

Data structures are

# FUNDAMENTAL!

- All fields of CS involve storing, retrieving and processing data

- Information retrieval
- Geographic Inf. Systems
- Machine Learning
- Text/String processing
- Computer graphics
- ...

Basic elements in study of data structures

- **Modeling:** How real-world objects are encoded
- **Operations:** Allowed functions to access + modify structure
- **Representation:** Mapping to memory
- **Algorithms:** How ops. performed?

Course Overview:

- Fundamental data structures + algorithms
- Mathematical techniques for analyzing them
- Implementation

Introduction to Data Structures

- Elements of data structures
- Our approach
- Short review of asymptotics

Our approach:

- **Theoretical:** Algorithms + Asymptotic Analysis
- **Practical:** Implementation + practical efficiency

Common:

$O(1)$ : constant time 😊  
[Hash map]

$O(\log n)$ : log time (very good!)  
[Binary search]

$O(n^p)$ : ( $p = \text{constant}$ ) Poly time  
e.g.  $O(\sqrt{n})$  [Geometric search]

Asymptotic: "Big-O"

- Ignore constants
- Focus on large  $n$

$$T(n) = 34n^2 + 15n \cdot \log n + 143$$

$$T(n) = O(n^2)$$

Asymptotic Analysis:

- Run time as a function of  $n \leftarrow$  no. of items
- Worst-case, average-case, randomized
- **Amortized:** Average over a series of ops.

## Linear List ADT:

Stores a sequence of elements  $\langle a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n \rangle$ . Operations:

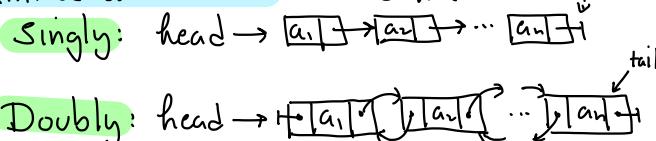
- `init()` - create an empty list
- `get(i)` - returns  $a_i$
- `set(i, x)` - sets  $i^{\text{th}}$  element to  $x$
- `insert(i, x)` - inserts  $x$  prior to  $i^{\text{th}}$  (moving others back)
- `delete(i)` - deletes  $i^{\text{th}}$  item (moving others up)
- `length()` - returns num. of items

## Implementations:

Sequential: Store items in an array



Linked allocation: linked list



Performance varies with implementation

## Abstract Data Type (ADT)

- Abstracts the functional elements of a data structure (math) from its implementation (algorithm / programming)

## Basic Data Structures I

- ADTs
- Lists, Stacks, Queues
- Sequential Allocation

## Doubling Reallocation:

When array of size  $n$  overflows

- allocate new array size  $2n$
- copy old to new
- remove old array

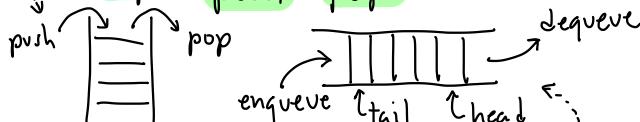
## Dynamic Lists + Sequential Allocation

: What to do when your array runs out of space?

Deque ("deck"): Can insert or delete from either end

Stack: All access from one side

$\downarrow$  (top) - push + pop

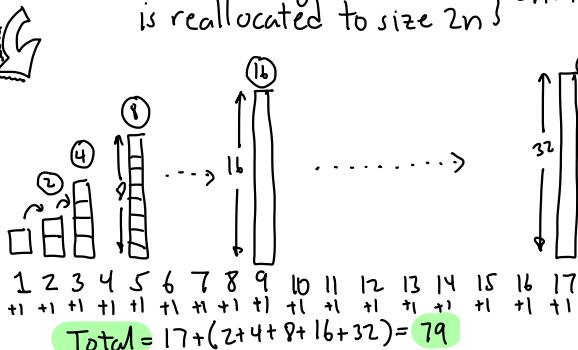


Queue: FIFO list: enqueue inserts at tail and dequeue deletes from head

## Cost model (Actual cost)

Cheap: No reallocation  $\rightarrow$  1 unit

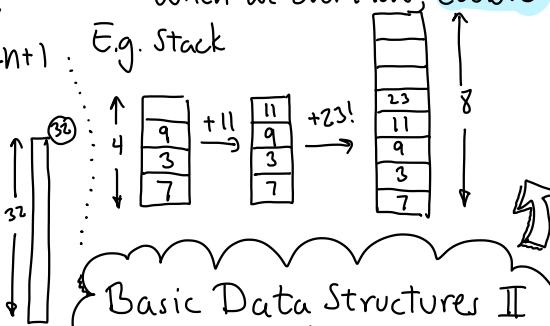
Expensive: Array of size  $n \Rightarrow 2n+1$   
is reallocated to size  $2n$



## Dynamic (Sequential) Allocation

- When we overflow, double

E.g. Stack



Basic Data Structures II  
- Amortized analysis  
of dynamic stack

Amortized Cost: Starting from an empty structure, suppose that any sequence of  $m$  ops takes time  $T(m)$ .  
The amortized cost is  $T(m)/m$ .

Thm: Starting from an empty stack, the amortized cost of our stack operations is at most 5.  
[i.e. any seq. of  $m$  ops has cost  $\leq 5 \cdot m$ ]

## Proof:

- Break the full sequence after each reallocation  $\rightarrow$  run

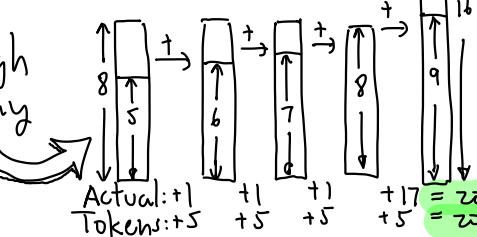
1 2 3 | 4 5 | 6 7 8 9 | 10 11 ... 16 17

- At start of a run there are  $n+1$  items in stack and array size is  $2n$

- There are at least  $n$  ops before the end of run

- During this time we collect at least  $5n$  tokens  
 $\rightarrow 1$  for each op  
 $\rightarrow 4$  for deposit

- Next reallocation costs  $4n$ , but we have enough saved!



**Fixed Increment:** Increase by a fixed constant  
 $n \rightarrow n + 100$

**Fixed factor:** Increase by a fixed constant factor (not nec. 2)  
 $n \rightarrow 5 \cdot n$

**Squaring:** Square the size (or some other power)  
 $n \rightarrow n^2$  or  $n \rightarrow \lceil n^{1.5} \rceil$

Which of these provide  $O(1)$  amortized cost per operation?

Leave as exercise   
 (Spoiler alert!)

Fixed increment  $\rightarrow$  no

Fixed factor  $\rightarrow$  yes

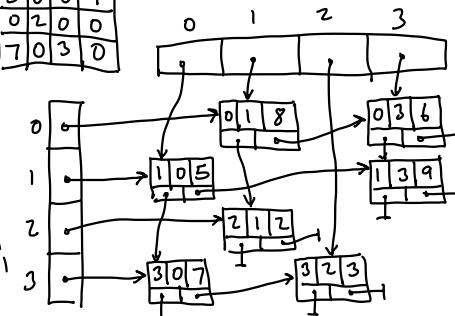
Squaring  $\rightarrow$  ?? (depends on cost model)

**Dynamic Stack:**

- Showed doubling  $\Rightarrow$  Amortized  $O(1)$

- Other strategies?

0	8	0	6
5	0	0	9
0	2	0	0
7	0	3	0



- Basic Data Structures III

- Dynamic Stack- Wrap-up
- Multilists & Sparse Matrices

**Node:**

row	col	value
row	col	value

rowNext      colNext

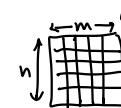
**Idea:** Store only non-zero entries linked by row and column

**Multilists:** Lists of lists



**Sparse Matrices:**

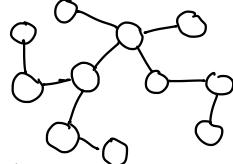
An  $n \times m$  matrix has  $n \cdot m$  entries and takes (naively)  $O(n \cdot m)$  space



**Sparse matrix:** Most entries are zero

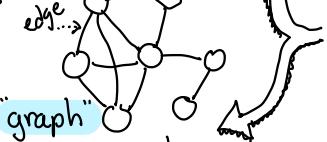
## Tree (or "Free Tree")

- undirected
- connected
- acyclic graph

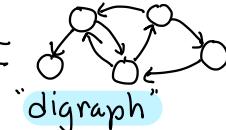


Undirected

node  
edge



Directed



"digraph"

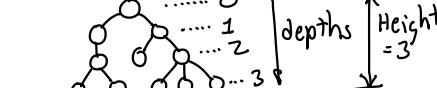
Graph:  $G = (V, E)$

$V$  = finite set of vertices  
(nodes)

$E$  = set of edges  
(pairs of vertices)

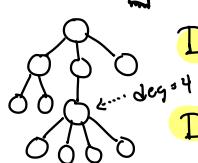
Depth: path length from root

Height: (of tree) max depth



depths  
Height = 3

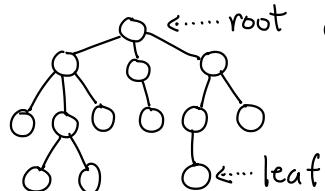
Trees: Basic Concepts and Definitions



Degree (of node): number of children

Degree (of tree): max. degree of any node

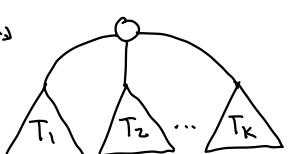
Rooted tree: A free tree with root node



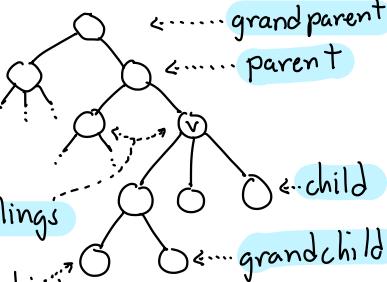
Formal definition:

Rooted tree: is either

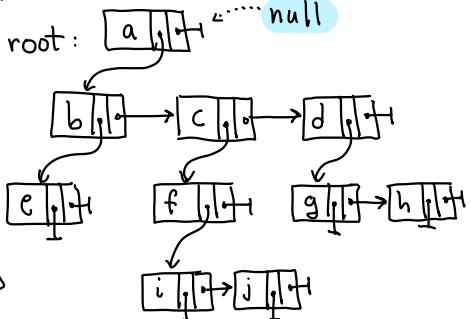
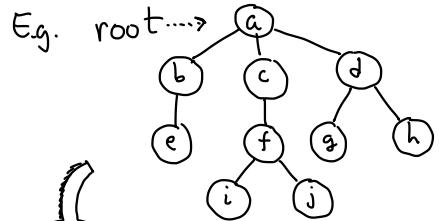
- single node (root)
- set of one or more rooted trees ("subtrees") joined to a common root



"Family" Relations



leaf: no children

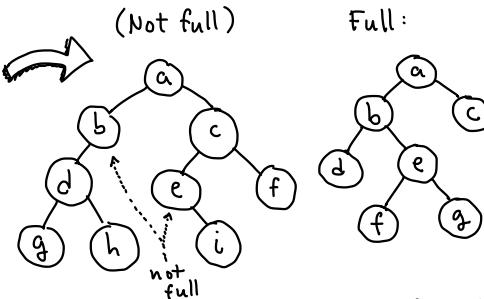
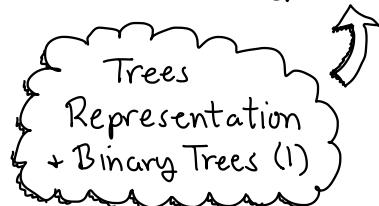
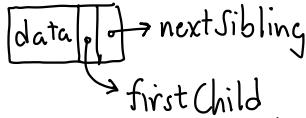


$\hookleftarrow$  called the **Binary representation**

$\hookleftarrow$  **Binary tree**: A rooted tree of degree 2, where each node has two children (possibly null)  $\text{left} + \text{right}$

$\hookleftarrow$  **Representing rooted trees**:  
Each node stores a (linked) list of its children

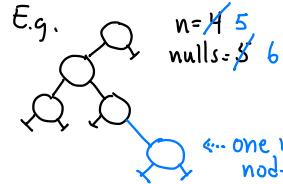
**Node structure:**



Full: Every non-leaf node has 2 children

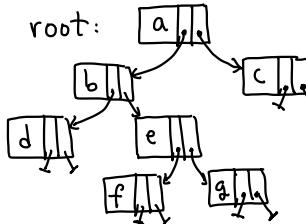
**Wasted space?**

**Theorem:** A binary tree with  $n$  nodes has  $n+1$  null links

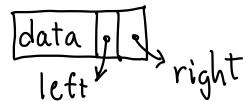


$\hookleftarrow$  one more node  $\hookrightarrow$  generic data

In Java: class BTNode<E> {  
    E data;  
    BTNode<E> left;  
    BTNode<E> right;  
    ...  
}



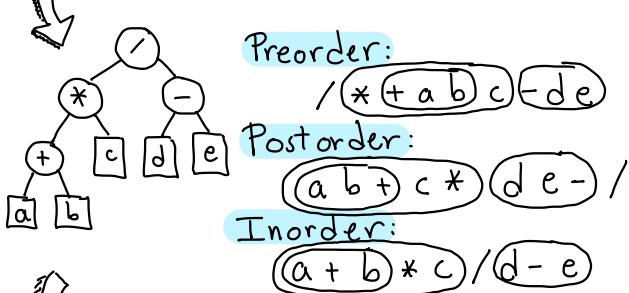
**Node structure:**



```

traverse(BTNode v) {
    if (v == null) return;
    visit/process v ← Preorder
    traverse (v.left)
    visit/process v ← Inorder
    traverse (v.right)
    visit/process v ← Postorder
}

```

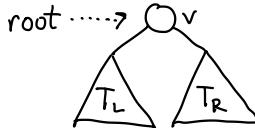


Those wasteful null links...

**Extended binary tree:** Replace each null link with a special leaf node: external node

Traversals: How to (systematically) visit the nodes of a rooted tree?

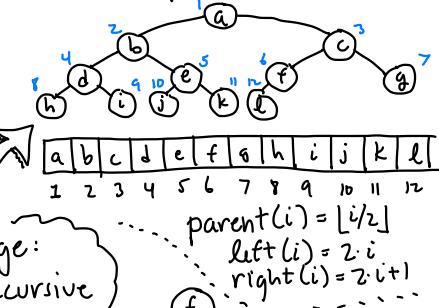
Binary Tree Traversals (can be generalized)



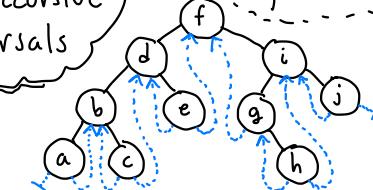
- process/visit v
- traverse  $T_L$  } recursive
- traverse  $T_R$



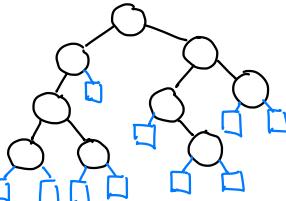
Complete Binary Tree: All levels full (except last)



Challenge:  
Nonrecursive  
traversals



**Thm:** An extended binary tree with  $n$  internal nodes (black) has  $n+1$  external nodes (blue)



**Observation:** Every extended binary tree is full

Another way to save space...  
**Threaded binary tree:**

Store (useful) links in the null links. (Use a mark bit to distinguish link types.)

E.g. Inorder Threads:  
Null left  $\rightarrow$  inorder predecessor  
Null right  $\rightarrow$  " successor

## Dictionary:

**insert**(Key  $x$ , Value  $v$ )

- insert  $(x, v)$  in dict. (No duplicates)

**delete**(Key  $x$ )

- delete  $x$  from dict. (Error if  $x$  not there)

**find**(Key  $x$ )

- returns a reference to associated value  $v$ , or **null** if not there.



**Search**: Given a set of  $n$  entries each associated with **key**  $x$ ; and **value**  $v_i$

- store for quick access + updates

- **Ordered**: Assume that keys are totally ordered:  $<$ ,  $>$ ,  $=$



## Sequential Allocation?

- Store in array sorted by key

→ **Find**:  $O(\log n)$  by binary search

→ **Insert/Delete**:  $O(n)$  time



Can we achieve  $O(\log n)$  time for all ops? **Binary Search Trees**

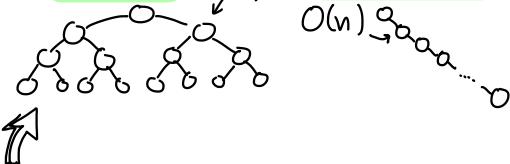


## Binary Search Trees I

- Basic definitions
- Finding keys

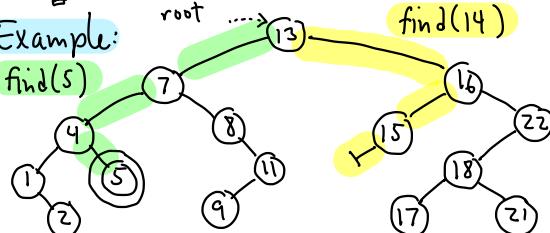
**Efficiency**: Depends on tree's height

Balanced:  $O(\log n)$  Unbalanced:  $O(n)$



## Example:

**find(5)**



**find(14)**

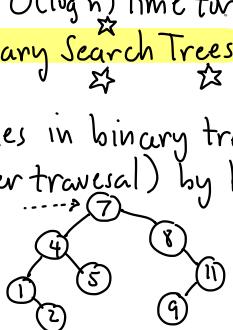
**16**

**15**

**18**

**21**

**Idea**: Store entries in binary tree sorted (inorder traversal) by key



**Find**: How to find a key in the tree?

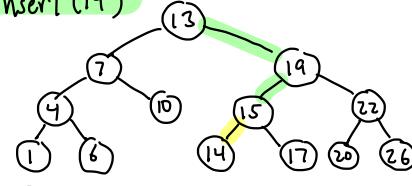
- Start at root  $p \leftarrow \text{root}$
- if ( $x < p.\text{key}$ ) search left
- if ( $x > p.\text{key}$ ) search right
- if ( $x == p.\text{key}$ ) found it!
- if ( $p == \text{null}$ ) not there!



```
Value find(Key  $x$ , BSTNode  $p$ )
if ( $p == \text{null}$ ) return null
else if ( $x < p.\text{key}$ )
    return find( $x$ ,  $p.\text{left}$ )
else if ( $x > p.\text{key}$ )
    return find( $x$ ,  $p.\text{right}$ )
else return  $p.\text{value}$ 
```

}

insert(14)



Insert (Key x, Value v)

- find x in tree
- if found  $\Rightarrow$  error! duplicate key
- else: create new node where we "fell out"

BSTNode insert(Key x, Value v, BSTNode p){}

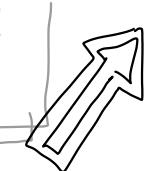
```

if (p == null)
    p = new BSTNode(x, v)
else if (x < p.key)
    p.left = insert(x, v, p.left)
else if (x > p.key)
    p.right = insert(x, v, p.right)
else throw exception  $\rightarrow$  Duplicate!
return p
}

```

Binary Search Trees II

- insertion
- deletion



Delete (Key x)

- find x
- if not found  $\Rightarrow$  error
- else: remove this node + restore BST structure

How?

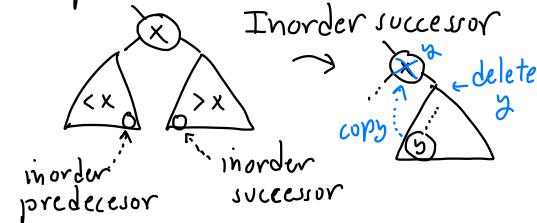
Why did we do:

$p.left = \text{insert}(x, v, p.left)$ ?

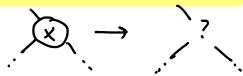
$p_1$   $\text{insert}(14)$   $\rightarrow$   $p_2$   $\text{new BSTNode}(14)$   $\rightarrow$   $p_2$   $\text{return } p_2$

*Be sure you understand this!*

Replacement Node?

