CSE202 Design and Analysis of Algorithms

Week 9 — Balance against Worst-Case

Data-Structures for Ordered Data

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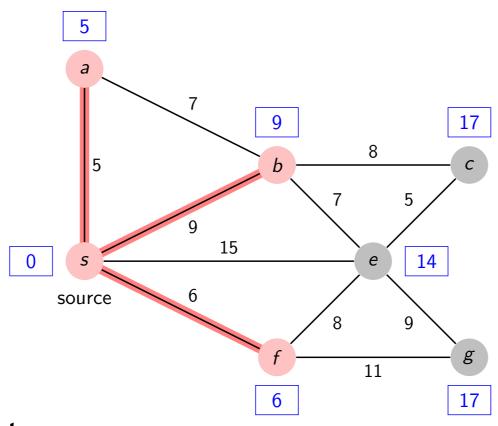
Def. All leaves in the same one or two levels

Balanced trees allow for all these operations in worst-case time $O(\log n)$.

| n | $\log_2 n$ |
|-----------|--------------|
| 10^{6} | ≈ 20 |
| 10^{9} | ≈ 30 |
| 10^{12} | ≈ 40 |

I. Priority Queues & Heap-ordered Trees

Recall Dijkstra's Algorithm (CSE103)



while PQ not empty:

remove first edge ((u,v),d(s,u)) from PQ

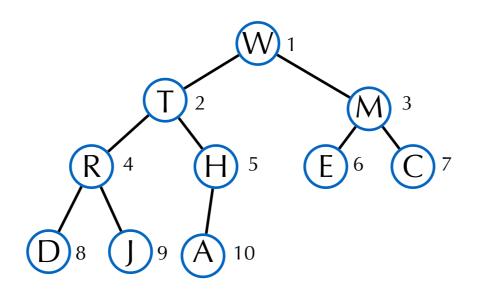
if v not in the tree
 add v to the tree

for all neighbours w of v
 insert ((v,w),d(s,v)+d(v,w)) in PQ

Complexity depends on good priority queues

Heaps

Each node is larger than its children



Operations:

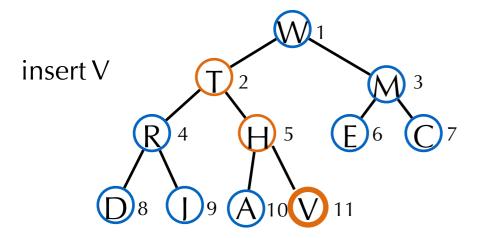
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Simple application: find the M smallest elements in a stream in time $O(N \log M)$

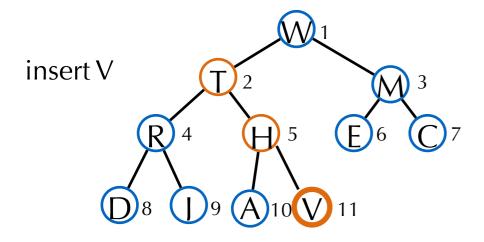
Array representation:

| | W | Т | M | R | Н | Е | С | D | J | Α | | | |
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Insert & fixup



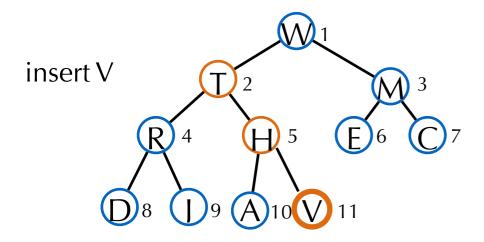
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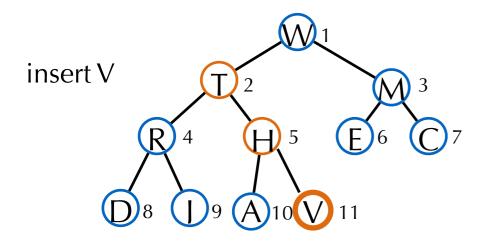


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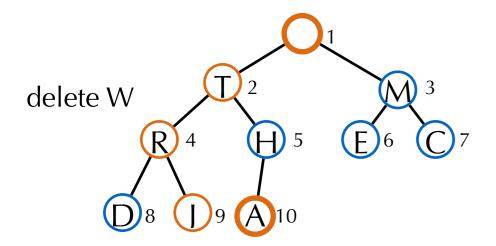
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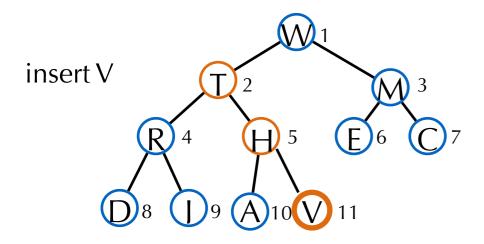
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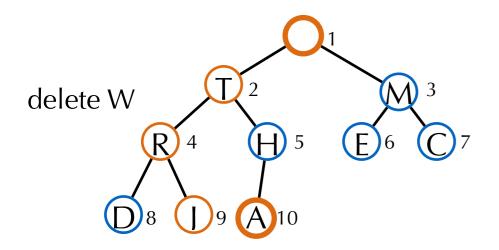
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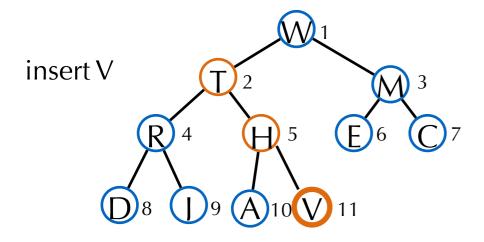


