

O(n log n)

HEAP SORT AND QUICKSORT

Lecture 33

On a merge sort recurrence

$$x(n) = 2x\left(\frac{n}{2}\right) + n; x(1) = 1.$$

Expanding the right-hand side, we get

$$x(n) = 2\left[2x\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + \frac{n}{2}\right] + n = 4x\left(\frac{n}{4}\right) + 2n.$$

Repeating this process $k = log_2 n$ times, we further obtain

$$x(n) = 4\left[2x\left(\frac{n}{8}\right) + n/4\right] + 2n = 8x\left(\frac{n}{8}\right) + 3n =$$

$$= \dots = 2^{k}x(n/2^{k}) + kn = n + n \log_{2}n = O(n \log_{2}n).$$

Heapsort

Assignment

- Re-visit Lecture 24 and change its heap algorithms to work with max-heaps;
- Re-visit Lecture 25 to recall the implementation of a heap as an array
- Read sections 8.8 and 8.9 and do the selfcheck excercises

Objective and recollections

- Run another n(log n) show without using extra O(n) space—an improvement over the Merge Sort
- A heap is a complete (leaves are left-justified) binary tree of objects, in which the smallest object is at the root, while each the left subtree and the right subtree is a heap, too.

First Version of a Heapsort Algorithm

- The following algorithm
 - places an array's data into a heap,
 - then removes each heap item (O(n log n)) and moves it back into the array
- This version of the algorithm requires n extra storage locations

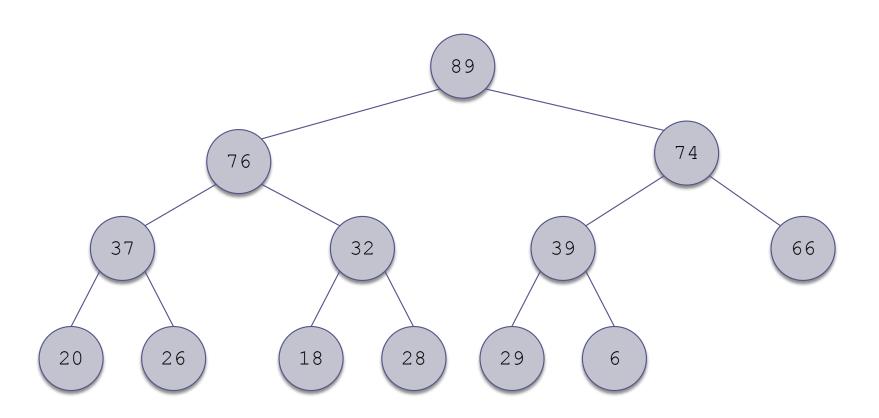
Heapsort Algorithm: First Version

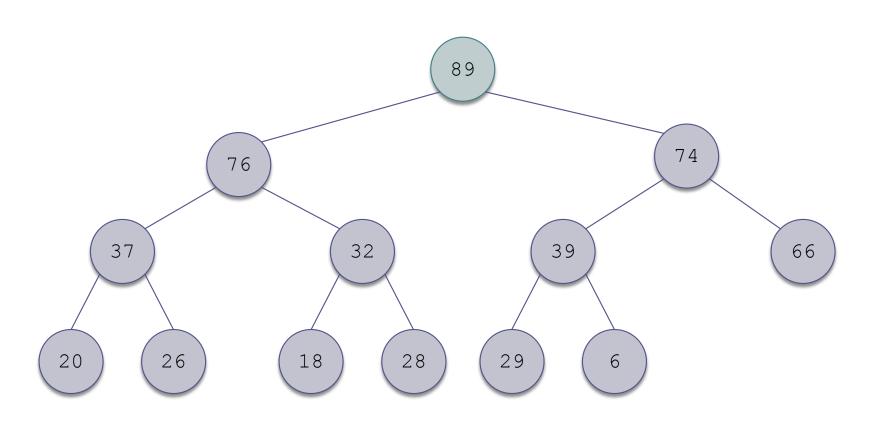
- 1. Insert each value from the array to be sorted into a priority queue (heap).
- Set i to 0
- 3. while the priority queue is not empty
- 4. Remove an item from the queue and insert it back into the array at position i
- 5. Increment i

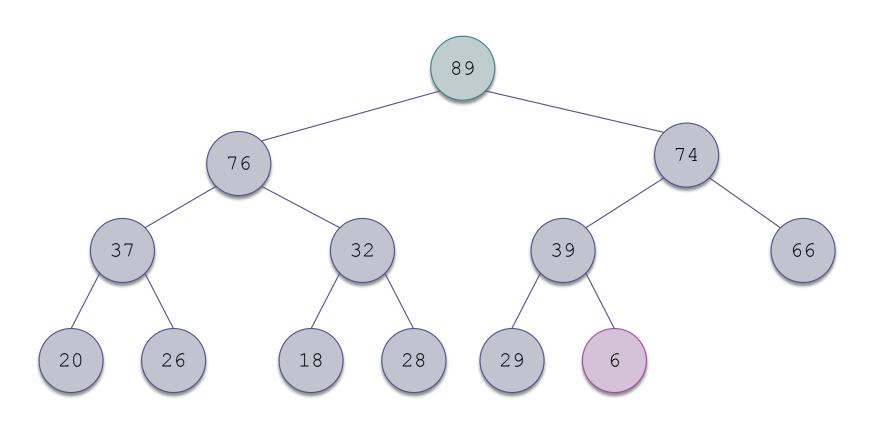
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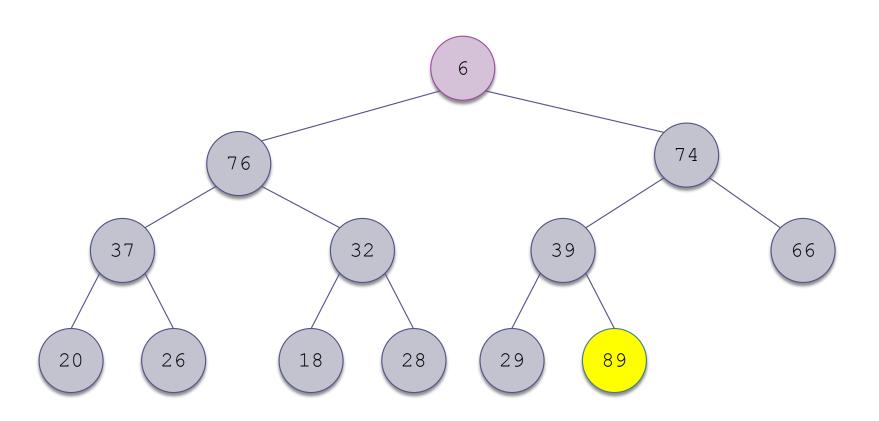
- In heaps we've used so far, each parent node's value was smaller than the values of its children
- We can build a heap (max-heap) so that each parent node value is larger than that of either children
- Then we
 - Swap the top item with the item at the bottom of the heap
 - Rebuild the heap, ignoring the item moved to the bottom

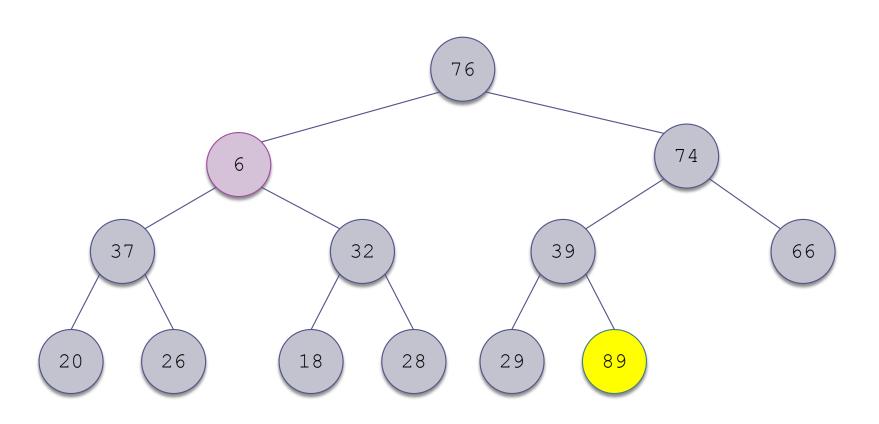
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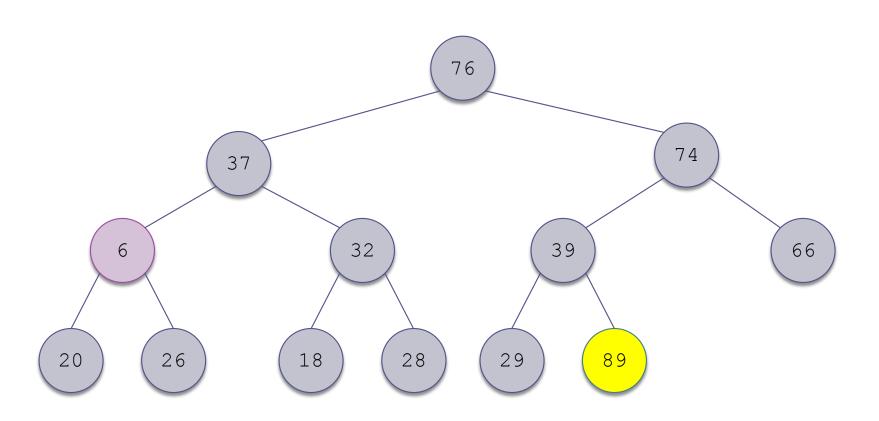


