

CS 106B, Lecture 20

Advanced Binary Trees

Plan for Today

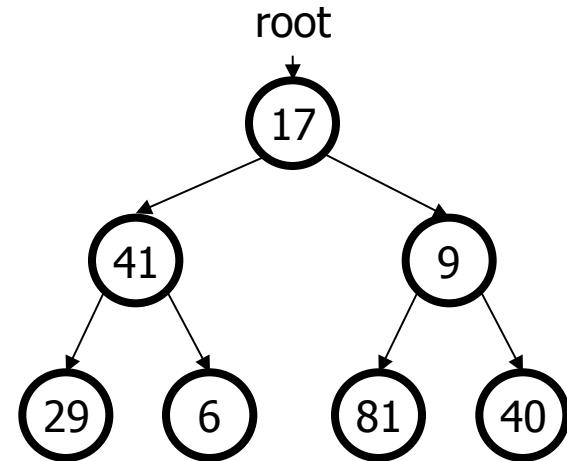
- Discuss how to make a BST class (hint: useful for MiniBrowser)
- Advanced BSTs
 - Balancing
 - Red-Black Trees
 - Splay Trees
- Non-BST binary trees
 - Heaps
 - Cartesian Trees

Implementing TreeSet and TreeMap

A BST set class

```
// TreeSet.h
// A set of integers represented as a binary search tree.
class TreeSet {
    members;
    ...
private:
    TreeNode* root;    // NULL for an empty tree
};
```

- This is basically how Stanford library's Set class is implemented.
- Client code talks to the TreeSet, not to the node objects inside it.
- Members of TreeSet create and manipulate nodes and pointers.



Tree member template

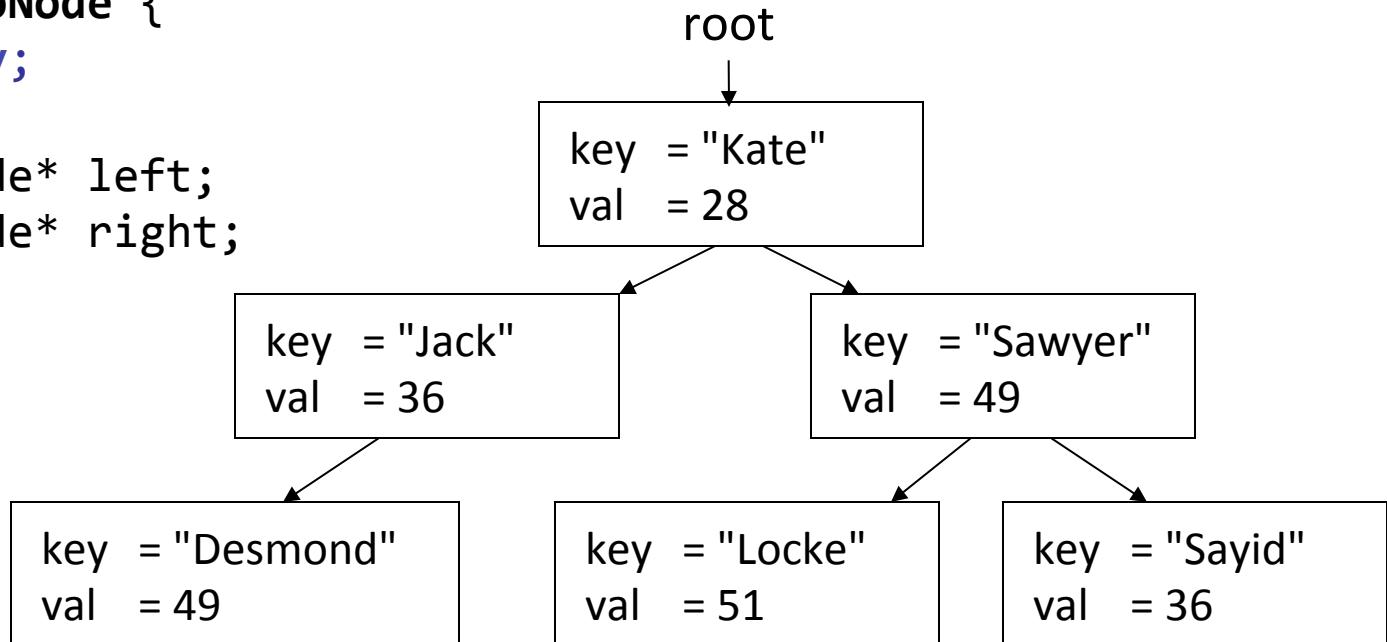
```
returnType TreeSet::functionName(parameters) {  
    helperName(root, parameters);  
}  
  
returnType helperName(TreeNode* node, parameters) {  
    ...  
}
```

- Tree methods are often implemented recursively in 2 steps:
 - a public function intended to be called by the client
 - a "helper" function that accepts a pointer to the node to process
 - the public function typically just calls the helper and passes root node

