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Fundamental Data Structures

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ADT = abstract data type

- list of supported operations
- what should happen
- not how to do this
- not how data is stored

VS

data structures

- o how data is stored in memory
- o algorithms to work on data

ex: stack

pop() → removes topmost element

push(v) → adds v to top of stack



1

pop

pop

push(1)

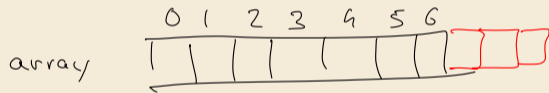
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- 2.1 Stacks & Queues
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2.1 Stacks & Queues

2.2 Resizable Arrays



o arrays have fixed size

↳ if we need more space, allocate new array
& copy old data

o doubling arrays: when array is full
double its size

o if array becomes too empty (deletions)

↳ if $\leq \frac{1}{4}$ full \leadsto halve size

\rightarrow space $\Theta(n)$ $n = \#$ elements stored

Java Generics

Stack < String >

Stack < Integer >

implement ^{ONCE} stacks with type parameter

use stacks with many different types

Iterators

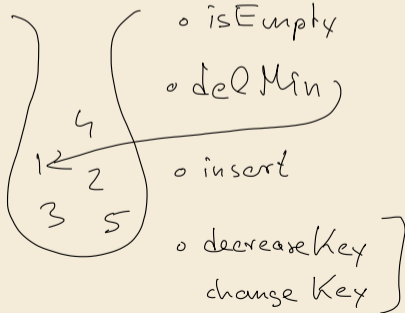
ADT abstracts linear scan over collection of items

- o hasNext()

- o next move ahead & return element

2.3 Priority Queues

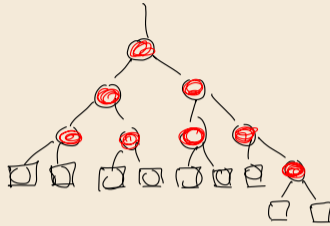
ADT



Heaps

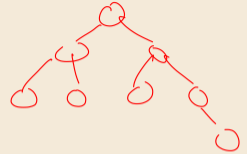
o binary tree

extended binary trees



every node has
0 or 2 children

binary trees



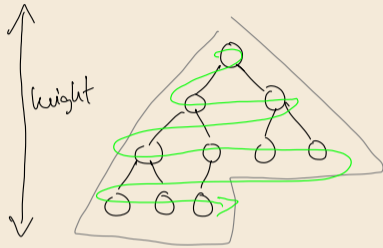
nodes have
left / right children
(both can be missing)

o complete binary tree + flush-left - lowest level as far to the left as possible



"heap-shaped trees"

Why heap-shaped trees?



o minimal height
among binary
trees with n nodes

n nodes \rightarrow 1 heap-shape

\Rightarrow easy

can use array : store nodes in
level-order starting
at 1

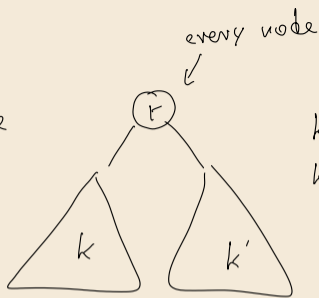
\rightarrow find parent of
node k at $\lfloor \frac{k}{2} \rfloor$