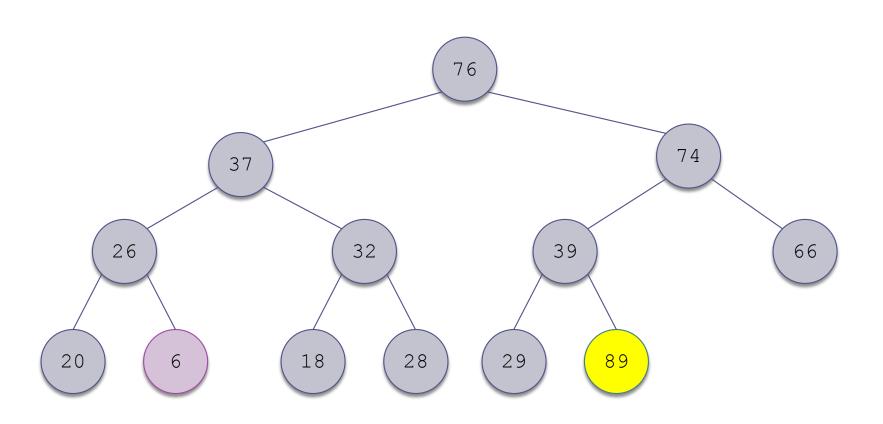


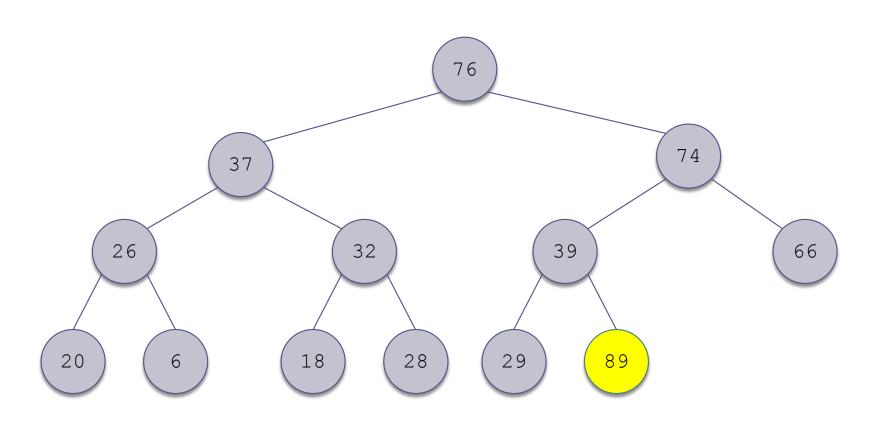


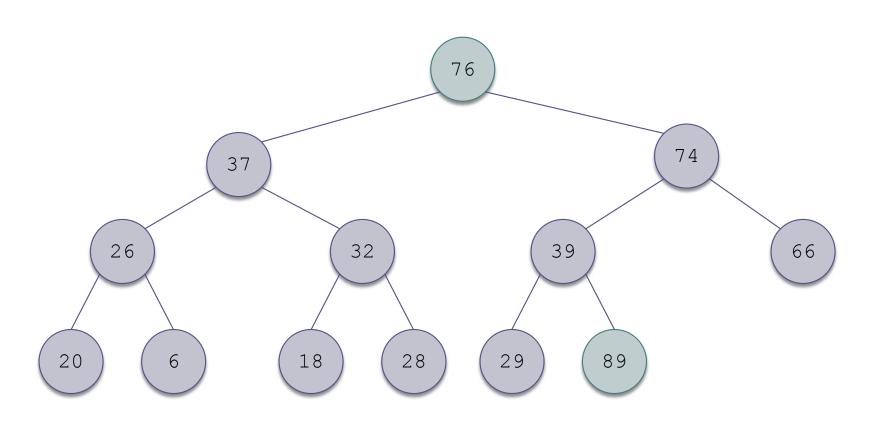


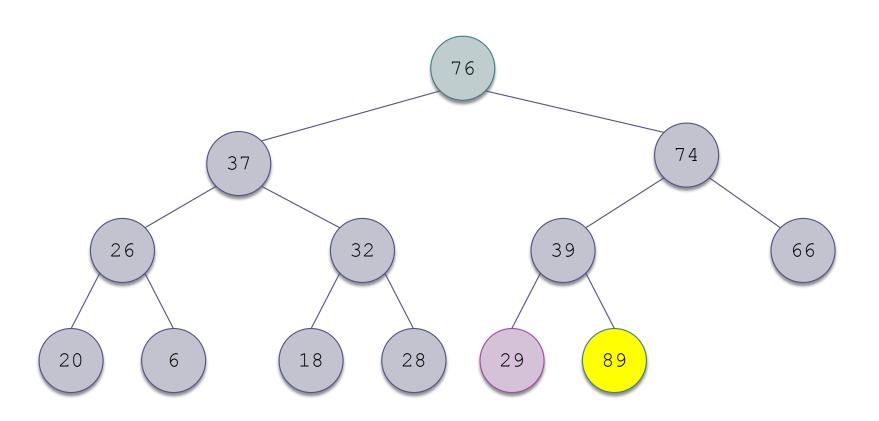


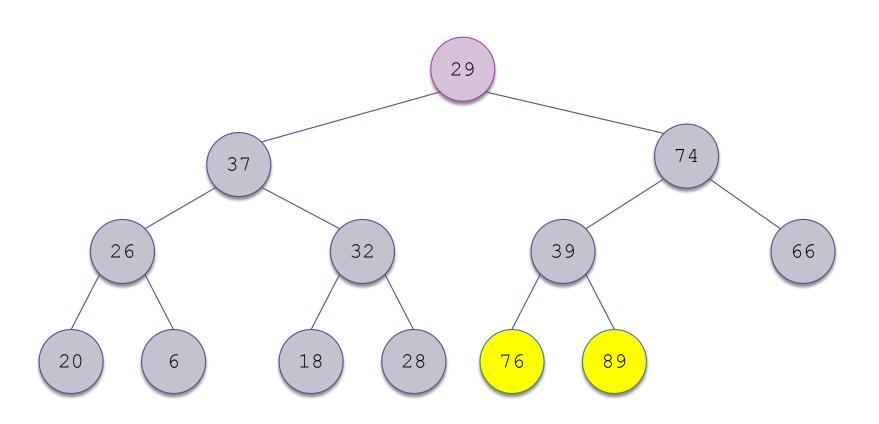


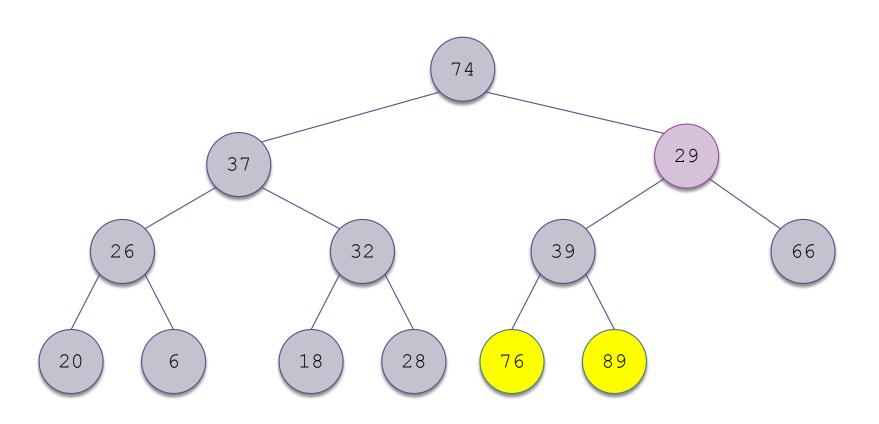


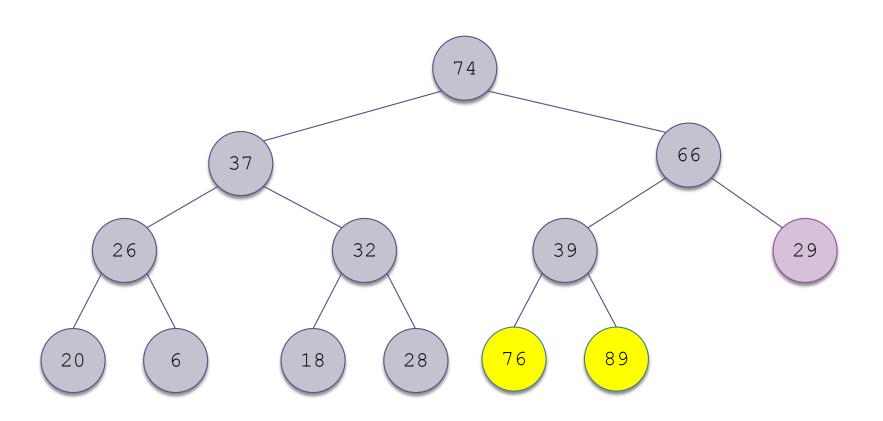


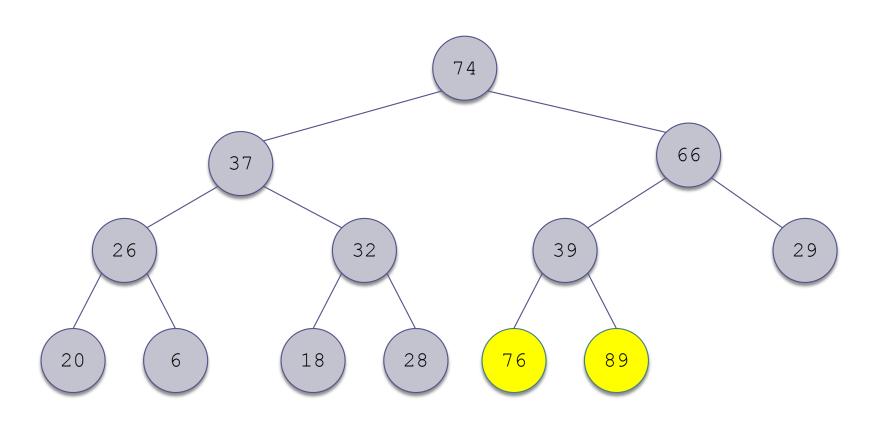


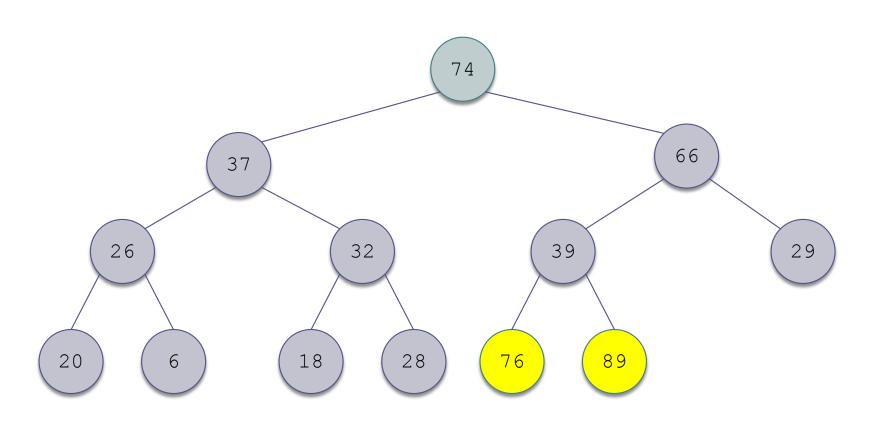


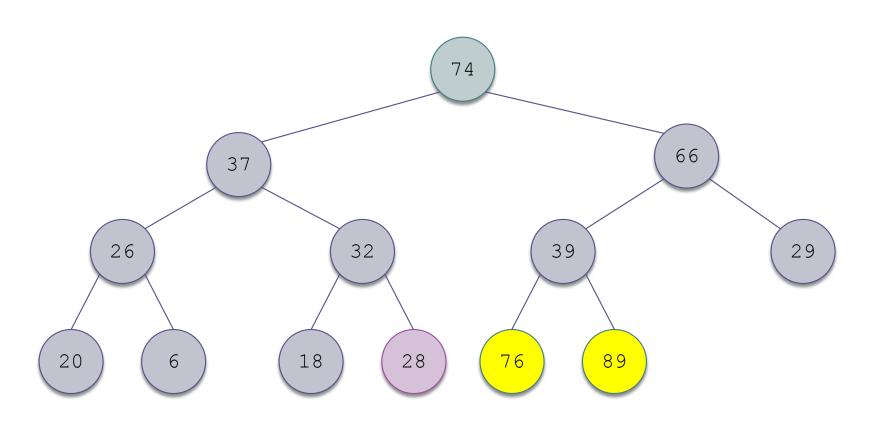


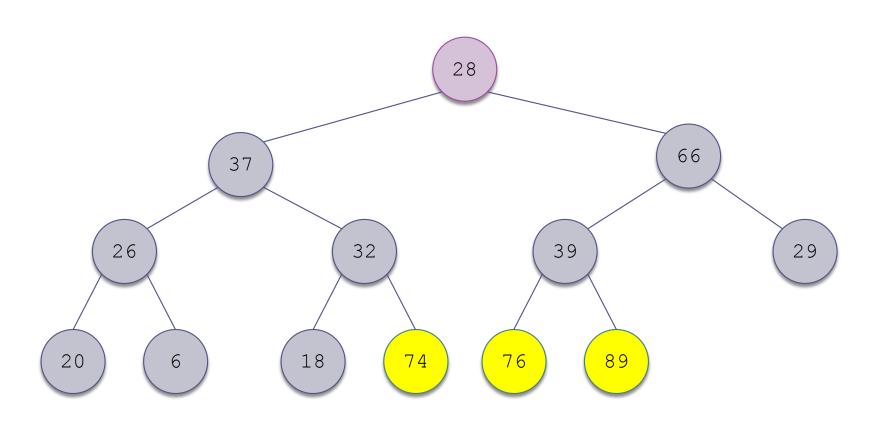


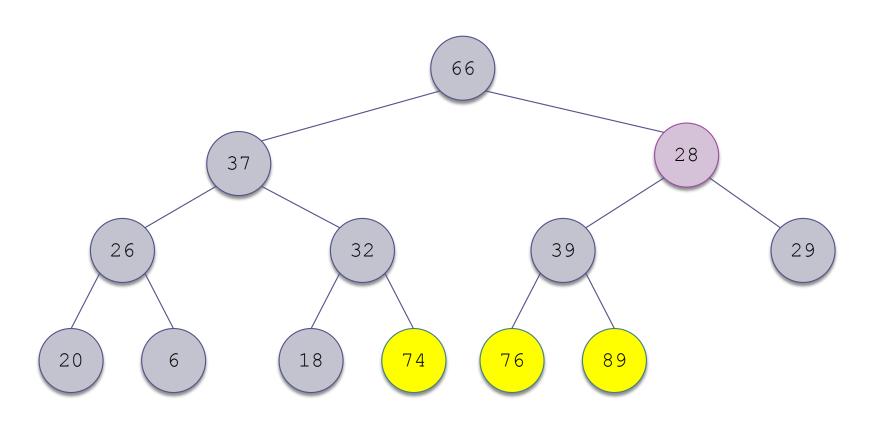


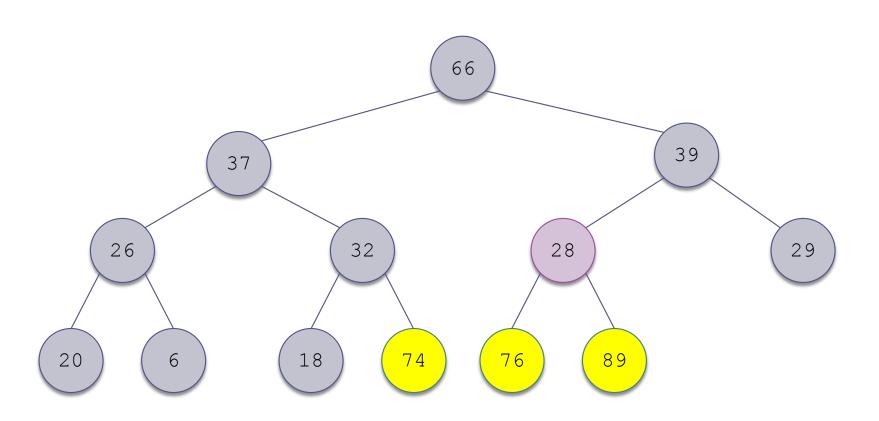


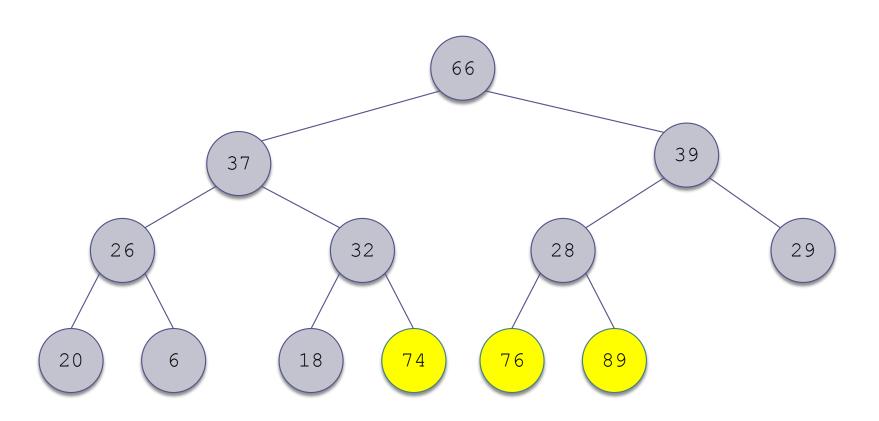