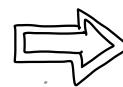


3.  $\otimes$  has two children



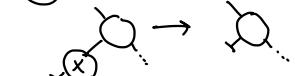
Find replacement node

$y$ , copy to  $\otimes$ , and then delete  $y$

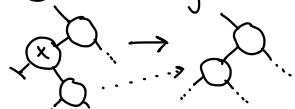


3 cases:

①  $\otimes$  is a leaf



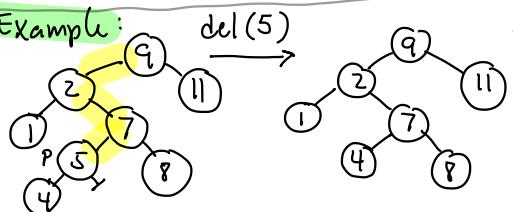
②  $\otimes$  has single child



```

BSTNode delete(Key x, BSTNode p) {
    if (p == null) error! Key not found
    else
        if (x < p.key)
            p.left = delete(x, p.left)
        else if (x > p.key)
            p.right = delete(x, p.right)
        else if (either p.left or p.right null)
            if (p.left == null)
                return p.right
            if (p.right == null)
                return p.left
        else
            r = findReplacement(p)
            copy r's contents to p
            p.right = delete(r.key, p.right)
    return p
}

```



## Find Replacement Node

```

BSTNode findReplacement(BSTNode p) {
    BSTNode r = p.right
    while (r.left != null)
        r = r.left
    return r
}

```

## Binary Search Trees III

- deletion
- analysis
- Java

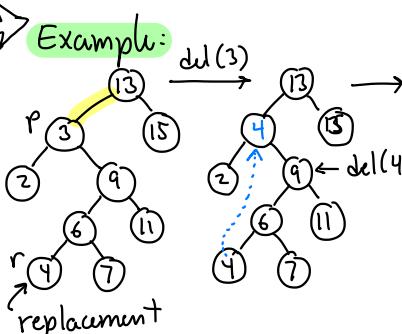
## Java Implementation:

- Parameterize Key + Value types: extends Comparable
- class BinsearchTree<K,V>..
- BSTNode - inner class
- Private data: BSTNode root
- insert, delete, find : local
- provide public fns
- insert, delete, find

But height can vary from  $O(\log n)$  to  $O(n)$ ...

Expected case is good

Thm: If  $n$  keys are inserted in random order, expected height is  $O(\log n)$ .



## Analysis:

All operations (find, insert, delete) run in  $O(h)$  time, where  $h$  = tree's height

## Java implementation (see notes for details)

```
public class BSTree<Key extends Comparable, Value> {
```

```
    class Node {  
        Key key  
        Value value  
        Node left, right  
    }
```

.... constructor, toString...

Inner class  
for node  
(protected)

Local helpers  
(private or protected)

```
    Value find(Key x, Node p) {...}  
    Node insert(Key x, Value v, Node p) {...}  
    Node delete(Key x, Node p) {...}
```

```
private Node root;
```

Data (private)

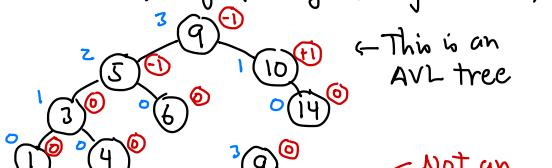
```
public Value find(Key x) {...}  
public void insert(Key x, Value v) {...}  
public void delete(Key x) {...}
```

Public  
members  
(invoke  
helpers)

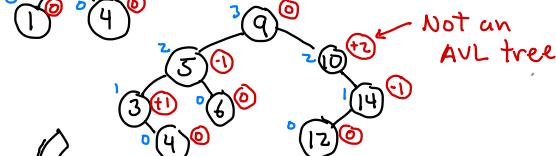
```
}
```

Balance factor:

$$\text{bal}(v) = \text{hgt}(v.\text{right}) - \text{hgt}(v.\text{left})$$



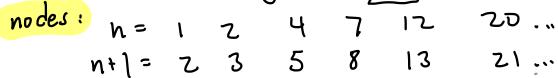
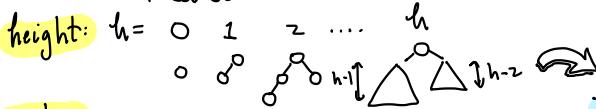
*This is an  
AVL tree*



*Not an  
AVL tree*

Does this imply  $O(\log n)$  height?

Worst cases:



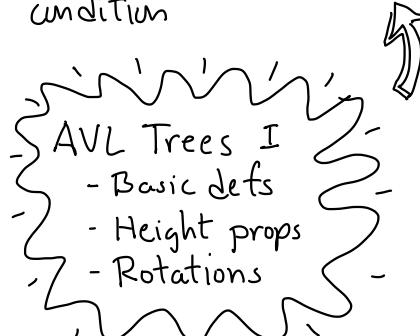
$$\text{Recall: } F_0 = 0, F_1 = 1, F_h = F_{h-1} + F_{h-2}$$

Conjecture: Min no. of nodes in AVL tree of height  $h$  is  $F_{h+3}-1$

## AVL Height Balance

- for each node  $v$ , the heights of its subtrees differ by  $\leq 1$ .

AVL tree: A binary search tree that satisfies this condition



Theorem: An AVL tree of height  $h$  has at least  $F_{h+3}-1$  nodes.

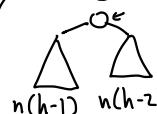
Proof: (Induct. on  $h$ )

$$h=0 : n(h) = 1 = F_3 - 1$$

$$h=1 : n(h) = 2 = F_4 - 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} n(h) &= 1 + n(h-1) + n(h-2) \\ &= 1 + (F_{h-1} - 1) + (F_{h-2} - 1) \\ &= (F_{h-2} + F_{h-1}) - 1 = F_{h+2} - 1 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

$h \geq 2$ :



BSTNode rotateRight(BSTNode p){

BSTNode q = p.left

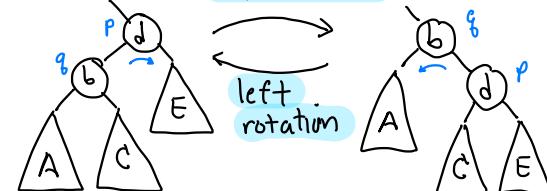
p.left = q.right

q.right = p

return q

}

How to maintain the AVL property?



$$A < b < C < d < E$$

$$A < b < C < d < E$$

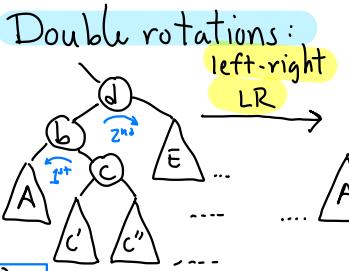
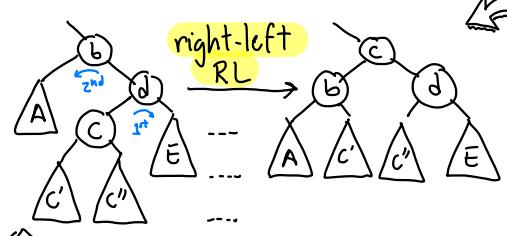


Corollary: An AVL tree with  $n$  nodes has height  $O(\log n)$

Proof: Fact:  $F_h \approx \varphi^h / \sqrt{5}$  where

$$\varphi = (1 + \sqrt{5})/2 \quad \text{"Golden ratio"}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n &\geq \varphi^{h+3} = c \cdot \varphi^h \Rightarrow h \leq \log_{\varphi} n + c' \\ &\Rightarrow h \leq \log_2 n / \log_2 \varphi \\ &= O(\log n) \quad \square \end{aligned}$$



**BSTNode rotateLeftRight(BSTNode p)**  
 $p.left = \text{rotateLeft}(p.left)$   
 return  $\text{rotateRight}(p)$

### AVL Tree:

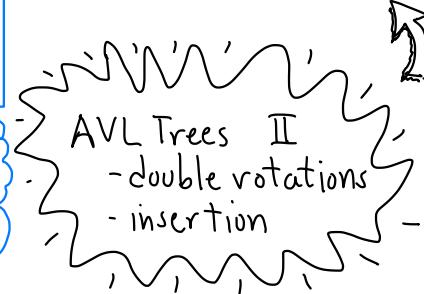
**AVL Node:** Same as BSTNode (from Lect 4) but add: **int height**

### Utilities:

**int height(AVLNode p)**  
 return  $\begin{cases} p == \text{null} \rightarrow -1 \\ \text{o.w. } \rightarrow p.height \end{cases}$

**void updateheight(AVLNode p)**  
 $p.height = 1 + \max(\text{height}(p.left), \text{height}(p.right))$

**int balanceFactor(AVLNode p)**  
 return  $\text{height}(p.right) - \text{height}(p.left)$



**AVLNode rebalance(AVLNode p)**

```

if (p == null) return p
if (balanceFactor(p) < -1)
    if (ht(p.left.left) ≥ ht(p.left.right))
        p = rotateRight(p)
    else p = rotateLeftRight(p)
else if (balanceFactor(p) > +1)
    ... (symmetrical)
updateHeight(p); return p
    
```

**AVLNode insert(Key x, Value v, AVLNode p)**

```

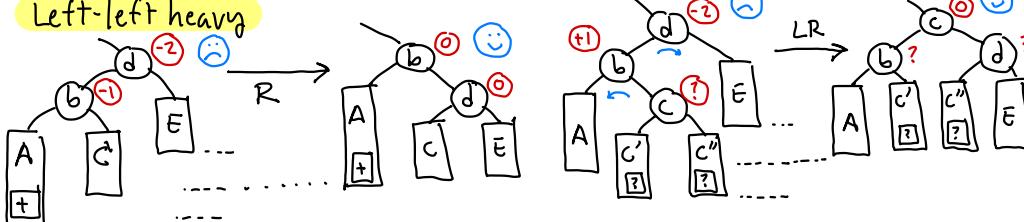
if (p == null) p = new AVLNode(x, v)
else if (x < p.key)
    p.left = insert(x, v, p.left)
else if (x > p.key)
    p.right = insert(x, v, p.right)
else throw - Error - Duplicate!
return rebalance(p)
    
```

**Find:** Same as BST.

**Insert:** Same as BST but as we "back out" rebalance

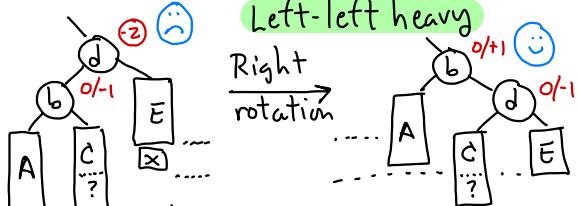
**How to rebalance?** Bal = -2

**Left-left heavy**



**Left-right heavy:**

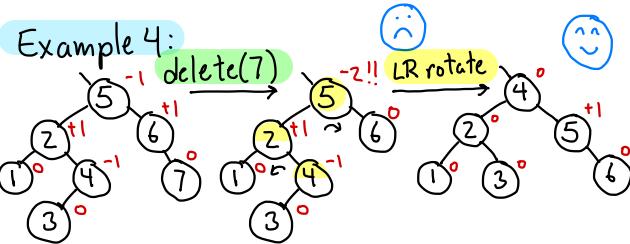
Cases: Balance factor -2



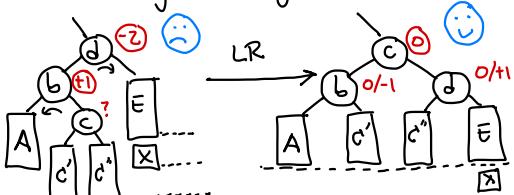
Deletion: Basic plan

- Apply standard BST deletion
- find key to delete
- find replacement node
- copy contents
- delete replacement
- rebalance

Example 4:



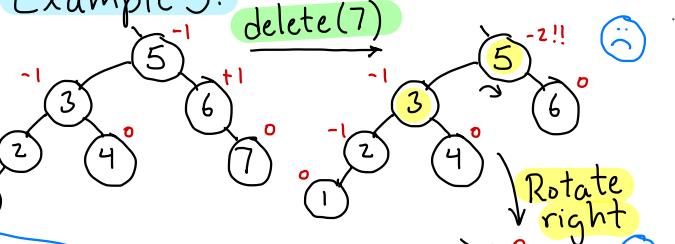
Left-right heavy



AVL Trees III

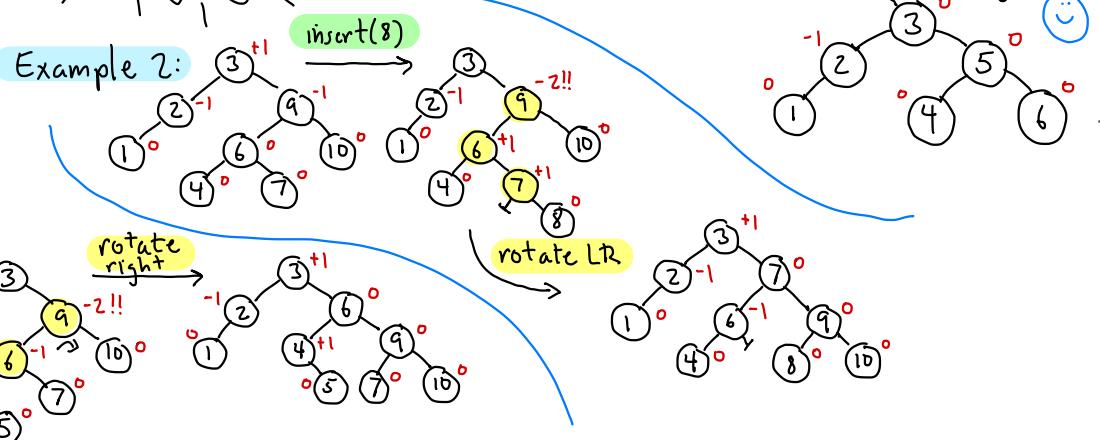
- Deletion
- Examples

Example 3:

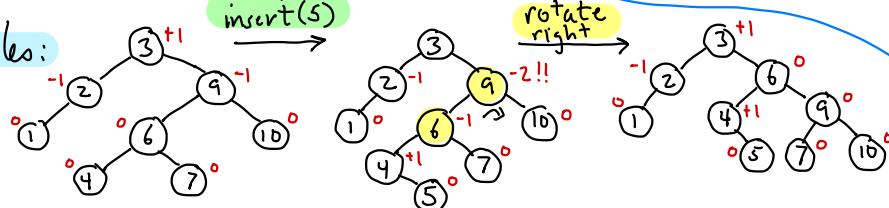


AVLNode deletec (Key x, AVLNode p)  
same as BST delete  
return rebalance(p)

Example 2:



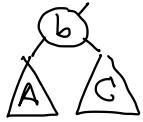
Examples:



## Node types:

2-Node

1 key  
2 children



3-Node

2 keys  
3 children



## Recap:

AVL: Height balanced  
Binary

2-3 tree: Height exact  
Variable width



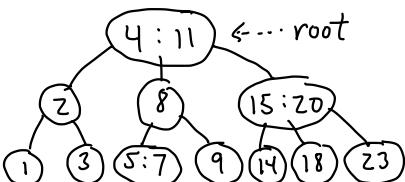
Def: A 2-3 tree of height  $h$  is either:

- Empty ( $h = -1$ )
- A 2-Node root and two subtrees, each 2-3 tree of height  $h-1$
- A 3-Node root and three subtrees... height  $h-1$ .



Example:

2-3 tree of height 2



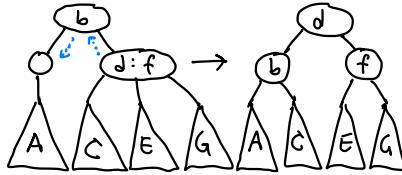
## Recap:

AVL: Height balanced  
Binary

2-3 tree: Height exact  
Variable width

Adoption  
(Key-Rotation)

$$1+3 = 2+2$$



Merge:

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d

e

f

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## Insertion example:

insert(6)



## Dictionary operations:

Find - straightforward

Insert - find leaf node

where key "belongs"  
+ add it (may split)

Delete - find / replacement/  
merge or adopt

## Implementation?

```
class TwoThreeNode {
```

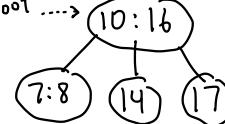
```
int nChildren
```

```
TwoThreeNode children[3]
```

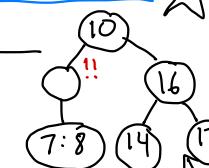
```
Key key[2]
```



new root



merge

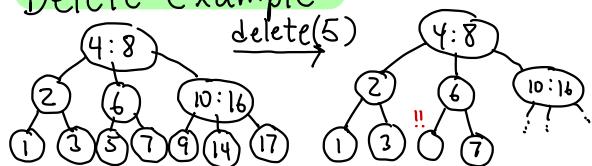


merge

## Delete Example:

delete(5)

## 2-3 Trees II



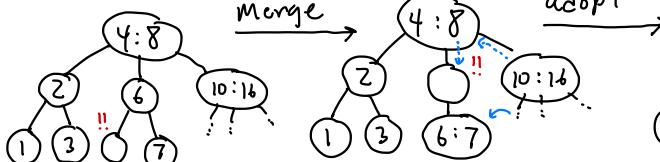
## Deletion remedy:

- Have a 3-node neighboring sibling → adopt
- O.w.: Merge with either sibling + steal key from parent

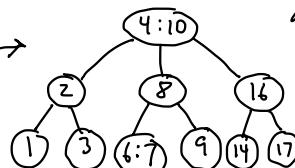


## Example (continued)

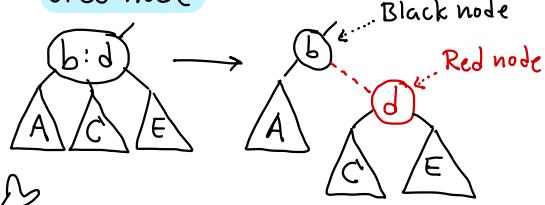
merge



adopt

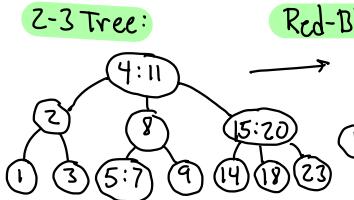


Encoding 3-node as binary tree node

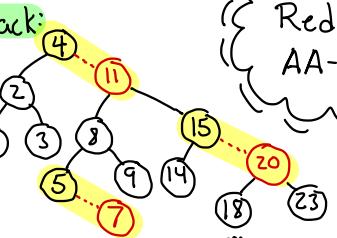


Example:

2-3 Tree:



Red-Black:



Some history:

2-3 Trees: Bayer 1972

Red-black Trees: Guibas + Sedgewick 1978 (a binary variant of 2-3)

Rumor - Guibas had two pens - red + black to draw with

Red-Black and AA-Trees I

Rules:

- ① Every node labeled red/black
- ② Root is black
- ③ Nulls treated as if black
- ④ If node is red, both children are black
- ⑤ Every path from root to null has same no. of black

AA-Trees: Simpler to code

- No null pointers: Create a sentinel node, nil, and all nulls point to it  $\rightarrow$  nil:
- No colors: Each node stores level number. Red child is at same level as parent. q is red  $\Leftrightarrow$  q.level == p.level

What we need are stricter rules!

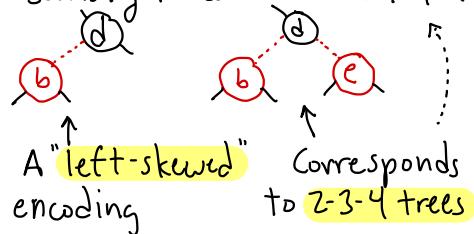
AA-tree:

Arne Anderson 1993

New rule:

- ⑥ Each red node can arise only as right child (of a black node)

Nope! Alternatives that satisfy rules:



Lemma: A red-black tree with n keys has height  $O(\log n)$

Proof: It's at most twice that of a 2-3 tree.

Q: Is every Red-Black Tree the encoding of some 2-3 tree?

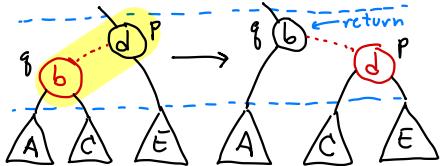
A "left-skewed" encoding

Corresponds to 2-3-4 trees

## Restructuring Ops:

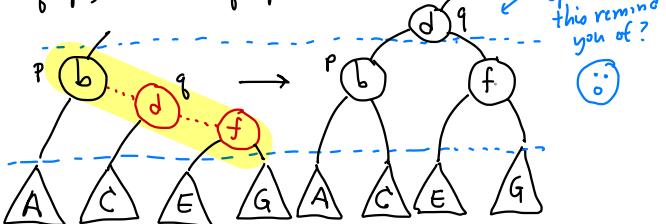
**Skew:** Restore right skew

→ If black node has red left child, rotate



How to test?  $p.left.level == p.level$

**Split:** If a black node has a right-right red chain, do a left rotation at  $p$  (bringing its right child  $q$  up) and move  $q$  up one level.

