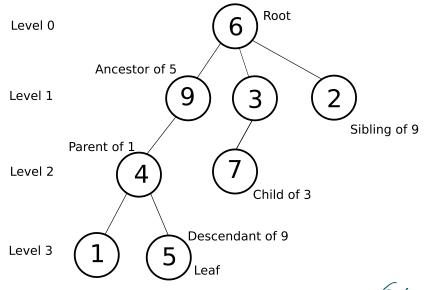
Programmeren (Ectrie) Lecture 6: Nonlinear data structures

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Trees



Trees: definition and implementation in Matlab

1 empty T is a tree

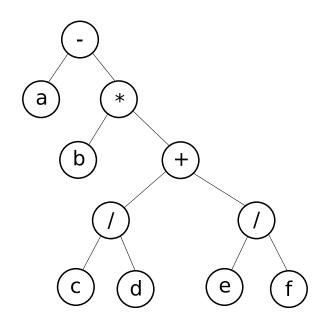
- If T is not empty, a T has exactly one node designated as the root(T)
- 3 the remaining nodes (T root(T)) of a tree are partitioned into *m* disjoint sets T_1, \ldots, T_m . Each of these are in turn a tree, and are called subtrees of *T*.

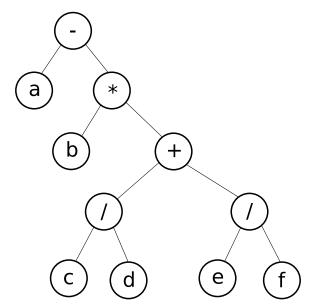
Tree arity *m* defines max amount of subtrees ($m = 1 \rightarrow$ linked list, $m = 2 \rightarrow$ binary tree)

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classdef treeNode < handle
  properties
    key
    left
    right
  end
end</pre>
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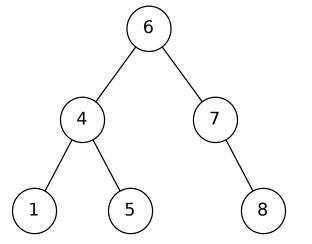
$$a-b*(c/d+e/f)$$





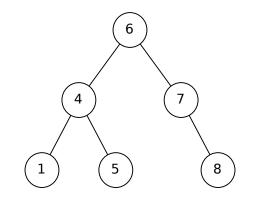
Example: tree traversal schemes; inorder, preorder and postorder

Binary search trees (BST)



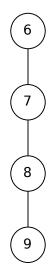
BST search time / balanced case

Each level: 1 comparison → 1/2 remaining nodes "discarded"
 Find complexity: O(log₂ n)





Extremely unbalanced tree



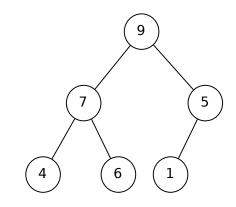
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- Insert: O(n)
- Delete current node: O(1)
- Search / balanced case: $O(\log n)$
- Search / unbalanced case: O(n)



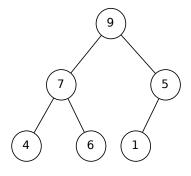
Heap

- Balanced tree: every level of depth x (except last) has exactly 2^x nodes
- Heap property: the key of each node is maximum that of its parent



Heap as an array

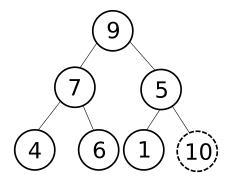
 i^{th} element of j^{th} level is located in the index $2^j + (i-1)$



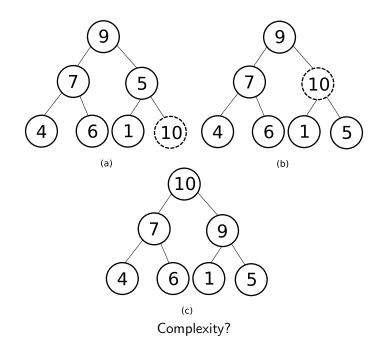


When inserting a new node, it becomes:

- Last node of the last layer, if there is space
- First node of a new layer (depth increases by 1)
- \Rightarrow possible violation of the heap property



