

# Chap6. Heap Sort

- Heaps
- Maintaining the heap property
- Building a heap
- The heapsort algorithm
- Priority queues

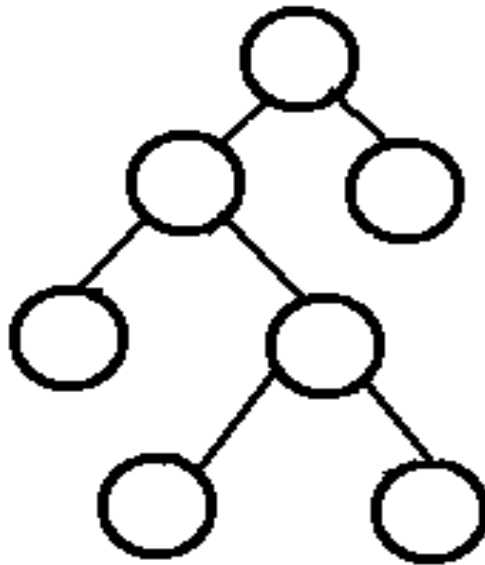
# Heapsort

- Combines the better attributes of merge sort and insertion sort.
  - Like merge sort, but unlike insertion sort, running time is  $O(n \log n)$ .
  - Like insertion sort, but unlike merge sort, sorts in place.
- Introduces an algorithm design technique
  - Create data structure(*heap*) to manage information during the execution of an algorithm.
- The *heap* has other applications beside sorting.
  - Priority Queues

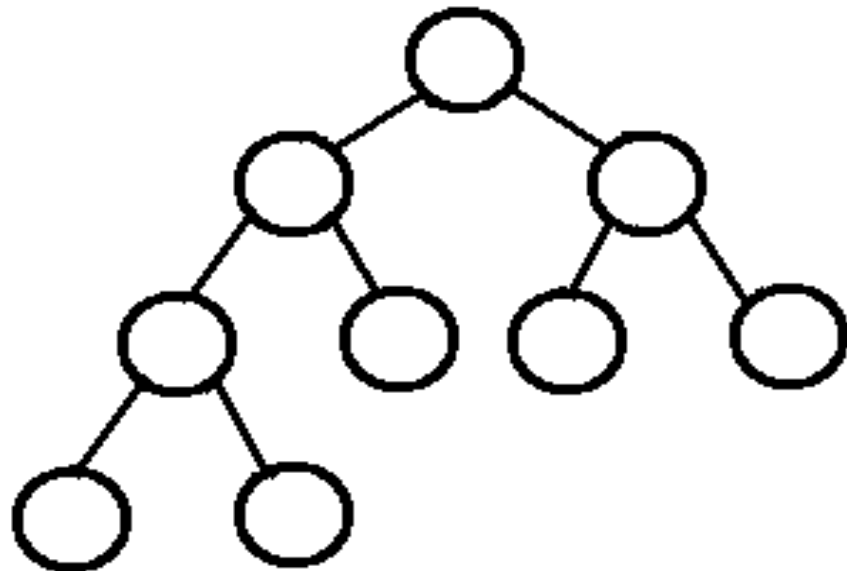
# Full vs. Complete Binary Trees

- A binary tree  $T$  is full if each node is either a leaf or has exactly two child nodes.
- A binary tree  $T$  with  $n$  levels is complete if all levels except possibly the last are completely full, and the last level has all its nodes to the left side.

# Full vs. Complete Binary Trees

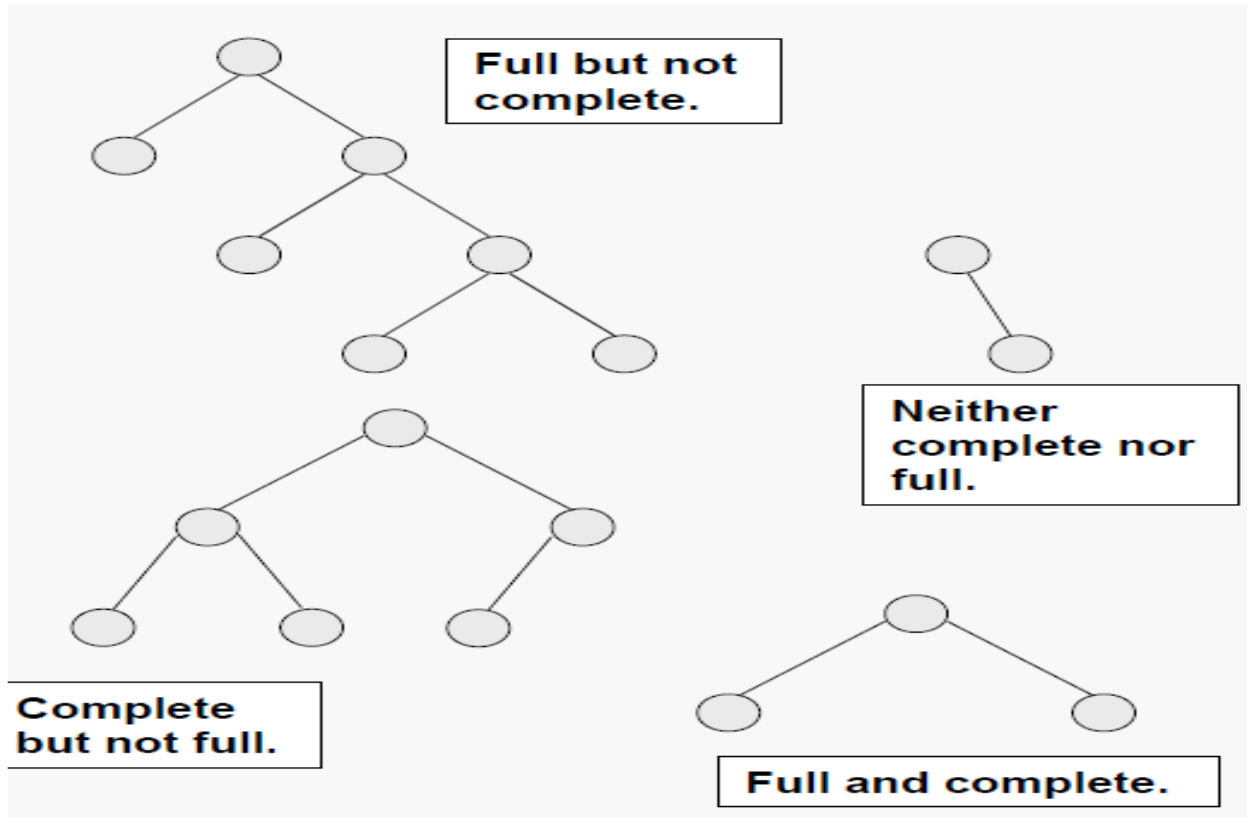


**full tree**



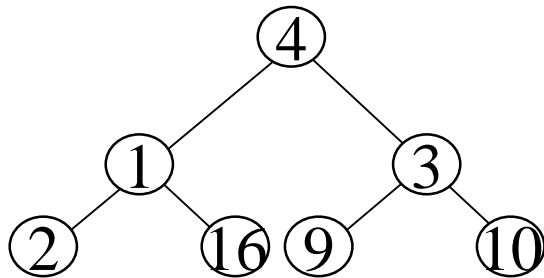
**complete tree**

# Full vs. Complete Binary Trees



# Complete vs. Nearly complete Binary Tree

- A complete binary tree is a binary tree in which all leaves are on the same level and all internal nodes have degree 2.