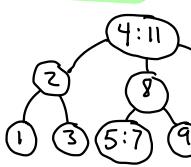


How to test?

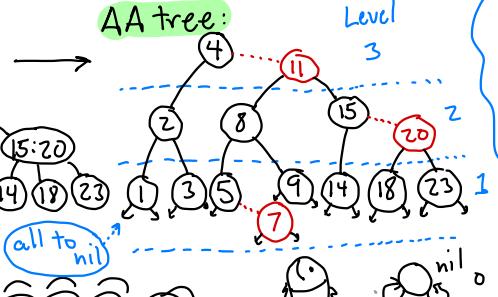
$p.level == p.right.level == p.right.right.level$   
not needed (levels are monotone)

## Example:

### Z-3 Tree:

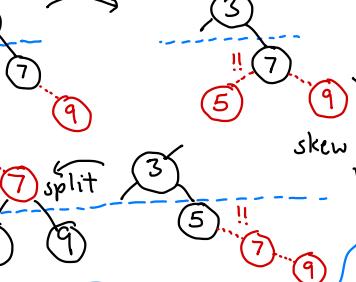


### AA tree:



### Red-Black + AA Trees II

insert(5)



### AA Insertion:

- Find the leaf (as usual)
- Create new red node
- Back out applying skew+split

### AA Node skew(AANode p)

```
if(p==nil) return p
if(p.right.right.level == p.level){
    AANode q = p.left
    p.left = q.right; q.right = p
    return q
} else return p
```

right rotate  $p$

new subtree root

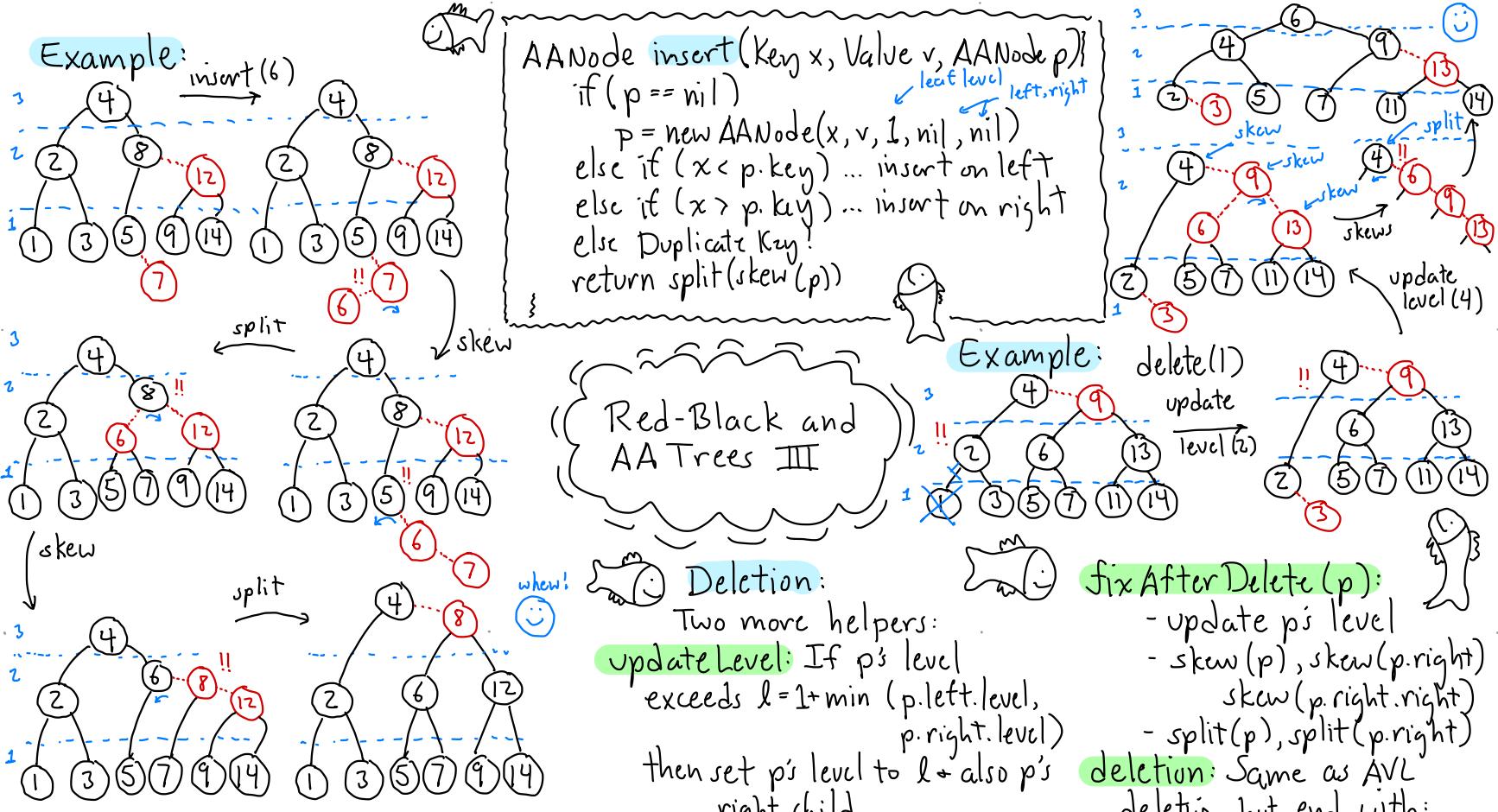
everything's fine

```
else return p
```

left rotation at  $p$

move  $q$  up a level

all okay



## History:

1989: Seidel + Aragon

[Explosion of randomized algorithms]

Later discovered this was already known: Priority Search Trees from different context (geometry)

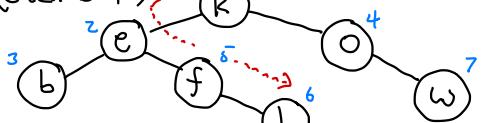
McCreight 1980

## Intuition:

- Random insertion into BSTs  
⇒  $O(\log n)$  expected height
- Worst case can be very bad  
 $O(n)$  height
- Treap: A tree that behaves as if keys are inserted in random order

Example: Insert: k, e, b, o, f, h, w

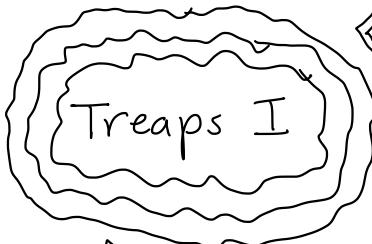
(Std. BST)



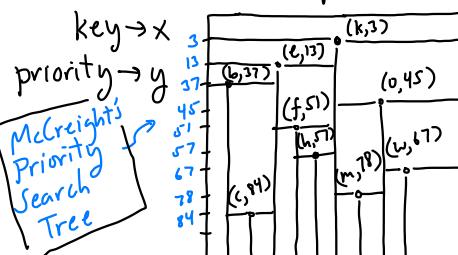
Along any path - Insertion times increase

## Randomized Data Structures

- Use a random number generator
- Running in expectation over all random choices
- Often simpler than deterministic

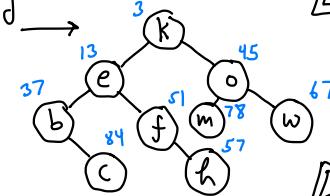


## Geometric Interpretation:



## Example:

Key	Priority
b	37
c	84
e	13
f	51
h	57
k	3
m	78
o	45
w	67



Treap: Each node stores a key + a random priority.

Keys are in inorder.

Priorities are in heap order

? Is it always possible to do both?

Yes: Just consider the corresponding BST

Obs: In a standard BST, keys are by inorder + insert times are in heap order (parent < child)

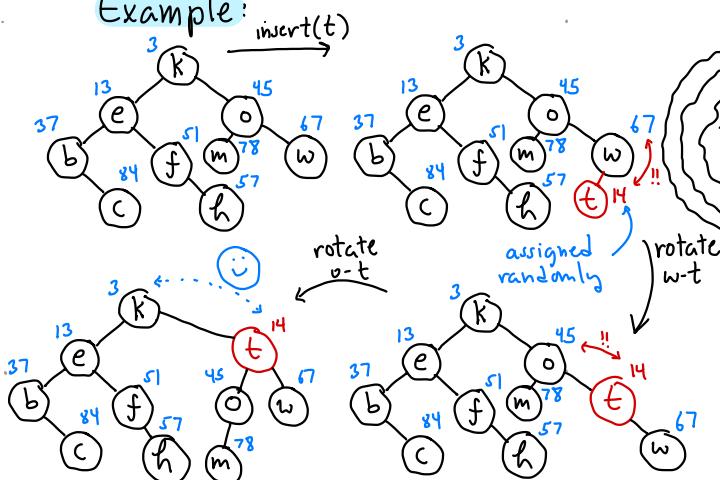


**Insertion:** As usual, find the leaf + create a new leaf node.

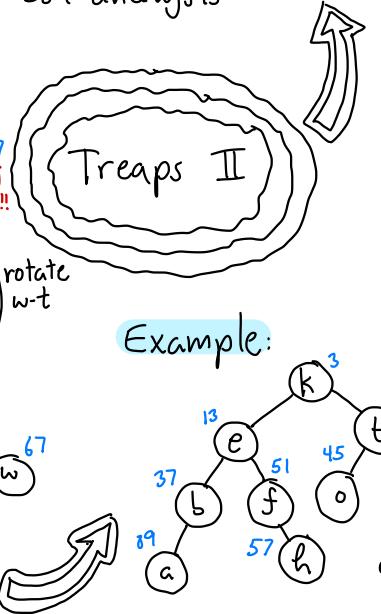
- Assign random priority
  - On backing out - check heap order & rotate to fix.

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Example: `insert(t``



**Deletion:** (cute solution) Find node to delete. Set its priority to  $+\infty$ . Rotate it down to leaf level + unlink.



**Theorem:** A treap containing  $n$  entries has height  $O(\log n)$  in expectation (averaged over all assignments of random priorities)

Implementation: (See pdf notes)

**Node:** Stores priority + usual...

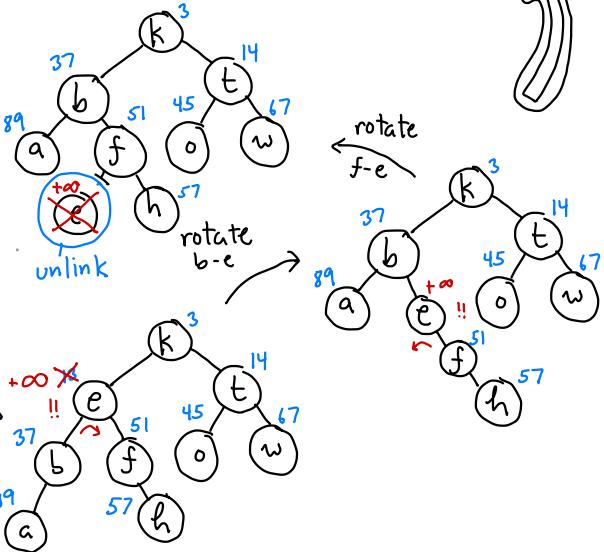
## Helpers:

lowest priority (p)

returns node of lowest priority among:

restructure:

performs rotation p.left  
(if needed) to put lowest priority node at p.



## Ideal Skip List:

- Organize list in levels

- Level 0: Everything

- 1: Every other

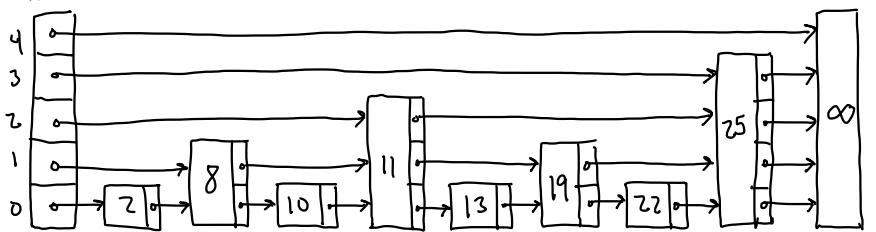
- 2: Every fourth

- $i$ : Every  $2^i$



## Example:

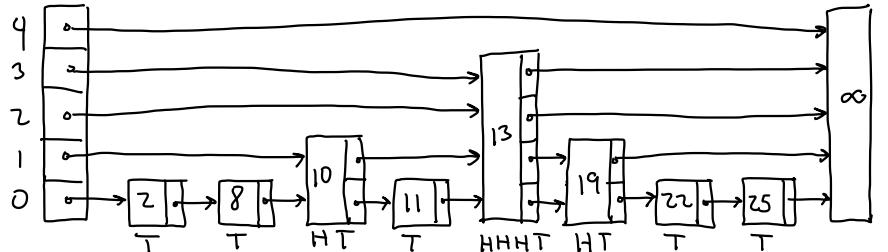
head



Too rigid  $\rightarrow$  Randomize!

To determine level - toss a coin + count no. of consec. heads:

head



## Sorted linked lists:

- Easy to code

- Easy to insert/delete

- Slow to search ...  $O(n)$

Idea: Add extra links to skip



How to generalize?

## Skip Lists I

Node Structure: (Variable sized)

class SkipNode{

Key key

Value value

SkipNode[] next

In constructor,  
set size (height)

Value find(Key x){

i = topmost Level

SkipNode p = head

while (i >= 0) {

if (p.next[i].key <= x) p = p.next[i]

else i--  $\leftarrow$  drop down a level

}  $\leftarrow$  we are at base level

if (p.key == x) return p.value  
else return null

current node  
until we hit  
base level  
advance  
horizontal

**Thm:** A skip list with  $n$  nodes has  $O(\lg n)$  levels in expectation.

**Proof:** Will show that probability of exceeding  $c \cdot \lg n$  is  $\leq 1/n^{c-1}$

→ Prob that any given node's level exceeds  $l$  is  $1/2^l$   
[ $l$  consecutive heads]

→ Prob that any of  $n$  node's level exceeds  $l$  is  $\leq n/2^l$   
[ $n$  trials with prob  $1/2^l$ ]

→ Let  $l = c \cdot \lg n$  ( $\lg \equiv \log_2$ )  
Prob that max level exceeds

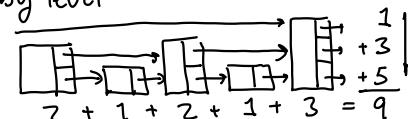
$$\begin{aligned} c \cdot \lg n \text{ is:} \\ &\leq n/2^l = n/2^{(c \cdot \lg n)} \\ &= n/(2^{\lg n})^c \\ &= n/n^c = 1/n^{c-1} \end{aligned}$$

**Obs:** Prob. level exceeds  $3 \lg n$  is  $\leq 1/n^2$ .  
(If  $n \geq 1,000$ , chances are less than 1 in million!)

## Skip Lists II

**Thm:** Total space for  $n$ -node skip list is  $O(n)$  expected.

**Proof:** Rather than count node by node, we count level by level:



- Let  $n_i$  = no. of nodes that contrib. to level  $i$ .

- Prob that node at level  $\geq i$  is  $1/2^i$

- Expected no. of nodes that contrib. to level  $i$  =  $n/2^i$   
 $\Rightarrow E(n_i) = n/2^i$

Total space (expected) is:

$$E\left(\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} n_i\right) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} E(n_i) = \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} n/2^i = n \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} 1/2^i = 2n$$

**Thm:** Expected search time is  $O(\lg n)$

**Proof:**

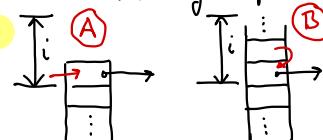
- We have seen no. levels is  $O(\lg n)$

- Will show that we visit 2 nodes per level on average

**Obs** - Whenever search arrives first time to a node, it's at top level. (Can you see why?)

**Def:**  $E(i)$  = Expect. num. nodes visited among top  $i$  levels.

**Cases:**



$$E(i) = 1 + (\text{Prob}(A))E(i) + (\text{Prob}(B))E(i-1).$$

current node ↑                                  same level ↑                                  from prior level ↑

$$\Rightarrow E(i)(1 - 1/2) = 1 + 1/2E(i-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow E(i) = [1 + 1/2E(i-1)]/2 = 2 + E(i-1)$$

$$\text{Basis: } E(0) = 0 \Rightarrow E(i) = 2 \cdot i$$

Let  $l = \max \text{ level}$ . Total visited =  $E(l)$

$\Rightarrow$  We visit 2 nodes per level on average.  $\square$

## Delete:

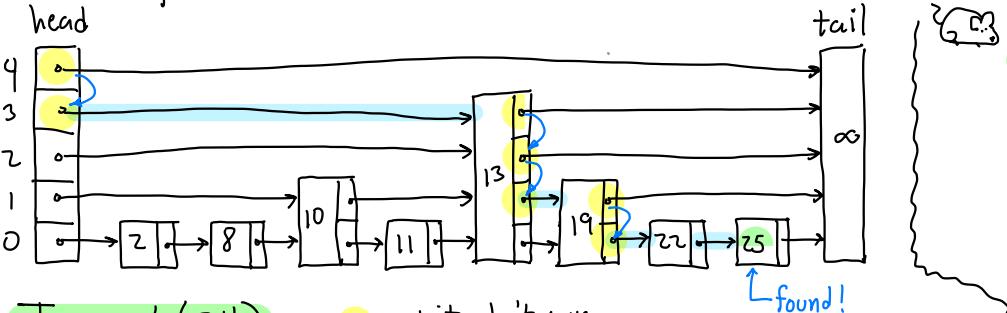
- Start at top
- Search each level saving last node  $<$  key
- On reaching node at level 0, remove it and unlink from saved pointers

## Insert: (Similar to linked lists)

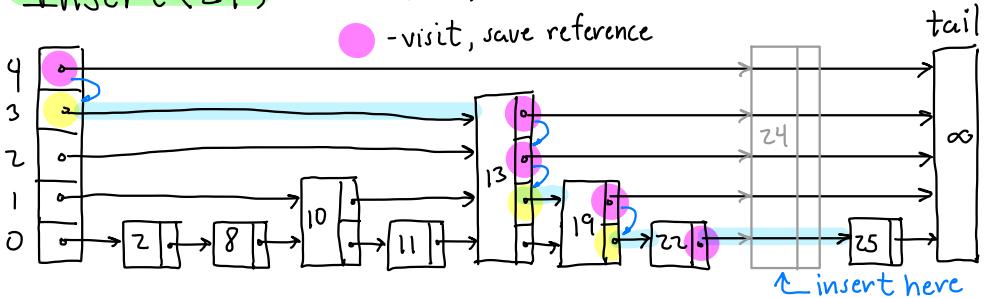
- Start at top level
- At each level:
  - Advance to last node  $\leq$  key
  - Save node + drop level
- At level 0:
  - Create new node (flip coins to determine height)
  - Link into each saved node

## Skip Lists III

### Example: find(25)

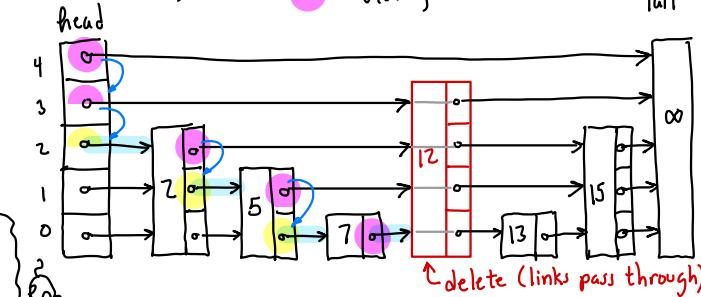


### Insert(24)



● - visit, don't save  
● - visit, save reference tail

### Delete(12)



Analysis: All operations run in time  $\sim \text{find} \Rightarrow O(\log n)$  expected

Note: Variation in running times due to randomness only - not sequence  
 $\Rightarrow$  User cannot force poor performance.

## Other/Better Criteria?

**Expected case:** Some keys more popular than others

**Self-adjusting:** Tree adapts as popularity changes

## How to design/analyze?

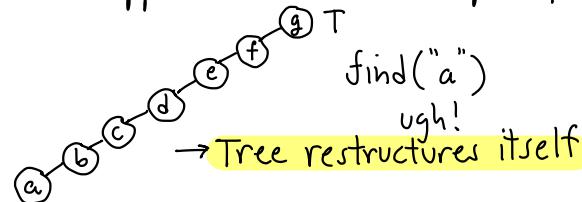
**Splay Tree:** A self-adjusting binary search tree

- No rules! (yay anarchy!)
  - No balance factors
  - No limits on tree height
  - No colors/levels/priorities

### - Amortized efficiency:

- Any single op - slow
- Long series - efficient on avg.

