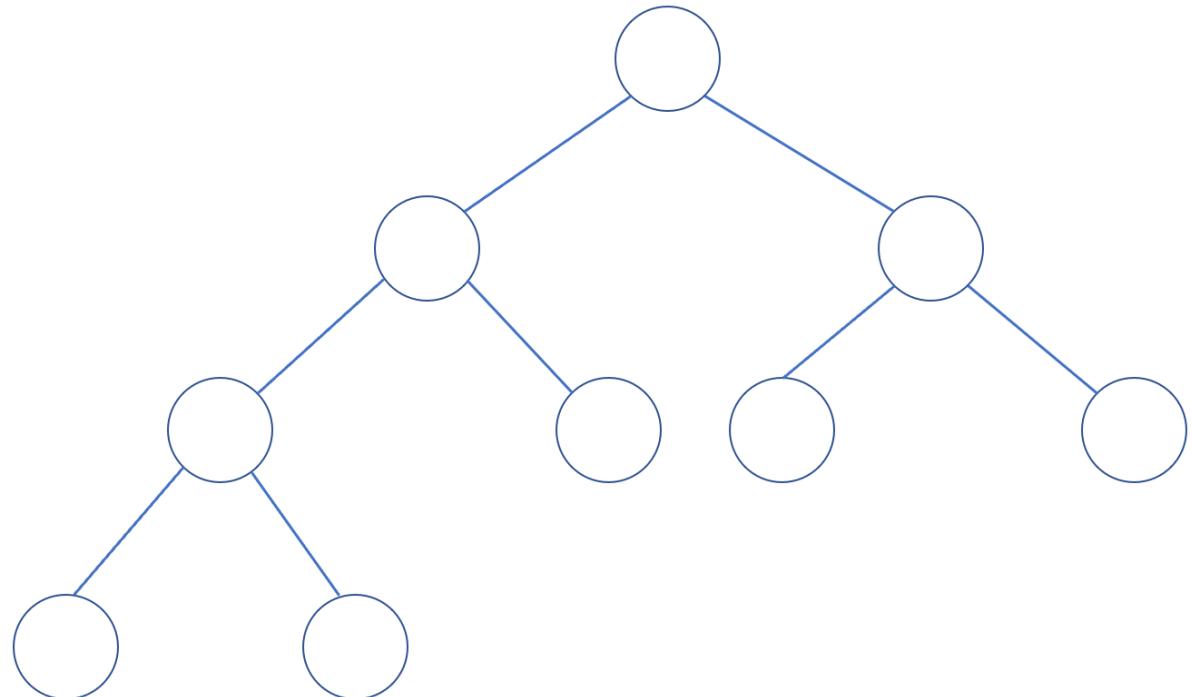
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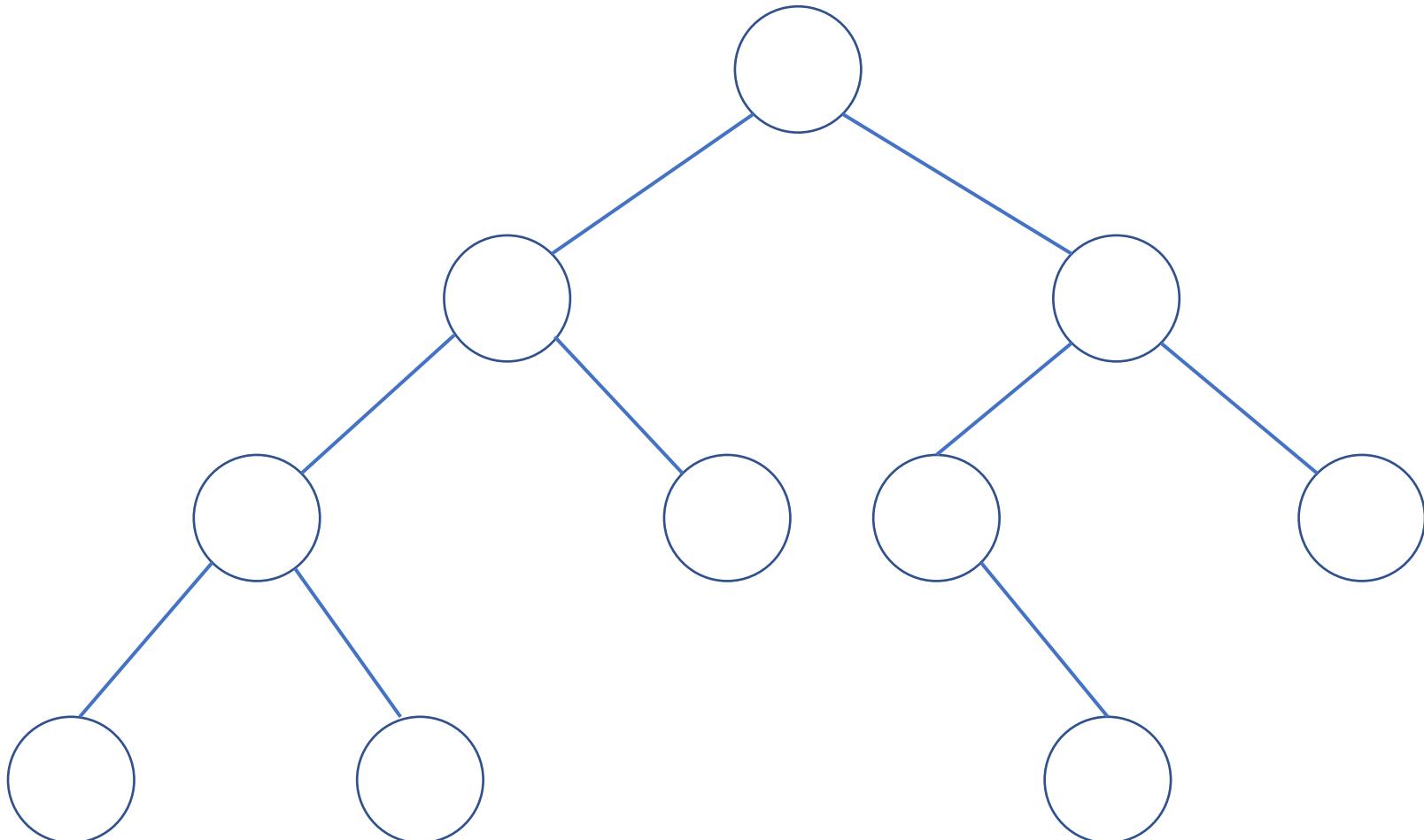


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- All the nodes in the bottom level are as far to the left as possible.



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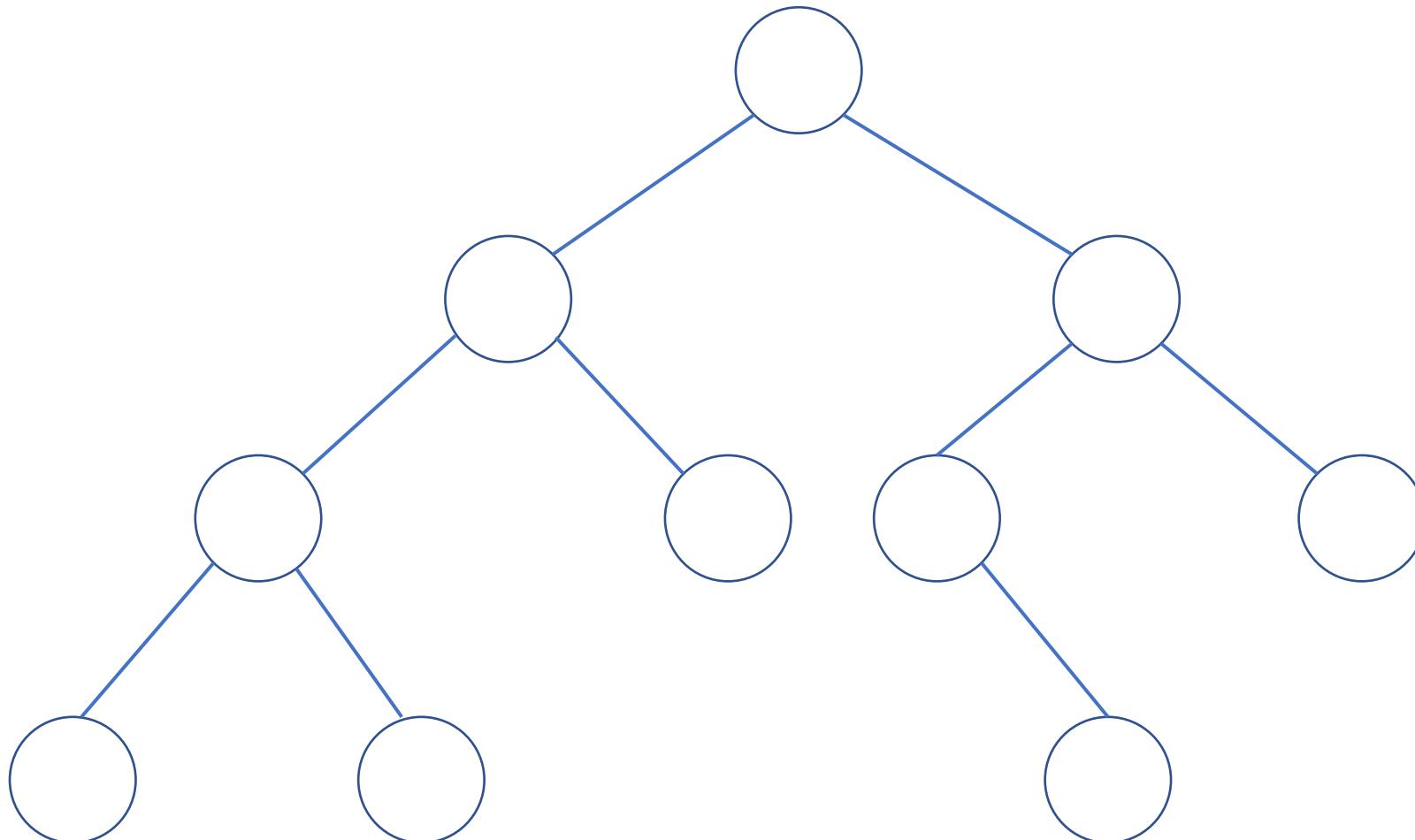


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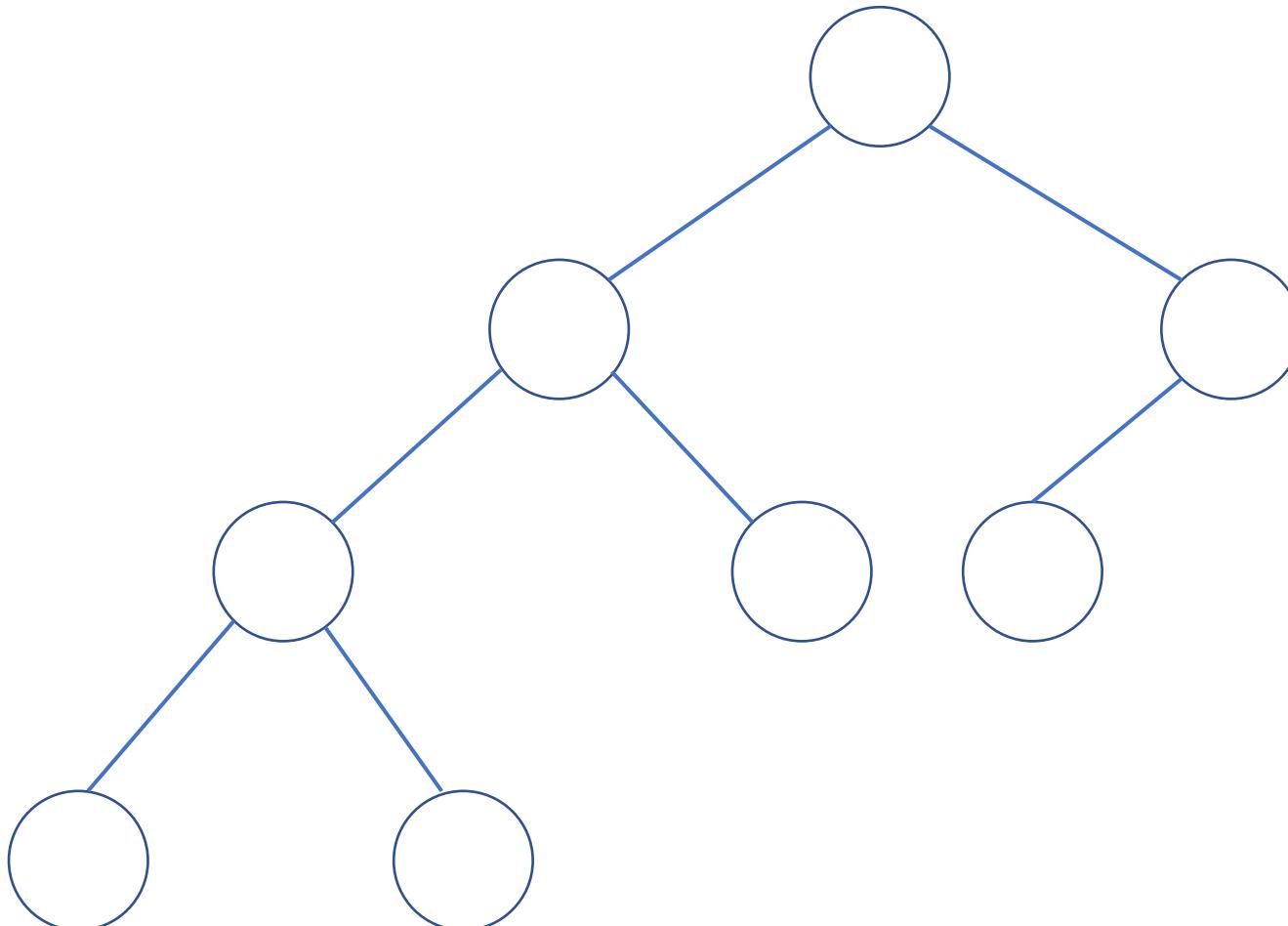


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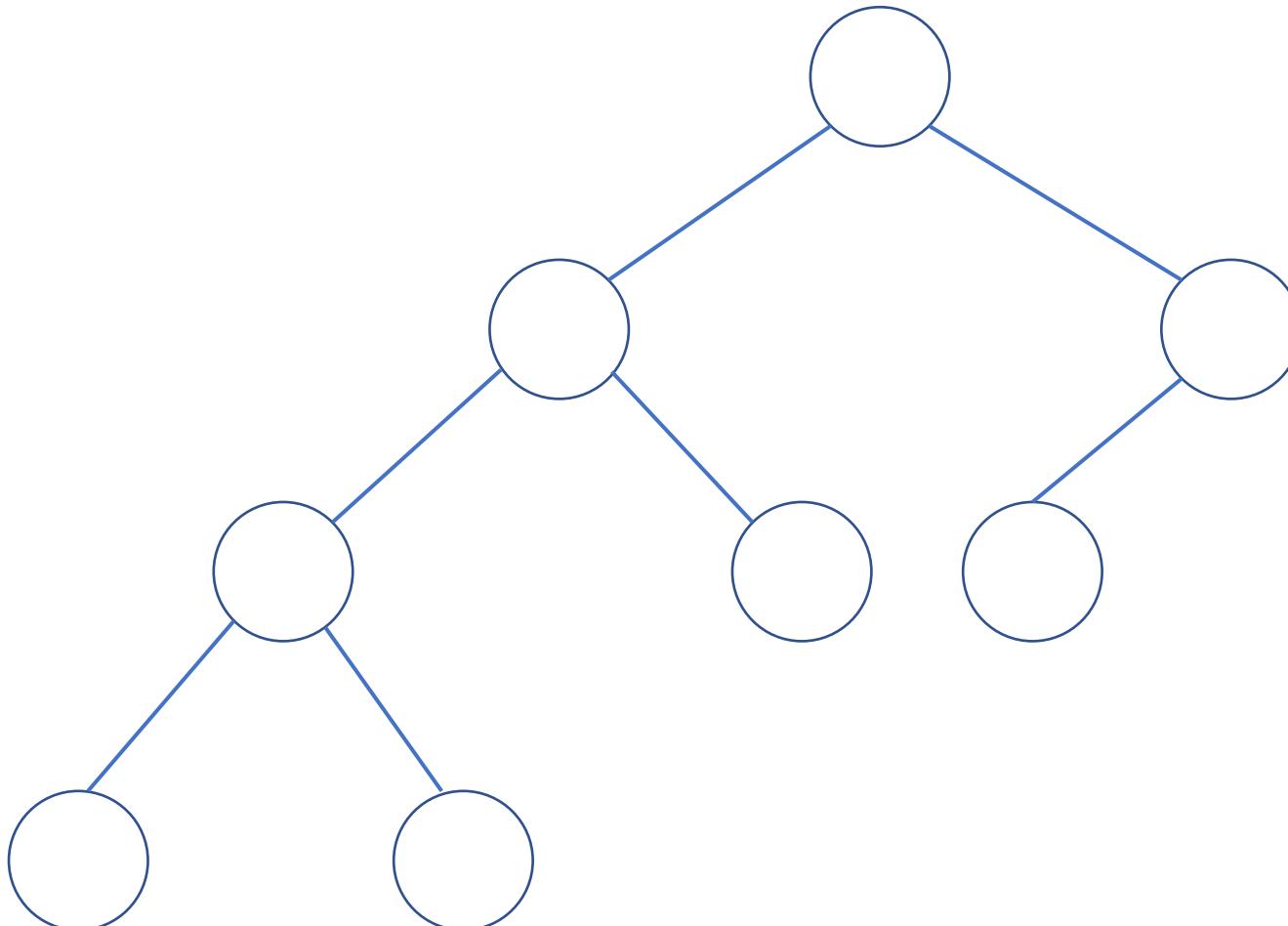


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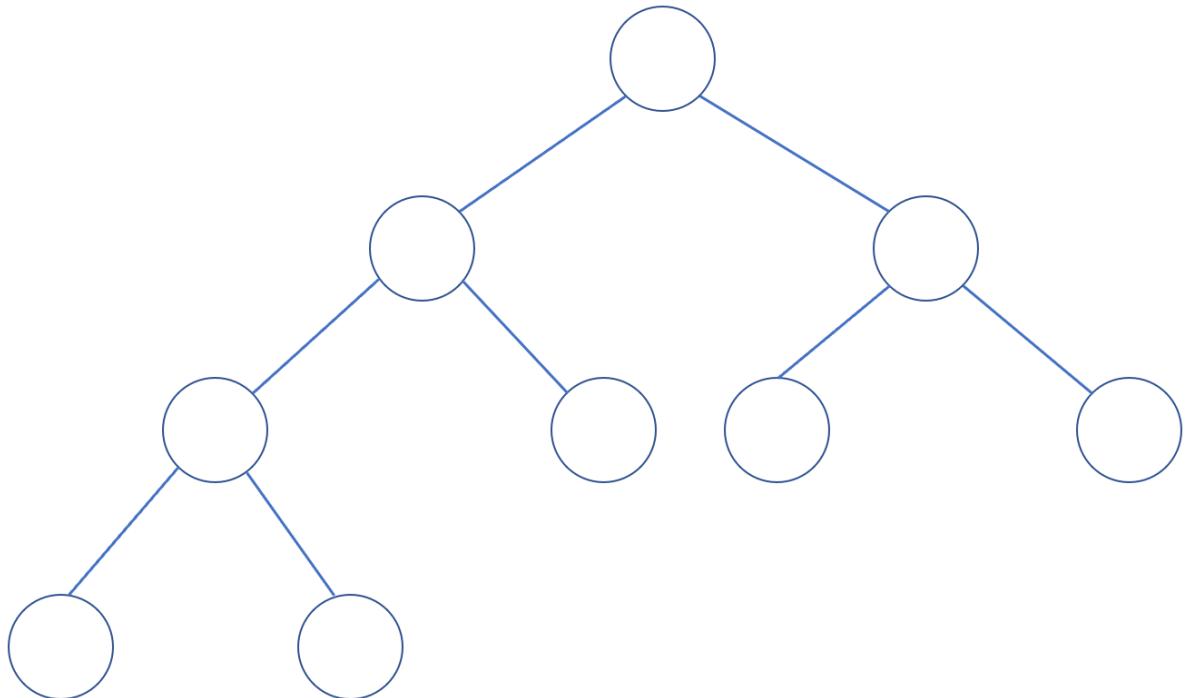


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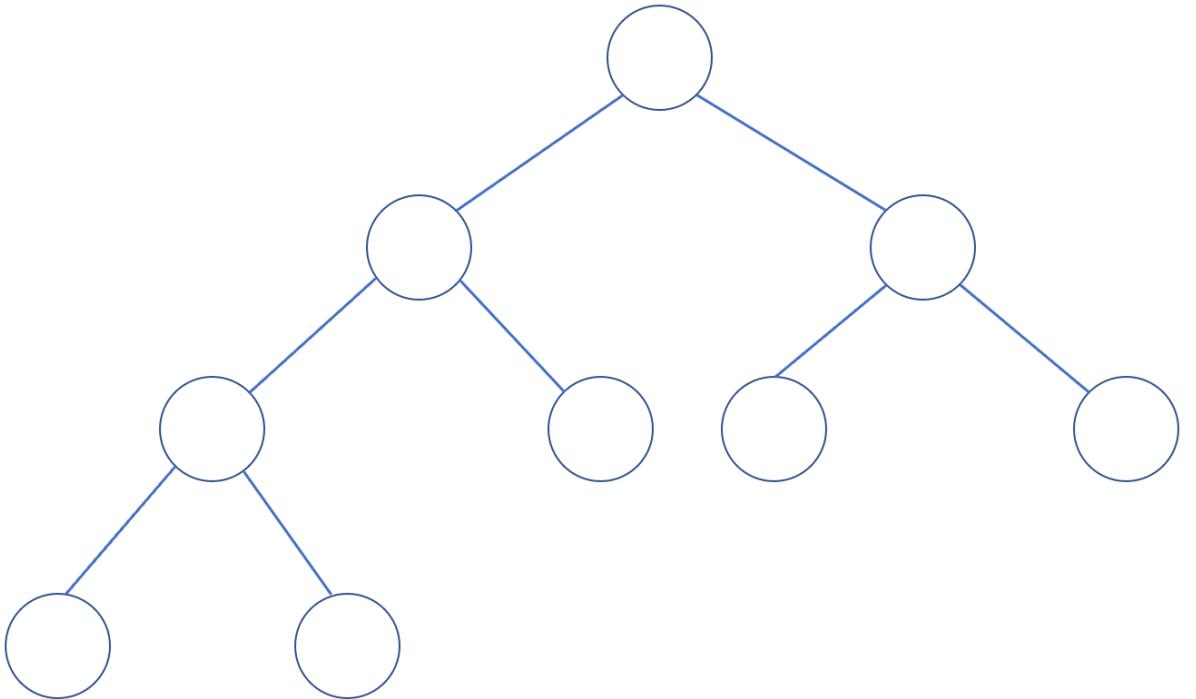


