

Trees

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Today Objectives

- ▶ Introduce the principles of data structure: Tree
- ▶ Study well-known problems then implement examples in C/C++.

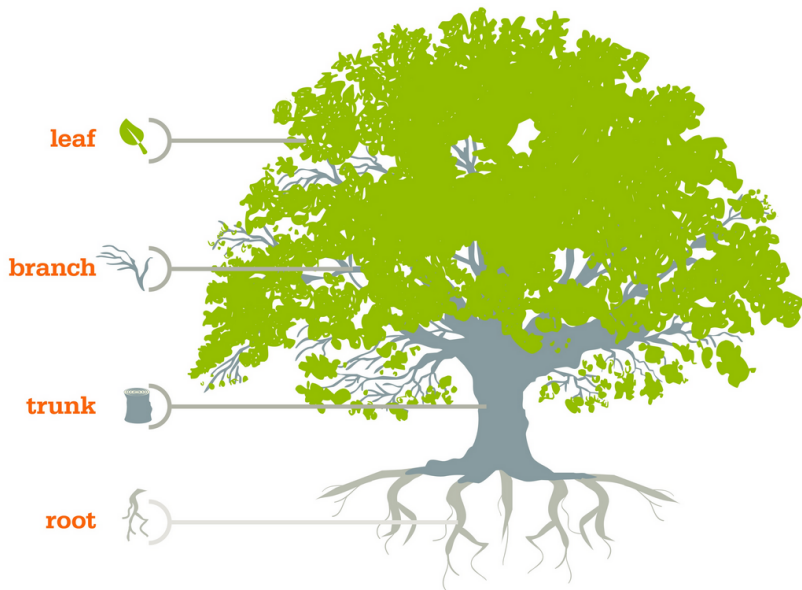
So far we have seen linear structures

- ▶ lists, arrays, stacks, queues

Today, we study non-linear structure: Trees

- ▶ probably the most fundamental structure in computing
- ▶ hierarchical structure

Tree



Windows Explorer interface showing a file tree view. The left sidebar contains navigation options: Favorites (Desktop, Downloads, Recent Places, Google Drive, iCloud Photos), Libraries (Documents, Music, Pictures, Videos), and Computer (WIN 7 SP1 (C:), EF (D:), FF (E:), Network).

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Program Files	1/31/2015 10:45 PM	File folder	
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Definition

A tree T is a set of nodes storing elements such that the nodes have a parent-child relationship:

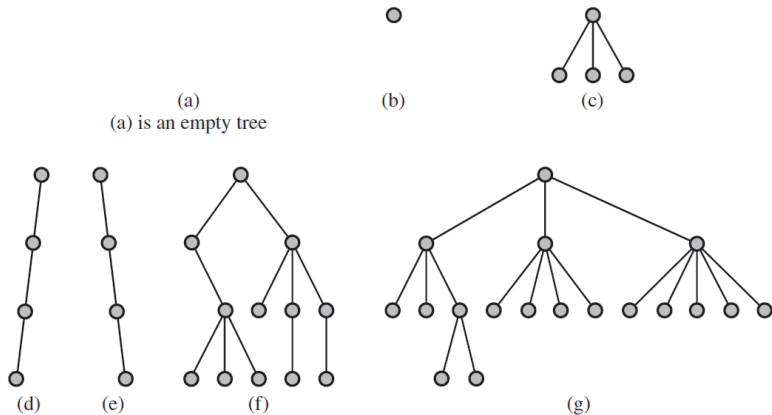
- ▶ if T is not empty, T has a special tree node called the root r that has no parent.
- ▶ each node c of T different than the root has a unique parent node p ; each node with parent p is a child of c

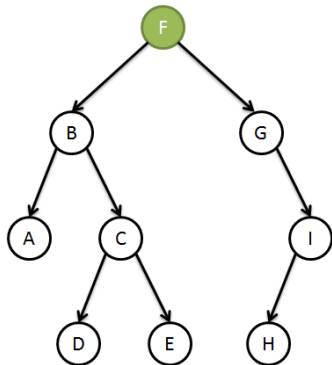
Recursive Definition

A tree T is:

- ▶ T is empty
- ▶ T consists of a node r (the root) and a possibly empty set of trees whose roots are the children of r (or called subtrees)

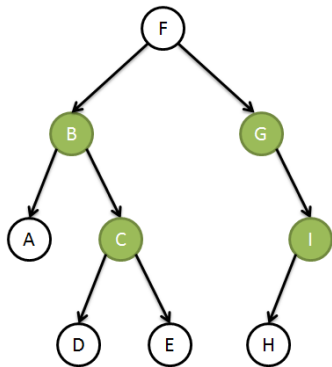
Tree





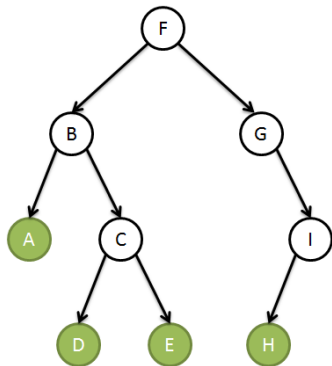
Root

- ▶ The root of a tree is the starting node, the node that does not have a parent.
- ▶ A tree has one unique and only one root.
- ▶ The root is the node F.



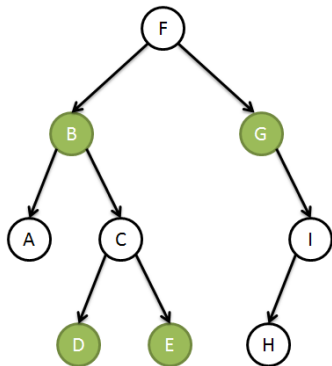
Internal Node

- ▶ Internal nodes (parent nodes) are the nodes that have children.
- ▶ F, B, G, D, I are the internal nodes.
- ▶ F has two child nodes B and G or B and G have the parent node F



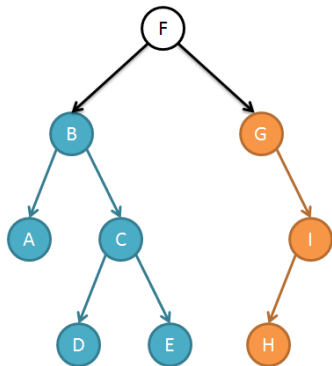
Terminal Node

- ▶ Terminal nodes (called leaves) are the nodes that don't have any child node.
- ▶ A, D, E, H are the terminal nodes.



Siblings

- ▶ Siblings nodes are the nodes that have the same parent node.
- ▶ B and G are siblings because their common parent is F; D and E are siblings because their common parent is C.



Subtree

- ▶ An internal node or a terminal node may be considered as the root of a subtree.
- ▶ B and G are the root of two subtree of the tree whose the root is F.

Application

Tree ADT are widely used:

- ▶ Searching problems: Binary Search Tree.
- ▶ Presentation of complex data: tree data.
- ▶ Data Mining problems: declare variables for hierarchical methods Decision Tree, AntTree, etc.

Tree ADT can be as following:

- ▶ `init()`: initialize an empty tree
- ▶ `isRoot()`: verify whether a node is the tree root
- ▶ `isLeaf()`: verify whether a node is terminal
- ▶ `isEmpty()`: verify whether a tree is empty
- ▶ `getParent()`: return the parent node of a node or null if this node is the root
- ▶ `getChildren()`: return the child nodes of a node or null if this node does not have any child

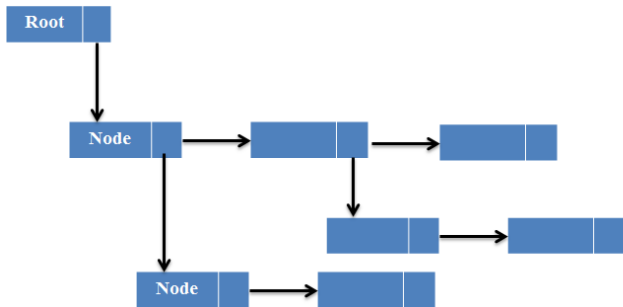
Application

Tree ADT can be as following:

- ▶ `search()`: find the node within the tree structure
- ▶ `display()`: show tree nodes' information
- ▶ `insert()`: add a node to the tree
- ▶ `remove()`: remove a node from the tree

Tree ADT

```
1 typedef struct TreeNode{
2     int val;
3     struct TreeNode *firstChild;
4     struct Treenode *nextSiblings;
5 } *Tree;
```



Binary Tree

Definition

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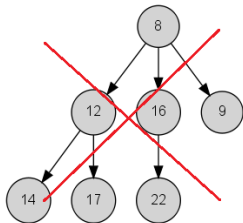
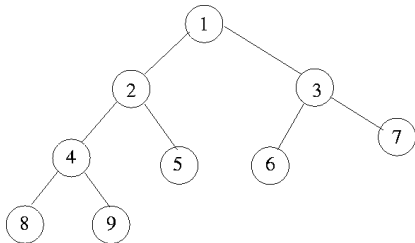
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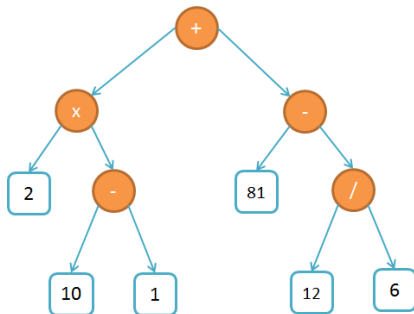


Binary Tree

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- ▶ internal nodes: operators
- ▶ leaf nodes: operands

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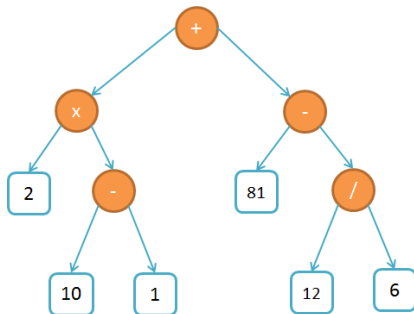


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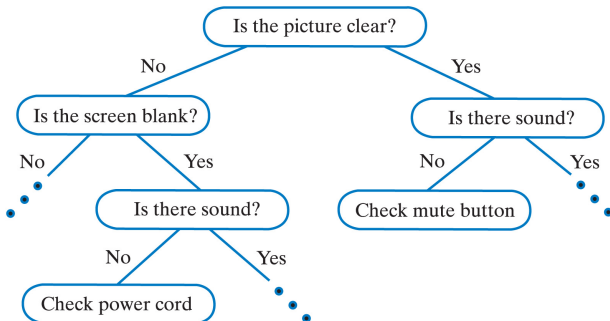
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Binary Tree

Decision Tree is a kind of binary tree

- ▶ internal nodes: boolean test
- ▶ leaf nodes: decision

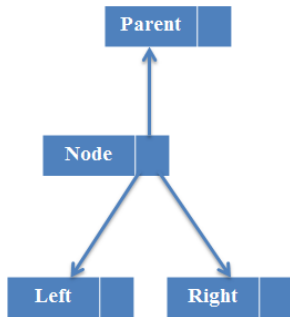


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- ▶ `getLeft()`, `getRight()`: return the left or right child node of a node or null if otherwise

