

# Data Structures

## Binary Search Trees

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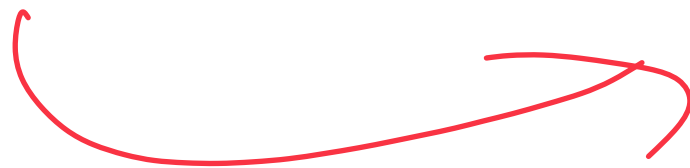
All material!

# Learning Objectives

Review binary trees

Extend binary trees into binary search trees

ADT → Insert / Remove / Sk.  
→ Traverse  
→ Find / Search



# Tree Search

Traversal  
↳ Visit every node

vs

Search

↳ stop when I find it

$O(n)$

↳ Break case

There are two main approaches to searching a binary tree:

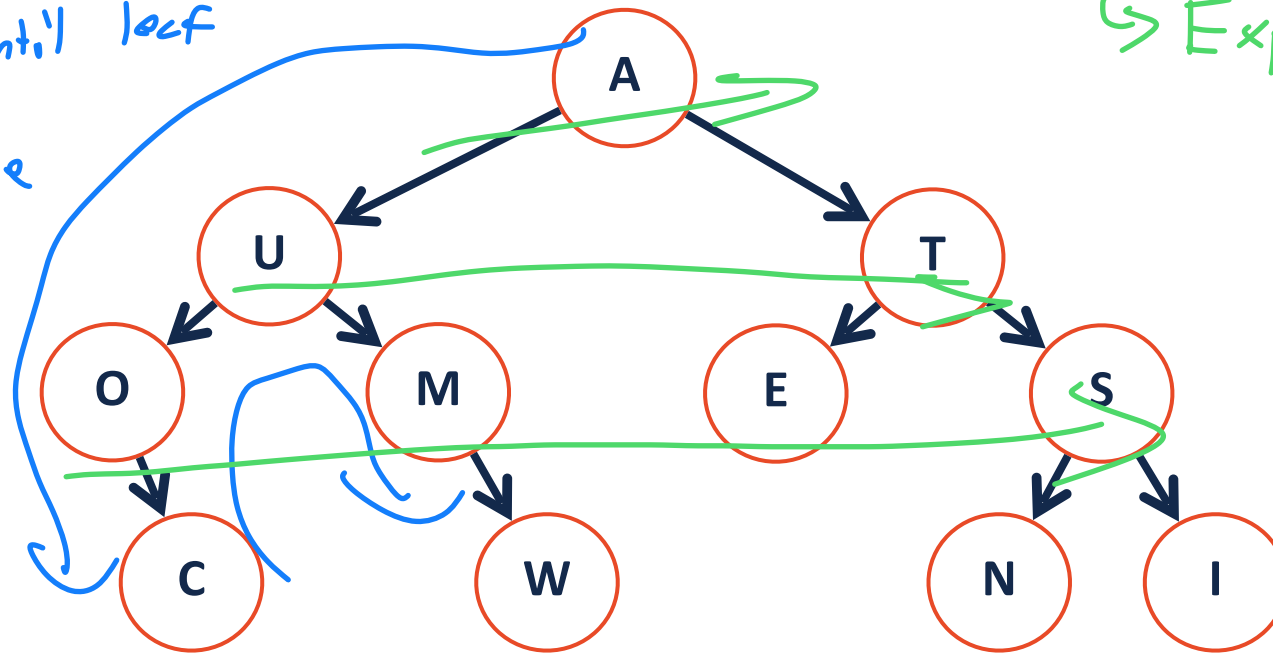
1) Depth-first search

Descend branch until leaf

Recuse somewhere else

2) Breadth first search

↳ Explore one complete level



# Depth First Search

Explore as far along one path as possible before backtracking