left child at $2k$

right \sim $2k+1$

heap-order

entire subtree
version

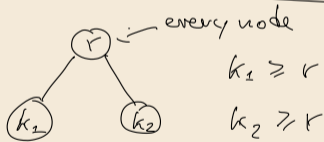


all keys in subtrees
are \leq key in root

\Rightarrow root stores minimum

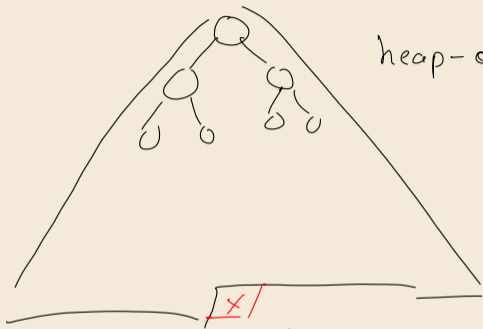


children-version



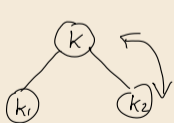
Insertion

insert new key x



heap-ordered

- ① store x in lowest level, next free position
- ② repair heap-order



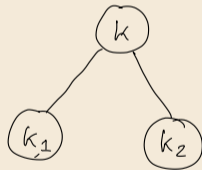
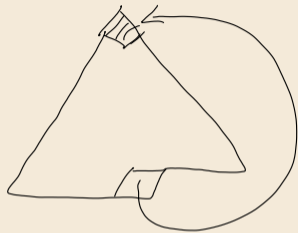
$$\boxed{k_2 \leq k}$$

violation

→ swap them!

repeat up the tree

delete Min



- ① delete root (and return its key)
- ② move "last" element to root
↳ rightmost on lowest level
- ③ repair heap-order

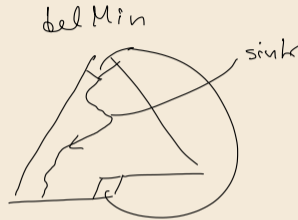
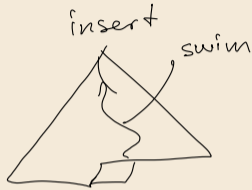
$k > k_1$ and/or $k > k_2$

(a) find $\min\{k_1, k_2\}$

(b) swap k with smaller child

continue along the changed
child links

Analysis



worst case in both cases: follow one path

\Rightarrow cost = # levels = height of tree

$\sim \lg n$

PQ = 2 ADT

MinPQ | MaxPQ
insert
del Min | del Max

2 separate ADTs

min-oriented binary heaps

max-oriented binary heaps

2.4 Binary Search Trees

ADT : Symbol table

aka dictionaries

associative arrays

$A['hello'] = 17$

maps

partial

\approx mathematical functions

dynamic — change function over time

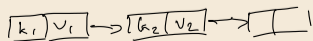
primitive implementations

① unsorted list

sequential search

easy add

hard find



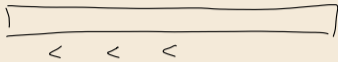
= checks every \square

$O(n)$ $n = \# \text{ keys}$

② sorted array binary search

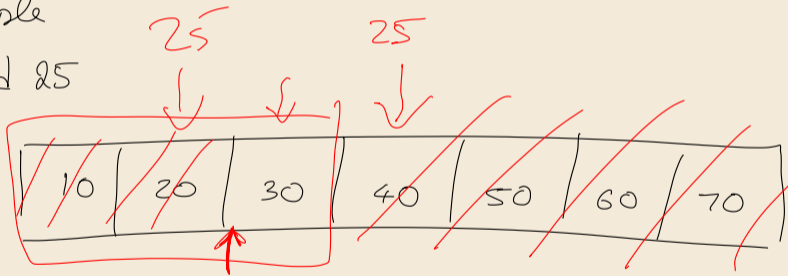
good find

hard to change



Example

find 25



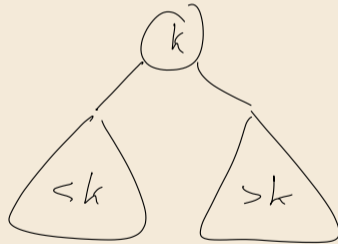
$\sim \lg n$

BSTs $\hat{=}$ dynamic sorted "array"

o binary tree = nodes have left / right child
both can be empty

(+)