Tree maps

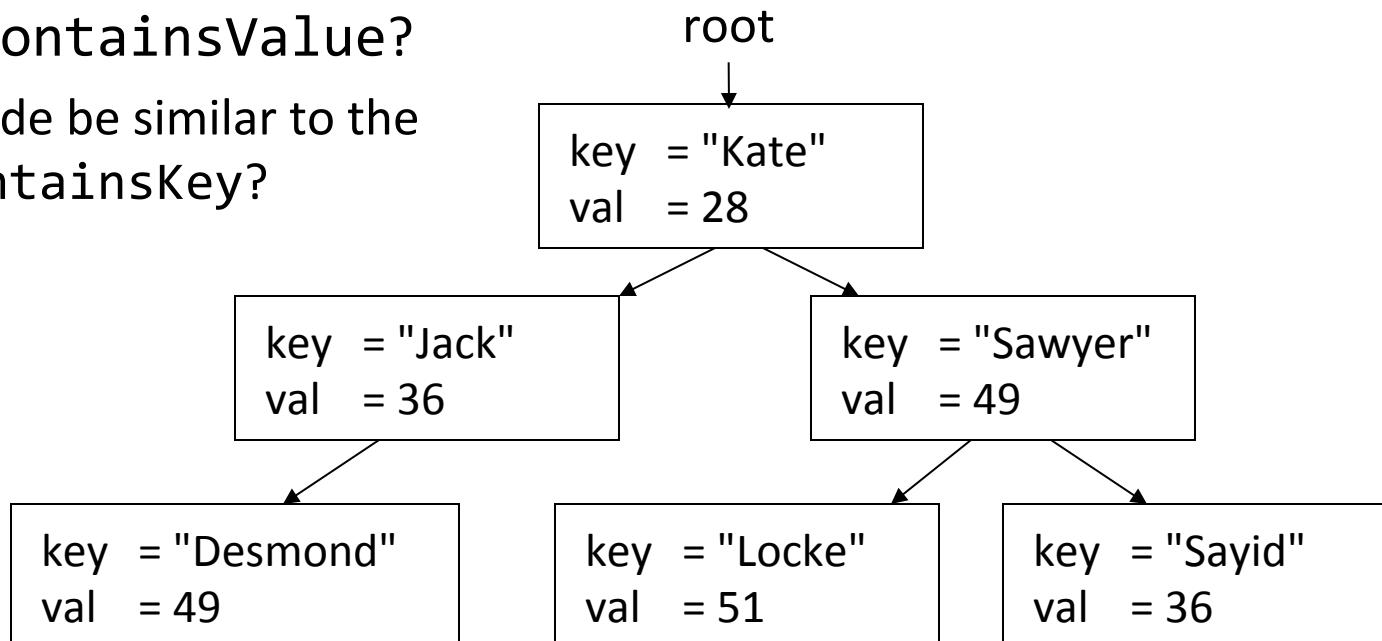
- Converting a tree set into a **tree map**:
 - Each tree node will store both a *key* and a *value*
 - tree is BST-ordered by its keys
 - **keys must be comparable (have a `<` operator) for ordering**

```
struct TreeMapNode {  
    string key;  
    int value;  
    TreeMapNode* left;  
    TreeMapNode* right;  
};
```



