# Generating all distributions of objects to bins

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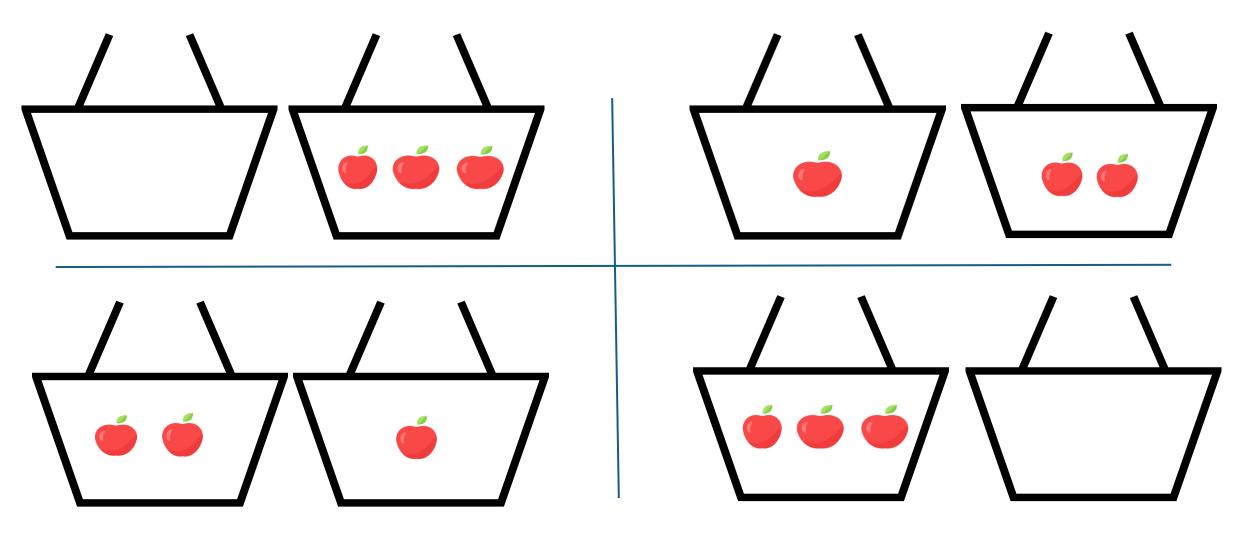
#### **Problem Statement**

Can we generate all distributions of identical objects to bins in O(1)?

#### Real world example of Distributing Object into bins

Number of distributions = (n + m - 1)!/n!(m - 1)!

m= Number of bins = 2 n= Number of objects = 3



## The problems with Klingsberg's algorithm

- Cannot generate each solution in O(1)
- Generates solutions in constant time on average
- Klingsberg's method requires searching for the second non-zero element in the sequence for solutions that have a non-zero first elements
- Inefficient in the generation process

# The Efficient Algorithm

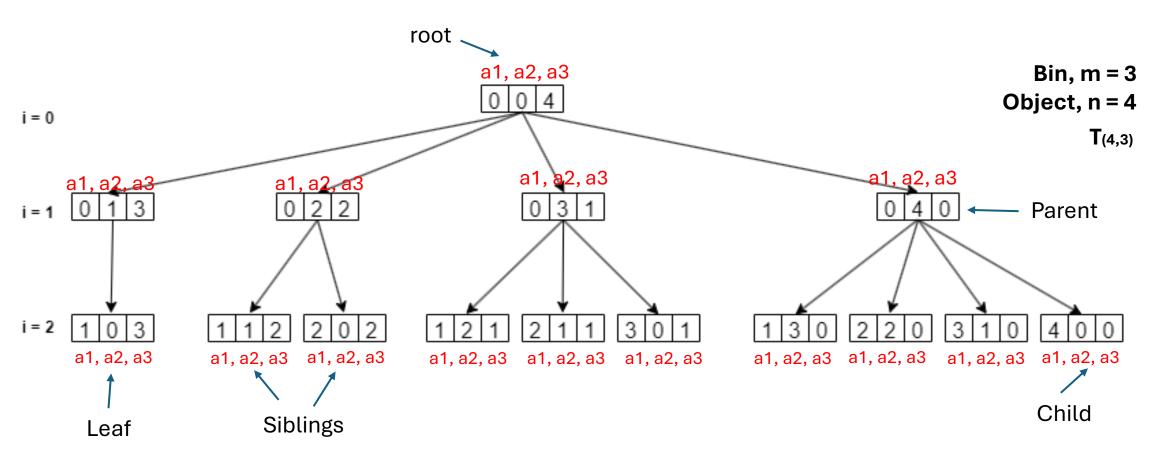
- Constant Time Generation: Generates each distribution in constant time (in ordinary sense)
- **Efficient Traversal:** Efficient tree traversal method to ensure each distribution is generated quickly.
- Space Complexity: O(m lg n)
- Optimization: Reduce non-generation steps
- No repetition.
- Generates in specific order.