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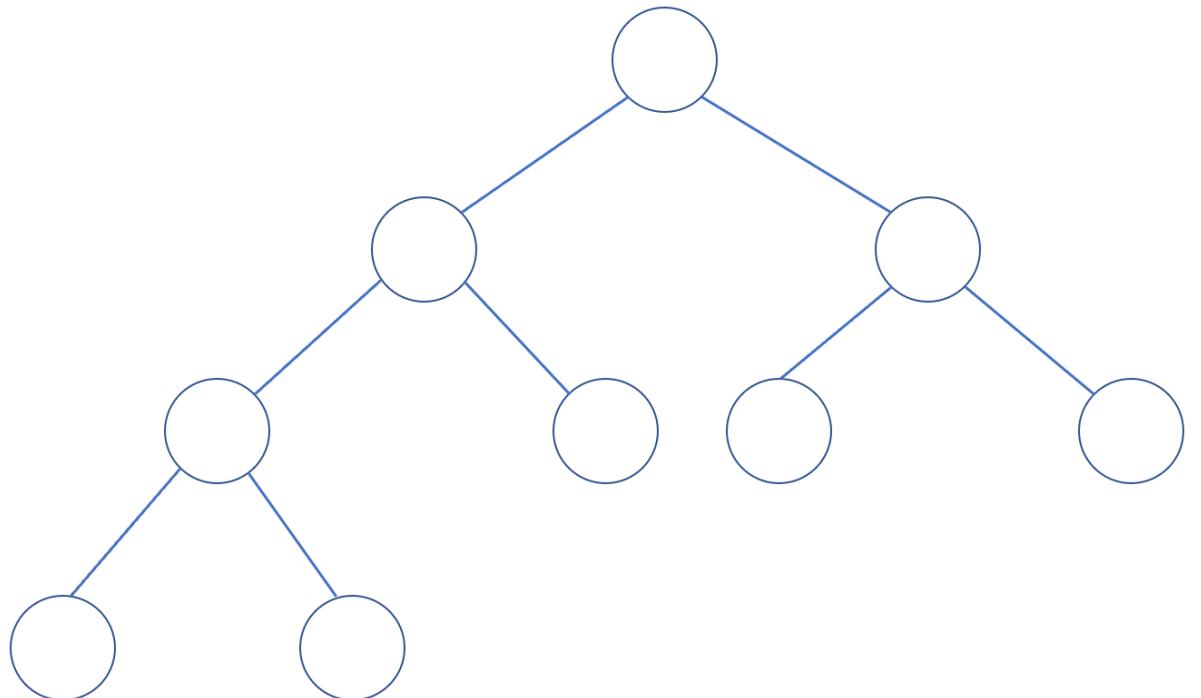
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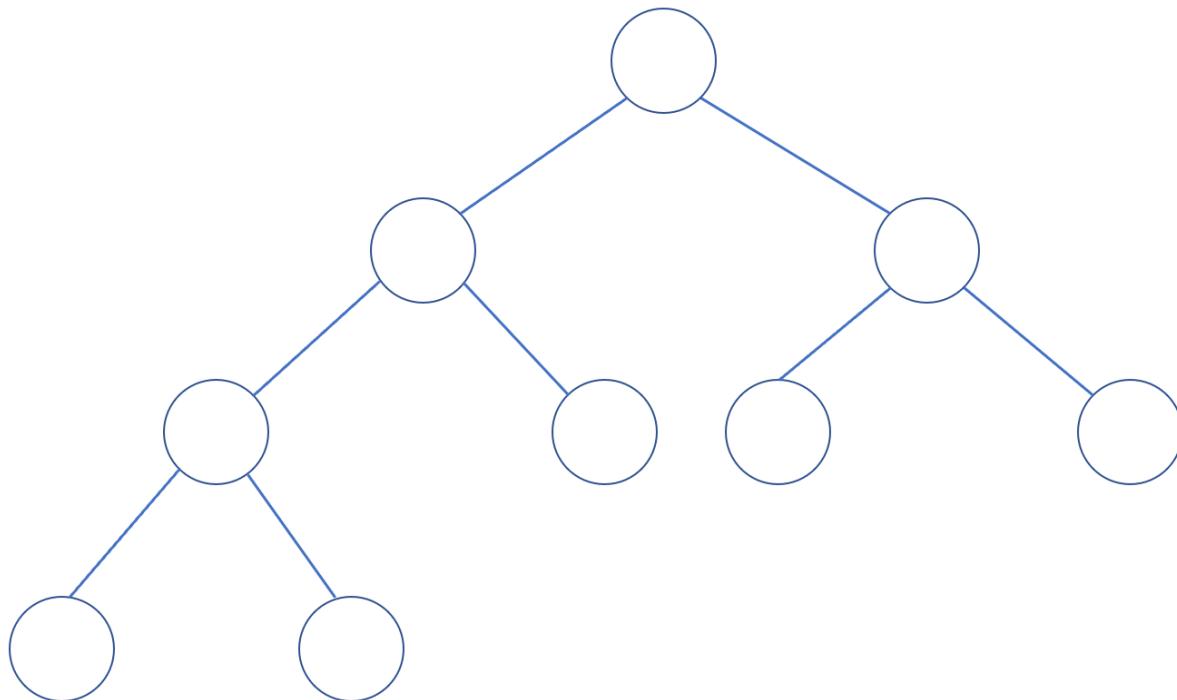
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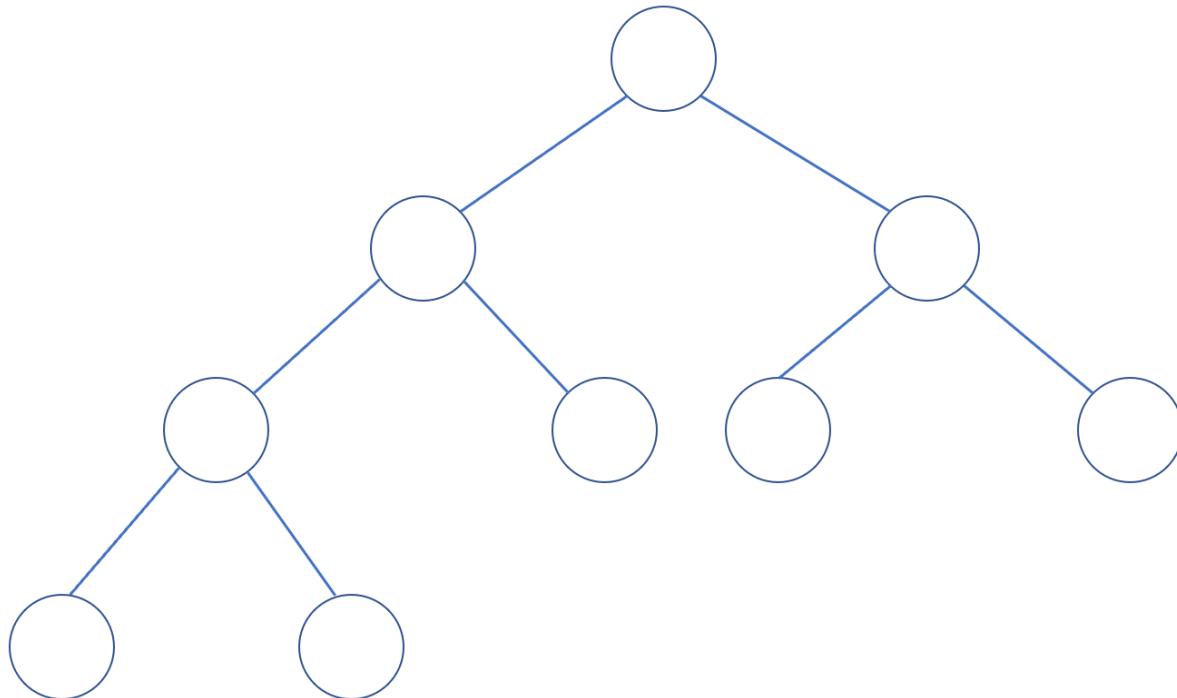
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Here $n = 9$, and height = $\lfloor \log_2 9 \rfloor = 3$

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Max-Heap: The n elements of a Max-Heap are stored in a CBT with n nodes such that the following property holds.

Max-Heap Property: Priority of each node \geq Priority of its children



Example of a Max-Heap

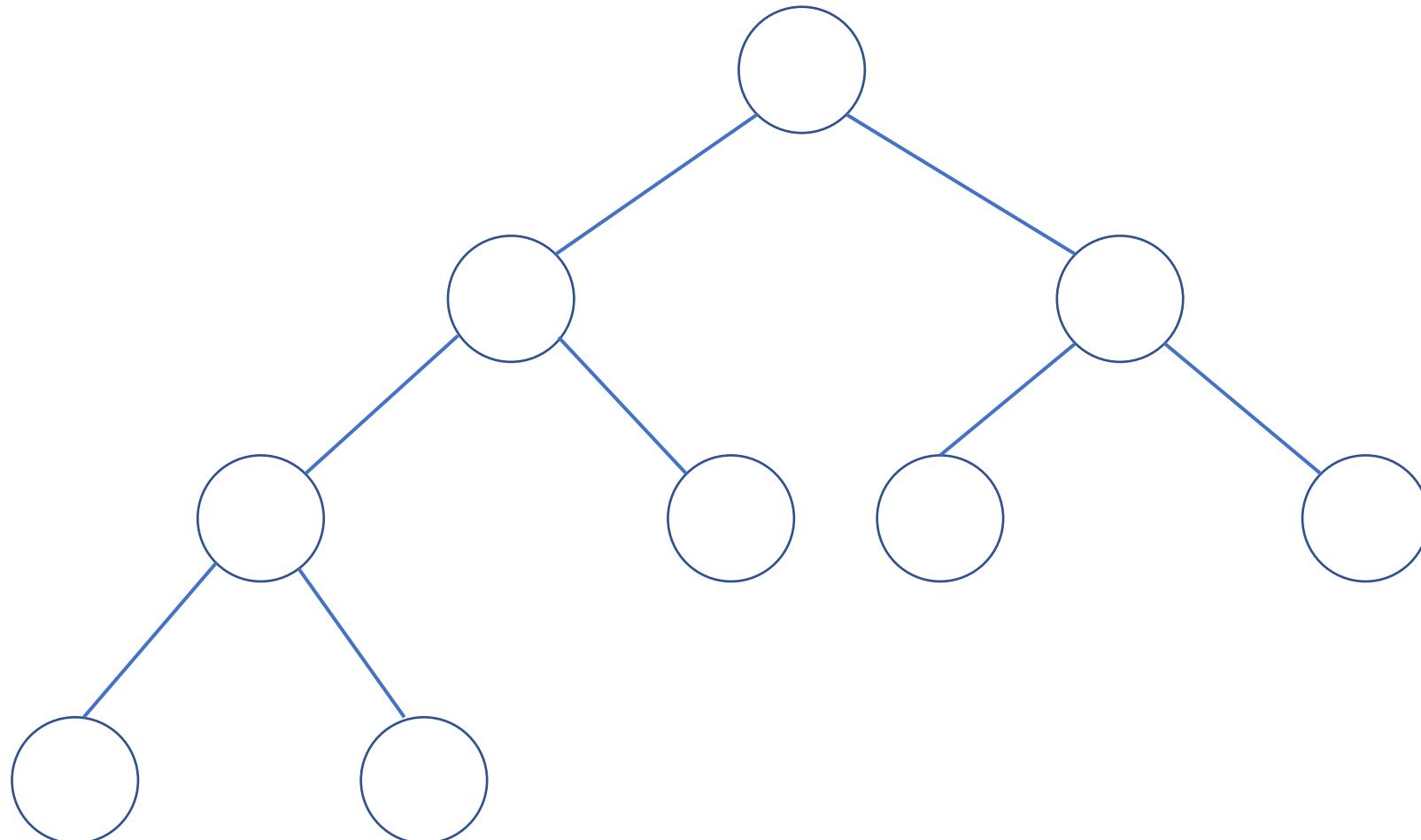
$S = \{3, 4, 5, 7, 7, 9, 9, 12, 17\}$

(for simplicity, we identify each element with its priority)



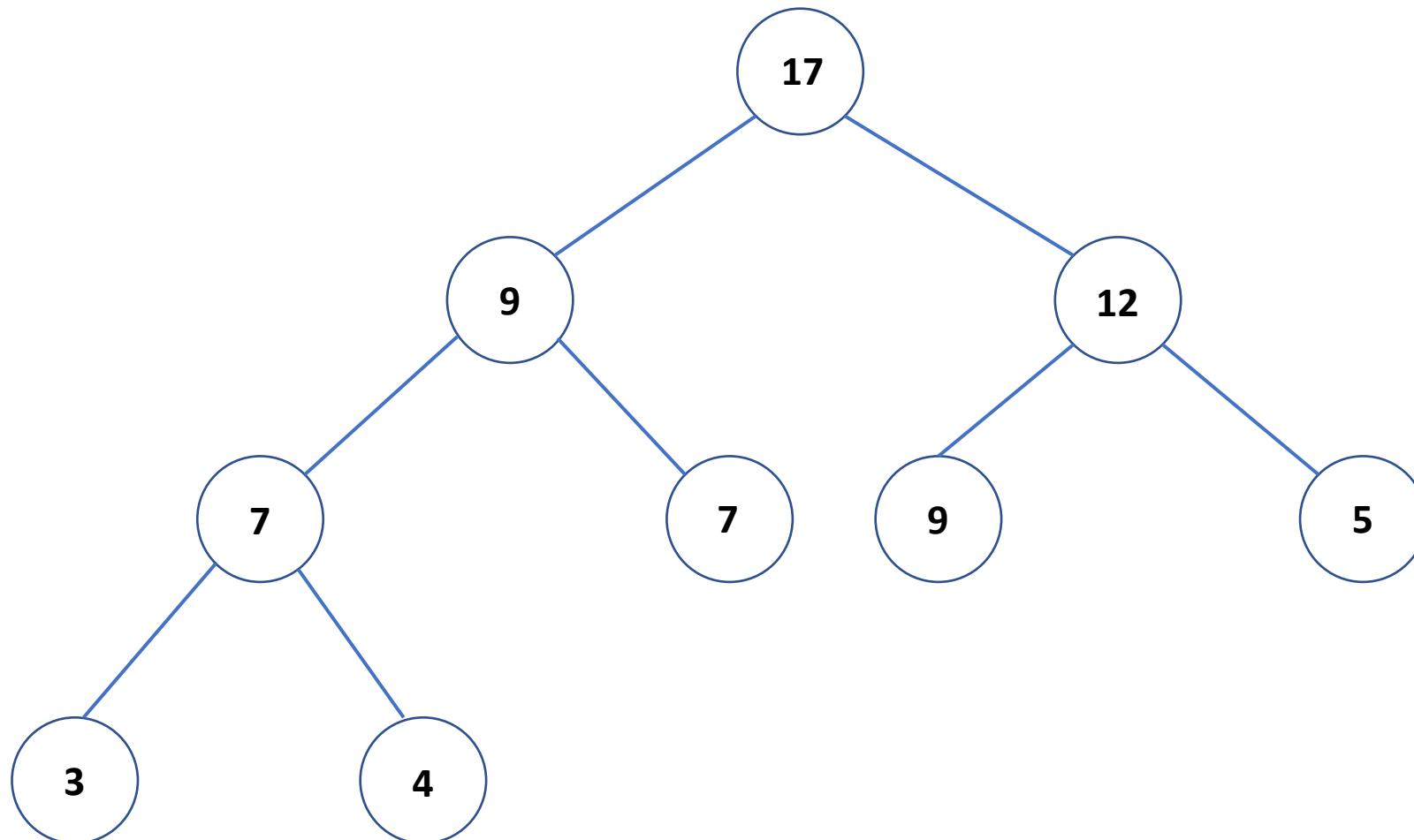
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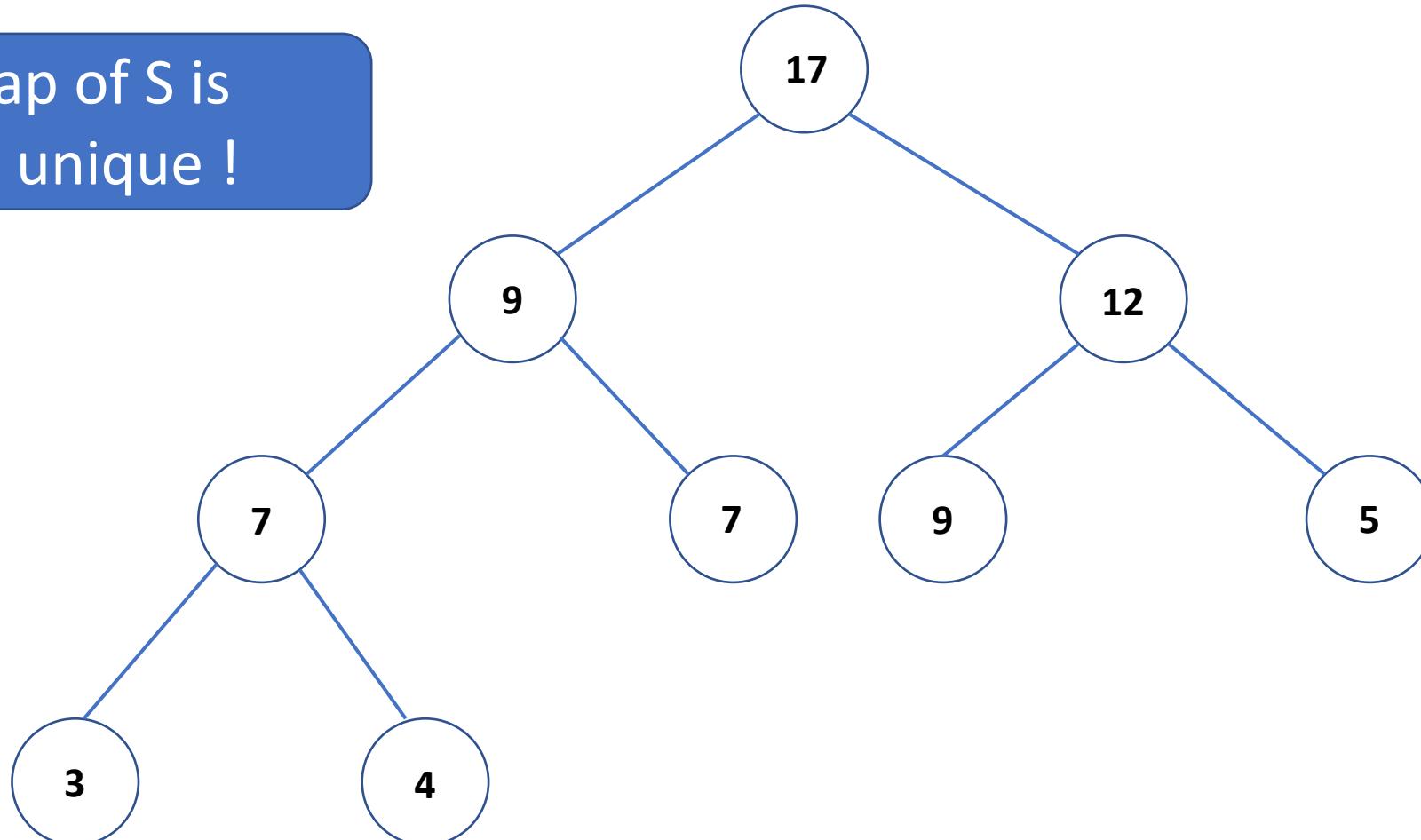
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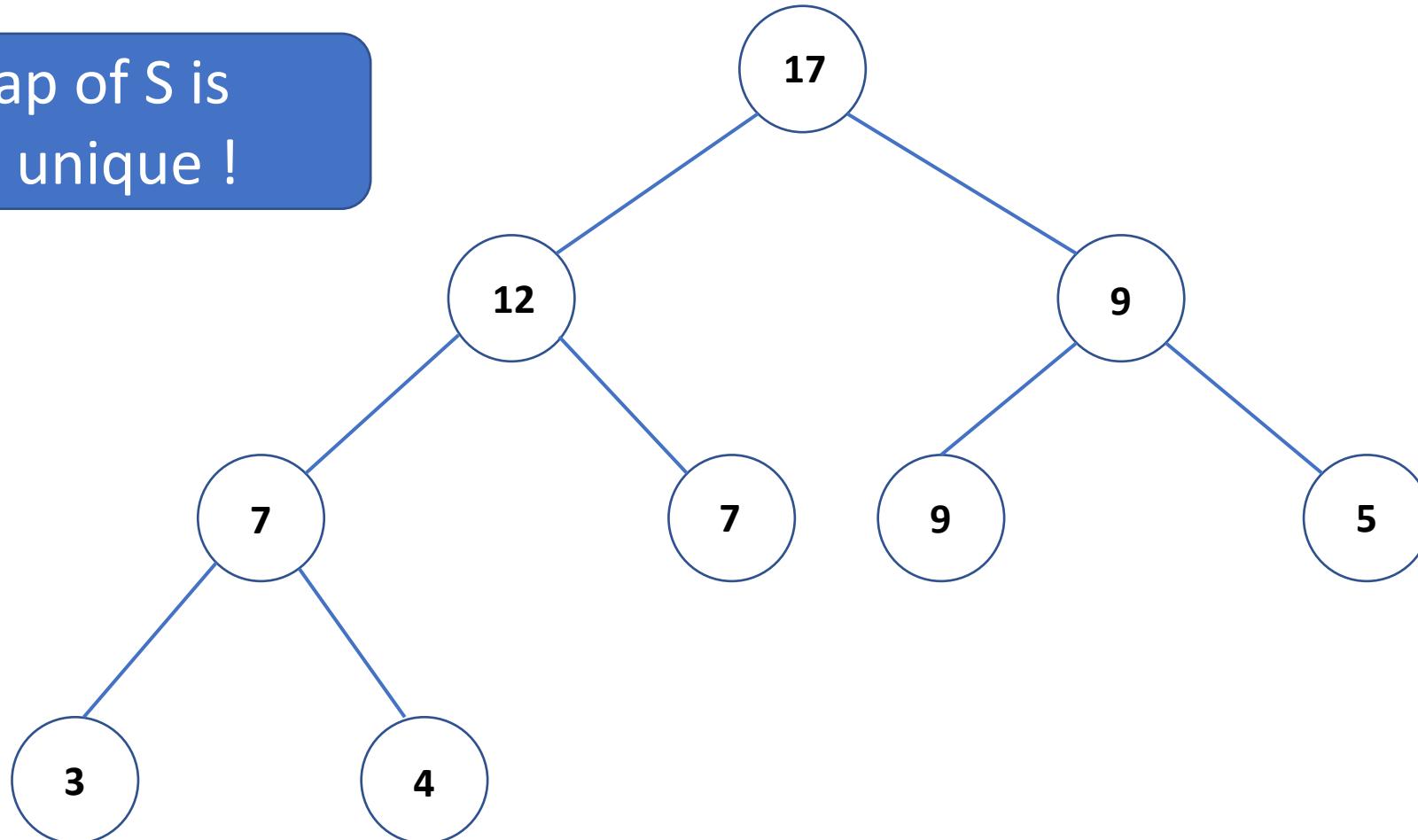
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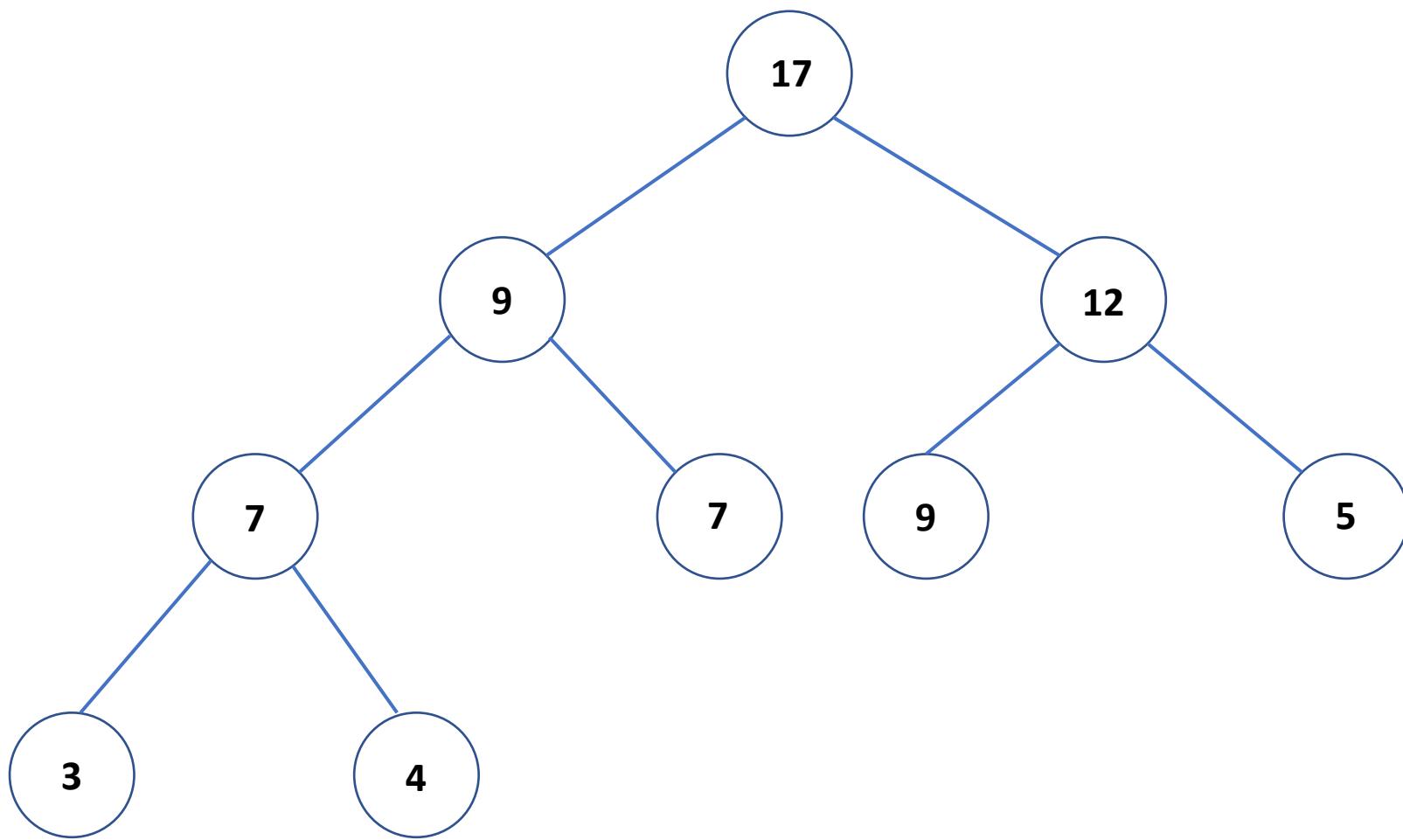
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Array Representation of a Heap