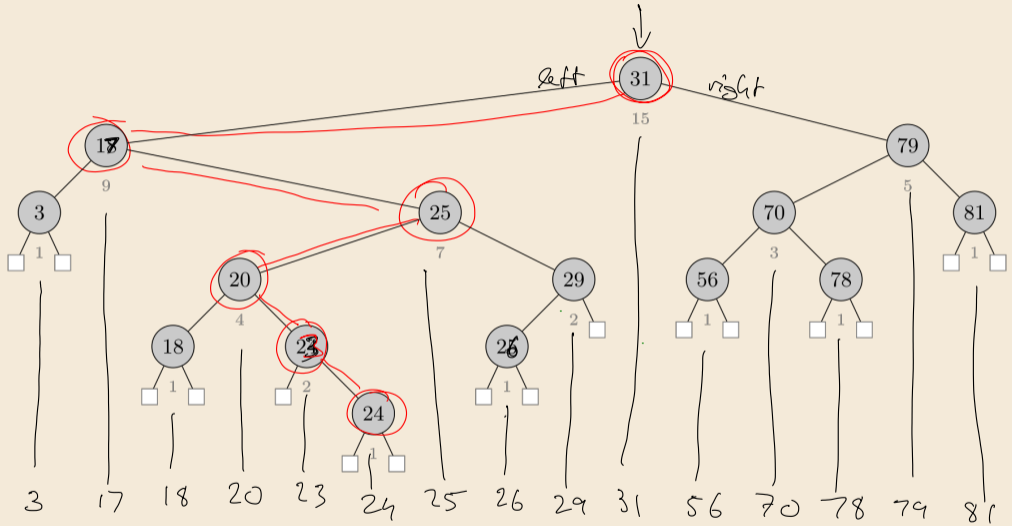
o search-free property
(symmetric order)



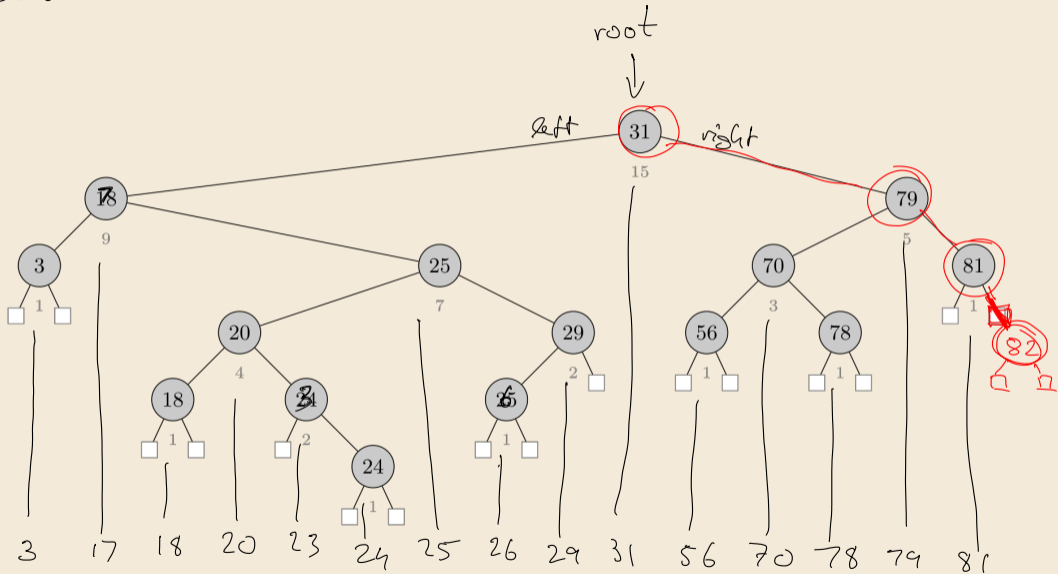
in Java : Node { left, right }
BST { root }