# Application of the algorithm

- Automation in Machines
- Computer Networks
- Client-Server Architecture
- Combinatorial Problems

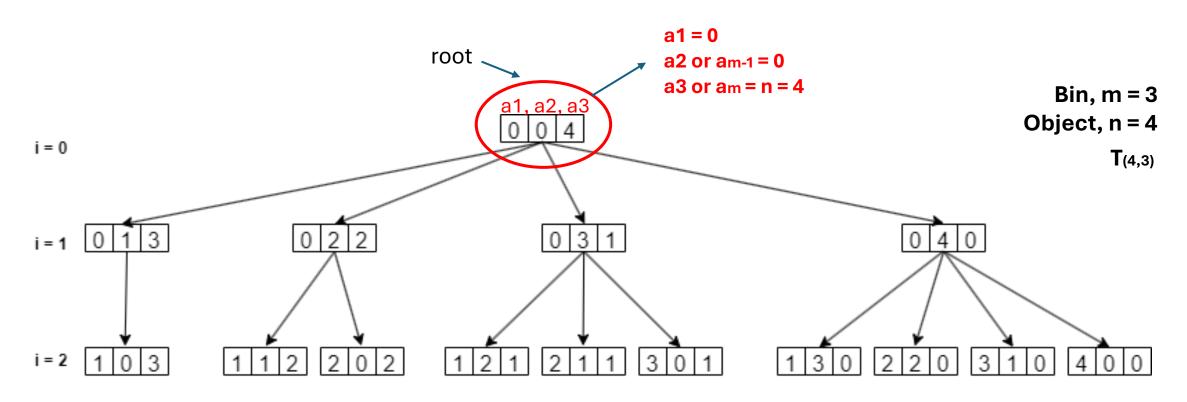
### The family tree of distributions

We define a tree structure  $T_{n,m}$  among the distributions in D(n, m). Each node of  $T_{n,m}$  represents a distribution (a1, a2,...,am)  $\in D(n, m)$ . If there are m bins then there are m levels  $T_{n,m}$ .



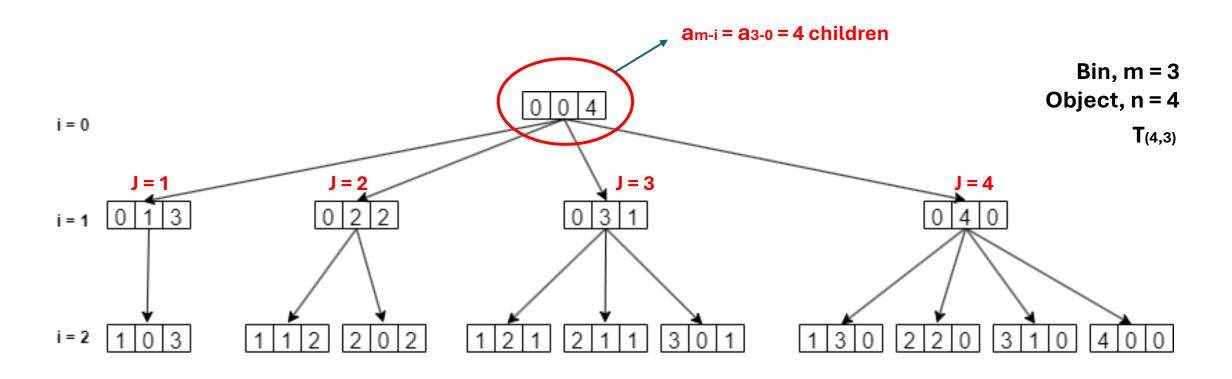
## The family tree of distributions (cont.)

Tn,m is a rooted tree we need a root, and the root is a node at level 0. we can observe that a node is at level 0 in Tn,m and  $a1 = a2 = \cdots = am-1 = 0$  and am = n.

