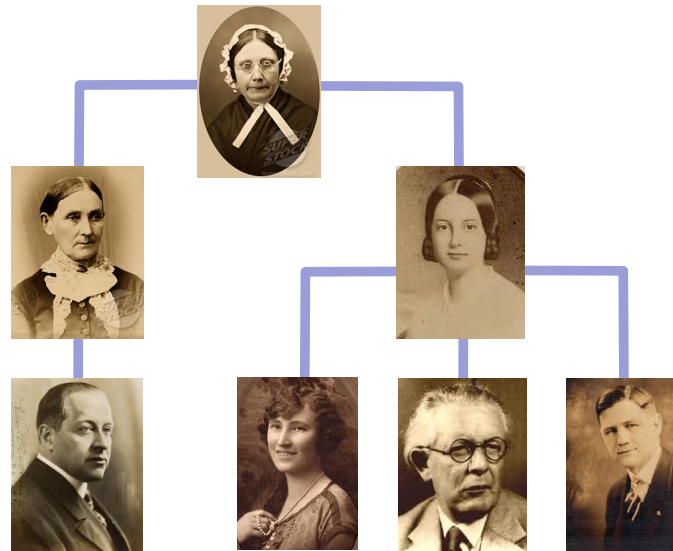


## 5. Trees



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Trees

## DEFINITIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

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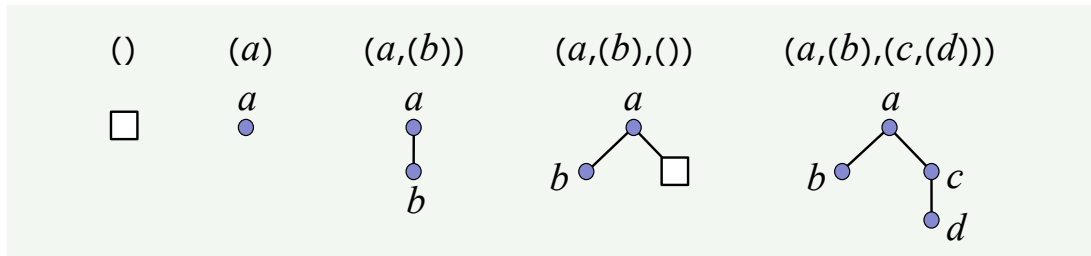
Traversal

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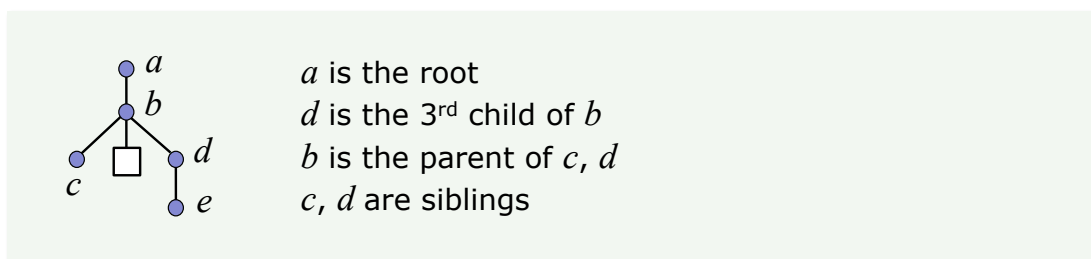
1. The empty tuple  $()$  is a **tree**.
2. Any tuple  $(N, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n)$  where  $n \geq 0$  and  $T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n$  are trees is a **tree**.



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Consider a tree  $T = (N, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n)$ .

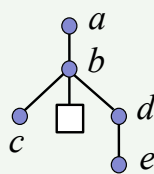
- ✧  $N$  is the **root** of  $T$ .
- ✧ The root  $N_k$  of  $T_k$  (if any) is the  $k^{\text{th}}$  **child** of  $N$ .
- ✧  $N$  is the **parent** of  $N_k$ .
- ✧  $N_1, N_2, \dots, N_n$  are **siblings**.



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Consider a tree  $T=(N, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n)$ .

- ✧ 1.  $N$  is an  $n$ -**node** (or node of **order**  $n$ ) of  $T$  at **level** 0.
- 2. An  $m$ -node of  $T_k$  at level  $\ell$  is an  $m$ -**node** of  $T$  at **level**  $\ell+1$ .
- ✧ 1.  $N_k$  is a **descendant** of  $N$ .
- 2. A descendant of  $N_k$  is a **descendant** of  $N$ .
- ✧ 1.  $T_k$  is a **subtree** of  $T$ , and it is the  $k^{\text{th}}$  **subtree** of  $N$ .
- 2. A subtree of  $T_k$  is a **subtree** of  $T$ .

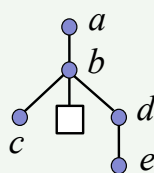


$b$  is a 3-node at level 1  
 $c, d$  are nodes at level 2  
 $c, d, e$  are the descendants of  $b$   
 $e$  is the only descendant of  $d$   
 $(d, (e))$  is the 3<sup>rd</sup> subtree of  $b$

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Consider a tree  $T=(N, T_1, T_2, \dots, T_n)$ .

- ✧ A node without children is a **leaf**, or an **external node**.
- ✧ A node with children is a **parent**, or an **internal node**.
- ✧ If  $N''$  is a descendant of  $N'$  then  $N'$  is an **ancestor** of  $N''$ .
- ✧ The maximum order of a node is the **order** of  $T$ .
- ✧ The maximum level of a node is the **height** of  $T$ .



the leaves are  $c, e$   
the internal nodes are  $a, b, d$   
the ancestors of  $d$  are  $a, b$   
the order of the tree is 3  
the height of the tree is 3

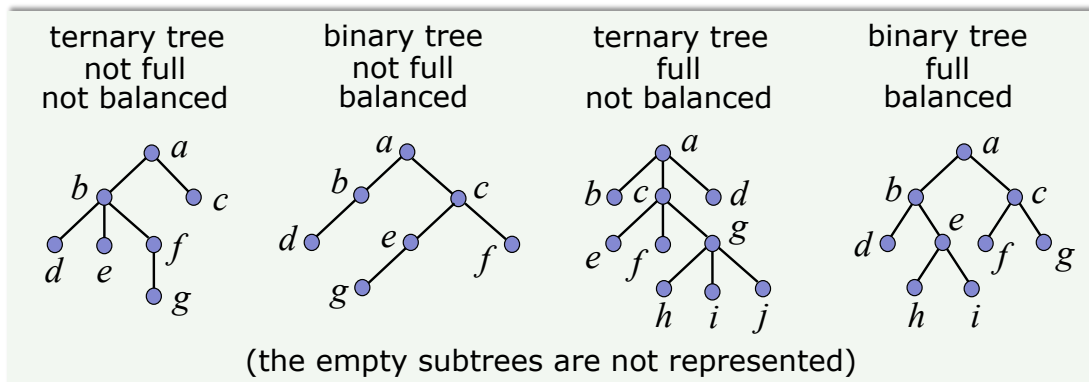
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A tree is an **m-ary tree** if every node is an m-node.