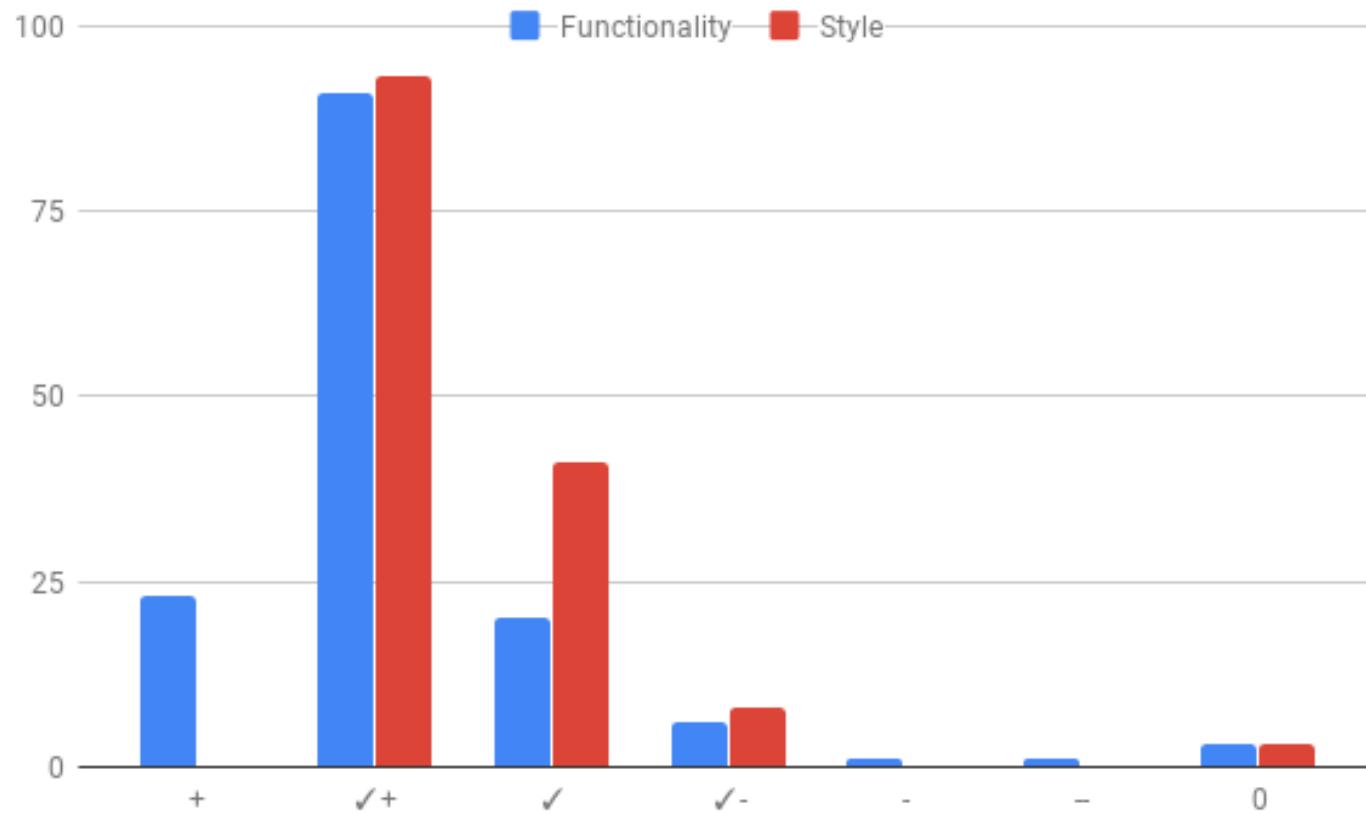
Tree map details

- Each tree set operation corresponds to one in the tree map:
 - `add(value)` → `put(key, value)`
 - `contains(value)` → `containsKey(key)`
 - `remove(value)` → `remove(key)`
 - must add an operation: `get(key)`
- What about `containsValue`?
 - Would its code be similar to the code for `containsKey`?



Announcements

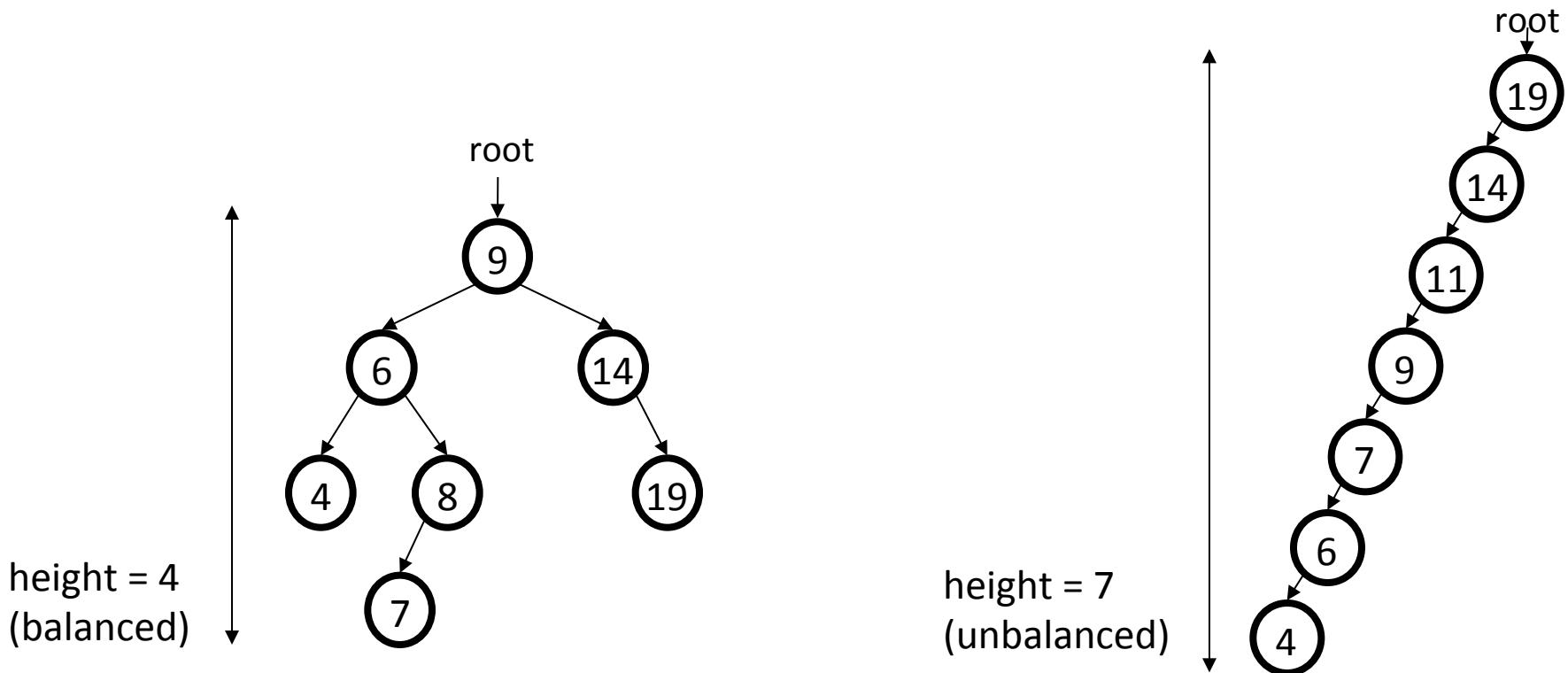
- You should be mostly done with Cache in MiniBrowser. LineManager is hard
- Homework 3 is graded. Here's the grade distribution:



Balanced Trees

Trees and balance

- **balanced tree:** One where for every node R, the height of R's subtrees differ by at most 1, and R's subtrees are also balanced.
 - Runtime of add / remove / contains are closely related to height.
 - Balanced tree's height is roughly $\log_2 N$. Unbalanced is closer to N .

