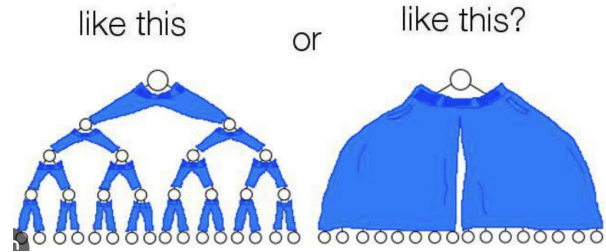


# CS 1332R

## WEEK 5

BST Remove  
Tree Traversals  
Recursive Tracing  
Exam 1 Review

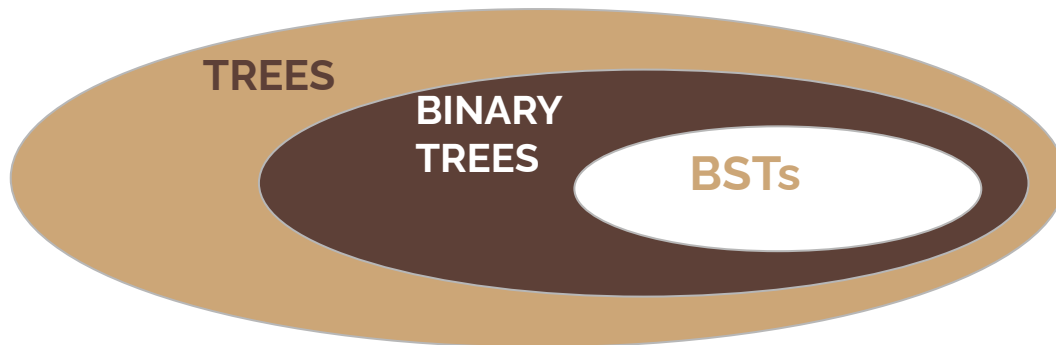
If a binary tree wore pants would he wear them



# *ANNOUNCEMENTS*



## REFRESHER: BSTs



### SHAPE Property

A node cannot have more than two children.

### ORDER Property

1. The left child's data must be less than the parent's data.
2. The right child's data must be greater than the parent's data.

- Accessible through a **root** reference
- **$O(\log n)$**  average case search
- The data type **must implement Comparable<T>**

## Binary Search Tree: Remove

- When removing, we must maintain the order property.
- We do not allow empty nodes.

### PROCEDURE

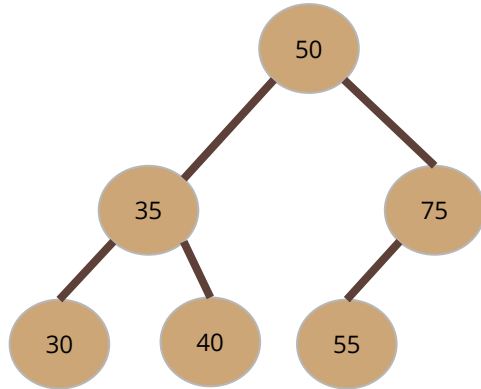
1. Search for the data you would like to remove.
2. If **currentNode == null**, the data is not in the tree.
3. If **currentNode.data == data**, there are 4 cases:
  - 1) The node has no children. **return null**
  - 2) The node only has a left child. **return the left child**
  - 3) The node only has a right child. **return the right child**
  - 4) The node has two children. **replace data in the node with the successor/predecessor and remove the successor/predecessor node**

What do we do in each case?

# Binary Search Tree: Remove

## PREDECESSOR

- Greatest value that is smaller than the node we want to remove
- Go one node to the left, then to the last possible right node



## SUCCESSOR

- Smallest value that is greater than the node we want to remove
- Go one node to the right, then to the last possible left node

Predecessor of 50?

40

Successor of 50?

55

Inorder Traversal: 30, 35, 40, 50, 55, 75

## *Binary Search Tree: Remove*

Would we use pointer reinforcement?

Yes

Why?