A 2-ary tree is a **binary tree**, a 3-ary tree is a **ternary tree**, etc.

An m-ary tree is **full** if every node has exactly 0 or m children.

An m-ary tree is **balanced** if, for each node, the node's subtrees have heights that differ by at most 1. (Note: The height of  $()$  is  $-1$ .)

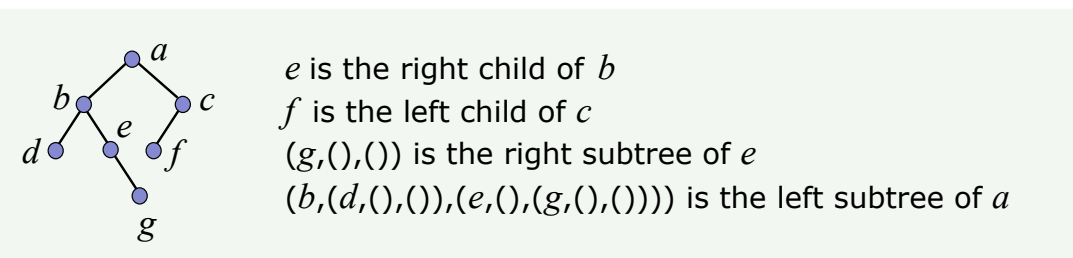


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Let  $T$  be a binary tree.

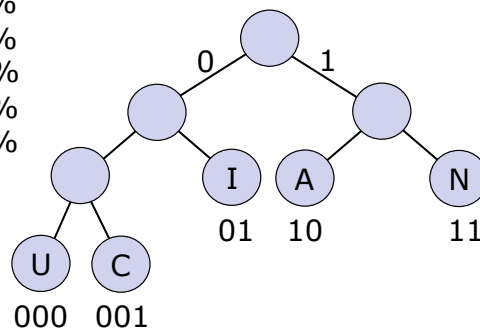
For any node  $N$  of  $T$ :

- ✧ The 1<sup>st</sup> child of  $N$  (if any) is the **left child** of  $N$ .
- ✧ The 2<sup>nd</sup> child of  $N$  (if any) is the **right child** of  $N$ .
- ✧ The 1<sup>st</sup> subtree of  $N$  is the **left subtree** of  $N$ .
- ✧ The 2<sup>nd</sup> subtree of  $N$  is the **right subtree** of  $N$ .



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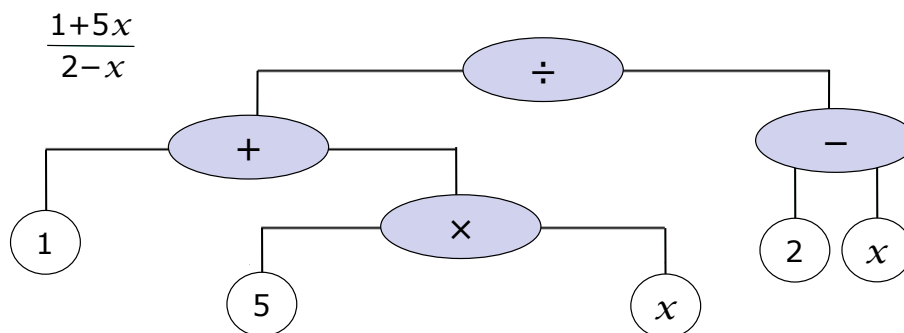
A: 30%  
C: 10%  
I: 25%  
N: 25%  
U: 10%



### Huffman tree:

gives optimal prefix-free binary code.

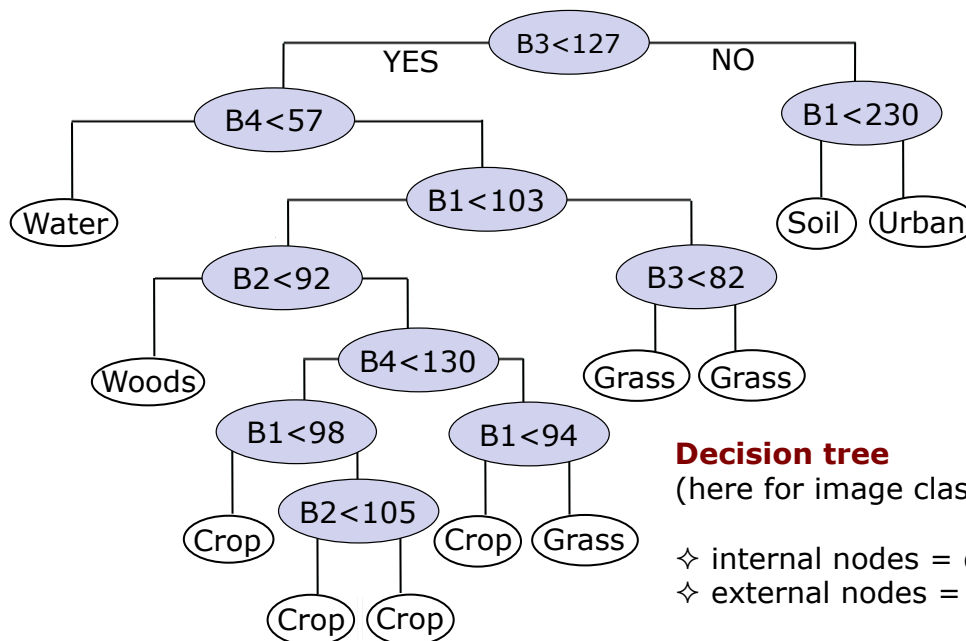
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### Expression tree:

- ✧ internal nodes = operators
- ✧ external nodes = operands

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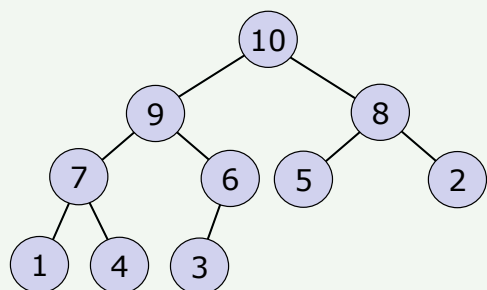


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Let  $T$  be a binary tree of height  $h$ . Assume:

- ✧ Any node with less than 2 children is at level  $h$  or  $h-1$ .
- ✧ The leaves at level  $h$  are placed as far left as possible.
- ✧ Each node is in the form (item, **key**).
- ✧ All keys from all nodes are comparable under some order relation  $\preceq$ .
- ✧ The key of each child is less than or equal to the key of its parent.

Then  $(T, \preceq)$  is a **heap**.



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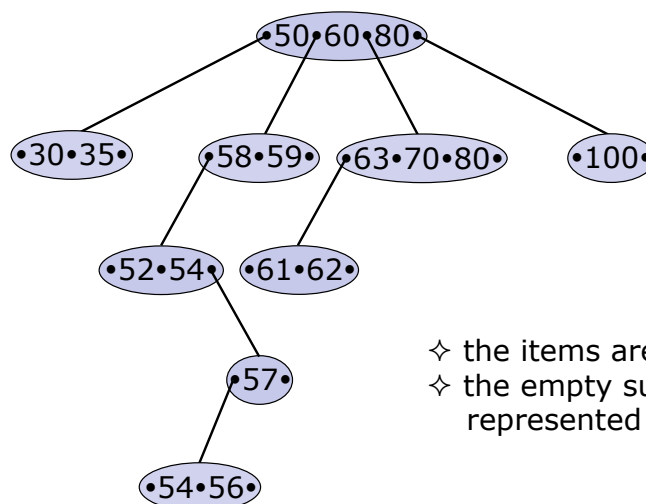
Let  $T$  be a tree. Assume:

- ✧ Each node is in the form  $((\text{item}_1, \text{key}_1), (\text{item}_2, \text{key}_2), \dots, (\text{item}_n, \text{key}_n))$  where  $n \geq 1$  depends on the node.
- ✧ All keys from all nodes are comparable under some order relation  $\leq$
- ✧ The keys in each node are in ascending order.
- ✧ A node with  $n$  keys has  $n+1$  subtrees.
- ✧ The keys in the first  $i$  subtrees are less than or equal to the  $i^{\text{th}}$  key.
- ✧ The keys in the other subtrees are greater than or equal to the  $i^{\text{th}}$  key.

Then  $(T, \leq)$  is a **multiway search tree**.

A multiway search tree of order  $m$  is an **m-way search tree**.

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- ✧ the items are not indicated
- ✧ the empty subtrees are not represented

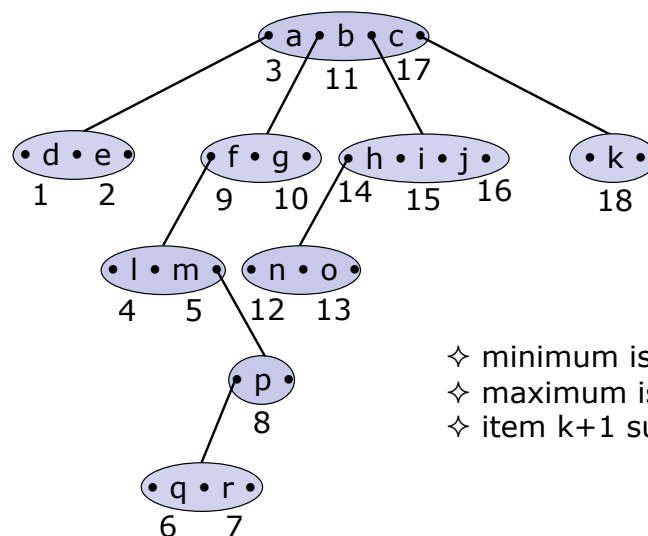
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Let  $(T, \preceq)$  be a multiway search tree.  
Assume all keys are distinct:

- ✧ The **minimum** item is the item with minimum key.
- ✧ The **maximum** item is the item with maximum key.
- ✧ The **successor** of an item is the item with the smallest larger key.
- ✧ The **predecessor** of an item is the item with the largest smaller key.

These definitions can easily be extended  
to the case when not all keys are distinct.

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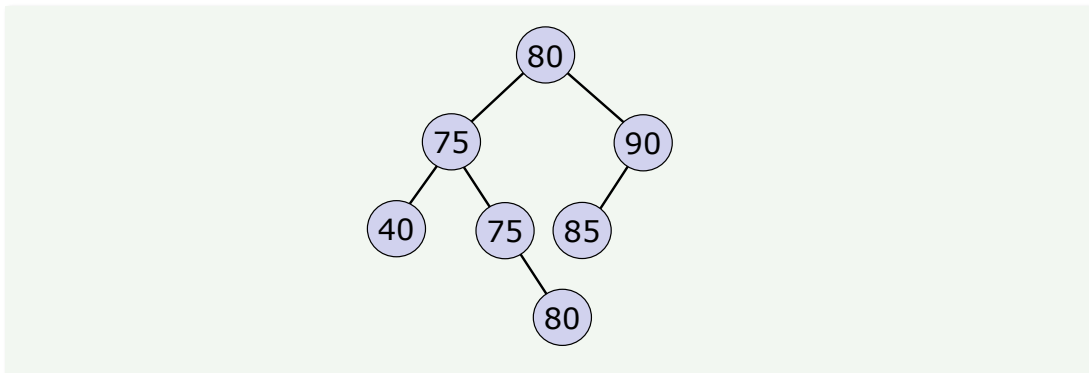
- ✧ minimum is item 1
- ✧ maximum is item 18
- ✧ item k+1 successor of k

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Let  $(T, \preceq)$  be a multiway search tree.