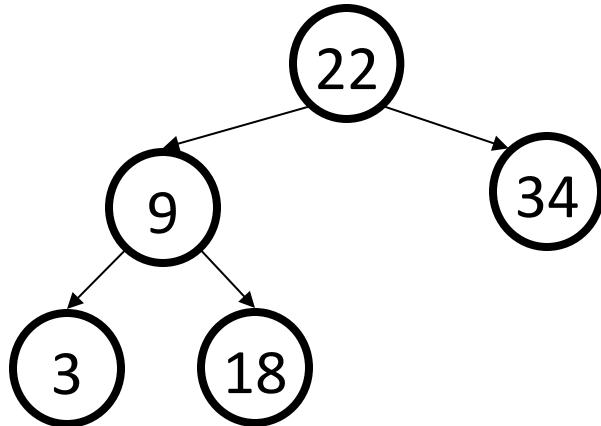


BST balance question

- Adding the following nodes to an empty BST in the following order produces the tree at right: 22, 9, 34, 18, 3.

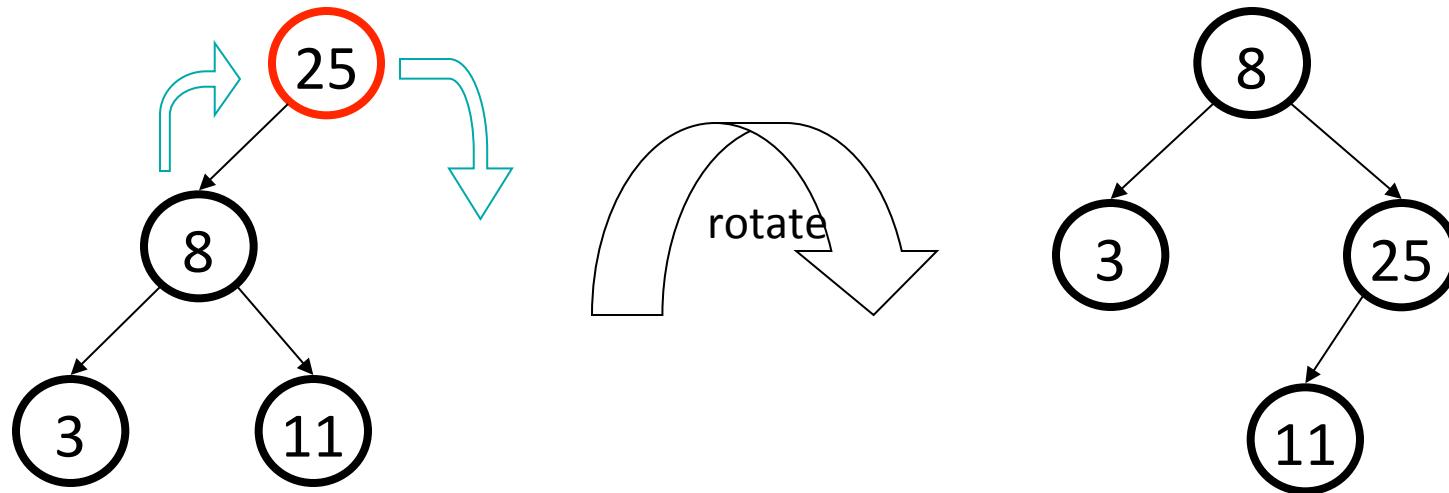
- **Q:** What is an order in which we could have added the nodes to produce an unbalanced tree?

- A. 18, 9, 34, 3, 22
- B. 9, 18, 3, 34, 22
- C. 9, 22, 3, 18, 34
- D. none of the above