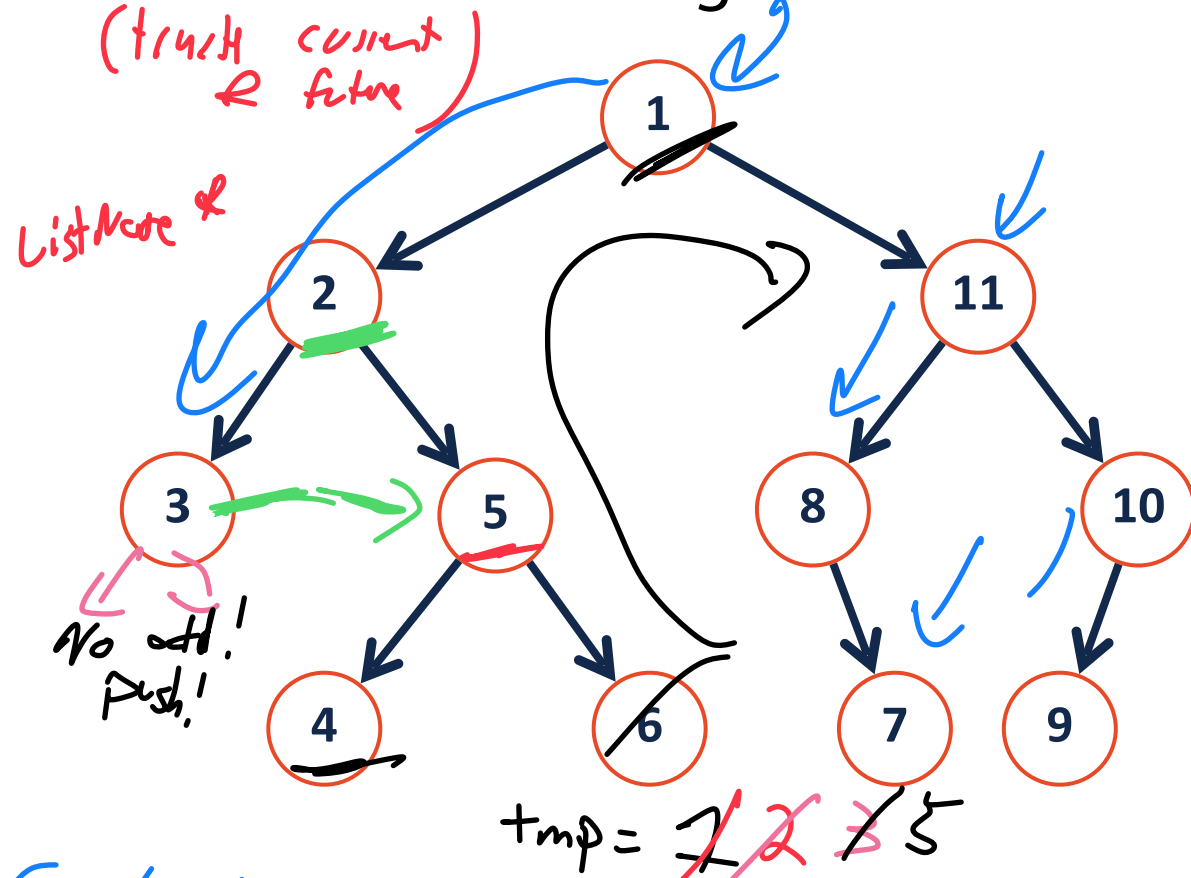
- 1) Make a stack initialized to root
- 2) while stack is not empty
  - \*  $\rightarrow$   $tmp = \text{stack.pop()}$  (remove top element)
  - Print( $tmp$ )

Stack.push( $tmp \rightarrow \text{right}$ )  
 Stack.push( $tmp \rightarrow \text{left}$ )

$\uparrow$  1 1 2 5 3 6 4

stack: 1 1 2 5 3 6 4 10 8 7 9

print: 1 2 3 5 4 6 11 8 7 10 9



pre order

# Breadth First Search

pre recursion  
in recursion  
post

Fully explore depth i before exploring depth i+1

1) Make a queue init to root

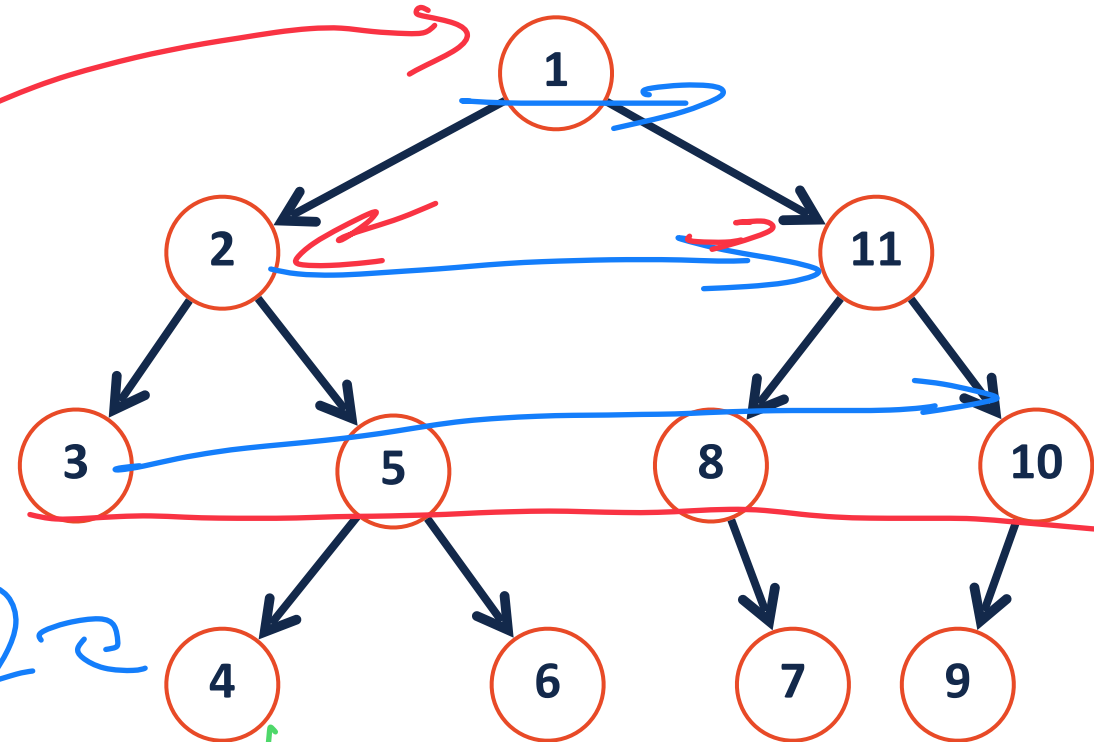
2) while queue is not empty

tmp = queue.dequeue() ~~it free Node \*~~

Print tmp

queue.enqueue(tmp->left)

queue.enqueue(tmp->right)

