

## AGENDA

- What is Tree?
- Terminology
- Traversal
- Inorder Traversal (Iterative)
- Construct Tree Quiz

① Monday 25<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023  
Monday 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2024

② Mock Interview → DSA

Linear  
Data structures

Access data in  
sequential order

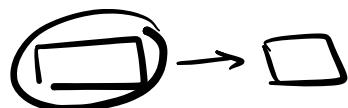
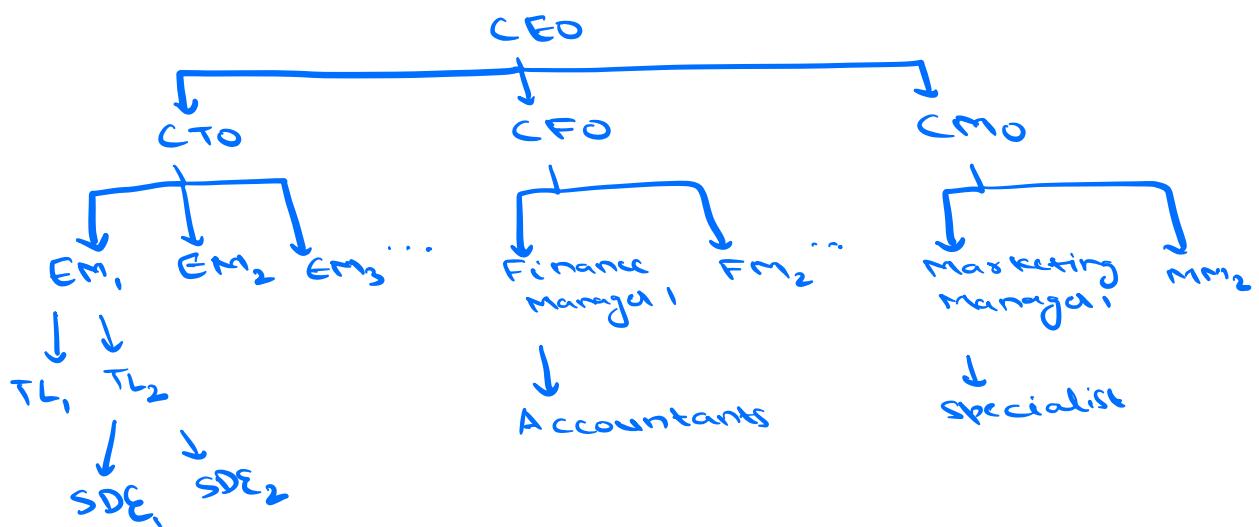
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Array, LL, stack, Queues etc.

Tree : Fair topic among interviewers

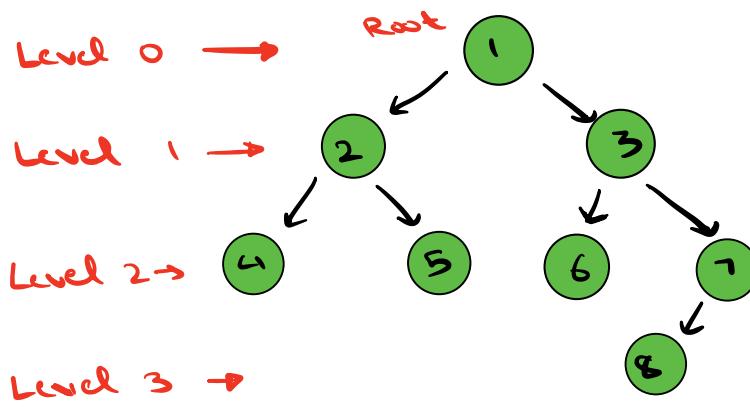
- Why ?
1. Requires solid recursion understanding
  2. Ability to visualize concepts

Tree is a non-linear data structure used to represent hierarchy in information.

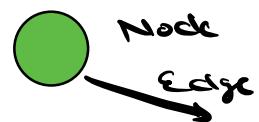
For eg. Family Tree, Org Structure, Folder structure



## Tree Naming Convention



Node : element of tree with data and child nodes are connected to it.



Root : Topmost node of a tree from which all other nodes descend. It has no parent.