**Intuition:** Let  $T$  be an unbalanced BST + suppose we access its deepest key



**Recap:** Lots of search trees

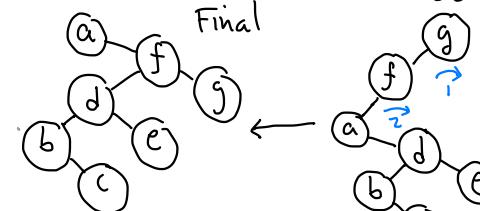
- Unbalanced BSTs
- AVL Trees
- 2-3, Red-black, AA Trees
- Treaps + Skip lists

**Focus:** Worst-case or randomized expected case

## SPLAY TREES I

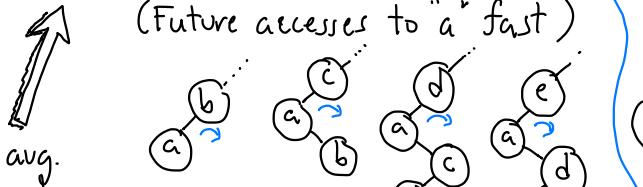
**Lesson:** Different combinations of rotations can:

- bring given node to root
- significantly change (improve) tree structure.

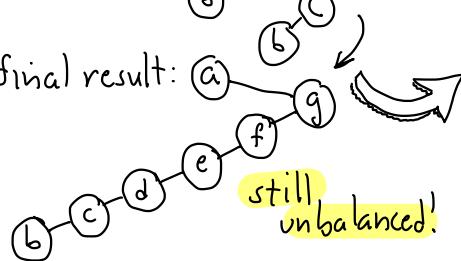


Tree's height has reduced by ~ half!

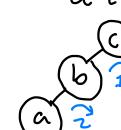
**Idea I:** Rotate "a" to top  
(Future accesses to "a" fast)



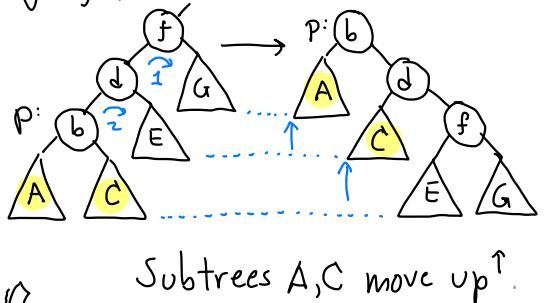
....final result:



**Idea II:** Rotate 2 at a time - upper + lower



ZigZig(p): [LL case]



Splay(Key x):

```

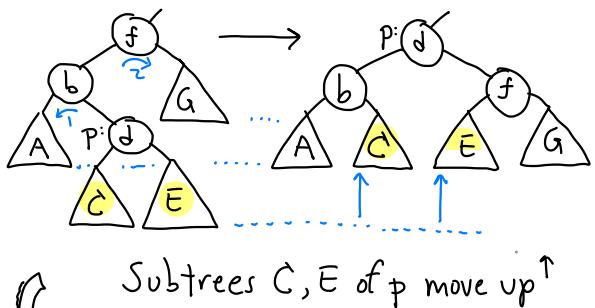
Node p ← find x by standard BST search
while (p ≠ root) {
    if (p == child of root) zig(p)
    else /* p has grand parent */
        if (p is LL or RR grand child) zigzag(p)
        else /* p is LR or RL gr. child */ zigzag(p)
    }
  
```

insert(x):

```

Node p ← splay(x)
if (p.key == x) Error!!
q ← new Node(x)
if (p.key < x)
    q.left ← p
    q.right ← p.right
    p.right ← null
else ... (symmetrical)...
root ← q
  
```

ZIG ZAG(p): [LR case]

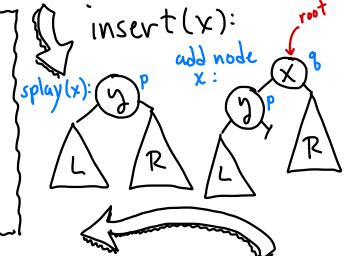


Splay Trees II

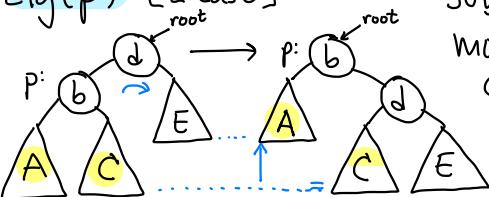
find(x):

```

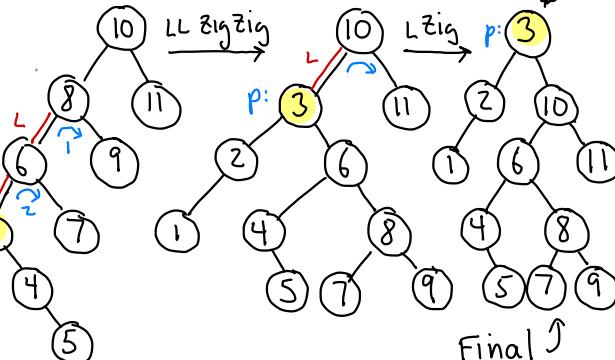
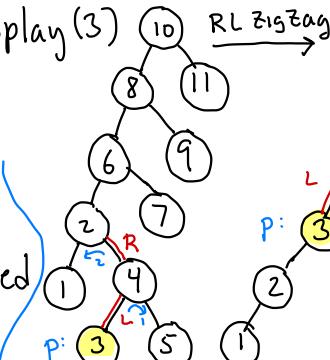
root ← splay(x)
if (root.key == x)
    return root.value
else return null
  
```

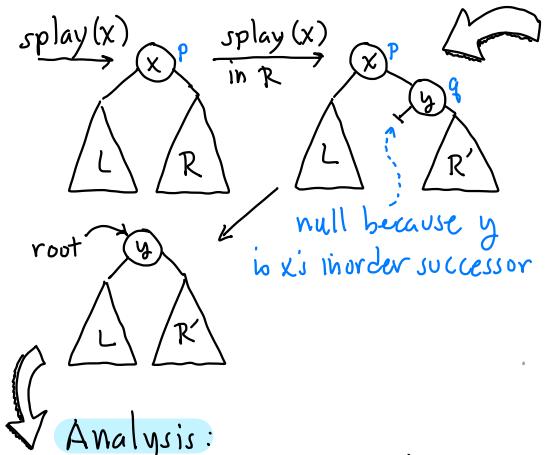


Zig(p): [L case]



Example:  
splay(3)





## Analysis :

- Amortized analysis
  - Any one op might take  $O(n)$
  - Over a long sequence, average time is  $O(\log n)$  each
  - Amortized analysis is based on a sophisticated **potential argument**
  - Potential: A function of the tree's structure
    - Balanced  $\Rightarrow$  Low potential
    - Unbalanced  $\Rightarrow$  High potential
  - Every operation tends to reduce the potential

delete( $x$ ):  
 splay( $x$ ) [ $x$  now at root]  
 $p = \text{root}$   
 if ( $p.\text{key} \neq x$ ) error!  
 splay( $x$ ) in  $p$ 's right subtree  
 $q = p.\text{right}$  [ $q$ 's key is  $x$ 's successor]  
 $q.\text{left} = p.\text{left}$  [ $q.\text{left} = \text{null}$ ]  
 $\text{root} = q$ 


**Dynamic Finger Theorem:**

Keys:  $x_1 < \dots < x_n$ . We perform accesses  $x_{i_1}, x_{i_2}, \dots, x_{i_m}$

Let  $\Delta_j = i_j - i_{j-1}$ : distance between consecutive items

Thm: Total access time is  $O(m + n \lg n + \sum_{j=1}^m (1 + \lg \Delta_j))$

## SPLAY TREES III

Splay Trees are  
Amazingly Adaptive!

Balance Theorem: Starting with an empty dictionary any sequence of  $M$  accesses takes total time  $O(M \log n + n \log n)$  where  $n = \max.$  entries at any time.

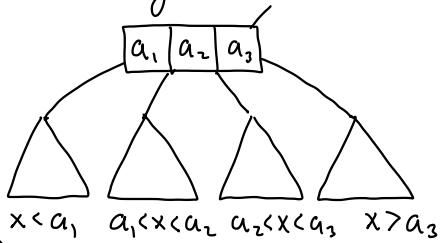
## Static Optimality:

- Suppose key  $x_i$  is accessed with prob  $p_i$ : ( $\sum_{i=1}^n p_i = 1$ )
  - Information Theory:  
Best possible binary search tree answers queries in expected time  $O(H)$  where  $H = \sum_i p_i \lg \frac{1}{p_i}$  ← Entropy

**Static Optimality Theorem:**

Given a seq. of  $m$  ops. on splay tree with keys  $x_1, \dots, x_n$ , where  $x_i$  is accessed  $q_i$  times. Let  $p_i = q_i/m$ . Then total time is  $\mathcal{O}(m \sum p_i \lg \gamma_{p_i})$

## Multiway Search Trees:



## Secondary Memory:

- Most large data structures reside on disk storage
- Organized in **blocks** - pages
- **latency**: High start-up time
- Want to minimize no. of blocks accessed

Node Structure: constant int M = ...

```

class BTree Node {
    int nChild // no. of children
    BTreeNode child[M] // children
    Key key[M-1] // keys
    Value value[M-1] // values
}
  
```

## B-Tree:

- Perhaps the most widely used search tree
- 1970 - Bayer + McCreight
- Databases
- Numerous variants

## B-Tree: of order m ( $\geq 3$ )

- Root is leaf or has  $\geq 2$  children
- Non-root nodes have  $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$  to m children [null for leaves]
- k children  $\Rightarrow$  k-1 key-values
- All leaves at same level

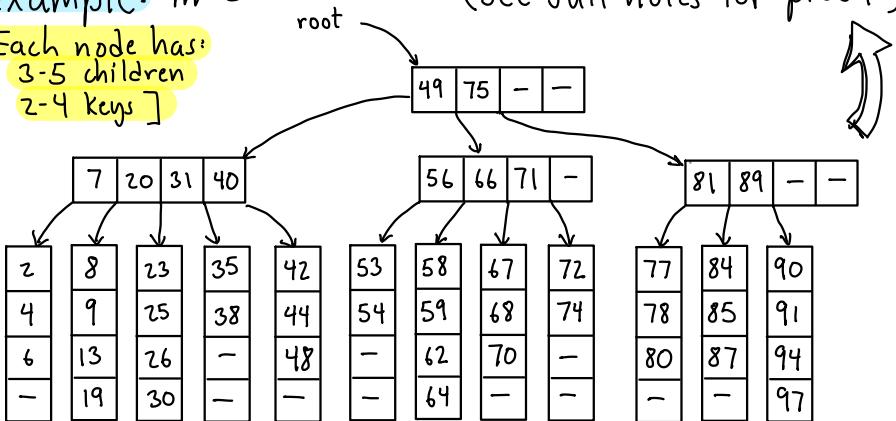
## B-Trees I

### Example: m=5

[Each node has:  
3-5 children  
2-4 keys]

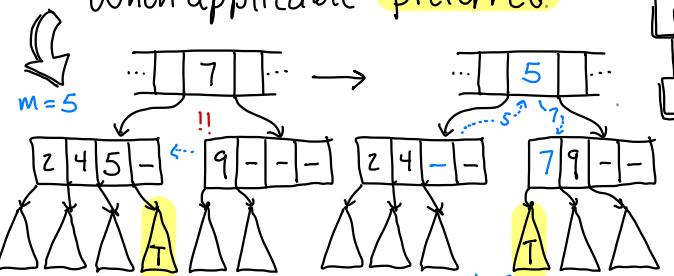
Theorem: A B-tree of order m with n keys has height at most  $(\lg n)/\gamma$ , where  $\gamma = \lg(m/2)$

(See full notes for proof)



## Key Rotation (Adoption)

- A node has **too few** children  $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil - 1$
- Does either immediate sibling have **extra?**  $\geq \lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil + 1$
- Adopt child from sibling + rotate keys
- When applicable - **preferred**



## Node Splitting:

- After insertion, a node has **too many** children ...  $m+1$
- We split into two nodes of sizes  $m' = \lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$  and  $m'' = m+1 - \lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$

**Lemma:** For all  $m \geq 2$ ,

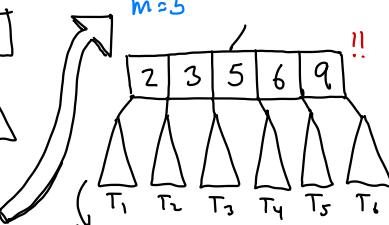
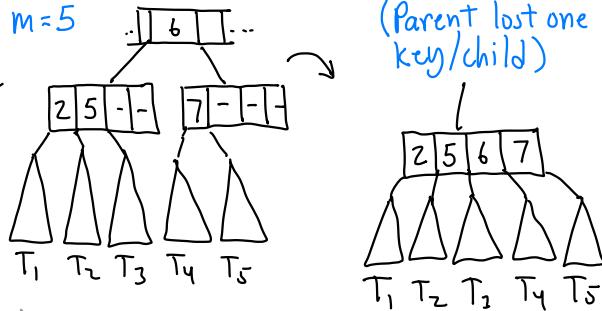
$$\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil \leq m+1 - \lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil \leq m$$

$\Rightarrow m' + m''$  are valid node sizes

## B-Tree restructuring:

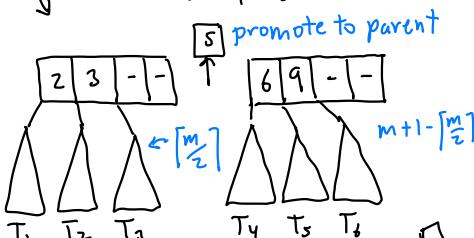
- Generalizes 2-3 restructure
- Key rotation (Adoption)
- Splitting (insertion)
- Merging (deletion)

$m=5$



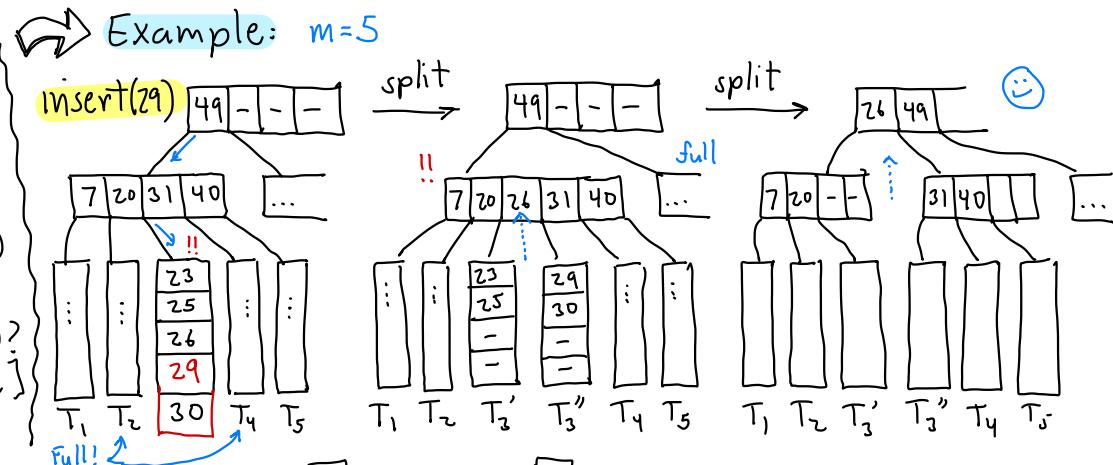
## Node Merging:

- A node has **too few** children  $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil - 1$
- Neither sibling has extra (both  $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$ )
- Merge with either sibling to produce node with  $(\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil - 1) + \lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$  child



## Insertion:

- Find insertion point (leaf level)
- Add key/value here
- If node **overfull** ( $m$  keys,  $m+1$  children)
  - Can either sibling take a child ( $< m$ )?
    - ⇒ **Key rotation** [done]
  - Else, **split**
    - Promotes key ↗
    - If root splits, add new root

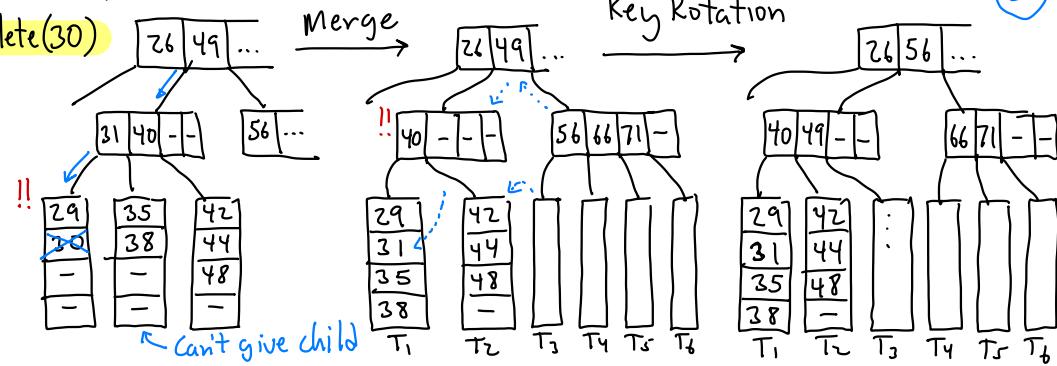


## B-Trees III

## Deletion:

- Find key to delete
- Find replacement/copy
- If **underfull** ( $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil - 1$ ) child
  - If sibling can give child
    - **Key rotation**
  - Else (sibling has  $\lceil \frac{m}{2} \rceil$ )
    - **Merge** with sibling
  - Propagates → If root has 1 child → collapse root

## Example: $m=5$



## Scapegoat Trees:

- Arne Anderson (1989)
- Galperin + Rivest (1993)  
rediscovered/extended
- Amortized analysis
  - $O(\log n)$  for dictionary ops amortized (guaranteed for find)
  - Just let things happen
  - If subtree unbalanced
    - rebuild it



## Overview:

### Insert:

- same as standard BST
- if depth too high
  - trace search path back
- find unbalanced node - **scapegoat**
- rebuild this subtree

### Find:

- Tree height  $\leq \log_{3/2} n \approx 1.71 \lg n$



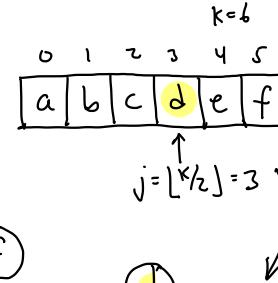
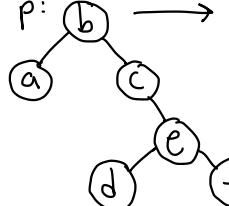
## Recap:

- Seen many search trees
- Restructure via **rotation**
- Today: Restructure via **rebuilding**
- Sometimes rotation not possible
- Better mem. usage

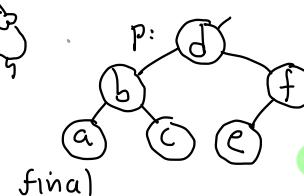


## Example:

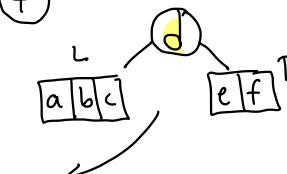
p: b →



$$j = \lfloor \frac{k}{2} \rfloor = 3$$



final



Time =  $O(k)$



## How to rebuild?

### rebuild(p):

- inorder traverse p's subtree → array A[ ]
- buildSubtree(A)

### buildSubtree(A[0..k-1]):

- if k=0 return null
- j ←  $\lfloor \frac{k}{2} \rfloor$ ; x ← A[j] median
- L ← buildSubtree(A[0..j-1])
- R ← buildSubtree(A[j+1..k-1])
- return Node(x, L, R)

### Delete:

- Same as std. BST
- If num. of deletions is large rel. to n - rebuild entire tree!

How? Maintain  $n, m \leftarrow 0$

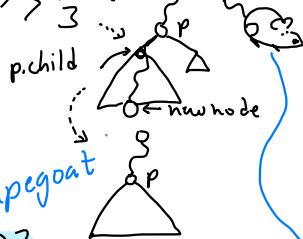
Insert:  $n++, m++$

Delete:  $n-- \dots \rightarrow$  If  $m > 2n$  rebuild



Insert: \_\_\_\_\_

- $n++$ ;  $m++$
- same as std BST but keep track of inserted node's depth  $\rightarrow d$
- if  $(d > \log_{3/2} m)$  {
  - /\* rebuild event \*/
  - trace path back to root
  - for each node  $p$  visited,  $\text{size}(p) = \text{no. of nodes in } p\text{'s subtree}$
  - if  $\text{size}(p.\text{child}) > \frac{2}{3} \text{ size}(p)$
  - $p \leftarrow \text{rebuild}(p)$
  - break



How to compute  $\text{size}(p)$ ?