Because we are altering the structure  
of the tree

## Binary Search Tree: Remove

1. Search for the data you would like to remove.
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3. If **currentNode.data == data**, there are 4 cases:
  - 1) The node has no children → **return null**
  - 2) The node only has a left child. → **return node.left**
  - 3) The node only has a right child. → **return node.right**
  - 4) The node has two children. → **remove pred/succ node** and replace data with pred/succ data

How do we save the data we want to remove when recursing?

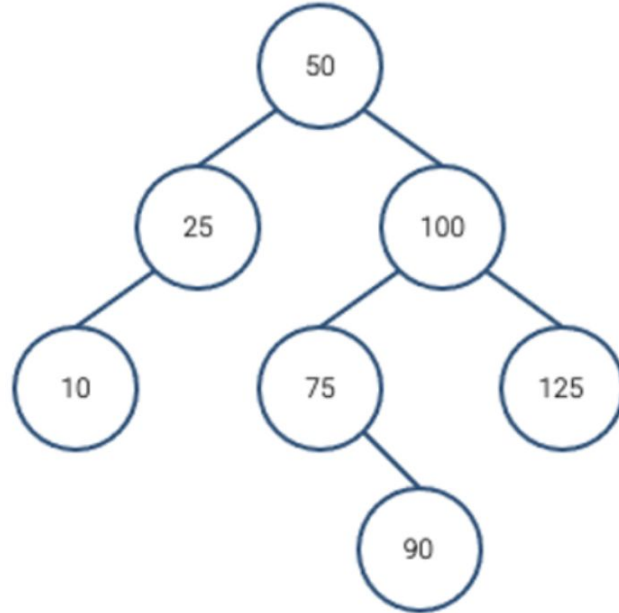
“dummy”/container node



How could we remove the predecessor and successor node?

traverse the tree  
starting at our current  
node to find the  
pred/succ node

## Binary Search Tree: Remove



if (100 > 50):  $50.\text{right} = \text{remove}(50.\text{right}, 100)$



if (100 == 100):

- find predecessor
- remove predecessor

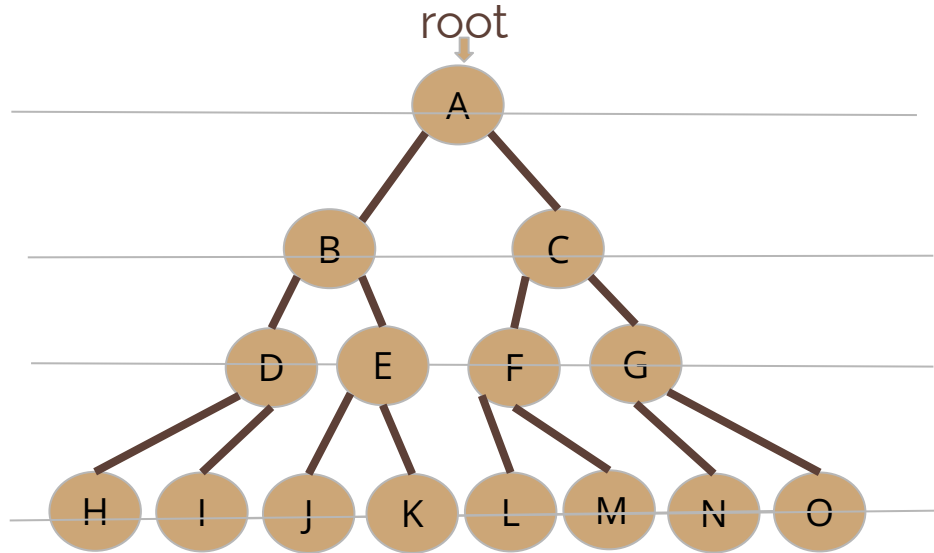
$75.\text{right} = \text{removePred}(75.\text{right})$

null

- replace data in node 100 with 90, return 100



## Binary Search Tree: Depth Traversals



**Preorder:** ABDHIEJ K C F L M G N O

**Inorder:** H D I B J E K A L F M C N G O

**Postorder:** H I D J K E B L M F N O G C A

Preorder  
"Add"  
order

Postorder  
"Delete"  
order

Inorder  
(Sorted  
order)

## *Binary Search Tree: Depth Traversals*

Would we use recursion?