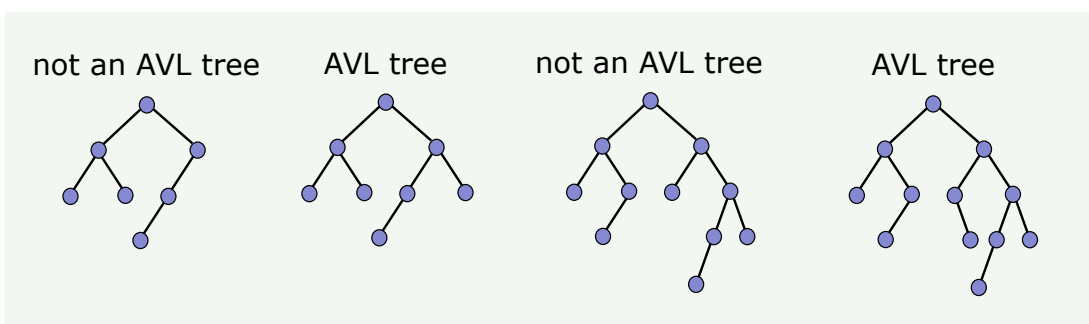
If  $T$  is a binary tree  
then  $(T, \preceq)$  is a **binary search tree**.



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Let  $(T, \preceq)$  be a binary search tree.

If  $T$  is balanced  
then  $(T, \preceq)$  is an **AVL tree**.

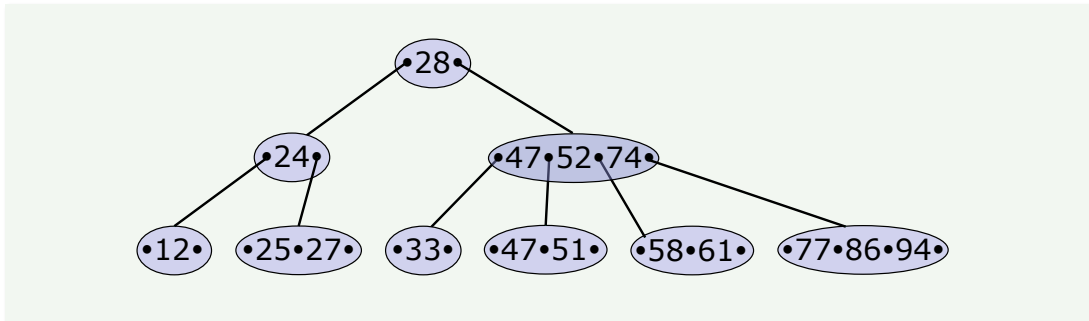


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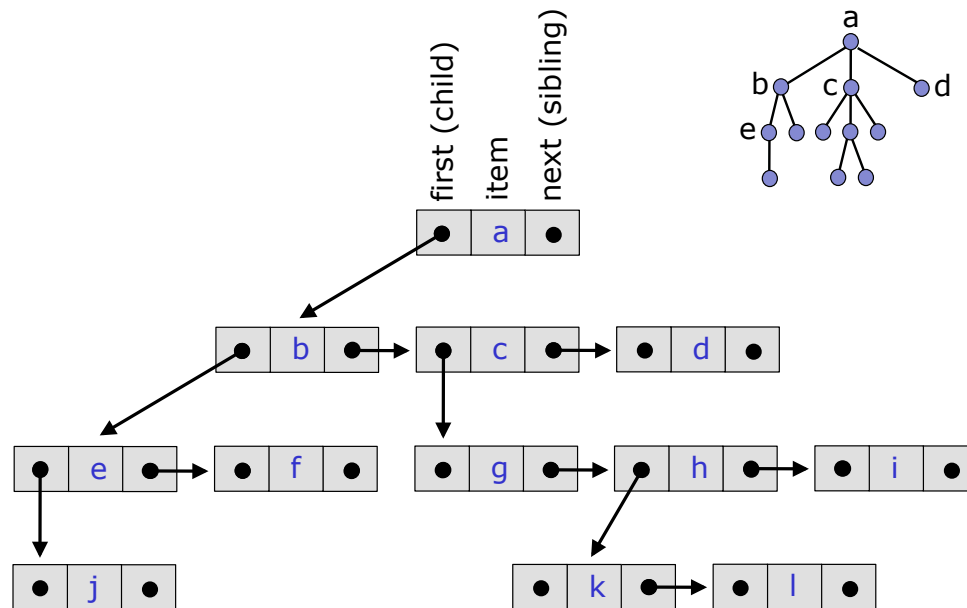
Let  $(T, \preceq)$  be a multiway search tree. Assume:

- ✧ Each node is with 1, 2 or 3 keys.
- ✧ A parent with  $n$  keys has  $n+1$  children.
- ✧ All the leaves are at the same level.

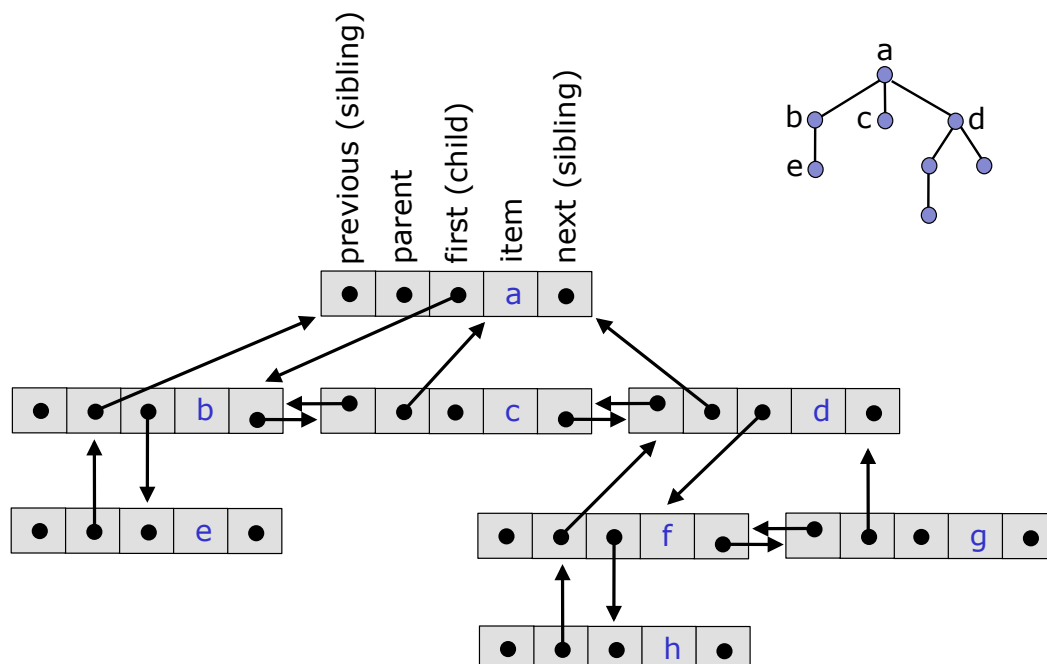
Then  $(T, \preceq)$  is a **2-4 tree**.



