HEAPS

Problem Solving with Computers-II



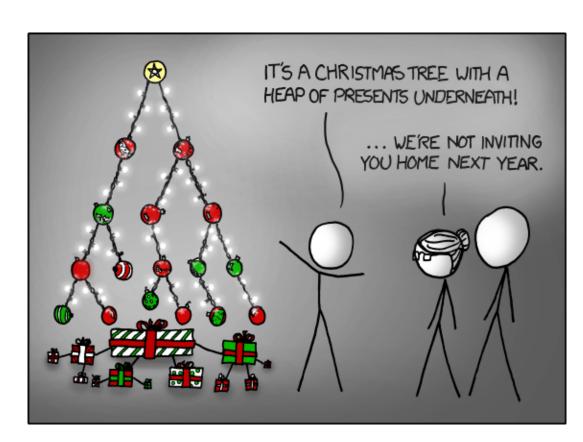


Reminders

- PA02 released, due Friday of Week 10 .
- Lab07 due Wed of Week 10
- zyBook, Chapter 8 activities due Monday of Finals week

Heaps

- Clarification
 - *heap*, the data structure is not related to *heap*, the region of memory
- What are the operations supported?
- What are the running times?



Heaps

Min-Heaps

Max-Heap

BST

- Insert :
- Min:
- Delete Min:
- Max
- Delete Max

Applications:

- Efficient sort
- Finding the median of a sequence of numbers
- Compression codes

Choose heap if you are doing repeated insert/delete/(min OR max) operations

std::priority_queue (STL's version of heap)

A C++ priority_queue is a generic container, and can store any data type on which an ordering can be defined: for example ints, structs (Card), pointers etc.

#include <queue>
priority_queue<int> pq;

Methods:

- * push() //insert
- * pop() //delete max priority item
- *top() //get max priority item
- * empty() //returns true if the priority queue is empty
- *size() //returns the number of elements in the PQ
- You can extract object of highest priority in O(log N)
- To determine priority: objects in a priority queue must be comparable to each other

STL Heap implementation: Priority Queues in C++

What is the output of this code?

```
priority queue<int> pq;
pq.push(10);
pq.push(2);
pq.push(80);
cout<<pq.top();</pre>
pq.pop();
cout<<pq.top();</pre>
pq.pop();
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pq.pop();
```

A.10 2 80 B.2 10 80 C.80 10 2 D.80 2 10 E. None of the above

std::priority_queue template arguments

```
template <
    class T,
    class Container= vector<T>,
    class Compare = less <T>
        > class priority_queue;
```

The template for priority_queue takes 3 arguments:

- 1. Type elements contained in the queue.
- 2. Container class used as the internal store for the priority_queue, the default is vector<T>
- 3. Class that provides priority comparisons, the default is less

std::priority_queue template arguments

//Template parameters for a max-heap
priority_queue<int, vector<int>, std::less<int>> pq;

//Template parameters for a min-heap
priority_queue<int, vector<int>, std::greater<int>> pq;

Comparison class

 Comparison class: A class that implements a function operator for comparing objects

```
Class compareClass{
    bool operator()(int& a, int & b) const {
        return a>b;
    }
};
```

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```
int main(){ What is the output of this code?
    compareClass c; A.1
    cout<<c(10, 20)<<endl; B.0
    C.Error
```

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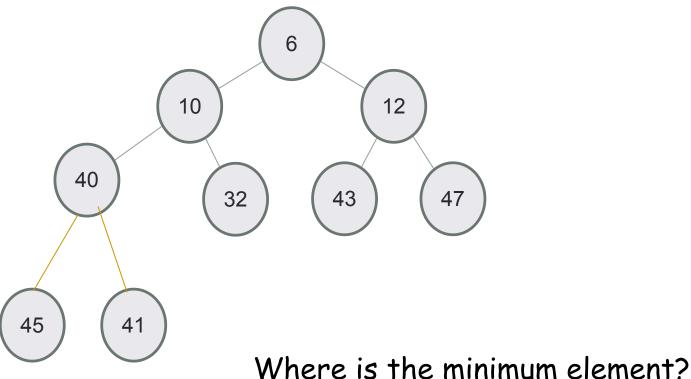
```
Class cmp{
        bool operator()(int& a, int & b) const {
                return a>b;
        }
};
priority queue<int, vector<int>, cmp> pq;
pq.push(10);
pq.push(2);
pq.push(80);
 cout<<pre>pq.top();
                        Output:
pq.pop();
 cout<<pre>pq.top();
                                        heap
                        pq is a
pq.pop();
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Heaps as binary trees