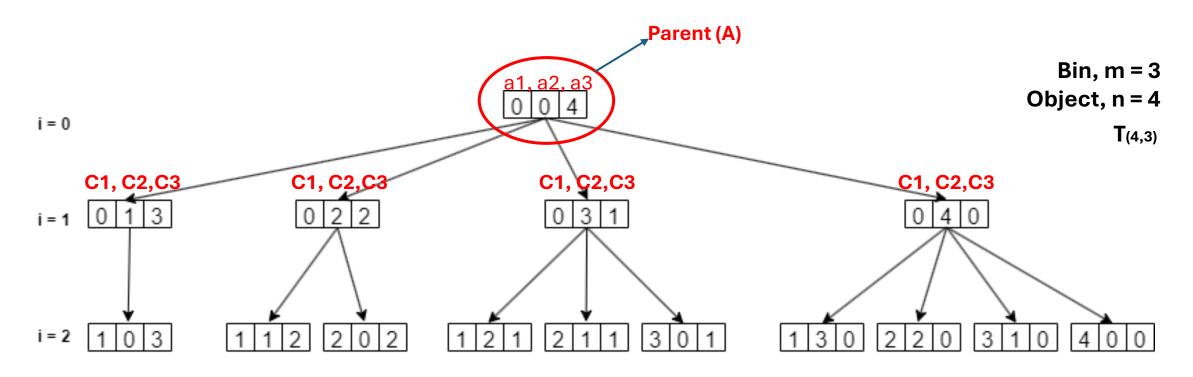


### Parent-child relationship

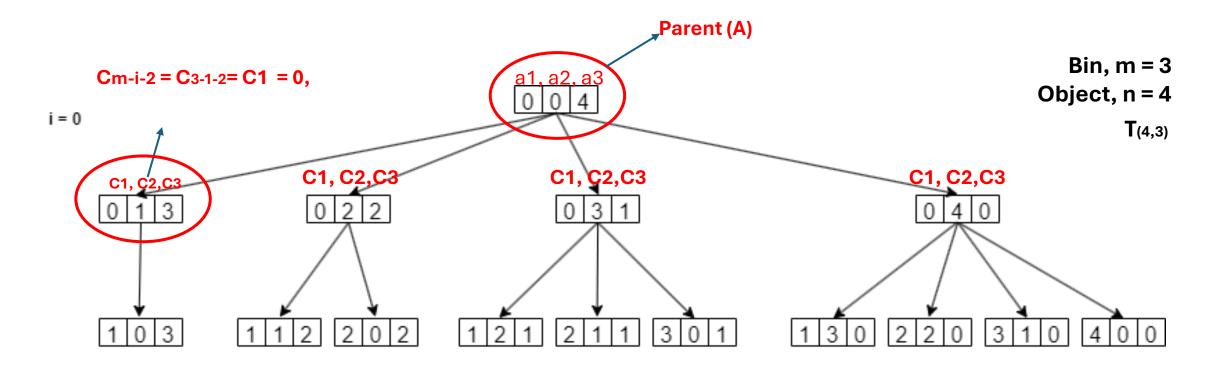
The number of children a parent has is equal to am-i



