## **Binary Trees (cont.)**



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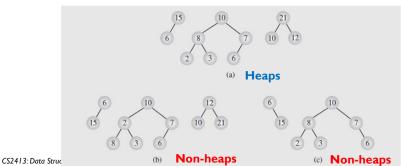
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# Heaps

- A heap, a special type of binary tree
  - the value of each node is **greater than or equal** to the values stored in its **children**
  - the tree is perfectly balanced, and the leaves in the last level are leftmost in the tree

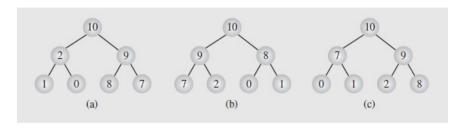


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## Heaps (cont.)

Different heaps constructed with the same elements



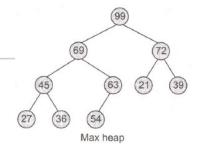
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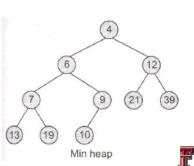
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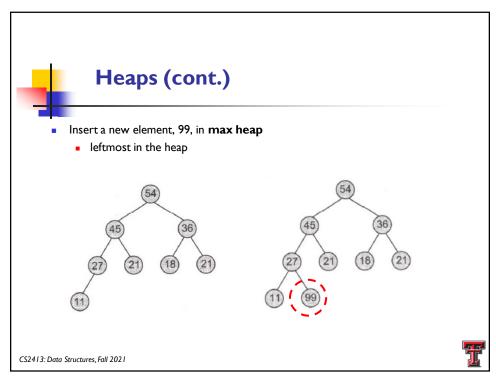
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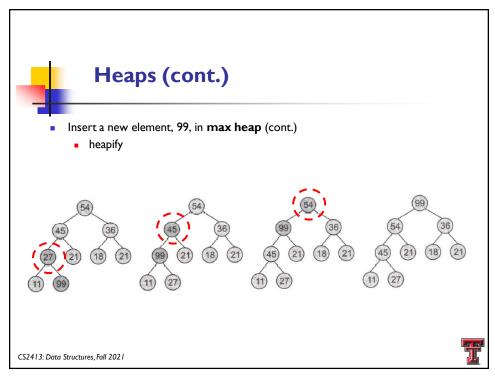
- A max heap;
  - the value of each node is greater than or equal to the values stored in its children
  - the root of a max heap, the largest element
- A min heap
  - the value of each node is less than or equal to the values stored in its children
  - the root of a min heap, the smallest element

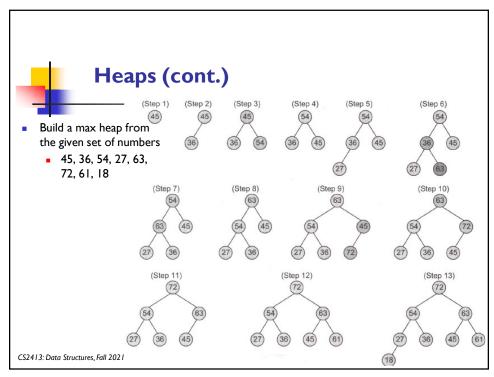


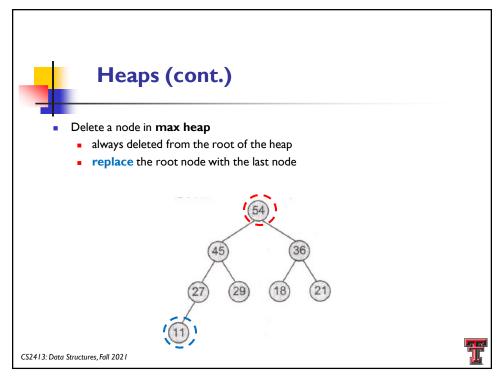


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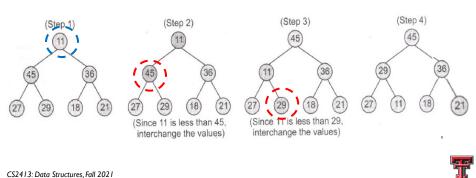






## Heaps (cont.)

- Delete a node in max heap (cont.)
  - always deleted from the root of the heap
  - replace the root node with the last node



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## Heaps (cont.)

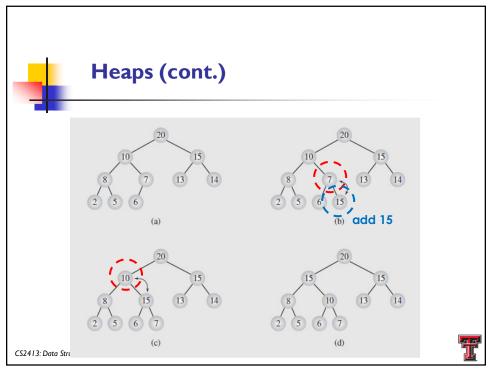
- Heaps as Priority Queues
  - perfectly balanced trees, the inherent efficiency of searching such structures makes them more useful
  - enqueue and dequeue operations
  - enqueue,
    - add at the end of the heap as the last leaf
    - may need restructure the heap

#### heapEnqueue (el)

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put el at the end of the heap;
while el is not in the root and el > parent(el)
    swap el with its parent;
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- dequeue
  - remove the root (since it is the largest value) and replace it by the last leaf
  - need restructure the heap

#### heapDequeue()

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extract the element from the root;
  put the element from the last leaf in its place;
  remove the last leaf;
// both subtrees of the root are heaps
  p = the root;
  while p is not a leaf and p < any of its children
      swap p with the larger child;
```

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