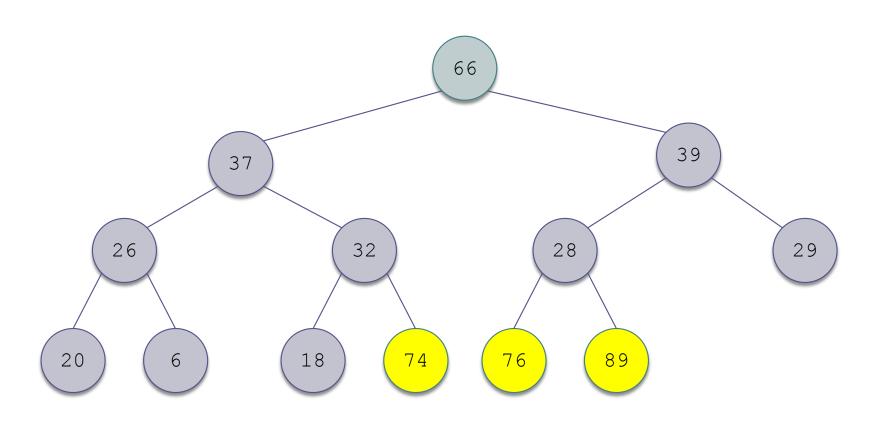


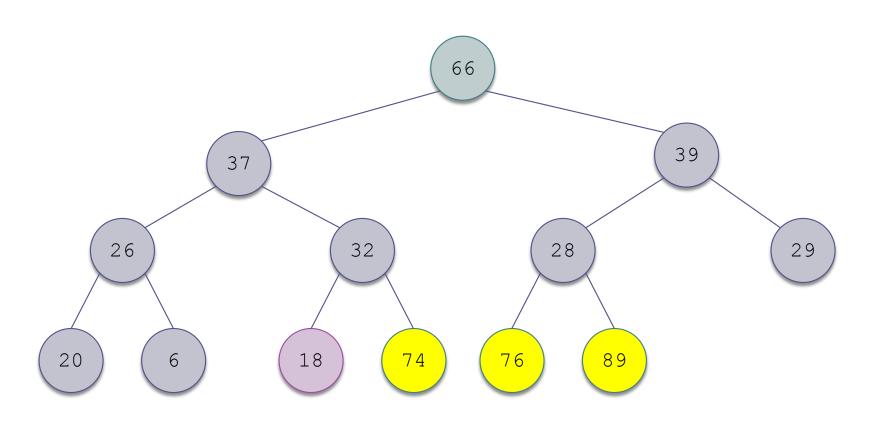


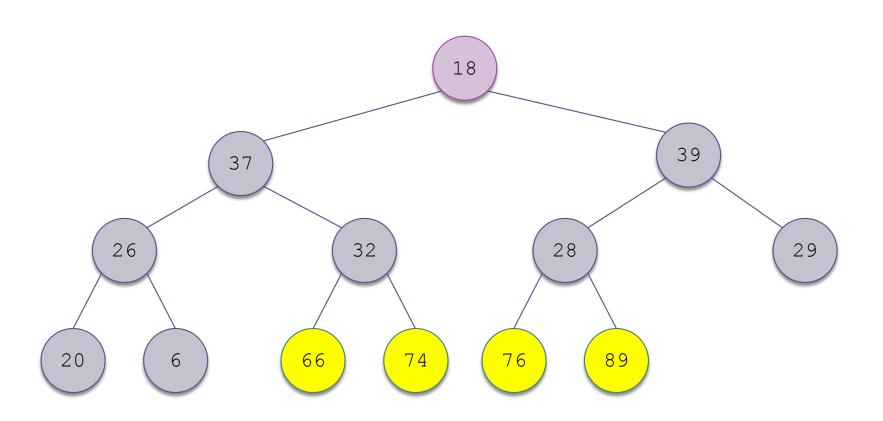


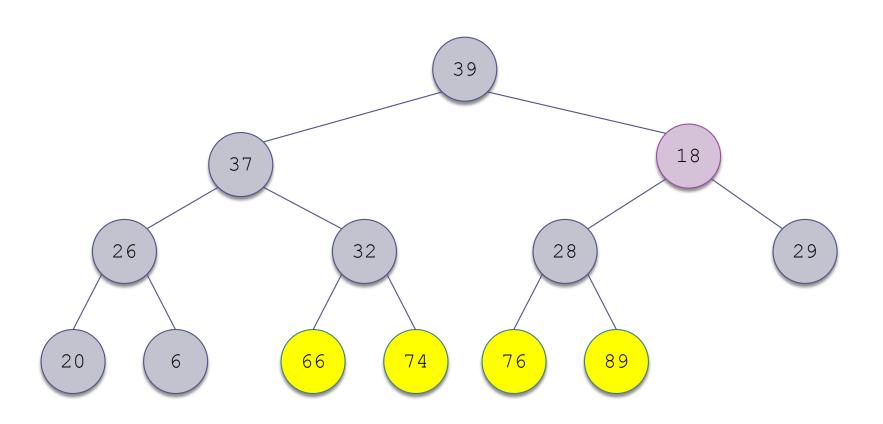


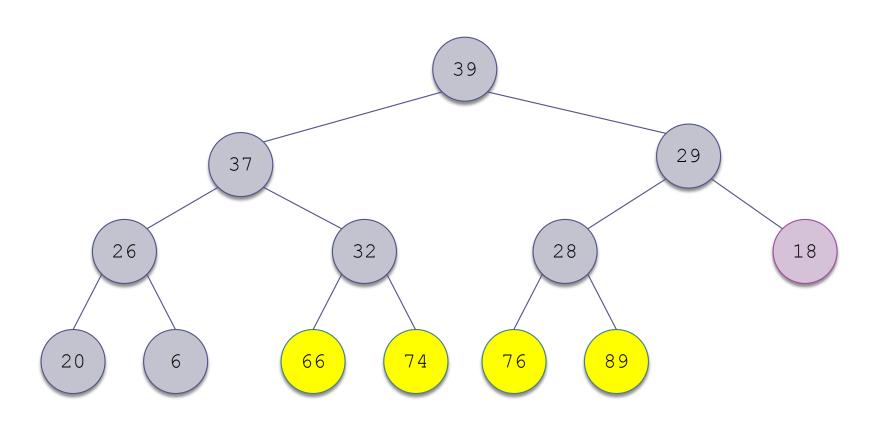


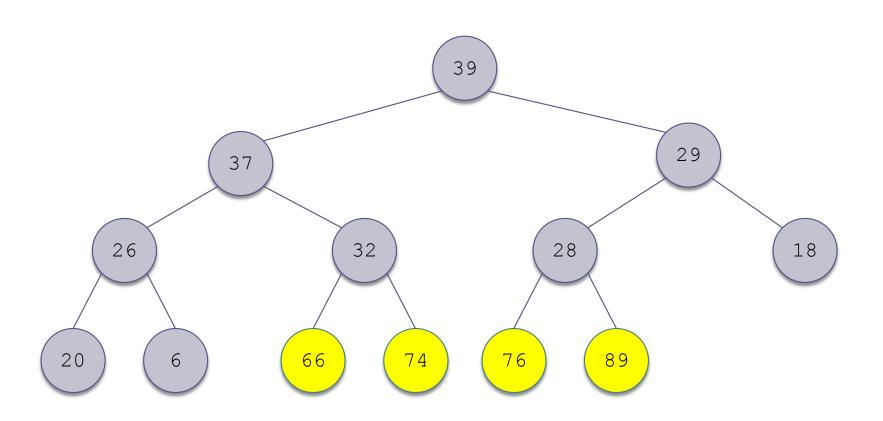


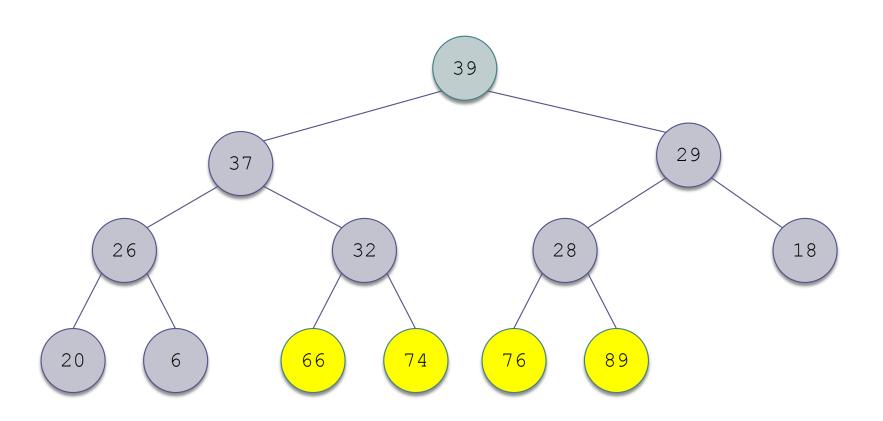


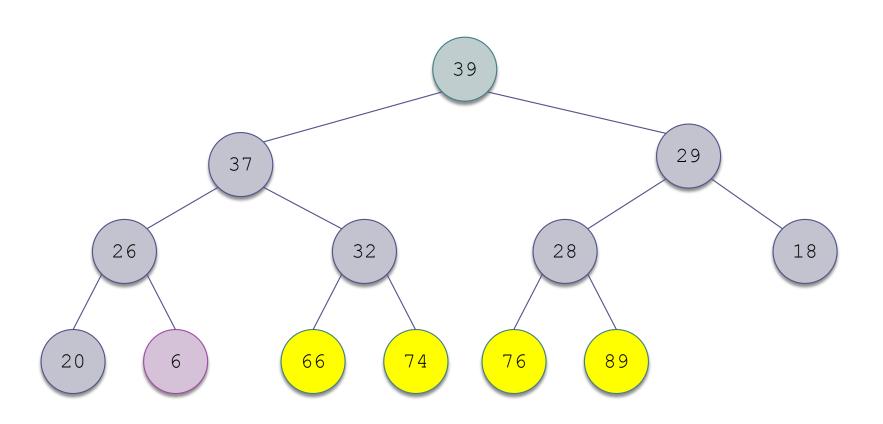


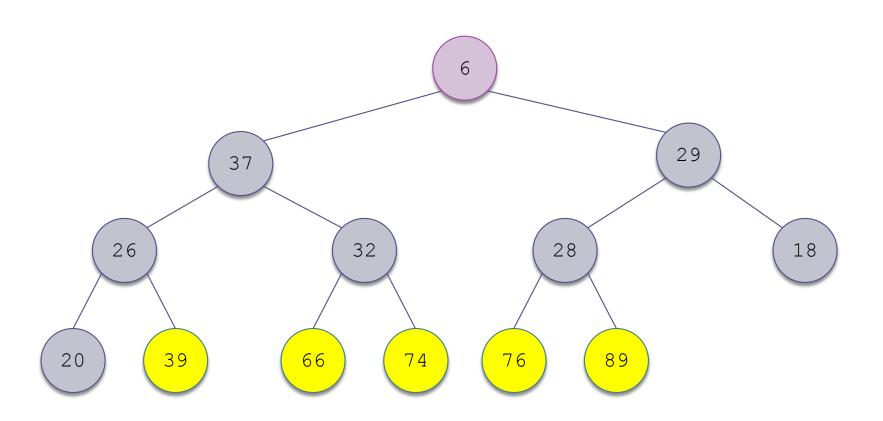


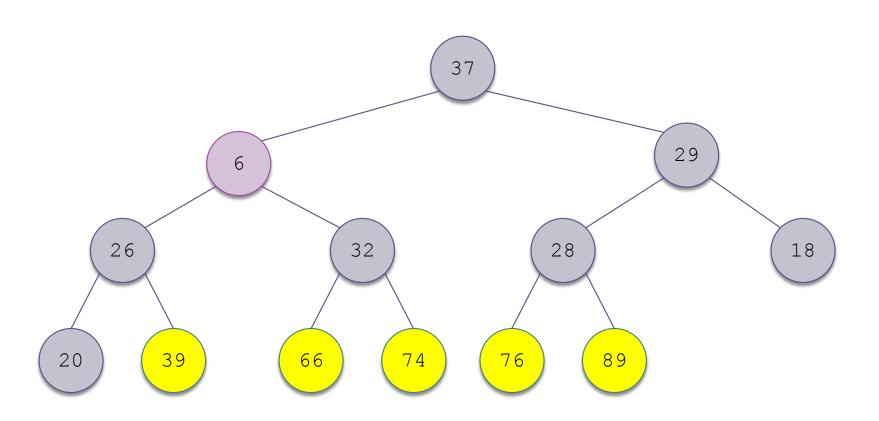


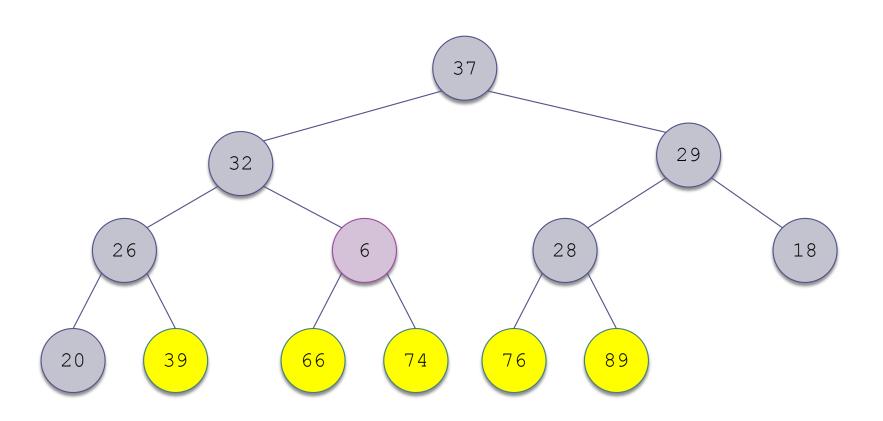


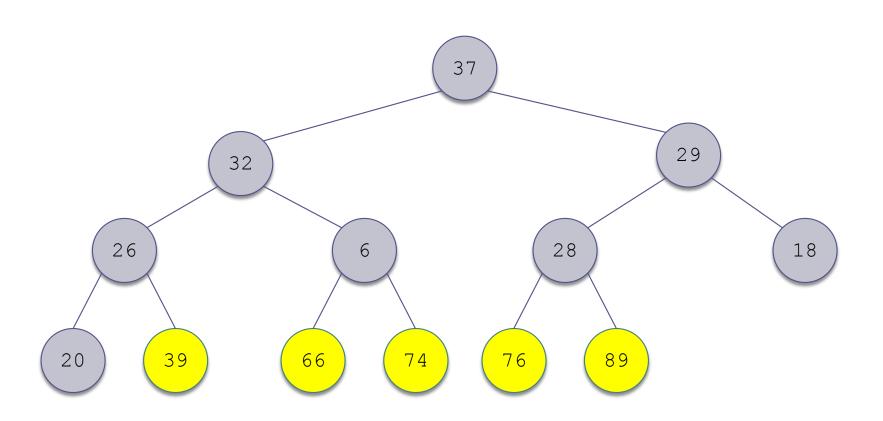


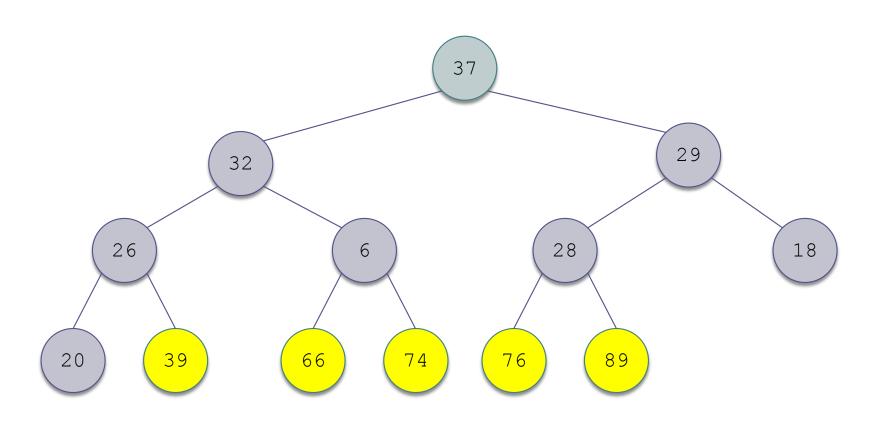


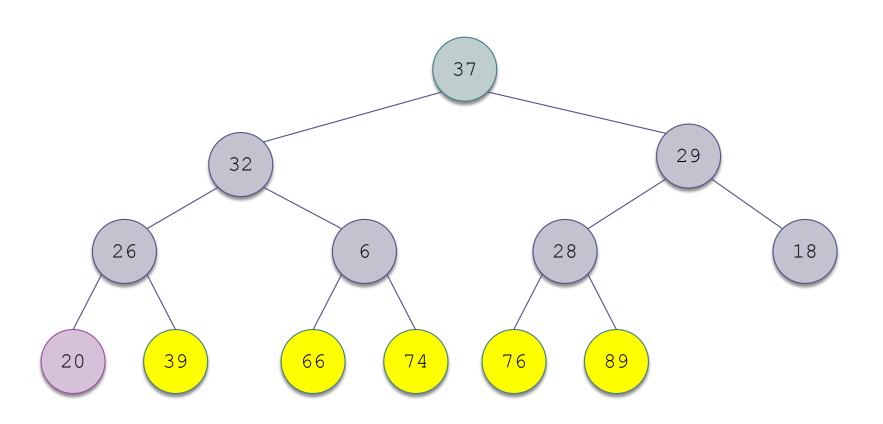


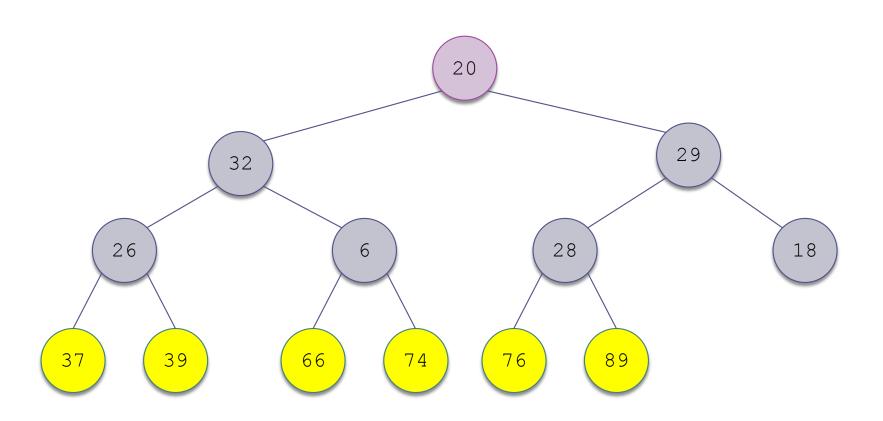