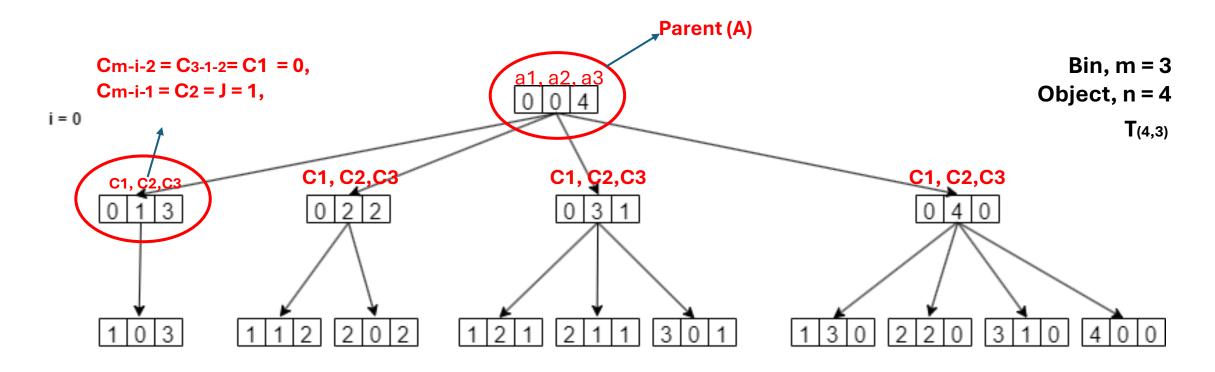
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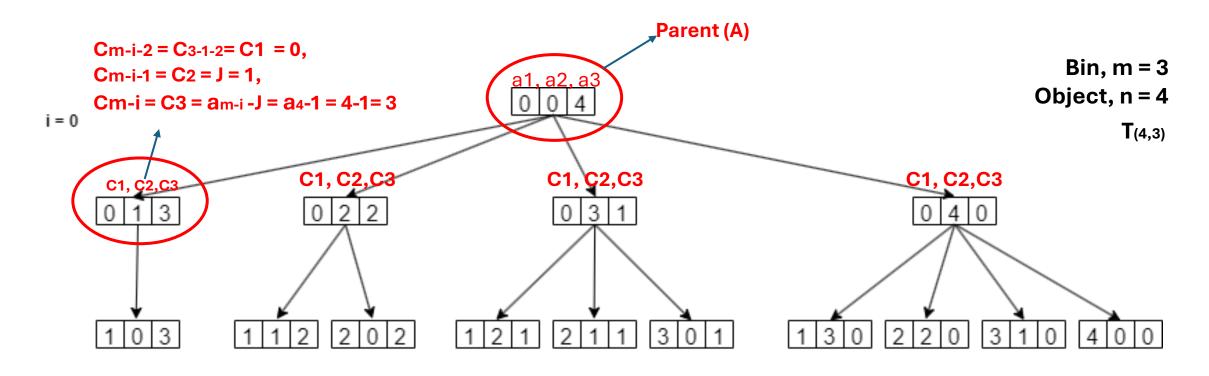
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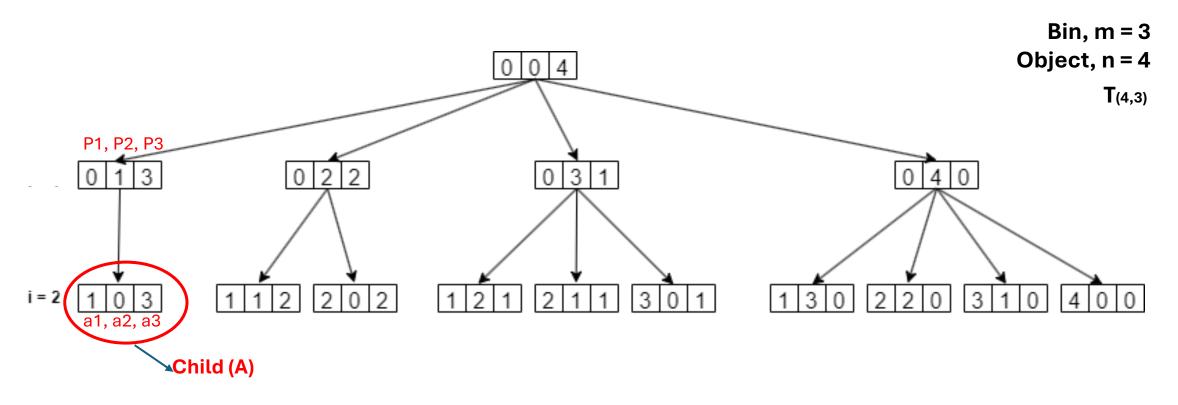