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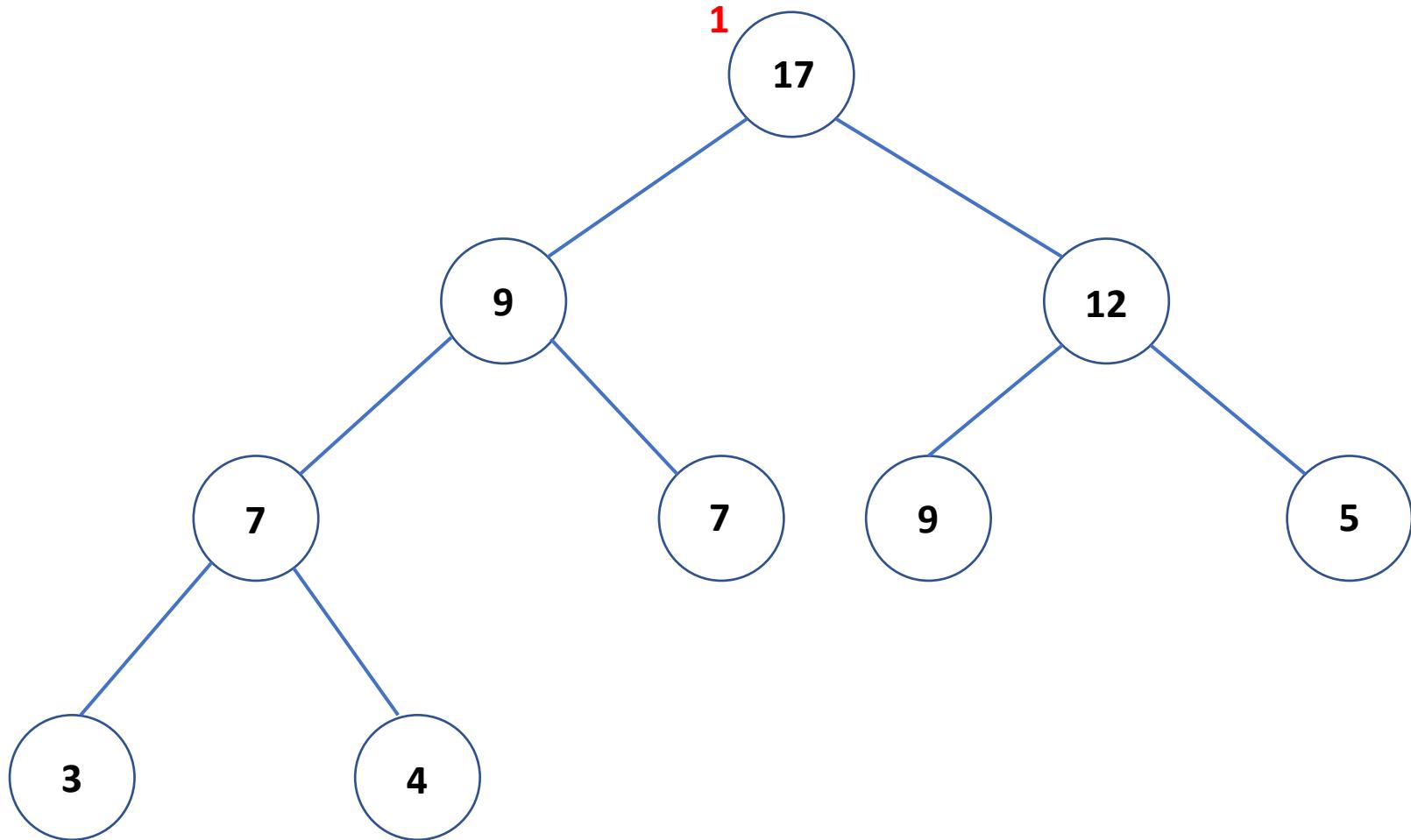
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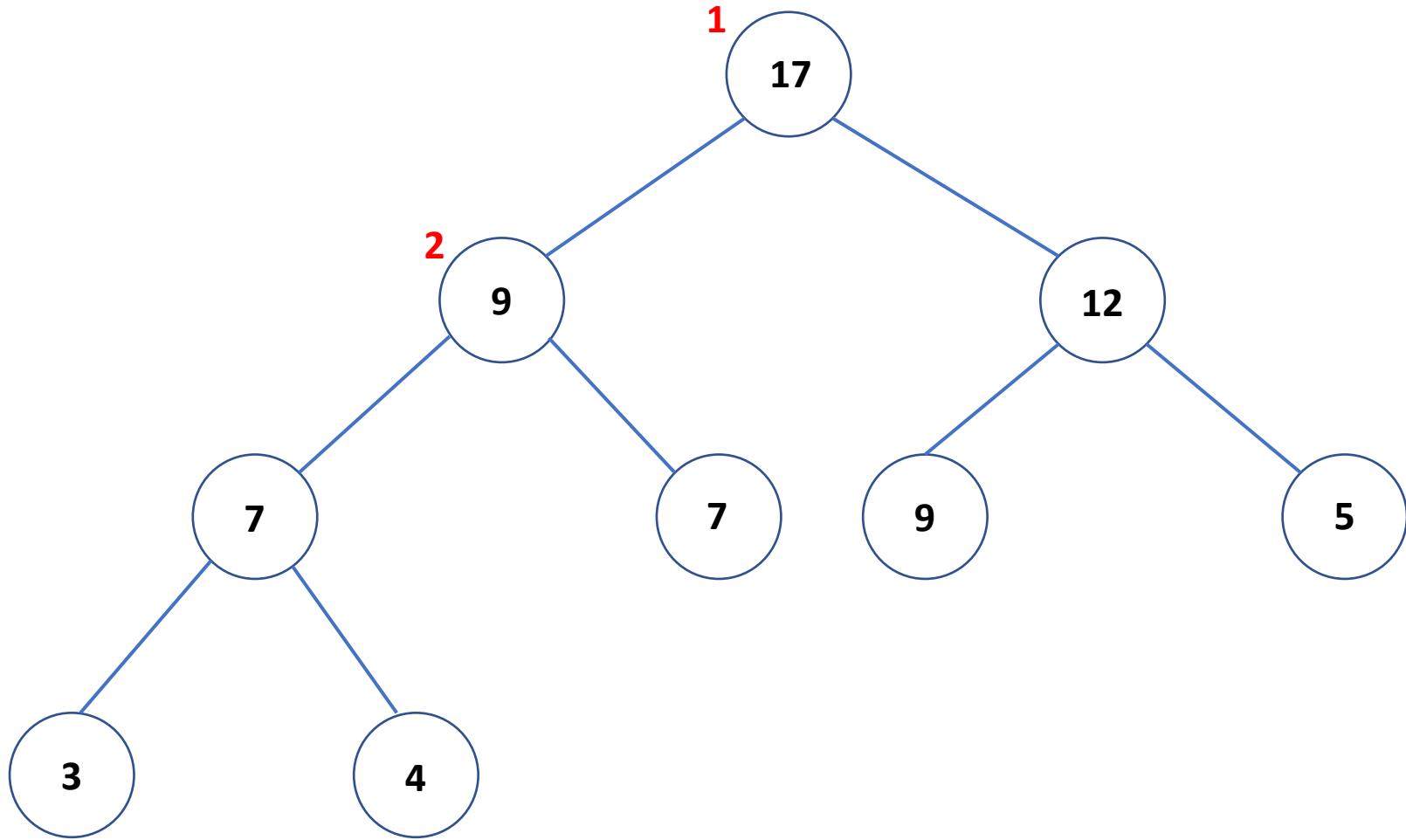
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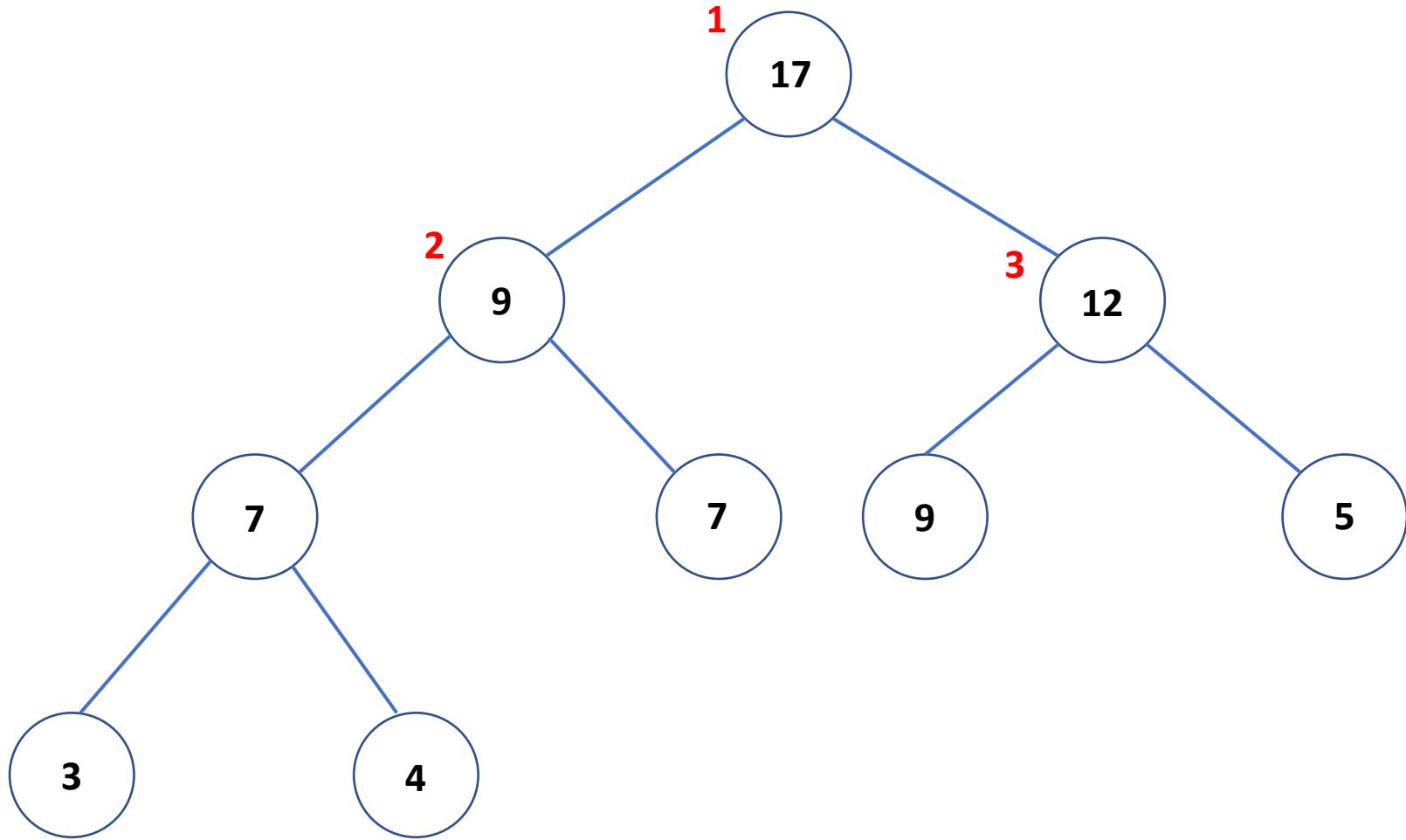
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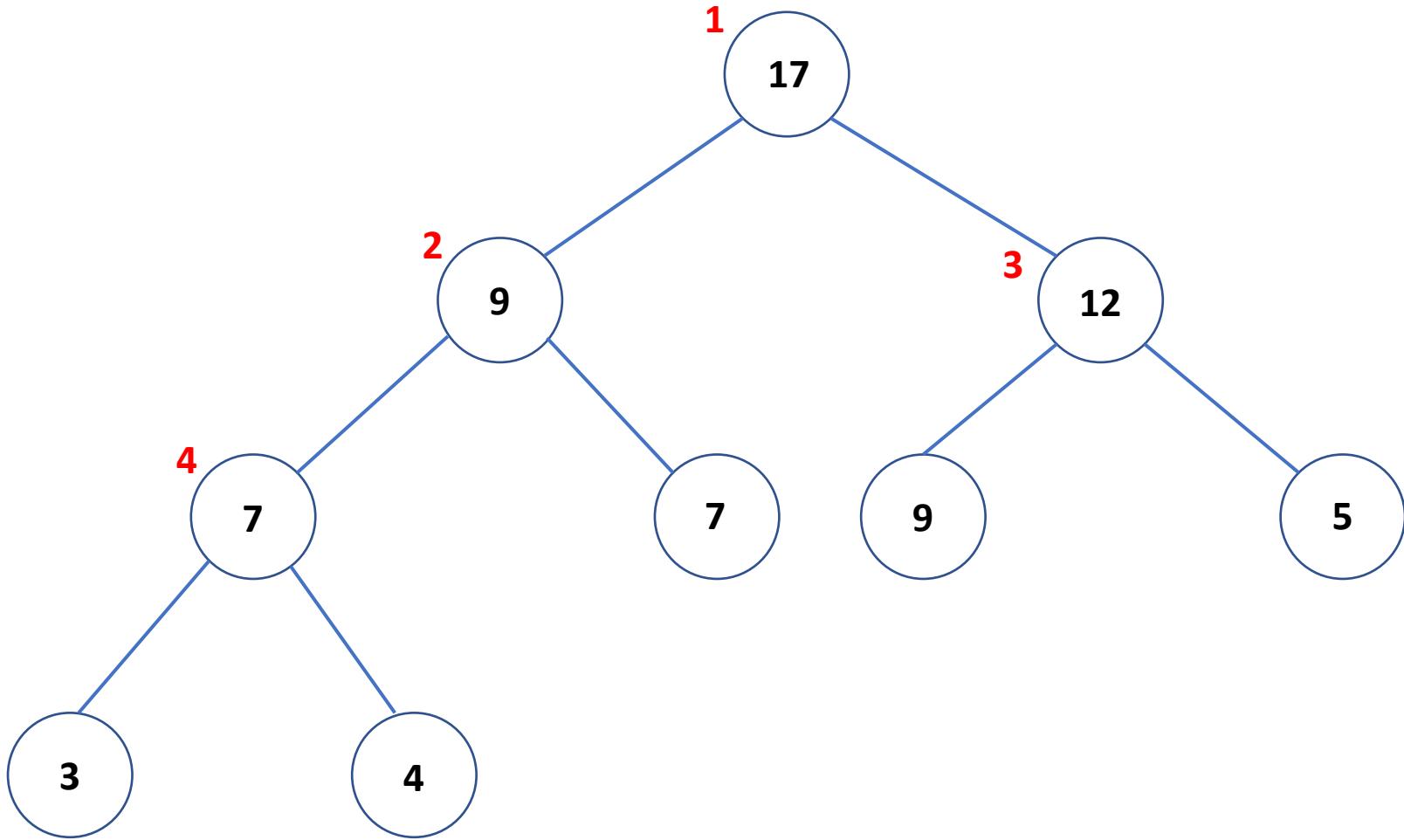
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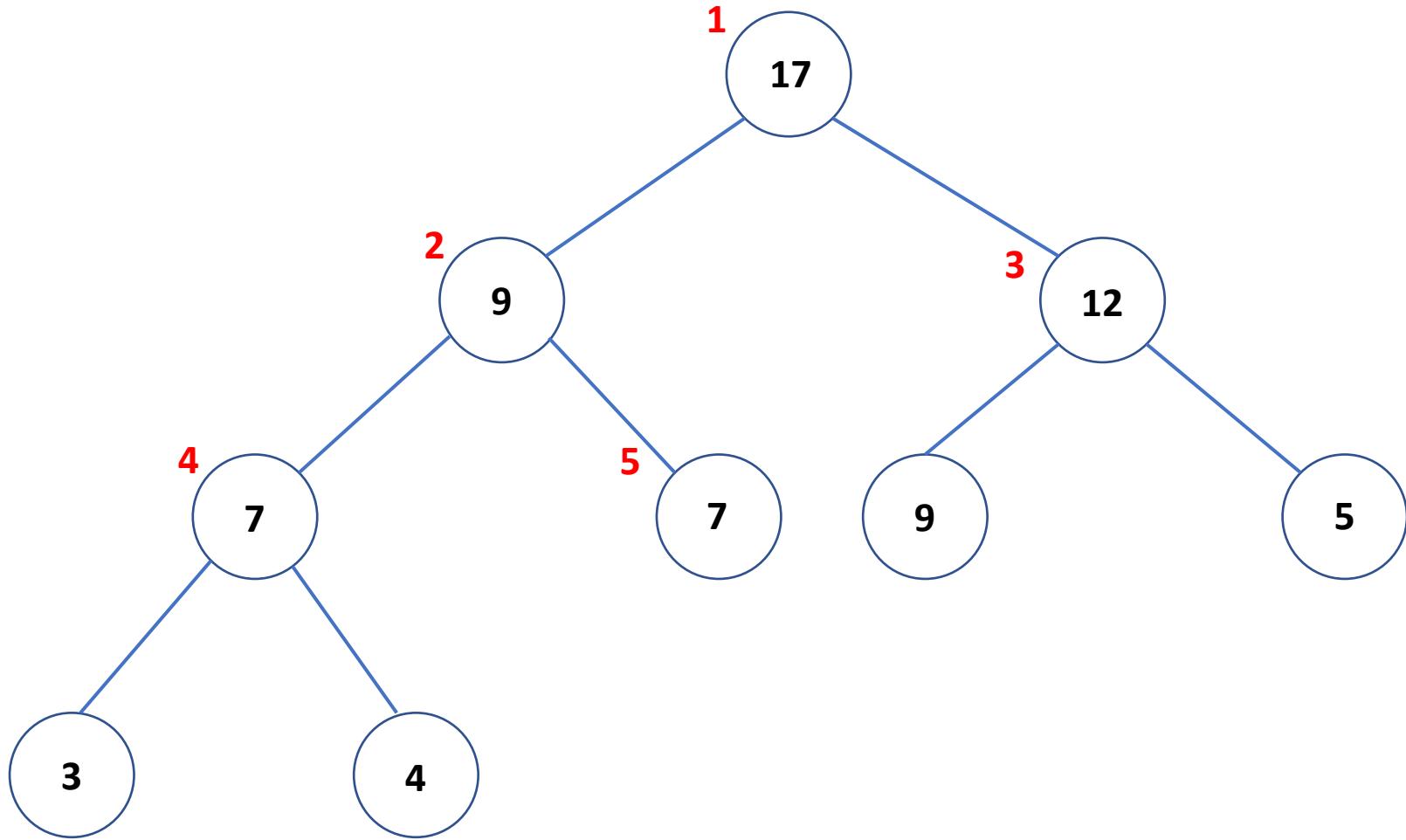
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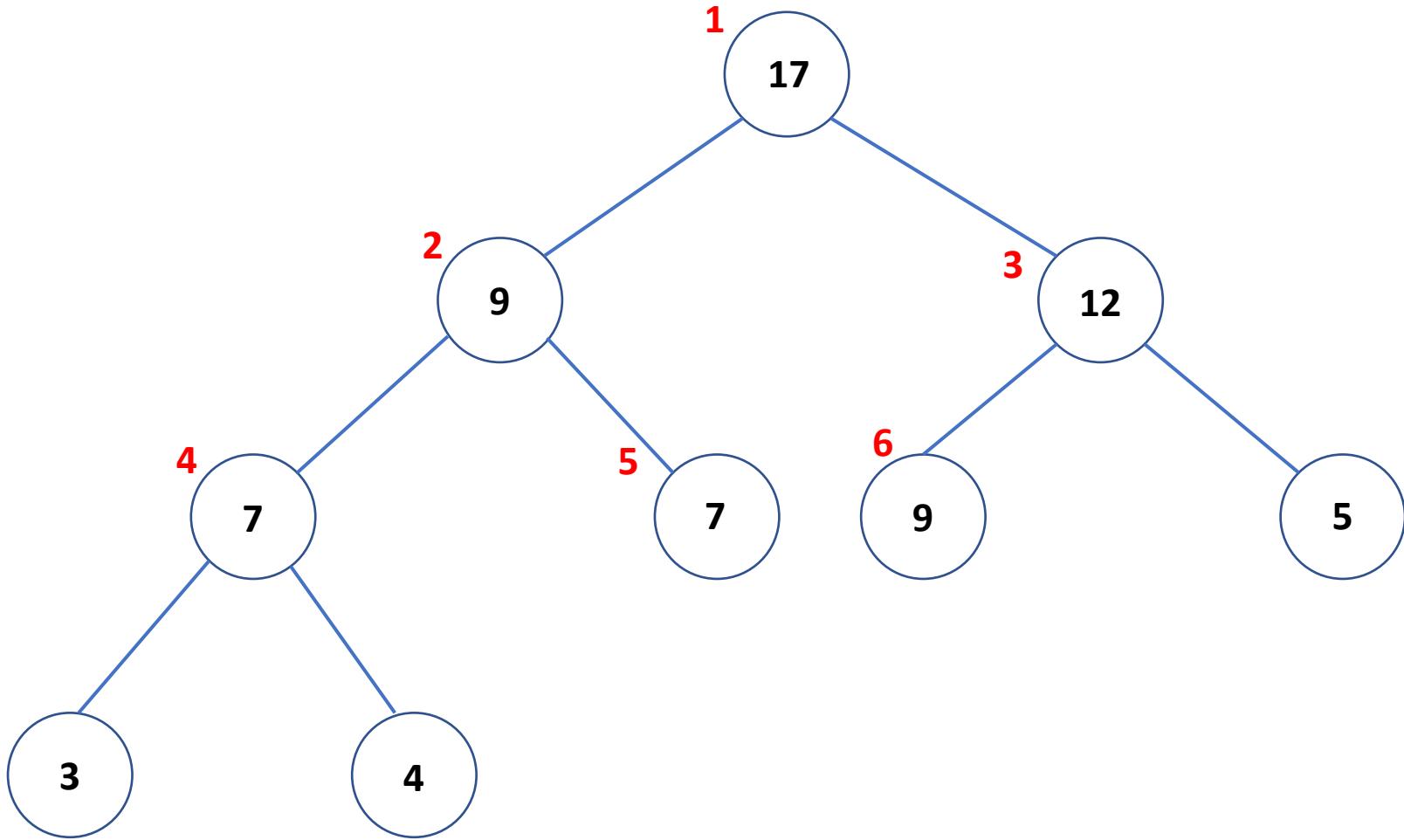
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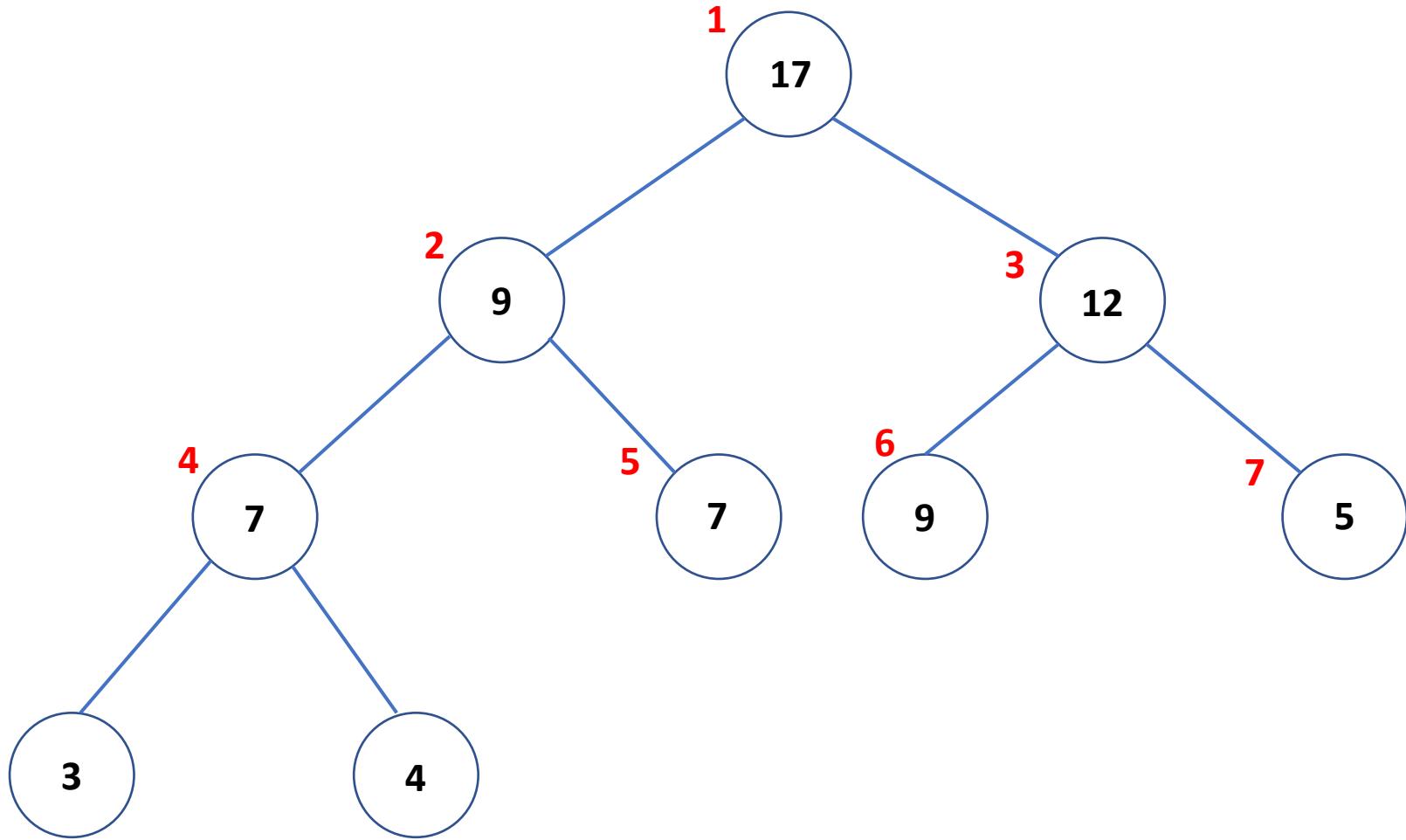
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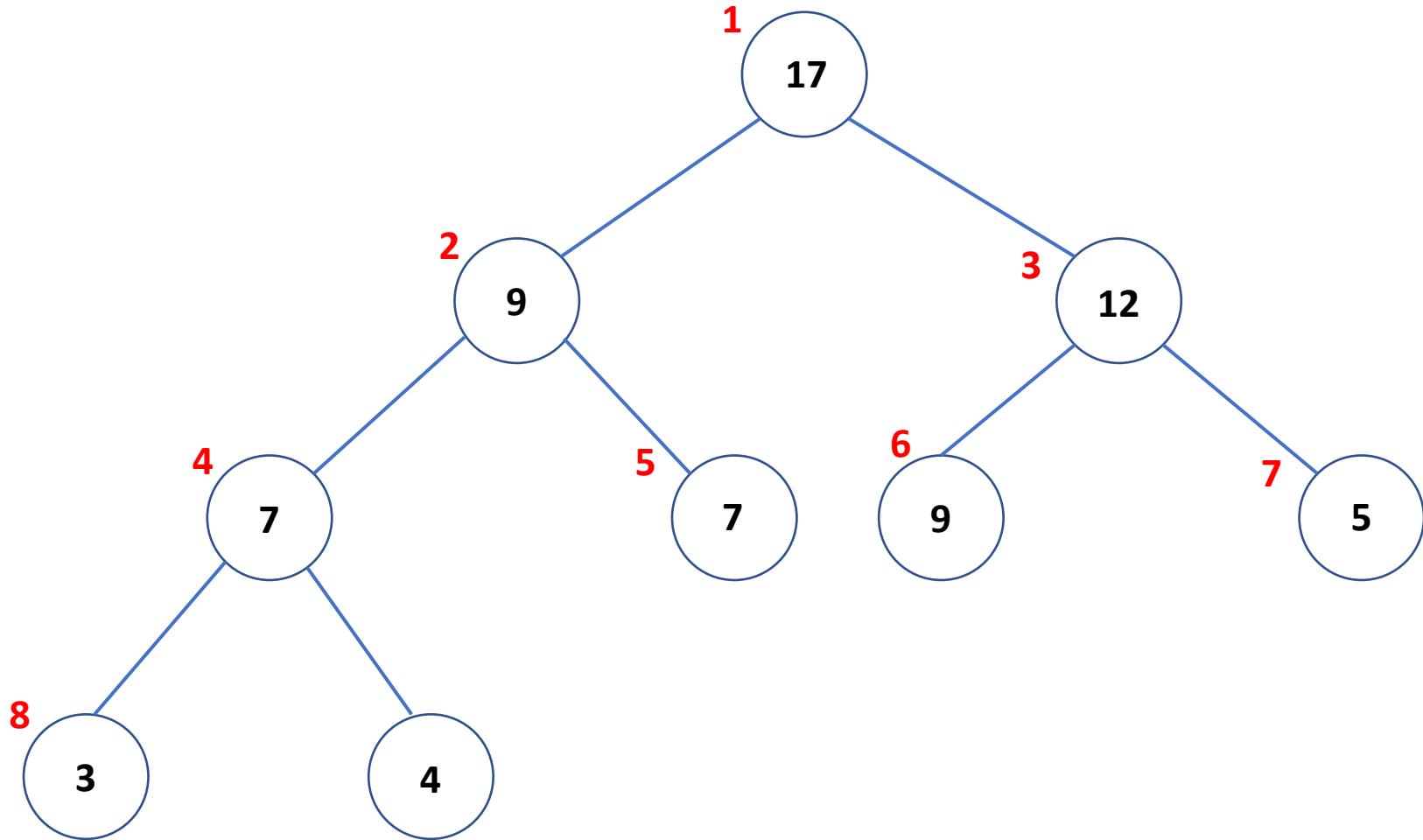
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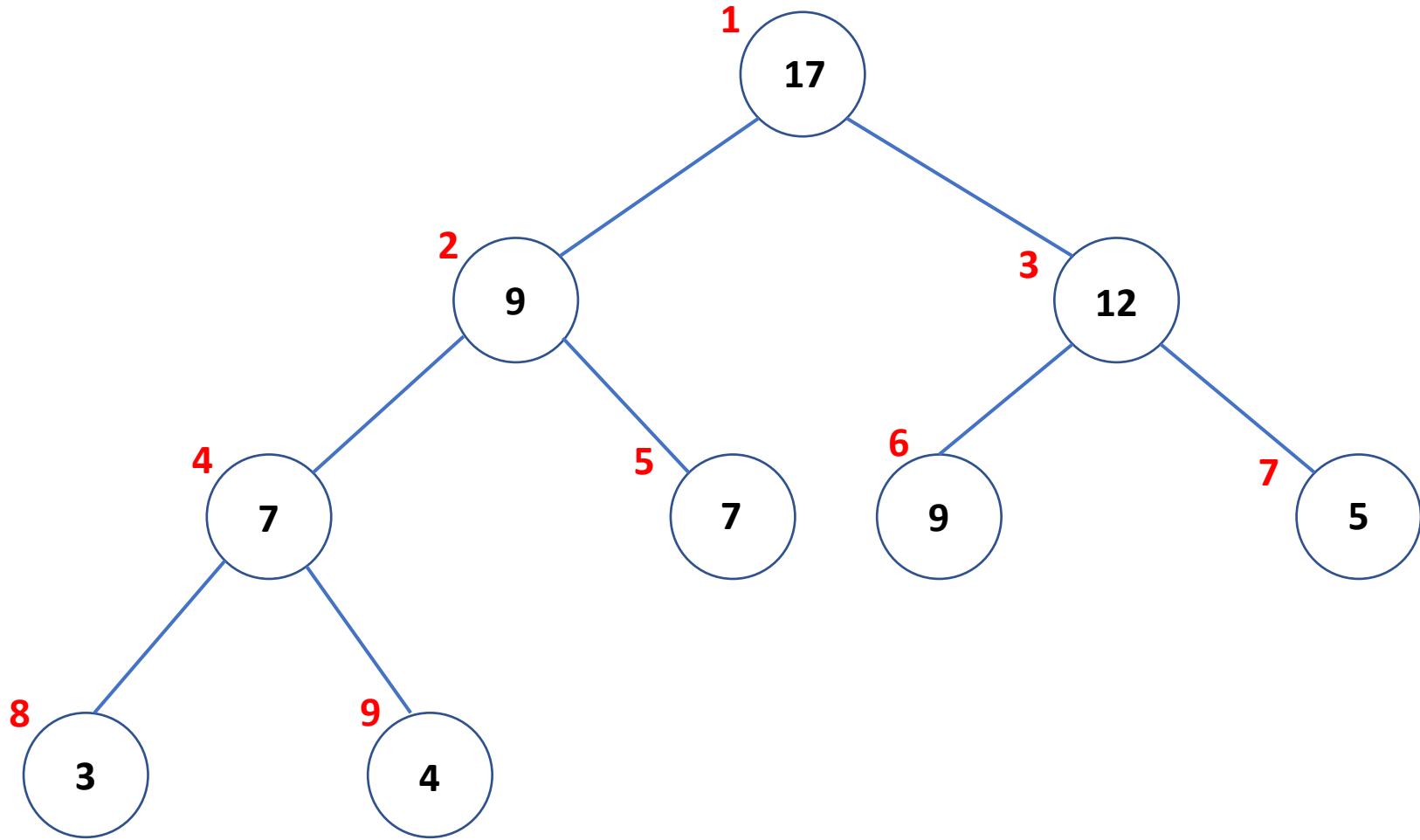