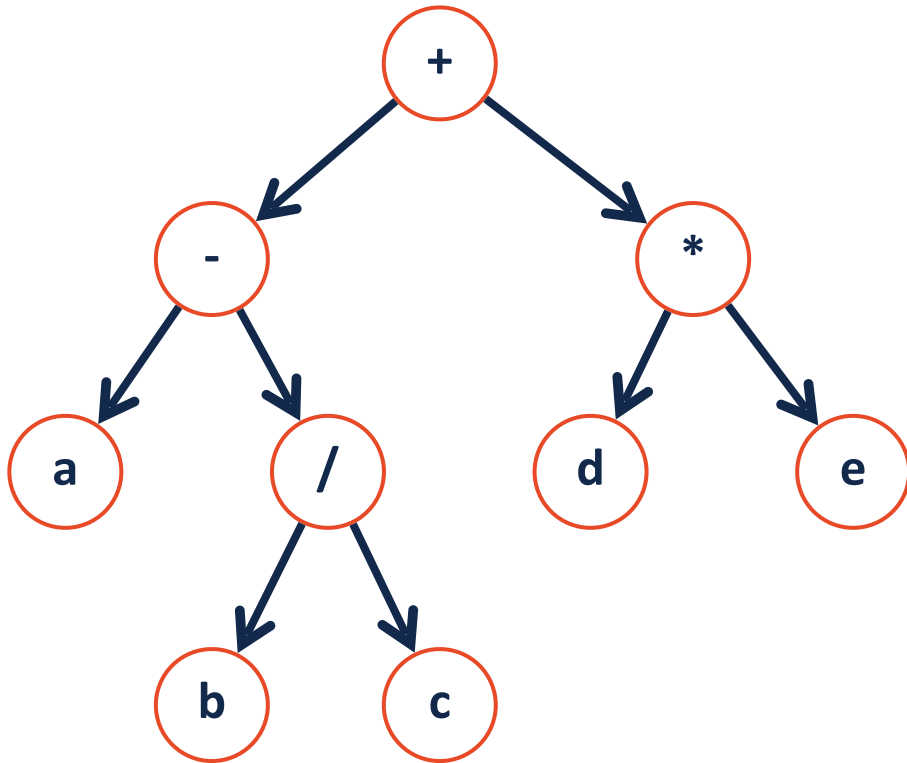


Level entire level

front												
Queue:	1	2	11	3	5	8	10	4	6	7	9	
Print:	1	2	11	3	5	8	10	4	6	7	9	

~~tmp = 1~~

# Level-Order Traversal



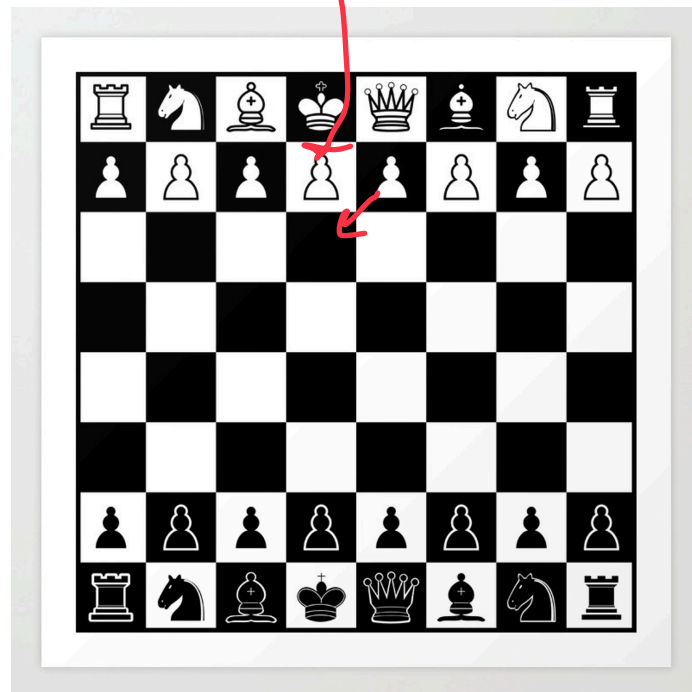
```
1 template<class T>
2 void BinaryTree<T>::lOrder(TreeNode * root)
3 {
4
5     Queue<TreeNode*> q;
6     q.enqueue(root);
7
8     while( q.empty() == False){
9
10        TreeNode* temp = q.head();
11        process(temp);
12
13        q.dequeue();
14
15        q.enqueue(temp->left);
16        q.enqueue(temp->right);
17
18    }
19 }
```

*Handwritten annotations:*

- Red arrows point to line 5, labeled "init".
- Red arrows point to line 10, labeled "Decision decision!".
- Red arrows point to line 11, labeled "print".
- Red brackets group lines 10-13 and 15-16.