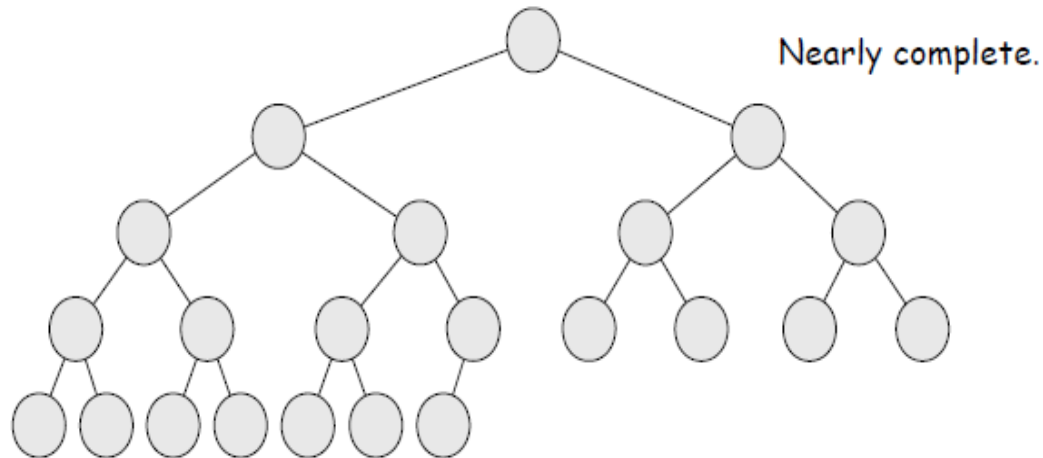
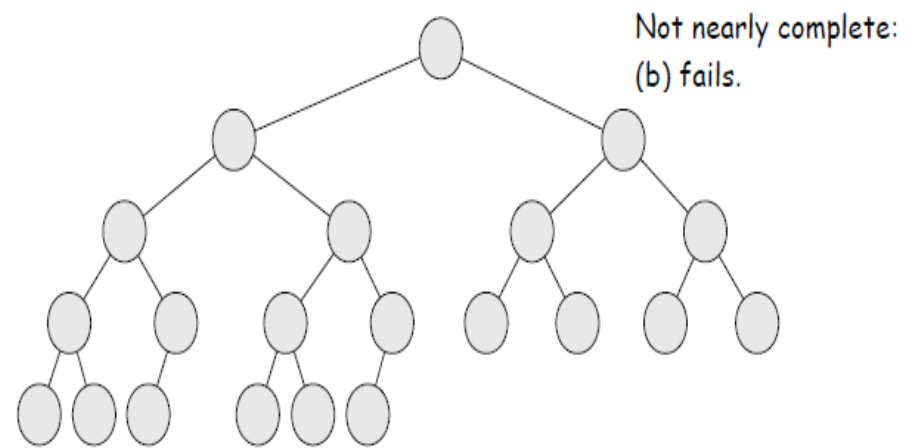
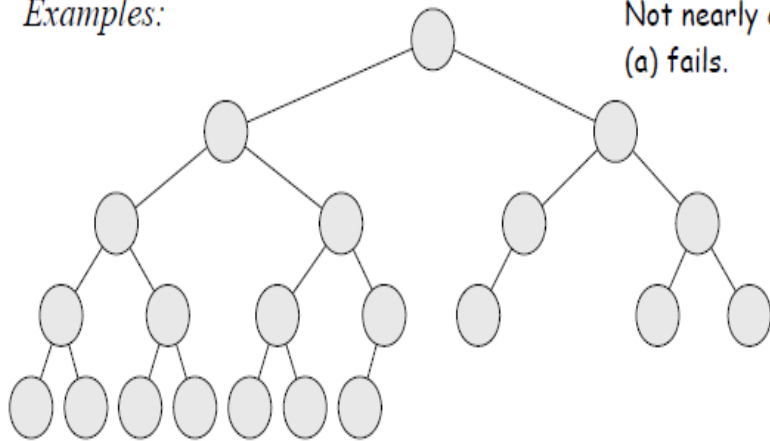


Complete binary tree

- A nearly complete binary tree is completely filled on all levels except possibly the lowest, which is filled from the left up to a point.

# Nearly Complete Binary Tree

*Examples:*



# Representation of Nearly Complete Binary Tree

- A nearly complete binary tree may be represented as an array (i.e., no pointers):
- Number the nodes, beginning with the root node and moving from level to level, left to right within a level.
- The number assigned to a node is its index in the array.



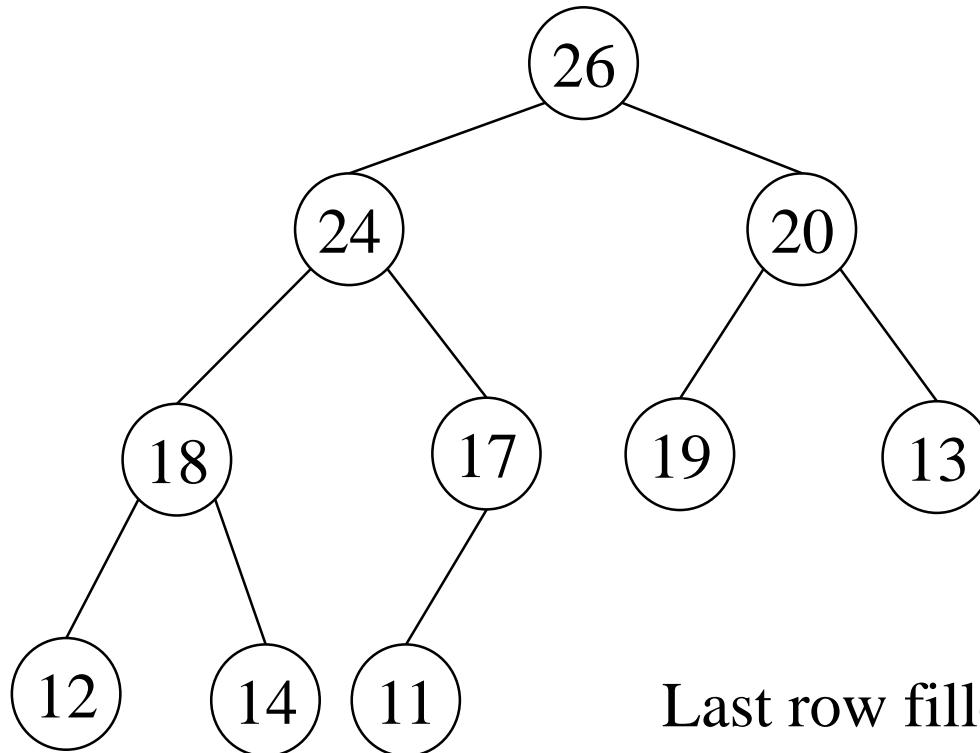
# Additional Properties of Nearly Complete Binary Trees

- The root of the tree is  $A[1]$ .
- If a node has index  $i$ , we can easily compute the indices of its:
  - parent  $\lfloor i/2 \rfloor$
  - left child  $2i$
  - right child  $2i + 1$
- Array viewed as a nearly complete binary tree.
  - Physically linear array.
  - Logically binary tree, filled on all levels (except lowest)

# Heap vs. Array

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
26	24	20	18	17	19	13	12	14	11

heap as an array.



heap as a binary  
tree.

Last row filled from left to right.

# Heap

- A binary tree with  $n$  nodes and of height  $h$  is nearly complete iff its nodes correspond to the nodes which are numbered 1 to  $n$  in the complete binary tree of height  $h$ .
- A heap is a *nearly complete binary tree* that satisfies the heap property:

**max-heap:** For every node  $i$  other than the root:

$$A[\text{Parent}(i)] \geq A[i]$$

**min-heap:** For every node  $i$  other than the root:

$$A[\text{Parent}(i)] \leq A[i]$$

# Max-Heap

- A max-heap is a *nearly complete binary tree* that satisfies the heap property:  
For every node  $i$  other than the root,  
$$A[\text{PARENT}(i)] \geq A[i]$$
- What does this mean?
  - the value of a node is at most the value of its parent
  - the largest element in the heap is stored in the root

# Height

- *Height of a node in a tree*: the number of edges on the longest simple downward path from the node to a leaf.
- *Height of a tree*: the height of the root.
- Height of a heap:  $\lfloor \log n \rfloor$ 
  - Basic operations on a heap run in  $O(\log n)$  time

# Heap Characteristics

- *Height* =  $\lfloor \log n \rfloor$
- # of *leaves* =  $\lceil n/2 \rceil$
- # of nodes of height  $h \leq \lceil n/2^{h+1} \rceil$

# Heaps have 5 basic procedures

- HEAPIFY: maintains the heap property
- BUILD-HEAP: builds a heap from an unordered array
- HEAPSORT: sorts an array in place
- EXTRACT-MAX: selects max element
- INSERT: inserts a new element

## MAXHEAPIFY( $A, i$ )

- Goal is to put the  $i^{\text{th}}$  element in the correct place in a portion of the array that “almost” has the heap property.
- The only element with index of  $i$  or greater that is out of place is  $A[i]$ .
- Assume that left and right subtrees of  $A[i]$  have the heap property.
- “Sift”  $A[i]$  down to the right position.

