Section 8

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4. What is the height of this tree? 4, since j is deepest and its depth is 4





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Iterators for binary trees

- Just like linked list iterators, binary tree iterators give consecutive access to values in nodes
- Binary tree iterators should satisfy the following interface:

```
public interface LinkedTreeIterator {
   boolean hasNext();
   int next(); // assume tree stores integers
}
```

- Depending on the traversal, we will write a class that implements LinkedTreeIterator and express the logic of the traversal in three places: constructor, hasNext() and next()
- Like LLList, we implement the iterator as a private inner class



Iterators for binary trees

- Start by copying nextNode and the hasNext() code from the linked list iterator
- When an iterator is constructed, what node should nextNode point to? root of the tree
 - In other words, which node is visited first in a pre-order traversal? here, the 15 node



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```
private class PreorderIterator ... {
   private Node nextNode;
   public int next() {
     int toReturn = nextNode.key;
                                                           nextNode
     nextNode = nextNode.left;
     return toReturn;
                                                                              15
   }
 }
                                                                    12
                                                                                      18
This works for the first call to next (), but it is clear we
                                                                                             25
                                                               6
need more cases—what should next() do when
nextNode points to the 6 node?
Since the 6 node has no left child, it should set
nextNode to nextNode.right
                                                               9
```

Iterators for binary trees: improving next() public int next() { int toReturn = nextNode.key; if (nextNode.left != null) { nextNode = nextNode.left; } else if (nextNode.right != null) { nextNode = nextNode.right; } else { ??? } return toReturn; 15 } 12 18 6 25 9





Iterators for binary trees: parent references

- To enable our binary tree iterator to reach all nodes starting from any node, we can add a parent reference to the inner Node class
- The methods of the LinkedTree class must be changed to properly update the parent reference (e.g., when inserting a node)



Iterators for binary trees: putting it together

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  } else if (nextNode.right != null) {
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  } else {
     Node p = nextNode.parent;
     Node c = nextNode;
      while (p != null && p.right == null || p.right == c) {
          c = p;
          p = p.parent;
      if (p == null) {
          nextNode = null;
      } else {
          nextNode = p.right;
  }
  return toReturn;
}
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Huffman encoding

- We are given a document where all characters are drawn from a set of 6 characters, with the frequencies shown here
- Let's create a Huffman tree from this table of frequencies and then use it to decode a binary string
- To create a Huffman tree, create nodes for each character, then, keeping the nodes in sorted order, repeatedly combining the two lowest-frequency nodes into a subtree

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• Let's use the tree to decode the following binary string:

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