# What search algorithm is best?

The average 'branch factor' for a game of chess is  $\sim 31$ . If you were searching a decision tree for chess, which search algorithm would you use?



DFS



- Most single moves are bad
- We need to keep down to pick a good path
- Better space complexity

$\hookrightarrow 31$  at level 1  
 $31^2$  at level 2  
 $31^3$  at level 3

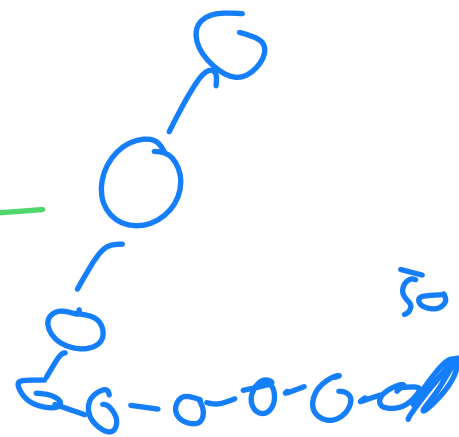
BFS



- Consider all moves
- Pick best one
- The only one that works  
 $\hookrightarrow$  Get us answer faster

Iterative Deepening DFS

- 1) Do DFS up to depth  $X$
- 2) If not found, expand  $X$





# Tree Search

How can we improve our ability to search a binary tree?

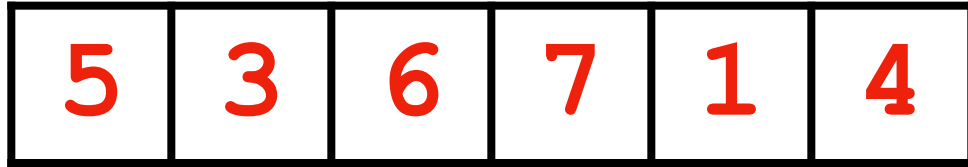
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↳ Make it sorted

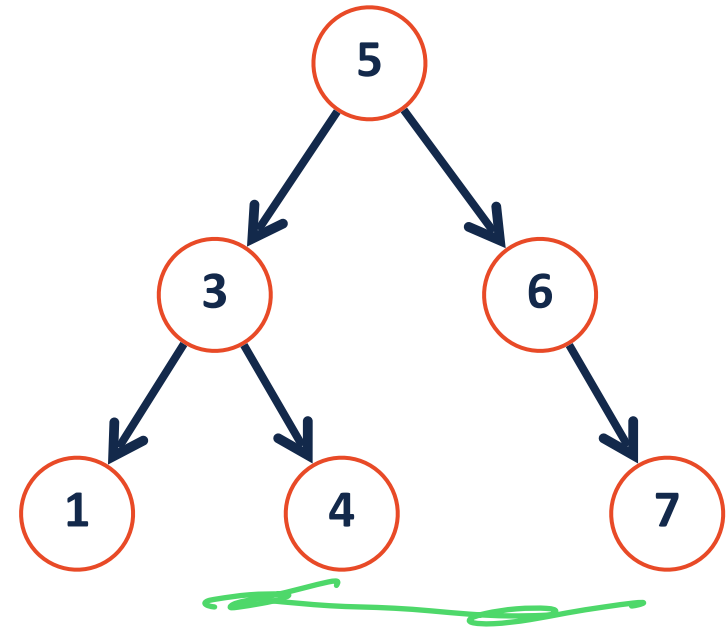
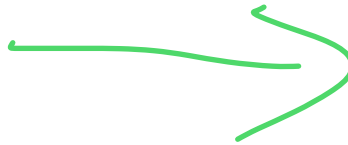
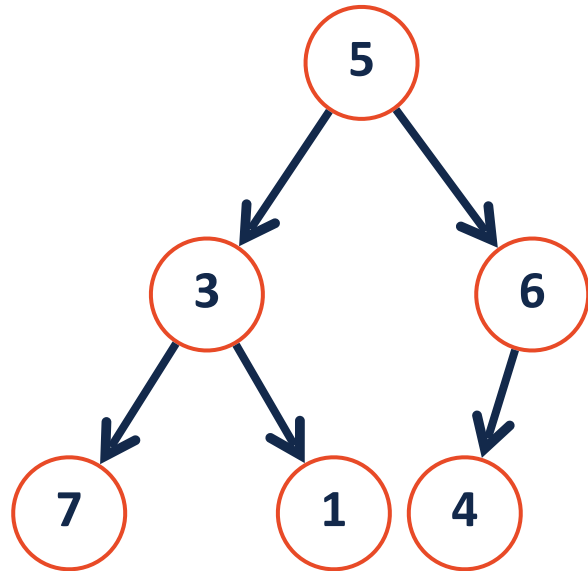
What do we trade in order to do so?

# Improved search on a binary tree

*unsorted*



*sorted*



# Dictionary ADT



Data is often organized into key/value pairs:

Word → Definition  
Course Number → Lecture/Lab Schedule  
Node → Incident Edges  
Flight Number → Arrival Information  
URL → HTML Page  
...