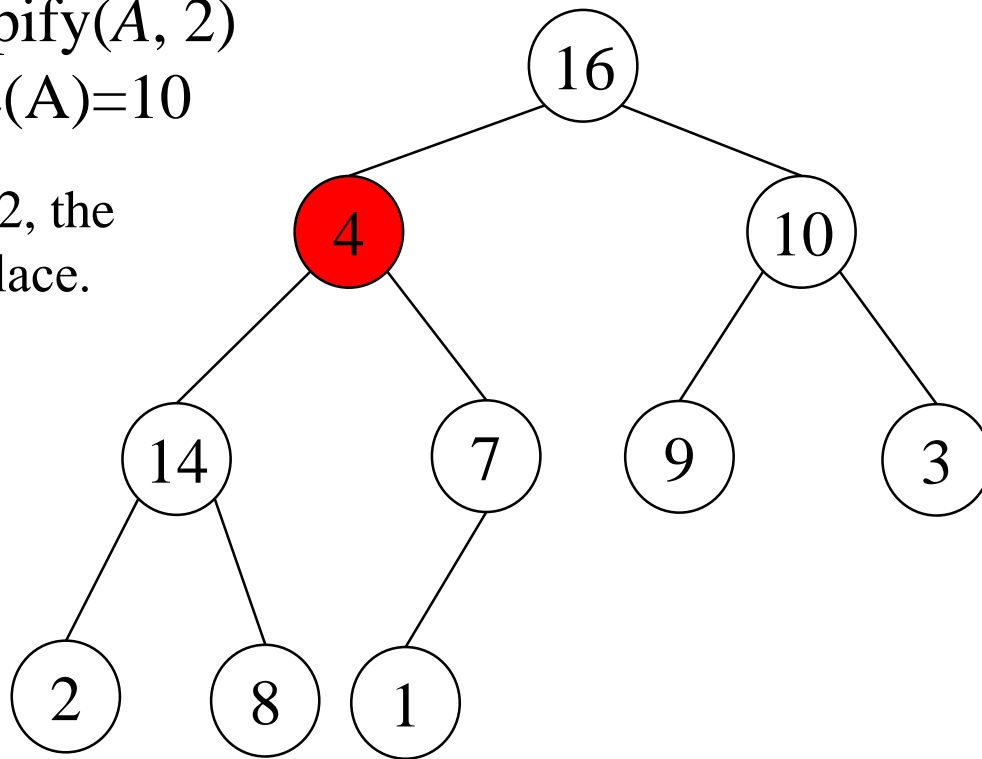


# MaxHeapify – Example

MaxHeapify(A, 2)

Heapsize(A)=10

Array element 2, the  
“4”, is out of place.

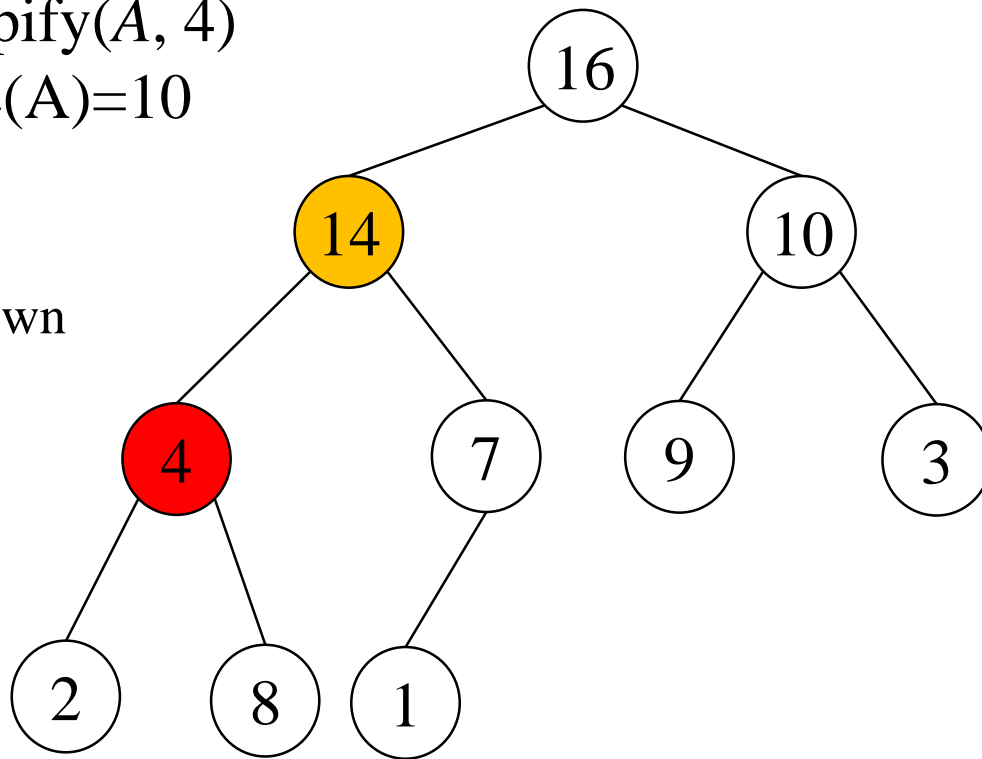


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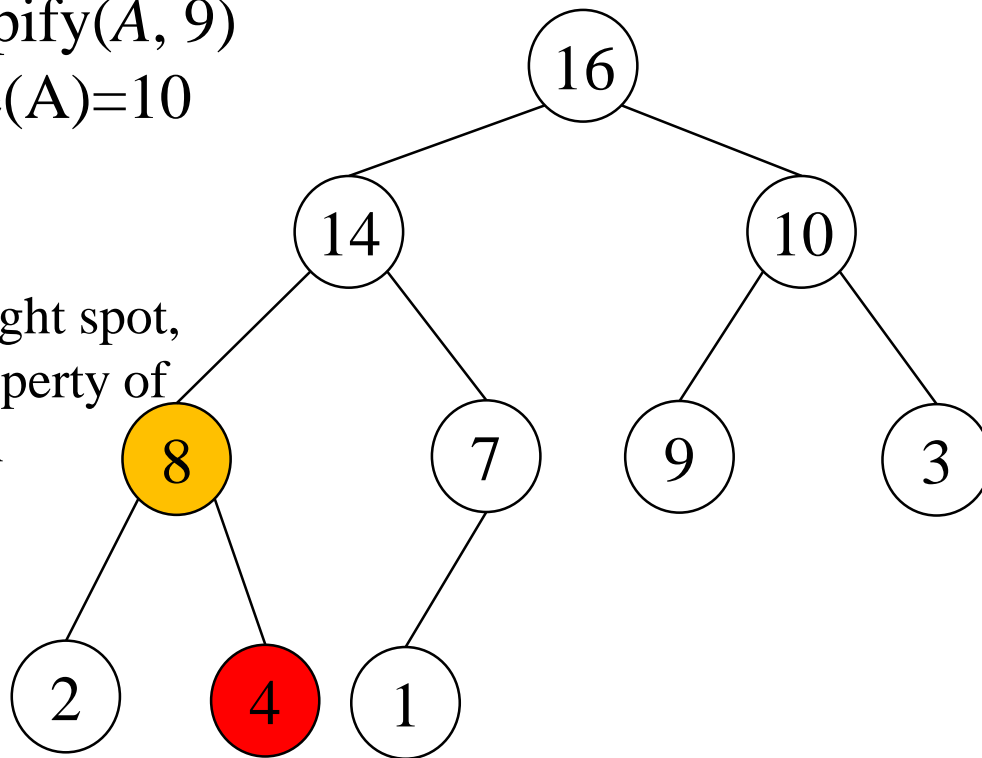
Moving the 4 down



# MaxHeapify – Example

MaxHeapify(A, 9)

Heapsize(A)=10



The 4 is in the right spot,  
and the heap property of  
the tree has been  
restored.