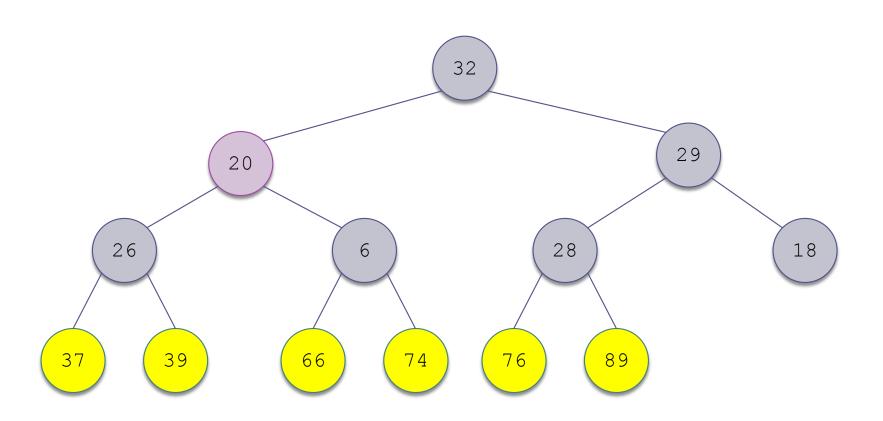


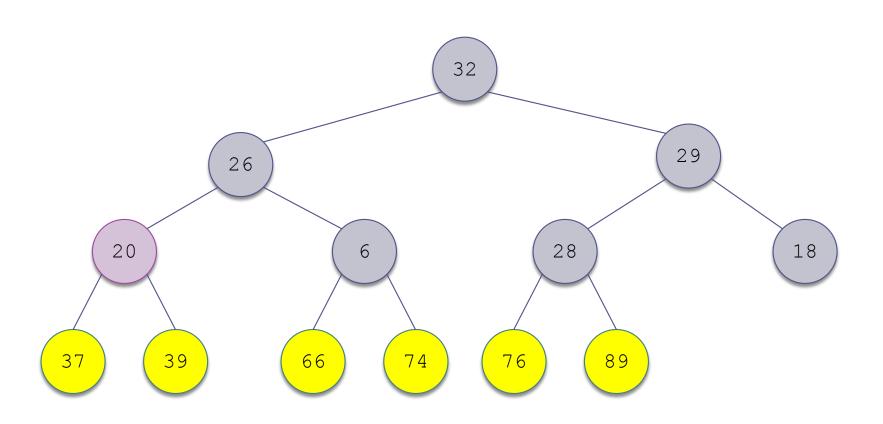


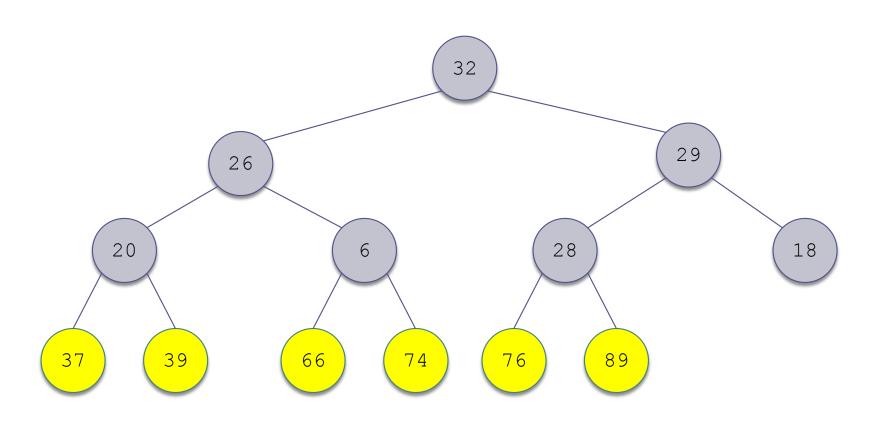


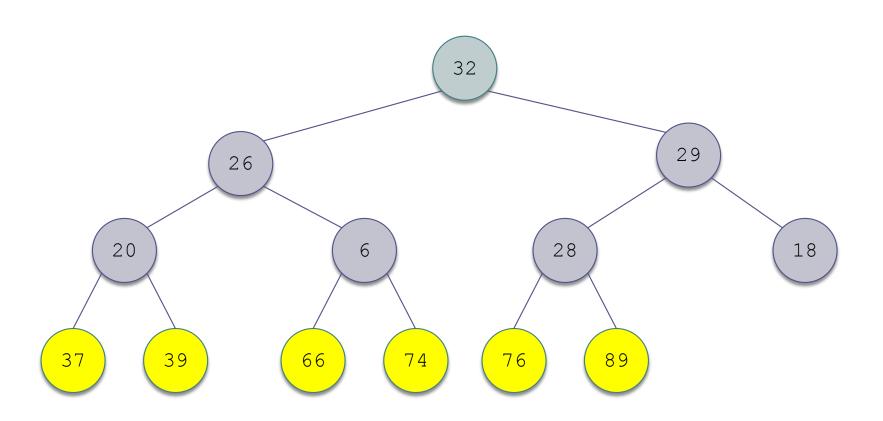


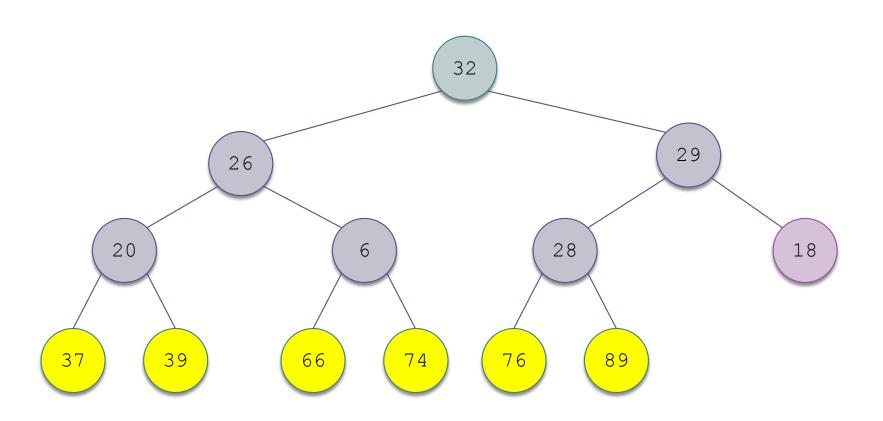


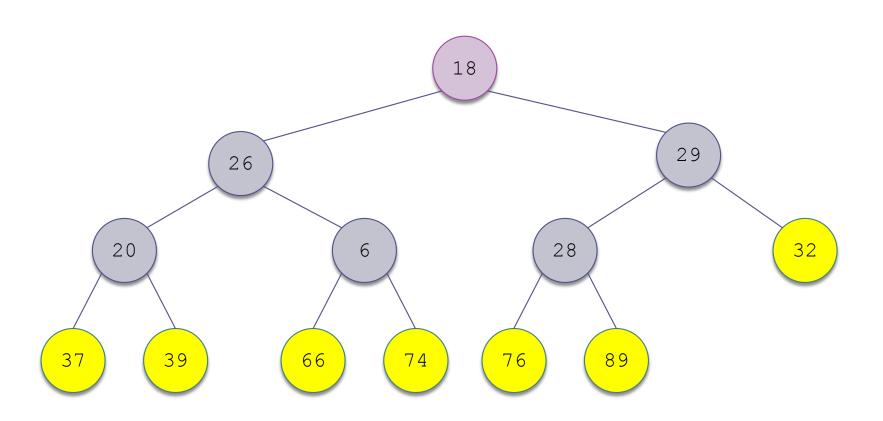


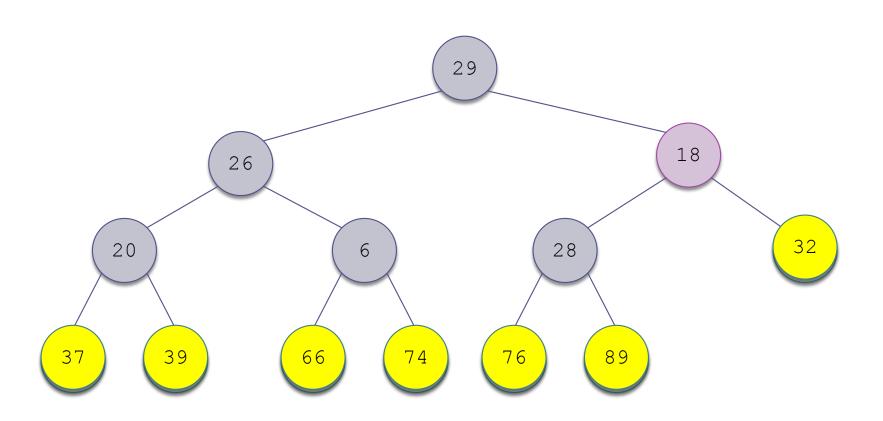


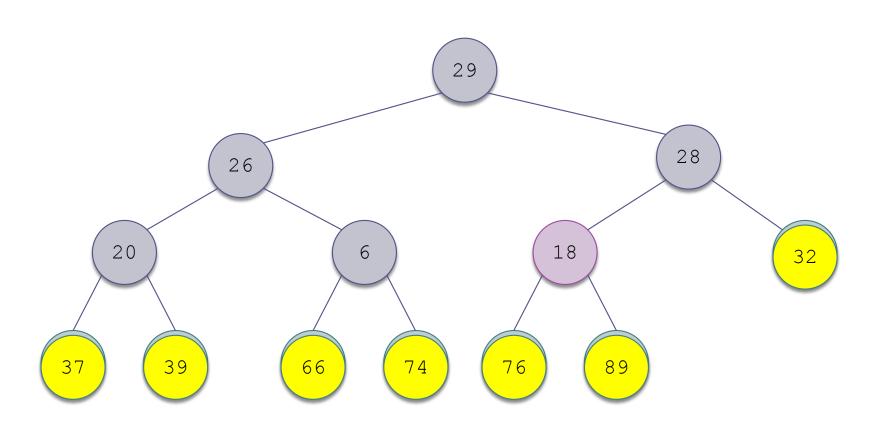


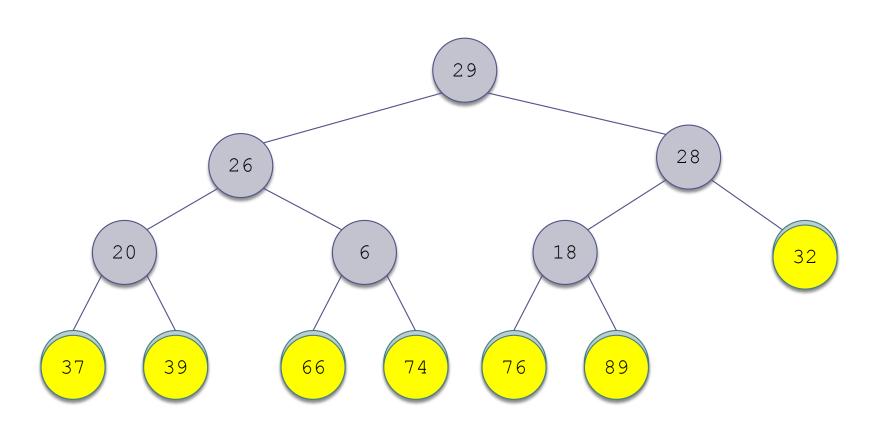


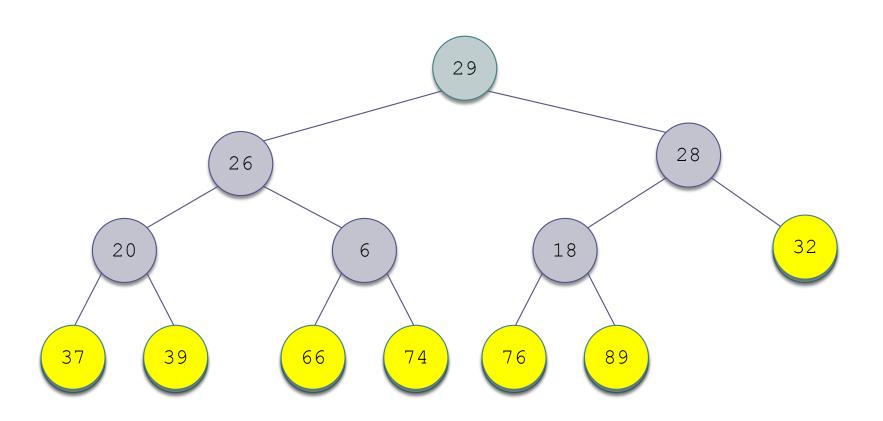


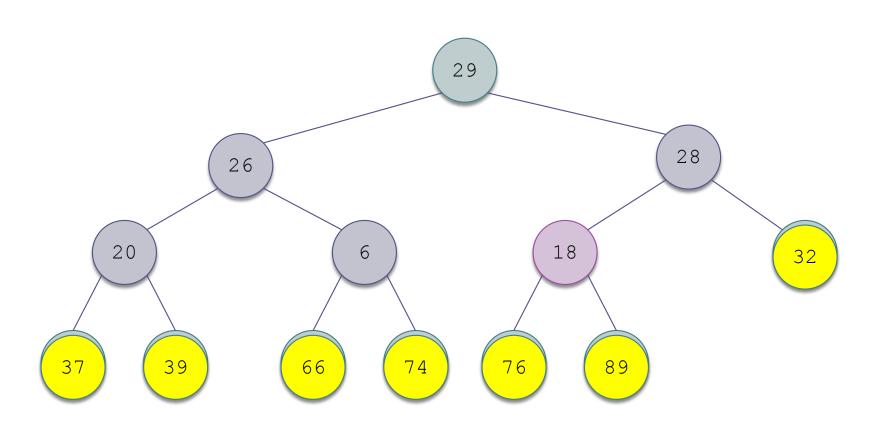


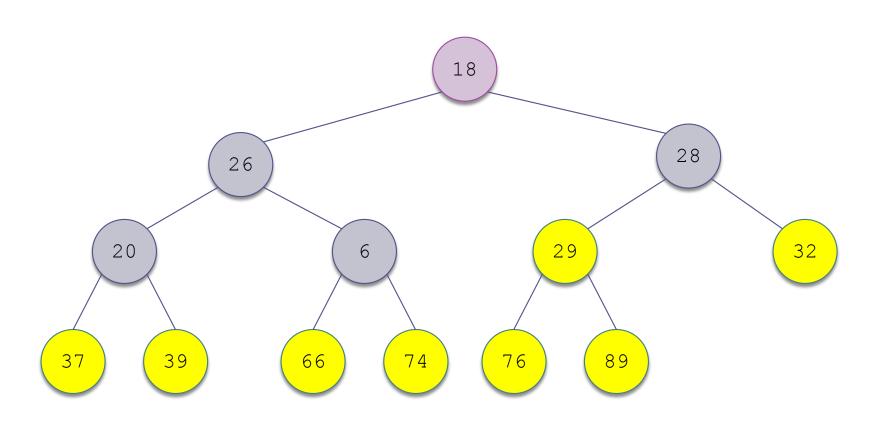


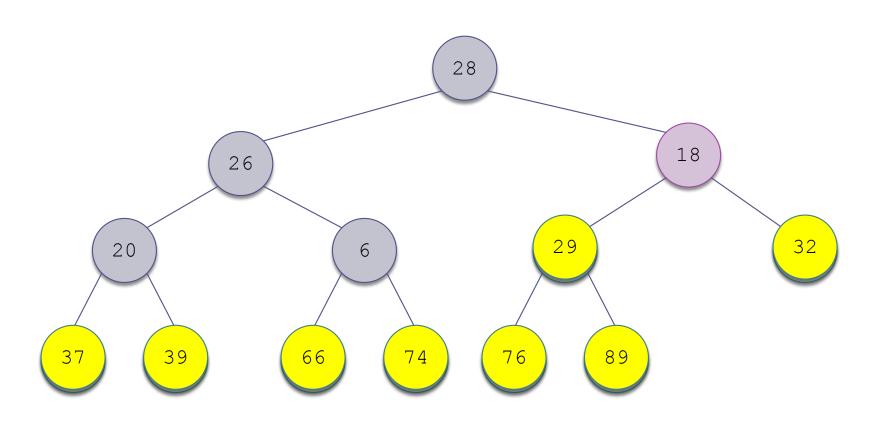


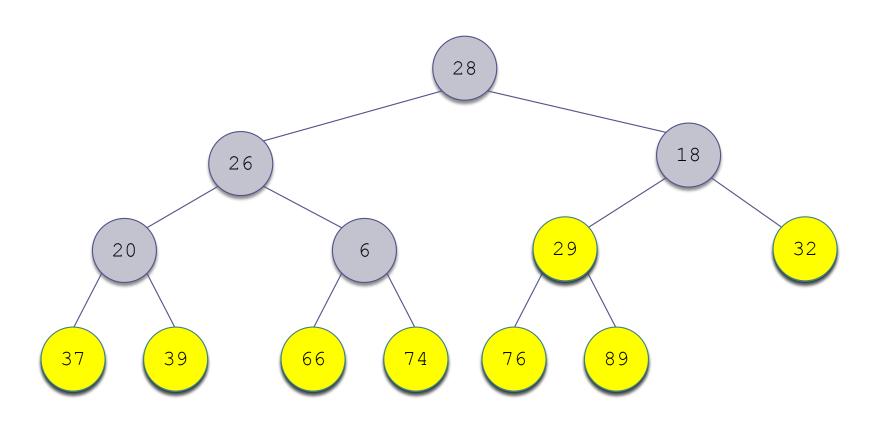