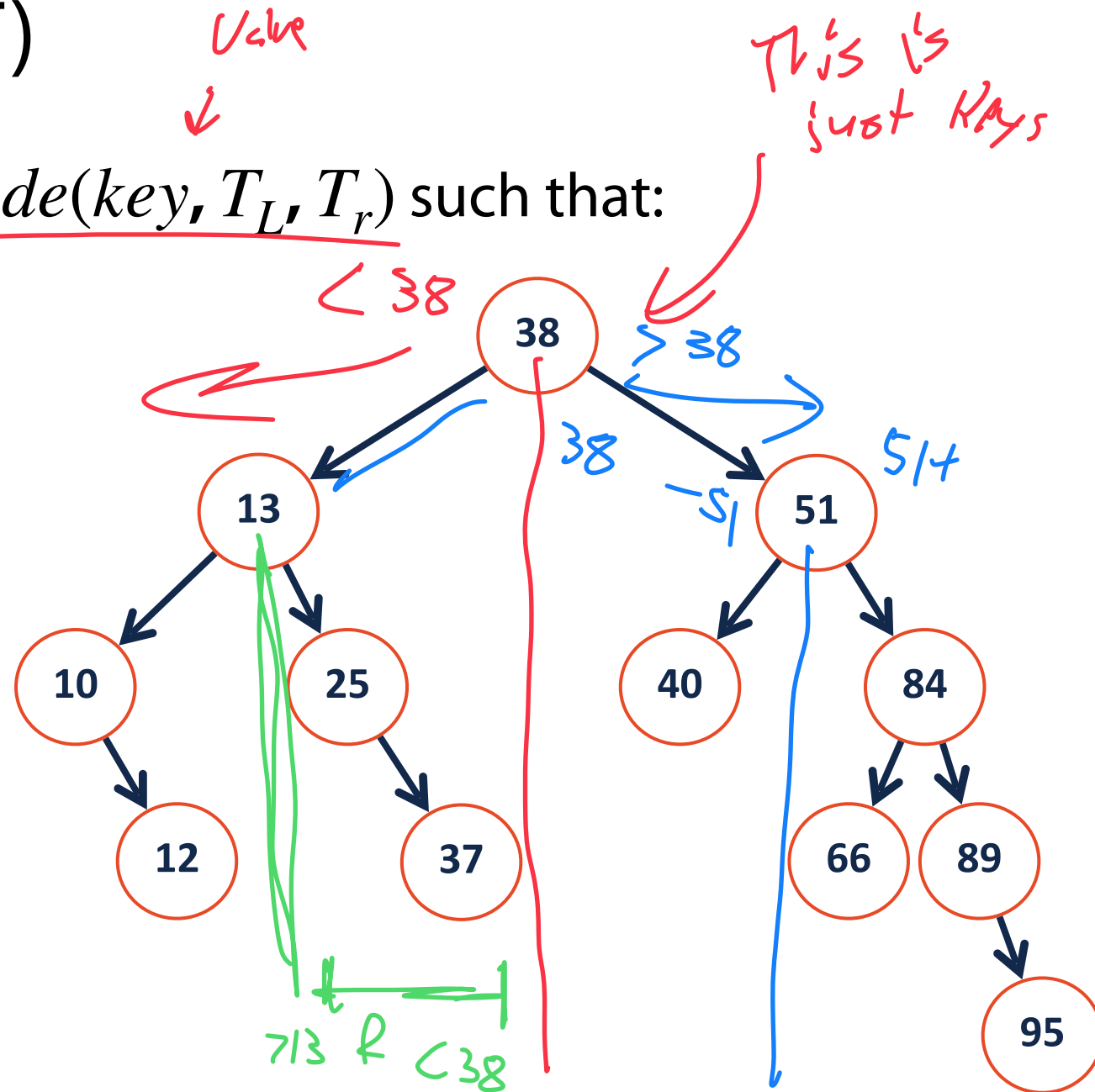
# Binary Search Tree (BST)

A **BST** is a binary tree  $T = \text{TreeNode}(\text{key}, T_L, T_r)$  such that:

All nodes to the left of root are:  
Smaller than the root

Right of root are  
larger than the root

Assume no duplicates!



## BST.h

```
1 #pragma once
2
3 template <typename K, typename V>
4 class BST {
5     public:
6         /* ... */
7     private:
8         class TreeNode {
9             K & key;
10            V & value;
11
12            TreeNode *left, *right;
13
14            TreeNode(K & k, V & v) :
15 key(k), value(v),
16 left(NULL), right(NULL) { }
17 };
18
19         TreeNode *root_;
20         /* ... */
21 };
22
23
```

## Tree.h

```
1 #pragma once
2
3 template <typename T>
4 class BinaryTree {
5     public:
6         /* ... */
7     private:
8         class TreeNode {
9             T & data;
10
11             TreeNode * left;
12
13             TreeNode * right;
14
15             TreeNode(T & data) :
16 data(data), left(NULL),
17 right(NULL) { . }
18
19         };
20
21         TreeNode *root_;
22         /* ... */
23 };
```



