



Lecture Participation Poll #15

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Lecture 15: Intro to Trie

CSE 374: Intermediate
Programming Concepts and
Tools

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Assignments

- HW4 Due Thursday Nov 11

Make Files

- **Make** is a program which automates building **dependency trees**

- List of **rules** written in a **Makefile** declares the commands which build each intermediate part
- Helps you avoid manually typing gcc commands, easier and less prone to typos
- Automates build process

- Makefiles are a list of with **Make rules** which include:

- **Target** - An output file to be generated, dependent on one or more sources
- **Source** - Input source code to be built
- **Recipe** - command to generate target

tab not spaces!

```
target: source
      recipe
```

```
ll.o: ll.c ll.h
      gcc -c ll.c
```

- Makefile logic

- Make builds based on structural organization of how code depends on other code as defined by includes
- Recursive - if a source is also a target for other sources, must also evaluate its dependencies and remake as required
- Make can check when you've last edited each file, and only build what is needed!
 - Files have "last modification date". make can check whether the sources are more recent than the target
- Make isn't language specific: recipe can be any valid shell command

- run make command from within same folder

- `$make [-f makefile] [options] ... [targets] ../`
- Starts with first rule in file then follows dependency tree
- `-f` specifies makefile name, if non provided will default to "Makefile"
- if no target is specified will default to first listed in file

Makefile Example: Linked List

```
#include "ll.h"

int main() {
    Node *n1 = make_node(4, NULL);

    // rest of main...
}
main.c
```

```
#ifndef LL_H
#define LL_H

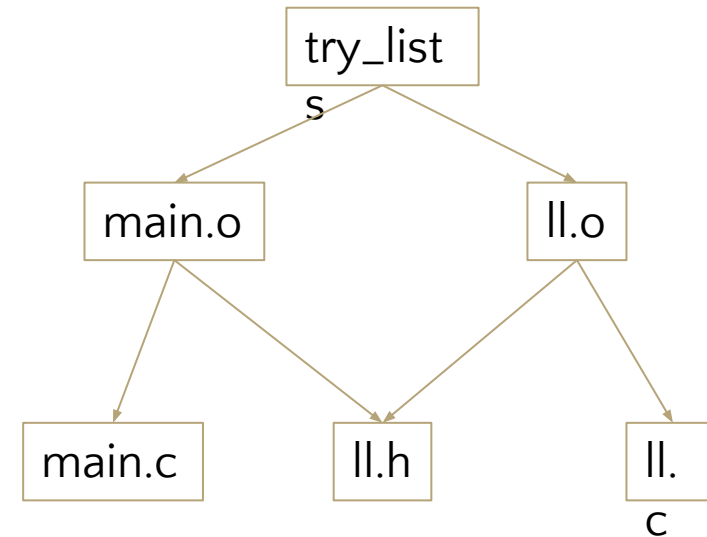
typedef struct Node {

    // rest of Node def...
}
ll.h
```

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <stdio.h>

#include "ll.h"

Node *make_node(int value, Node *next) {
    // rest of linked list code...
}
ll.c
```



```
try_lists: ll.o main.o
    gcc -o try_lists ll.o main.o

ll.o: ll.c ll.h
    gcc -c ll.c -o ll.o

main.o: main.c ll.h
    gcc -c main.c -o main.o
```

Makefile

More Make Tools

- make variables help reduce repetitive typing and make alterations easier
 - can change variables from command line
 - enables us to reuse Makefiles on new projects
 - can use conditionals to choose variable settings
- ifdef checks if a given variable is defined for conditional execution
 - ifndef checks if a given variable is NOT defined
- Special characters:
 - \$@ for target
 - \$^ for all sources
 - \$< for left-most source
 - \ enables multiline recipes
 - * functions as wildcard (use carefully)
 - % enables implicit rule definition by using % as a make specific wildcard