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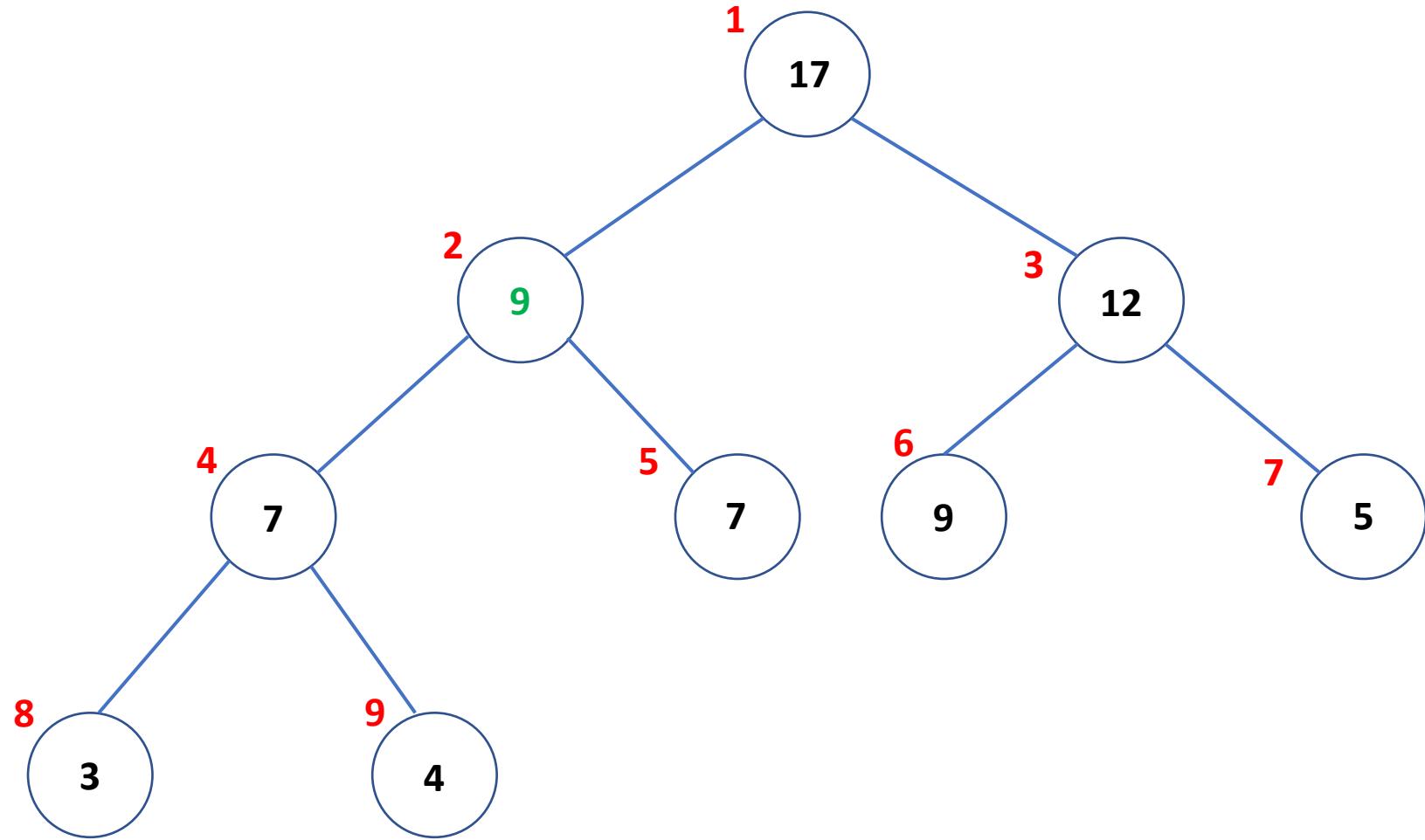
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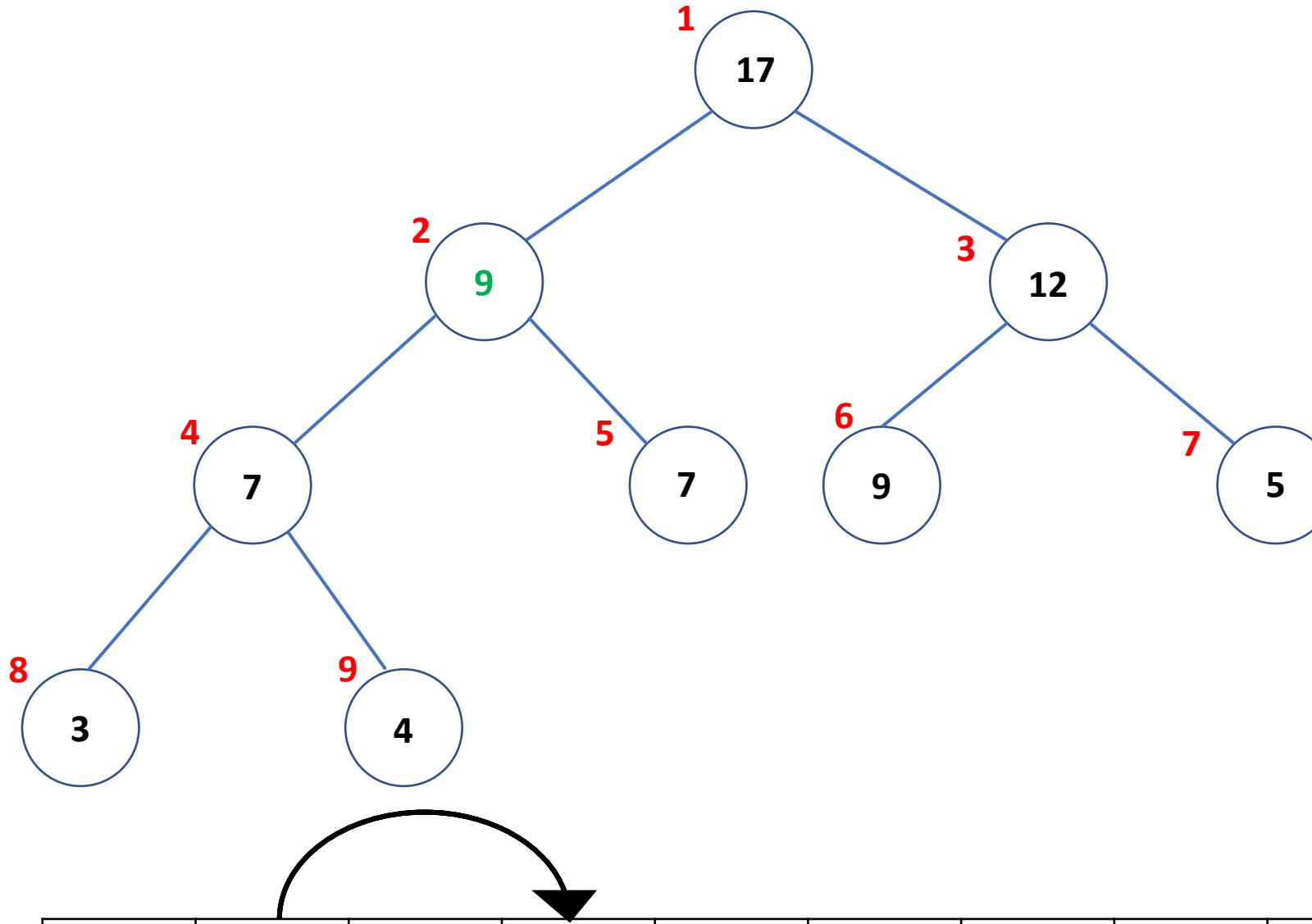
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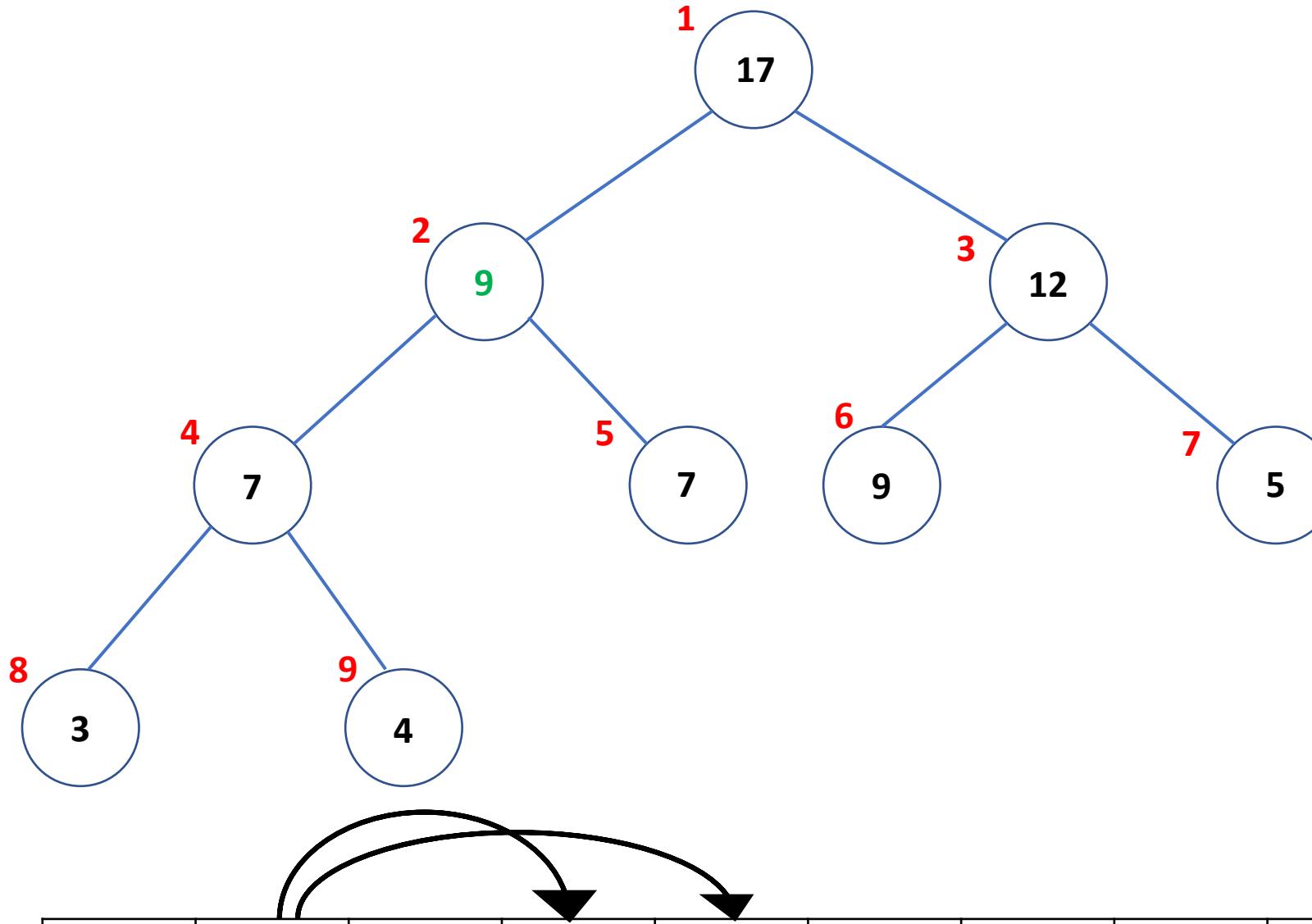
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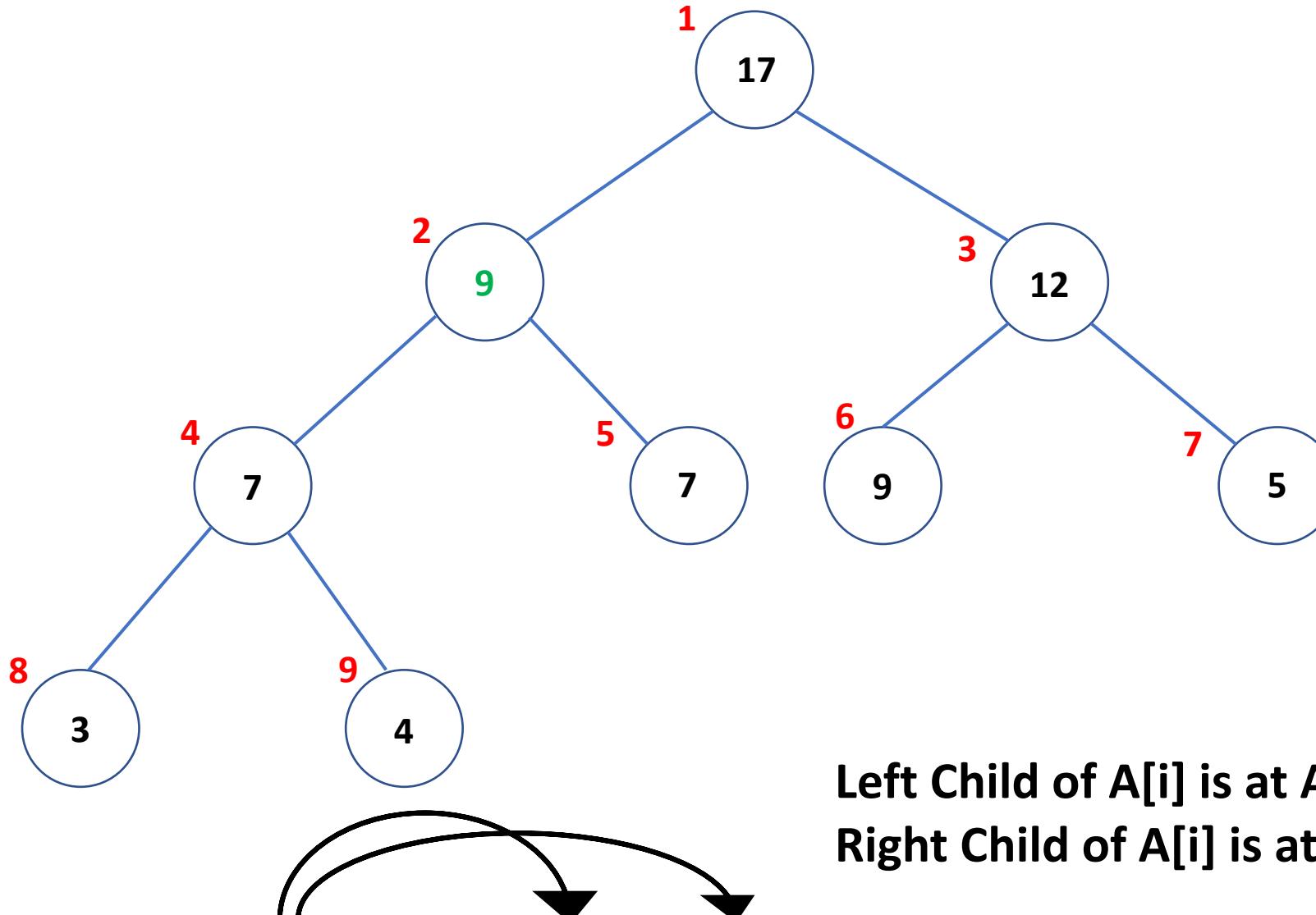
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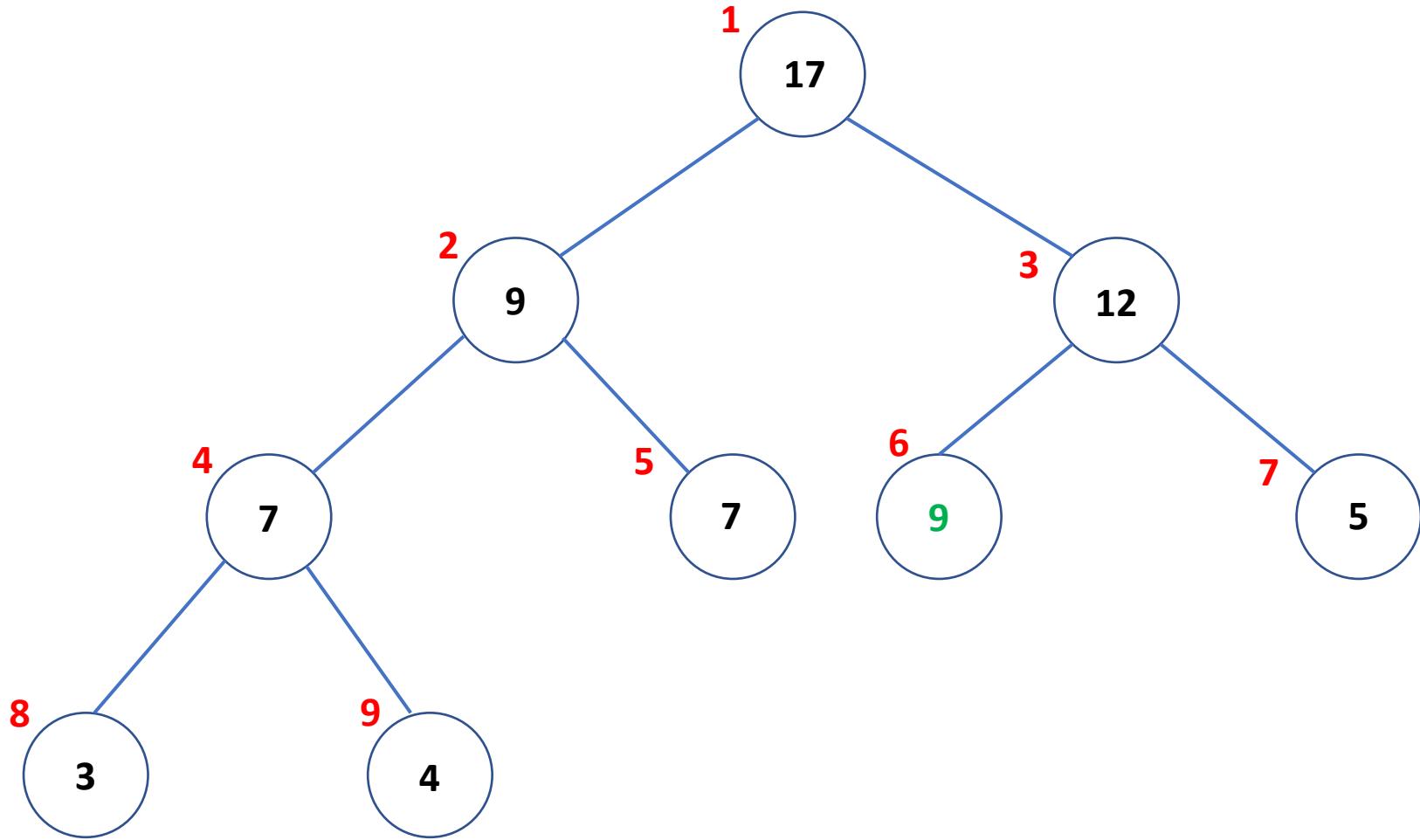
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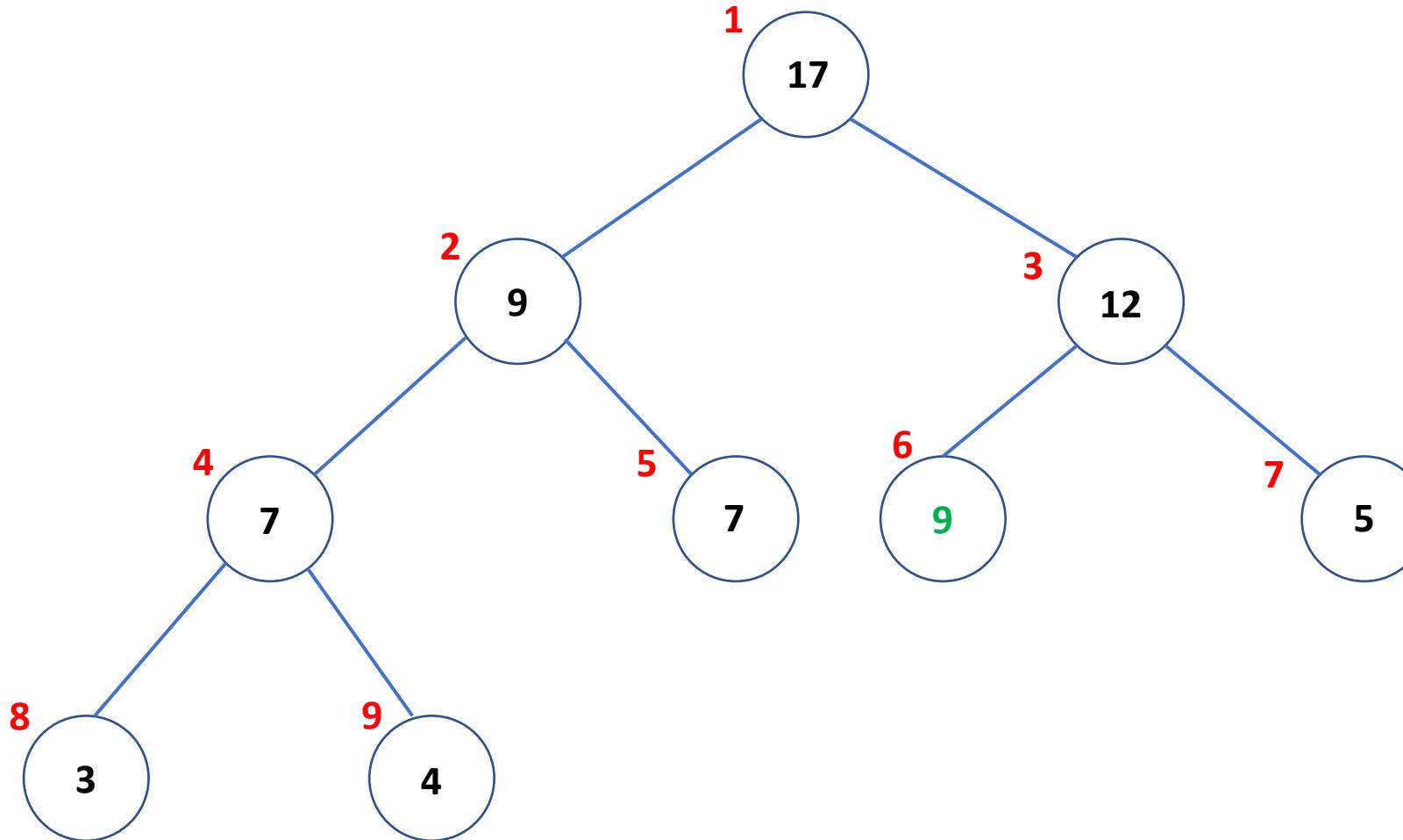
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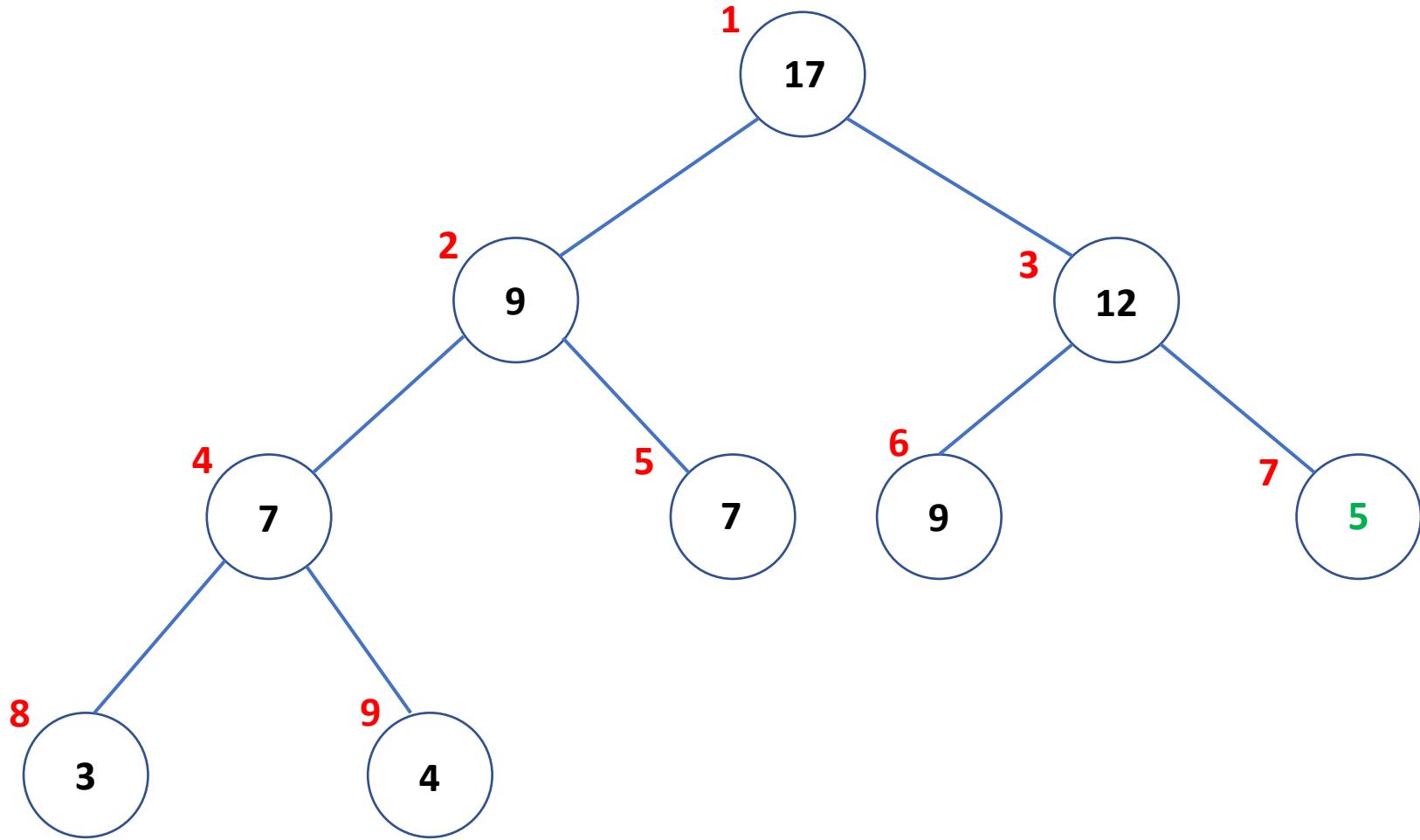
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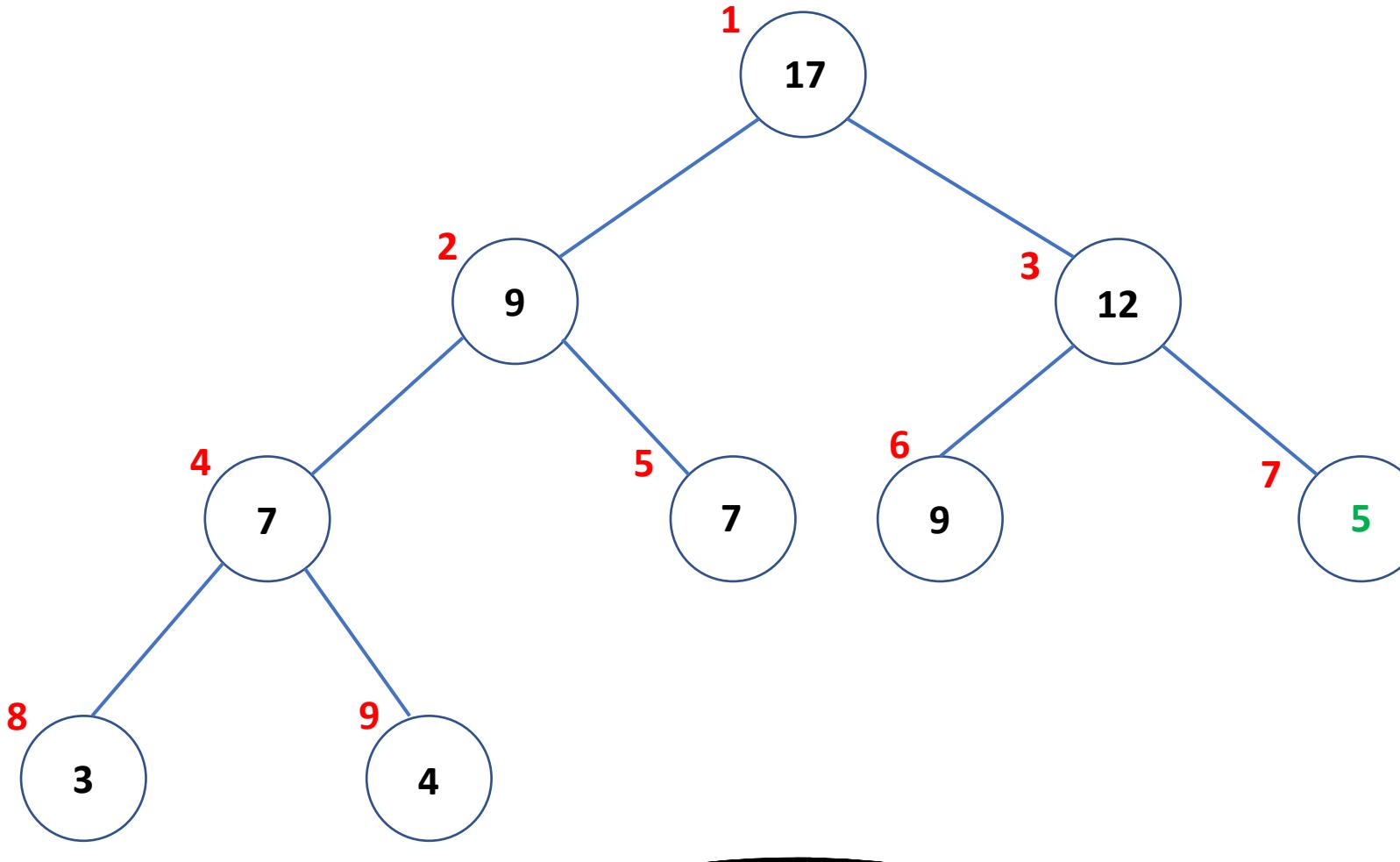
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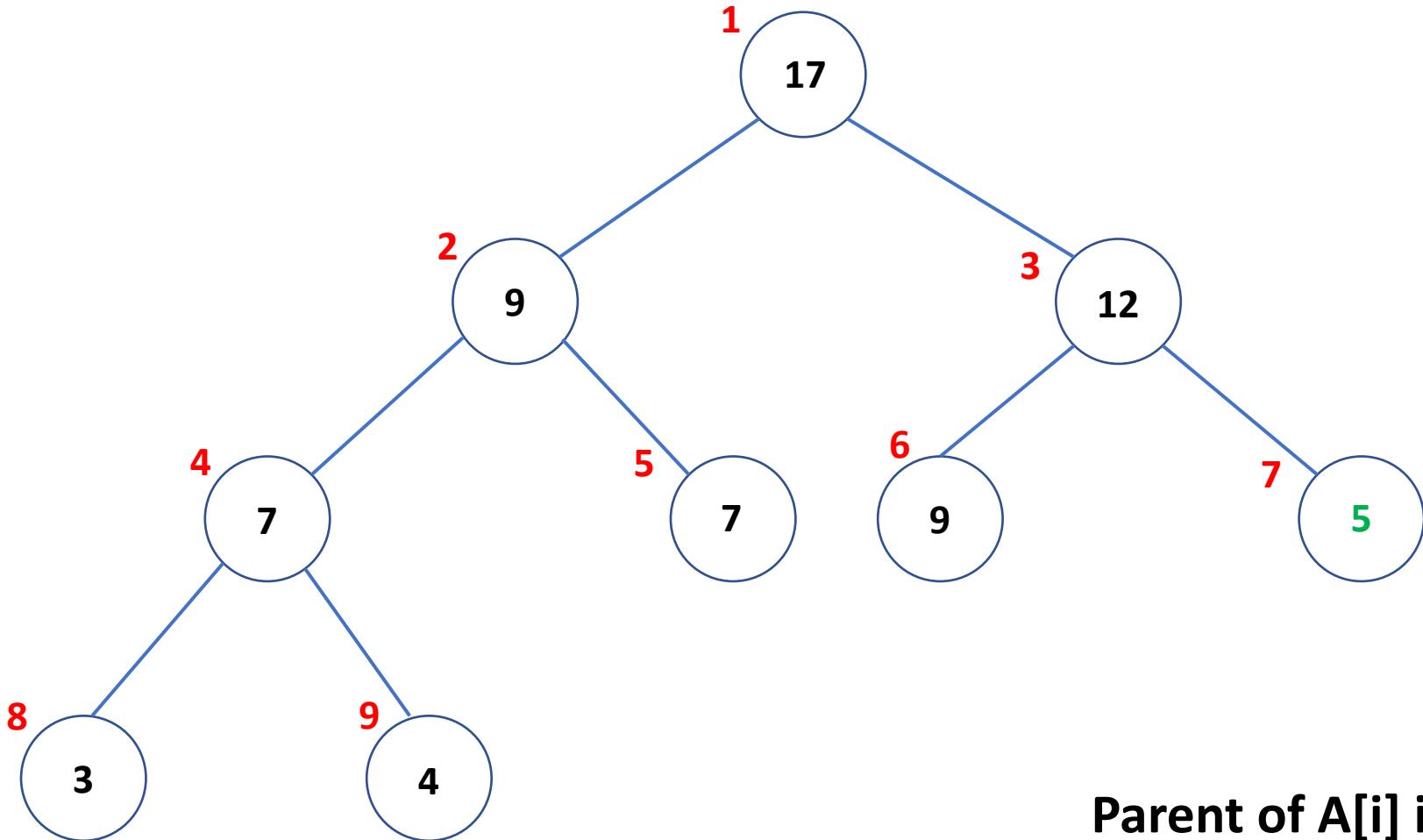
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Efficient navigation in the tree