Binary Tree

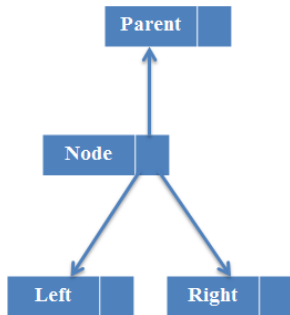
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1 typedef struct TreeNode{
2     int val;
3     struct TreeNode *parent;
4     struct TreeNode *tLeft;
5     struct TreeNode *tRight;
6 } *Tree;
```



Write the function `init()` to initialize an empty tree

Binary Tree

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Application

Tree ADT can be as following:

- ▶ **insert()** (**insertLeft()**, **insertRight()**): add a node to the tree
- ▶ **remove()**: remove a node from the tree if it does not have any child node
- ▶ **display()**: show tree nodes' information

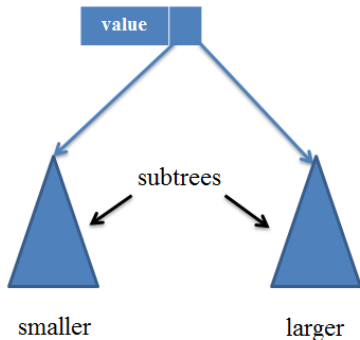

```
1  TreeNode* init(TreeNode *tree , int val){
2      // initialize a tree node with a specific value
3      tree = (TreeNode *)malloc(sizeof (TreeNode));
4      tree->val = val;
5      tree->tLeft = NULL;
6      tree->tRight = NULL;
7      return tree;
8  }
```

Binary Search Tree

Definition

A binary search tree is a binary tree with a special property:

- ▶ every node value is larger than all values in its left subtree
- ▶ every node value is smaller than all values in its right subtree



Binary Search Tree

Input array:

8	4	12	2	14	3	5	7	9	10
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Binary Search Tree

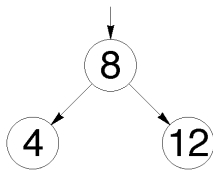


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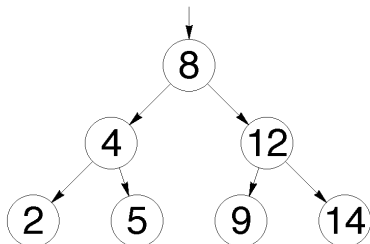


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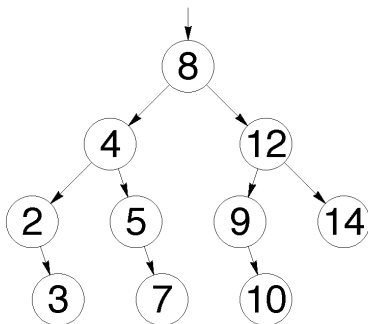


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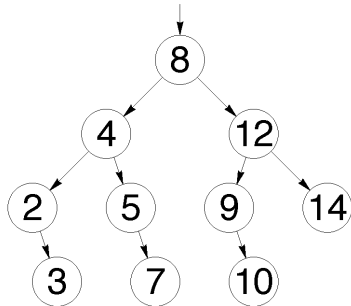
Searching

- ▶ Binary Tree is like unsorted array, this structure is not good enough for indexing or searching. However, due to the Binary Search Tree rules, BST allows to search quickly (Binary Search).
- ▶ To search a given key in Binary Search Tree, we first compare it with root, if the key is present at root, we return root.
 - ▶ If key is greater than root's key, we recur for right subtree of root node.
 - ▶ Otherwise we recur for left subtree.

Tree traversal refers to the process of visiting (checking and/or updating) each node in a tree data structure, exactly once. Such traversals are classified by the order in which the nodes are visited.

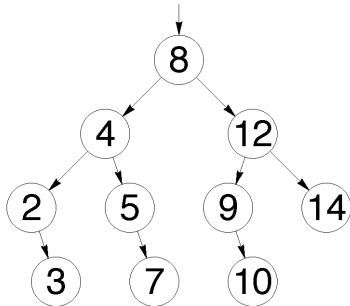
We may do these things in any order and still have a legitimate traversal. If we do (L) before (R), we call it left-to-right traversal, otherwise we call it right-to-left traversal.

- ▶ Pre-order
- ▶ In-order
- ▶ Post-order



Pre-order NLR (Node, Left, Right)

- ▶ Display the data part of the root (or current node).
- ▶ Traverse the left subtree by recursively.
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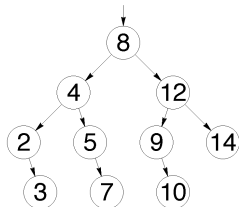
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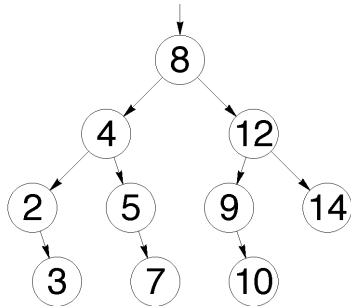
Pre-order traversal (NLR):

Step 1	8	L8	R8							
Step 2		4	L4	R4	R8					
Step 3			2	R2	R4	R8				
Step 4				3	R4	R8				
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Step 6						7	R8			
Step 7							12	L12	R12	
Step 8								9	R9	R12
Step 9									10	R12
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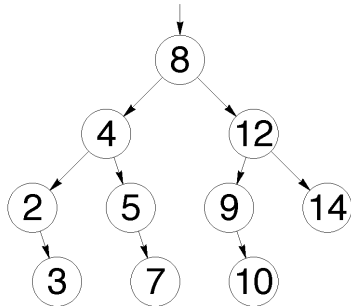
NLR: Pre-order

