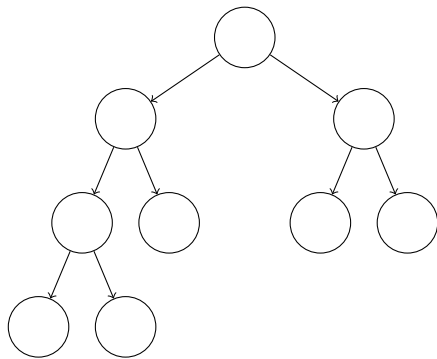


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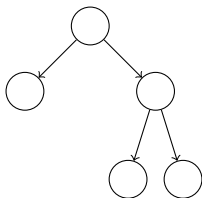


A **tree** is composed of

- ▶ Leaf nodes
- ▶ Branch nodes

A tree type in Haskell

```
data Tree = Leaf | Branch Tree Tree deriving (Show)
```



```
Branch Leaf (Branch Leaf Leaf)
```

Recursion on trees

We can write **recursive** functions that process trees

- Usually the recursive case will process both branches

```
size :: Tree -> Int
```

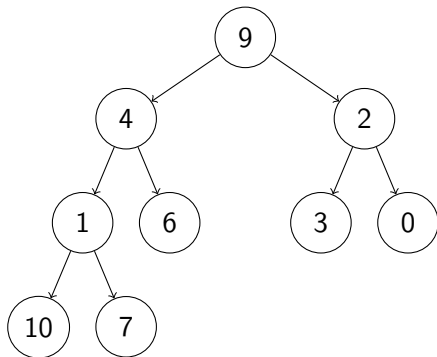
```
size (Leaf) = 1
```

```
size (Branch x y) = 1 + size x + size y
```

```
ghci> size (Branch Leaf (Branch Leaf Leaf))
```

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```

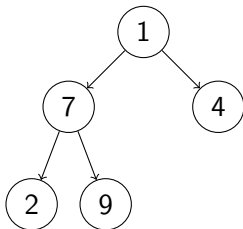
Trees with data



Nodes in a tree often hold **data**

Trees with data

```
data DTree a = DLeaf a
              | DBranch a (DTree a) (DTree a)
              deriving (Show)
```



```
DBranch 1 (DBranch 7 (DLeaf 2) (DLeaf 9)) (DLeaf 4)
```

Recursion on trees with data

```
tree_sum :: Num a => DTree a -> a
```

```
tree_sum (DLeaf x) = x
```

```
tree_sum (DBranch x l r) = x + tree_sum l + tree_sum r
```

```
ghci> tree_sum (DBranch 11 (DLeaf 2) (DLeaf 9))
```

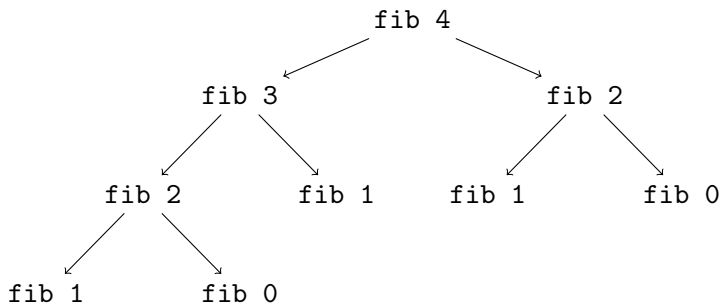
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Example: Fibonacci numbers

`fib 0 = 0`

`fib 1 = 1`

`fib n = fib (n-1) + fib (n-2)`



Example: Fibonacci numbers

How many recursive calls does the code make?

- Let's build the call tree

```
fib_tree :: Int -> Tree
```

```
fib_tree 0 = Leaf
```

```
fib_tree 1 = Leaf
```

```
fib_tree n = Branch (fib_tree (n-1)) (fib_tree (n-2))
```

```
ghci> fib_tree 4
```

```
Branch (Branch (Branch Leaf Leaf) Leaf)
      (Branch Leaf Leaf)
```

Example: Fibonacci numbers

```
fib_calls n = size (fib_tree n)
```

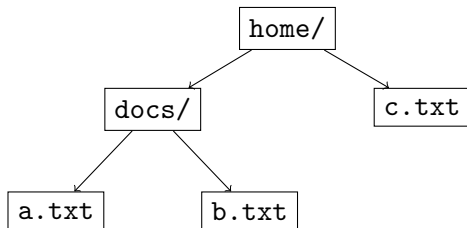
```
ghci> fib_calls 10  
177
```

```
ghci> fib_calls 20  
21891
```

```
ghci> fib_calls 30  
2692537
```

Example: Finding a file

Suppose that we have a directory structure



Write a function that, given a filename finds the path to that file

Example: Finding a file

We can formulate the files as a data tree

```
let fs =  
  DBranch "home/"  
    (DBranch "docs/" (DLeaf "a.txt") (DLeaf "b.txt"))  
    (DLeaf "c.txt")
```

Example: Finding a file

Note that the file might not exist

- So we will use the maybe type

```
ghci> find_file "a.txt" fs  
Just "home/docs/a.txt"
```

```
ghci> find_file "d.txt" fs  
Nothing
```

Example: Finding a file

```
find_file file (DLeaf x)
  | x == file = Just file
  | otherwise = Nothing
```

```
find_file file (DBranch x l r) =
  let
    left = find_file file l
    right = find_file file r
  in
    case (left, right) of
      (Just y, _) -> Just (x ++ y)
      (_, Just y) -> Just (x ++ y)
      (_, _)      -> Nothing
```

Exercises

1. Write a function `leafSum :: DTree Int -> Int` that sums all of the leafs of the tree (and ignores the numbers in the branch nodes)
2. Write a function `treeElem :: Eq a => a -> DTree a -> Bool` that takes an element `x` and a tree and returns `True` if `x` is in the tree, and `False` otherwise