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Today's Goals:

- (TBA)

Today's Question(s)

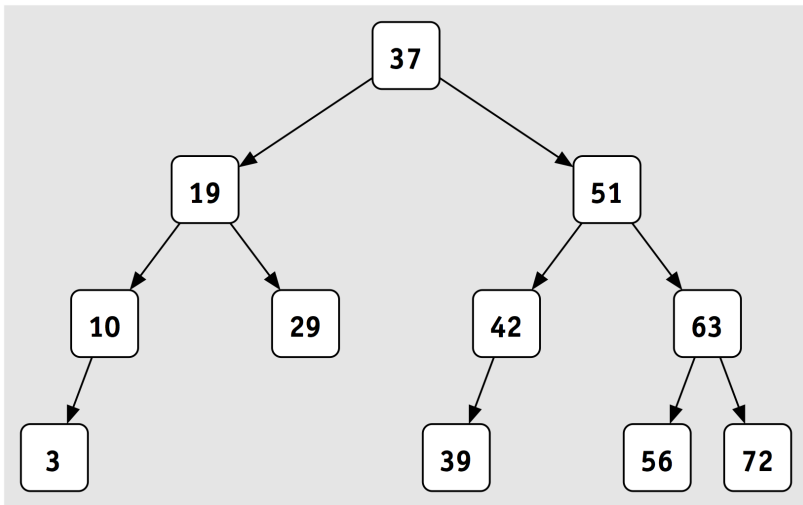
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QOTD:

Goals: * Implement insert in two different ways * Motivate and define tree rotations * Explain how randomized trees work

Reminder: Binary Search Trees (BSTs)

- ▶ Each node has at most 2 children
- ▶ All nodes in left subtree are less than parent
- ▶ All nodes in right subtree are greater than parent



Reminder: Tree Encoding

```
class StringBinarySearchTree {
public:
    ...
private:
    struct Node {
        string      value_;
        Node* left_;
        Node* right_;
    };
    Node* root_;
};
```

Reminder: Tree Lookup

```
bool lookup(const string& key) {  
    return lookupNode(root_, key);  
}
```

```
bool lookupNode(const Node* node, const string& key) {  
    if (node == nullptr)  
        return false;  
    else if (key < node->value_)  
        return lookupNode(node->left_, key);  
    else if (node->value_ < key)  
        return lookupNode(node->right_, key);  
    else  
        return true;
```

Insertion

```
void StringTree::insert(const string& key) {  
    nodeInsert(root_, key);  
}  
  
void StringTree::nodeInsert(Node*& node, const string& key)  
    if (node == nullptr) {  
        node = new Node{key};  
    }  
    else if (key < node->value_)  
        insertNode(node->left_, key);  
    else if (node->value_ < key)  
        insertNode(node->right_, key);  
    else  
        return; // Duplicate is undefined behavior  
}
```

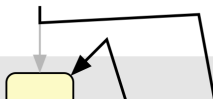
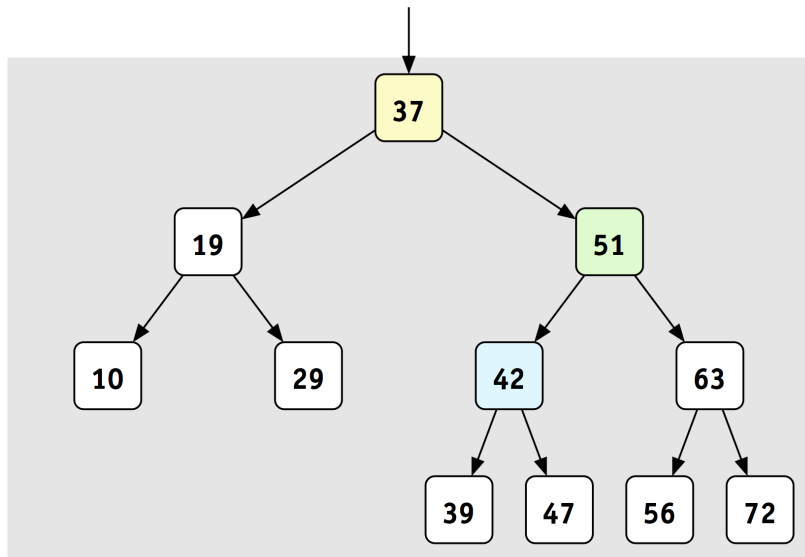
Practice: Create a tree from one of these

- ▶ D B F C G E A
- ▶ A B C D E F G
- ▶ D C B A E F G

Rearranging Trees

Rearrange the tree to make 51 the root (in constant time)