```
1 void NLR (TreeNode *tree) {  
2     if (tree == NULL)  
3         return;  
4     printf("%d_", tree->val);  
5     NLR(tree->tLeft);  
6     NLR(tree->tRight);  
7 }
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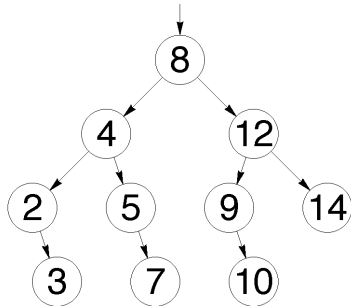
In-order LNR (Left, Node, Right)

- ▶ Traverse the left subtree by recursively.
- ▶ Display the data part of the root (or current node).
- ▶ Traverse the right subtree by recursively.
- ▶ Display:



Post-order LRN (Left, Right, Node)

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- ▶ Traverse the right subtree by recursively.
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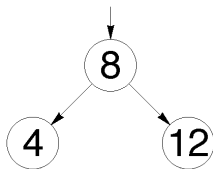
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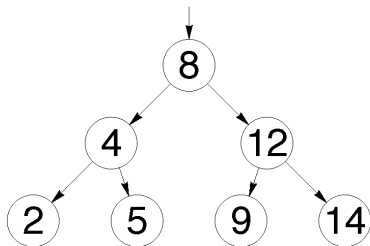
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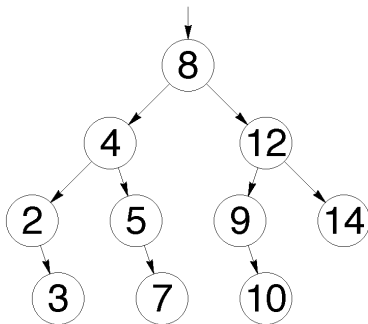
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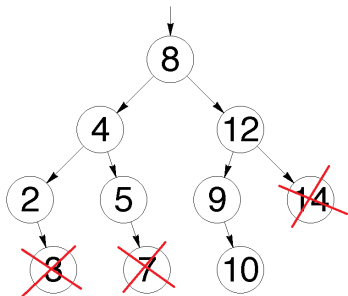
Binary Search Tree

```
1  TreeNode* insert (TreeNode *tree, int x) {
2      if (tree == NULL) {
3          tree = init(tree, x);
4          return tree;
5      }
6      if (x == tree->val)
7          return NULL;
8      else {
9          if (x < tree->val)
10             tree->tLeft = insert(tree->tLeft, x);
11          if (x > tree->val)
12             tree->tRight = insert(tree->tRight, x);
13      }
14      return tree;
15 }
```

There are three cases for removing a node from a tree:

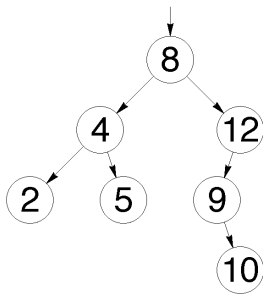
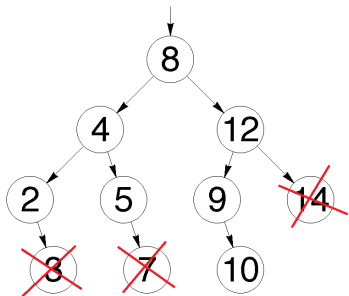
- 1 removing a leaf node.
- 2 removing the root.
- 3 removing an internal node having a child.
- 4 removing an internal node having two children.

Case 1: removing a leaf node



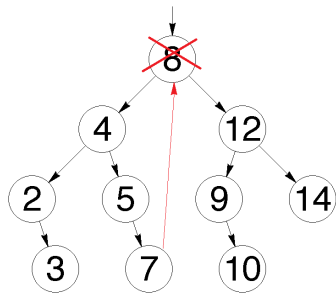
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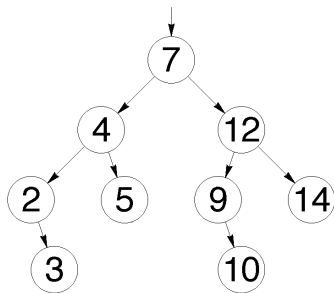
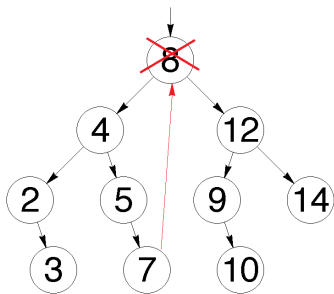
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Case 2: removing the root



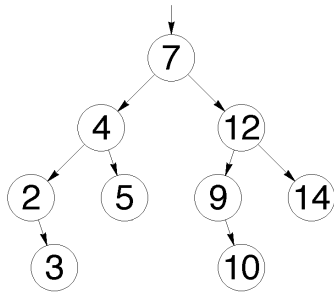
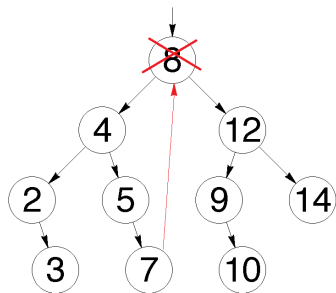
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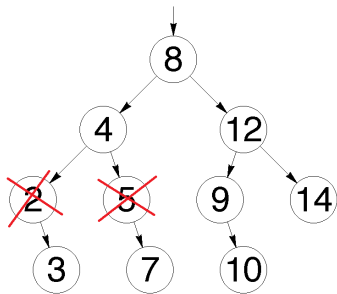
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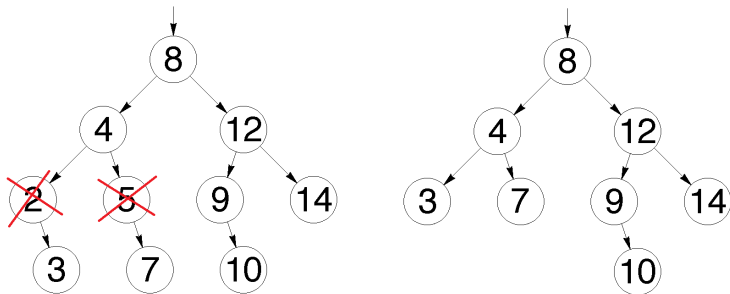
Replace the removed node by:

- ▶ the node having the minimum value of the right subtree.
- ▶ the node having the maximum value of the left subtree.

Case 3: removing an internal node having a child.