- Can compute it on the fly
- While backing out, traverse "other sibling"
- Too slow? No!  
→ Charge to rebuild.

Details of Operations:

Init:  $n \leftarrow m \leftarrow 0$  root  $\leftarrow \text{null}$

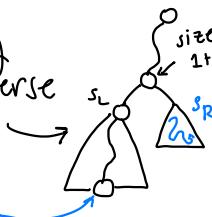
Delete:

- Same as std BST
- $n--$
- if  $m > 2n$ , rebuild(root)

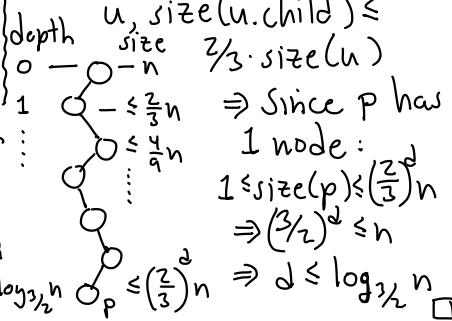
Time:  $O(n)$

Scapegoat Trees II

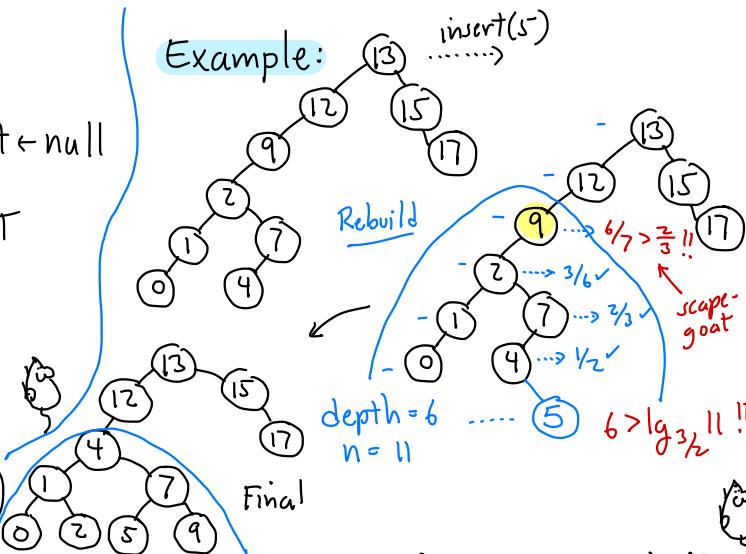
Must there be a scapegoat? Yes!



Lemma: Given a binary tree with  $n$  nodes, if  $\exists$  node  $p$  of depth  $> \log_{3/2} n$ , then  $\exists$  ancestor of  $p$  that satisfies scapegoat condition



Example: insert(5)



Proof: By contradiction

- Suppose  $p$ 's depth  $> \log_{3/2} n$  but  $\forall$  ancestors

$u, \text{size}(u.\text{child}) \leq \frac{2}{3} \cdot \text{size}(u)$

$\Rightarrow$  Since  $p$  has 1 node:  
 $1 \leq \text{size}(p) \leq (\frac{2}{3})^d$

$\Rightarrow (\frac{3}{2})^d \leq n$

$\Rightarrow d \leq \log_{3/2} n \quad \square$

# Scapegoat Trees

III

**Theorem:** Starting with an empty tree,  
any sequence of  $m$  dictionary operations  
on a scapegoat tree take time  
 $O(m \log m)$  [Amortized:  $O(\log m)$ ]

**Proof:** (Sketch)

**Find:**  $O(\log n)$  guaranteed [Height =  $O(\log n)$ ]

**Delete:** In order to induce a rebuild,  
number of deletes  $\sim$  number of  
nodes in tree

→ Amortize rebuild time against  
delete ops

**Insert:** Based on potential argument

→ It takes  $\sim k$  ops to cause a  
subtree of size  $k$  to be unbalanced.

→ Charge rebuild time to these  
operations

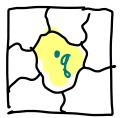
## Geometric Search:

- Nearest neighbors

- Range searching



- Point Location



- Intersection Search



## So far: 1-dimensional keys

- Multi-dimensional data

- Applications:

- Spatial databases + maps

- Robotics + Auton. Systems

- Vision / Graphics / Games

- Machine Learning

- ...

## Partition Trees:

- Tree structure based on hierarchical space partition

- Each node is associated w. a region - **cell**

- Each internal node stores a **splitter** - subdivides the cell



- External nodes store pts.

## Multi-Dim vs. 1-dim Search?

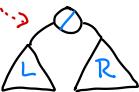
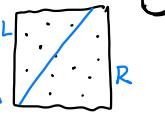
### Similarities:

- Tree structure

- Balance  $O(\log n)$

- Internal nodes - split

- External nodes - data



### Representations:

- **Scalars**: Real numbers for coordinates, etc.

float

- **Points**:  $p = (p_1, \dots, p_d)$  in real  $d$ -dim space  $\mathbb{R}^d$

- **Other geom objects**: Built from these

### Differences:

- No (natural) total order

- Need other ways to discriminate + separate

- Tree rotation may not be meaningful



**Point**: A  $d$ -vector in  $\mathbb{R}^d$

$$p = (p_1, \dots, p_d) \quad p_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

```
class Point {
```

    float[] coord // coords

    Point(int d)

        ...> coord = new float[d]

    int getDim() ...> coord.length

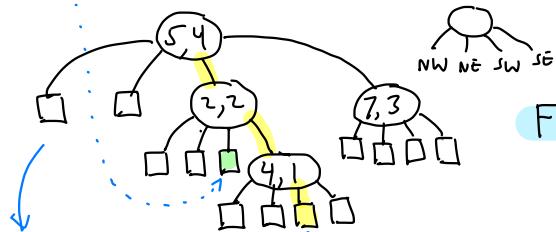
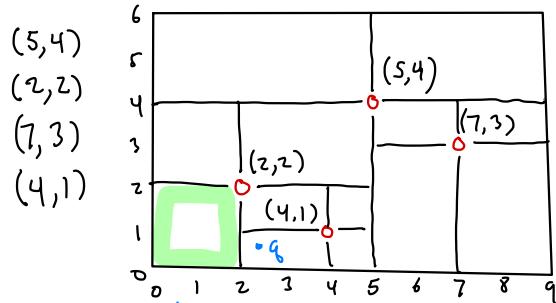
    float get(int i) ...> coord[i]

    ....others: equality, distance

    toString...

## Point Quadtree:

- Each internal node stores a point
- Cell is split by horiz. + vertic. lines through point



Each external node corresponds to cell of final subdivision

## Quadtrees: (abstractly)

- Partition trees
- Cell: Axis-parallel rectangle [AABB - Axis-aligned bounding box]
- Splitter: Subdivides cell into four (gently 2<sup>d</sup>) subcells

Quadtrees & kd-Trees II

## Find/Pt Location:

Given a query point  $q$ , is it in tree, and if not which leaf cell contains it?

→ Follow path from root down (generalizing BST find)

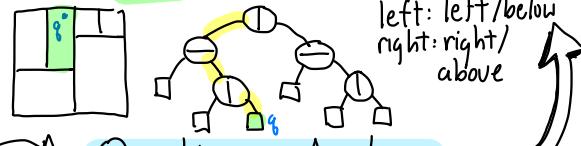
## History: Bentley 1975

- called it 2-d tree ( $\mathbb{R}^2$ )
- 3-d tree ( $\mathbb{R}^3$ )
- In short kd-tree (any dim)
- Where/which direction to split?  
→ next

## kd-Tree: Binary variant of quadtree

- splitter: Horiz. or vertic. line in 2-d (orthogonal plane cut.)

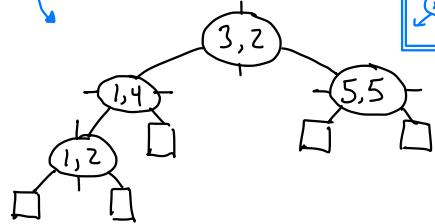
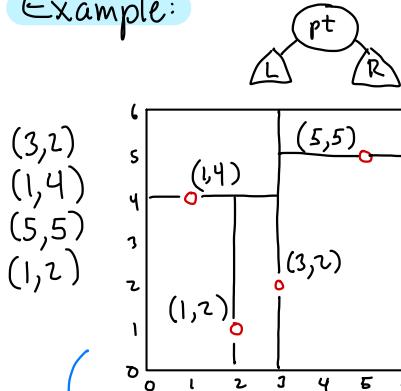
- cell: Still AABB
- left: left/below  
right: right/above



## Quadtrees - Analysis

- Numerous variants!  
PR, PMR, QR, QX, ... see Samet's book
- Popular in 2-d apps (in 3-d, octtrees)
- Don't scale to high dim  
- out degree =  $2^d$
- What to do for higher dims?

Example:



How do we choose cutting dim?

- Standard kd-tree: cycle through them (e.g.  $d=3: 1,2,3,1,2,3\dots$ ) based on tree depth

- Optimized kd-tree: (Bentley) Based on widest dimension of pts in cell.

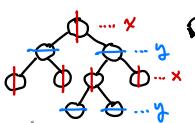
Kd-Tree Node:

class KDNode {

Point pt // splitting point  
int cutDim // cutting coordinate  
KDNode left // low side  
KDNode right // high side

vertical cut  
horizontal cut  
 $x,y$        $x,y$

Quadtrees &  
Kd-Trees III



Find point  $q$  in subtree

rooted at  $p$  with cutDim  $cd$ :

- if  $q == p.\text{point} \Rightarrow$  found!
- if  $q[cd] < p.\text{point}[cd] \Rightarrow$  left
- if  $q[cd] \geq p.\text{point}[cd] \Rightarrow$  right

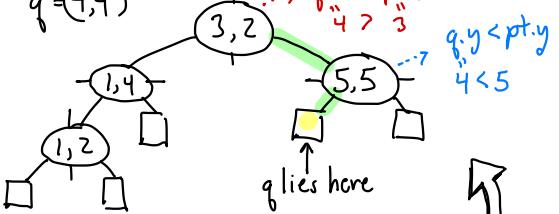
Helper:

class KDNode {

boolean onLeft(Point q)  
{return q[cutDim] < pt[cutDim]}

Example:  $\text{find}(q) \xrightarrow{\text{calls}} \text{find}(q, \text{root})$

$q = (4,4)$



Analysis: Find runs in time  $O(h)$ , where  $h$  is height of tree.

Theorem: If pts are inserted in random order, expected height is  $O(\log n)$

Value  $\text{find}(\text{Point } q, \text{KDNode } p)$

if ( $p == \text{null}$ ) return null;  
else if ( $q == p.\text{pt}$ )  $\xrightarrow{\text{all coords match?}}$

return  $p.\text{value}$

else if ( $p.\text{onLeft}(q)$ )  $\xrightarrow{q}$   
return  $\text{find}(q, p.\text{left})$

else  $\xrightarrow{i}$   
return  $\text{find}(q, p.\text{right})$

```

KDNode insert (Point pt,
    KDNode p, int cd) {
    if (p == null) // fell out?
        p = new KDNode(pt, cd)
        // new leaf node
    else if (p.point == pt)
        Error! Duplicate key
    else if (p.onLeft(pt))
        p.left = insert(pt, p.left, (cd+1)%dim)
    else
        p.right = insert(pt, p.right,
            (cd+1)%dim)
    return p
}

```

**Kd-Tree Insertion:**  
(Similar to std. BSTs)

- Descend tree until
- find pt → Error - duplicate
- falling out (Although we draw extended trees, let's assume standard trees)
- create new node
- set cutting dim

**Quadtrees & kd-Trees IV**

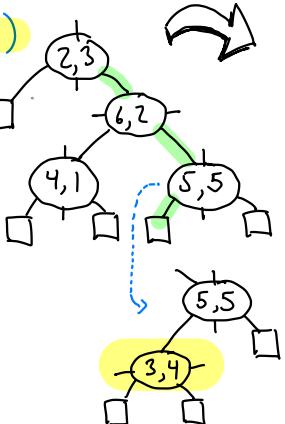
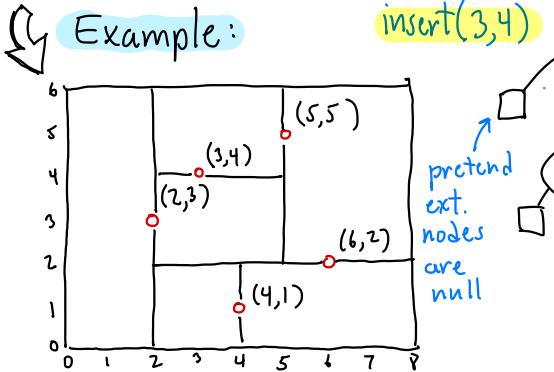
**Deletion:**

- Descend path to leaf
- If found:
  - leaf node → just remove
  - internal node
- find replacement
- copy here
- recur. delete replacement

This is the hardest part.  
See Latex notes.

### Rebalance by Rebuilding:

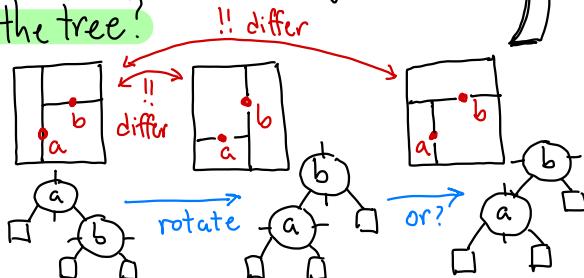
- Rebuild subtrees as with scapegoat trees
- $O(\log n)$  amortized
- Find:  $O(\log n)$  guaranteed.

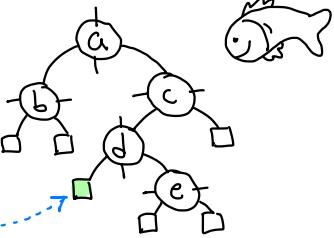
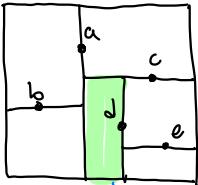


**Analysis:**  
Run time:  $O(h)$

(Can we balance the tree?)

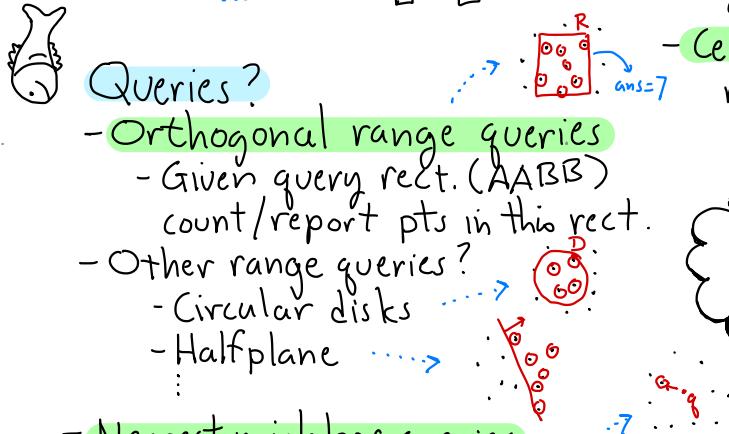
- Rotation does not make sense !!





kd-Trees:

- Partition trees
- Orthogonal split → vert [L|R]
- Alternate cutting → horz [R|L]
- Cells are axis-aligned rectangles (AABB)

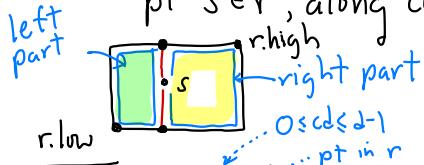


This Lecture:  $\mathcal{O}(\sqrt{n})$  time alg for orthog. range counting queries in  $\mathbb{R}^2$

→ General  $\mathbb{R}^d$ :  $\mathcal{O}(n^{1-\frac{1}{d}})$

Rectangle methods for kd-cells:

- Split a cell  $r$  by a split pt  $s \in r$ , along cutdim  $cd$



$r.leftPart(cd, s)$

→ returns rect with  $low = r.low + high = r.high$  but  $high[cd] \leftarrow s[cd]$

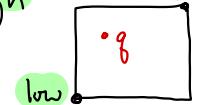
$r.rightPart(cd, s)$

→  $high = r.high + low = r.low$  but  $low[cd] \leftarrow s[cd]$

Kd-Tree Queries I

Axis-Aligned Rect in  $\mathbb{R}^d$

- Defined by two pts:  $low, high$



- Contains pt  $q \in \mathbb{R}^d$  iff  $low_i \leq q_i \leq high_i$   $i \in \{1, \dots, d\}$

Useful methods:

Let  $r, c - \text{Rectangle}$   
 $q - \text{Point}$



$r.contains(q)$



$r.contains(c)$

$r.isDisjointFrom(c)$



## Orthog. Range Query



- Assume: Each node p stores:
  - p.pt: splitting point
  - p.cutDim: cutting dim
  - p.size: no. of pts in p's subtree
- Tree stores ptr. to root and bounding box for all pts.
- Recursive helper stores current node p + p's cell.

## class Rectangle {

private Point low, high

public Rect (Point l, Point h)

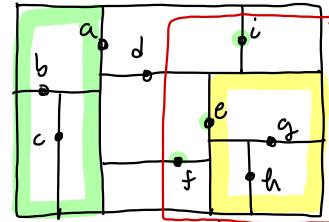
- " boolean contains (Point q)

- " boolean contains (Rect c)

- " Rect leftPart (int cd, Point s)

- " Rect rightPart (" " " ")

}



R

Final answer  
= 1+1+1+2  
= 5

## Cases:

- p == null → fell out of tree → 0
- Query rect is disjoint from p's cell
  - return 0
  - no point of p contributes to answer
- Query rect contains p's cell
  - return p.size
  - every point of p's subtree contributes to answer.
- Otherwise:
  - Rect. + cell overlap both children
  - Recurse on

## Kd-Tree Queries

II



Disjoint

Contained  
in R + g.size = +2



## int rangeCount (Rect R, KDNode p, Rect cell)

```

if (p == null) return 0 // fell out of tree
else if (R.isDisjointFrom (cell)) return 0 // no overlap
else if (R.contains (cell)) return p.size // take all
else {
    int ct = 0
    if (R.contains (p.pt)) ct++ // p's pt in range
    ct += rangeCount (R, p.left,
                      cell.leftPart (p.cutDim, p.pt))
    ct += rangeCount (R, p.right, cell.rightPart...)
```

Theorem: Given a balanced kd-tree storing  $n$  pts in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  (using alternating cut dim), orthog. range queries can be answered in  $O(\sqrt{n})$  time.



→ Slower than  $\log n$ . Faster than  $n$



Stabbing: 3 cases

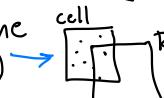
- cell is disjoint (easy)



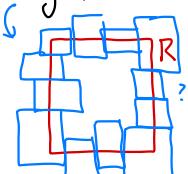
- cell is contained (easy)



- cell partially overlaps or is stabbed by the query range (hard!)



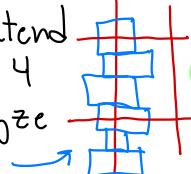
How many cells are stabbed by  $R$ ? (worst case)



Simpler: Extend

$R$ 's sides to 4

lines + analyze each one.



Analysis: How efficient is our algorithm?

→ Tricky to analyze

→ At some nodes we recurse on both children  
⇒  $O(n)$  time?

→ At some we don't recurse at all!

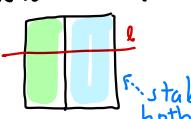


### Kd-Tree Queries III



Lemma: Given a kd-tree (as in Thm above) and horiz. or vert. line  $l$ , at most  $O(\sqrt{n})$  cells can be stabbed by  $l$

Proof: w.l.o.g.  $l$  is horiz.  
Cases:  $p$  splits vertically  
 $p$  stab both



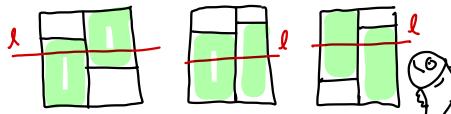
$$\text{For us: } a=2, b=4, d=0 \Rightarrow T(n) = n^{\log_4 2} = n^{1/2} = \sqrt{n}$$

Since tree is balanced a child has half the pts + grandchild has quarter.