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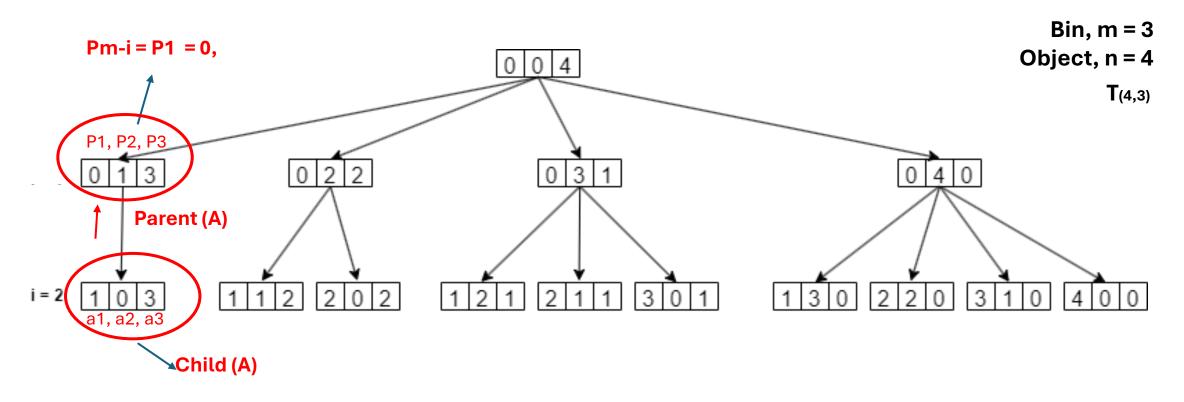
### Child-parent relationship