Rotations



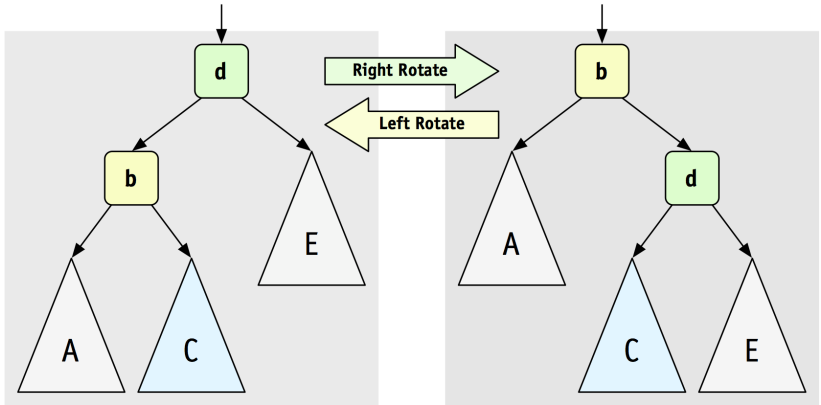
Rotation Code

```
void rotateRight(Node * & top) {  
    Node * b = top->left_;    // b is d's left child  
    top->left_ = b->right_;    // C becomes left child of d  
    b->right_ = top;          // d becomes right child of b  
    top = b;                  // top is now b  
}
```

Rotation Code: Left

```
void rotateLeft(Node * & top) {  
    Node * d = top->right_;    // d is b's left child  
    top->right_ = d->left_;    // C becomes right child of b  
    d->left_ = top;           // b becomes left child of d  
    top = d;                  // top is now d  
}
```

Rotations



Class Exercise

Write `insertAtRoot`, which

- ▶ inserts a value at a leaf, then
- ▶ “bubble the value up” to the root

Hint: *use rotations*

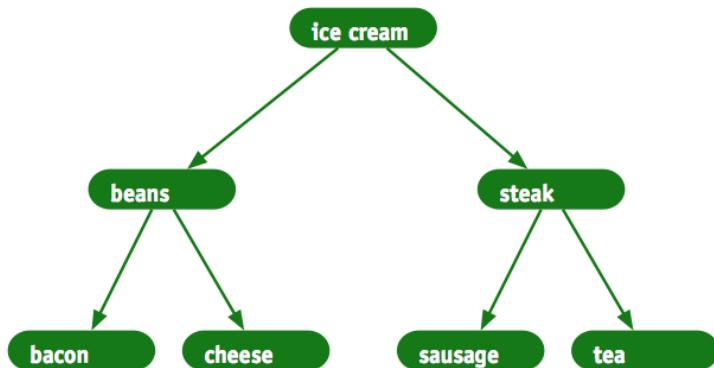
insertAtRoot

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Does this fix our stick problem?

▶ A B C D E F G

Perfect trees: definitions and properties

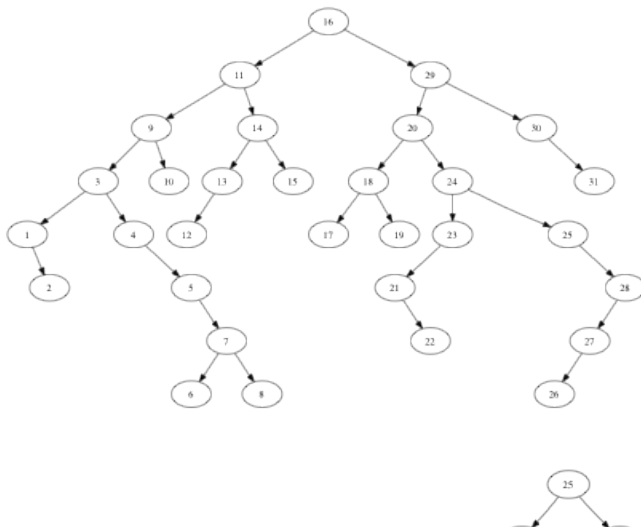


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Random Trees

What do they look like?

What are their properties?

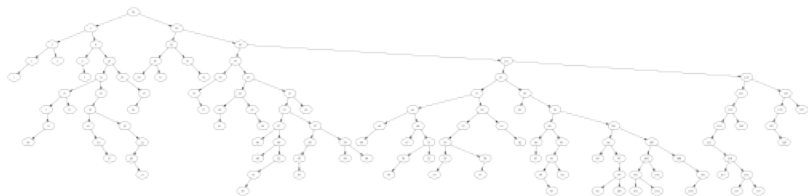


Random Info

Suppose I build a tree from a random permutation of 127 items. . .



What can we say about the likely trees we'll make. . . ?



With 127 nodes, how many possible random orders?

How many possible trees?

With 63 nodes, how many possible random orders?

How many possible trees?

Unsuccessful Search

Compared to perfection:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2H_{n+1} - 2}{\log_2(n+1)} = 2 \log 2 \approx 1.38629$$

Random Trees Are Good!

Observe that *if keys come in in random order*, the tree will tend to be reasonably balanced (about 38% worse than a perfectly balanced tree).

Randomized Trees

Simulate random insertion by



But how often should we do each?