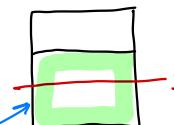
Recurrence:  $T(n) = 2 + 2T(n/4)$

2 cells stabbed  
Recurse on 2 grand children  
Each has  $n/4$  pts

If we consider 2 consecutive levels of kd-tree,  $l$  stabs at most 2 of 4 cells:



$p$  splits horizontally  
 $l$  stabs only one



## Hashing: (Unordered) dictionary

- stores key-value pairs in array table  $[0..m-1]$
- supports basic dict. ops. (insert, delete, find) in  $O(1)$  expected time
- does not support ordered ops (getMin, findUp, ...)
- simple, practical, widely used

## Overview:

- To store  $n$  keys, our table should (ideally) be a bit larger (e.g.,  $m \geq c \cdot n$ ,  $c=1.25$ )
- Load factor:  
 $\lambda = n/m$
- Running times increase as  $\lambda \rightarrow 1$
- Hash function:  
 $h: \text{Keys} \rightarrow [0..m-1]$   
→ Should scatter keys random.  
→ Need to handle collisions

## Recap: So far, ordered dicts.

- insert, delete, find
  - Comparison-based:  $<, ==, >$
  - getMin, getMax, getK, findUp...
  - Query/Update time:  $O(\log n)$   
→ Worst-case, amortized, random.
- Can we do better?  $O(1)$ ?



## Universal Hashing:

Even better → randomize!

- Let  $H$  be a family of hash fns
- Select  $h \in H$  randomly
- If  $x \neq y$  then  $\text{Prob}(h(x) = h(y)) = 1/m$

E.g. Let  $p$  - large prime,  $a \in [1..p-1]$   
 $b \in [0..p-1]$  all random

$$h_{a,b}(x) = ((ax + b) \bmod p) \bmod m$$

## Why "mod p mod m"?

- modding by a large prime scatters keys
- $m$  may not be prime (e.g. power of 2)

Assume keys can be interpreted as ints

## Common Examples:

- Division hash:  
 $h(x) = x \bmod m$
- Multiplicative hash:  
 $h(x) = (ax \bmod p) \bmod m$   
 $a, p$  - large prime numbers
- Linear hash:  
 $h(x) = ((ax + b) \bmod p) \bmod m$   
 $a, b, p$  - large primes

E.g. Java variable names:



table:  
 $x \neq y$   
but  
 $h(x) = h(y)$

## Overview:

- Separate Chaining
  - Open Addressing:
    - Linear probing
    - Quadratic probing
    - Double hashing
- simple/slow      complex/fast

## Separate Chaining:

$\text{table}[i]$  is head of linked list of keys that hash to  $i$ .

## Example:

table	
Keys ( $x$ )	$h(x)$
d	1
z	4
p	7
w	0
t	4
f	0
m=8	

## Collision Resolution:

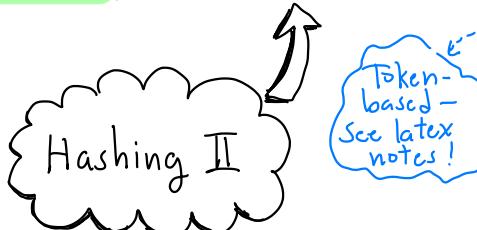
If there were no collisions, hashing would be trivial!

$\text{insert}(x, v) \rightarrow \text{table}[h(x)] = v$   
 $\text{find}(x) \rightarrow \text{return } \text{table}[h(x)]$   
 $\text{delete}(x) \rightarrow \text{table}[h(x)] = \text{null}$

If  $\lambda < \lambda_{\min}$  or  $\lambda > \lambda_{\max}$ ? Rehash!

- Alloc. new table size =  $n/\lambda_0$
- Compute new hash fn  $h$
- Copy each  $x, v$  from old to new using  $h$
- Delete old table

Thm: Amortized time for rehashing is  $1 + (2\lambda_{\max}/(\lambda_{\max} - \lambda_{\min}))$



How to control  $\lambda$ ?

**Rehashing:** If table is too dense / too sparse, realloc. to new table of ideal size

**Designer:**  $\lambda_{\min}, \lambda_{\max}$  - allowed  $\lambda$  values

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{\lambda_{\min} + \lambda_{\max}}{2}$$

"ideal"

If  $\lambda < \lambda_{\min}$  or  $\lambda > \lambda_{\max}$  ...

**Analysis:** Recall load factor

$$\lambda = n/m \quad n = \# \text{ of keys}$$

$m = \text{table size}$

**Proof:** On avg. each list has  $n/m = \lambda$   
 success: 1 for head + half the list  
 unsuccessful: 1 " " + all the list

## Open Addressing:

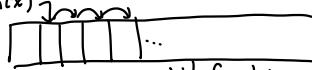
- Special entry ("empty") means this slot is unoccupied
- Assume  $\lambda \leq 1$
- To insert key:  
check:  $h(x)$  if not empty try  
 $h(x) + i_1$   
 $h(x) + i_2$   
 $h(x) + i_3$

$\langle i_1, i_2, i_3, \dots \rangle$  - Probe sequence

- What's the best probe sequence?

## Linear Probing:

$h(x), h(x)+1, h(x)+2, \dots$



until finding first available

Simple, but is it good?

$x: d, z, p, w, t$

$h(x): 0, 2, 2, 0, 1$

$t$  did not collide directly but had to probe 3 times!

table	$d$	$w$	$z$	$p$	$t$	$\square$	$\square$
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6 ...

## Collision Resolution: (cont.)

- Separate chaining is efficient, but uses extra space (nodes, pointers, ...)
- Can we just use the table itself?

## Open Addressing

## Hashing III

## Analysis:

Let  $S_{LP}$  = expected time for successful search

$U_{LP}$  = " " unsuccessful "

$$\text{Thm: } S_{LP} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{1-\lambda} \right)$$

$$U_{LP} = \frac{1}{2} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{1-\lambda} \right)^2$$

Obs: As  $\lambda \rightarrow 1$  times increase rapidly

Analysis: Improves secondary clustering

- May fail to find empty entry  
(Try  $m=4$ .  $j^2 \bmod 4 = 0 \text{ or } 1$  but not  $2 \text{ or } 3$ )

- How bad is it? It will succeed  
 $\Leftrightarrow$  if  $\lambda < \frac{1}{2}$ .

Thm: If quad. probing used +  $m$  is prime, then the first  $\lfloor m/2 \rfloor$  probe locations are distinct.

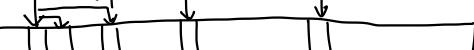
Pf: See latex notes.

## Clustering

- Clusters form when keys are hashed to nearby locations
- Spread them out!

## Quadratic Probing:

$h(x), h(x)+1, h(x)+4, h(x)+9, \dots$

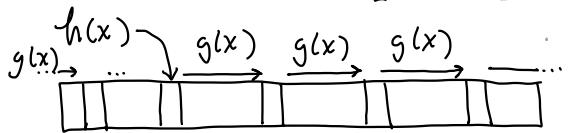


wrap around  
(if  $j \geq m$ )

## Double Hashing:

(Best of the open-addressing methods)

- Probe sequence det'd by second 'hash fn. -  $g(x)$ )
- $h(x) + \{0, g(x), 2g(x), 3g(x) \dots\} \pmod m$



(until finding an empty slot)

Why does bust up clusters?  
Even if  $h(x) = h(y)$  [collision]

it is very unlikely that

$$g(x) = g(y)$$

$\Rightarrow$  Probe sequences are entirely different!

Analysis: Defs:

$S_{DH}$  = Expected search time of doub. hash. if successful

$U_{DH}$  = Exp. if unsuccessful

Recall: Load factor  $\lambda = n/m$

## Recap:

### Separate Chaining:

Fastest but uses extra space (linked list)

### Open Addressing:

Linear probing: } clustering  
Quadratic probing:



Thm:  $S_{DH} = \frac{1}{\lambda} \ln(\frac{1}{1-\lambda})$   
 $U_{DH} = 1/(1-\lambda)$

→ Proof is nontrivial (skip)

$\lambda$ :	0.5	.075	0.95	0.99
$U_{DH}$ :	2	4	20	100
$S_{DH}$ :	1.39	1.89	3.15	4.65

Very efficient!

### Delete( $x$ ): Apply find( $x$ )

→ Not found  $\Rightarrow$  error

→ Found  $\Rightarrow$  set to "empty"

Problem:  $h(a) \rightarrow \text{empty}$  "deleted"

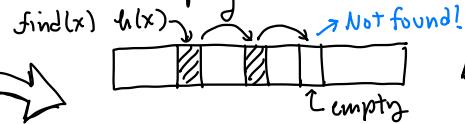
insert( $a$ ):

delete( $a$ ):

find( $a$ ):  $h(a)$

Find( $x$ ): Visit entries on probe sequence until:

- found  $x \Rightarrow$  return  $v$
- hit empty  $\Rightarrow$  return null



### Dictionary Operations:

Insert( $x, v$ ): Apply probe sequence until finding first empty slot.

- Insert( $x, v$ ) here.

(If  $x$  found along the way  $\Rightarrow$  duplicate key error!)

Is this right??

## Range Tree Applications:

- Range trees can be applied to a variety of query problems

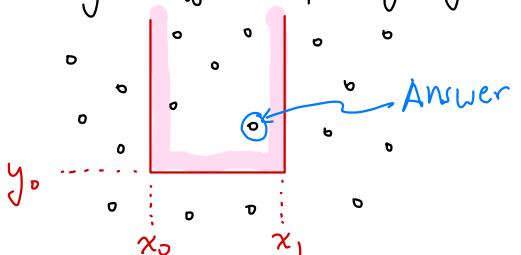
### - Methods:

- Minimization/Maximization
- Transform coordinates
- Adding new coordinates

## Minimization/Maximization -

### 3-Sided Min Query

Given a set  $P$  of  $n$  pts in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , a query consists of  $x$ -interval  $[x_0, x_1]$  and  $y$  value  $y_0$ . Return the lowest pt in 3-sided region  $x_0 \leq x \leq x_1$ ,  $y \geq y_0$ .



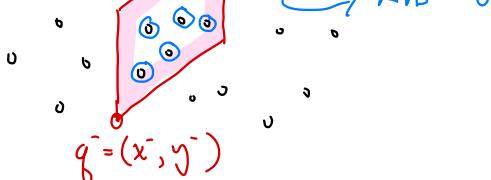
## Transforming coordinates:

### Skewed rectangle query:

Given a set  $P$  of  $n$  pts in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , a skewed rectangle is given by 2 pts  $q^- = (x^-, y^-)$  and  $q^+ = (x^+, y^+)$  and consists of pts in parallelogram with two vertical sides and two with slope  $+1$  & corners at  $q^- + q^+$

$$q^+ = (x^+, y^+)$$

$$q^- + q^+ = Ans = 6$$

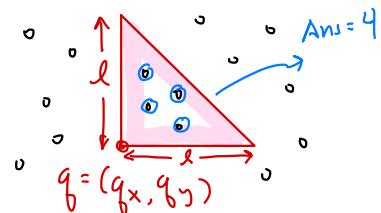


Return a count of the number of pts of  $P$  inside the skewed rectangle.

## Adding New Coordinates:

### NE Right Triangle Query

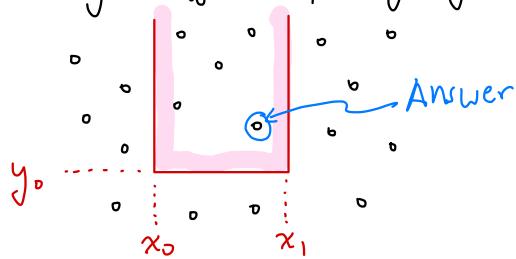
Given a set  $P$  of  $n$  pts in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  and scalar  $l > 0$ , a NE triangle is a 45-45 right triangle with lower left corner at  $q$  and side length  $l$ .



Return a count of the number of pts of  $P$  lying within the triangle.

### 3-Sided Min Query

Return lowest in region  
region  $x_0 \leq x \leq x_1$ , +  $y \geq y_0$



### Data structure:

- Build a range tree for  $x$
- Aux. trees are range trees for  $y$  that support `findLarger`

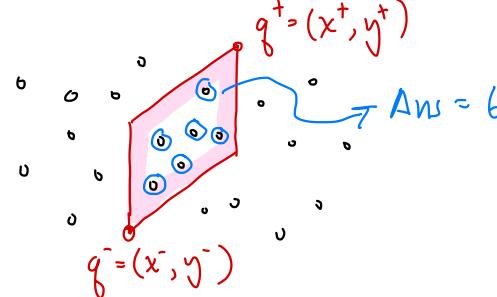
### Query processing:

- Do 1D range search in main tree for interval  $[x_0, x_1]$
- For each maximal subtree in range, do `findLarger( $y_0$ )`
- Return smallest of these.

### Analysis:

- Same as 2D range tree
- Space:  $O(n \log n)$  Time:  $O(\log^2 n)$

### Skewed rectangle query:



Transform coordinates to  
make orthog range query

$$\begin{aligned} & q_x^- \leq p_x \leq q_x^+ \\ & \text{Line equation: } y = x + (q_y^- - q_x^-) \\ & p_x^+ (q_y^- - q_x^-) \leq p_y \leq p_x^+ (q_y^+ - q_x^+) \\ & \Leftrightarrow q_y^- - q_x^- \leq p_y - p_x \leq q_y^+ - q_x^+ \end{aligned}$$

Map each  $p = (p_x, p_y) \in P$   
to  $p' = (p'_x, p'_y) \triangleq (p_x, p_y - p_x)$

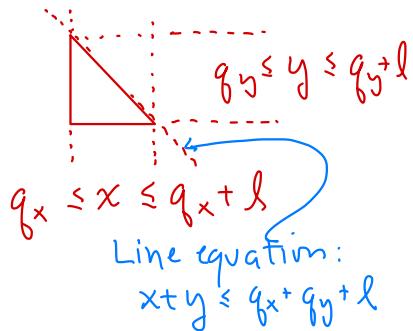
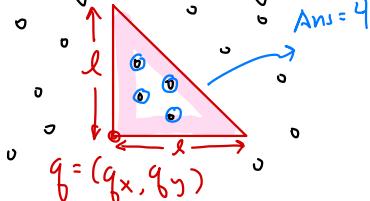
Let  $P'$  be resulting set.

} Build std. range tree for  $P'$ . Return ans. to query

$$q_x^- \leq x \leq q_x^+$$

$$q_y^- - q_x^- \leq y \leq q_y^+ - q_x^+$$

## NE Right Triangle Query



- Add new coord:

$$z = x + y$$

- Map pts:

$$p = (p_x, p_y) \rightarrow p' = (p_x, p_y, p_x + p_y)$$

- Let  $P'$  be resulting set

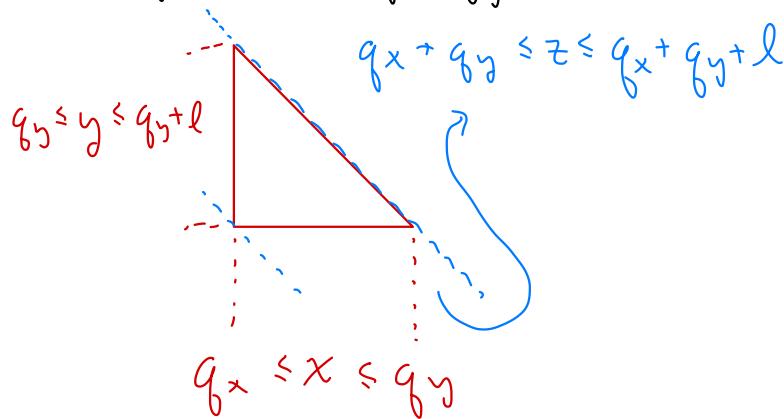
## Build a 3D range tree on $P'$

NE triangle query becomes:

$$q_x \leq x \leq q_x + l$$

$$q_y \leq y \leq q_y + l$$

$$q_x + q_y \leq z \leq q_x + q_y + l$$



Space:

$$\mathcal{O}(n \log^2 n)$$

Query time:

$$\mathcal{O}(\log^3 n)$$

Can we do better?

### Range Trees:

- Space is  $O(n \log^{d-1} n)$

- Query time:

Counting:  $O(\log^d n)$

Reporting:  $O(k + \log^d n)$

→ In  $\mathbb{R}^2$ :  $\log^2 n$  much better than  $\sqrt{n}$  for large  $n$

→ Range trees are more limited



### Recap:

- **kd-Tree**: General-purpose data structure for pts in  $\mathbb{R}^d$

- **Orthogonal range query**: Count/report pts in axis-aligned rect.



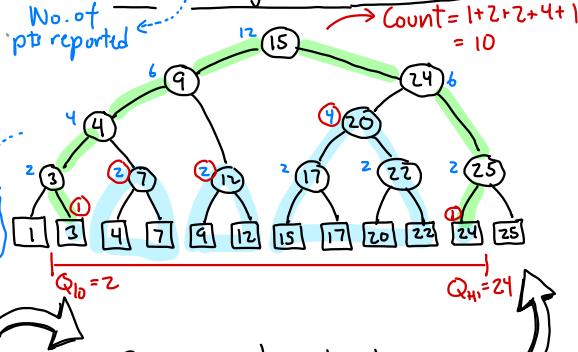
- **kd-Tree**: Counting:  $O(\sqrt{n})$  time  
Report:  $O(k + \sqrt{n})$  time

No. of pts reported



Call this a **1-D Range Tree**:

**Claim:** A 1-D range tree with  $n$  pts has space  $O(n)$  and answers 1-D range count/rept queries in time  $O(\log n)$  (or  $O(k + \log n)$ )



### Layering: Combining search structures

- Suppose you want to answer a composite query w. multiple criteria:

- Medical data: Count subjects

Age range:  $a_{lo} \leq \text{age} \leq a_{hi}$

Weight range:  $w_{lo} \leq \text{weight} \leq w_{hi}$

- Design a data structure for each criterion individually

- Layer these structures together to answer full query

→ Multi-Layer Data Structures



### 1-Dim Range Tree:



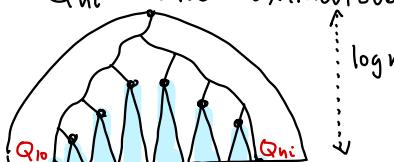
### Approach:

- Balanced BST (e.g. AVL, RB,..)
- Assume extended tree
- Each node  $p$  stores no. of entries in subtree:  $p.size$

### Canonical Subsets:

- **Goal**: Express answer as disjoint union of subsets

- **Method**: Search for  $Q_{lo}$  +  $Q_{hi}$  + take maximal subtrees



log

Recursive helper:

```
int range1Dx(Node p,
```

Intv Q = [Q<sub>lo</sub>, Q<sub>hi</sub>], Intv C = [x<sub>0</sub>, x<sub>1</sub>])

initial call: range1Dx(root, Q, C<sub>0</sub>)

Cases:

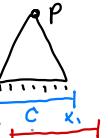
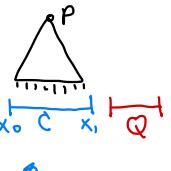
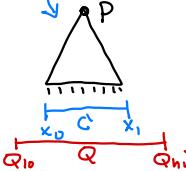
p is external:

- if p.pt.x ∈ Q → 1 else → 0

p is internal:

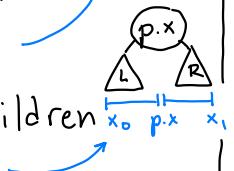
- C ⊆ Q ⇒ all of p's pts lie within query

→ return p.size



- C is disjoint from Q ⇒ none of p's pts lie in Q  
→ return 0

- Else partial overlap  
→ Recurse on p's children + trim the cell



More details:

Given a 1-D range tree T:

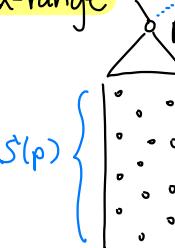
- Let Q = [Q<sub>lo</sub>, Q<sub>hi</sub>] be query interval

- For each node p, define interval cell C = [x<sub>0</sub>, x<sub>1</sub>] s.t. all pts of p's subtree lie in C

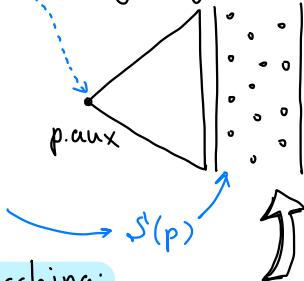
- Root cell: C<sub>0</sub> = [-∞, +∞]

Range Trees II

x-range:



y-range



2-D Range Searching:

- "Layer" a range tree for x with range tree for y

- For each node p ∈ 1D-x tree, let S(p) = set of pts in p's subtree

- Def: p.aux: A 1D-y tree for S(p)

Analysis:

```
int range1Dx(Node p,  
Intv Q, Intv C = [x0, x1]) {  
    if(p is external) → 1  
    return p.pt.x ∈ Q → 0  
    else if (C ⊆ Q) return p.size  
    else if (Q+C disjoint) return 0  
    else return:  
        range1Dx(p.left, Q, [x0, p.x])  
        + range1Dx(p.right, Q, [p.x, x1])
```

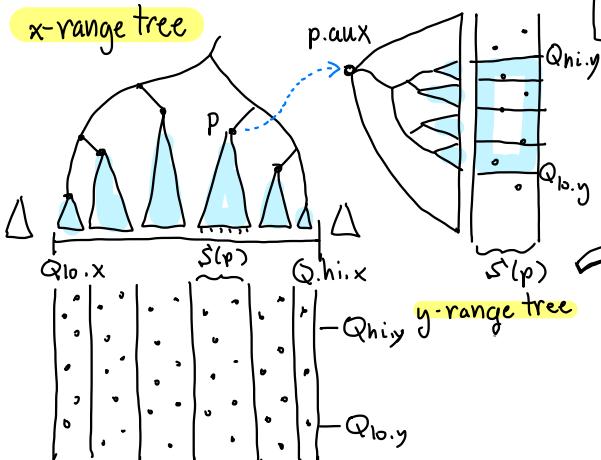
Lemma: Given a 1-D range tree with n pts, given any interval Q, can compute O(log n) subtrees whose union is answer to query.