# MAX-HEAPIFY

*MaxHeapify*(A, i)

1.  $l \leftarrow \text{left}(i)$
2.  $r \leftarrow \text{right}(i)$
3. **if**  $l \leq \text{heap-size}[A]$  and  $A[l] > A[i]$
4.     **then**  $\text{largest} \leftarrow l$
5.     **else**  $\text{largest} \leftarrow i$
6. **if**  $r \leq \text{heap-size}[A]$  **and**  $A[r] > A[\text{largest}]$
7.     **then**  $\text{largest} \leftarrow r$
8. **if**  $\text{largest} \neq i$
9.     **then** exchange  $A[i] \leftrightarrow A[\text{largest}]$
10.         *MaxHeapify*(A, largest)

Assumption:

*Left*(i) and *Right*(i) are max-heaps.

# Running time of MaxHeapify

MaxHeapify(A, i)

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1.  $l \leftarrow \text{left}(i)$ 
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9.   then exchange  $A[i] \leftrightarrow A[\text{largest}]$ 
10.     $\text{MaxHeapify}(A, \text{largest})$ 
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Line1-Line9:  
Time to fix node  $i$  and  
its children =  $\Theta(1)$

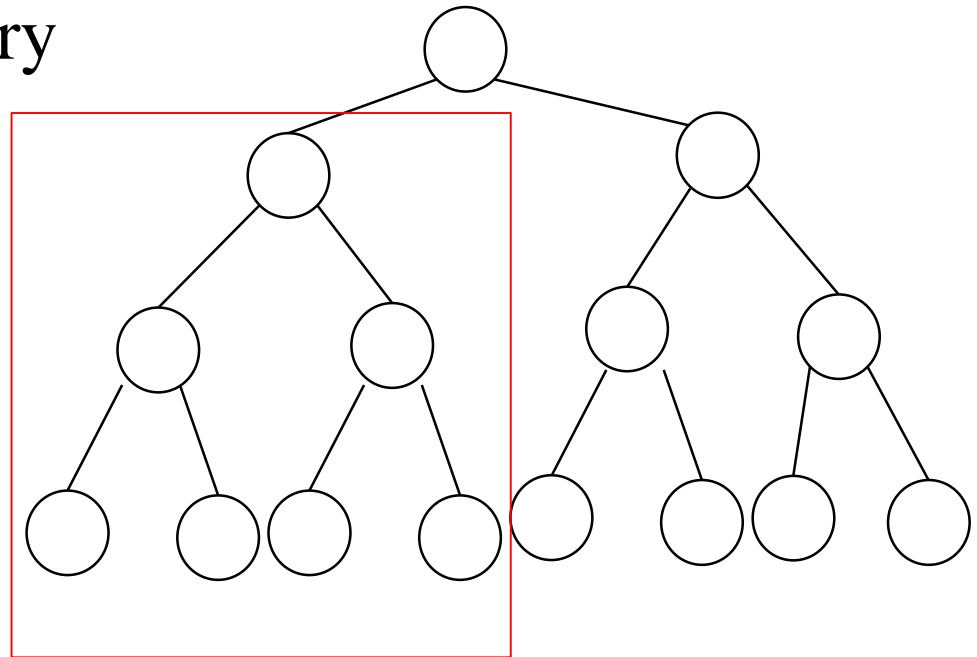
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# Running time of MaxHeapify

- How many nodes might be involved?

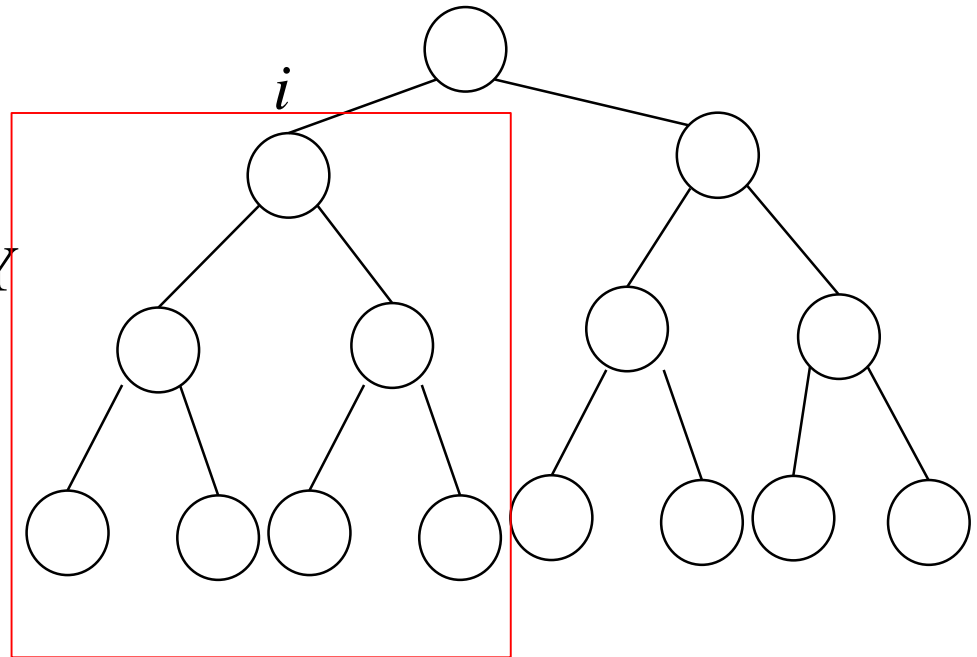
In the case of a full binary tree, about half of the tree might be involved.



# Running time of MaxHeapify

In a complete binary tree with 15 nodes, 8 of those nodes are leaves at the bottom level.

If we perform MAXHEAPIFY on node  $i$ , 7 of the 15 nodes will be involved – about  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the nodes.

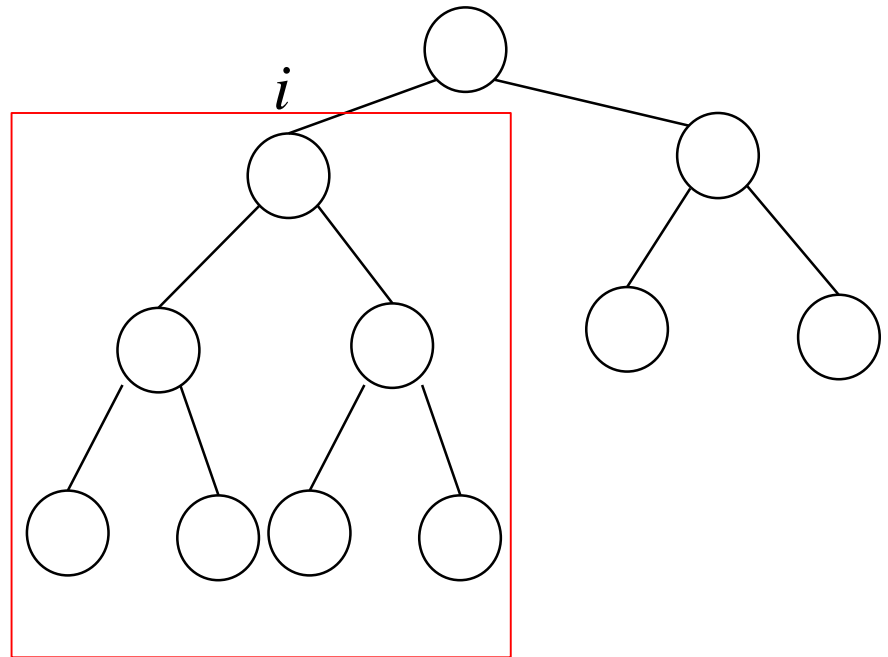


# Running time of MaxHeapify

- What is the worst case?  
When the last row of the tree is half full.

Here 7 out of 11 nodes are involved.

In general,  $\leq 2/3$  of the tree might be involved in the worst case.





# Running time of MaxHeapify

- Remember that, in a complete binary tree, more than half of the nodes in the entire tree are the leaf nodes on the bottom level of the tree.
- But the only nodes involved in MAX-HEAPIFY are the descendants of  $A[i]$ , which must be in  $A[i]$ 's half of the tree.
- So worst case is when the last row of the tree is half full on the left side and  $A[i]$  is their ancestor.