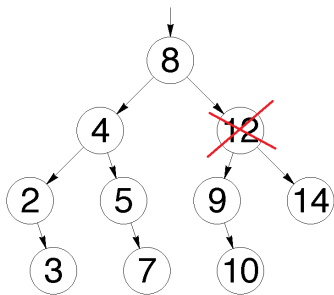


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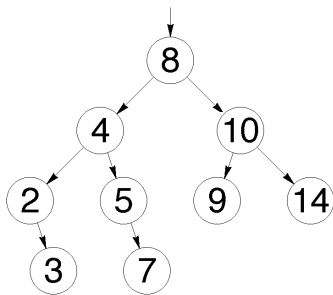
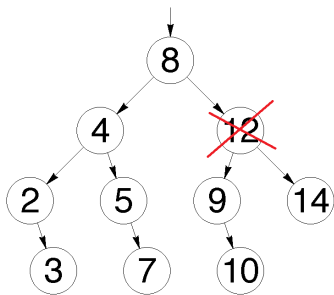
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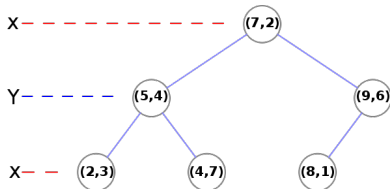
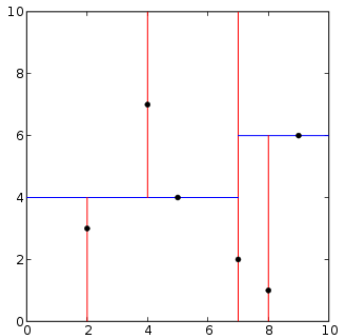
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k-d Tree

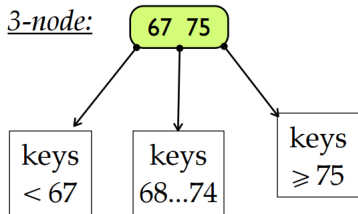
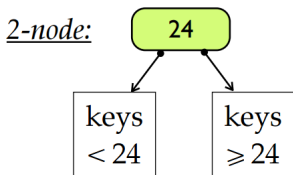
A k-d tree (k-dimensional tree) is a data structure for organizing points in a k-dimensional space. k-d trees can be considered as a special case of binary tree.



Example on a 2-D tree

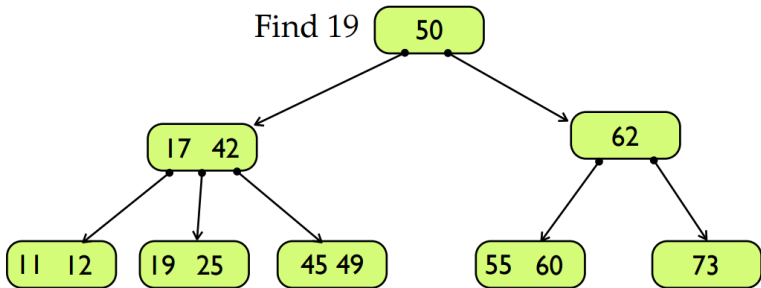
B-Tree: a generalization of a binary search tree

- ▶ all leaves are at the same level
- ▶ each internal node has either 2 or 3 children
- ▶ 2 children, it has 1 key (a test); 3 children, it has 2 key



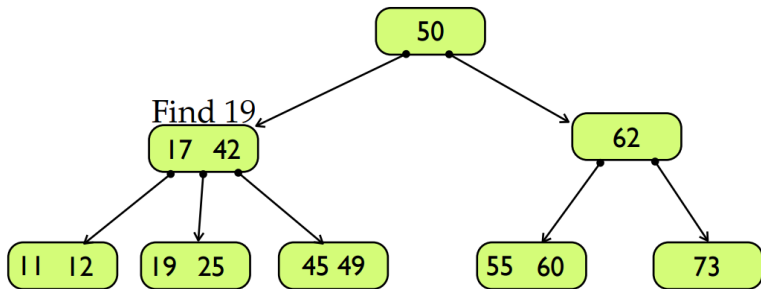
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