Thm: Given 1-D range tree...  
can answer range queries in time O(log n) ..... → (+k to report)

## Answering Queries?

Given query range  $Q = [Q_{lo,x}, Q_{hi,x}] \times [Q_{lo,y}, Q_{hi,y}]$

- Run range1D<sub>x</sub> to find all subtrees that contribute
- For each such node p,
  - run range1D<sub>y</sub> on p.aux
- Return sum of all result



Intuition: The x-layer finds subtrees p contained in x-range + each aux tree filters based on y.

## 2D Range Tree:

- Construct 1D range tree based on x coords for all pts
- For each node p:
  - Let  $S(p)$  be pts of pi tree
  - Build 1D range tree for  $S(p)$  based on  $y \rightarrow p.aux$
- Final structure is union of x-tree + (n-1) y-trees

## Higher Dimensions?

- In d-dim space, we create d-layers
- Each recurses one dim lower until we reach 1-d search
- Time is the product:
 
$$\underbrace{\log n \cdot \log n \cdots \log n}_{d} = O(\log^d n)$$

Analysis: The 1D x search takes of  $O(\log n)$  time + generates  $O(\log n)$  calls to 1D y search  
 $\Rightarrow$  Total:  $O(\log n \cdot \log n) = O(\log^2 n)$

```
int range2D(Node p, Rect Q, Intrv C=[x0, x1]) {
```

```
    if (p is external) return p.pt ∈ Q? 1 : 0
    else if (Q.x contains C) { // C ⊆ Q; x-projection
        [y0, y1] = [-∞, +∞] // init y-cell
        return range1Dy(p.aux, Q, [y0, y1])
    } else if (Q.x is disjoint of C) return 0
    else // partial x-overlap
        return range2D(p.left, Q, [x0, p.x])
            + range2D(p.right, Q, [p.x, x1])
    }
```

Analysis:

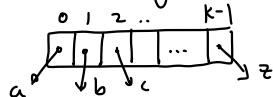
Invoked  $O(\log n)$  times - once per maximal subtree

Invoked  $O(\log n)$  times - once for each ancestor of max subtree

## Tries: History

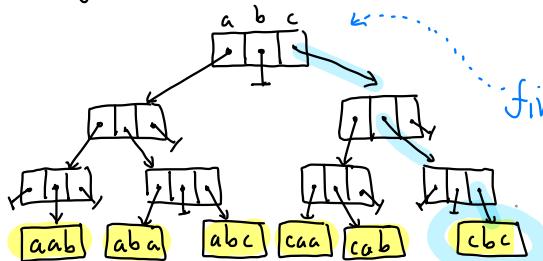
- de la Briandais (1959)
- Fredkin - "trie" from "retrieval"
- Pronounced like "try"

## Node: Multiway of order k

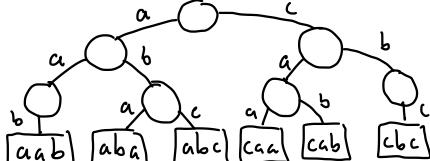


Example:  $\Sigma = \{a=0, b=1, c=2\}$

Keys: {aab, aba, abc, caa, cab, cbc}



## Same structure/Alt. Drawing



Large!

- Space  $\sim k \cdot (\text{no. of nodes})$

## Space:

- No. of nodes  $\sim$  total no. of chars in all strings

- Space  $\sim k \cdot (\text{no. of nodes})$

## Digital Search:

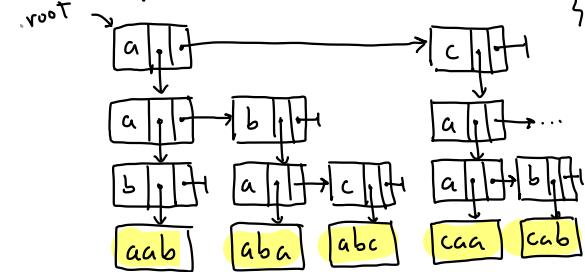
- Keys are strings over some alphabet  $\Sigma$
- E.g.  $\Sigma = \{a, b, c, \dots\}$
- $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$  Let  $k = |\Sigma|$
- Assume chars coded as ints:  $a=0, b=1, \dots, z=k-1$

## Tries and Digital Search Trees I

## Analysis:

- Space: Smaller by factor k
- Search Time: Larger by factor of k

## Example:



## How to save space?

### de la Briandais trees:

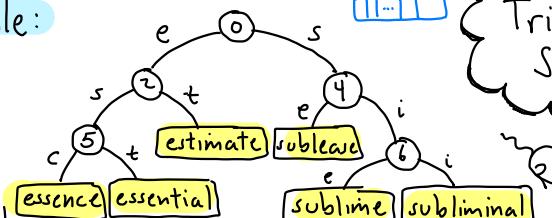
- Store 1 char. per node
- $x \mid \rightarrow \neq x \Rightarrow$  try next char in  $\Sigma$
- $= x \Rightarrow$  advance to next character of search string
- First-child/next-sibling

## Patricia Tries:

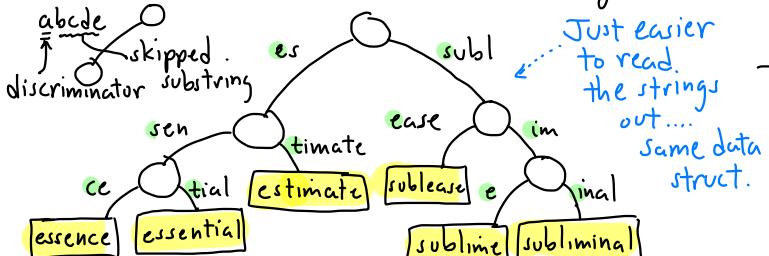
- Improves trie by compressing degenerate paths
- PATRICIA = Practical Alg. to Retrieve Info. Coded in Alpha...
- Late 1960's: Morrison & Gwachberger
- Each node has index field, indicates which char to check next (Increase with depth)

### Example:

essence  
essential  
estimate  
sublease  
sublime  
subliminal



## Same data structure - Drawn differently



## Dealing with long Paths:

- To get both good space & query time efficiency, need to avoid long, degenerate paths.

### Path compression!

Branch based  
on  $i^{\text{th}}$  char  
of string

## Tries and Digital Search Trees II

## Example:

ID	$S_0$ : ajam...
$S_1$	aj
$S_2$	pajam...
$S_3$	paj
$S_4$	apaja...
$S_5$	ap
$S_6$	mapaj...
$S_7$	map
$S_8$	ama\$
$S_9$	ama\$
$S_{10}$	ama\$p
$S_1$	amapaj...
$S_2$	amap
$S_3$	pamapa...
$S_4$	pam

## Example: $S = \text{pamapajama\$}$

Def: Substring identifier for  $S_i$  is shortest prefix of  $S$  unique to this string  
E.g.  $\text{ID}(S_1) = \text{"amap"}$   
 $\text{ID}(S_7) = \text{"ama\$"}$

## Suffix Trees:

- Given single large text  $S$
- Substring queries: "How many occurrences of "tree" in CMSC 420 notes"

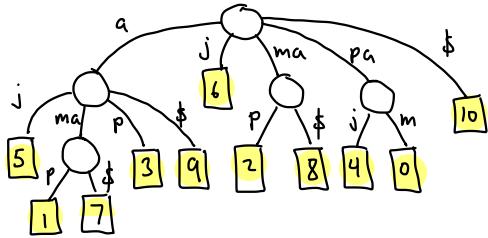
## Notation: $S = a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}, \$$

- Suffix:  $S_i = a_i, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_{n-1}, \$$  (special terminal)
- Q: What is minimum substring needed to identify suffix  $S_i$ ?

## Analysis:

- Query time: (Same as std trie)  $\sim$  search string length (may be less)
- Space:
  - No. nodes:  $\sim$  No. of strings (irresp. of length)
  - Total space:  $K \cdot (\text{No. of nodes}) + (\text{Storage for strings})$

Example:  $S = \text{pamapajama\$}$



E.g.  $ID(S_1) = \text{amap}$   $ID(S_7) = \text{ama\$}$ .

### Substring Queries:

How many occurrences of  $t$  in text?

- Search for target string  $t$  in trie
- if we end in internal node  
(or midway on edge) - return no. of extern. nodes in this subtree
- else (fall out at extern. node)
  - compare target with string
  - if matches - found 1 occurrence
  - else - no occurrences

### Example:

$\text{Search("ama")} \rightarrow$  End at intern node  $\text{ama}$

Report: 2 occ's.

$\text{Search("amapaj")} \rightarrow$  End at extern node  $\text{amap}$

Goto  $S_1$  + verify

### Suffix Trees (cont.)

$S$  - text string  $|S| = n$

$S_i = i^{\text{th}}$  suffix

Substring ID = min substr. needed to identify  $S_i$

A **suffix tree** is a Patricia trie of the  $n+1$  substring identifiers

### Tries and Digital Search Trees III

#### Analysis:

- **Space:**  $O(n)$  nodes  
 $O(n \cdot k)$  total space  
( $k = |\Sigma| = O(1)$ )

- **Search time:**  $n$  total length of target string

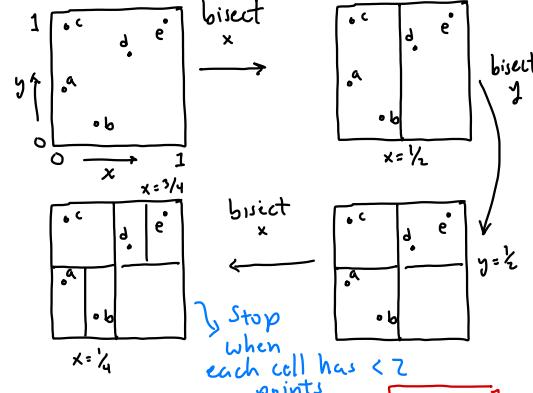
- **Construction time:**  
 $-O(n \cdot k)$  [nontrivial]

**PR k-d tree:** Can be used for answering same queries as point kd-tree (orth. range, near. neigh)

### Geometric Applications:

**PR kd-Tree:** kd-tree based on midpoint subdivision

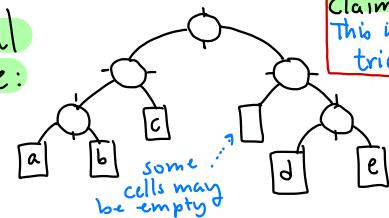
Assume points lie in unit square



Stop when each cell has < 2 points

Claim:  
This is a trie!

#### Final tree:



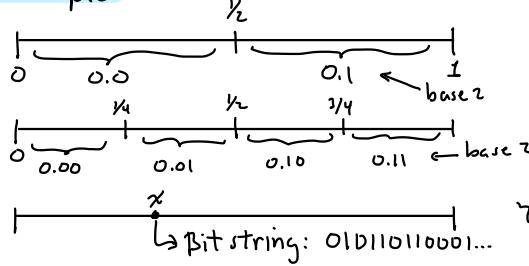
## Binary Encoding:

- Assume our points are scaled to lie in unit square  $0 \leq x, y \leq 1$  (can always be done)
- Represent each coordinate as binary fraction:

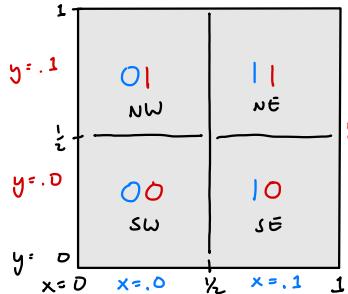
$$x = 0.a_1 a_2 a_3 \dots \quad a_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$x = \sum a_i \cdot \frac{1}{2^i}$$

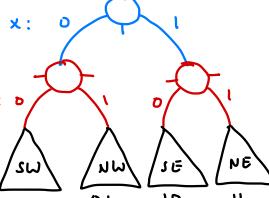
Example:



How do we extend to 2-D?



PR kd-tree



## Bit Interleaving:

Given a point  $p = (x, y)$

$$0 \leq x, y \leq 1$$

let:  $x = 0.a_1 a_2 \dots$  in binary

$$y = 0.b_1 b_2 \dots$$

Define:

$$\phi(x, y) = a_1, b_1, a_2 b_2, a_3 b_3, \dots$$

Called Morton Code of  $p$

## PR kd-Tree = Trie ??

- Approach: Show how to map any point in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  to bit string
- Store bit strings in a trie (alphabet  $\Sigma = \{0, 1\}$ )
- Prove that this trie has same structure as kd-tree



## Further Remarks:

- Techniques for efficiently encoding, building, serializing, compressing... tries apply immediately to PR kd-tree
- Can generalize to any dimension

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 0.a_1 a_2 \dots \\ y &= 0.b_1 b_2 \dots \\ z &= 0.c_1 c_2 \dots \end{aligned} \quad \left. \begin{aligned} \phi &= a_1 b_1 c_1 a_2 b_2 c_2 \dots \\ \psi &= \dots \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Lemma: Given a pt set  $P \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$  (in unit square  $[0, 1]^2$ ) let

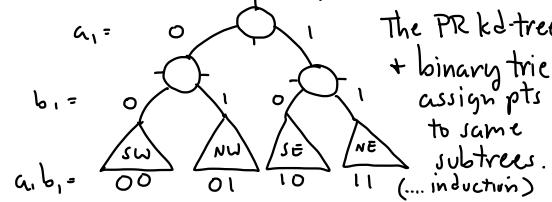
$$P = \{p_1, \dots, p_n\} \text{ where } p_i = (x_i, y_i)$$

Let  $\Phi(P) = \{\phi(p_1), \phi(p_2), \dots, \phi(p_n)\}$  (n binary strings)

Then the PR kd-tree for  $P$  is equivalent to binary trie for  $\Phi(P)$ .

Proof: By induction on no. of bits

Let  $x = 0.a_1 a_2 \dots$   $y = 0.b_1 b_2 \dots$  and consider just  $\phi(x, y) = a_1, b_1, \dots$



## Deallocation Models:

**Explicit:** (C + C++)

- programmer deletes
- may result in **leaks**, if not careful

**Implicit:** (Java, Python)

- runtime system deletes
- **Garbage collection**
- Slower runtime
- Better memory compaction

## What happens when you do

- new (Java)
- malloc / free (C)
- new / delete (C++) ?

## Runtime System Mem. Mgr.

- Stack - local vars, recursion
- Heap - for "new" objects

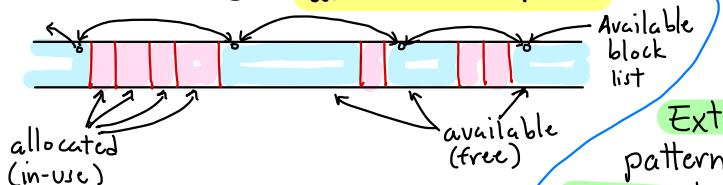
Don't confuse with heap data structure / heapsort

## Memory Management I

### Explicit Allocation/Deallocation

- Heap memory is split into **blocks** whenever requests made
- **Available blocks**:

- Merged when contiguous
- stored in **available block list**



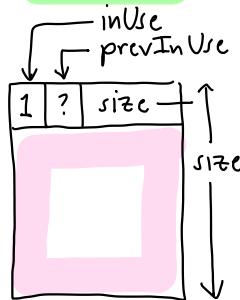
## Fragmentation:

- Results from repeated allocation + deallocation (Swiss-cheese effect)

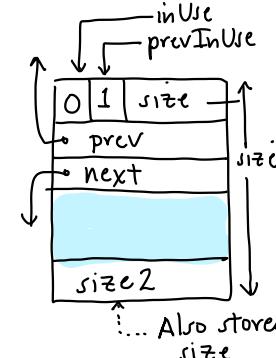
**External:** Caused by pattern of alloc/dealloc  
**Internal:** Induced by mem. manage. policies (not user)

## Block Structure:

**Allocated:**



**Available:**



## Guide:

**prevInUse:** 1 if prev. contig. block is allocated

**prev/next:** links in avail. list

**size/size2:** total block size (includes headers)

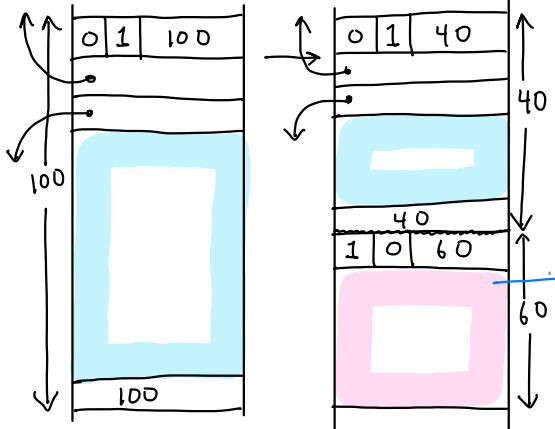
## How to select from available blocks?

**First-fit:** Take first block from avail. list that is large enough

**Best fit:** Find closest fit from avail list

**Surprise:** First-fit is usually better  
- faster + avoids small fragments

Example: Alloc b=59



Allocation: malloc(b)

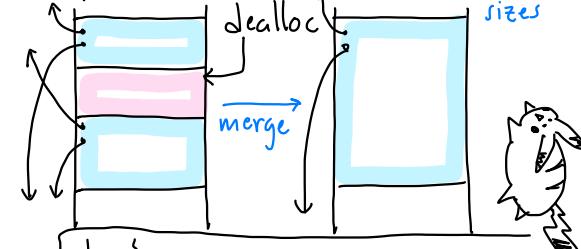
- Search avail. list for block of size  $b' \geq b+1$
- If  $b'$  close to  $b$ : alloc entire block (unlink from avail list)
- Else: split block

Memory Management  
II

Deallocation:

- If prev + next contiguous blocks are allocated  $\rightarrow$  add this to avail
- Else - merge with either/both to make max. avail block

Example:



Some C-style pointer notation

void\* - pointer to generic word of memory

Let p be of type void\*:

$p+10$  - 10 words beyond p

$*(p+10)$  - contents of this

Let p point to head of block:

$p.inUse$ ,  $p.prevInUse$ ,  $p.size$

- we omit bit manipulation

$*(p+p.size-1)$  - references last word in this block

(void\*) alloc (int b) {

$b+=1$  // add +1 for header

p = search avail list for block

size  $\geq b$

if (p == null) Error- Out of mem!

if (p.size - b < TOO\_SMALL)

unlink p from avail. list

$q = p$

else .... (continued)

$p.size -= b$  // remove allocation  
 $*(p+p.size-1) = p.size$  // size 2  
 $q = p + p.size$  // start of new block  
 $q.size = b$  } // new block  
 $q.prevInUse = 0$  } // header

$q.inUse = 1$

$(q+q.size).prevInUse = 1$

// update prevInUse for next contig. block

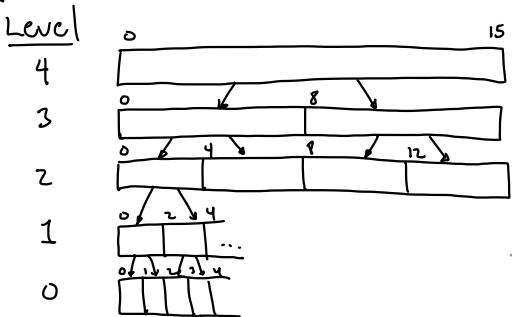
return q+1 // skip over header

## Buddy System:

- Block sizes (including headers) are power of 2
- Requests are rounded up (internal fragmentation)
- Block size  $2^k$  starts at address that is multiple of  $2^k$
- $k = \text{level}$  of a block



## Structure:



**In practice:** There is a minimum allowed block size

**Buddy system** only allows allocations aligning with these blocks

## Coping with External Fragmentation

- Unstructured allocation can result in severe **external fragmentation**
- Can we **compress**? Problem of pointers
- By adding more **structure** we can reduce extern frag. at cost of internal frag.