- Left Child of $A[i]$ is at $A[2i]$
- Right Child of $A[i]$ is at $A[2i+1]$
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Heap Operations

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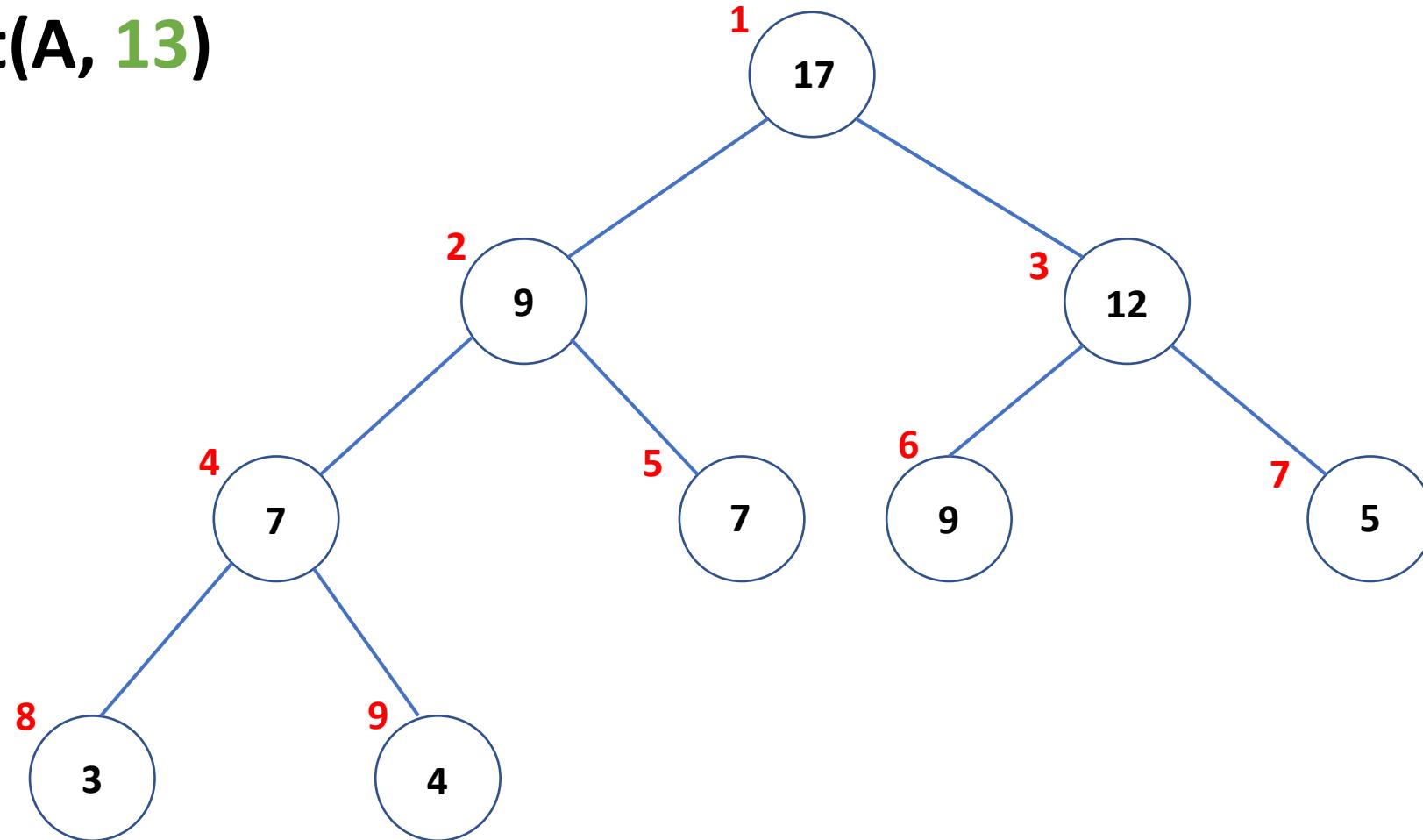
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- 2) Maintain the Max-Heap property



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Insert(A, 13)



