# **Binary Search Tree**

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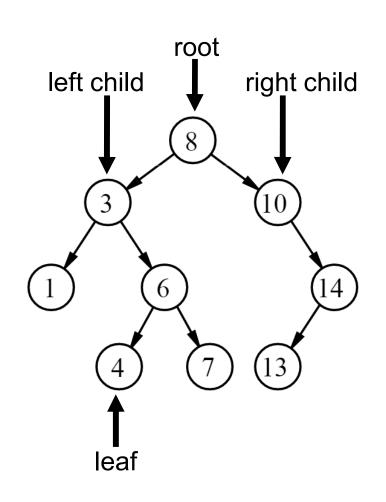
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# Concepts



### Binary search tree:

- A binary linked data structure.
- Linear linked vs. binary linked.
- Each node has:
  - > At most one parent.
  - > At most two children.
  - > All left < node <= all right.
- Root: node has no parent.
- Leaf: node has no children.

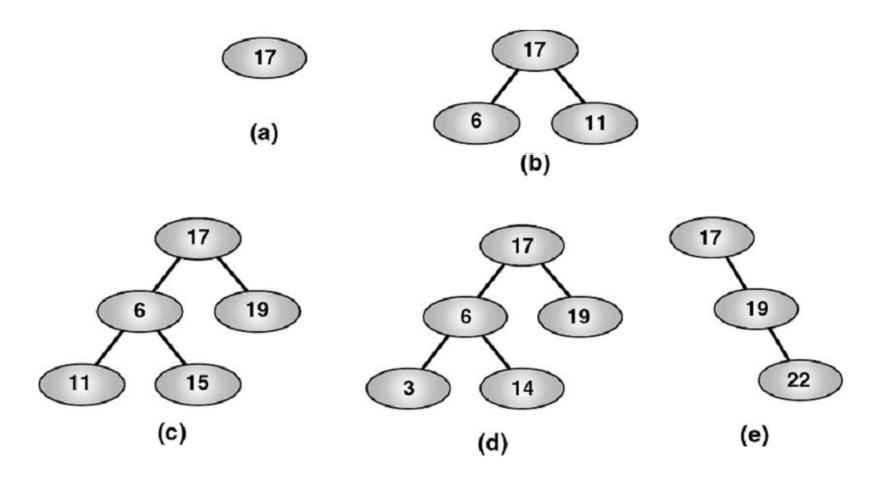


# Concepts



### Example:

■ Which tree is binary search tree?

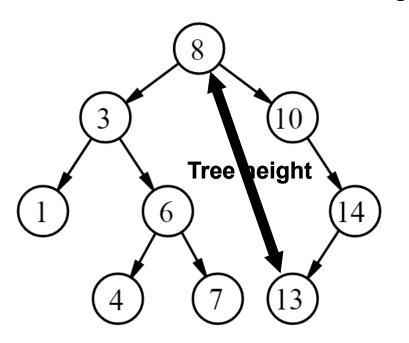


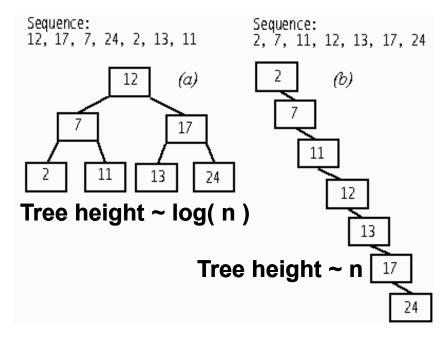
# Concepts



#### Tree height:

- Height of node: longest path from node to leaf.
- Tree height = height of root.
- Important factor of performance:
  - > For a n-node tree: log( n ) <= tree height <= n.





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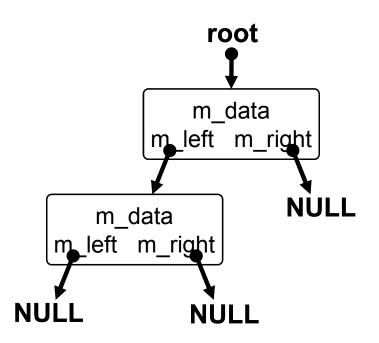


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#### ■ ADT Binary search tree:

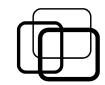
#### ■ Values:





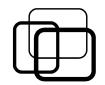
#### ■ ADT Binary search tree:

- Operations:
  - > Initialization.
  - Check empty.
  - > Find a key.
  - > Add a key.
  - > Remove a key.
  - > Visit.