- Rooted binary tree that is as complete as possible
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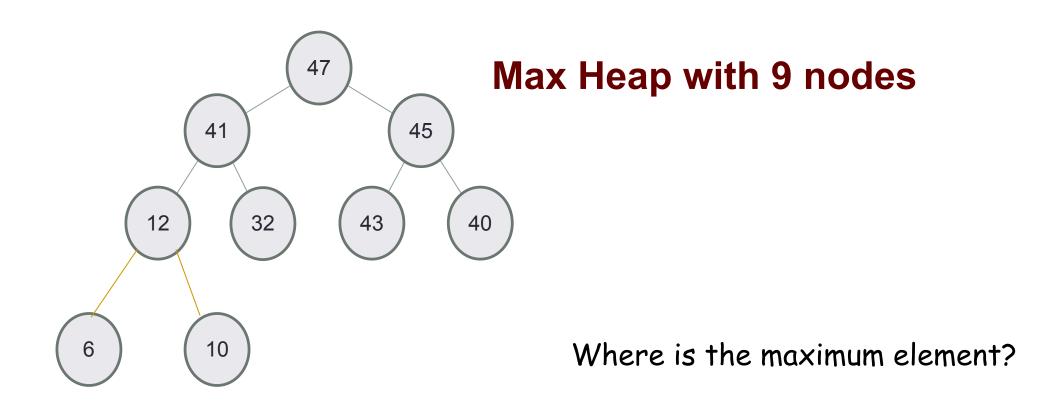
key(x)<= key(children of x)</pre>

Min Heap with 9 nodes



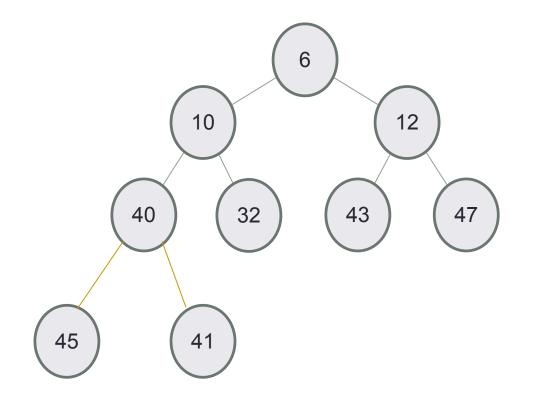
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Structure: Complete binary tree

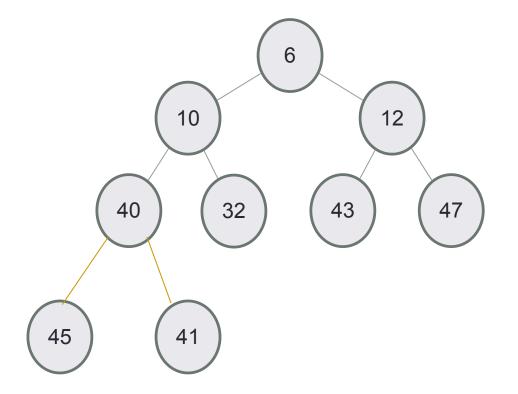
A heap is a complete binary tree: Each level is as full as possible. Nodes on the bottom level are placed as far left as possible



Identifying heaps

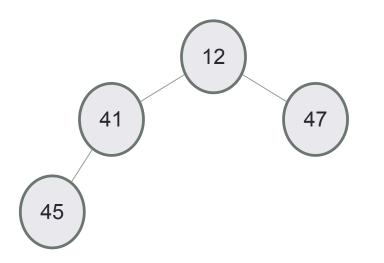
Starting with the following min-Heap which of the following operations will result in something that is NOT a min Heap

- A. Swap the nodes 40 and 32
- B. Swap the nodes 32 and 43
- C. Swap the nodes 43 and 40
- D. Insert 50 as the left child of 45
- E. C&D