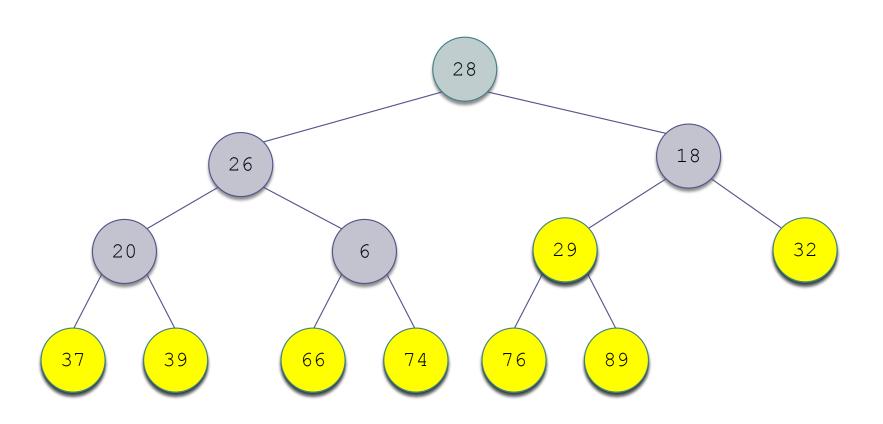


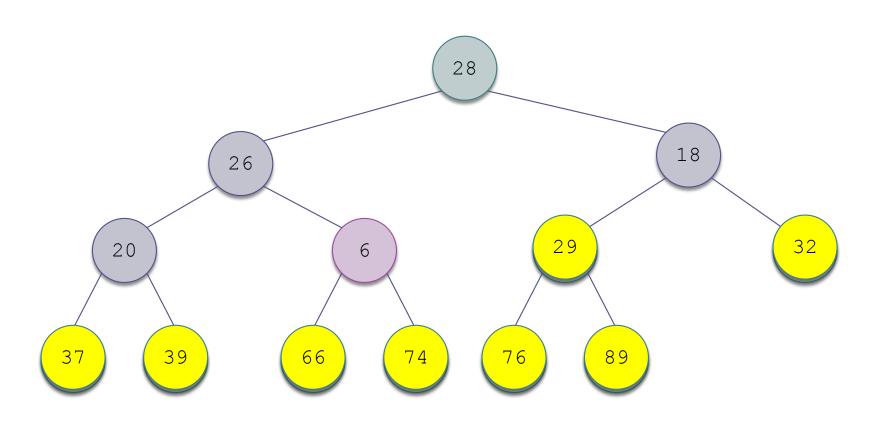


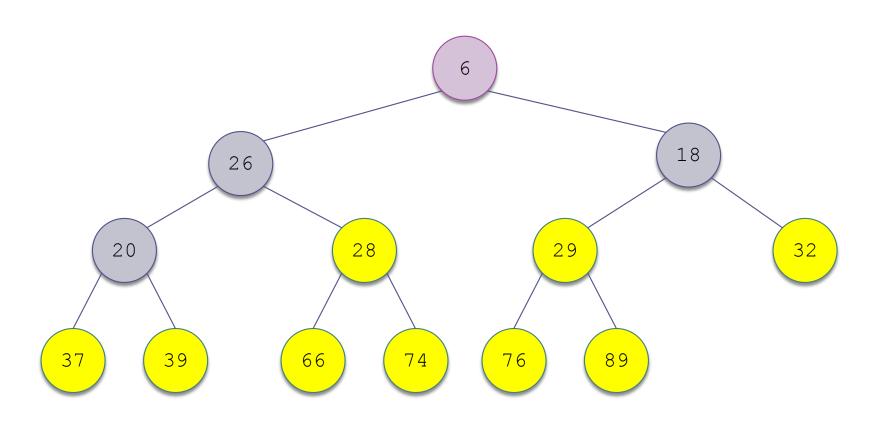


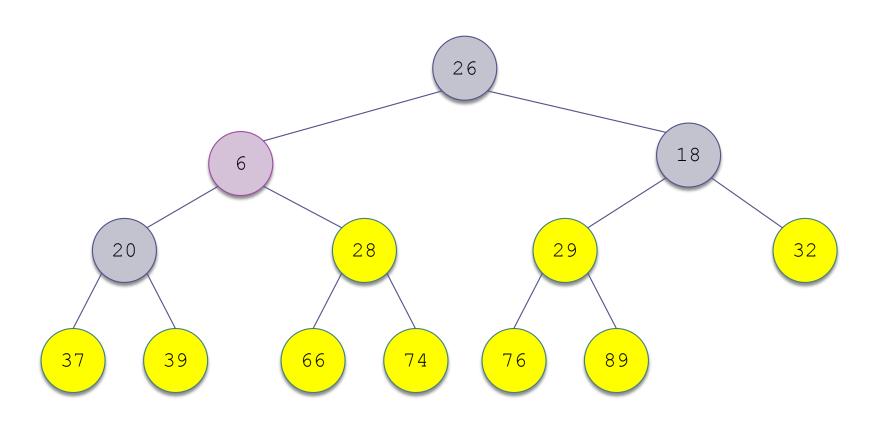


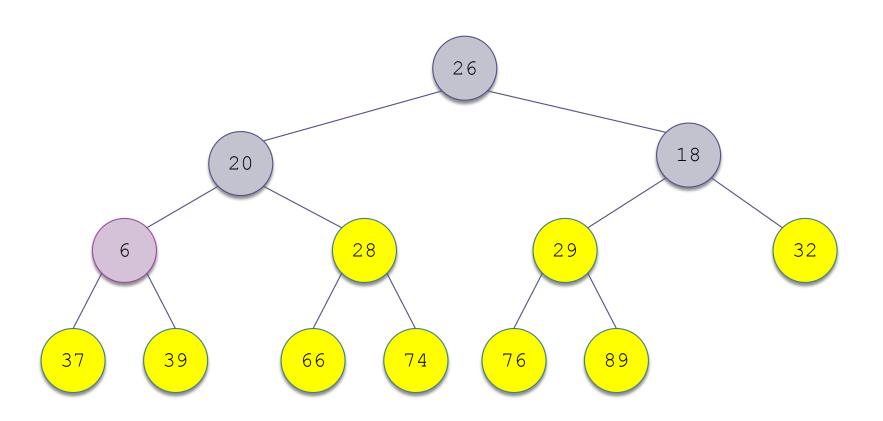


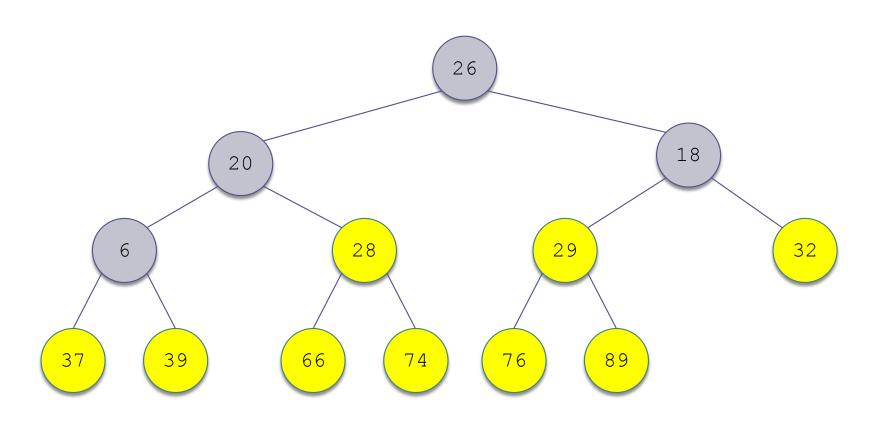


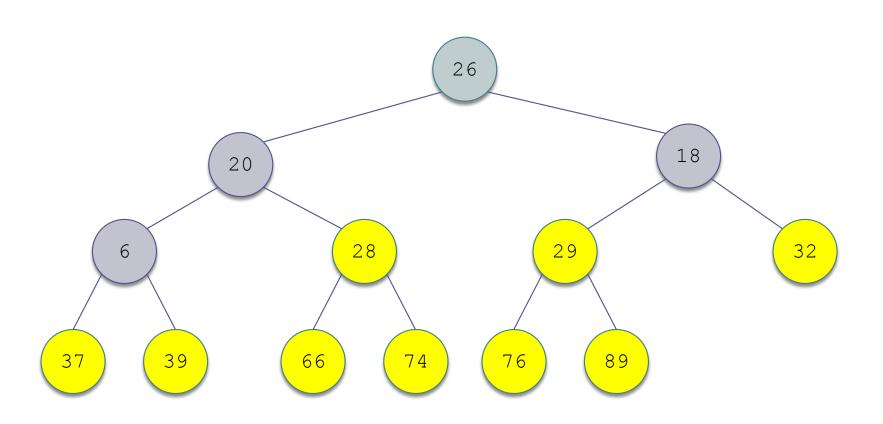


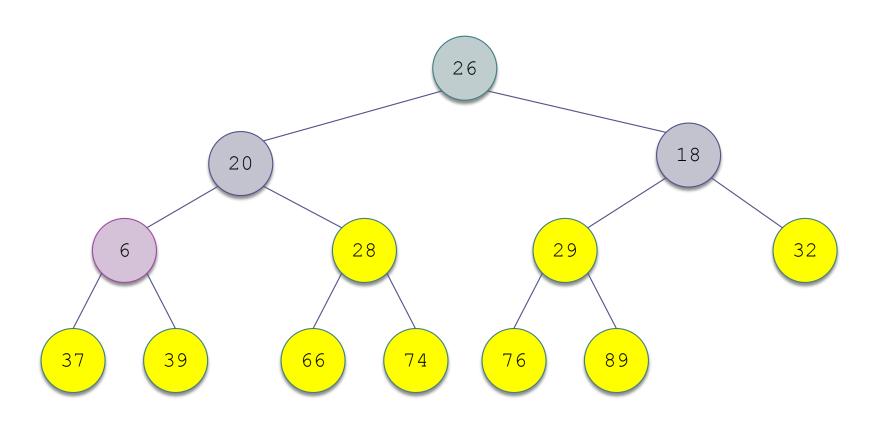


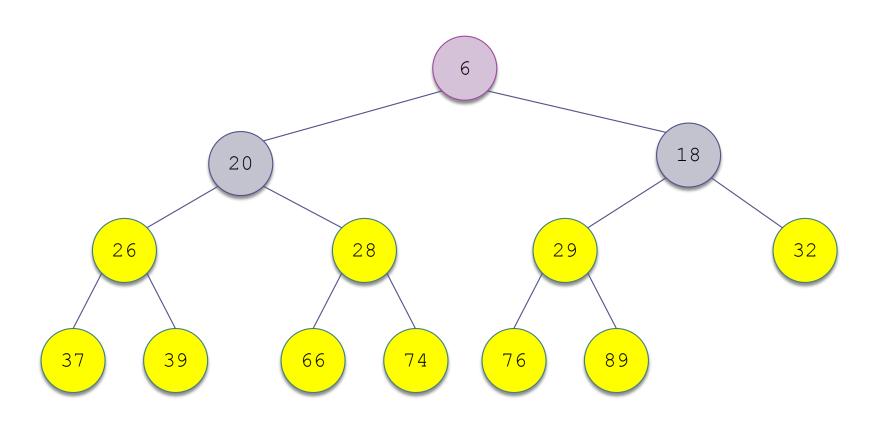


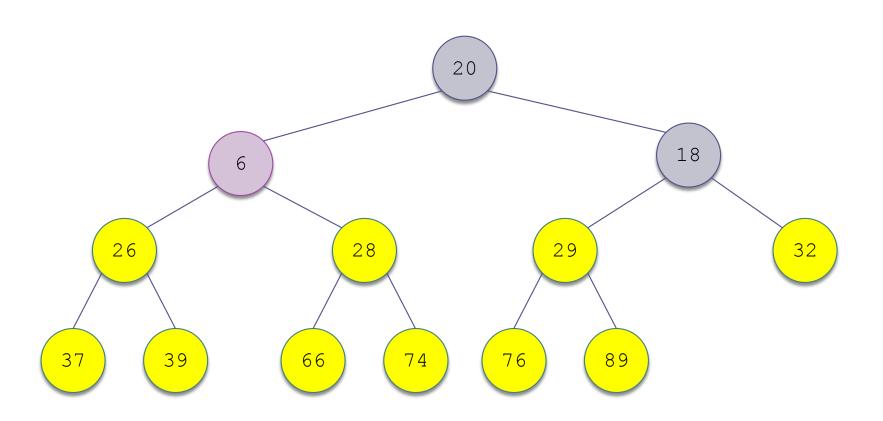


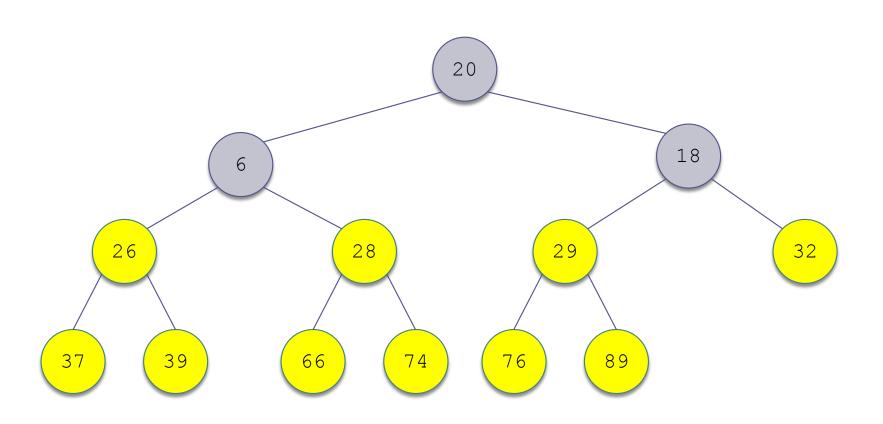


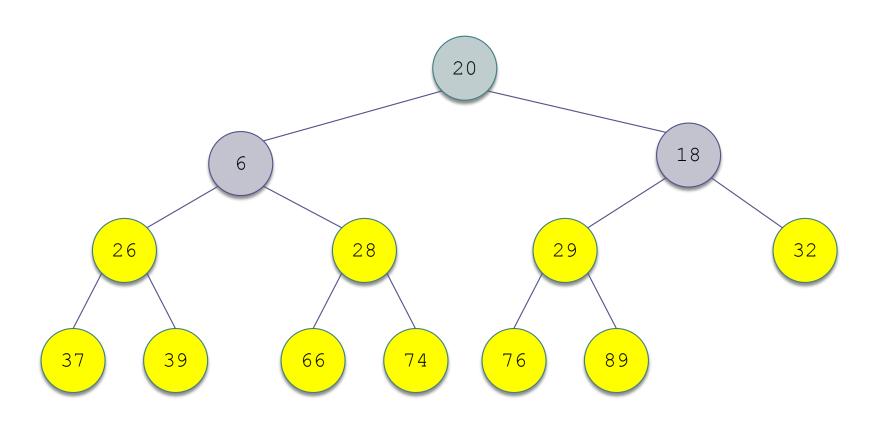


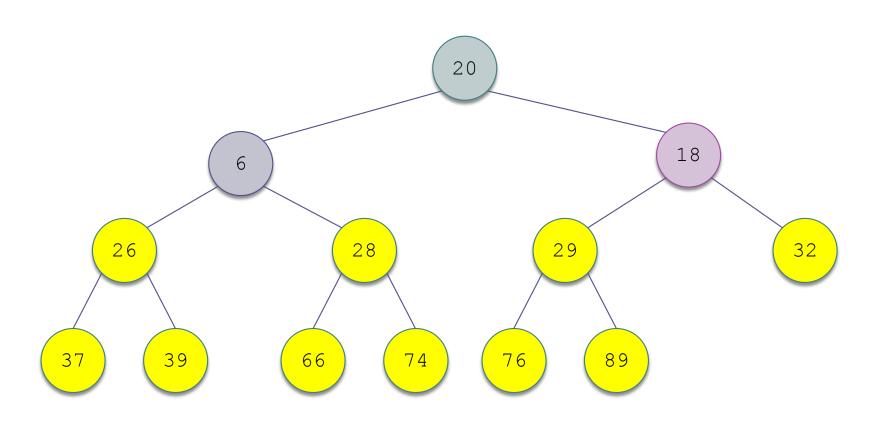


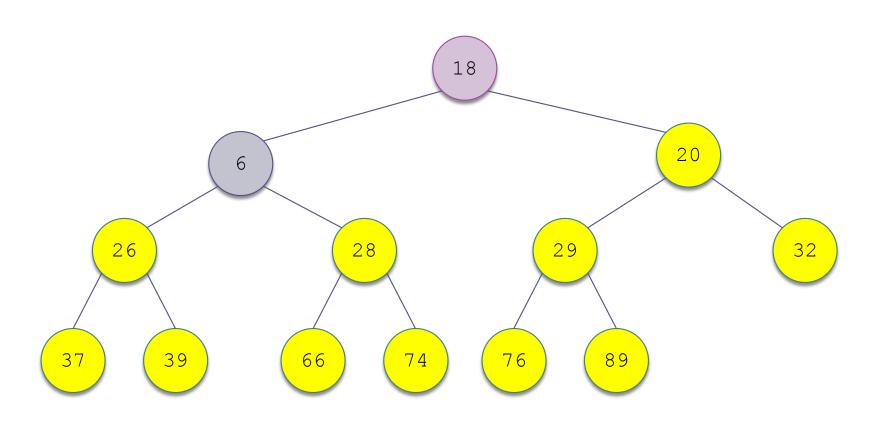


