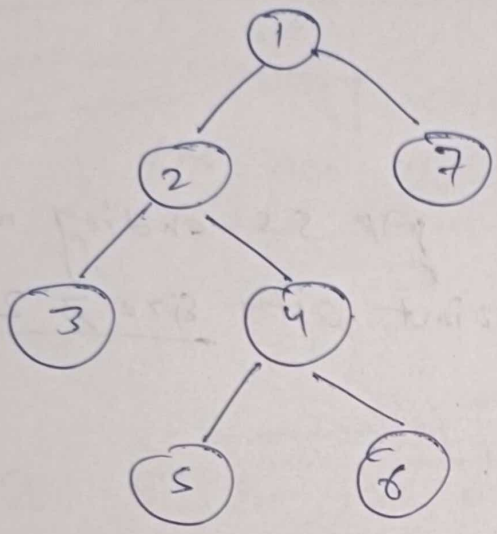
Iterative Preorder Traversal in Binary Tree

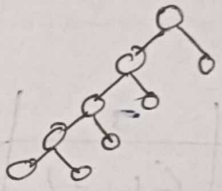


Preorder → 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

T.C. = O(n)

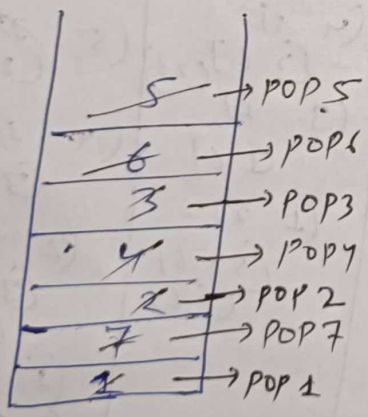
S.C. = O(n) ≈ O(H)

↳ when tree like one right & more left



data structure use → stack

initially put root onto stack



1 2 3 4 5 6 7

preorder.

Now in loop while stack is not empty do following steps.

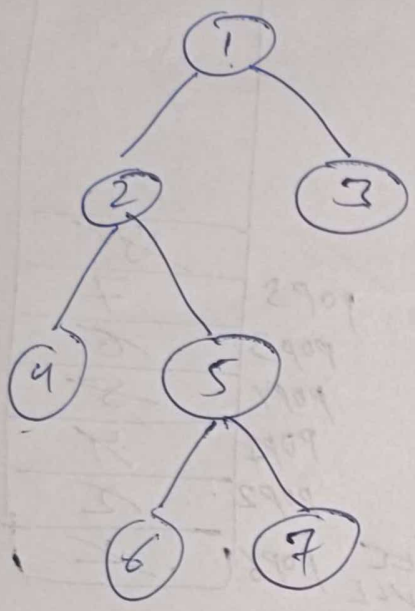
(i) pop the Node from stack top & print it

(ii) put right child onto stack

(iii) put left child onto stack.

why we put first right & then left it is because in preorder we go for root left right that means after the root left part traversed & in stak is LIFO Data structure & if we put left in last that means it stays on top of the stack.

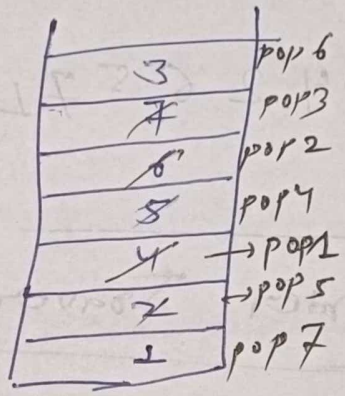
Itrative Inorder Traversal for Binary Tree



Inorder → left Root right

↳ 4 2 6 5 7 1 3

In recursion how stack is working



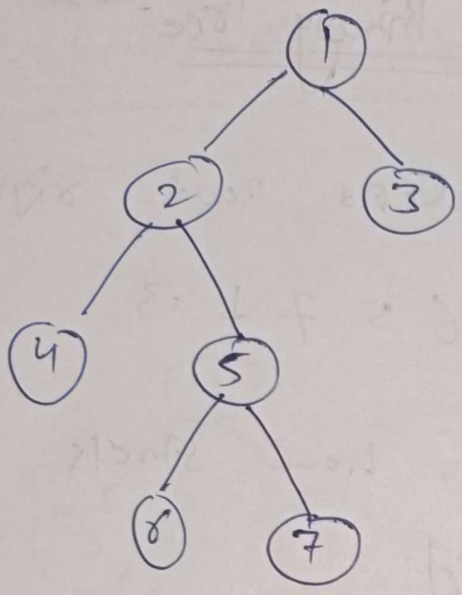
ans → 4 2 6 5 1 3

In itrative ~~see~~ inorder we maintain a stack data structure similiar to recursion that means