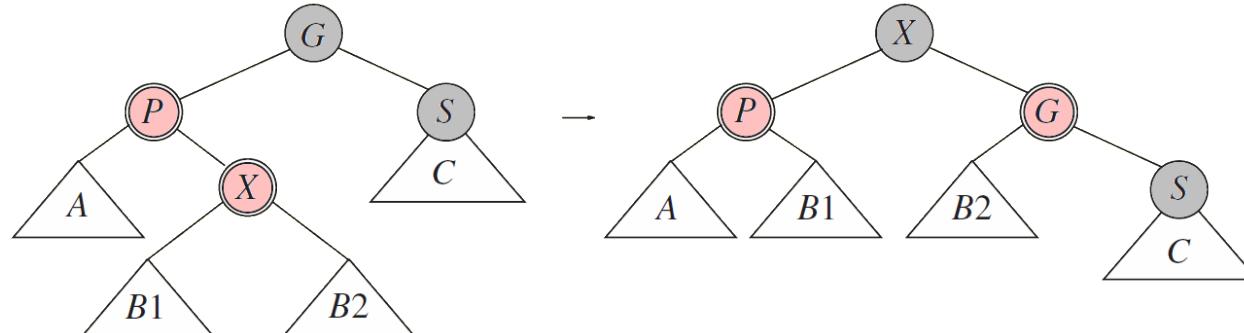
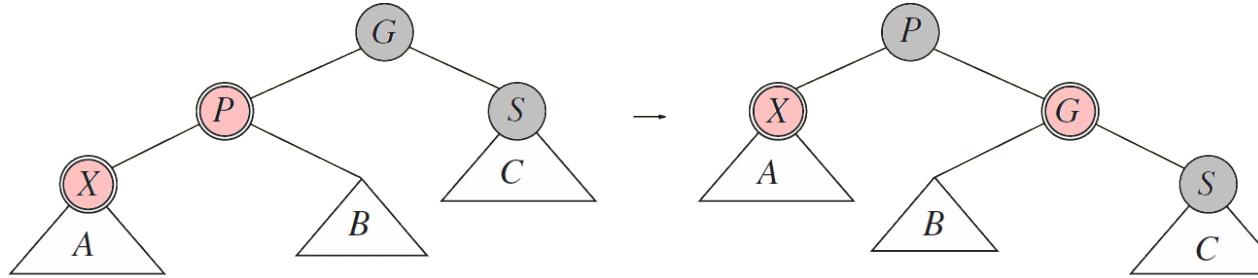
AVL trees

- **AVL tree:** A binary search tree that uses modified add and remove operations to stay balanced as its elements change.
 - *basic idea:* When nodes are added/removed, repair tree shape until balance is restored.
 - rebalancing is $O(1)$; overall tree maintains an $O(\log N)$ height



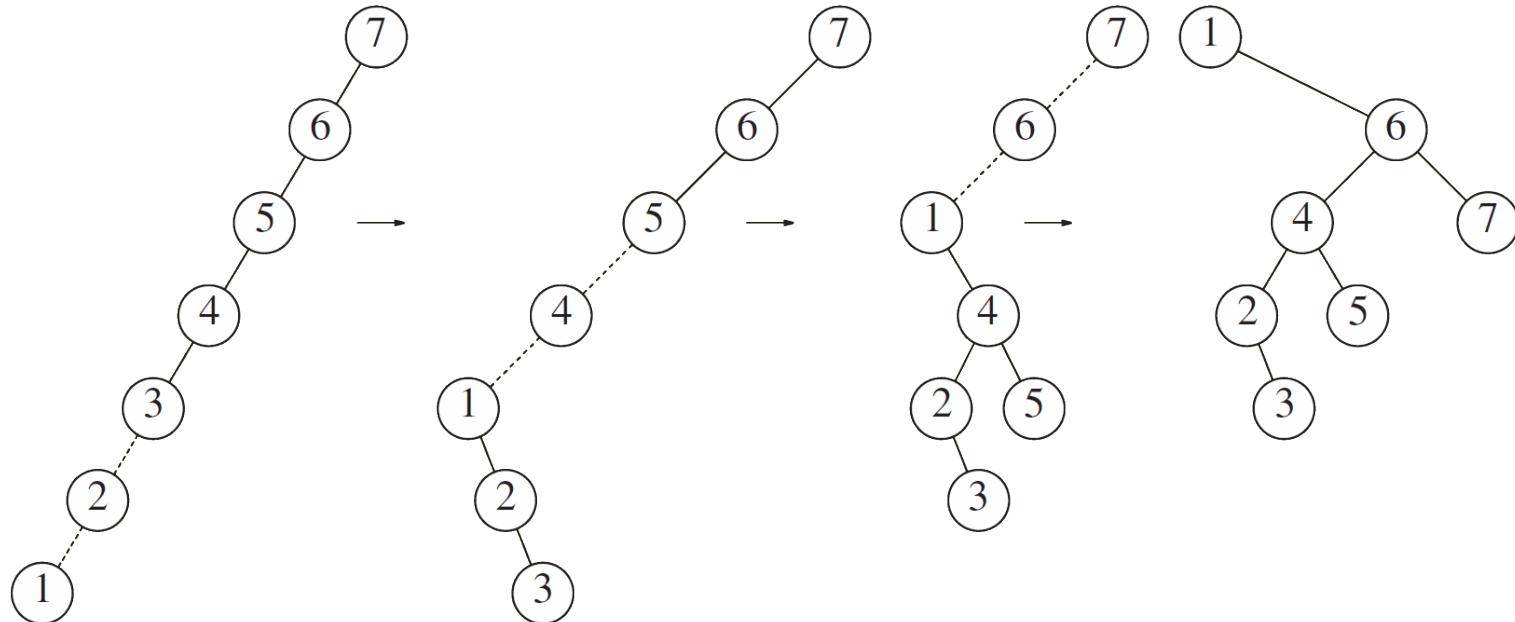
Red-Black trees

- **red-black tree:** Gives each node a "color" of red or black. ([video](#))
 - Root is black. Root's direct children are red. All leaves are black.
 - If a node is red, its children must all be black.
 - Every path downward from a node to the bottom must contain the same number of "black" nodes.