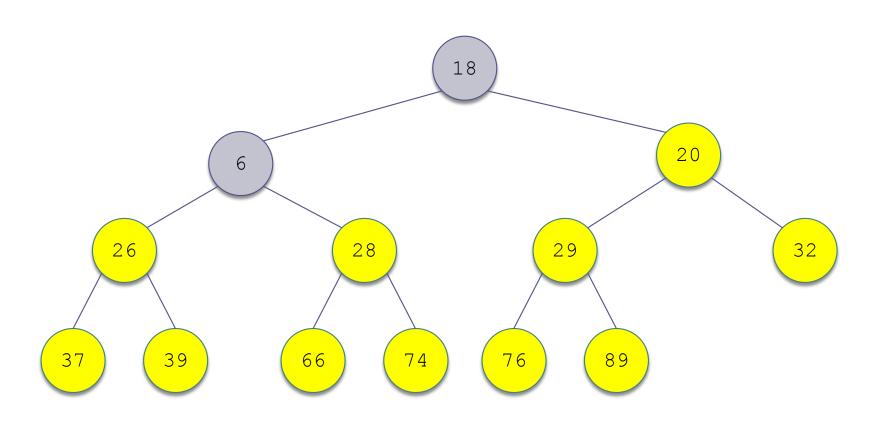


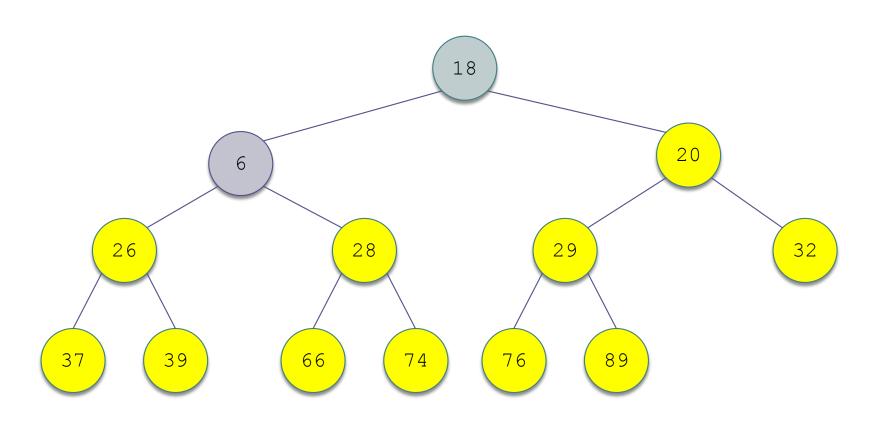




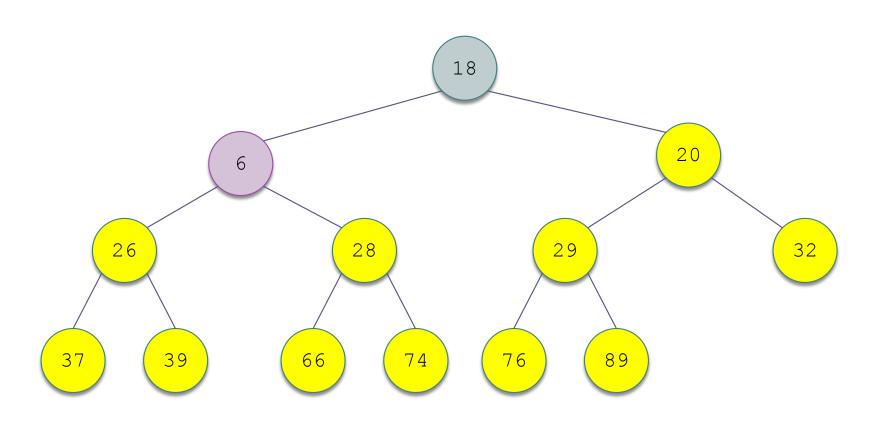




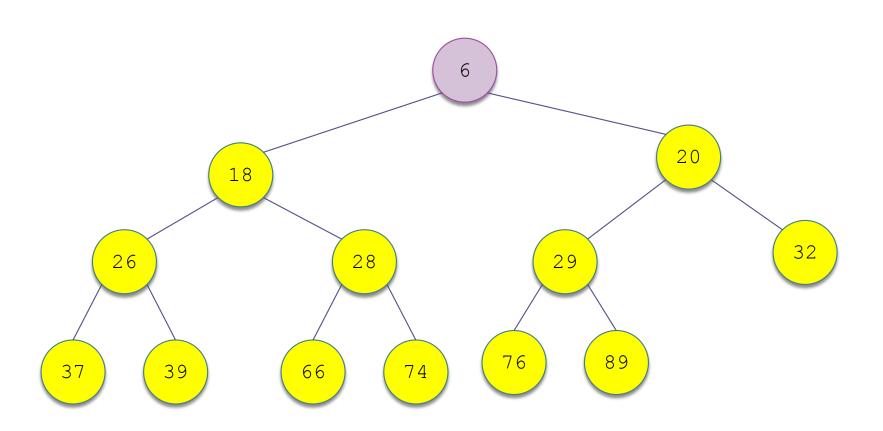




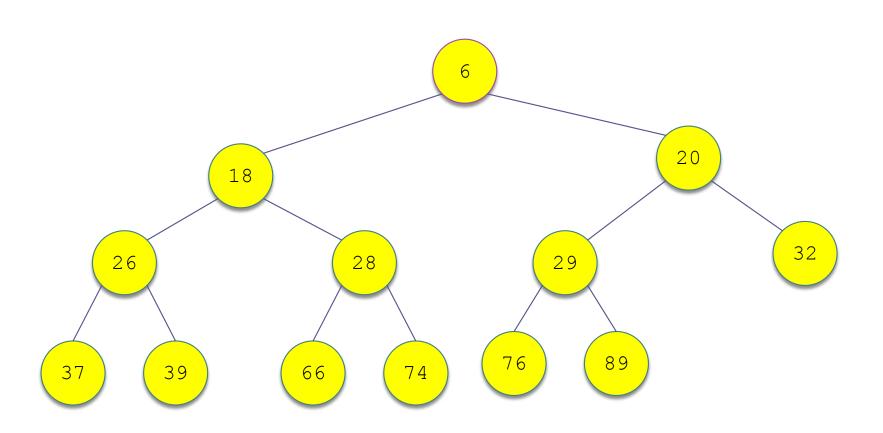
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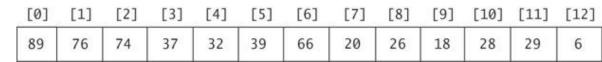


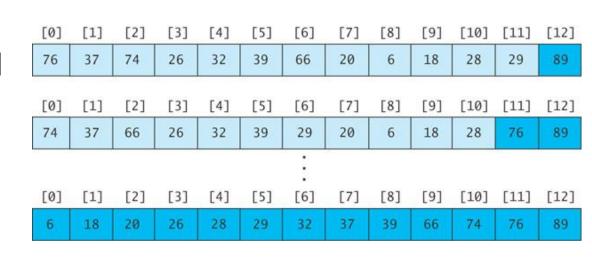
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Revising the Heapsort Algorithm

- If we implement the heap as an array
 - each element
 removed will be
 placed at the end
 of the array, and
 - the heap part of the array decreases by one element





Algorithm for In-Place Heapsort

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- 1. Build a heap by rearranging the elements in an unsorted array
- while the heap is not empty
- 3. Remove the first item from the heap by swapping it with the last item in the heap and restoring the heap property

Algorithm to Build a Heap

- Start with an array table of length table.length
- Consider the first item to be a heap of one item
- Next, consider the general case where the items in array table from 0 through n-1 form a heap and the items from n through

table.length - 1 are not in the heap

Algorithm to Build a Heap (cont.)

