

# LEET CODE:106

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**Problem Statement:** To Construct A binary tree with An Array containing the postorder traversal and Inorder traversal of A binary tree...

Ex:  $\text{inorder} = [9, 3, 15, 20, 7]$   $\text{Postorder} = [9, 15, 7, 20, 3]$   
one simple logic: The last element or the element at the last index of the postorder array would be the root of the binary tree...

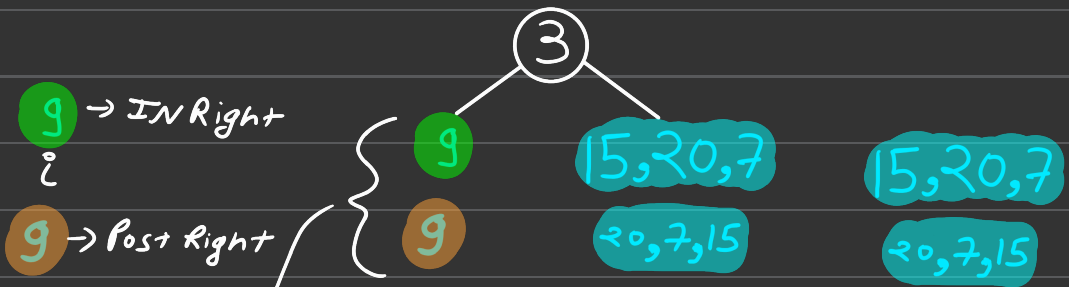
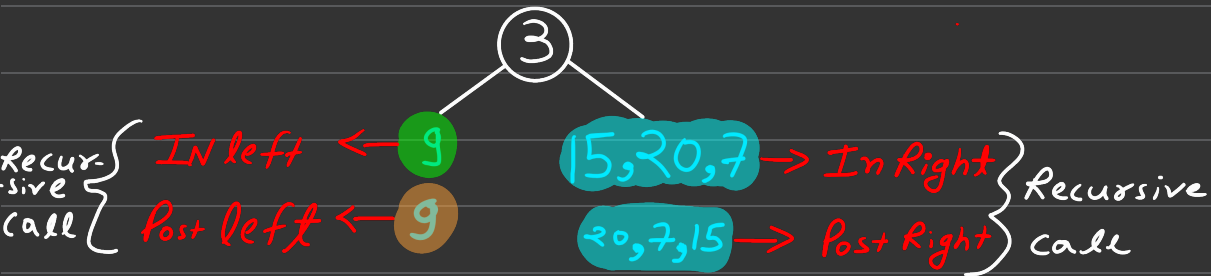
Another point is the root element of the inorder array **is the pivot** And left of inorder array is left subtree and right side is the right subtree...

$\text{inorder} = [9, 3, 15, 20, 7]$   $\text{Postorder} = [9, 15, 7, 20, 3]$   
Now we <sup>know</sup> last indexed element of postorder array is the root as  $\text{postorder} = \text{Left Right Root}$   
Now Reverse the postorder array...

$\text{inorder} = [9, 3, 15, 20, 7]$      $\text{Postorder} = [9, 15, 7, 20, 3]$   
 $\text{Postrev} = [3, 20, 7, 15, 9]$

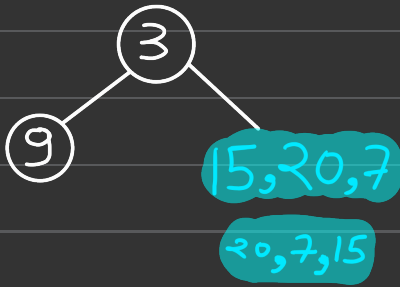
$\text{inorder} = [9, 3, 15, 20, 7]$      $\text{Postrev} = [3, 20, 7, 15, 9]$   
 left subtree  $\leftarrow$      $\rightarrow$  right subtree

Now find the index of root in inorder traversal...



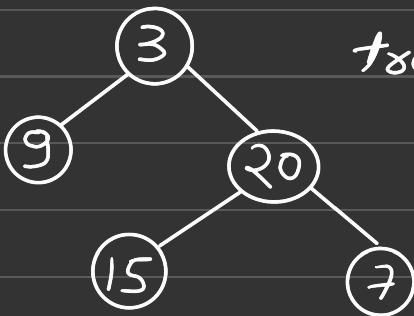
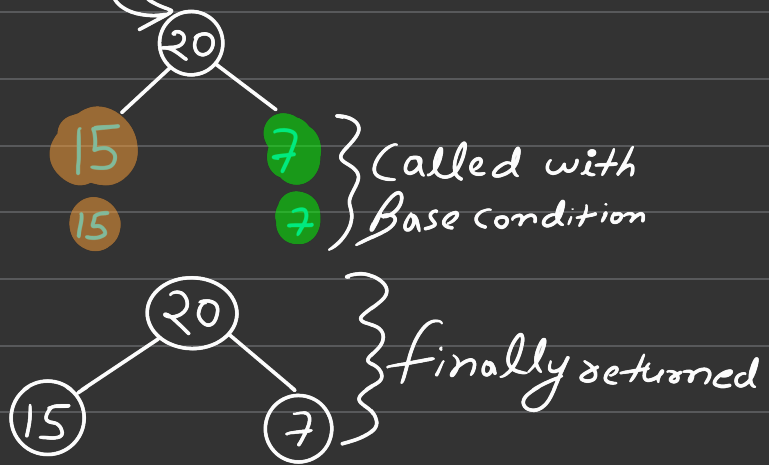
Base case in this call

into == prelo so just a single root would  
 be formed and returned!!!



15, 20, 7  $\rightarrow$  IN  
i

20, 7, 15  $\rightarrow$  Post



tree constructed!!!

# Code Implementation!!!

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1 class Solution {
2 public:
3     TreeNode* build(vector<int>&in,int inlo,int inhi,vector<int>& post,int postlo,int posthi){
4         if(inlo>inhi) return NULL;
5         TreeNode* root = new TreeNode(post[postlo]);
6         if(postlo == posthi) return root;
7         int i = inlo;
8         while(i<=inhi){
9             if(in[i] == post[postlo]) break;
10            i++;
11        }
12        int rightCount = inhi - i;
13        int leftCount = i - 1;
14        root->right = build(in,i+1,inhi,post,postlo+1,postlo+rightCount);
15        root->left = build(in,inlo,i-1,post,postlo+rightCount+1,posthi);
16        return root;
17    }
18    TreeNode* buildTree(vector<int>& inorder, vector<int>& postorder) {
19        int n = inorder.size();
20        reverse(postorder.begin(),postorder.end());
21        return build(inorder,0,n-1,postorder,0,n-1);
22    }
23 };
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