Splay trees

- **splay tree:** Rotates each element you access to the top/root
 - very efficient when that element is accessed again (happens a lot)
 - easy to implement and does not need height field in each node



Non-BST Binary Trees

Heaps

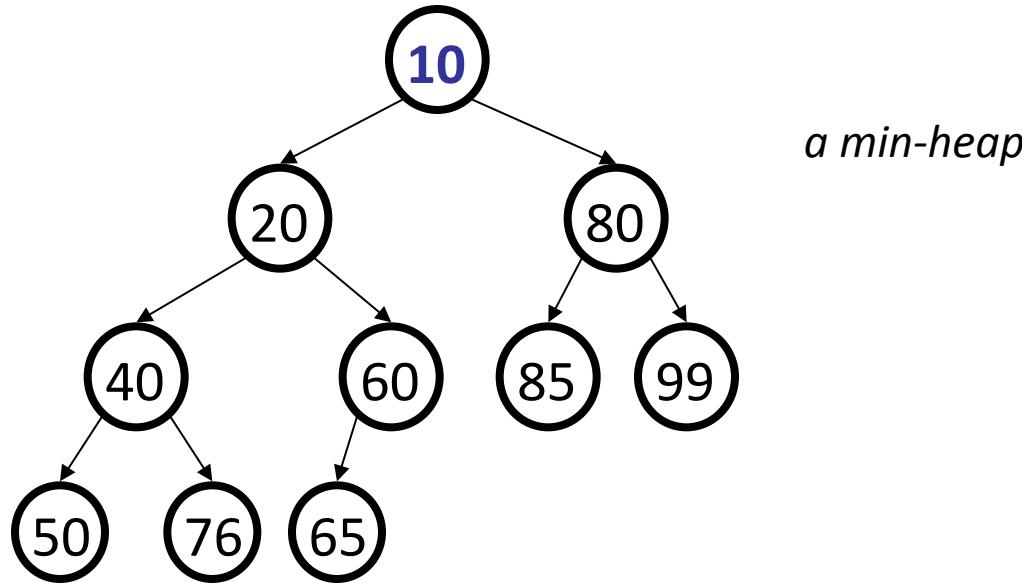
- What if you want to find the k-smallest elements in an unsorted Vector?
 - Find the top 10 students in a class?
- What if you wanted to constantly insert and remove in sorted order?
 - Model a hospital emergency room where individuals are seen in order of their urgency
 - **Priority Queue**
- What's a good choice?

Heaps

- Idea: if we use a Vector, it takes a long time to insert or remove in sorted order (or search the Vector for the smallest element)
- If we use a binary search tree, it's fast to insert and remove ($O(\log N)$) but it's slow to find the minimum/maximum element ($O(\log N)$)
- Idea: use a tree, but store the minimum/maximum element as the root
 - Trees have $\log(N)$ insertion/deletion
 - Looking at the root is $O(1)$

Heaps

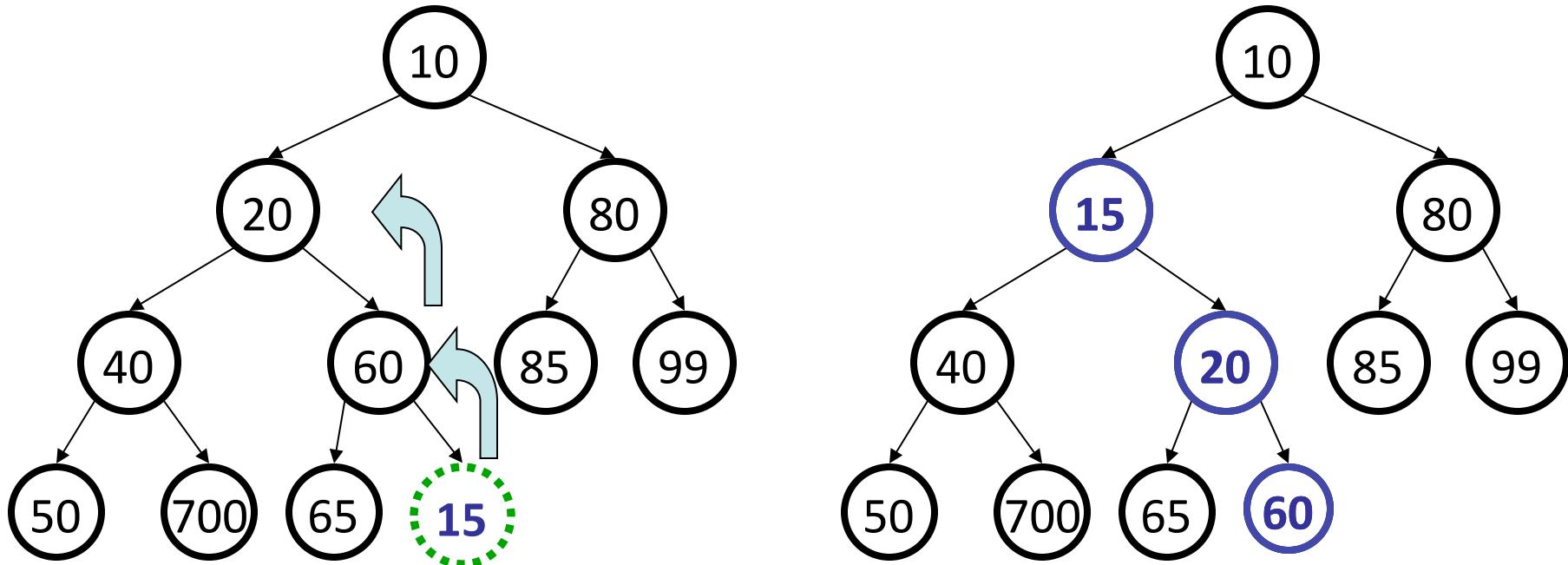
- **heap**: A complete binary tree with vertical ordering:
 - **min-heap**: all children must be \geq parent's value
 - **max-heap**: all children must be \leq parent's value