search 24

root

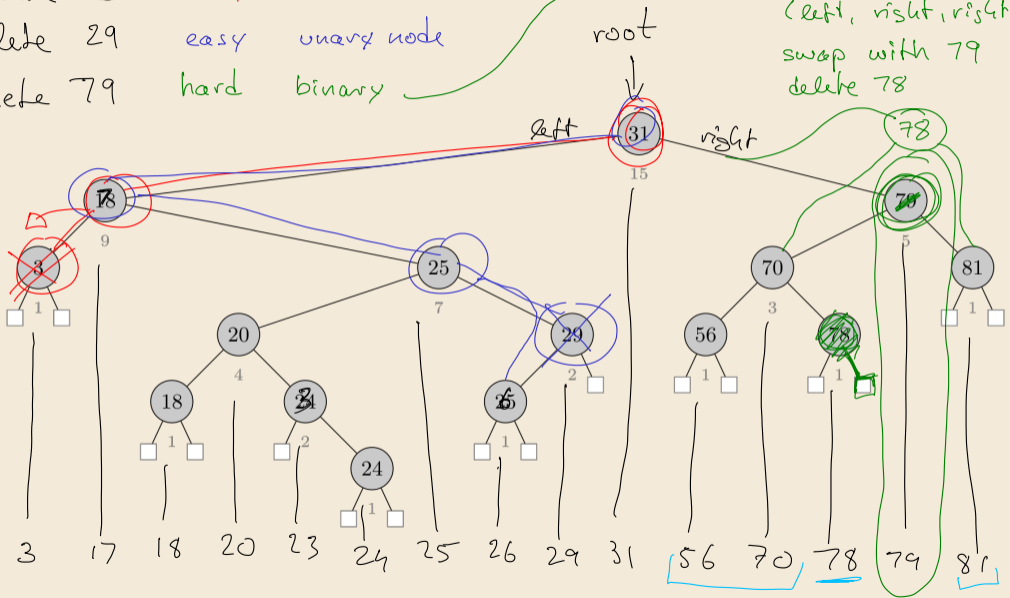


insert 82



delete 3 easy leaf
 delete 29 easy unary node
 delete 79 hard binary

find inorder predecessor
 (left, right, right, ...)
 swap with 79
 delete 78



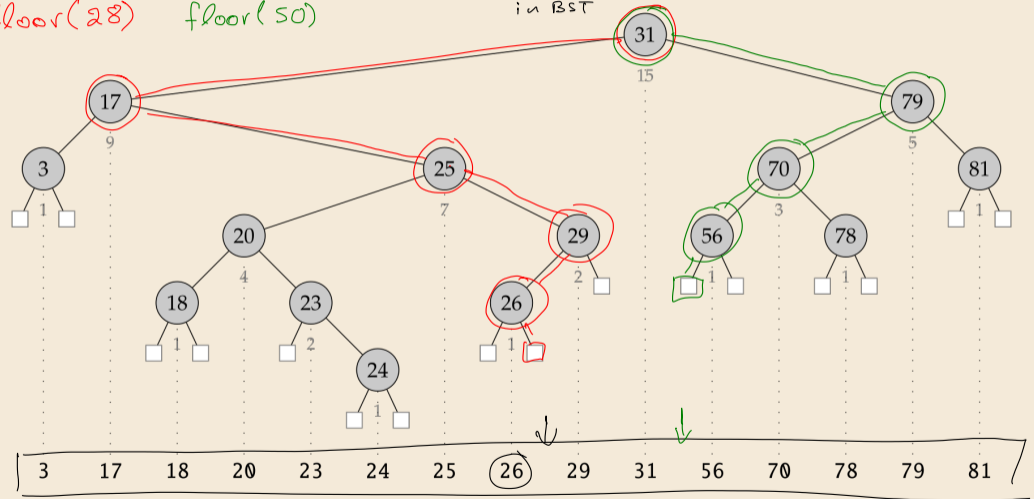
min / max ✓

floor(x) (ceiling(x))

floor(28) floor(50)

$\text{floor}(x) = \begin{cases} \text{value of } x \\ \text{value of largest } y < x \\ \text{in BST} \end{cases}$