Root → Node 1

Parent : A node that has child node connected to it. Node 1, 2, 3, 7

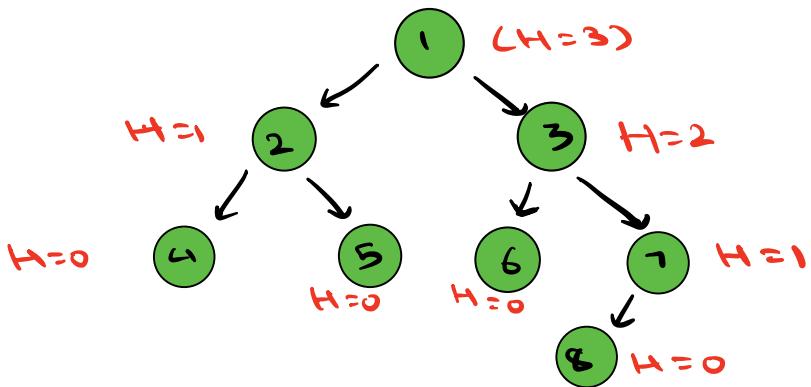
Child : A node that has a parent node connected to it. All Nodes except 1 (root)

Leaf : Node with 0 children. It's a terminal node. Node 4, 5, 6, 8

Depth / level : Distance from root node  
Depth of root node → 0

Height : Length of longest path from a node to a leaf.

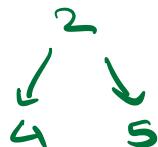
Height of tree = Height of root node



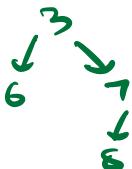
Child  $\rightarrow$  1 Parent  
Par  $\rightarrow$  multiple Children

Subtree: A tree structure which is part of a larger tree

Subtree rooted at 2



Subtree rooted at 3



Siblings: Nodes that share same parent node.  
 $P \rightarrow 2$ ; 4 and 5 are siblings

Ancestor: All nodes from parent to root upwards are ancestors of a node.  
 $8 \rightarrow 7, 3, 1$

Descendant: All nodes from child to leaf node along all the paths.

Can a leaf node also be a subtree?

YES

Do all nodes have a parent node?

NO (Everyone has parent except root)

Height of leaf node

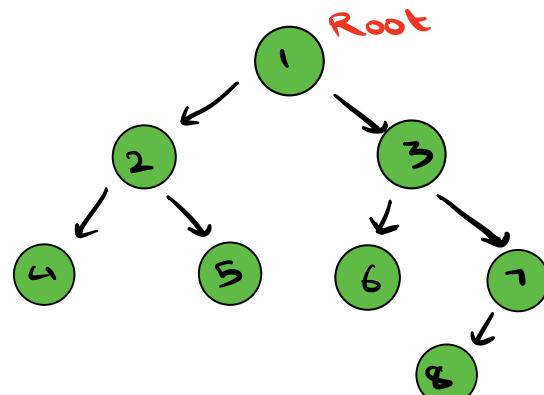
length of path from leaf to leaf  $\rightarrow 0$   
 $\nwarrow \rightarrow 0$

Binary Tree

A type of tree in which each node can have atmost 2 children i.e. either 0,1,2.

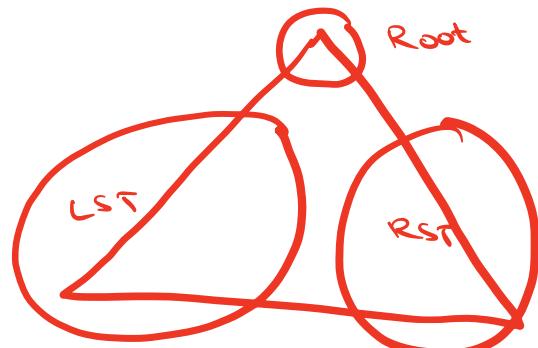
They are referred as left and right child

```
class TreeNode <  
    int data  
    TreeNode left  
    TreeNode right
```



```
TreeNode (int x) <
```

```
    data = x  
    left = NULL  
    right = NULL
```



How can we traverse a tree?