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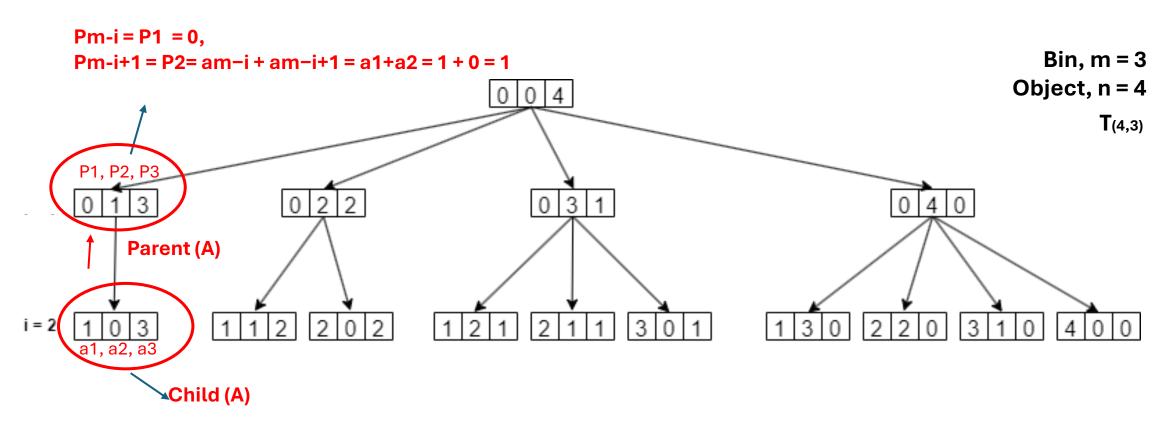
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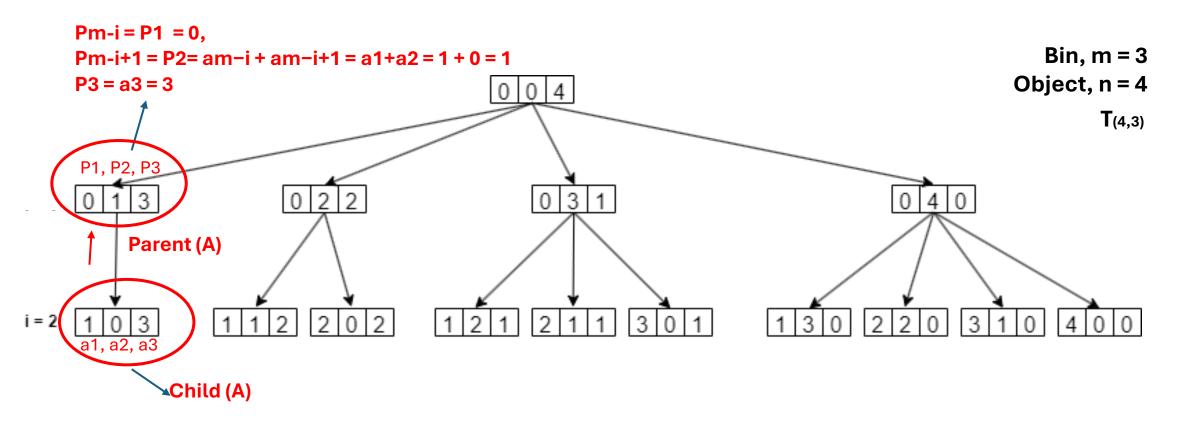
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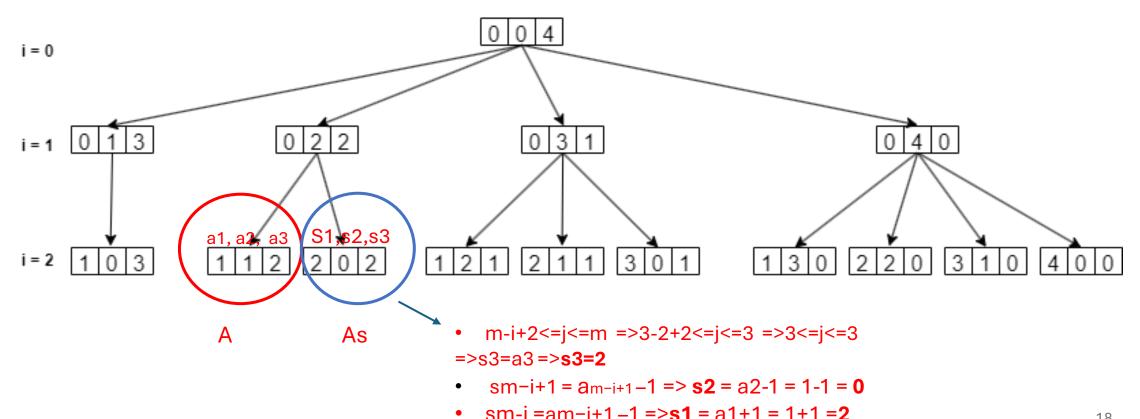
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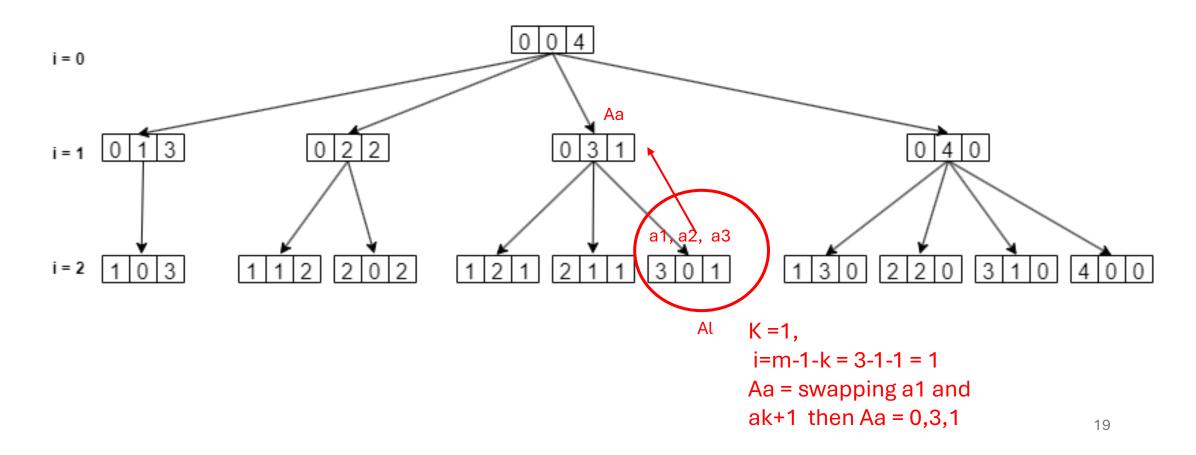
### Efficient tree traversal O(1) time Relationship between left sibling and right sibling

Right sibling As  $\in$  D(n,m) of node A exists if **am-i+1\neq 0** at level i of Tn,m. the sequence for As as  $(s1,s2,...,sm-i,sm-i+1,...,sm),1 \le i < m$  where s1 = s2 = ... = sm-i-1 = 0, sm-i = am-i+1, sm-i+1 = am-i+1-1 and sj = aj for  $m-i+2 \le j \le m$ .