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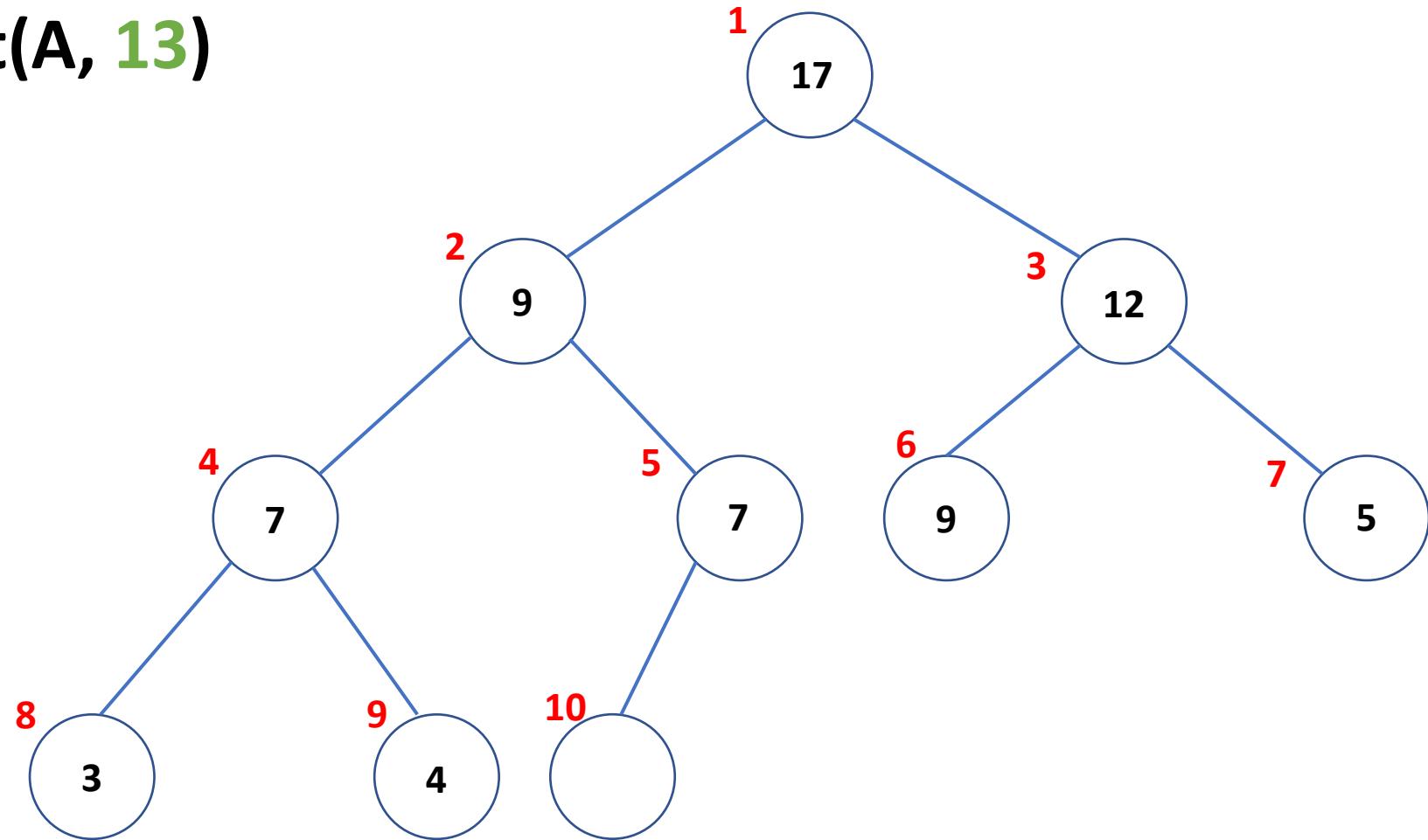
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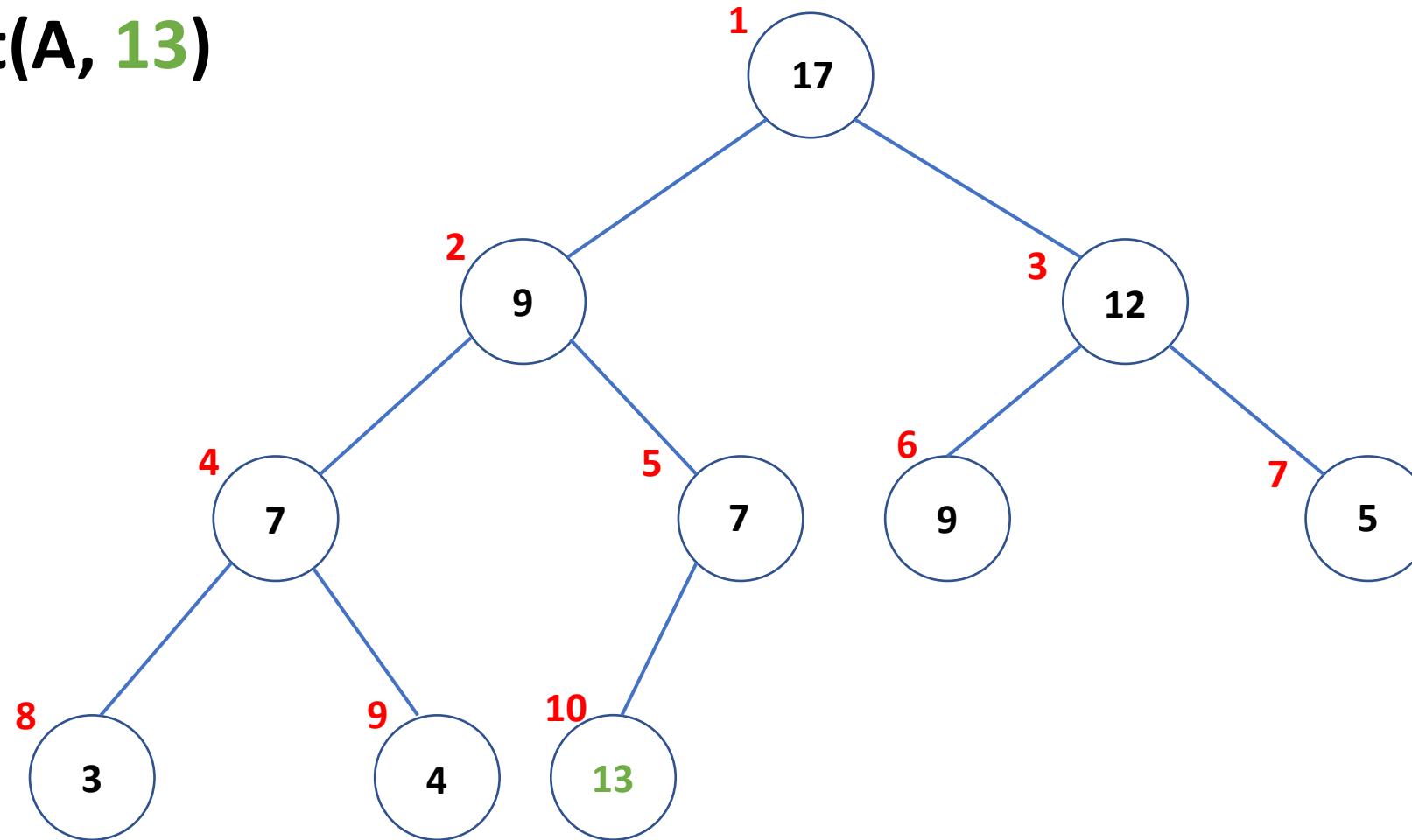
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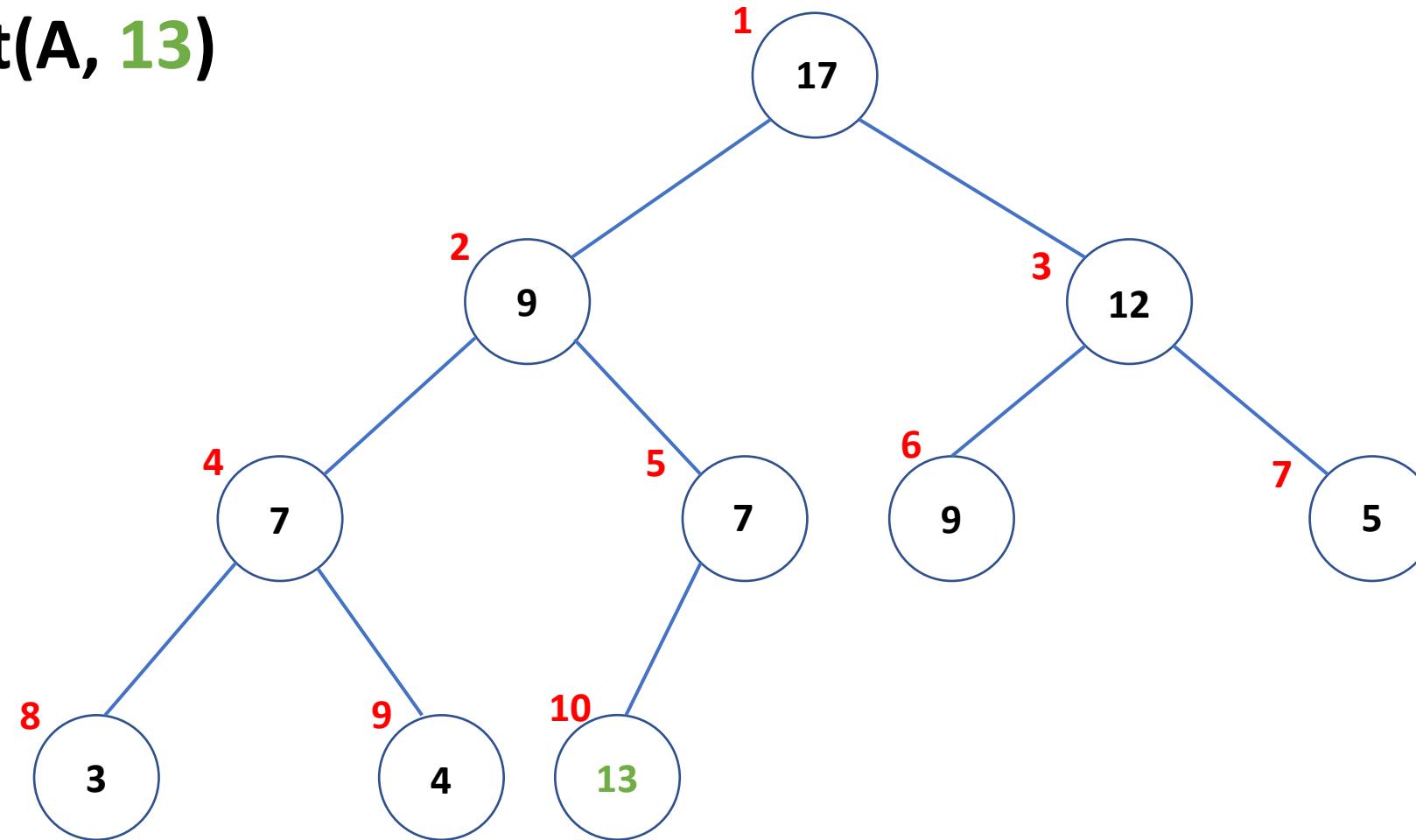
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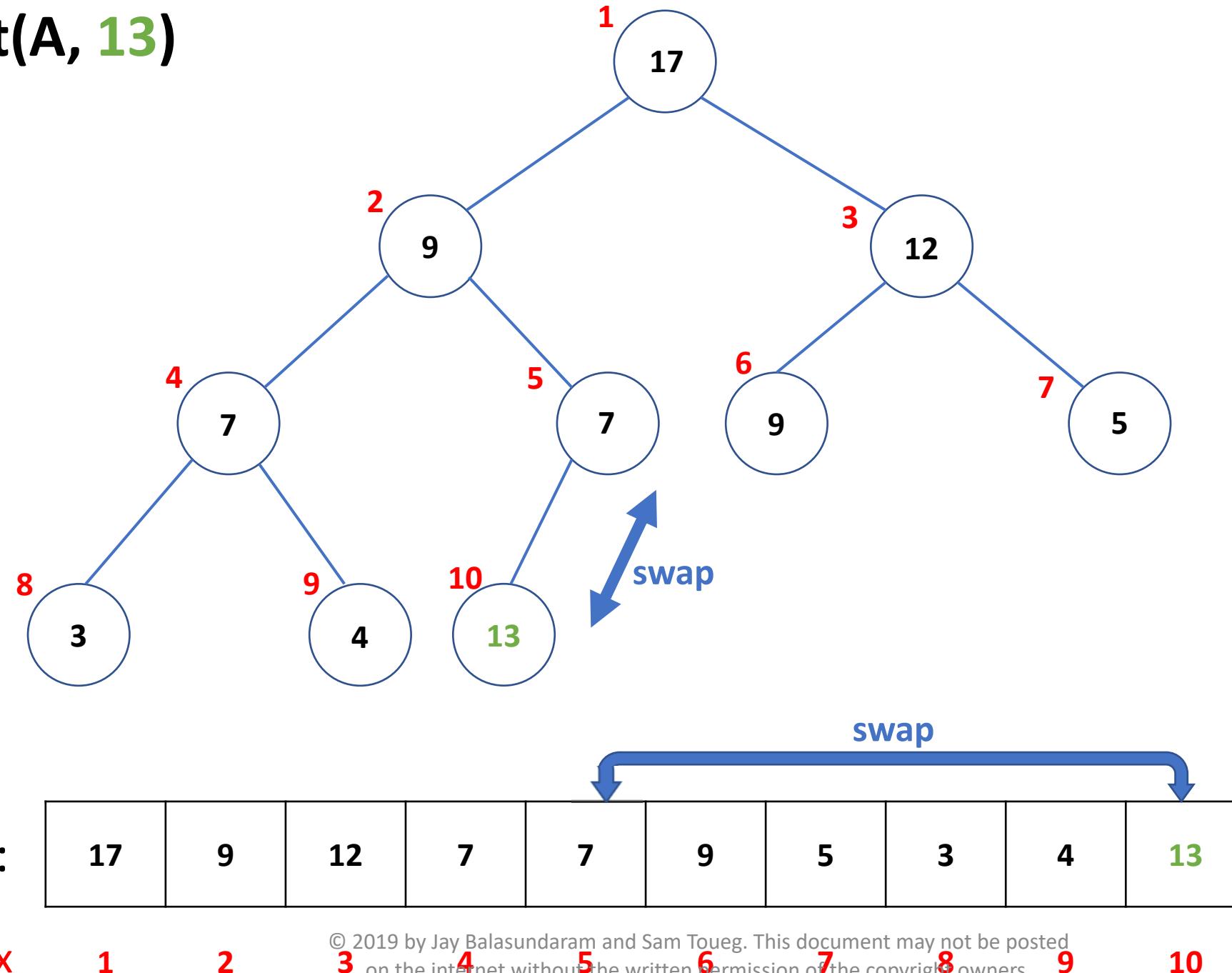
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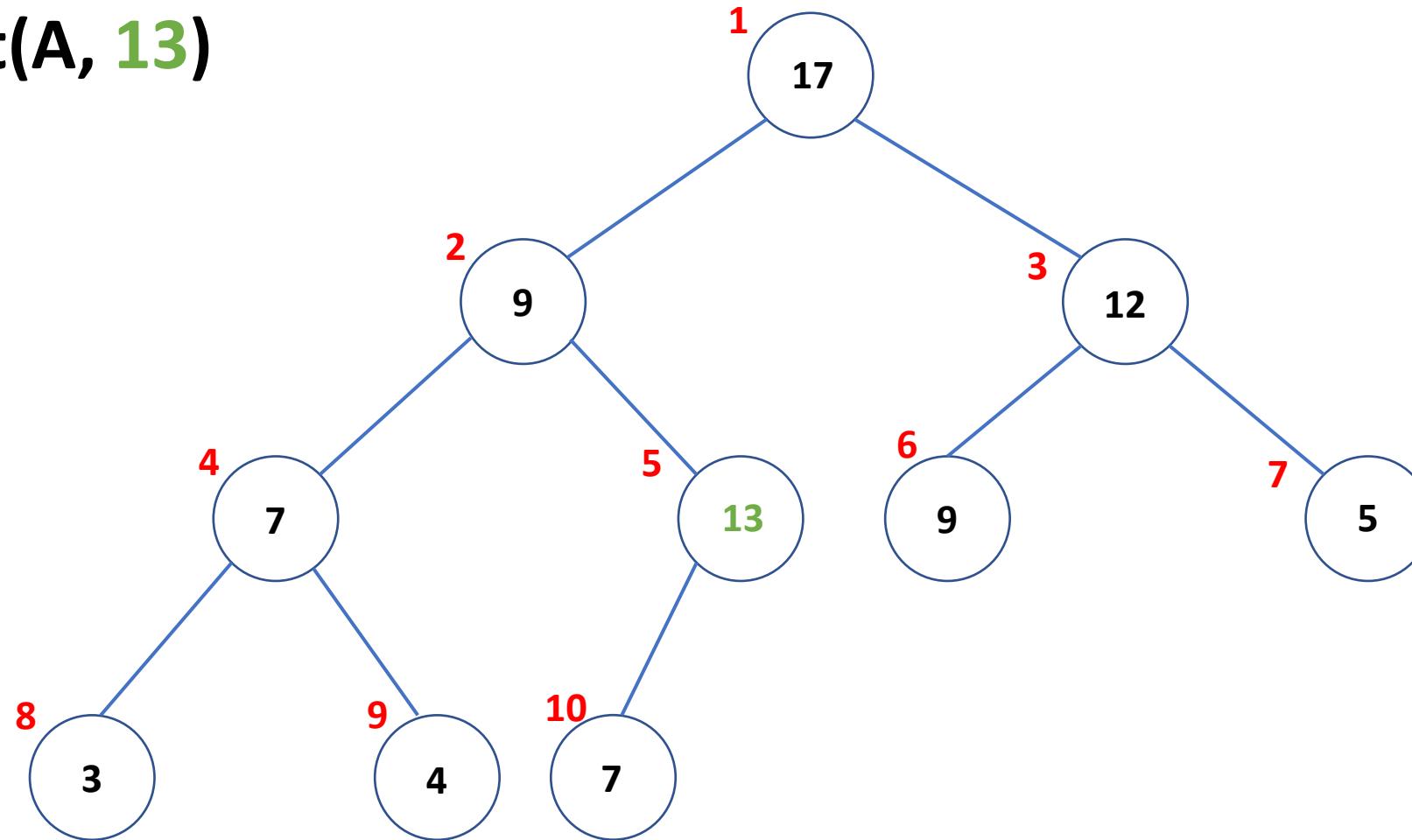
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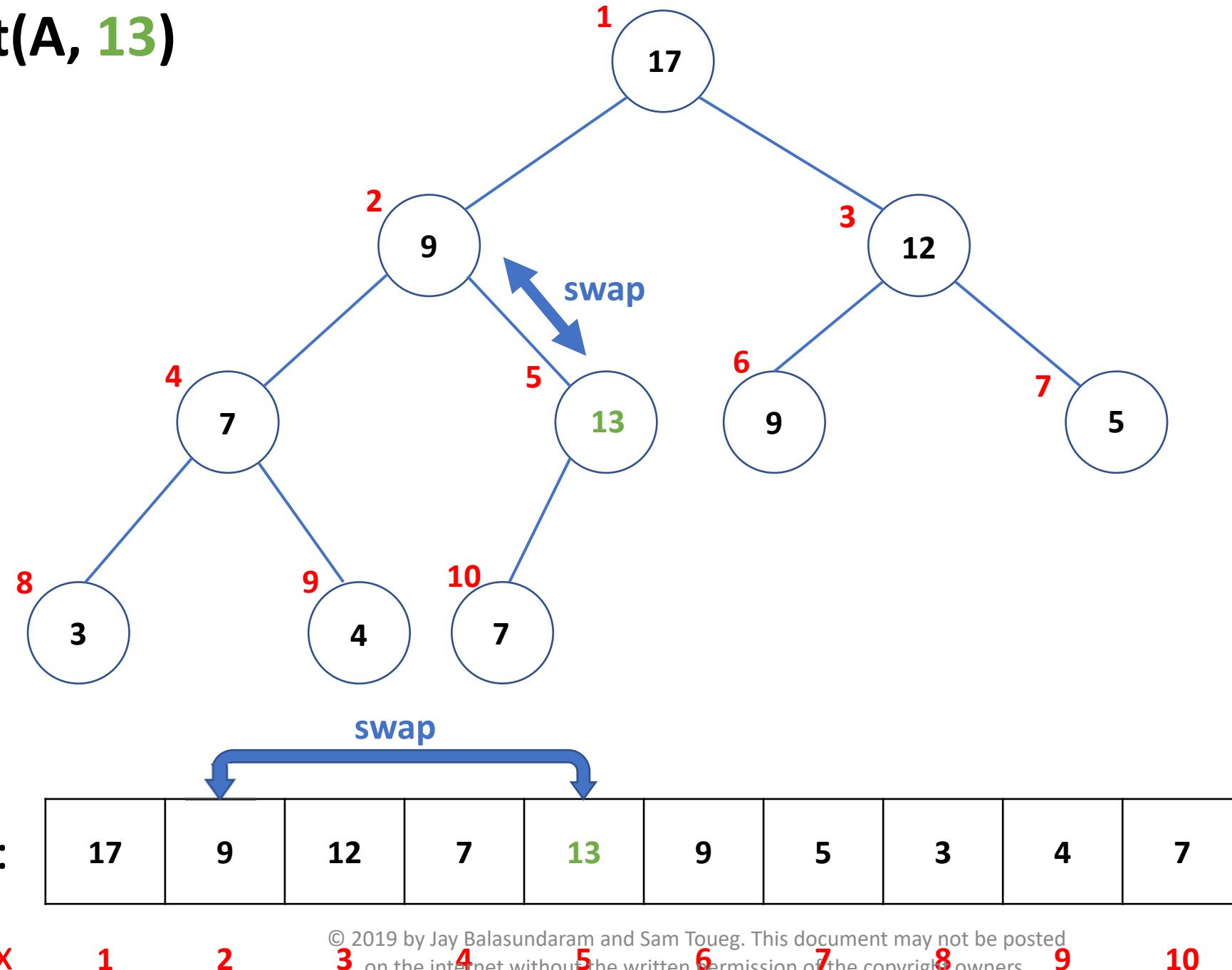


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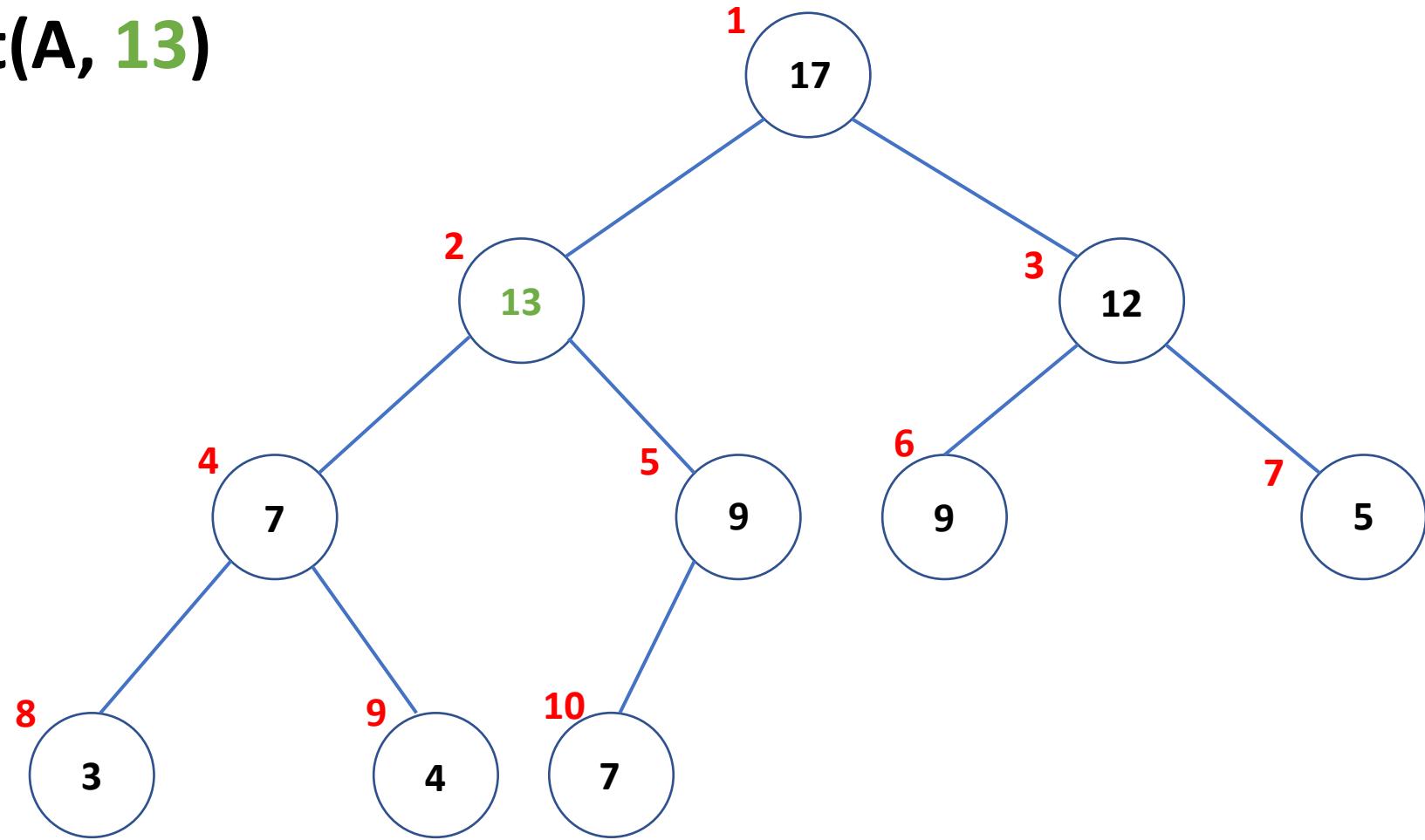


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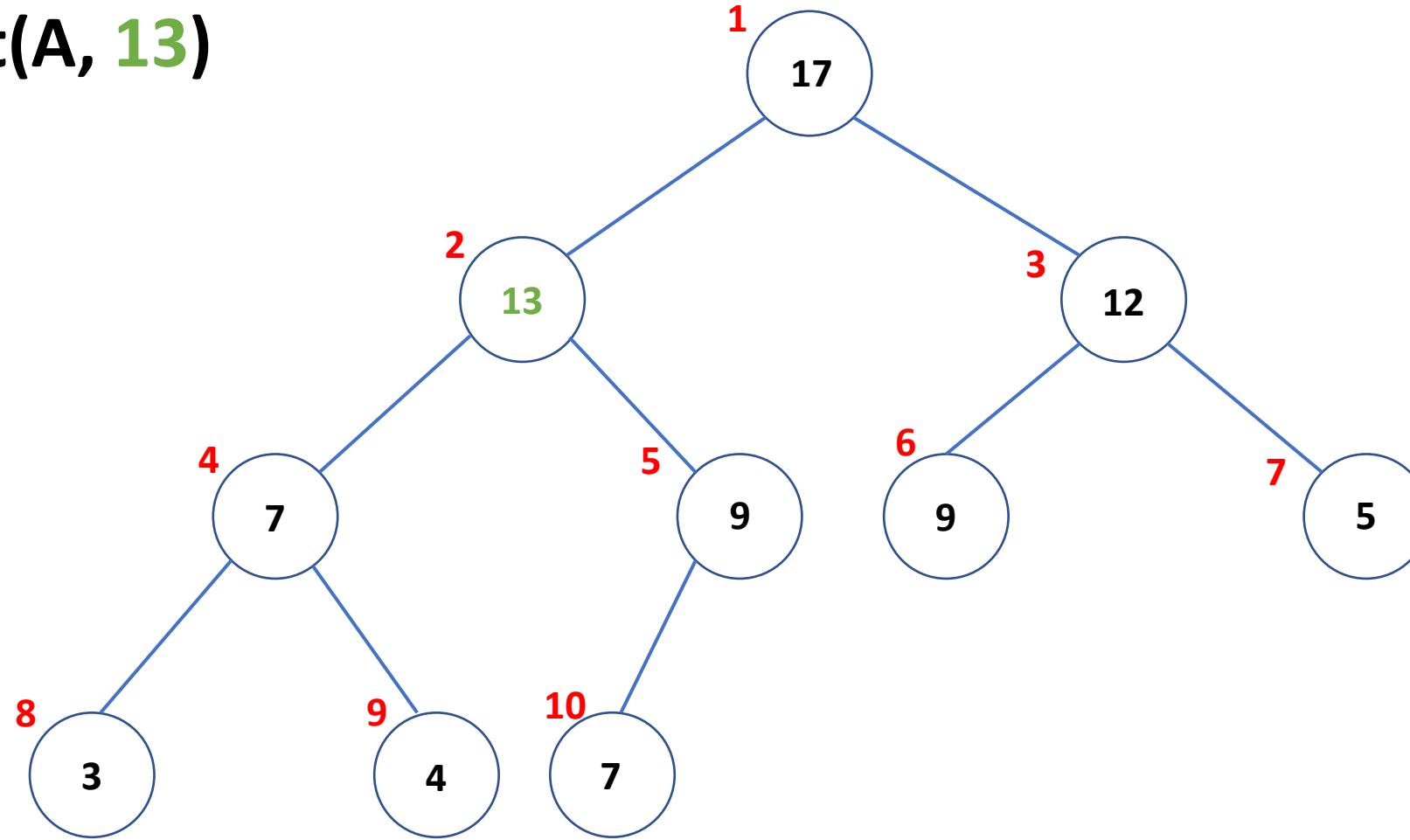