L → Left subtree

R → Right subtree

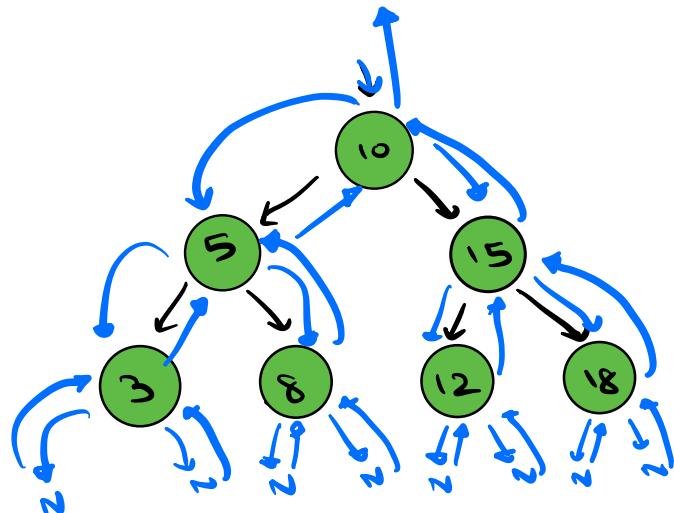
N → Node

Inorder    L N R

→ Left subtree

→ Root

→ Right subtree



0/8 → 3 5 8 10 12 15 18

```
void inorder(Node root) {  
    if (root == NULL)  
        return;
```

N → nodes in  
a tree

```
    inorder(root.left);
```

TC: O(N)

```
    print (root.data);
```

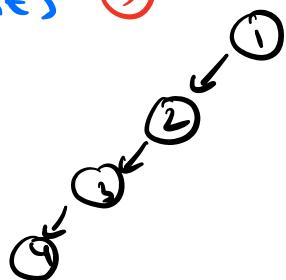
SC: O(H)

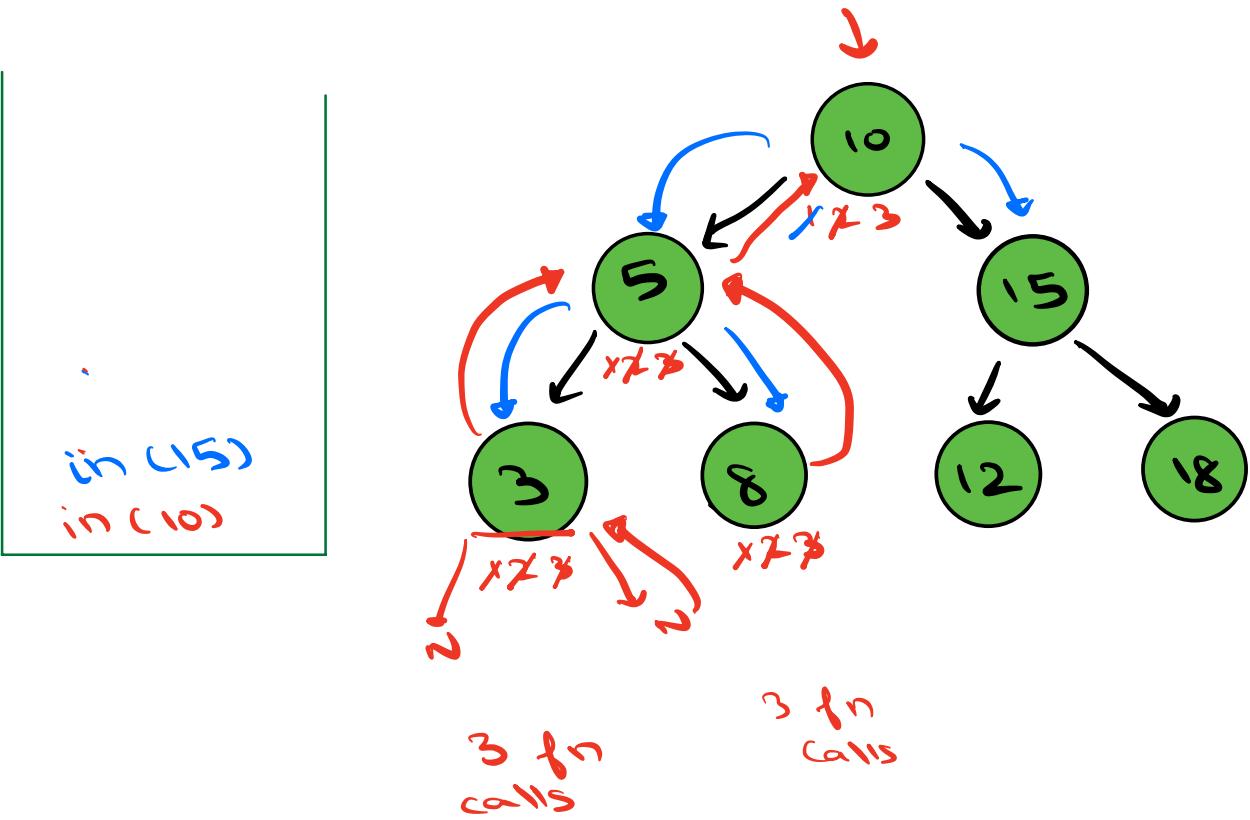
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    inorder (root.right);
```

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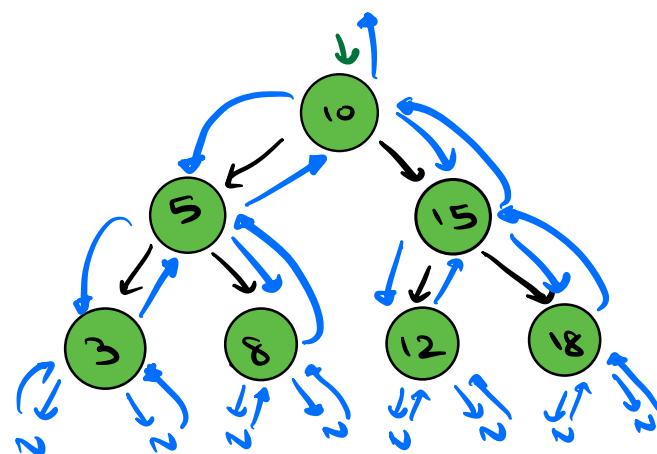
3 5 8 10

Preorder  
N L R

