

08-0: Priority Queue ADT

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Keys are “priorities”, with smaller keys having a “better” priority

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(using circular array)

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If the tree is balanced

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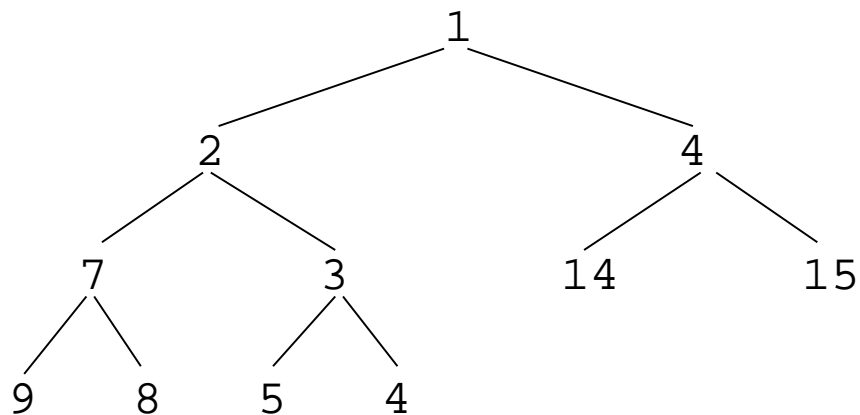
Computer Scientists are Pessimists

(Murphy was right)

08-6: Heap Definition

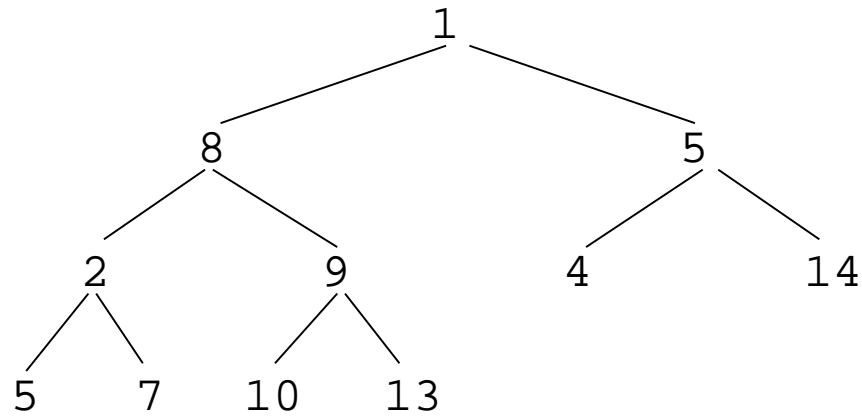
- Complete Binary Tree
- Heap Property
 - For every subtree in a tree, each value in the subtree is \geq value stored at the root of the subtree

08-7: Heap Examples



Valid Heap

08-8: Heap Examples



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 - Will the resulting tree still be a heap?

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 - “End” of the tree – as a child of the shallowest leaf that is farthest to the left
- Inserting an element at the “end” of the heap may break the heap property
 - Swap the value up the tree (examples)

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- Height of a Complete Binary Tree with n nodes = $\Theta(\lg n)$

- Total running time: $\Theta(\lg n)$ in the worst case

08-15: **Heap Remove Smallest**

- Finding the smallest element is easy – at the root of the tree
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- What element is easy to remove? How could this help us?

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 - Problem?

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 - Push the root down, until heap property is satisfied

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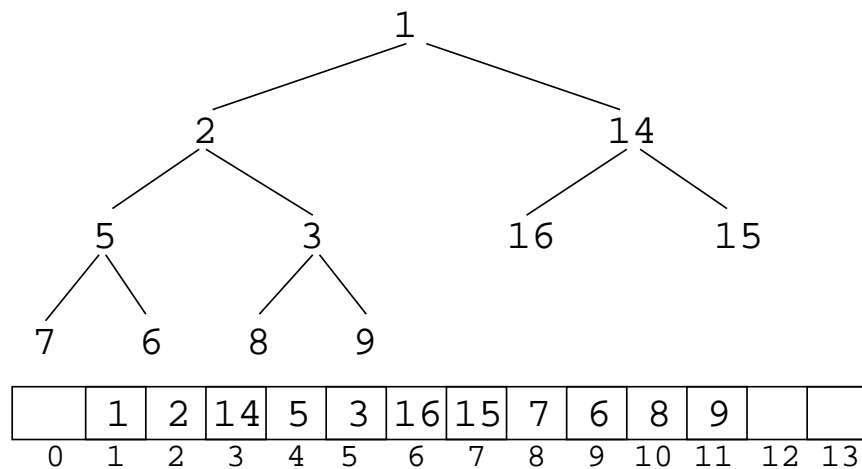
- Copy last element into root, remove last element: $O(1)$, given a $O(1)$ time method to find the last element
- Push the root down: $O(\text{height of the tree})$ (Worst case, push element all the way down)
 - As before, Complete Binary Tree with n elements has height $\Theta(\lg n)$
- Total time: $\Theta(\lg n)$ in the worst case

08-21: Representing Heaps

- Represent heaps using pointers, much like BSTs
 - Need to add parent pointers for insert to work correctly
 - Need to maintain a pointer to the location to insert the next element (this could be hard to update & maintain)
 - Space needed to store pointers – 3 per node – could be greater than the space need to store the data in the heap!
 - Memory allocation and deallocation is slow
- There is a better way!

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A Complete Binary Tree can be stored in an array:



08-23: CBTs as Arrays

- The root is stored at index 1
- For the node stored at index i :
 - Left child is stored at index $2 * i$
 - Right child is stored at index $2 * i + 1$
 - Parent is stored at index $\lfloor i/2 \rfloor$

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Finding the parent of a node

```
int parent(int n) {
    return (n / 2);
}
```

Finding the left child of a node

```
int leftchild(int n) {
    return 2 * n;
}
```

Finding the right child of a node

```
int rightchild(int n) {
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Running time? $O(n \lg n)$ – is this bound tight?

08-28: **Building a Heap** Total time: $c_1 + \sum_{i=1}^n c_2 \lg i$

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_1 + \sum_{i=1}^n c_2 \lg i &\geq \sum_{i=n/2}^n c_2 \lg i \\
 &\geq \sum_{i=n/2}^n c_2 \lg(n/2) \\
 &= (n/2)c_2 \lg(n/2) \\
 &= (n/2)c_2((\lg n) - 1) \\
 &\in \Omega(n \lg n)
 \end{aligned}$$

Running Time: $\Theta(n \lg n)$

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```
for (i=n/2; i>=0; i--)
  pushdown(i);
```

08-31: Building a Heap

How many swaps, worst case? If every pushdown has to swap all the way to a leaf:

$n/4$ elements	1 swap
$n/8$ elements	2 swaps
$n/16$ elements	3 swaps
$n/32$ elements	4 swaps
...	

Total # of swaps:

$$n/4 + 2n/8 + 3n/16 + 4n/32 + \dots + (\lg n)n/n$$

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- Time required?

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- Time required: $\Theta(\lg n)$, in the worst case.

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- Decrease key to a value $<$ root. Time $\Theta(\lg n)$ worst case
- Remove smallest element. Time $\Theta(\lg n)$ worst case

08-39: Java Specifics

- When inserting an element, push value up until it reaches the root, or it's \geq its parent
 - Our while statement will have two tests
- We can insert a *sentinel* value at index 0, guaranteed to be \leq any element in the heap
 - Now our while loop only requires a single test