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Max-Heap
Property has
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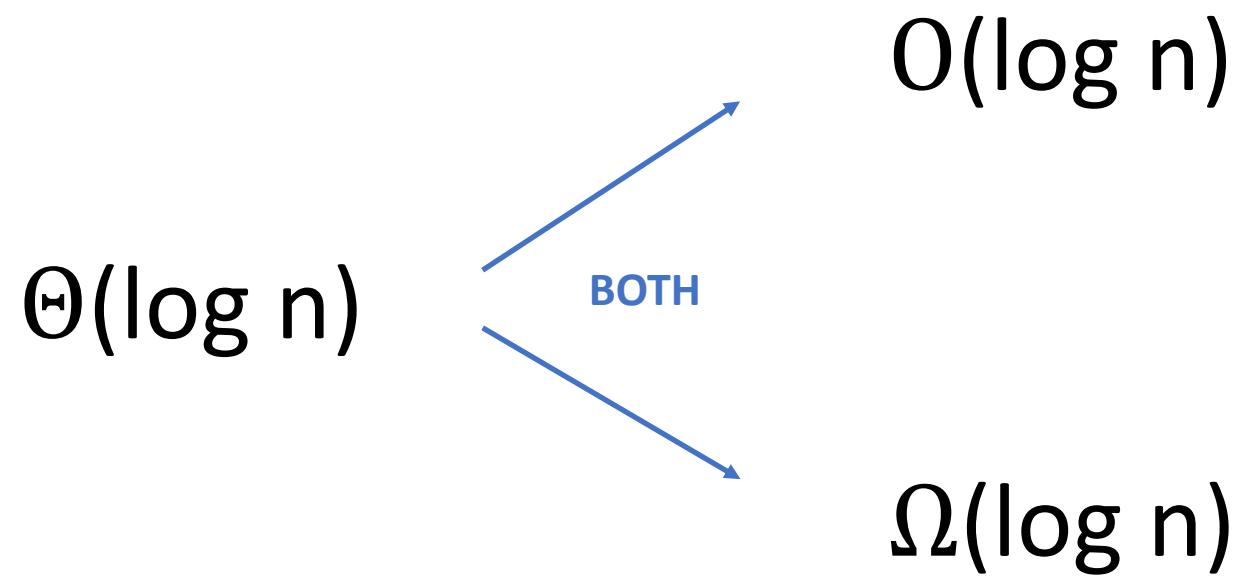
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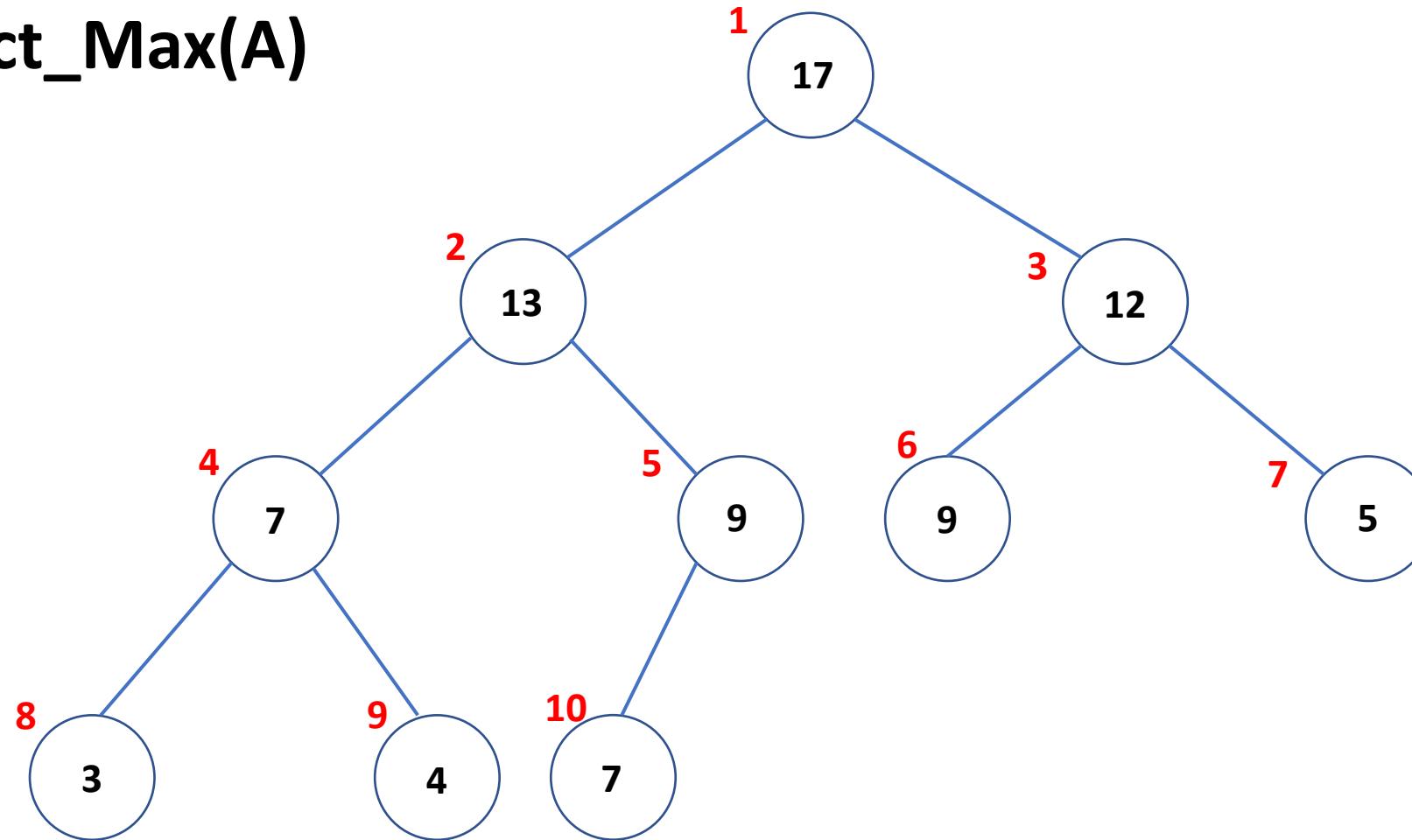


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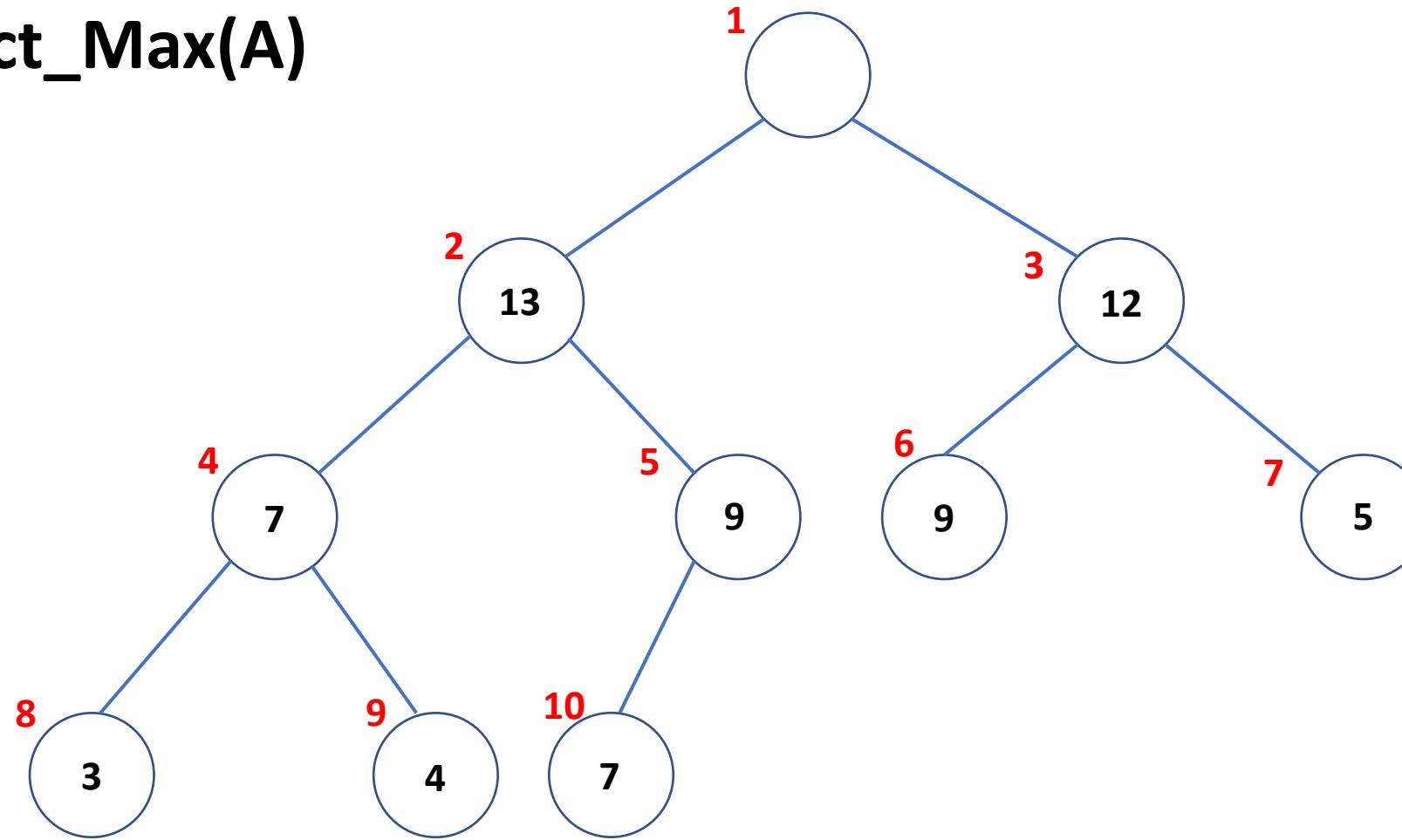
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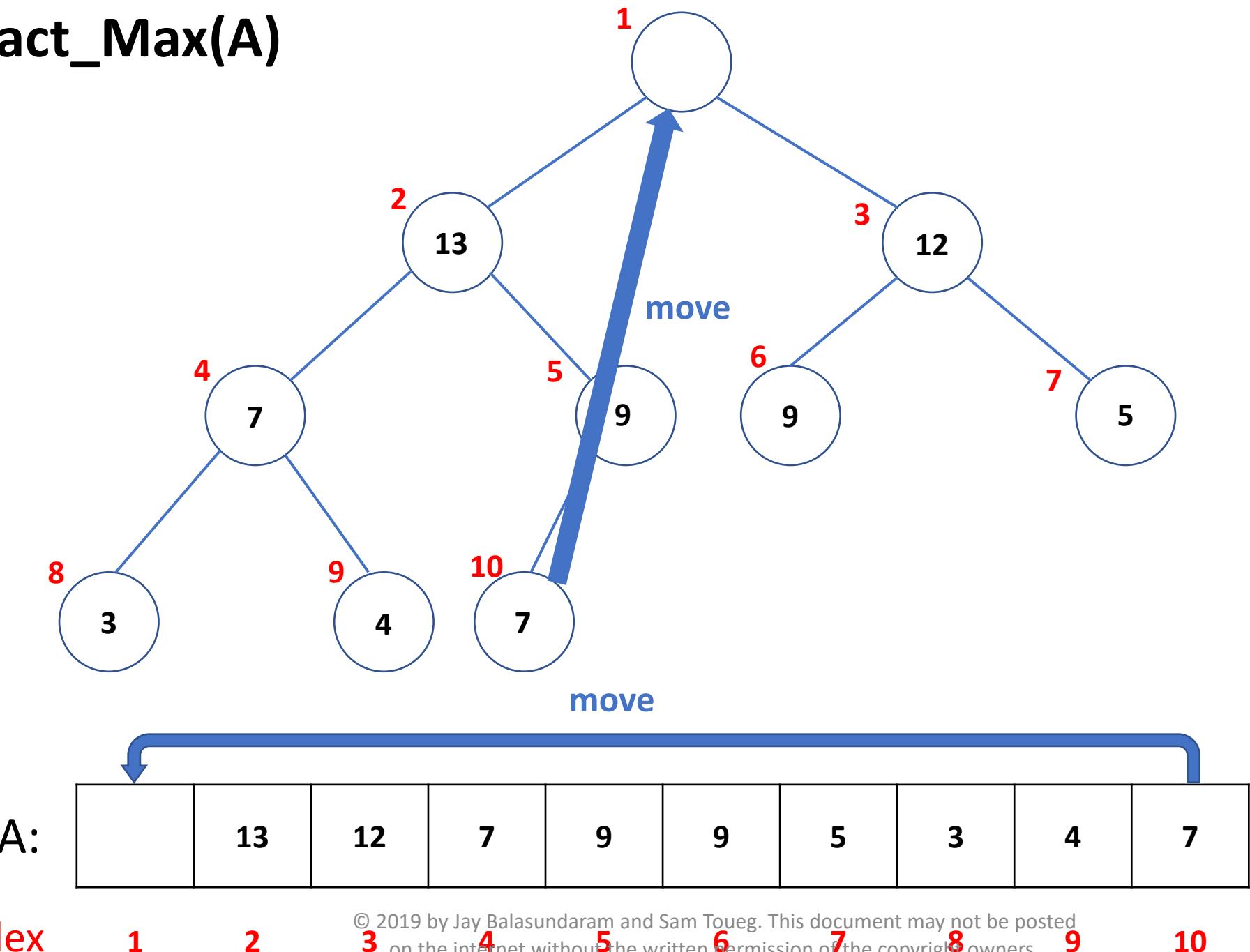
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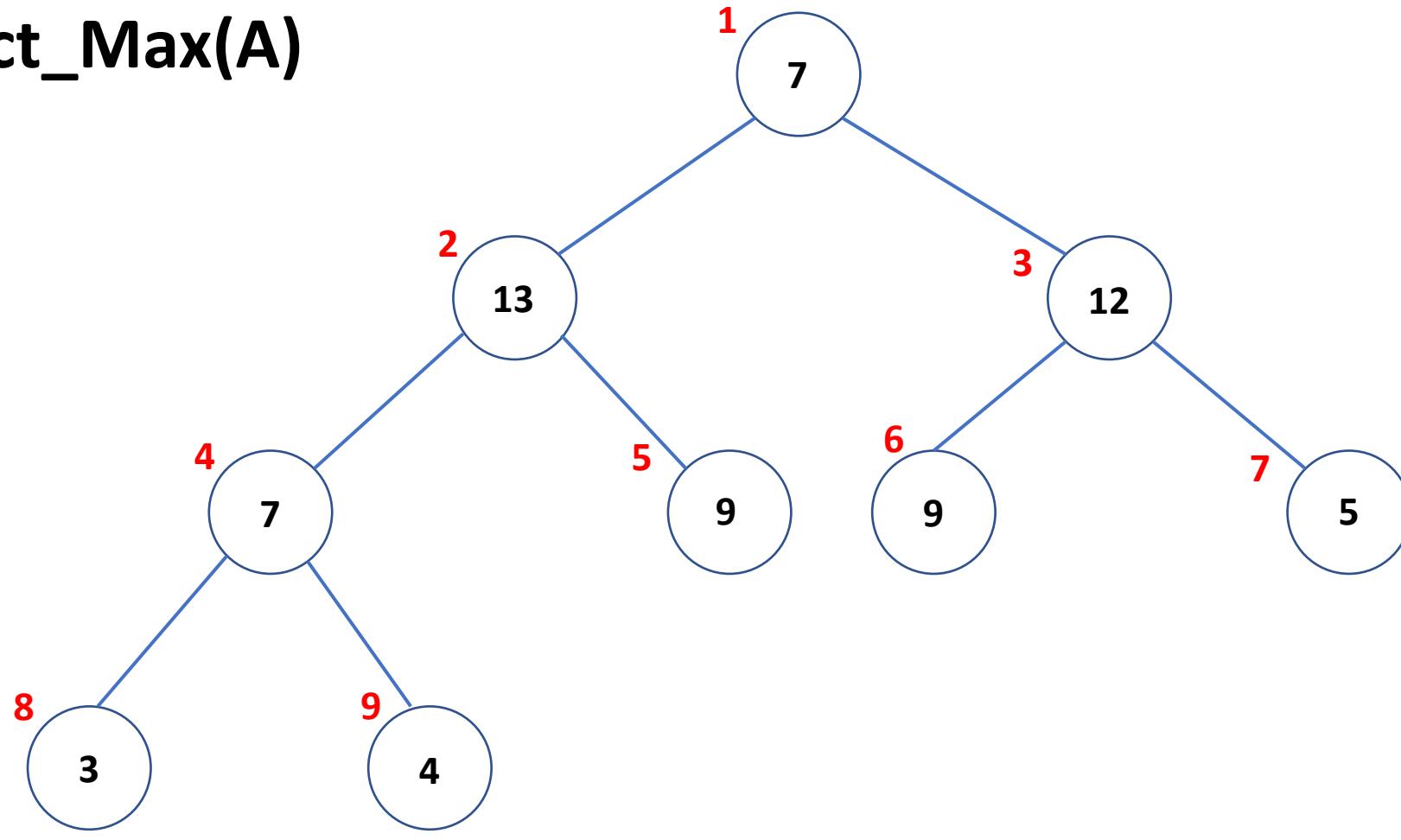
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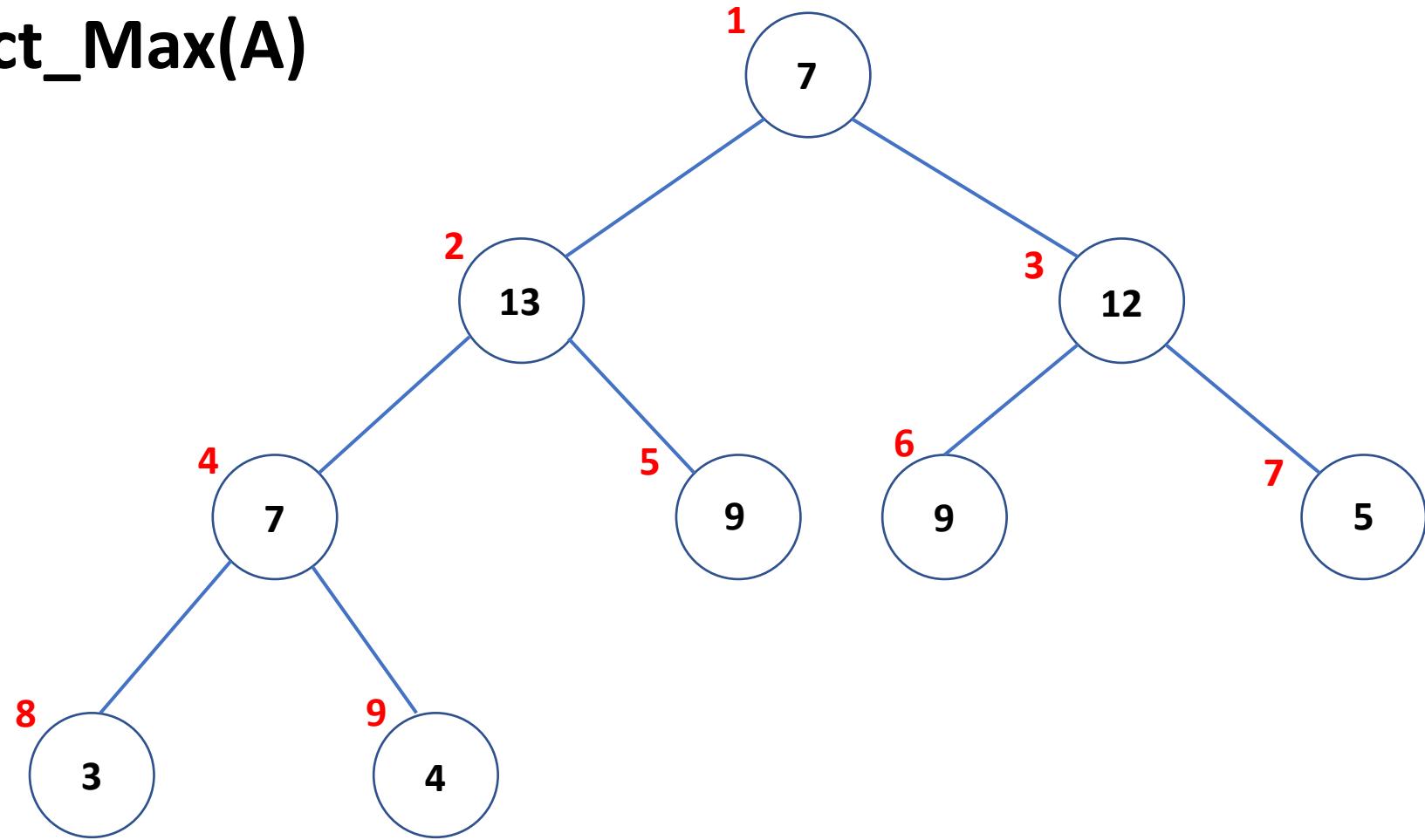
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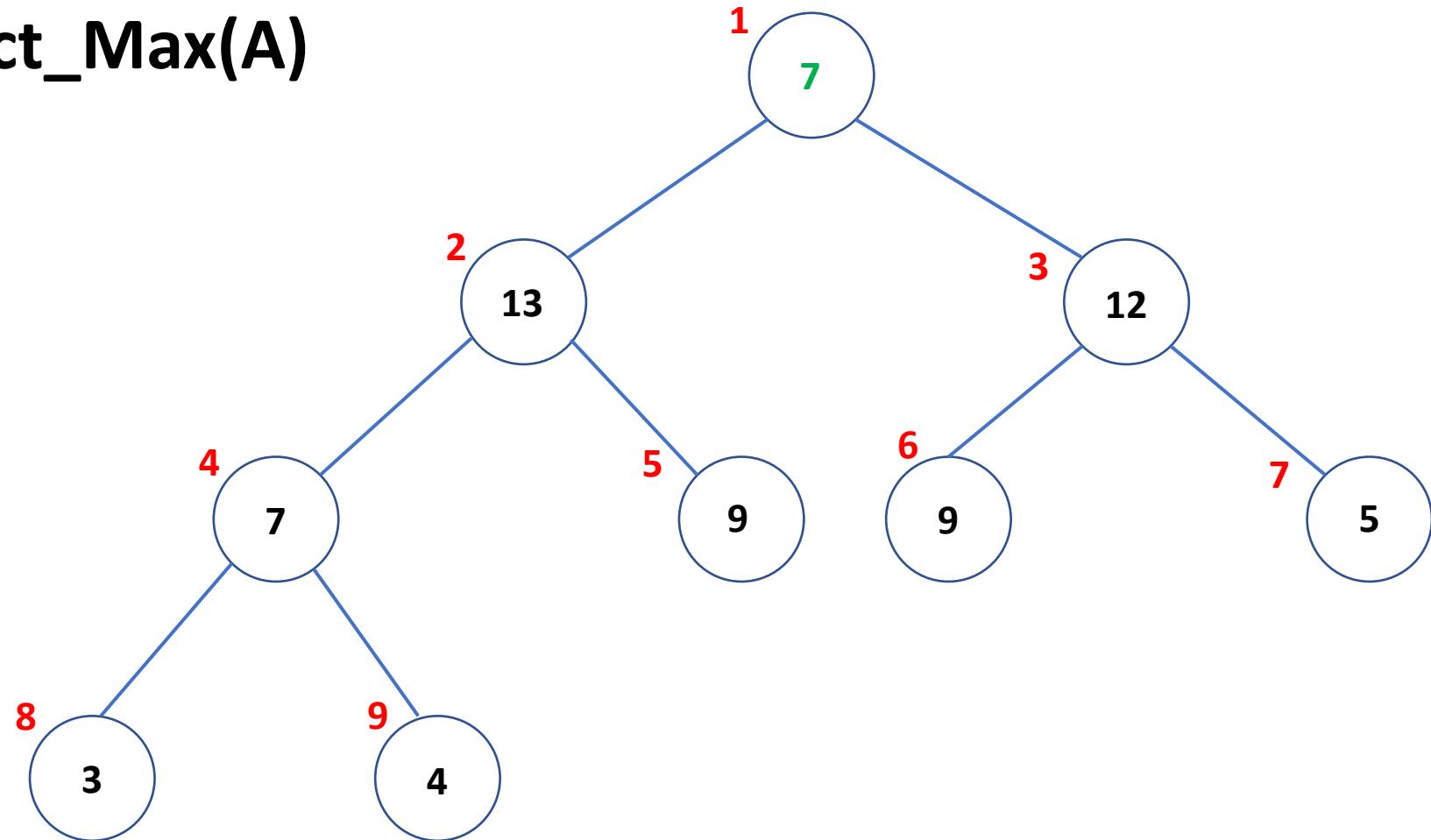
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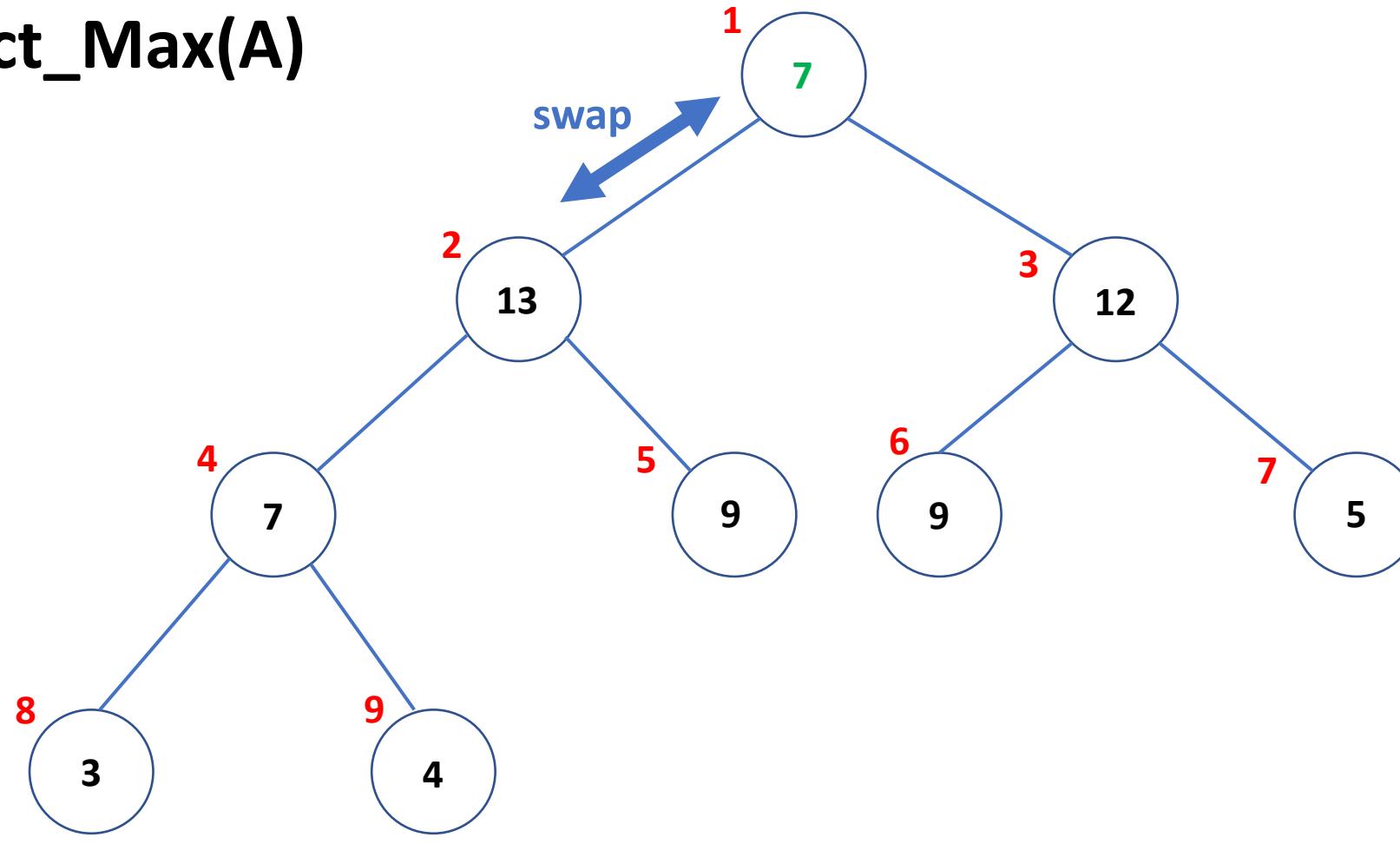