x in BST
x not in BST

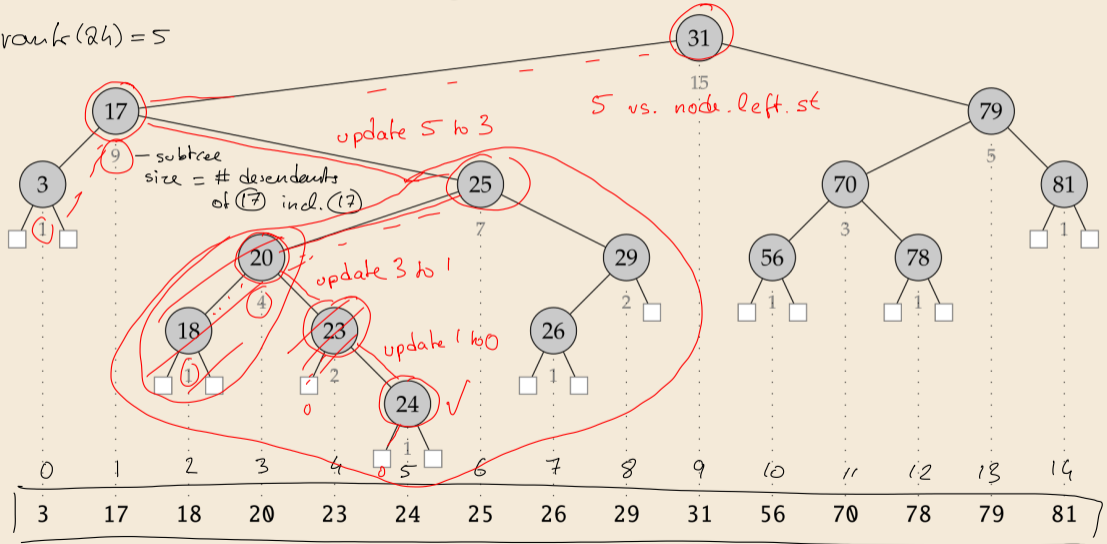


rank $\text{select}(5) = 24$
 $\hat{=} A[5]$

$\text{rank}(x) = \# \text{ elements} < x$

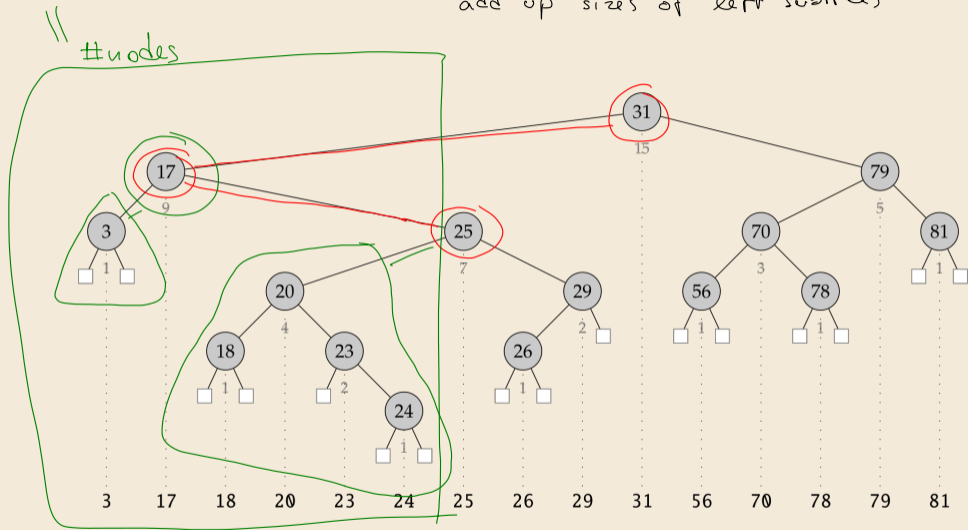
Idea: Maintain subtree size in each node.

$\text{rank}(24) = 5$



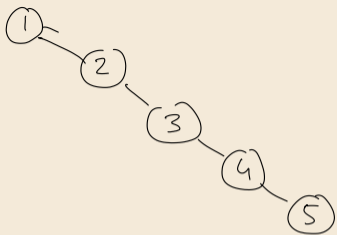
rank(25)

rank: walks up search path:
add up sizes of left subtrees



<u>Cost:</u>	search	$O(\text{height}(\text{tree}))$	
worst-case key	insert	"	height = length of longest root-to-leaf path
	delete	"	
	min/max	"	(length of the left/right spine)
	floor/ceiling	"	
	rank	"	
	select	"	

↳ better had low height trees



⚡ inserting keys in sorted order \Rightarrow height = n

BUT ① inserting keys in random order

height = $O(\log n)$ in expectation

& "with high probability"

② we can enforce $O(\log n)$ height by balancing rules

BBSTs

- o AVL trees
- o red-black trees
- o 2-3 trees

height = $O(\log n)$

insert, delete

take $O(\log n)$ time

magic black box for COMP 526

implemented in most programming libraries

Tree Map