YES

Would we use pointer reinforcement?

NO

## *Binary Search Tree: Depth Traversals*

3 parts to every traversal:

Write data at the Current node (C)

Traverse Left (L)

Traverse Right (R)

**PREORDER**

C

L

R

**INORDER**

L

C

R

**POSTORDER**

L

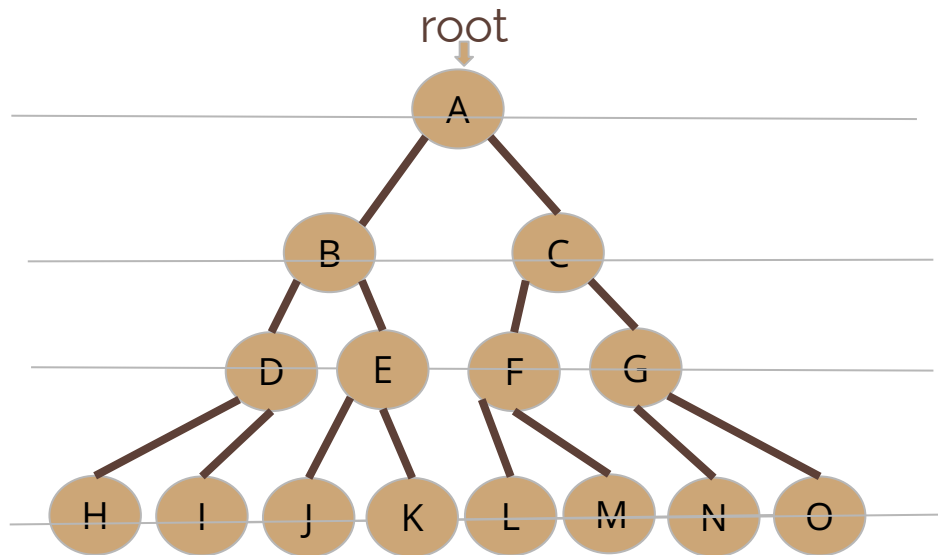
R

C

What is our base case to end recursion?

if the node is null

## Binary Search Tree: Breadth Traversals



### PROCEDURE

1. Use a queue to represent your frontier of nodes.
2. As you dequeue a node, add its data to your list and enqueue its children.

Iterative or recursive?