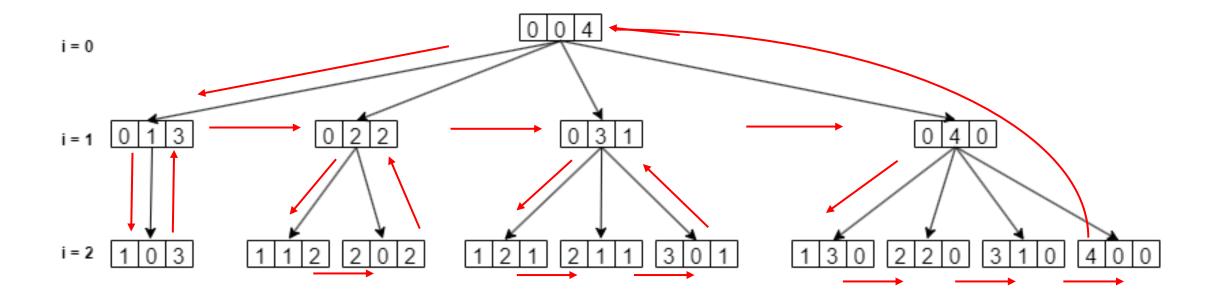


## Leaf-ancestor relationship

Al = rightmost leaf, Aa = Nearest ancestor which has right siblings, k = number of consecutive 0's, Aa  $\in$  D(n,m) of node Al exists if a2 = 0. Nearest ancestor is obtained by swapping a1 and ak+1 at level m-1-k



### Efficient tree traversal



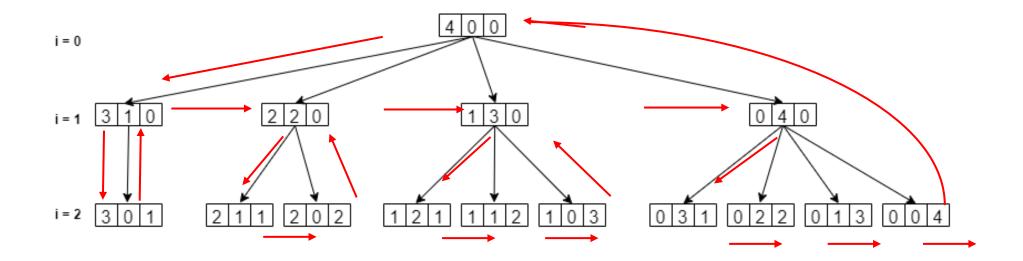
#### **Pseudo Code**

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Algorithm Find-All-Distributions(n, m)
\{A_r \text{ is the root sequence, } S \text{ indicates the current stack } \}
                                                                                                  Call the function by root
begin
  Find-All-Child-Distributions (A_r = (0, ..., 0, n), 0, S);
end.
Procedure Find-All-Child-Distributions(A = (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m), i, S)
{ A is the current sequence, i indicates the current level, A_c is the child sequence, A_s is the right sibling
sequence, A_a is the ancestor sequence and S indicates the current stack }
begin
  Output A {Output the difference from the previous distribution}
  if a_1 = 0 then
    begin
      { A has child}
                                                                                                          Find Child
      if a_{m-i} - 1 = 0 then
        if a_{m-i+1} \neq 0 then Push(1, S);
        else Top(S) = Top(S) + 1;
      Find-All-Child-Distributions(A_c = (a_1, a_2, ..., a_{m-i-2}, 1, (a_{m-i} - 1), ..., a_m), i + 1, S);
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    end
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else if a_2 \neq 0 then
    begin
      { A has right sibling }
                                                                                                     Find Right Sibling
      if a_2 - 1 = 0 then
        if a_3 \neq 0 then Push(1, S);
        else Top(S) = Top(S) + 1;
      Find-All-Child-Distributions (A_s = ((a_1 + 1), (a_2 - 1), \dots, a_m), i, S)
    end
  else
    begin
      k = \mathbf{Pop}(S);
      Swap(a_1, a_{k+1}); {Generate the ancestor A_a of A}
      if k = m - 1 then return; {A_a is the root}
      else
      begin
        \{A_a \text{ has right sibling}\}
        if a_{k+2} - 1 = 0 then
          if a_{k+3} \neq 0 or k + 2 = m then Push(1, S);
          else Top(S) = Top(S) + 1;
        Find-All-Child-Distributions(A_{as} = (a_1, a_2, ..., (a_{k+1} + 1), (a_{k+2} - 1), ..., a_m), m - 1 - k, S);
      end
    end
end;
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**Find Ancestor's Right Sibling** 

## Anti-lexicographical Order



#### Conclusion

This paper presents a simple, efficient algorithm for generating all distributions in D(n, m) with specified order, including antilexicographic, operating in constant time.

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