```
CC = gcc
CFLAGS = -Wall

foo.o: foo.c foo.h bar.h
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c foo.c -o foo.o

make CFLAGS=-g

EXE=
ifdef WINDIR #defined on Windows
    EXE=.exe
endif
widget$(EXE): foo.o bar.o
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o widget$(EXE) \
        foo.o bar.o

OBJFILES = foo.o bar.o baz.o
widget: $(OBJFILES)
    gcc -o widget $(OBJFILES)

%.o: %.c
    $(CC) -c $(CFLAGS) $< -o $@
clean:
    rm *.o widget
```

Makefile

Phony Targets

- A target that doesn't create the listed output
- A way to force run commands regardless of dependency tree
- Common uses:
 - all - used to list all top notes across multiple dependency trees
 - clean - cleans up files after usage
 - test - specifies test functionality
 - printing messages or info

```
all: try_lists test_suite
clean:
    rm objectfiles
test: test_suite
    ./test_suite
```

```
CC = gcc
CGLAGS = -Wall

all: my_program your_program

my_program: foo.o bar.o
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o my_program foo.o bar.o

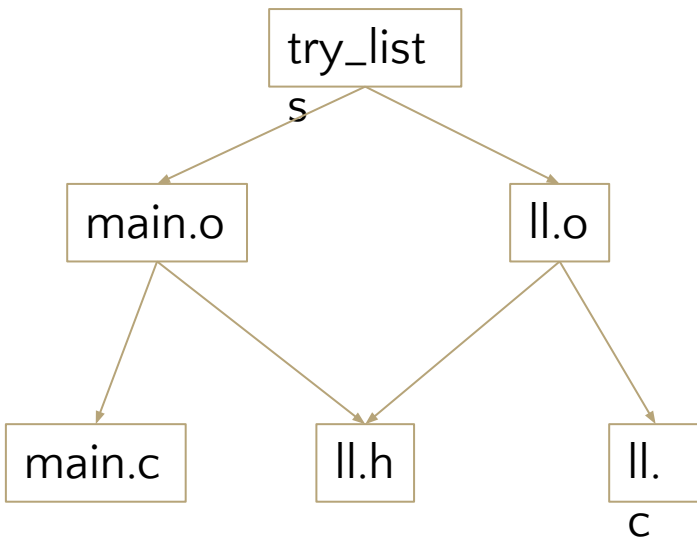
your_program: bar.o baz.o
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o your_program foo.o baz.o

#not shown: foo.o, bar.o, baz.o targets

clean:
    rm *.o my_program your_program
```

Makefile

Example Makefile



variable definitions

must include rules
for each file

rules define
dependency
hierarchy

```
CC = gcc
CGLAGS = -g -Wall -std=c11

try_lists: main.o ll.o
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o try_lists main.o ll.o

main.o: main.c ll.h
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c main.c

ll.o: ll.c ll.h
    $(CC) $(CFILES) -c ll.c

clean:
    rm *.o
```

Makefile

Example

```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <ctype.h>
#include "speak.h"
#include "shout.h"
/* Write message m in uppercase to
stdout */
void shout(char m[])
{
    int len; /* message length */
    char *mcopy; /* copy of original
message */
    int i;
    len = strlen(m);
    mcopy = (char
*)malloc(len*sizeof(char)+1);
    strcpy(mcopy,m);
    for (i = 0; i < len; i++)
        mcopy[i] = toupper(mcopy[i]);
    speak(mcopy); free(mcopy);
}
```

shout.c

```
#ifndef SPEAK_H
#define SPEAK_H
/* Write message m to stdout */
void speak(char m[]);
#endif /* ifndef SPEAK_H */
```

speak.h

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include "speak.h"
/* Write message m to stdout */
void speak(char m[])
{
    printf("%s\n", m);
}
```