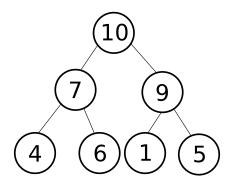




- In the heap, *only* the root node can be deleted
- Due to this, heap implements *priority queue* semantics very useful in various cases (e.g. queueing elements that some have always priority over others)
- Elegant data structure with many applications, e.g. Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm and Heapsort

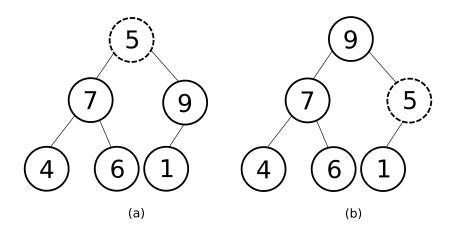
The root node is deleted and replaced with the last node

- \rightarrow heap balanced, but heap property violated
- $\rightarrow \mathsf{heapify}(\mathsf{root})$





heapify



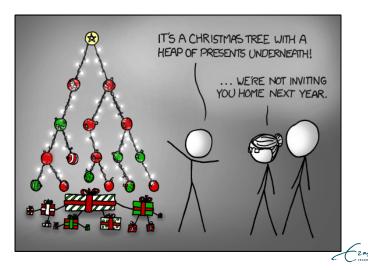


function H = heapify(H, n, endIndex)

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largest = 0;
  I = left(n)
  r = right(n)
  if (| <= endlndex \& H(|) > H(n))
    |argest = |:
  else
    largest = n;
  end
  if (r \le endIndex \& H(r) > H(largest))
    largest = r;
  end
  if (largest != n)
    H = swap(H, largest, n); \% pseudo-code
    H = heapify(H, largest, endIndex);
  end
end
```

Complexity of heap operations

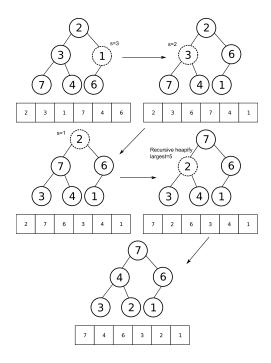
- Insert/delete: O(log n)
- Search max: O(1)



Step 1: turning an arbitrary array into a heap

Let's heapsort [2 3 1 7 4 6]





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function A = buildHeap(A)

s = floor(length(A)/2);

while (s > 0)

A = heapify(A, s, length(A));

s = s - 1;

end

end
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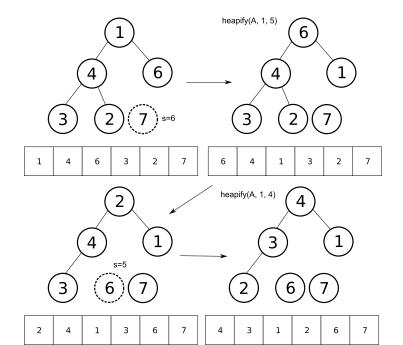
Assuming procedures (which we do not have in Matlab):

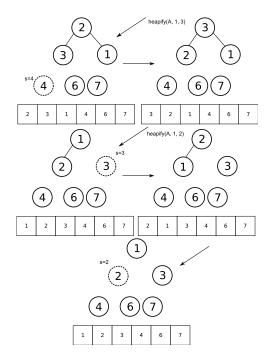
- *n*/2 iterations of while-loop
- *n*-node heap has at most $\lceil n/2^{h+1} \rceil$ nodes of height *h*
- heapify with heap of height h is O(h)

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor} \lceil \frac{n}{2^{h+1}} \rceil O(h) = O\left(n \sum_{h=0}^{\lfloor \log_2 n \rfloor} \frac{h}{2^h}\right) = O(n2) = O(n)$$

```
function A = heapSort(A)
s = length(A);
% until s == 2, but this is a safer condition
while (s > 1)
% pseudo-code
A = swap(A, 1, s);
A = heapify(A, 1, s);
s = s - 1;
end
end
```







- Initial build heap: O(n)
- heapSort: *n* iterations of heapify, each $O(\log n)$
- Total: $O(n) + O(n \log n) = O(n \log n)$
- And does the sorting in place!