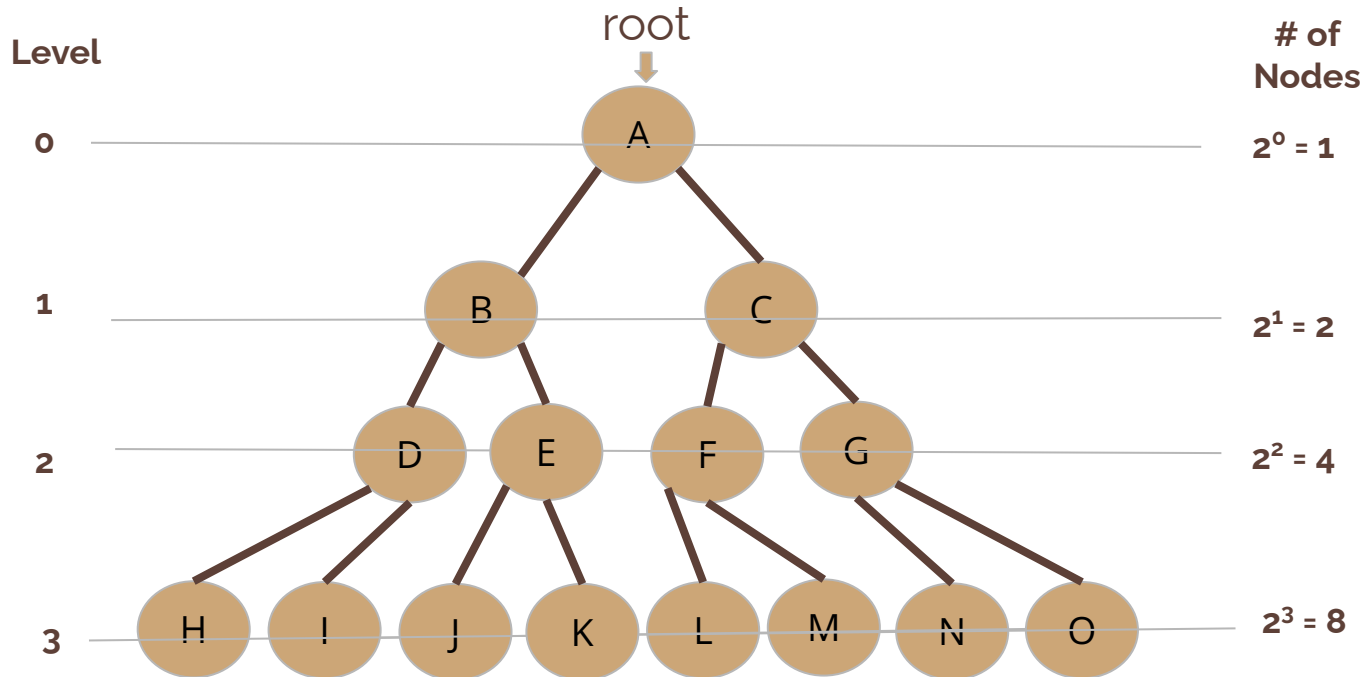
**iterative**

**Level Order:** A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O

*Data is read left to right, starting at the lowest level to deepest level*

## Binary Search Tree: Efficiencies

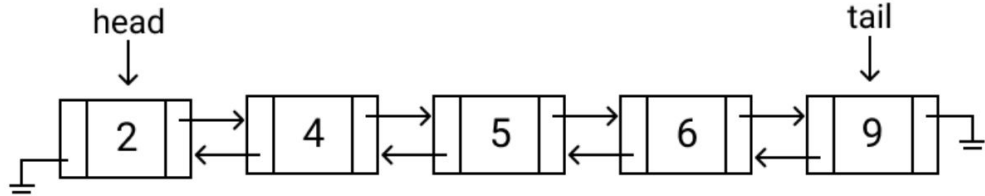
	Adding	Remove	Accessing	Height	Traversals
Average	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$
Worst	$O(n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$



## RECURSION EXAMPLE

**Trace the execution** of the mystery method when given the **HEAD of the doubly linked list** diagrammed below. Write the printed output of the method in the indicated output box. Write each print statement's output on a new line.

```
private class Node {  
    private int data;  
    private Node next;  
    private Node prev;  
    // constructors & class methods not shown  
}  
  
public static void mystery(Node curr) {  
    if (curr == null) {  
        System.out.println("Base");  
    } else {  
        if (curr.data % 2 == 0) {  
            mystery(curr.next.next);  
        } else {  
            mystery(curr.prev);  
        }  
        System.out.println(curr.data);  
    }  
}
```

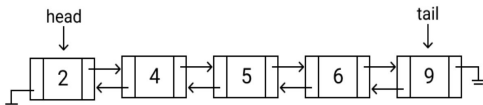


## RECURSION EXAMPLE: Tracing

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public static void mystery(Node curr) {
    1 if (curr == null) {
    2     System.out.println("Base");
    3 } else {
    4     if (curr.data % 2 == 0) {
    5         mystery(curr.next.next);
    6     } else {
    7         mystery(curr.prev);
    8     }
    9     System.out.println(curr.data);
}
```

Original Call	Recursive Call	Line # of <u>Recursive Call</u>	"curr"	Returned Value/Print Statement
mystery( null )	N/A	N/A	null	Base
mystery( [6] )	mystery( null )	Line 5	[6]	6
mystery( [4] )	mystery( [6] )	Line 5	[4]	4
mystery( [5] )	mystery( [4] )	Line 7	[5]	5
mystery( [2] )	mystery( [5] )	Line 5	[2]	2



**mystery( head )**

## *LEETCODE PROBLEMS*

102. Binary Tree Level Order Traversal

1008. Construct Binary Tree From Preorder Traversal



# ***EXAM 1 REVIEW***

**Kahoot**

(There's also a practice exam in Canvas: Files -> resources -> recitation materials -> recitation practice exams)



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