## Memory Management III

### Merging:

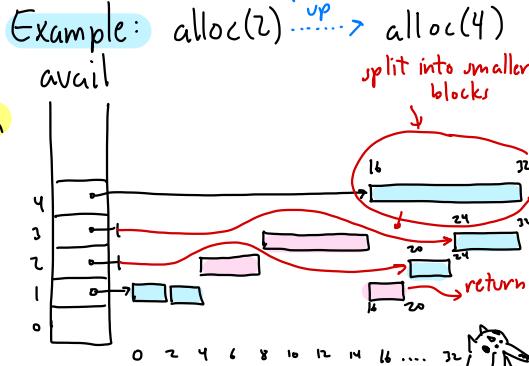
- When two adjacent blocks are available, we don't always merge them

→ Must have same size:  $2^k$

→ Must be **buddies** - siblings in this tree structure

$$\text{Def: } \text{buddy}_k(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2^k & \text{if } 2^{k+1} \text{ divides } x \\ x - 2^k & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$= \text{buddy}_k(x) = (1 \ll k) \oplus x \quad [\text{Bit manipulation}]$$



## Allocation: alloc(b)

- $k = \lceil \lg(b+1) \rceil$  → add 1 for header
- if  $\text{avail}[k]$  non empty - return entry + delete
- else: find  $\text{avail}[j] \neq \emptyset$  for  $j > k$  - split this block



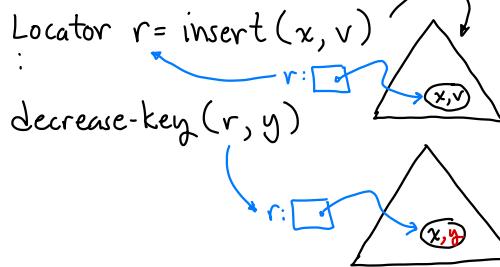
## Big Picture:

- Avail list is organized by level:  $\text{avail}[k]$
- Block header structure same as before except:  $\text{prevInUse}$  { not needed  $\text{size}_2$  }

## Decrease-Key:

- Given an entry  $(x, v)$ , decrease the key value from  $x$  to  $y$ .
- How to identify the entry?
  - Heaps do not support an efficient way to find keys

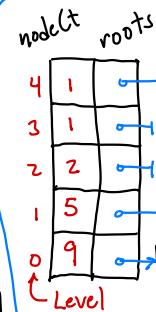
**Locator:** A special (abstract) object that identifies an entry of the heap.



- Why not just return a pointer to node  $(x, v)$ ? Private information
- Locator is a public object (e.g. an inner class of the Heap)
- How about increase-key?
  - Heaps are very asymmetrical w.r.t. keys

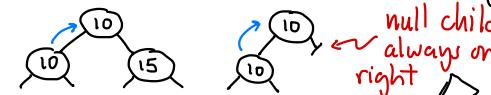
## Heap: Review

- A data structure storing key-value pairs
- Supports (at a minimum)
  - $\text{insert}(\text{Key } x, \text{Value } v)$
  - $\text{extract-min}()$
- Example: Binary heap used in Heapsort



## Quake Heap:

- Collection of binary trees
- Nodes organized in levels
- All entries are leaves at level 0
- Internal nodes have 1 or 2 children
- Parent stores smaller of child keys



## Why decrease-key?

- Dijkstra's algorithm
- Heap tracks distances to vertices from source
- $n$  extract-mins
- upto  $n^2$  decrease-keys
- Want decrease key fast!

## History:

1984: Fibonacci Heaps

(Fredman + Tarjan)

: many variants

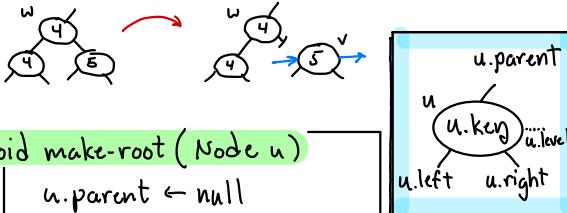
Complex to analyze

2013: Quake Heap

(Timothy Chan)

Much simpler

`cut(Node w)`: Assuming w has right child - cuts it off as new root



`Node trivial-tree (Key x)`

```

Node u <- new Node key x + level 0
nodeCt[0] += 1
make-root(u)
return u
  
```

`Node link (Node u, Node v)`

```

int lev <- u.level + 1 (= v.level + 1)
if (u.key ≤ v.key)
    w <- new Node (u.key, lev, u, v) ← left child
    w <- new Node (v.key, lev, v, w) ← right child
else w <- new Node (v.key, lev, v, u)
nodeCt[lev] += 1
w.parent <- v.parent <- w
return w
  
```

Basic utilities:

`make-root (Node u)`: Make u a root

`trivial-tree (Key x)`: Create 1-node tree with key x

`link (Node u, Node v)`: Link u + v

- u+v roots on same level



Quake Heaps II

- Utility ops
- Insert
- Decrease-key

`void cut (Node w)`

```

Node v <- w.right
if (v ≠ null)
    w.right <- null
    make-root(v)
  
```

We'll apply these utilities to implement operations

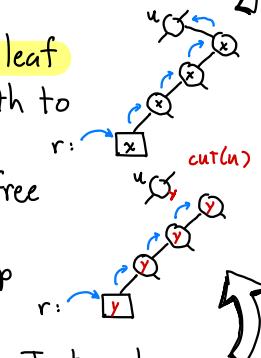
`void decrease-key (Locator r, Key y)`

```

Node u <- r.get Node() // get leaf node
Node u.child <- null
do {
    u.key <- y // update key value
    u.child <- u; u <- u.parent // go up
} while (u ≠ null & u.child == u.left)
if (u ≠ null) cut(u) // cut subtree
  
```

Decrease Key:

- Use locator to access leaf
- Follow left-child path to highest ancestor
- `Cut (u)`: Now we are free to change key
- In code, we'll change up order of ops



Insert: Super lazy! Just make a single node tree

`Locator insert (Key x)`

```

Node u <- new trivial-tree(x)
return new Locator(x)
  
```

## Extract-Min:

- Find the root with smallest key (brute force)

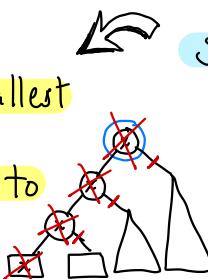
- Delete all nodes down to leaf - many trees

- Merge trees together

- Work bottom-up

- Merge 2 trees at level k to form tree at lev k+1

- Too "stringy"? → Flatten QUAKE!



## So far:

- insert + decrease-key - lazy!

- Don't worry about

- tree balance

- number of roots

- insert -  $O(1)$  time

- dec-key -  $O(\log n)$  [later:  $O(1)$ ]

## Quake:

```
for (k=0,1,2,...,nLevels-2) {
    if (nodeCt[k+1] > 0.75 * nodeCt[k])
        - remove all nodes at level k+1
          and higher
        - make all nodes at level k roots
```

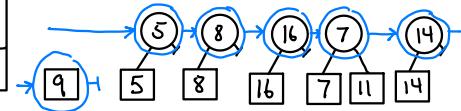
Quake Heap III  
- Extract Min

Intuition: Tree becomes "stringy" after many extractions.

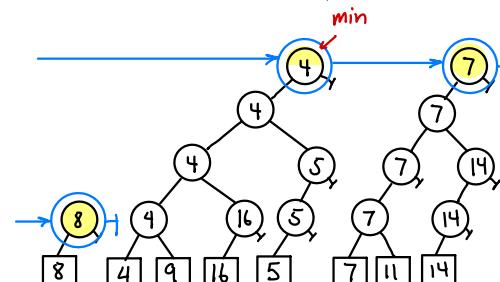
- This is evidenced by the fact that node counts do not decrease
- When this happens - we flatten so we can build up later

finally, return 4

0
0
0
5
7



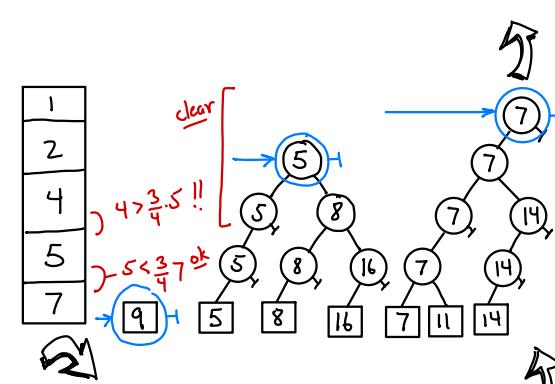
## Extract Min Example:



1
2
4
5
7

clear  
4 >  $\frac{3}{4} \cdot 5$  !!

5 <  $\frac{3}{4} \cdot 7$  !!



## Key extract-min()

```

Node u ← find root (all levels)
with smallest key
Key result ← u.key
delete-left-path(u)
remove u from roots[u.level]
merge-trees()
quake()
return result

```

## Extract-min: Recap

- find root with min key
- delete left-chain to leaf
- merge trees
- quake (if needed)
- return result

## void delete-left-path(u)

```

while (u ≠ null)
    cut(u)
    nodeCt[u.level] -= 1
    u ← u.left

```

## void merge-trees()

```

for (lev ← 0..nLevels - 2)
    while (roots[lev].size ≥ 2)
        Node u, v ← remove any 2
        from roots[lev]
        make-root(link(u, v))

```

## Quake Heaps IV

- Extract min (cont)
- Faster decrease key

## void quake()

```

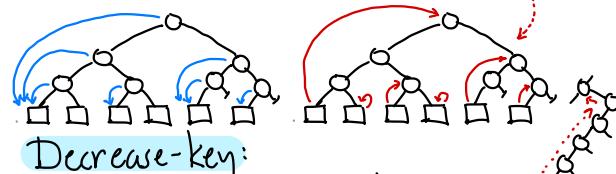
for (lev ← 0..nLevels - 2)
    if (nodeCt[lev + 1] >  $\frac{3}{4} \cdot \text{nodeCt}[lev]$ )
        clear-all-above(lev)

```

Clear-all-above (lev) removes all nodes in levels  $\text{lev} + 1 \dots \text{nLevels} - 1$  and makes nodes of lev into roots

## Faster Decrease-key:

- Each node stores pointer to leaf with key (only one change)
- Each leaf stores highest left chain ancestor (path trace  $O(1)$  time)



## Decrease-key:

- Locate leaf node -  $O(1)$
- Trace path up left-child links
- Cut  $O(1)$
- Change key  $O(\text{height}) = O(\log n)$

## Times:

Insert -  $O(1)$

Decrease-key

-  $O(\log n)$

Extract-min

- ??

will show  
 $O(\log n)$   
amortized

Can we do  
 $O(1)$ ?

## Amortized Analysis:

- Can show that extract-min runs in  $O(\log n)$  amortized time
- Given any sequence of ops (starting from empty heap) time to do m ops (insert, dec-key, extract-min) is  $O(m \cdot \log n)$   
 $n = \max \text{ no. of keys}$

## Potential-Based Analysis:

- Each instance of the data structure assigned a potential  $\Psi$
- Low potential  $\Rightarrow$  good structure
- High potential  $\Rightarrow$  bad structure

## Why is Quake Heap efficient?

- insert:  $O(1)$  worst case 😊
- decrease-key:  $O(1)$  worst case (assuming enhancements)
- extract-min: As bad as  $O(n)$  [no. of roots] 😢

Quake Heaps V  
 - Analysis  
 (Quick + Dirty)

## Intuition:

- Extract min actual cost is high  $\Rightarrow$
- Tree height  $> O(\log n)$ 
    - Quake will flatten
  - Many more roots than  $O(\log n)$ 
    - Merge trees will reduce no. to  $O(\log n)$

Potential decrease compensates for high actual cost

**Lemma:** Amortized cost of  
 insert/dec-key =  $O(1)$   
 extract-min =  $O(\log n)$

## Quake Heap Potential:

Let  $N = \text{no. of nodes}$   
 $R = \text{no. of roots}$   
 $B = \text{no. of nodes with 1 child (bad nodes)}$

**Idea:** The amortized cost of an operation defined to be  $(\text{actual-cost}) + (\text{change in } \Psi)$

**Intuition:** Expensive ops okay if they improve structure  
 $\text{actual} = \text{high}$   $\Delta \Psi = \text{negative}$

$$\Psi = N + 2R + 4B$$

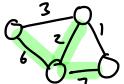
## Minimum Spanning Trees:

- Given a connected, weighted graph  $G = (V, E)$

$$(u, v) \in E \rightarrow w(u, v) = \text{weight}$$

### Spanning Tree:

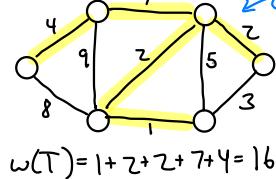
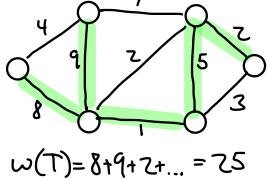
- A subset  $T \subseteq E$  of edges that connect all the vertices and is acyclic



Total weight:  $w(T) = \sum_{(u, v) \in T} w(u, v)$

### Minimum Spanning Tree (MST)

- A spanning tree of min. weight



### Facts:

- If  $G$  has  $n$  vertices, any spanning tree has  $n-1$  edges

## How are data structures used?

### Transaction / Query:

- Insert new student

name = "Mary" ID = 1234...

- Closest coffee to my location

### Algorithms:

- Dijkstra - Fibonacci Heap

- Kruskal - Union/Find

Data Structures +  
Algorithm Design:  
Euclidean Min. Spanning  
Tree (I)

## Algorithms for MST's:

- Based on greedy construction

- Add the lightest edge that causes no cycle

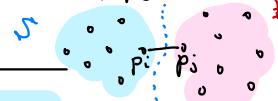
Kruskal's, Prim's, Boruvka's

Lemma: Given any cut  $(S, P \setminus S)$

always safe to add lightest edge

$$(p_i, p_j) \quad p_i \in S, p_j \in P \setminus S$$

$$P \setminus S$$

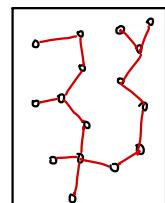
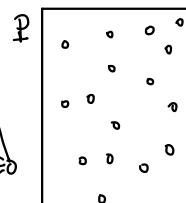


## Applications:

- Clustering (Machine Learning)
- Approximation (TSP)
- Networking

## Euclidean MST (EMST)

- The MST of  $P$ 's Euclidean graph

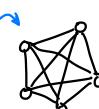


### Euclidean Graph:

Given a set  $P = \{p_1, \dots, p_n\}$  of pts in  $\mathbb{R}^2$ , this is a complete graph (all  $\binom{n}{2}$  edges)

where:

$$w(p_i, p_j) = \text{dist}(p_i, p_j) = \sqrt{(x_i - x_j)^2 + (y_i - y_j)^2}$$



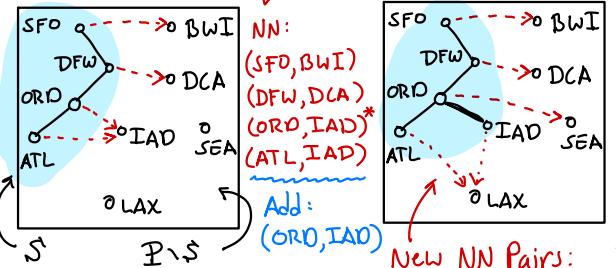
Finding next edge?

- Brute force:  $O(n^2) \Rightarrow O(n^3)$
- kd-tree: To compute near neighbor
- Priority queue: To find best pair

Nearest-Neighbor Pairs:

Given  $p_i \in S$ , let  $p_j$  be the closest point in  $P \setminus S$

$(p_i, p_j)$  is nearest-neighbor pair



Given NN pair  $(p_i, p_j)$  we say  $p_i$  depends on  $p_j$

Dependents list  $\text{dep}(p_i)$  is list of all pts  $p_i$  that depend on  $p_j$

Point: $p_i$	$\text{dep}(p_i)$
BWI	{SFO}
DCA	{DFW}
SEA	{}
IAD	{ORD, ATL}
LAX	{}

Prim's Algorithm:

- Given point set  $P$  + start pt  $s_0$ .

-  $S \subseteq P$ : Pts in spanning tree

Init:  $S = \{s_0\}$  End:  $S = P$

-  $P \setminus S$ : Pts not yet in tree

```
while (S ≠ P)
    - find closest ( $p_i, p_j$ ) →  $p_j \in P \setminus S$ 
    - add  $p_i$  to  $S$ 
    - add  $(p_i, p_j)$  to tree
```

Euclidean MSTs (II)

How to do this?

- Lots of data structures!

List: Store edges of tree

(e.g.  $\{(SFO,DFW), (DFW,ORD), \dots\}$ )

Set: Store points of  $S$

(e.g.  $\{SFO, DFW, ORD, ATL\}$ )

Spatial Index: Stores pts of  $P \setminus S$ . Answers NN queries

Prim (Points  $P$ , Point start)

initialize (later)

add start to inEMST

$nn \leftarrow \text{kdTree}.nearNeigh(\text{start})$

add start to dep[nn]

add new NN pair (start, nn)

while ( $\text{kdTree} \neq \emptyset$ )

    edge ← hcap.extractMin()

    if (edge.getSecond() & inEMST)

        [add Edge(edge) (later)]

Basic Objects:

edgeList: list of edges in tree

inEMST: set representing  $S$

kdTree, heap: ...

dependents: dep lists for all  $P \setminus S$

Priority Queue: Stores the NN pairs ordered by squared dist.

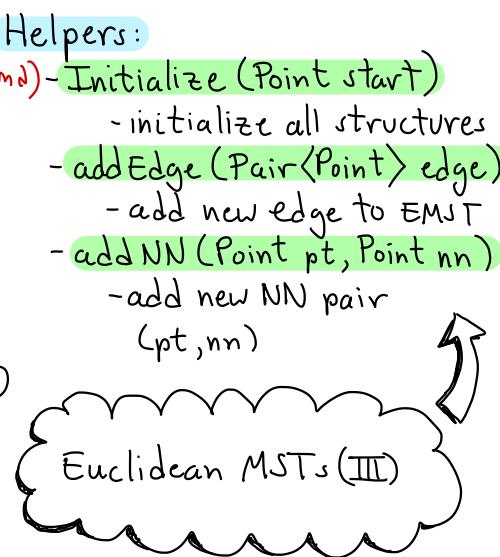
(E.g.  $(SFO, BWI)$   
 $(DFW, DCA) \dots$ )

HashMap of lists: Stores dependency lists, indexed by point

```

addEdge (Pair<Point> edge)
    add edge to edgeList (first, second)
    pt2 ← edge.getSecond()
    add pt2 to inEMST
    delete pt2 from kdTree
    dep2 ← get pt2 dep list from
        dependents
    foreach (pt3 in dep2)
        nn3 ← kdTree.nearNeigh(pt3)
        if (nn3 == null) break
        add NN(pt3, nn3)

```



Q: Why check  $nn3 == null$ ?

- On adding last pt to EMST  
the kd-tree is empty.

```

add NN(Point pt, Point nn)
    dist ← distanceSq(pt, nn)
    pair ← new Pair(pt, nn)
    insert pair in heap w. priority
    add pt to dep[nn]

```

dist

add pt to dep[nn]

Look up in hash map

```

initialize (Point start)
    clear: edgeList
    inEMST
    heap + kdTree
    for each (dep in dependents)
        clear dep
    for each (pt in P)
        if (pt ≠ start) insert pt in
            kdTree

```

That's it!

Is this efficient?

- Assuming NN queries in  $O(\log n)$  time

Total time =

$O(n \cdot \log n + m \cdot \log n)$

$m = \# \text{ of NN updates}$

↳ Much depends on  $m$ .  
 $m$  depends on pt. distrib.