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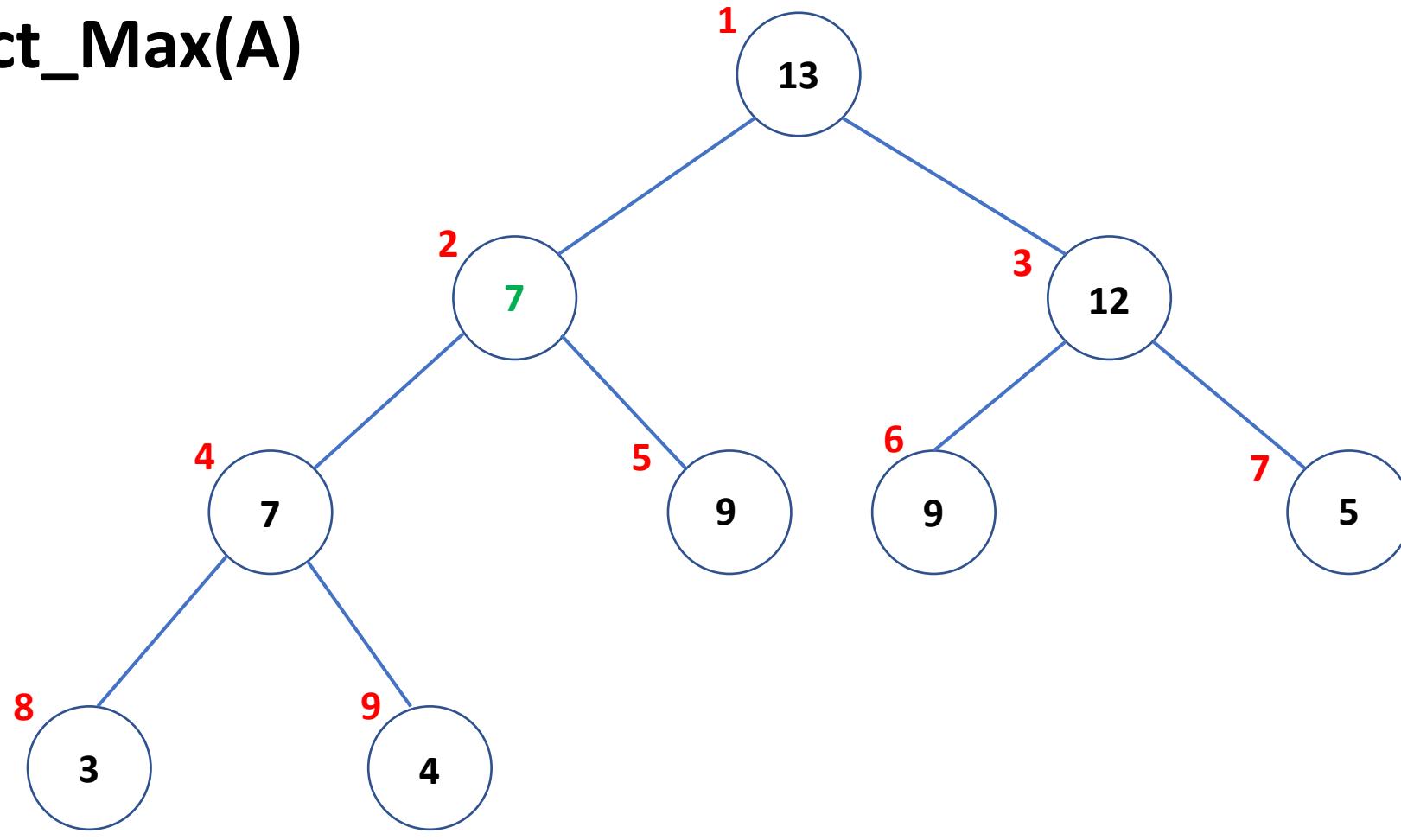
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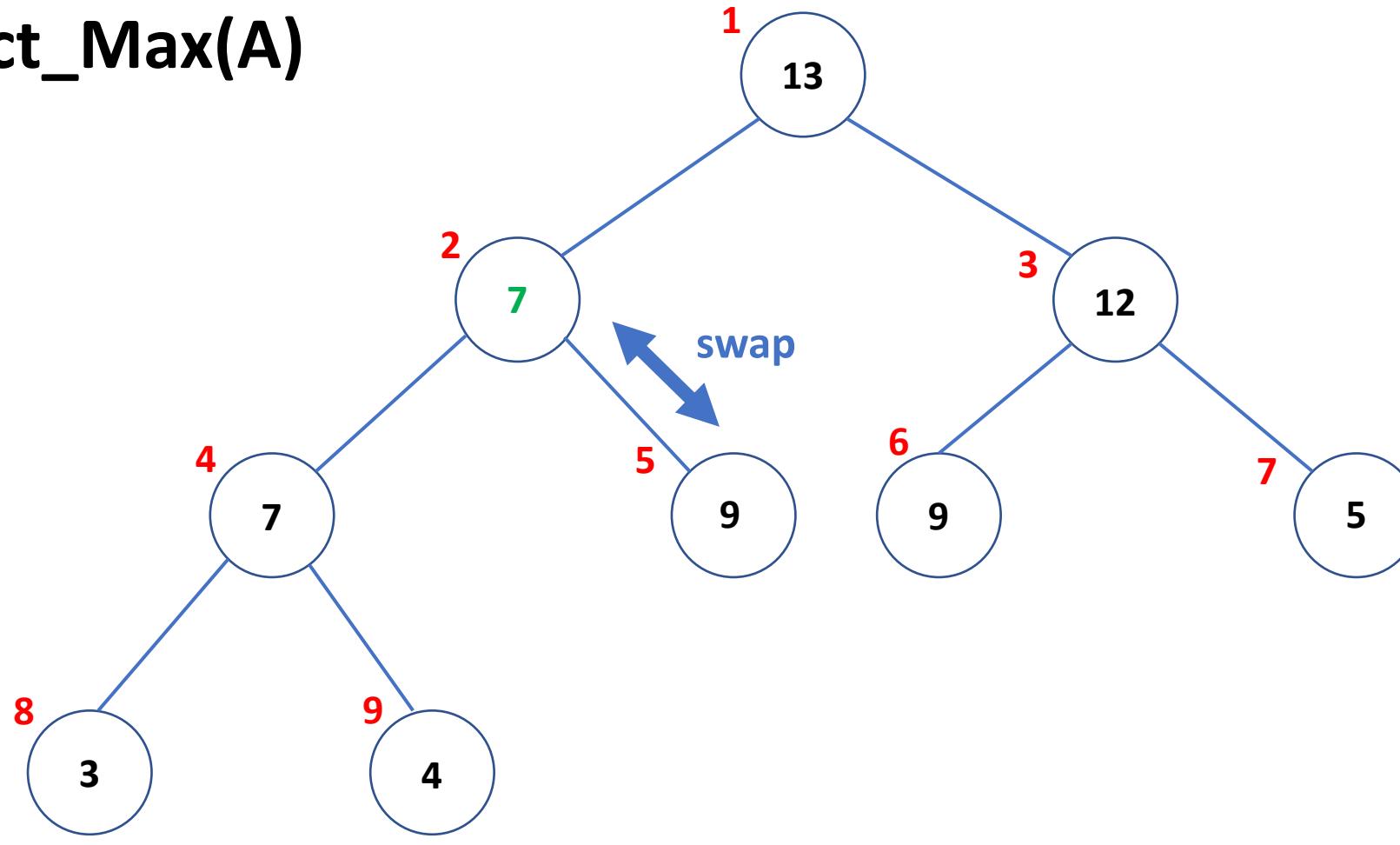


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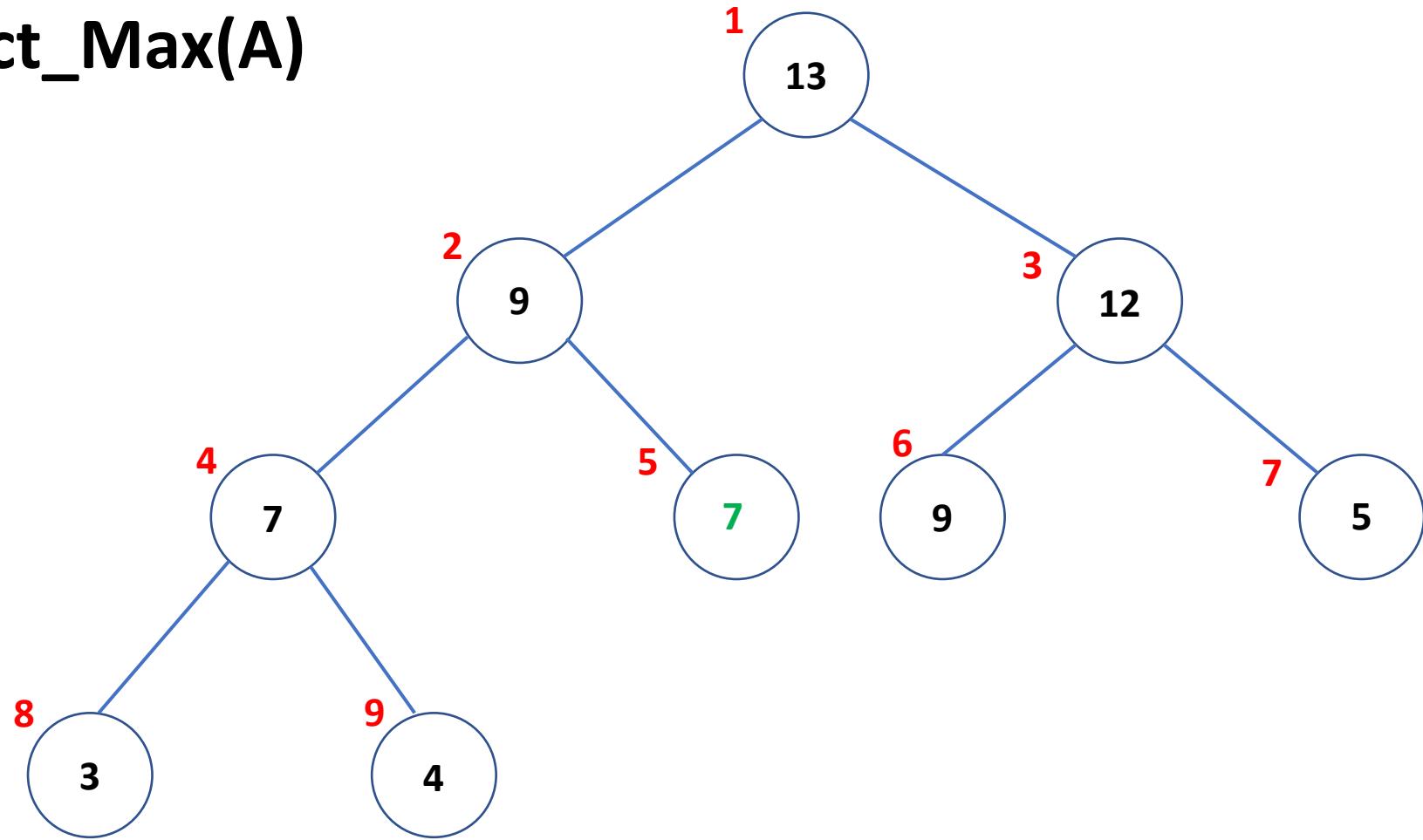
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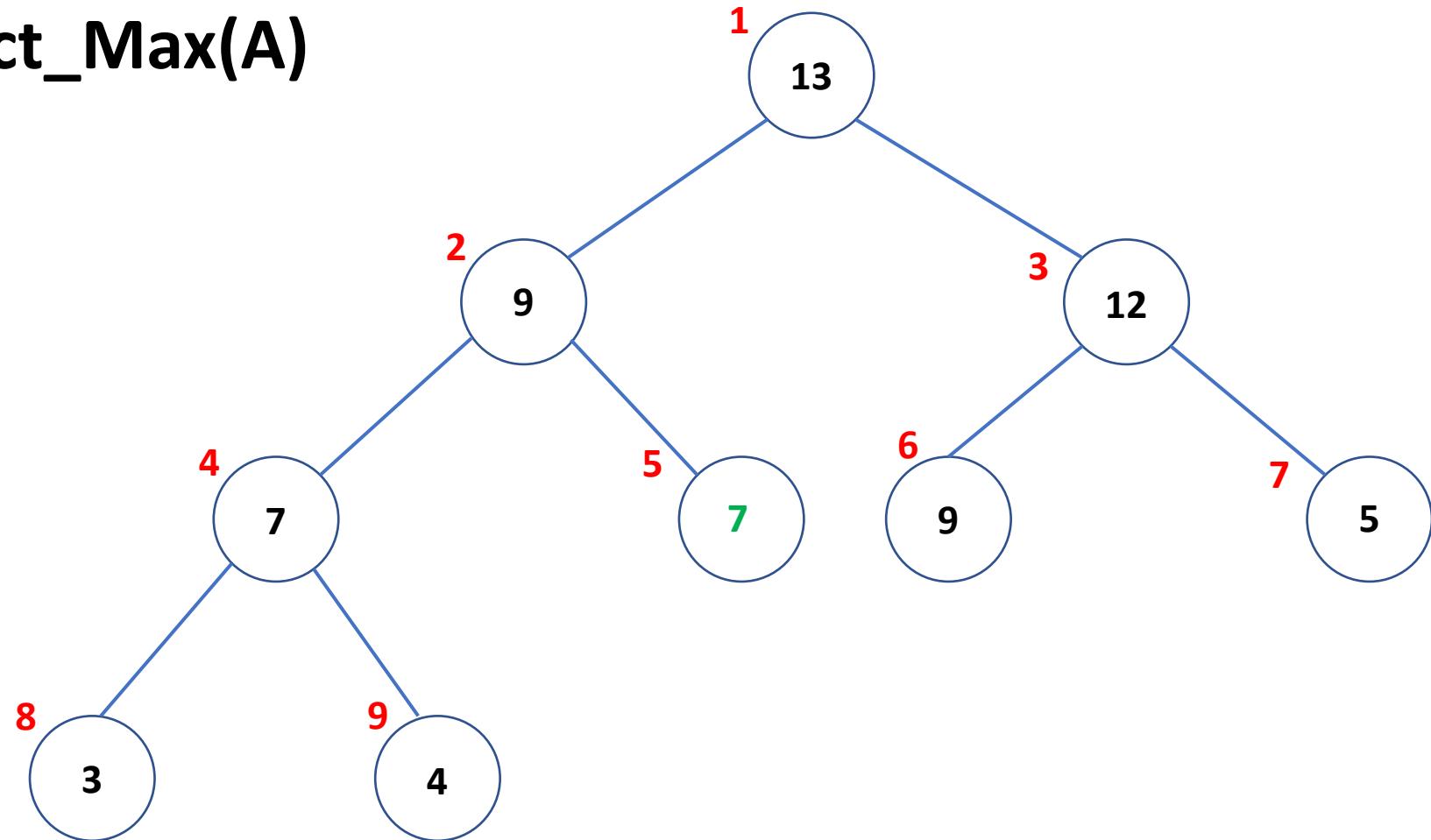
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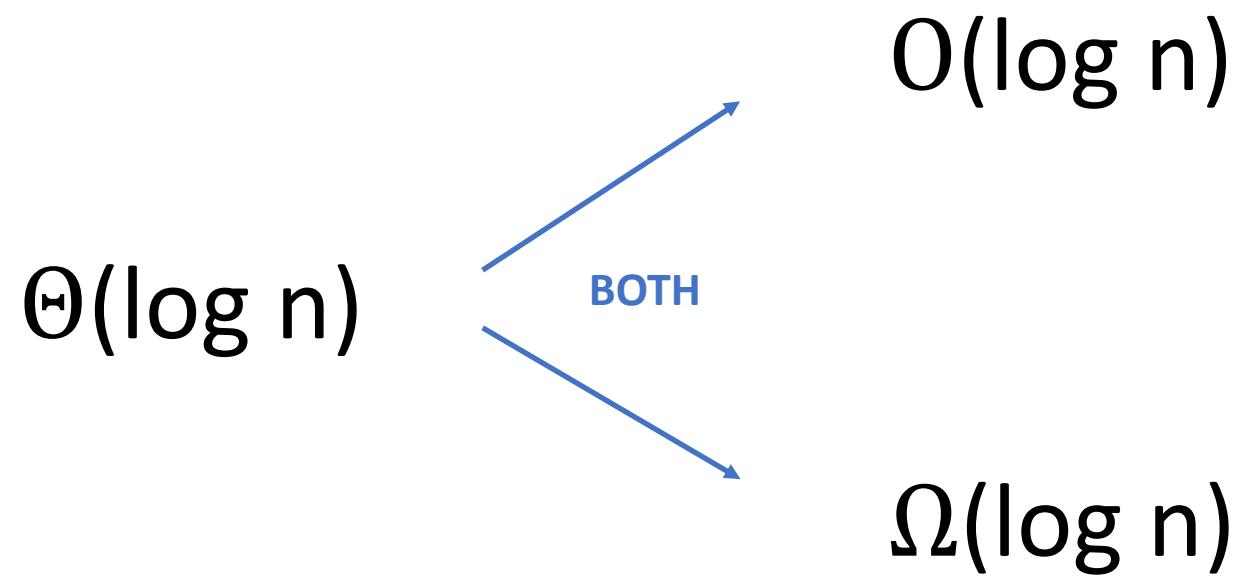
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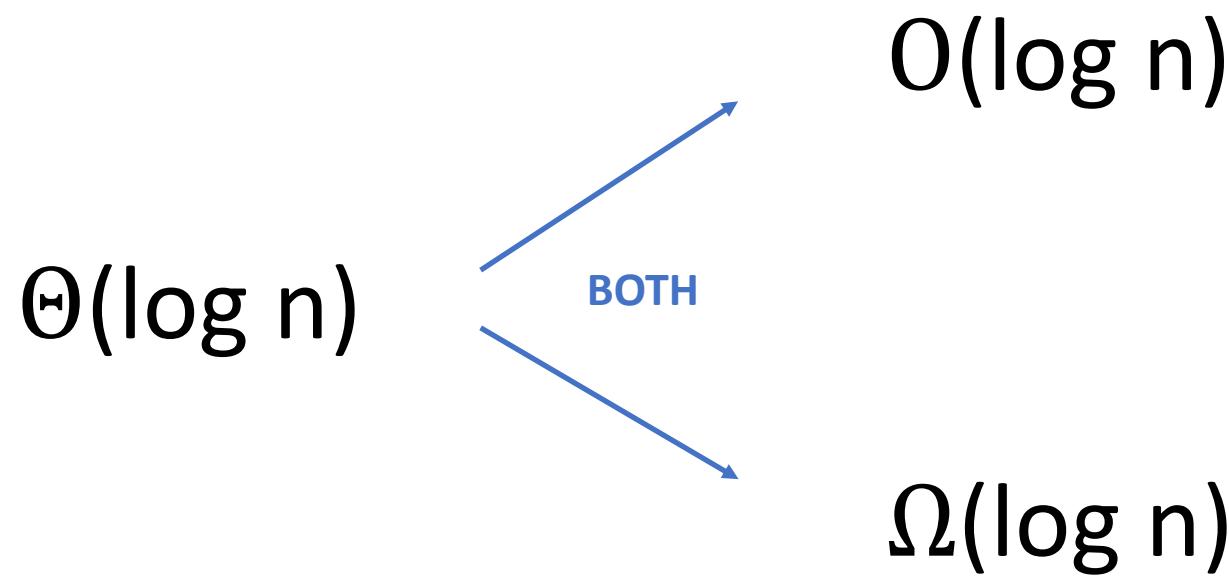


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