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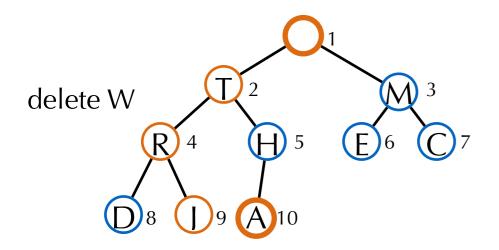
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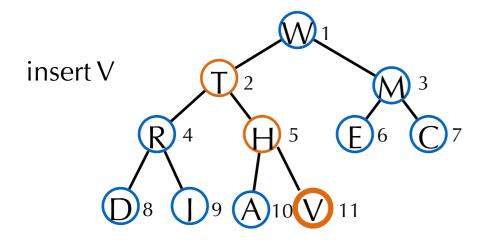
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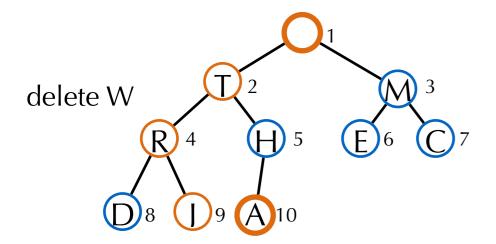
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 $\leq 2 \log_2 n$ comparisons

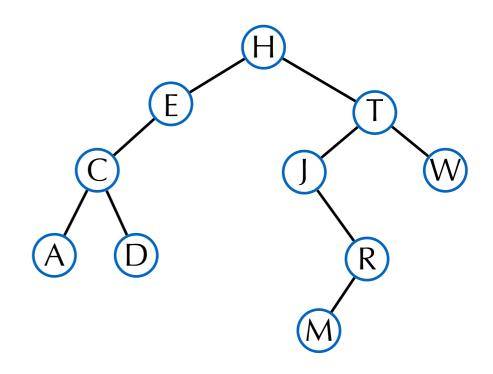
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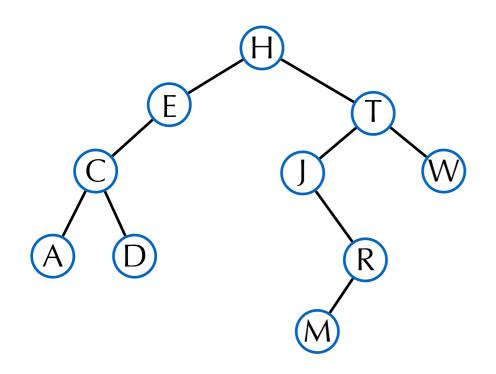
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II. Binary Search Trees



Recall Definition (CSE101 & 102)