```

void preorder (Node root) {
    if (root == NULL)
        return

    print (root.data)
    preorder (root.left)
    preorder (root.right)
}
  
```



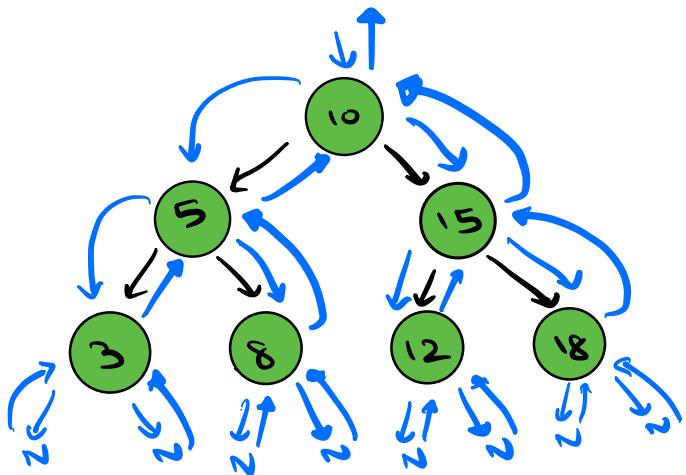
op: 10 5 3 8 15 12 18

TC: O(N)

SC: O(H)

Postorder

L R N



O/P: 3 8 5 12 18 15 10

```
void postorder(Node root) {
    if (root == NULL)
        return

    postorder (root.left)
    postorder (root.right)
    print (root.data)
```

TC: O(N)

SC: O(H)

L R  
L R N  
R N R

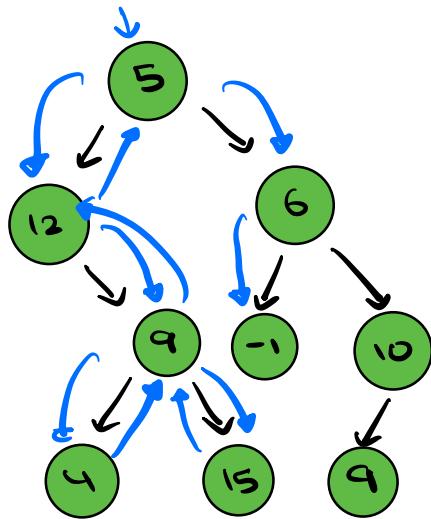
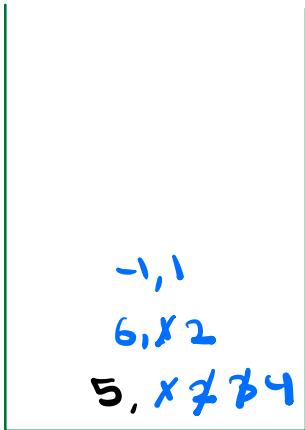
Inorder

Postorder  
Preorder

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## Iterative Inorder Traversal

- L N R
- 1) call left child
  - 2) print data
  - 3) call right child



O/P : 12 4 -1 15 9 10 5

Node, Task

Task	Action
4	Pop from stack
2	Print

