Construct Full Binary Tree using its Preorder traversal and Preorder traversal of its mirror tree

Given two arrays that represent Preorder traversals of a full binary tree and its mirror tree, we need to write a program to construct the binary tree using these two Preorder traversals.

A **Full Binary Tree** is a binary tree where every node has either 0 or 2 children. **Note**: It is not possible to construct a general binary tree using these two traversals. But we can create a full binary tree using the above traversals without any ambiguity.

Examples:

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Input : preOrder[] = \{1,2,4,5,3,6,7\}
preOrderMirror[] = \{1,3,7,6,2,5,4\}
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- **Method 1**: Let us consider the two given arrays as preOrder[] = {1, 2, 4, 5, 3, 6, 7} and preOrderMirror[] = {1, 3, 7, 6, 2, 5, 4}. In both preOrder[] and preOrderMirror[], the leftmost element is root of tree. Since the tree is full and array size is more than 1.
- The value next to 1 in preOrder[], must be left child of the root and value next to 1 in preOrderMirror[] must be right child of root. So we know 1 is root and 2 is left child and 3 is the right child. How to find the all nodes in left subtree? We know 2 is root of all nodes in left subtree and 3 is root of all nodes in right subtree.
- All nodes from and 2 in preOrderMirror[] must be in left subtree of root node 1 and all node after 3 and before 2 in preOrderMirror[] must be in right subtree of root node 1.
- Now we know 1 is root, elements {2, 5, 4} are in left subtree, and the elements {3, 7, 6} are in the right subtree.

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{2,5,4} {3,7,6}
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• We will recursively follow the above approach and get the below tree:



Below is the implementation of above approach:

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C++ program to construct full binary tree
// using its preorder traversal and preorder
// traversal of its mirror tree
#include<bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;
// A Binary Tree Node
struct Node
  int data;
  struct Node *left, *right;
};
// Utility function to create a new tree node
Node* newNode(int data)
  Node *temp = new Node;
  temp->data = data;
  temp->left = temp->right = NULL;
  return temp;
}
// A utility function to print inorder traversal
// of a Binary Tree
void printInorder(Node* node)
  if (node == NULL)
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return;

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printInorder(node->left);
  printf("%d ", node->data);
  printInorder(node->right);
// A recursive function to construct Full binary tree
// from pre[] and preM[]. preIndex is used to keep
// track of index in pre[]. l is low index and h is high
//index for the current subarray in preM[]
Node* constructBinaryTreeUtil(int pre[], int preM[],
             int &preIndex, int l,int h,int size)
  // Base case
  if (preIndex \geq size || l > h)
     return NULL;
  // The first node in preorder traversal is root.
  // So take the node at preIndex from preorder and
  // make it root, and increment preIndex
 Node* root = newNode(pre[preIndex]);
     ++(preIndex);
  // If the current subarray has only one element,
  // no need to recur
  if (1 == h)
     return root;
  // Search the next element of pre[] in preM[]
  int i:
  for (i = 1; i \le h; ++i)
     if (pre[preIndex] == preM[i])
       break;
  // construct left and right subtrees recursively
  if (i \le h)
     root->left = constructBinaryTreeUtil (pre, preM,
                       preIndex, i, h, size);
     root->right = constructBinaryTreeUtil (pre, preM,
                     preIndex, l+1, i-1, size);
  }
   // return root
  return root;
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}
// function to construct full binary tree
// using its preorder traversal and preorder
// traversal of its mirror tree
void constructBinaryTree(Node* root,int pre[],
               int preMirror[], int size)
  int preIndex = 0;
  int preMIndex = 0;
  root = constructBinaryTreeUtil(pre,preMirror,
                  preIndex,0,size-1,size);
  printInorder(root);
}
// Driver program to test above functions
int main()
  int preOrder[] = \{1,2,4,5,3,6,7\};
  int preOrderMirror[] = \{1,3,7,6,2,5,4\};
  int size = sizeof(preOrder)/sizeof(preOrder[0]);
  Node* root = new Node;
  constructBinaryTree(root,preOrder,preOrderMirror,size);
  return 0;
Output
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Time Complexity: O(n^2)
Auxiliary Space: O(n), The extra space is used due to the recursion call stack
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