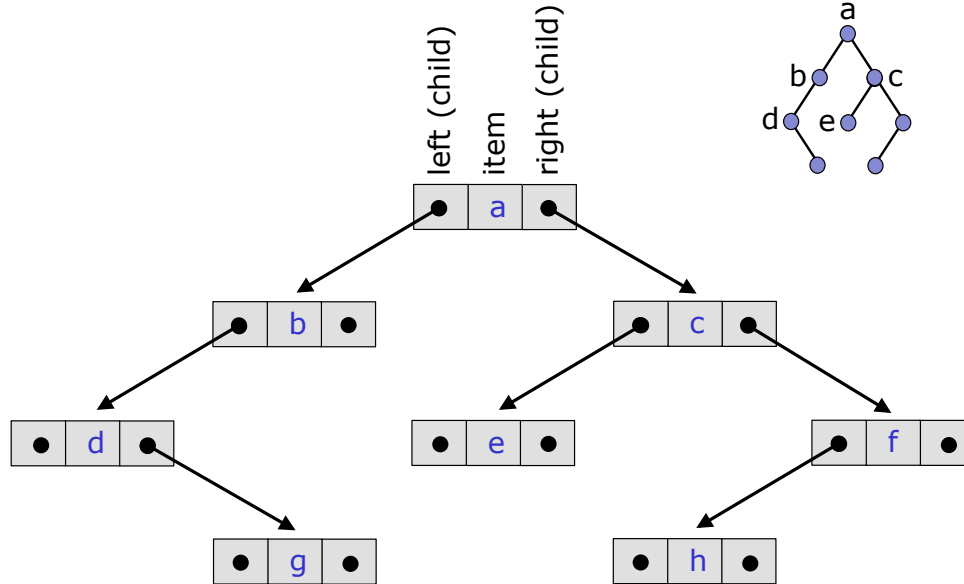
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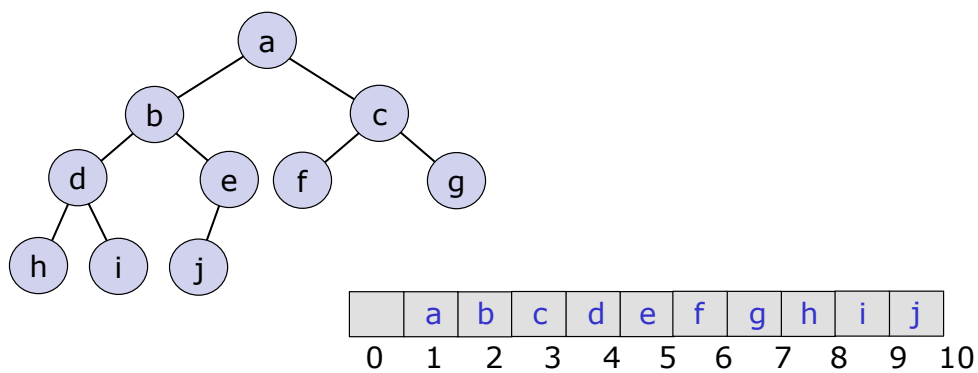
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If node at rank  $i$  then left child at rank  $2i$   
and right child at rank  $2i+1$

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## Definitions and Terminology

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### TRAVERSAL

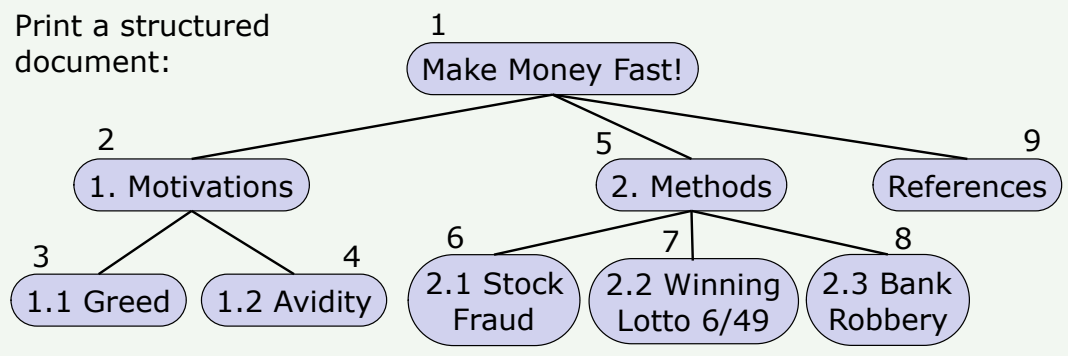
Search  
Insertion  
Removal

Goal: visit every node once and only once.

```
function Preorder (N)
    visit N
    for each child C of N from first to last
        Preorder(C)
```

**$O(n)$**   
with n  
number of nodes

Print a structured document:



Goal: visit every node once and only once.