- **complete tree**: all levels are full of children except perhaps the bottom level, in which all existing nodes are maximally to the left.
 - Nice corollary: heaps are *always* balanced

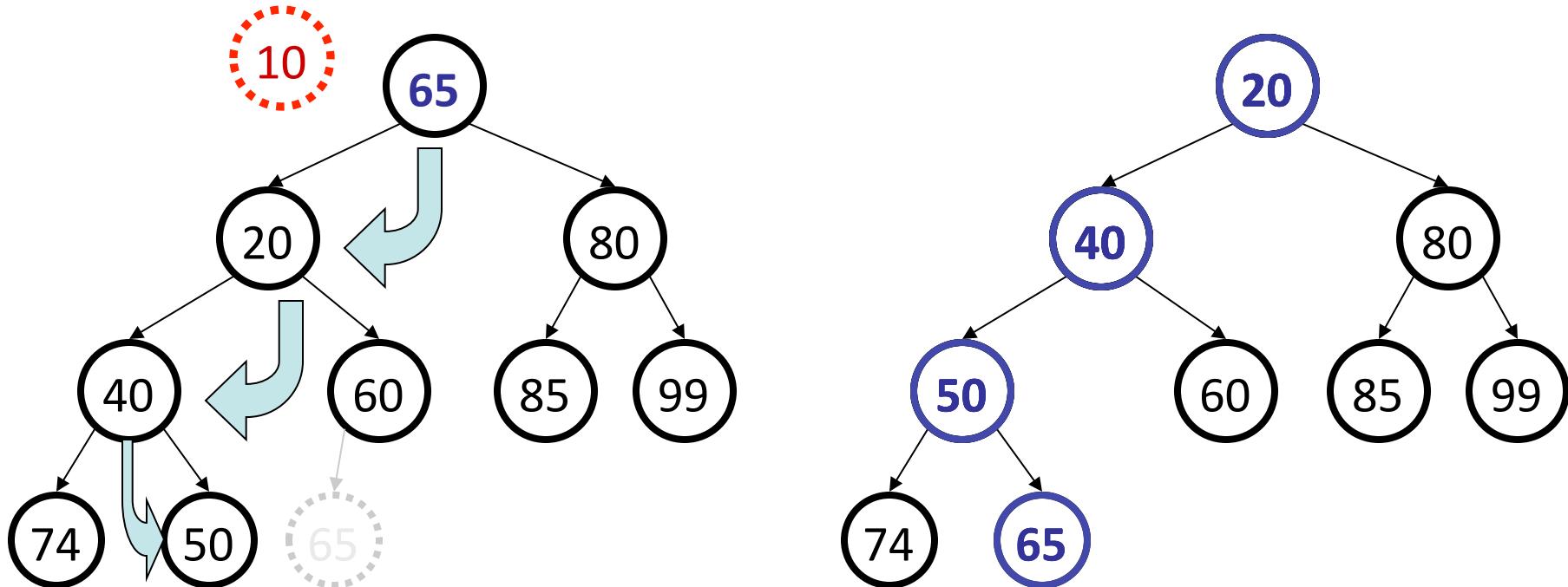
Heap enqueue

- When adding to a heap, the value is first placed at bottom-right.
 - To restore heap ordering, the newly added element is shifted ("bubbled") up the tree until it reaches its proper place (we reach the root, or the element is smaller than its parent [min-heap]).
 - Enqueue 15 at bottom-right; bubble up until in order.



Heap dequeue

- Remove the root, and replace it with the furthest-right ancestor
- To restore heap order, the improper root is shifted ("bubbled") down the tree by swapping with its smaller child.
 - dequeue min of 10; swap up bottom-right leaf of 65; bubble down.



Cartesian Trees

- How would you quickly find the minimum/maximum element in an range?
 - Maximum elevation on a hike?
 - Best time to buy/sell a stock within a certain range of times?