# Binary Search Tree ADT

Insert

*Modifying our ADT*

Remove

Find

*- was traversal now we can do both!*

Traverse

To insert  $\Rightarrow$  remove I need find

# BST Find

1) Start at root node

1.5) check if root is null  $\rightarrow$  return root;   
 if so

2) Check value of root  $\rightarrow$  key

$\hookrightarrow$  if root  $\rightarrow$  key  $=$  query

$\hookrightarrow$  if yes, return root

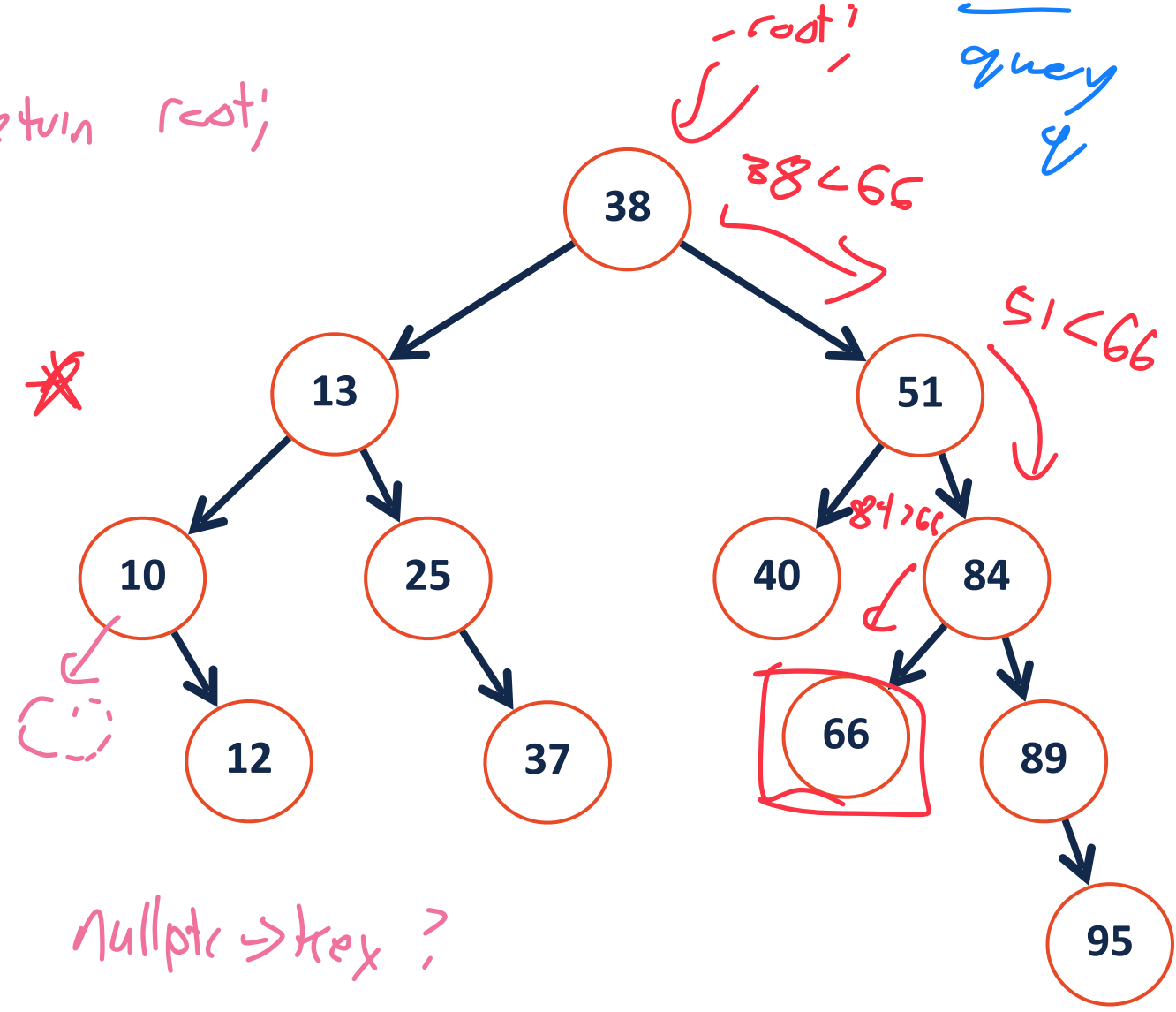
if root  $\rightarrow$  key  $<$  query

recurse right

if root  $\rightarrow$  key  $>$  query