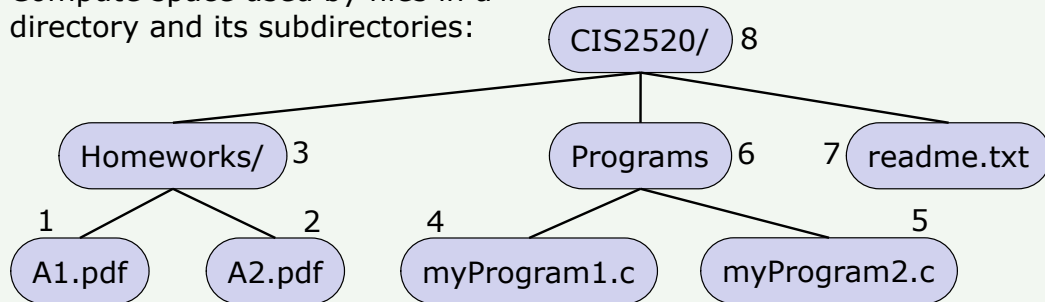
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function Postorder (N)
  for each child C of N from first to last
    Postorder(C)
  visit N

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**O(n)** with n number of nodes

Compute space used by files in a directory and its subdirectories:



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Goal: visit every node once and only once.

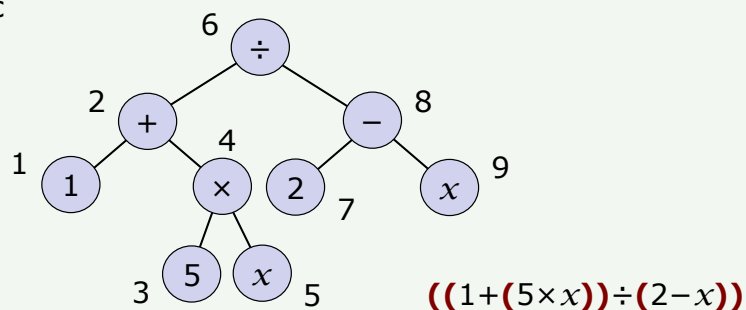
```

function Inorder (N)
  if N has a left child L then Inorder(L)
  visit N
  if N has a right child R then Inorder(R)

```

**O(n)** with n number of nodes

Print an arithmetic expression:



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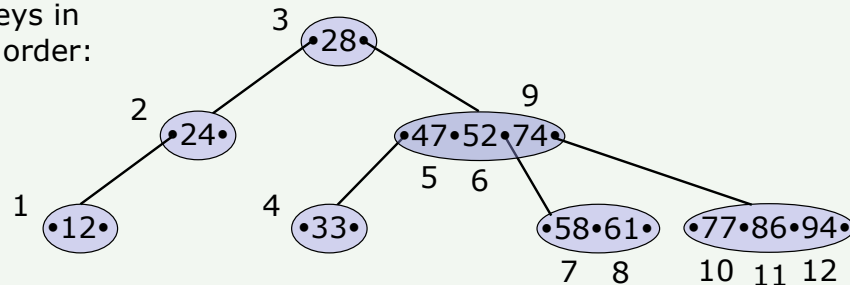
Goal: visit every (item,key) pair once and only once.

```

function Inorder (N)
  for i=1 to the number k of keys of N
    if N has an  $i^{\text{th}}$  child  $C_i$  then Inorder( $C_i$ )
      visit ( $\text{item}_i, \text{key}_i$ )
    if N has a  $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$  child  $C_{k+1}$  then Inorder( $C_{k+1}$ )
  
```

**$O(n)$**   
with n  
number  
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Visit the keys in  
ascending order:



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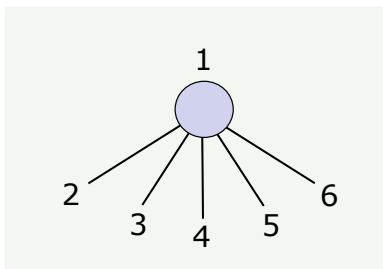
Goal: determine whether a given item is stored in the tree.

```

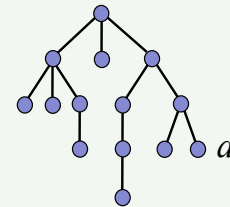
function Search (N, I)
  if N.item=I then return true
  for each child C of N from first to last
    if Search(C,I)=true then return true
  return false

```

**$O(n)$**   
with  $n$   
number  
of nodes



Worst case:  
item is stored in node  $a$



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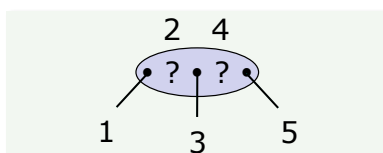
Goal: find in the tree an item with a given key.

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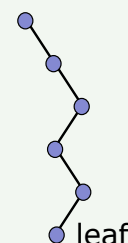
function Search (N, K)
  let  $key_i$  be the  $i^{th}$  key of N
  if  $K < key_1$  and N has a 1st child  $C_1$ 
    then return Search( $C_1, K$ )
  for  $i=2$  to the number  $k$  of keys of N
    if  $K = key_{i-1}$  then return item $_{i-1}$ 
    if  $key_{i-1} < K < key_i$  and N has an  $i^{th}$  child  $C_i$ 
      then return Search( $C_i, K$ )
  if  $K = key_k$  then return item $_k$ 
  if  $K > key_k$  and N has a  $(k+1)^{th}$  child  $C_{k+1}$ 
    then return Search( $C_{k+1}, K$ )
  return nil

```

**$O(hm)$**   
with  
 $h$ =height  
 $m$ =order



Worst case:  $h=n-1$  and  
 $m=2$ , with  $n$  number of  
keys, and item in leaf



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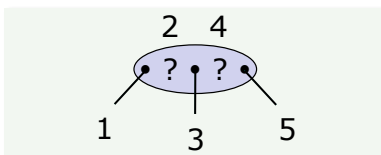


Goal: find in the tree an item with a given key.

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  then return Search( $C_1, K$ )
  for  $i=2$  to the number  $k$  of keys of N
    if  $K = key_{i-1}$  then return  $item_{i-1}$ 
    if  $key_{i-1} < K < key_i$  and N has an  $i^{th}$  child  $C_i$ 
    then return Search( $C_i, K$ )
  if  $K = key_k$  then return  $item_k$ 
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  return nil
  