```
class Pair <
    Node cur
    int task
    Pair (Node t) <
        cur=t
        task=1
    >
```

```

void inorder (Node root) {
    stack <Pair> st
    Pair p = new Pair (root)
    st.push (p)

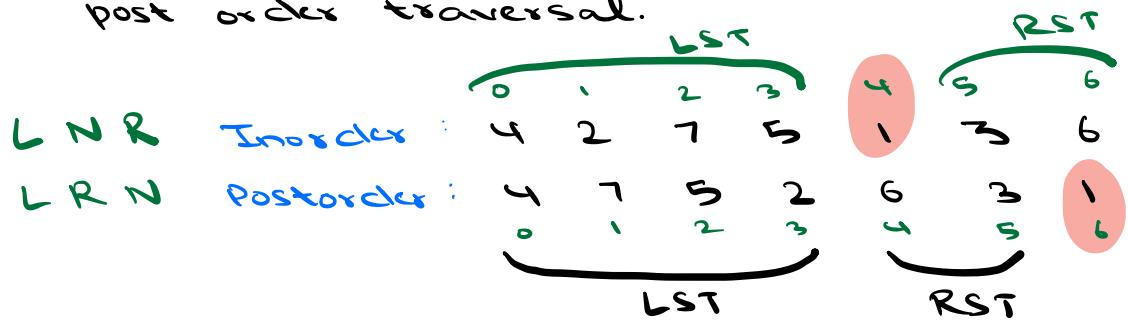
    while (st.size () > 0) {
        Pair top = st.top ()
        if (top.task == 1) {
            st.top ().task++
            if (top.cur.left != NULL) {
                Pair left = new Pair (top.cur.left)
                st.push (left)
            }
        }
        else if (top.task == 2) {
            st.top ().task++
            print (top.cur.data)
        }
        else if (top.task == 3) {
            st.top ().task++
            if (top.cur.right != NULL) {
                Pair right = new Pair (top.cur.right)
                st.push (right)
            }
        }
    }
}

```

TC: O(N)  
SC: O(H)