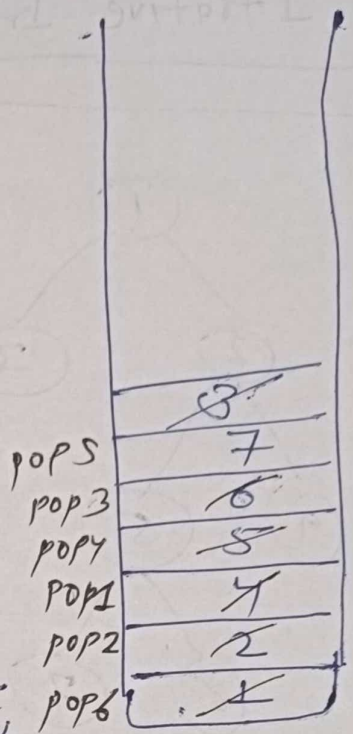
we take a (node = root) variable ~~and while root~~

and in every itration we follow these steps.

```
if( node != NULL)
{ st.push(node)
  node = node->left;
}
else{
    if( st.empty()) break;
    node = st.top();
    st.pop();
    Print (node)
    node = node->right;
}
```



node= 1 2 4 NULL NULL 5 NULL NULL 3 6 NULL NULL 7 NULL NULL



inorder → 4 2 6 5 7 1 3

Iterative Postorder Traversal

Approach 1 - using 2 stack

take 2 stack st1 & st2

st1 initially store the root.

apply while loop & do following steps.

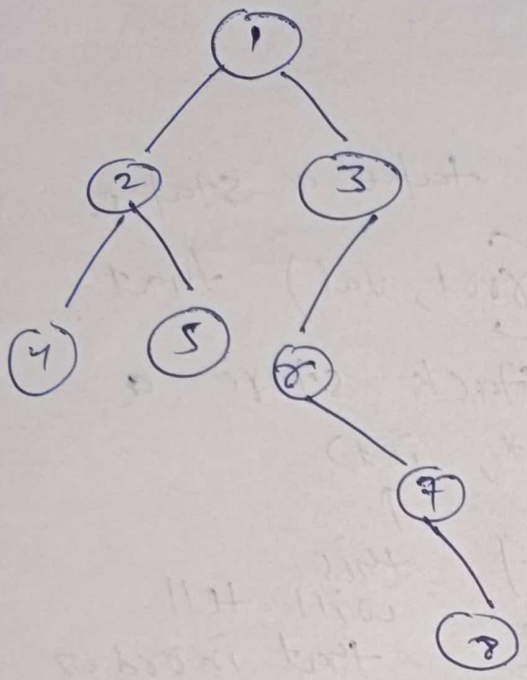
```
while ( !st1.empty() )
{
```

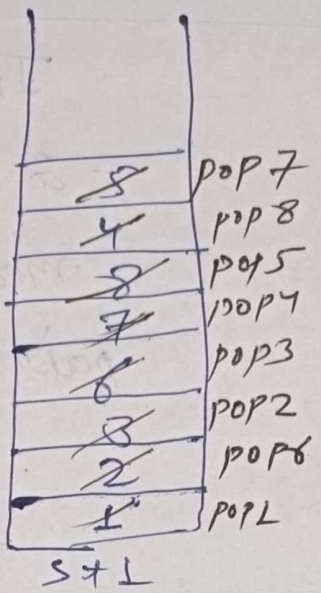
step 1 → pop the top element from st1.
and push this element into st2.

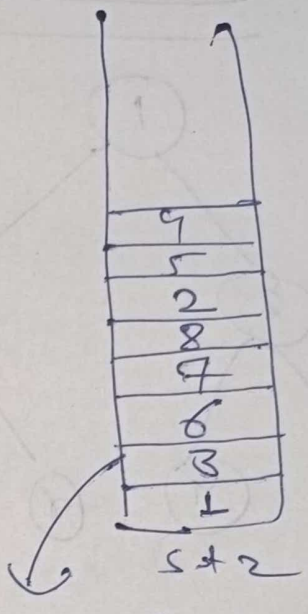
step 2 → push the left child of the pop node if not NULL