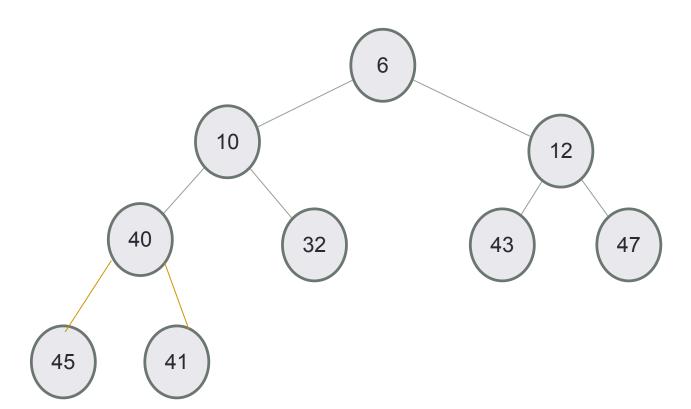


Insert 50 into a heap

- Insert key(x) in the first open slot at the last level of tree (going from left to right)
- If the heap property is not violated Done
- Else: while(key(parent(x))>key(x)) swap the key(x) with key(parent(x))

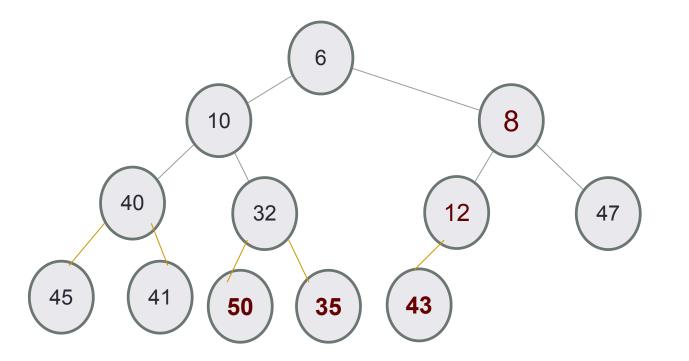


Insert 50, then 35, then 8



Delete min

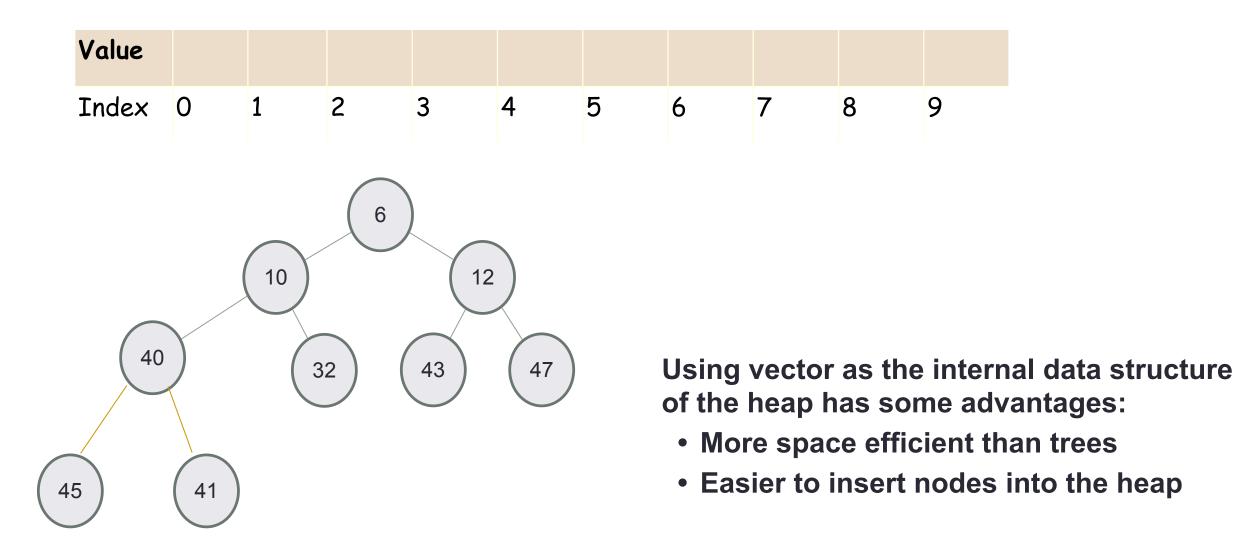
- Replace the root with the rightmost node at the last level
- "Bubble down"- swap node with child with the smallest key value until the heap property is restored