```
else if (top.task == 4) <
    st.pop()
>
>
```

Q. Construct binary tree from inorder and postorder traversal.



Observation

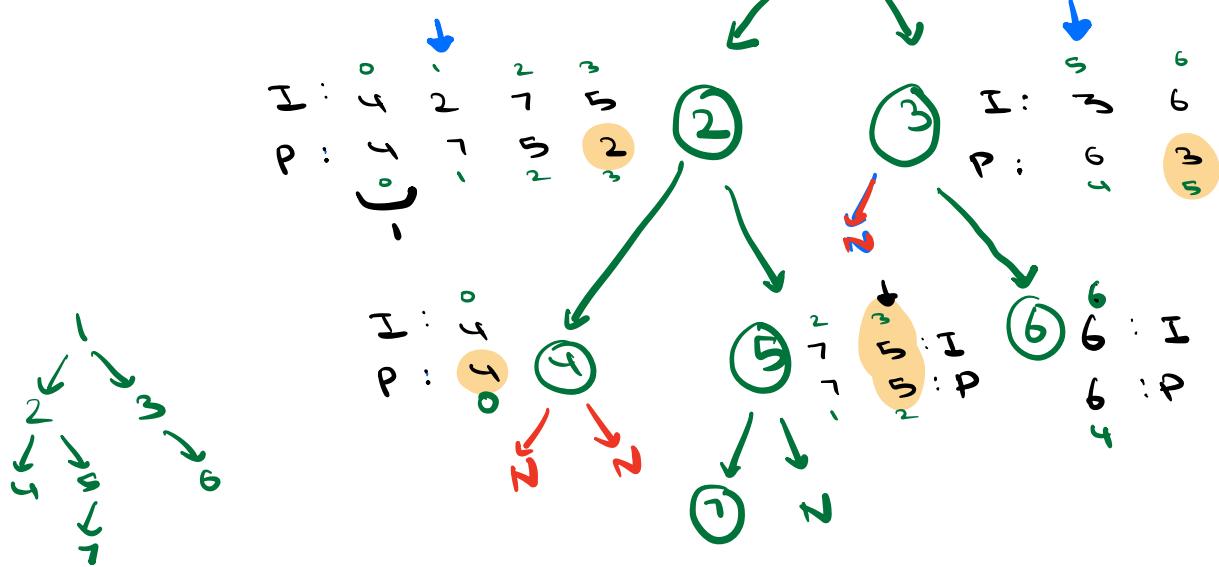
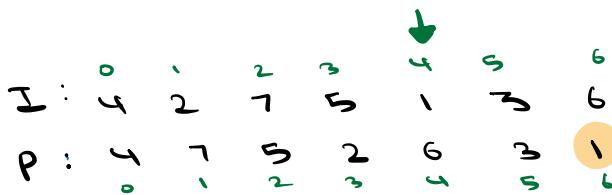
① 1 is root node (end node of postorder)

② LST of 1  
4, 2, 7, 5

③ RST of 1

3, 6

is, ie  
ps, pe



TC:  $N^2$  | TC:  $O(N)$   
 SC:  $H$  | SC:  $O(H + N)$

$O \quad N-1 \quad O \quad N-1$

Node buildTree (in [], post[], is, ie, ps, pe) {

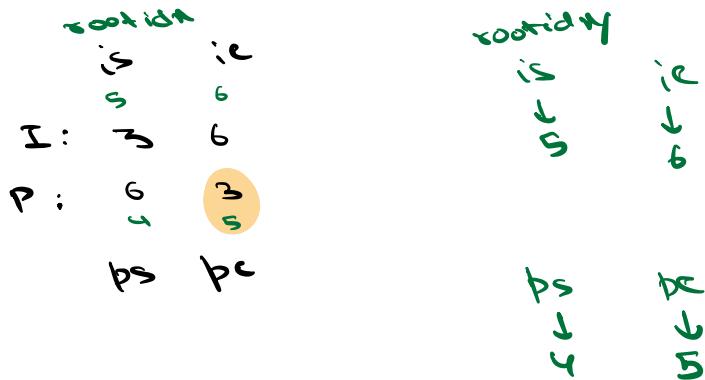
```

if (is > ie)
    return NULL

rootval = post [pe]
TreeNode root = new TreeNode (rootval)
rootIdk = find (rootval, in [])
cnt = rootIdk - is // Nodes in LST
root.left = buildTree (in, post, is, rootIdk-1, )
                    ps, ps+cnt-1
root.right = buildTree (in, post, rootIdk+1, ie,
                        ps+cnt, pe-1)

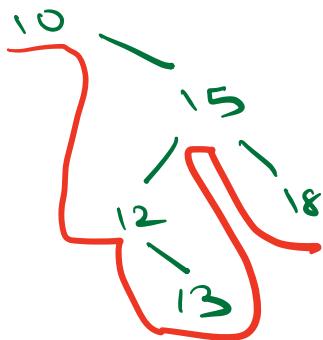
return root
    
```

$LST \rightarrow (is \rightarrow rootIdk-1)$   
 $I \rightarrow$   
 No. of nodes in  
 $LST = rootIdk - x - is$   
 $+ x$   
 $= rootIdk - is$

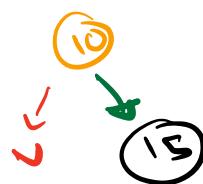


LST  
 is, rootidx-1  
 s

is  
 H : 10 12 13 15 18  
 Post : 13 12 18 15 10  
 ps pc



is, rootidx  
 2 3 4 5 6  
 12 13 15 18  
 I :  
 P : 13 12 18 2 5  
 ps pc



is, rootidx-1  
 2, 3

ps, rootidx-1  
 0 3