step 3 → push the right child of the pop node if not NULL

}

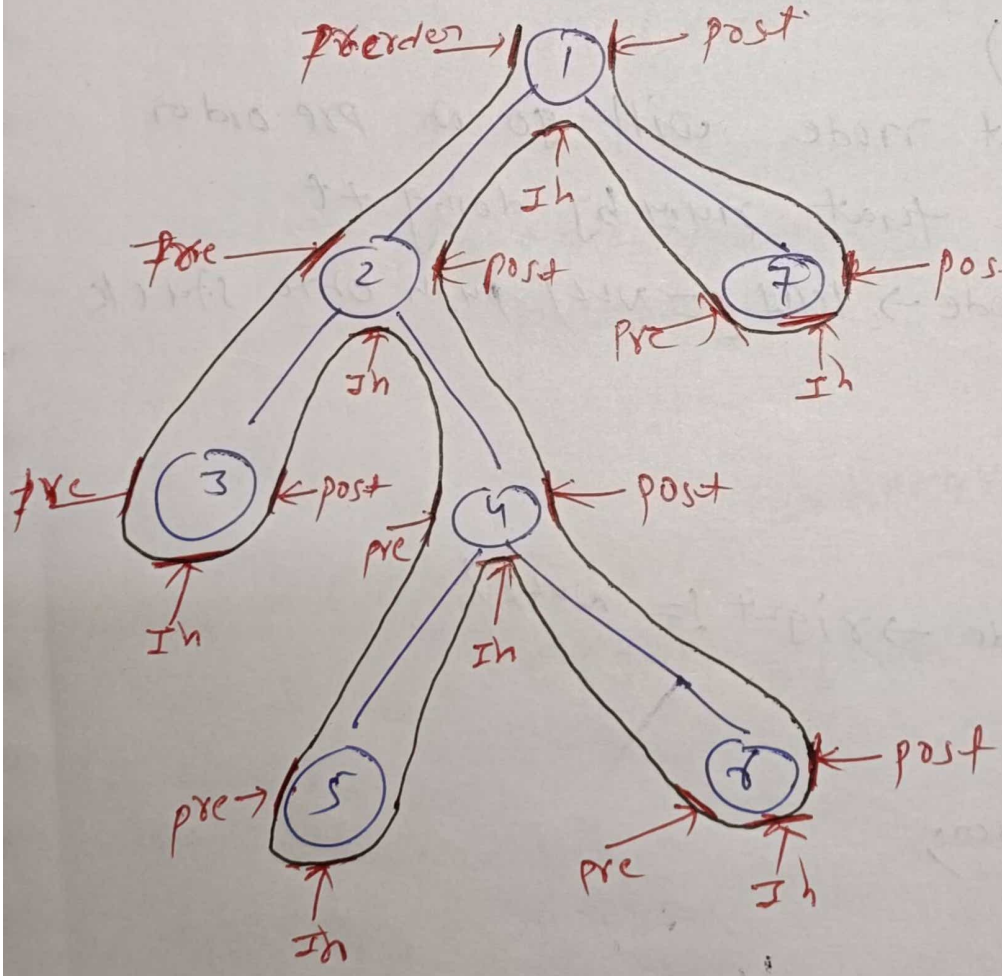




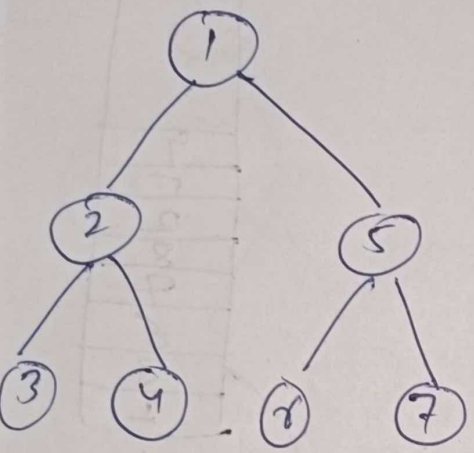


this stack store the postorder

4 5 2 8 7 6 3 1



Inorder / Preorder / postorder



Initially take a stake & insert (root, val) that means stack store a pair <Node*, int>
↑ pointing to node of tree
↑ this will tell that inorder pre order & post order

Rule:-

~~while you~~
if whenever you taking out an element from the stack & the num of the element is like

if (num == 1)
{ then that node will go on pre order and push that num by doing ++
if (node -> left != NULL) push onto stack
}
if num = 2
inorder
num++
push (node -> right != NULL)

if num == 3
postorder;

Rule for every iteration

```
pair<Node*, int> = st.top()
    st.pop();
int num = pair.second;

if (num == 1)
{
    preorder
    push (pair.first, num++)
    push (pair.first->left != NULL)
}

if (num == 2)
{
    inorder
    push (pair.first, num++)
    push (right->child)
}

if (num == 3)
    postorder.
```

T.C. = O(3N) → because when you draw stack then you are visiting every node 3 times.

S.C. = O(3N) or O(4N)