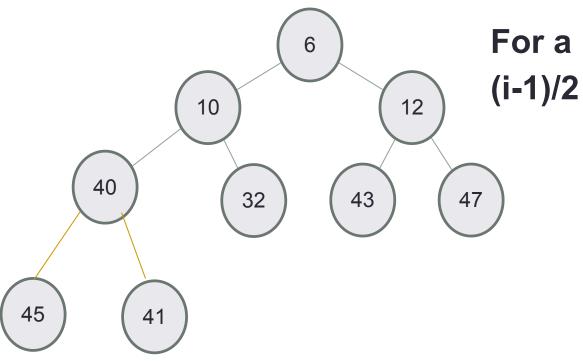
Under the hood of heaps

- An efficient way of implementing heaps is using vectors
- Although we think of heaps as trees, the entire tree can be efficiently represented as a vector!!

Implementing heaps using an array or vector



Finding the "parent" of a "node" in the vector representation



For a key at index i, index of the parent is

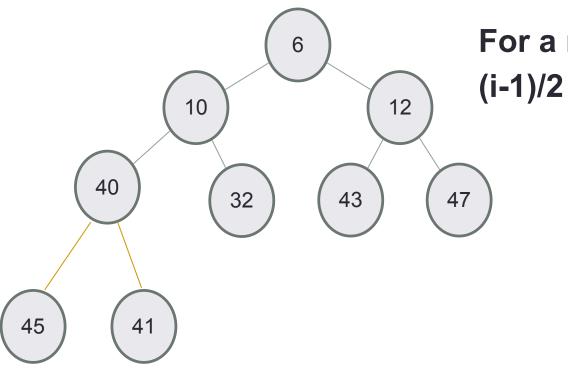
Value	6	10	12	40	32	43	47	45	41	
Index	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	

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Insert the elements {12, 41, 47, 45, 32} in a min-Heap using the vector representation of the heap

Insert 50, then 35

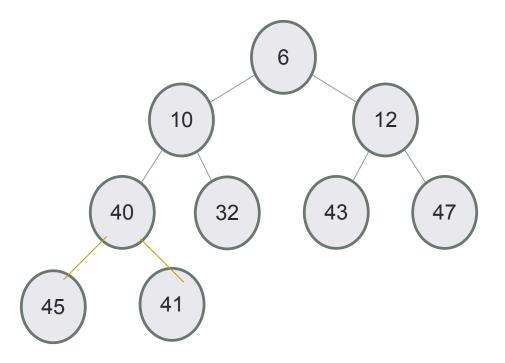


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Traversing down the tree

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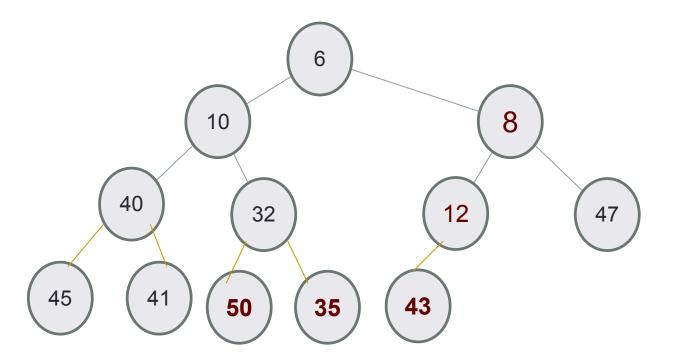


For a node at index i, what is the index of the left and right children?

- A. (2*i, 2*i+1)
- B. (2*i+1, 2*i+2)
- C. (log(i), log(i)+1)
- **D.** None of the above

Delete min

- Replace the root with the rightmost node at the last level
- "Bubble down"- swap node with one of the children until the heap property is restored



Insert 8 into a heap

Value	6	10	12	40	32	43	47	45	41	50	35
Index	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

After inserting 8, which node is the parent of 8 ?

- A. Node 6
- B. Node 12
- C. None 43
- **D. None Node 8 will be the root**