Cartesian Trees

- The root stores the minimum (or maximum) element in the entire array
- The left subtree is then the minimum (or maximum) element in the range to the left of the root; the right subtree is the minimum (or maximum) element in the range to the right of the root
 - Follows the min- (or max)-heap property: every parent is smaller (or bigger) than its child

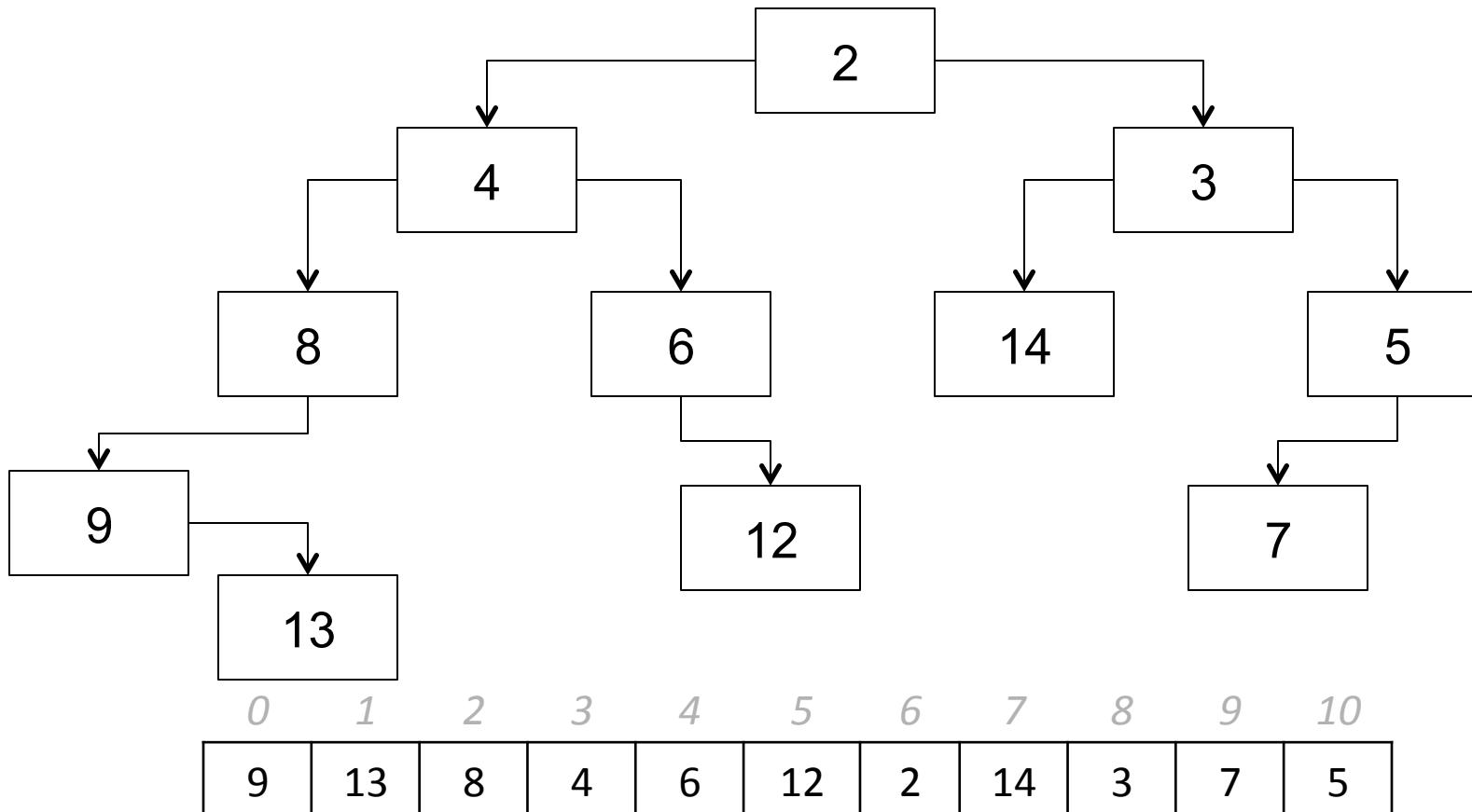
Cartesian Trees

- What would the Cartesian tree look like for this array if we're trying to find the minimum value in a range?

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9	13	8	4	6	12	2	14	3	7	5

Cartesian Trees

- What would the Cartesian tree look like for this array if we're trying to find the minimum value in a range?



Cartesian Trees

- How would we write the following function:

```
findMinElemInRange(CartesianNode *node, int start, int end)
```

```
struct CartesianNode {  
    int index;  
    CartesianNode *left;  
    CartesianNode *right;  
};
```

Exam

- This exam was a little harder than I intended. You all did really well and showed a lot of knowledge of hard topics.
- Common mistakes:
 - Big O question, part c: the inner for loop is actually $O(1)$
 - ADT trace problem: misreading the first for loop
 - Recursive trace: integer division with the parameters, wrong indices with substring
 - Recursive Backtracking: modified parameters after the recursive call, going out of bounds on the grid, not declaring and returning the Grid, improper base cases (returning true/false or failing to prune the tree)
 - ADT write, part a: bad scoping for the values of the Map and OBOB for string parsing
 - ADT write, part b: incomplete submissions (low on time?)

Exam