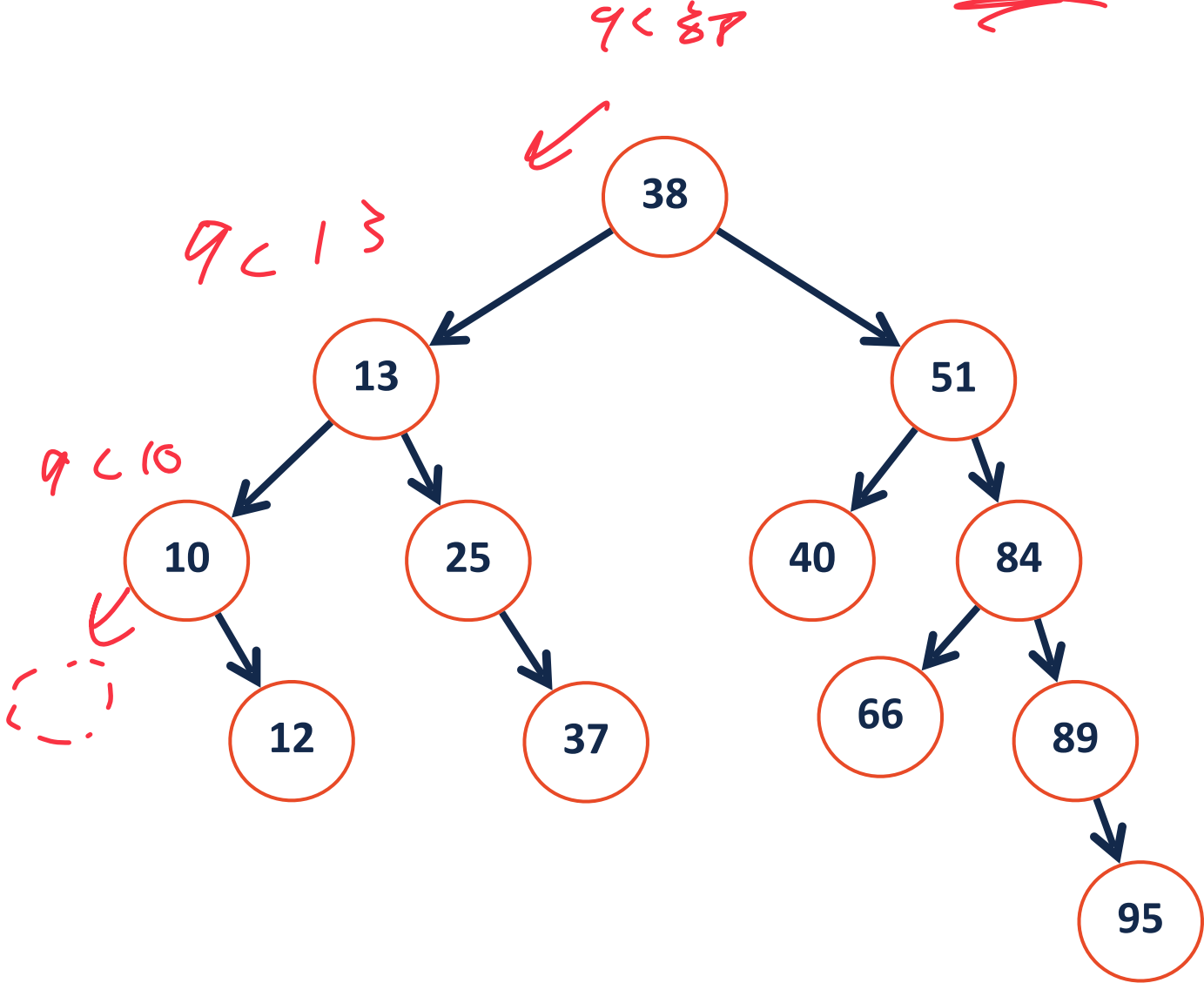
recurse left

## find(66)



# BST Find

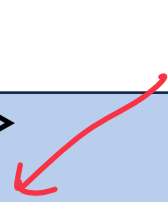
**find(9)**





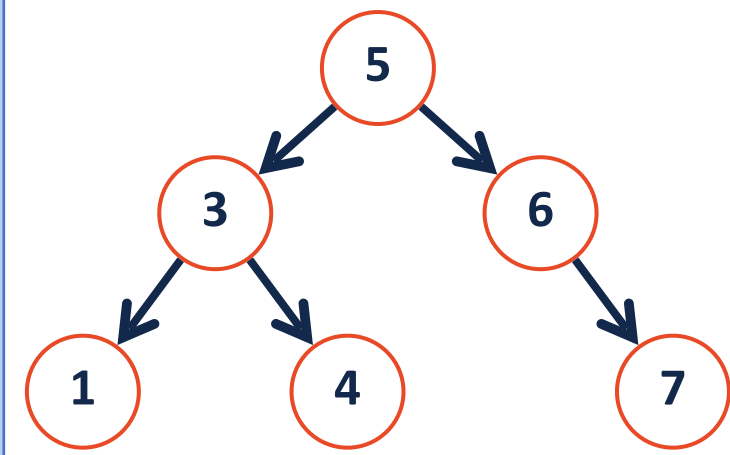


index 😊



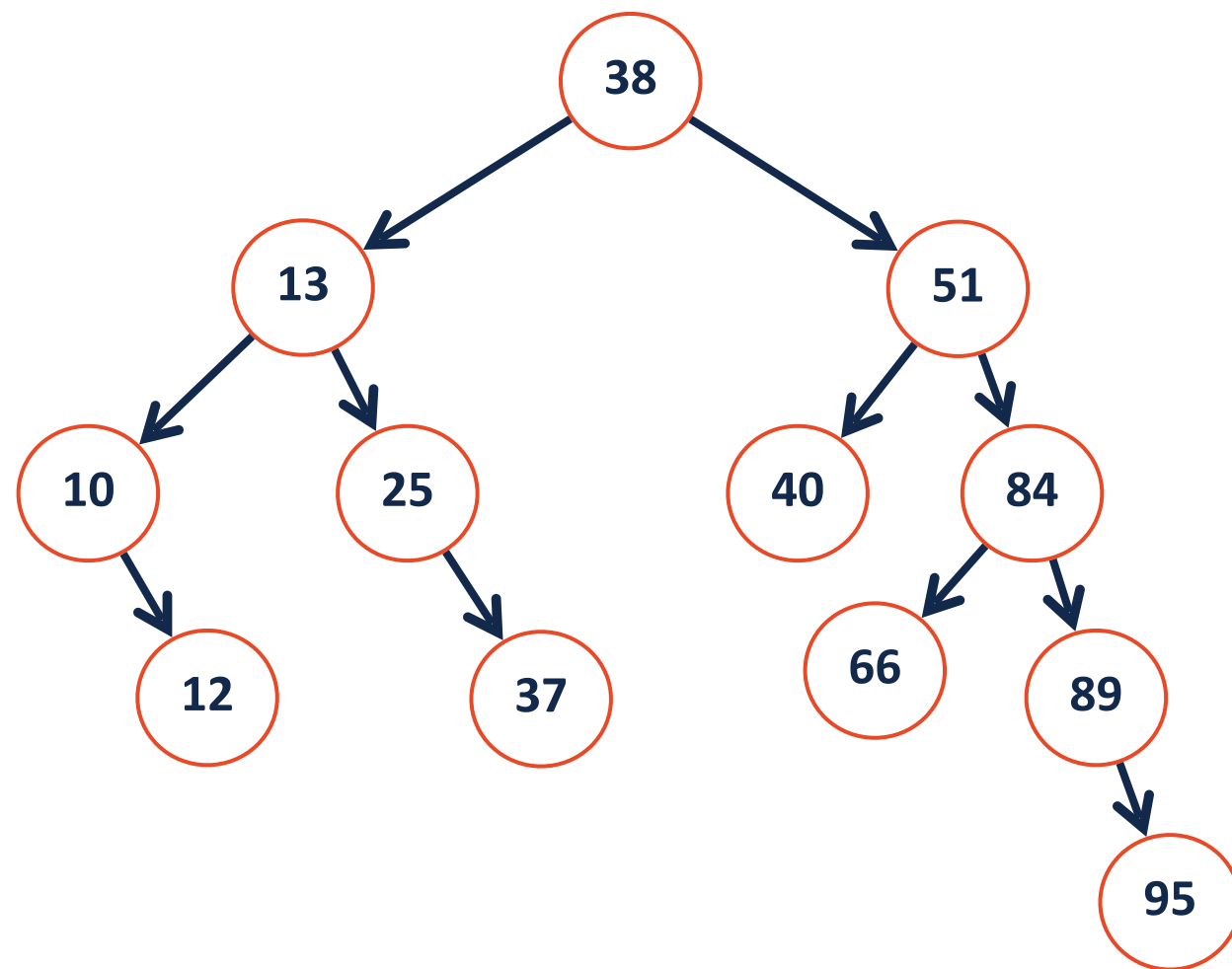
TreeNode \* P

```
1 template<typename K, typename V>
2
3 TreeNode * P __find(TreeNode *& root, const K & key) {
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23 }
```



# BST Insert

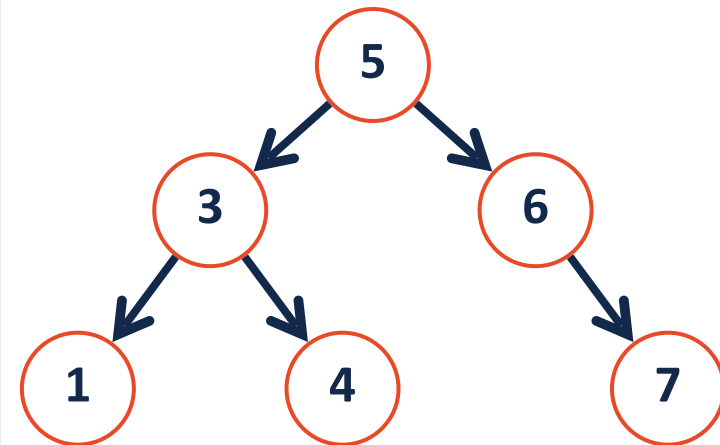
`insert(33, v)`





```
1 template<typename K, typename V>
2
3 void _insert(const K & key, const V & val) {
4
5     return _insert(root, key, val);
6 }
7
```

```
1 template<typename K, typename V>
2
3 void _insert(TreeNode *& root, const K & key, const V & val) {
4
5
6
7
8
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10
11
12
13
14
15
16 }
```



# BST Insert

What binary tree would be formed by inserting the following sequence of integers: [3, 7, 2, 1, 4, 8,  $\emptyset$ ]

# BST Remove

What should our tree look like after the following...

**remove (40)**

**remove (13)**

**remove (51)**