```

**$O(\log n)$**   
with  $n$   
number  
of keys



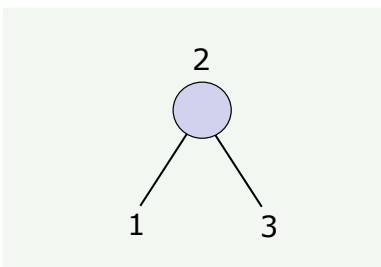
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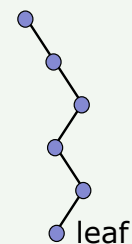
```

function Search (N, K)
  if  $K < N.key$  and  $N.left \neq nil$ 
  return Search( $N.left, K$ )
  if  $K = N.key$ 
  return  $N.item$ 
  if  $K > N.key$  and  $N.right \neq nil$ 
  return Search( $N.right, K$ )
  return nil
  
```

**$O(h)$**   
with  $h$ =height



Worst case:  $h=n-1$ ,  
with  $n$  number of nodes,  
and item stored in leaf

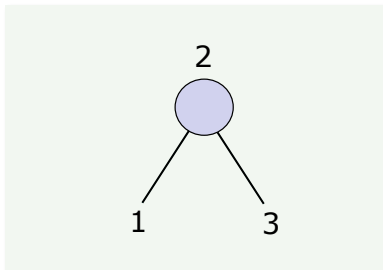


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Goal: find in the tree an item with a given key.

```
function Search (N, K)
  if K < N.key and N.left ≠ nil
    return Search(N.left, K)
  if K = N.key
    return N.item
  if K > N.key and N.right ≠ nil
    return Search(N.right, K)
  return nil
```

**$O(\log n)$**   
with  $n$  number of nodes



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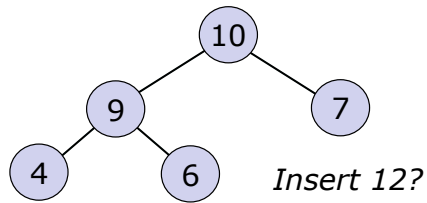
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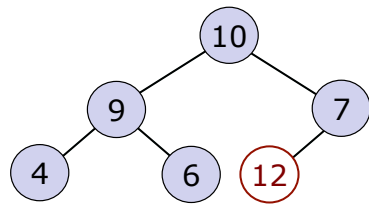
Search

**INSERTION**

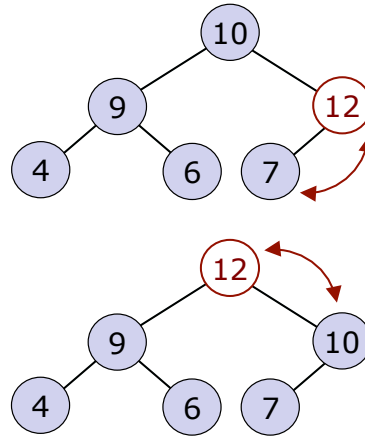
Removal



1. Insert to the "end" of the heap

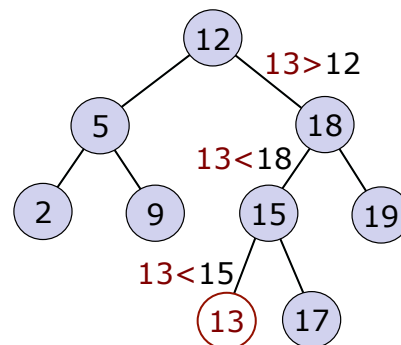
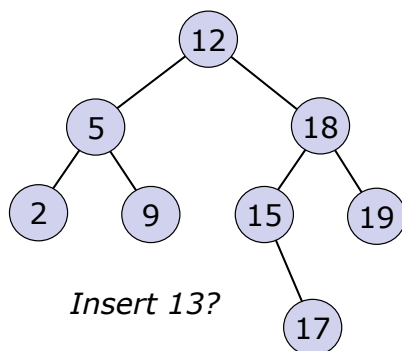


2. Restore the heap-order property, i.e., (up)heapify



**$O(\log n)$**  with  $n$  number of nodes

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**$O(h)$**  with  $h$  height

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## AVL TREES (1/4)

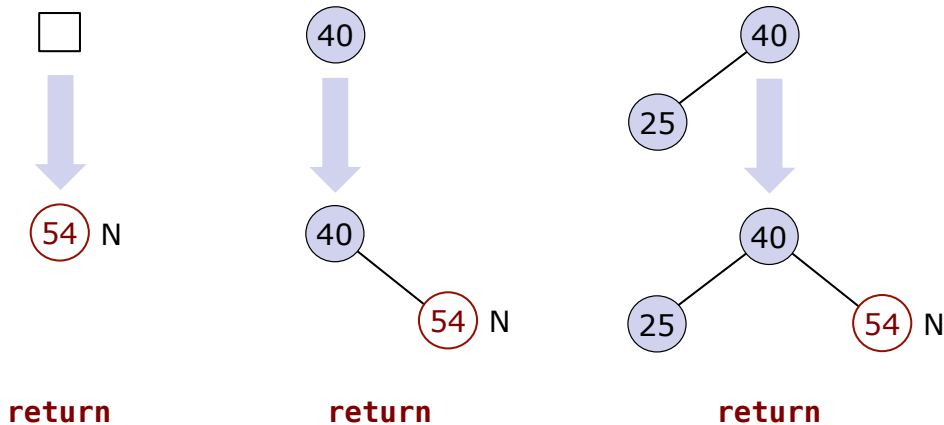
5.39

insert (item,key) as in a binary search tree

N=newly created node

**if** N.parent=nil **or** N.parent.parent=nil **then return**

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## AVL TREES (2/4)

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insert (item,key) as in a binary search tree

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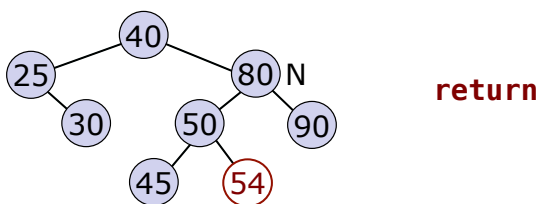
**if** N.parent=nil **or** N.parent.parent=nil **then return**

**while** N.parent.parent is balanced

    N=N.parent

**if** N.parent.parent=nil **then return**

.....