# Running time of MaxHeapify

- The subtrees of the children of our current node have size at most  $2n/3$ .
- The running time of MAX\_HEAPIFY can be described by the recurrence:  
$$T(n) \leq T(2n/3) + \Theta(1)$$
- This is Case 2 by the master method, so:  
$$T(n) = O(\log n)$$
- We could also describe the running time of MAX-HEAPIFY for a node of height  $h$  as  $O(h)$ .  
*(This is useful only if we know the height of a specific node.)*

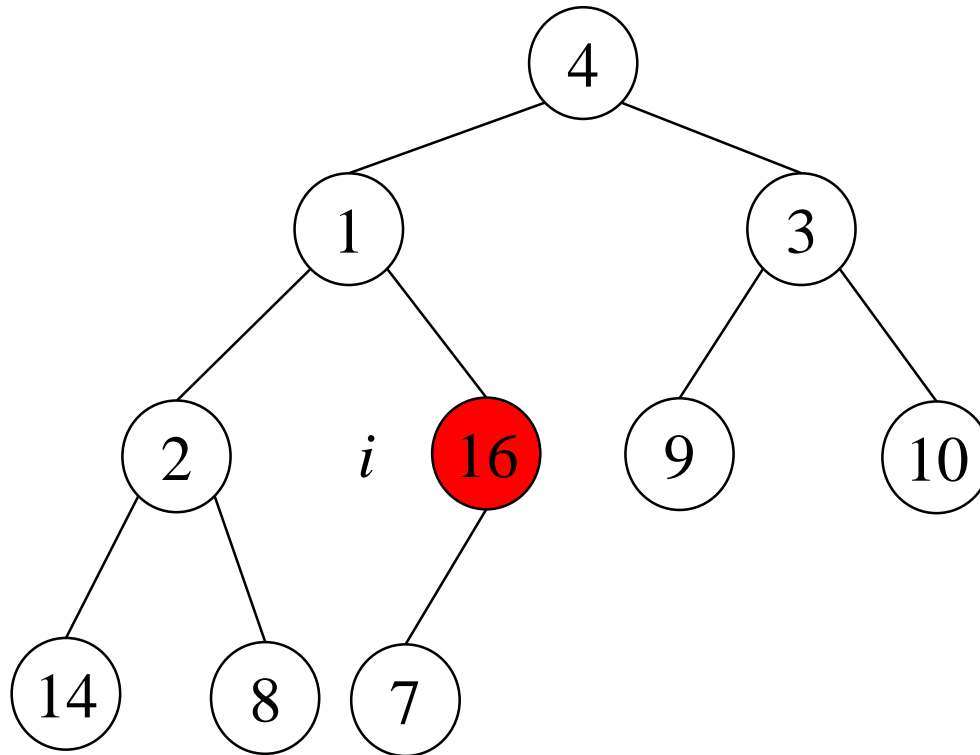
# BUILD-MAX-HEAP

- Use MAX-HEAPIFY in a bottom-up manner to convert an array  $A[1..n]$  into a heap.
- Each leaf is initially a one-element heap.  
Elements  $A[\lfloor n/2 \rfloor + 1..n]$  are leaves.
- MAX-HEAPIFY is called on all interior nodes.

# BUILD-MAX-HEAP

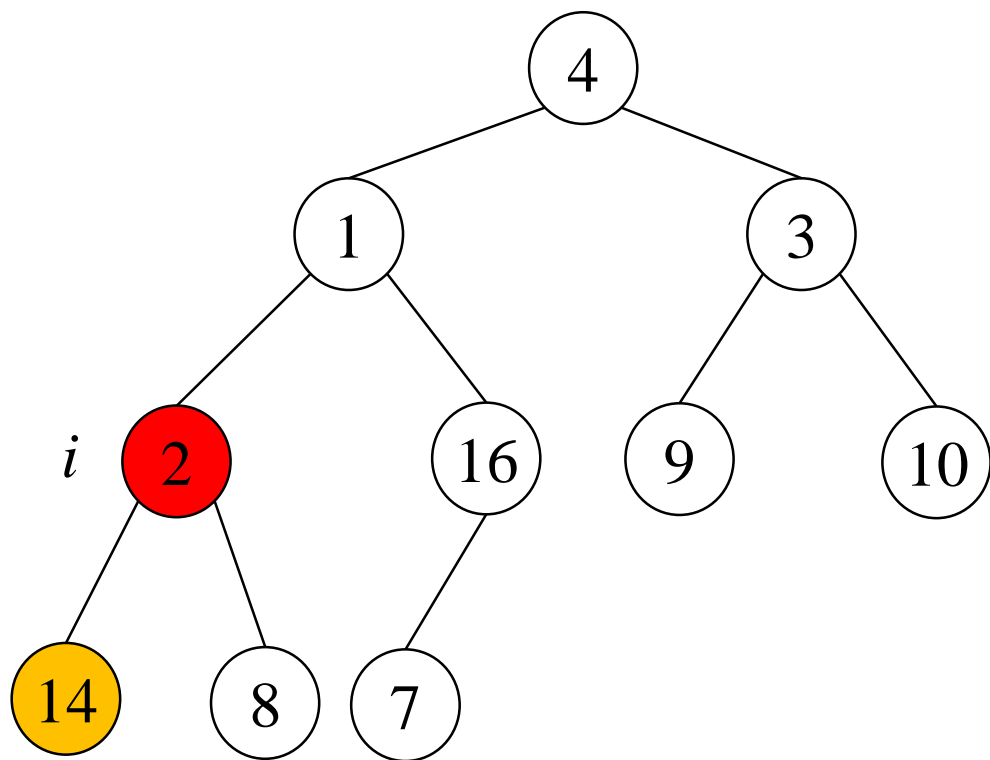
BUILD-MAX-HEAP(A)

- 1    heap-size[A]  $\leftarrow$  length[A]
- 2    for  $i \leftarrow \text{floor}(\text{length}[A]/2)$  downto 1 do
- 3        MAX-HEAPIFY(A, i)

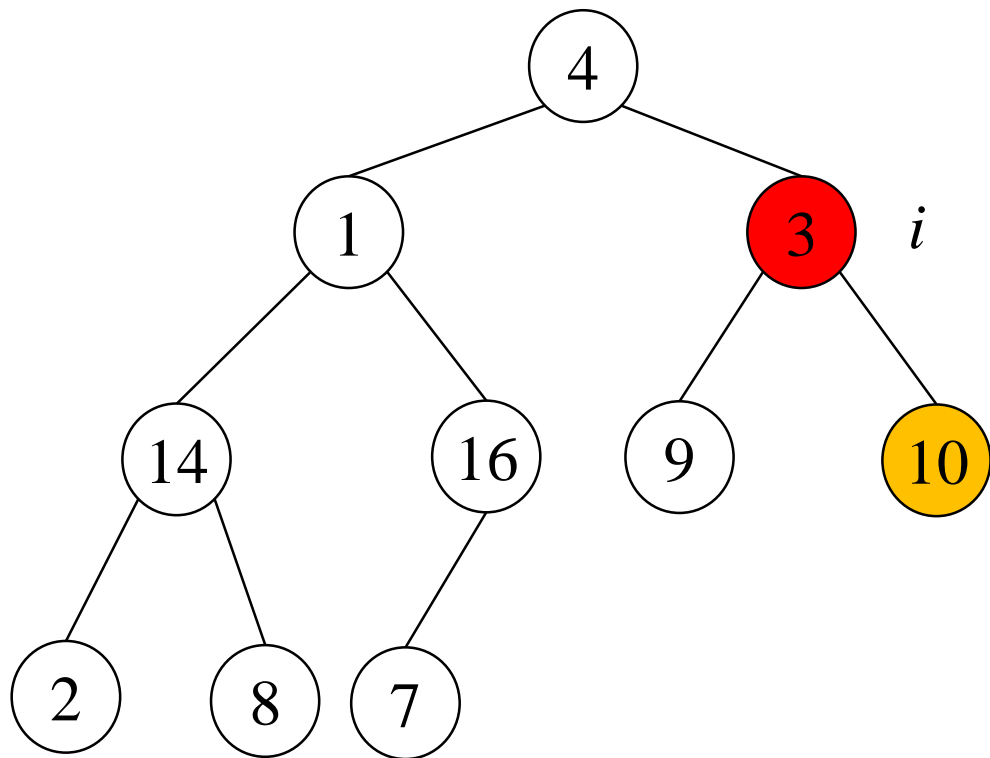


$\text{length}(A) = 10$   
 $\text{floor}(\text{length}(A)/2) = 5$   
process from 5 to 1