Refinement of Step 1 for In-Place Heapsort

- 1.1 while n is less than table.length
- 1.2 Increment n by 1. This inserts a new item into the heap
- 1.3 Restore the heap property

Analysis of Heapsort

- Because a heap is a complete binary tree it has exactly log n levels
- Building a heap of size n requires finding the correct location for an item in a heap with log n levels
- □ Each insert (or remove) is O(log n)
- \square With *n* items, building a heap is $O(n \log n)$
- No extra storage is needed

Code for Heapsort

Listing 8.7 (HeapSort.java, pages 449 451)

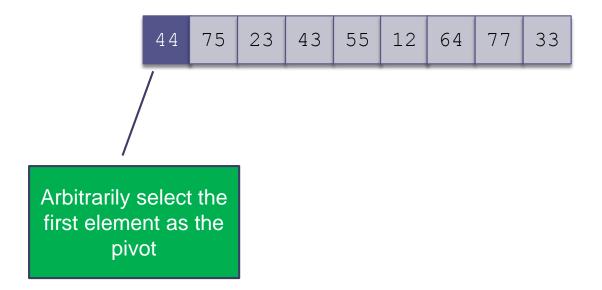
Quicksort

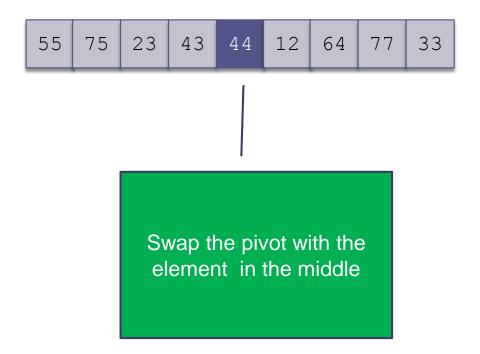
Quicksort (1962)

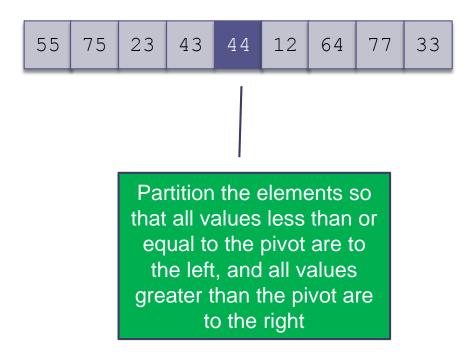
- Quicksort selects a specific value called a pivot and rearranges the array into two parts (called partioning)
 - all the elements in the left subarray are less than or equal to the pivot
 - all the elements in the right subarray are larger than the pivot
 - The pivot is placed between the two subarrays
- The process is repeated recursively with both subarrays until the whole array is sorted

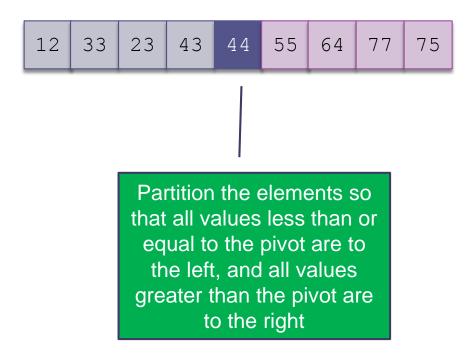
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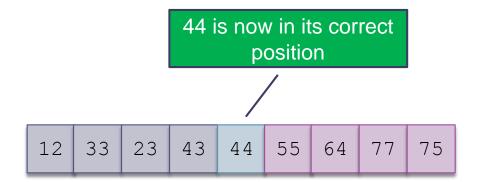


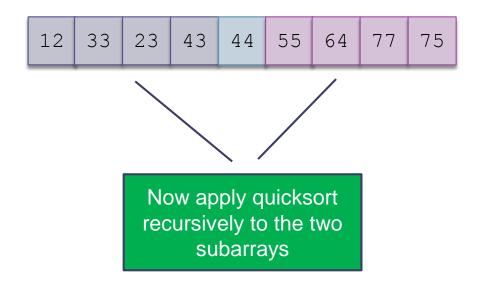


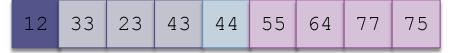




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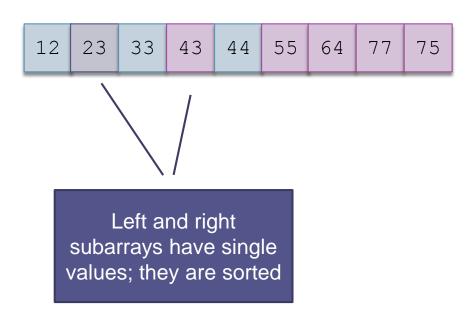


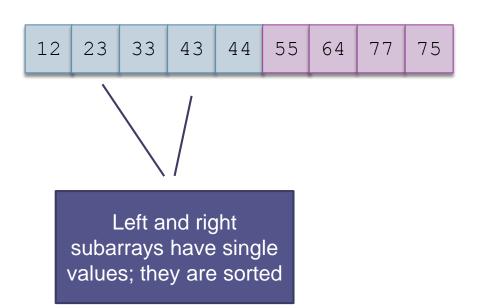












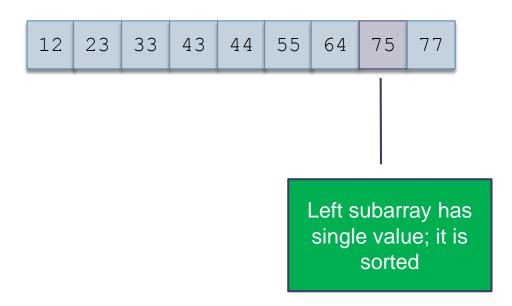














Algorithm for Quicksort

- We will get to the partitioning later
- The indexes first and last are the end points of the array being sorted
- □ The index of the pivot after partitioning is pivIndex

Algorithm for Quicksort

- if first < last then
- 2. Partition the elements in the subarray first . . . last so that the pivot value is in its correct place (subscript pivIndex)
- 3. Recursively apply quicksort to the subarray first . . . pivIndex 1
- 4. Recursively apply quicksort to the subarray pivIndex + 1 . . . last

Analysis of Quicksort

- If the pivot value is a random value selected from the current subarray,
 - then statistically half of the items in the subarray will be less than the pivot and half will be greater
- If both subarrays have the same number of elements (best case), there will be log n levels of recursion (why?)
- At each recursion level, the partitioning process involves moving every element to its correct position—n moves
- Quicksort is O(n log n), just like the merge sort and heap sort

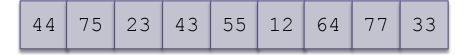
Analysis of Quicksort

- Quicksort will give very poor behavior O(n²) if, each time the array is partitioned, one subarray is empty.
- Under these circumstances, the overhead of recursive calls and the extra run-time stack storage required by these calls makes this version of *quicksort* a poor performer relative to the quadratic sorts

Code for Quicksort

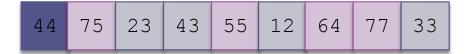
Listing 8.8 (QuickSort.java, pages 453 454)

Algorithm for Partitioning

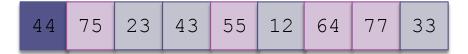


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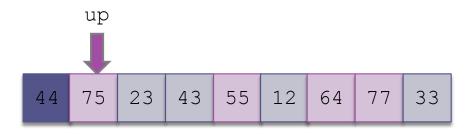
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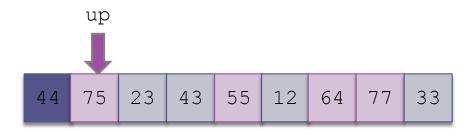
Items that are less than or equal to the pivot are colored gray; items greater than the pivot are colored purple



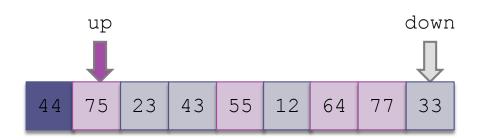
Search for the first value at the left end of the array that is greater than the pivot value



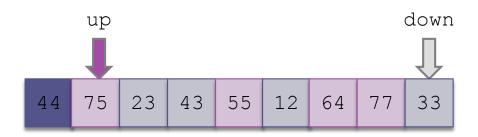
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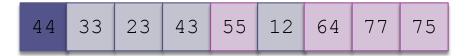
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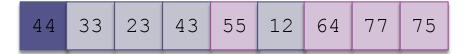
Then search for the first value at the right end of the array that is less than or equal to the pivot value



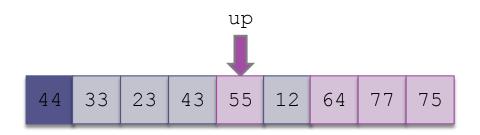
Exchange these values



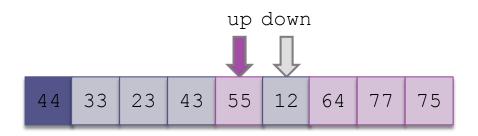
Exchange these values



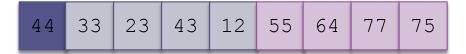
Repeat



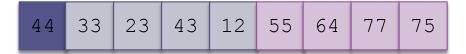
Find first value at left end greater than pivot



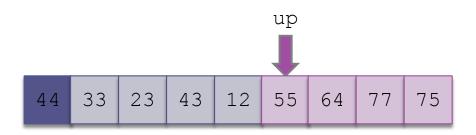
Find first value at right end less than or equal to pivot



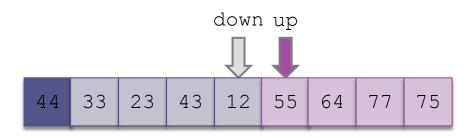
Exchange



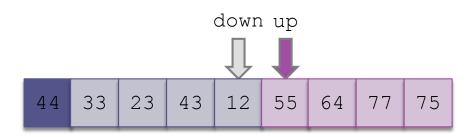
Repeat



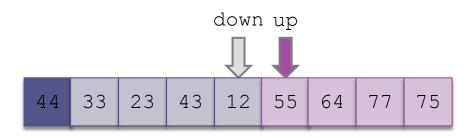
Find first element at left end greater than pivot



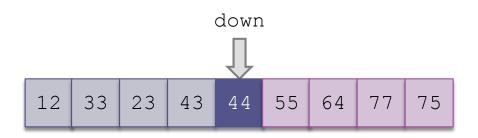
Find first element at right end less than or equal to pivot



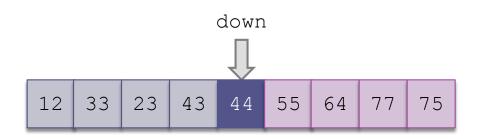
Since down has "passed" up, do not exchange



Exchange the pivot value with the value at down



Exchange the pivot value with the value at down



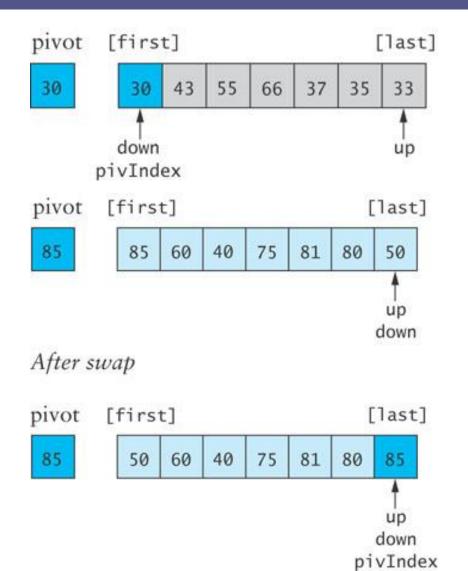
The pivot value is in the correct position; return the value of down and assign it to the pivot index pivIndex

Algorithm for Partitioning

Algorithm for partition Method

- Define the pivot value as the contents of table[first].
- Initialize up to first and down to last.
- do
- Increment up until up selects the first element greater than the pivot value or up has reached last.
- Decrement down until down selects the first element less than or equal to the pivot value or down has reached first.
- if up < down then
- Exchange table[up] and table[down].
- while up is to the left of down
- Exchange table[first] and table[down].
- Return the value of down to pivIndex.

Code for partition



Code for partition (cont.)

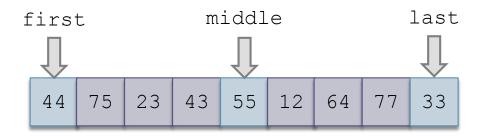
□ Listing 8.9 (QuickSort1, page 457)

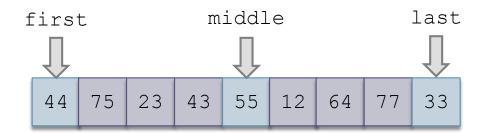
Revised Partition Algorithm

- Quicksort is O(n²) when each split yields one empty subarray, which is the case when the array is presorted
- A better solution is to pick the pivot value in a way that is less likely to lead to a bad split
 - Use three references: first, middle, last
 - Select the median of the these items as the pivot

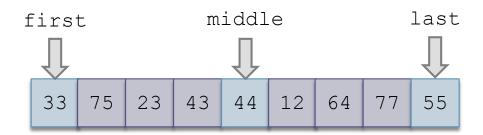
Trace of Revised Partitioning

44	75	23	43	55	12	64	77	33
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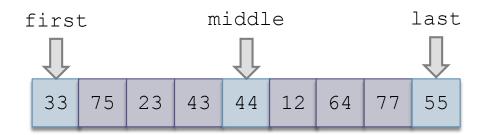




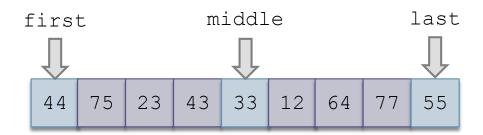
Sort these values



Sort these values



Exchange middle with first



Exchange middle with first



Run the partition algorithm using the first element as the pivot

Algorithm for Revised partition Method

Algorithm for Revised partition Method

- Sort table[first], table[middle], and table[last]
- 2. Move the median value to table [first] (the pivot value) by exchanging table [first] and table [middle].
- 3. Initialize up to first and down to last
- 4. do
- 5. Increment up until up selects the first element greater than the pivot value or up has reached last
- 6. Decrement down until down selects the first element less than or equal to the pivot value or down has reached first.
- 7. if up < down then
- 8. Exchange table [up] and table [down]
- 9. while up is to the left of down
- 10. Exchange table[first] and table[down]
- 11. Return the value of down to pivIndex

Code for Revised partition Method

□ Listing 8.10 (QuickSort2, page 459)