Smaller elements to the left, larger elements to the right

```
class Node:

   def __init__(self,key,left=None,right=None):
        self.key = key
        self.left = left
        self.right = right
```

```
class BST:
    def __init__(self):
        self.root = None

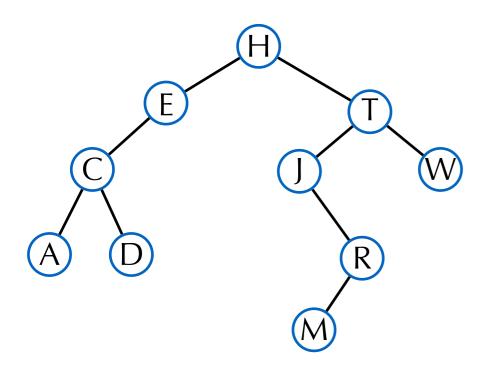
    def find(self,key):
        return self._find(self.root,key)

    def insert(self,key):
        self.root = self._insert(self.root,key)

    def delete(self,key):
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Find/Insert

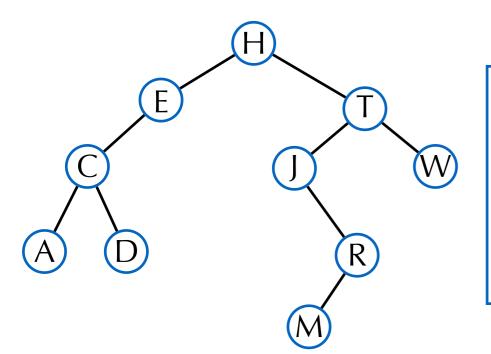
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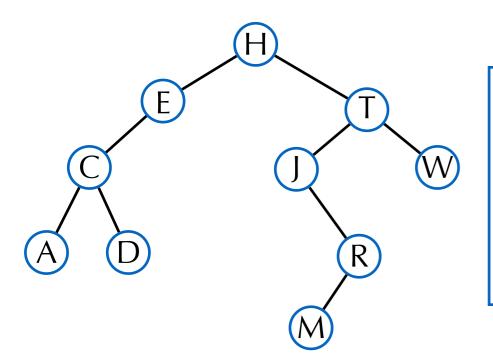


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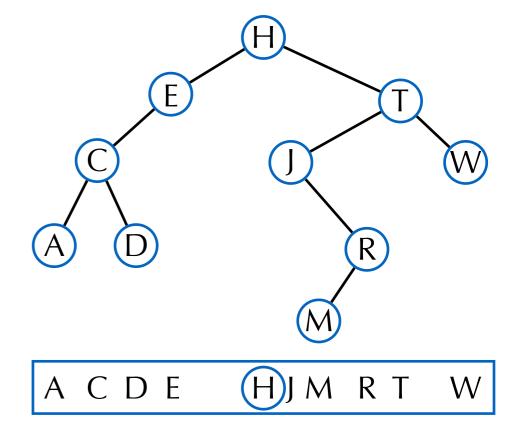


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Delete slightly more complicated (CSE102)

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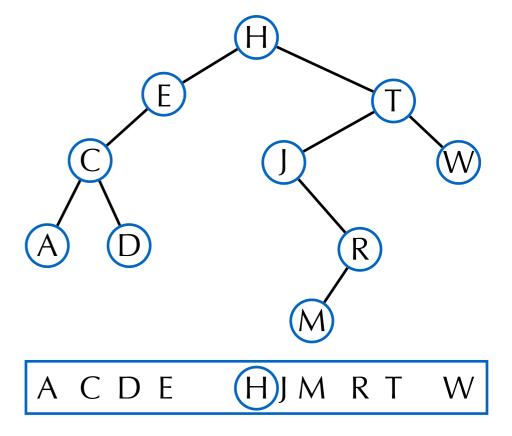
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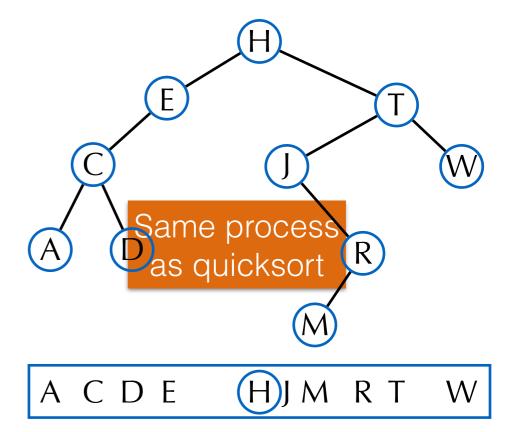
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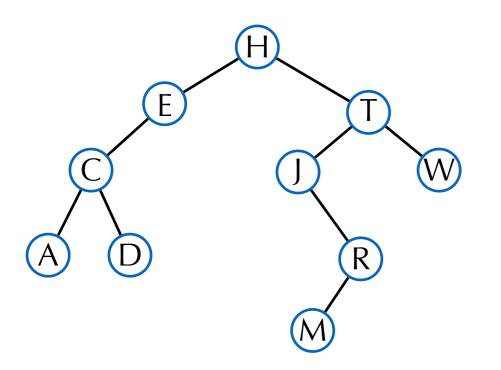
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$$P_0 = P_1 = 0$$

$$\mathbb{E}P_n = n - 1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\mathbb{E}P_{i-1} + \mathbb{E}P_{n-i}}{n}$$

Same recurrence as in the analysis of quicksort.

Select



min, max, floor, ceiling: easy

median, select:

floor: largest key smaller than input

change nodes into key, left, right, size

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    if node.key > key:
        node.left = self._insert(node.left,key)
    elif node.key < key:
        node.right = self._insert(node.right,key)
        (node.size = 1+size(node.left)+size(node.right))
        return node</pre>
```

All these operations have cost bounded by the height, which is logarithmic on average.

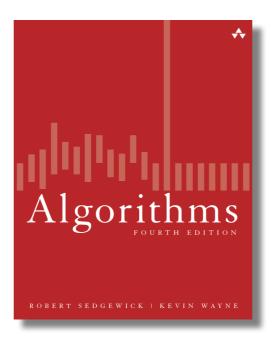
General

Generalizes to higher dimensions (quadtrees).

References for this lecture

The slides are designed to be self-contained.

They were prepared using the following book that I recommend if you want to learn more:



Next

Assignment: Union-find

Next tutorial: Union-find

Feedback

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