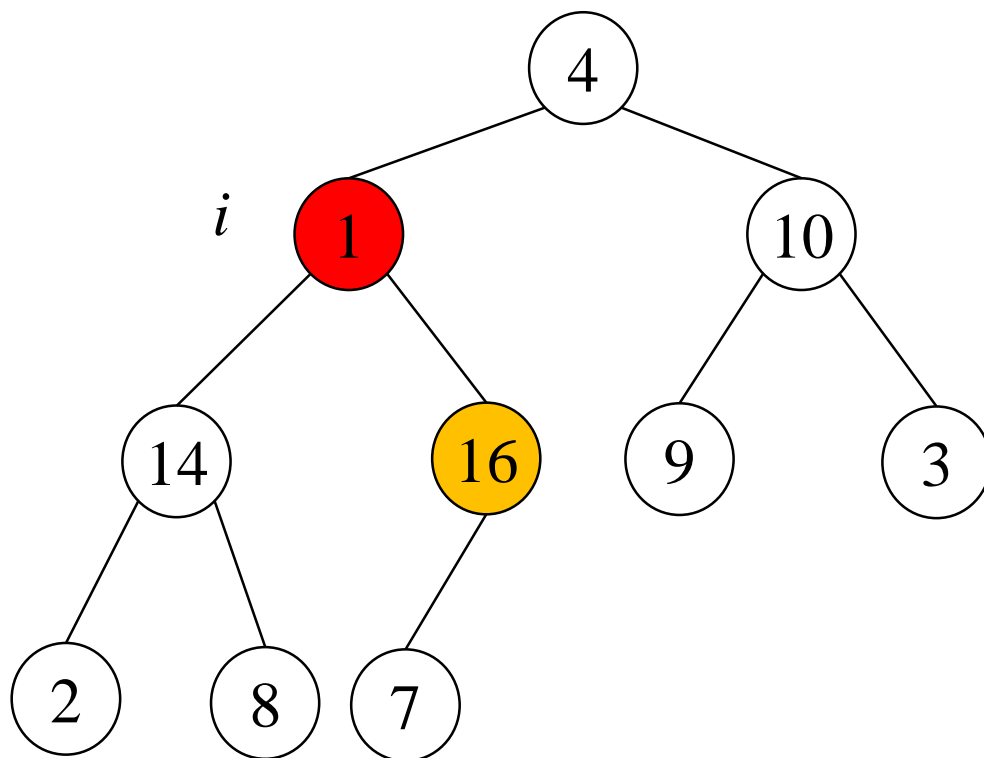
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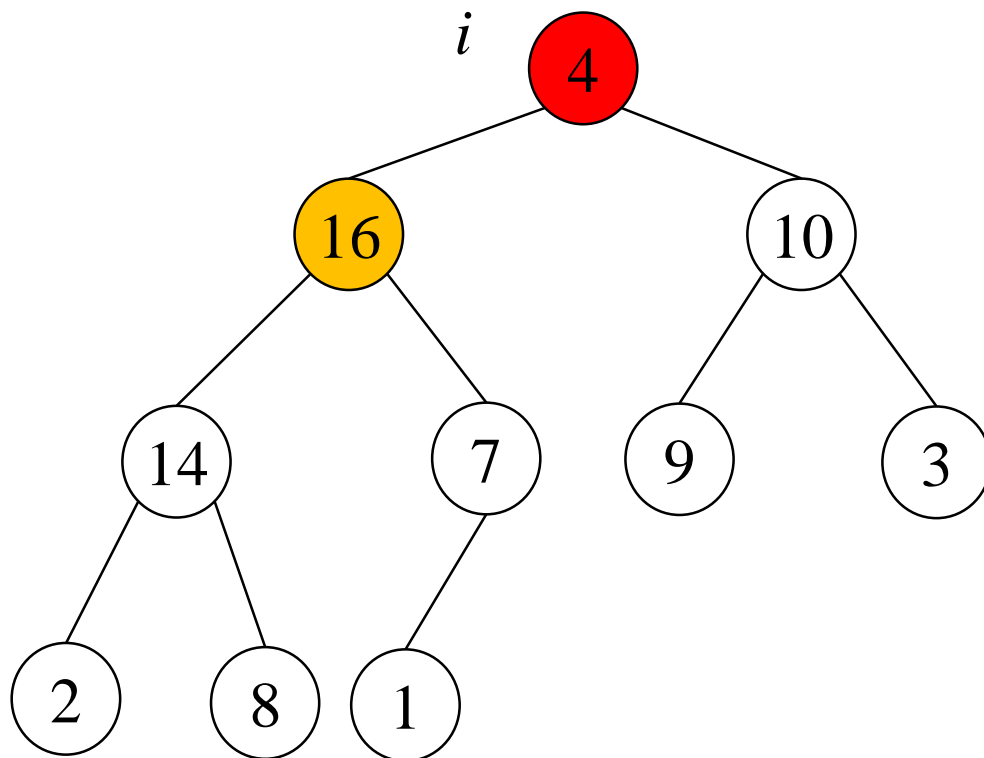


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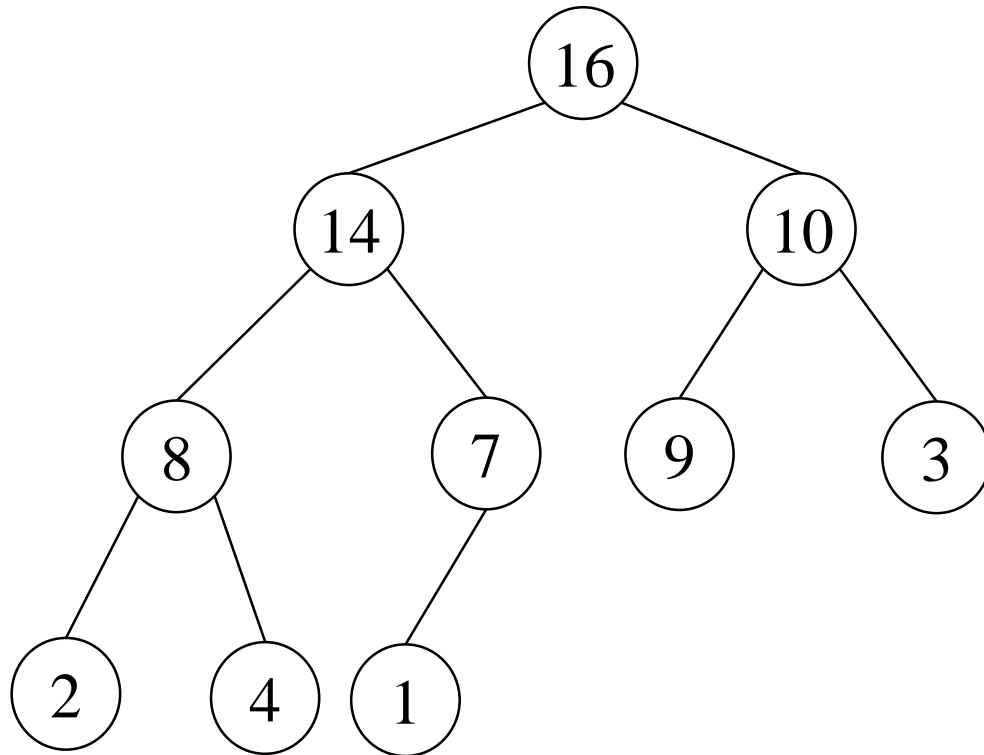


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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
16	14	10	8	7	9	3	2	4	1

# Running Time of BUILD-MAX-HEAP

- Simple upper bound:
  - each call to MAX-HEAPIFY costs  $O(\log n)$
  - $O(n)$  such calls
  - running time at most  $O(n \log n)$
- Previous bound is not tight:
  - lots of the elements are leaves
  - most elements are near leaves (small height)

# Tighter Bound for BUILD-MAX-HEAP

$$\sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} \left\lceil \frac{n}{2^{h+1}} \right\rceil O(h) \\ = O\left(n \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} \frac{h}{2^h}\right)$$