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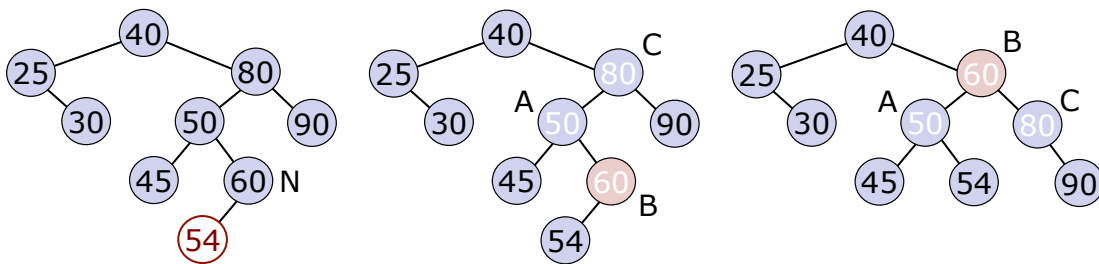
**if** N.parent.parent=nil **then return**

A=1<sup>st</sup> of N, N.parent and N.parent.parent in inorder traversal

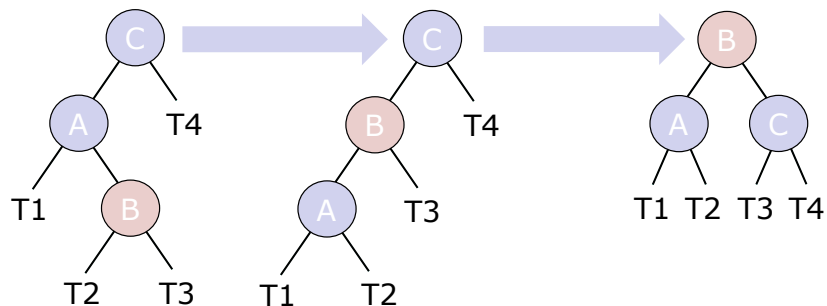
B=2<sup>nd</sup> of N, N.parent and N.parent.parent in inorder traversal

C=3<sup>rd</sup> of N, N.parent and N.parent.parent in inorder traversal

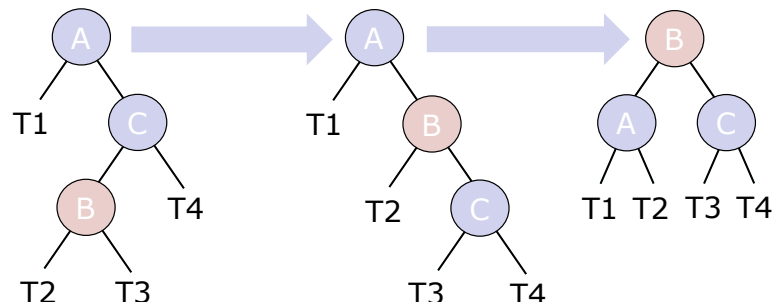
restructure the tree to make B the parent of A and C \*



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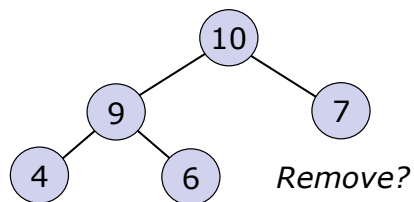
\* restructure...



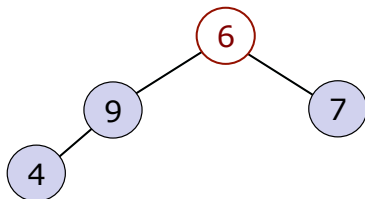
**O(log n)** with n  
number of nodes

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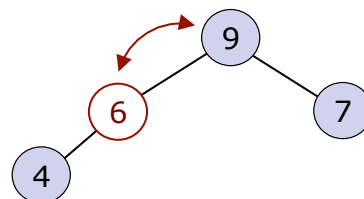
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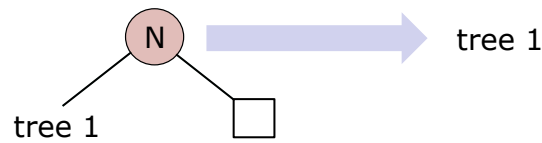
1. Replace the root with the "last" node and delete the last node



2. Restore the heap-order property, i.e., (down)heapify



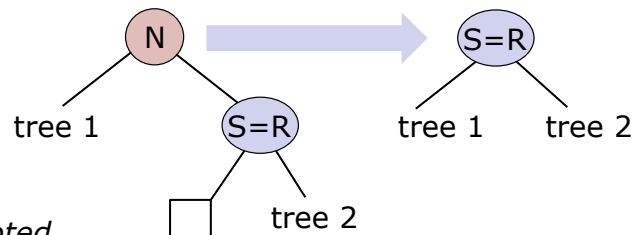
**$O(\log n)$**  with  $n$  number of nodes

*case 1:*

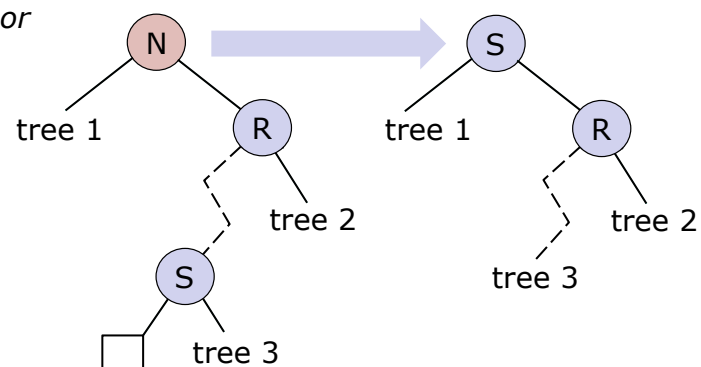
consider the subtree rooted  
at the node  $N$  to be removed

*case 2:*

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*case 3:*

consider the subtree rooted  
at the node  $N$  to be removed  
and let  $S$  be  $N$ 's successor

*case 4:* **$O(h)$**  with  $h$  height

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