## ■ Find a key:

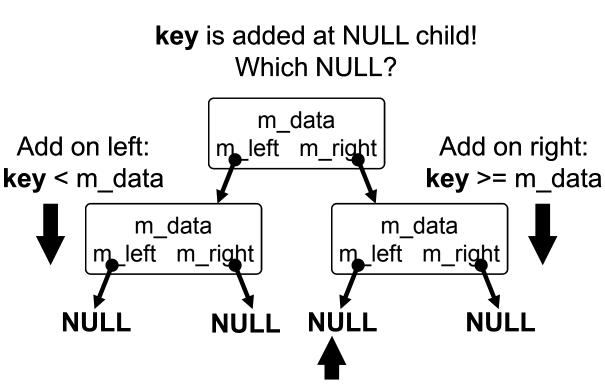
```
Find key at a node {
   if ( key < m_data )
     Find key on left child;
   if ( key > m_data )
     Find key on right child;
   return current node;
                                           Stop: key = m_data
                                                 m_data
                           Find on left:
                                              m_left m_right
                                                                 Find on right:
                                                                key > m_data
                            key < m data
                                       m_data
                                                            m_data
                                   m_left m_right
                                                        m_left m_right
                                                                   NULL
                                 NULL
                                             NULL
```



Add a key (keep tree condition):

```
Add key at a node {
    if NULL node
        Make node with key
        Stop

if ( key < m_data )
        Add key on left child
    else
        Add key on right child
}
```

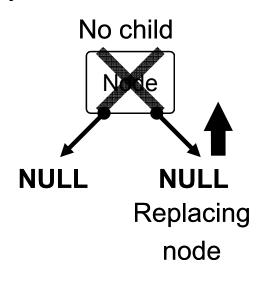


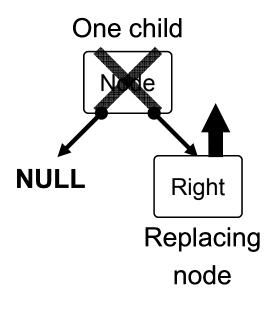
Stop: add key to NULL child

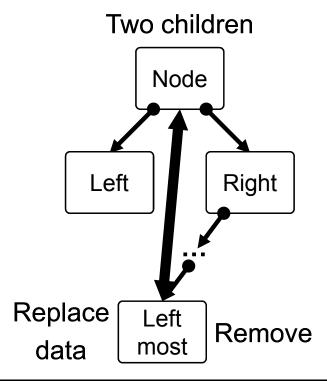


Remove a key (keep tree condition):

```
Remove key at a node {
    Find key at node
    if found
        Replace node
}
```









Remove a key (keep tree condition):

```
Replace a node {
   if ( no left child )
     replace = m right;
     delete current node;
   else if ( no right child )
     replace = m left;
     delete current node;
   else
     replace = current node;
     leftMost = find left most on right;
     m data = leftMost->m data;
     Remove leftMost->m data at leftMost;
   current node = replace;
```



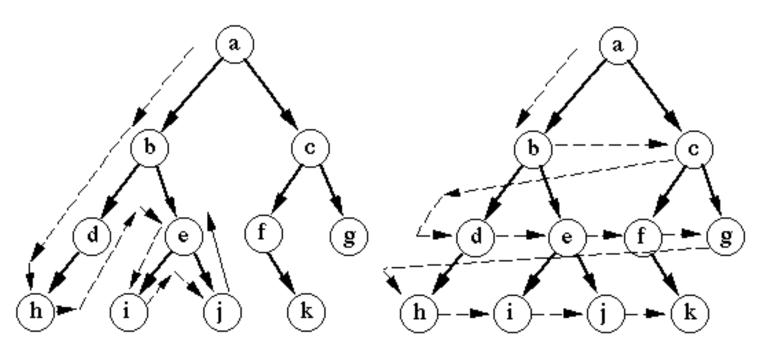
#### ■ Visit a node:

#### **Depth-first visit:**

- Visit left branch first.
- Then visit right branch.

#### **Breadth-first visit:**

- Visit 1<sup>st</sup> generation children first.
- Then visit 2<sup>nd</sup> generation children.



Depth-first search

Breadth-first search



#### Visit a node:

```
Visit depth NLR {
   Do something on node...
   Visit depth left child
   Visit depth right child
Visit depth LNR {
   Visit depth left child
   Do something on node.
   Visit depth right child
Visit depth LRN {
   Visit depth left child
   Visit depth right child
   Do something on node...
```

```
Visit breadth {
   push node to QUEUE;
   loop QUEUE is not empty {
     node = pop QUEUE;
     Do something on node...
     if ( node has left child )
        push left child to QUEUE;
     if ( node has right child )
        push right child to QUEUE;
```

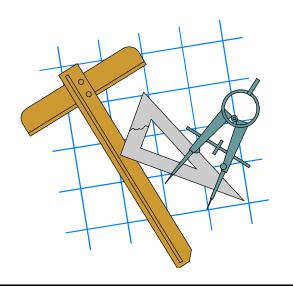
### Practice



#### ■ Practice 8.1:

Construct class **BSTree** has the following methods:

- Initialize.
- Check empty.
- Count nodes.
- Measure height.
- Find key.
- Add key.
- Remove key.
- Visit depth NLR.
- Visit breadth.



#### Practice



#### ■ Practice 8.2:

Provide class **BSTree** with the following methods:

- Construct tree from an array of integers.
- Export tree to an array depth first NLR.
- Export tree to an array breadth first.

#### Example:

```
int a [] = { 5, 2, 4, 1, 3 };
int size = 5;

BSTree t( a, size );
t.exportDepthFirst( a, size );
t.exportBreadthFirst( a, size );
```