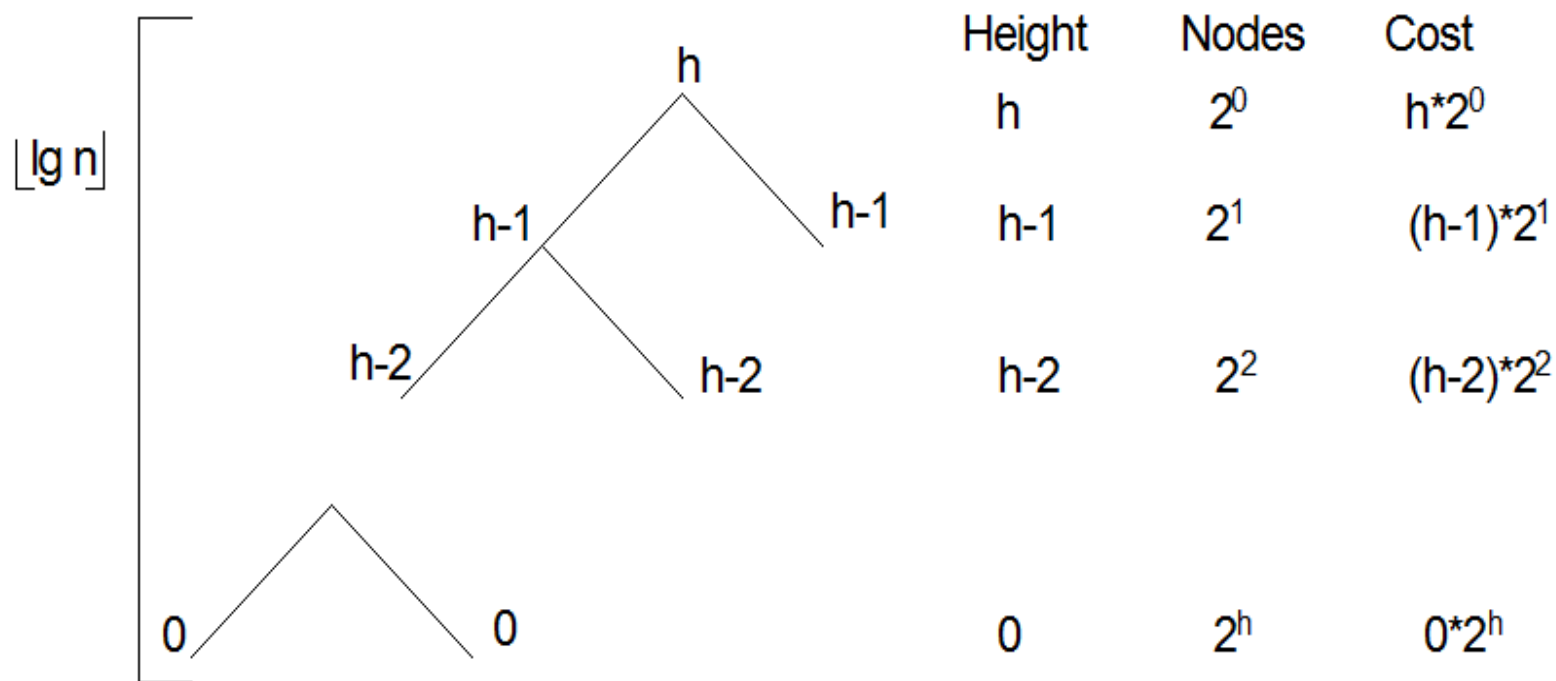
$$\sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} \frac{h}{2^h} \\ \leq \sum_{h=0}^{\infty} \frac{h}{2^h} \\ = \frac{1/2}{(1-1/2)^2} \\ = 2$$

$$O\left(n \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} \frac{h}{2^h}\right) = O\left(n \sum_{h=0}^{\infty} \frac{h}{2^h}\right) \\ = O(n)$$

Thus the running time is bounded by  $O(n)$

Therefore, we can build a heap from an unordered array in linear time

# Recursion tree method for calculating Build-Max-Heap cost



$$\sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} h \cdot 2^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor - h} = \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} h \cdot \frac{2^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor}}{2^h} \leq \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} h \cdot \frac{2^{\lg n}}{2^h} = \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} h \cdot \frac{n^{\lg 2}}{2^h}$$

$$= \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} h \cdot \frac{n}{2^h} = n \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \lg n \rfloor} \frac{h}{2^h} \leq n \sum_{h=0}^{\infty} \frac{h}{2^h} = 2n = O(n)$$

# Heap Sort

- First build a heap.
- Then successively remove the biggest element from the heap and move it to the first position in the sorted array.
- The element currently in that position is then placed at the top of the heap and sifted to the proper position.

# Heap Sort

HEAPSORT(A)

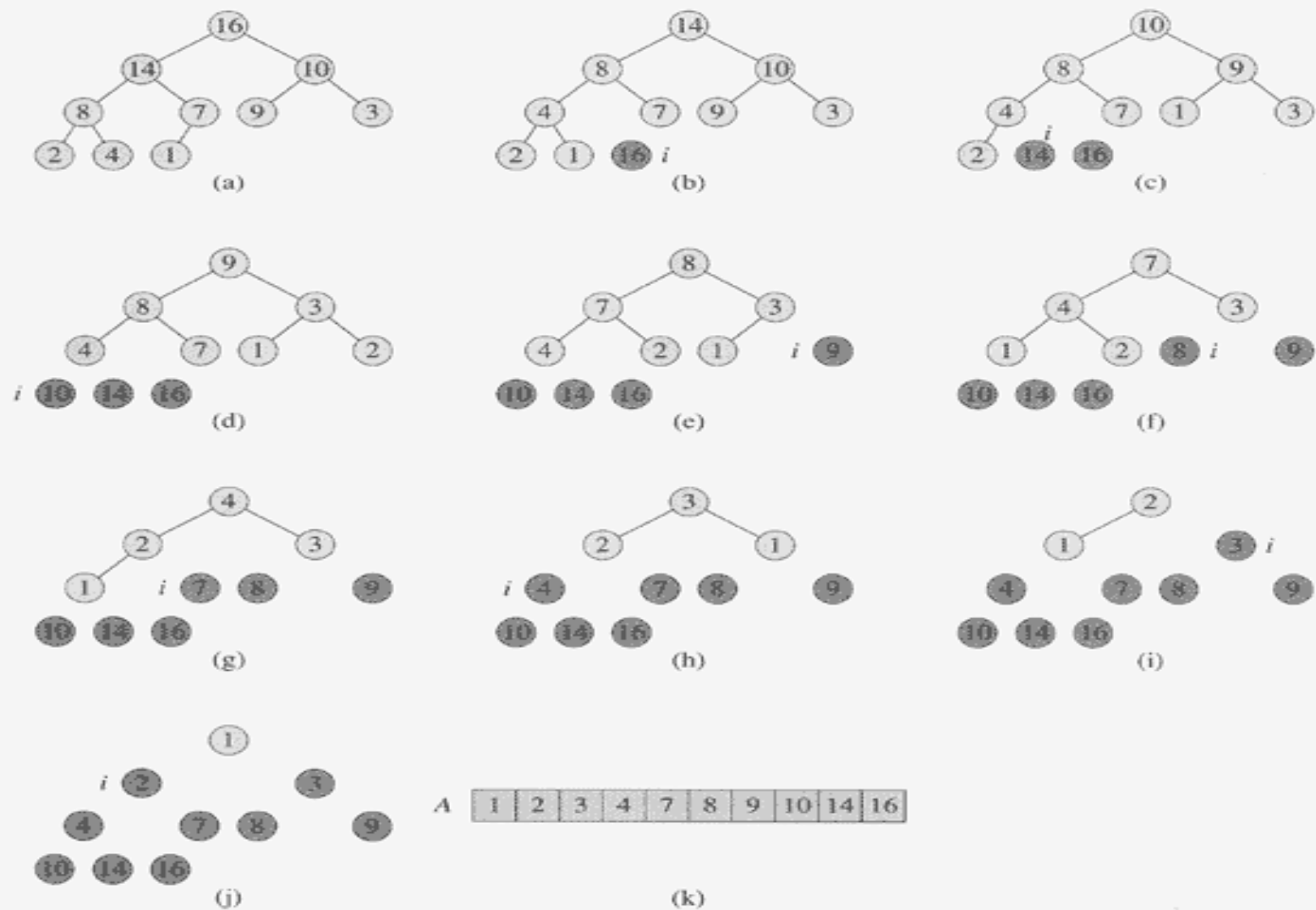
1 BUILD-MAX-HEAP(A)

2 for  $i \leftarrow \text{length}[A]$  downto 2 do

3     exchange  $A[1] \leftrightarrow A[i]$

4      $\text{heap-size}[A] \leftarrow \text{heap-size}[A] - 1$

5     MAX-HEAPIFY(A, 1)



**Figure 6.4** The operation of HEAPSORT. (a) The max-heap data structure just after it has been built by BUILD-MAX-HEAP. (b)–(j) The max-heap just after each call of MAX-HEAPIFY in line 5. The value of  $i$  at that time is shown. Only lightly shaded nodes remain in the heap. (k) The resulting sorted array  $A$ .



# Running time of Heapsort

HEAPSORT(A)

1	BUILD-MAX-HEAP(A)	$O(n)$
2	for $i \leftarrow \text{length}[A]$ downto 2 do	$O(n-1)$
3	exchange $A[1] \leftrightarrow A[i]$	$O(1)$
4	heap-size[A] $\leftarrow$ heap-size[A] - 1	$O(1)$
5	MAX-HEAPIFY(A, 1)	$O(\log n)$

• Total time is:

$O(n) + O(n-1) * [O(1) + O(1) + O(\log n)]$   
which is approximately  $O(n) + O(n \log n)$   
or just  $O(n \log n)$

# Running time of Heapsort

- BUILD-MAX-HEAP takes  $O(n)$ .
- We have a loop. Each of the  $n-1$  calls to MAX-HEAPIFY takes  $O(\log n)$  time.
- Total time is  $O(n \log n)$ .

# Space requirements of Heapsort

- Heapsort uses an array as its data structure.
- Heapsort sorts "in place".
- Any extra storage needed?
- Only a negligible amount – one extra storage location is needed as temporary storage when swapping two array elements

# Priority Queues

- Popular & important application of heaps.
- Max and min priority queues.
- Maintains a *dynamic* set  $S$  of elements.
- Each set element has a *key* – an associated value.
- Goal is to support insertion and extraction efficiently
- Applications:
  - Ready list of processes in operating systems by their priorities (the list is highly dynamic)
  - In event-driven simulators to maintain the list of events to be simulated in order of their time of occurrence.

# Basic Operations

- Operations on a max-priority queue:
  - $\text{Insert}(S, x)$  : inserts the element  $x$  into the set  $S$   
 $S \leftarrow S \cup \{x\}$ .
  - $\text{Maximum}(S)$  : returns the element of  $S$  with the largest key.
  - $\text{Extract-Max}(S)$  : removes and returns the element of  $S$  with the largest key.
  - $\text{Increase-Key}(S, x, k)$ : increases the value of element  $x$ 's key to the new value  $k$ .

- Min-priority queue supports Insert, Minimum, Extract-Min, and Decrease-Key.
- Heap gives a good compromise between fast insertion but slow extraction and vice versa.

# HEAP-MAXIMUM

HEAP-MAXIMUM(A)

1 return A[1]

- Returns the item at the top of the heap
- Runs in  $\Theta(1)$  time

# Heap-Extract-Max( $A$ )

## Heap-Extract-Max( $A$ )

1. if  $heap-size[A] < 1$
2.     then error "heap underflow"
3.  $max \leftarrow A[1]$
4.  $A[1] \leftarrow A[heap-size[A]]$
5.  $heap-size[A] \leftarrow heap-size[A] - 1$
6. MaxHeapify( $A, 1$ )
7. return  $max$

Running time : Dominated by the running time of MaxHeapify  
 $= O(\log n)$



# Heap-Insert( $A, key$ )

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1.  $heap-size[A] \leftarrow heap-size[A] + 1$
2.  $i \leftarrow heap-size[A]$
4. **while**  $i > 1$  **and**  $A[Parent(i)] < key$
5.     **do**  $A[i] \leftarrow A[Parent(i)]$
6.          $i \leftarrow Parent(i)$
7.  $A[i] \leftarrow key$

Running time is  $O(\log n)$

The path traced from the new leaf to the root has length  $O(\log n)$

# Heap-Increase-Key( $A, i, key$ )

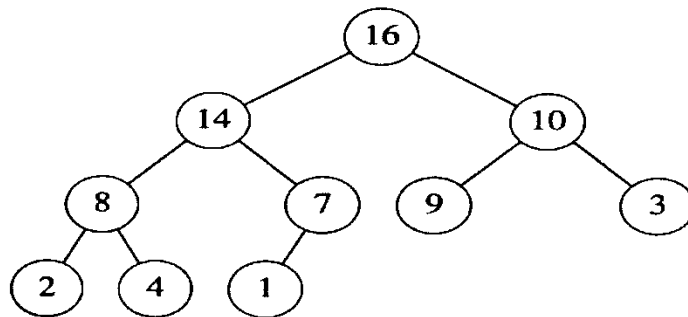
Heap-Increase-Key( $A, i, key$ )

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1  If  $key < A[i]$   
2    then error “new key is smaller than the current key”  
3   $A[i] \leftarrow key$   
4  while  $i > 1$  and  $A[\text{Parent}[i]] < A[i]$   
5    do exchange  $A[i] \leftrightarrow A[\text{Parent}[i]]$   
6     $i \leftarrow \text{Parent}[i]$ 
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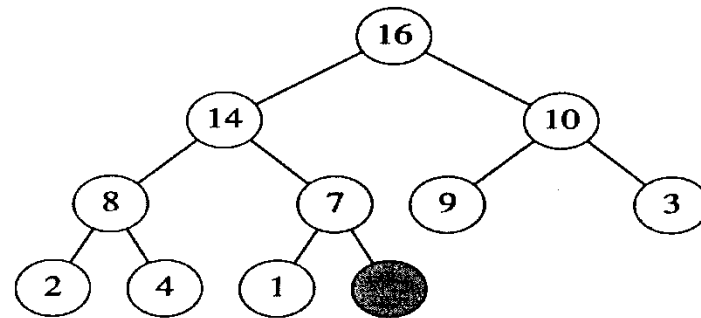
Heap-Insert( $A, key$ )

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1   $\text{heap-size}[A] \leftarrow \text{heap-size}[A] + 1$   
2   $A[\text{heap-size}[A]] \leftarrow -\infty$   
3   $\text{Heap-Increase-Key}(A, \text{heap-size}[A], key)$ 
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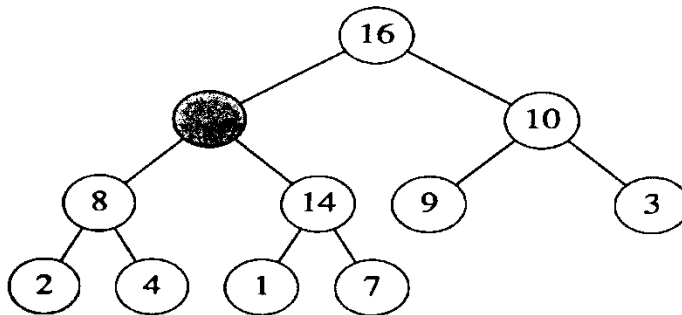
# Examples



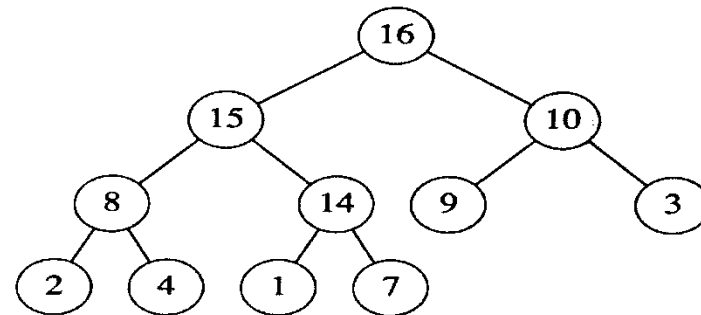
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

**Figure 7.5** The operation of **HEAP-INSERT**. (a) The heap of Figure 7.4(a) before we insert a node with key 15. (b) A new leaf is added to the tree. (c) Values on the path from the new leaf to the root are copied down until a place for the key 15 is found. (d) The key 15 is inserted.

# Conclusion

- what a heap is
- how to build a heap
- how to use a heap for sorting
- how to analyze heapsort's running time
- how to use a heap for priority queues