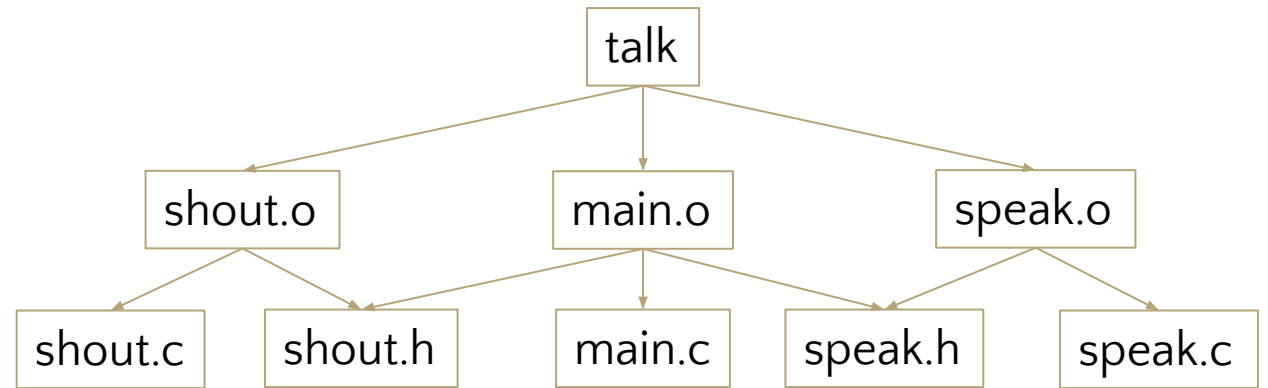
speak.c

```
#include "speak.h"
#include "shout.h"
/* Say HELLO and goodbye */
int main(int argc, char* argv[])
{
    shout("hello");
    speak("goodbye");
    return 0;
}
```

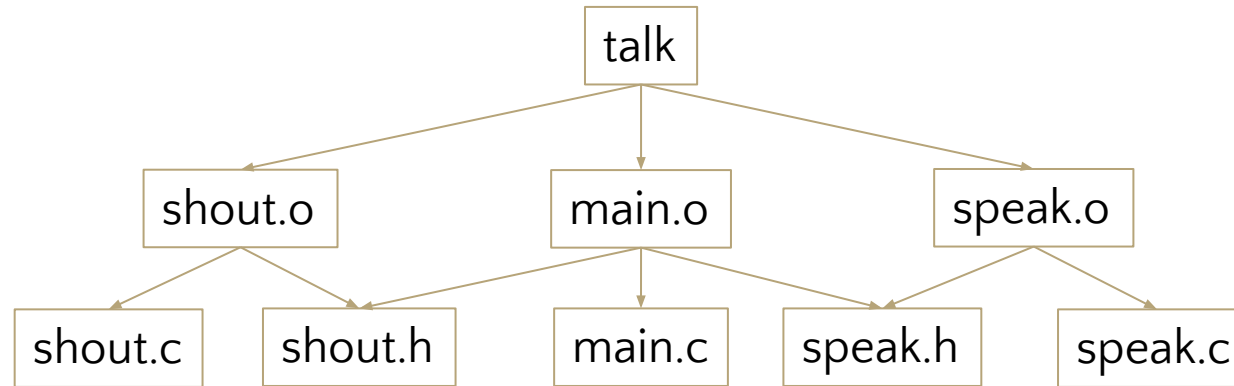
main.c

```
#ifndef SHOUT_H
#define SHOUT_H
/* Write message m in uppercase to stdout */
void shout(char m[]);
#endif /* ifndef SHOUT_H */
```

shout.h



Example



```
all: talk
# The executable
talk: main.o speak.o shout.o
    gcc -Wall -std=c11 -g -o talk main.o speak.o shout.o

# Individual source files
speak.o: speak.c speak.h
    gcc -Wall -std=c11 -g -c speak.c
shout.o: shout.c shout.h speak.h
    gcc -Wall -std=c11 -g -c shout.c
main.o: main.c speak.h shout.h
    gcc -Wall -std=c11 -g -c main.c

# A "phony" target to remove built files and backups
clean: rm -f *.o talk *~
```

Makefile

Example

Makefile

```
CC = gcc
# Compiler flags: -Wall for debugger warnings
# -std=c11 for updated standards
CFLAGS = -Wall -std=c11

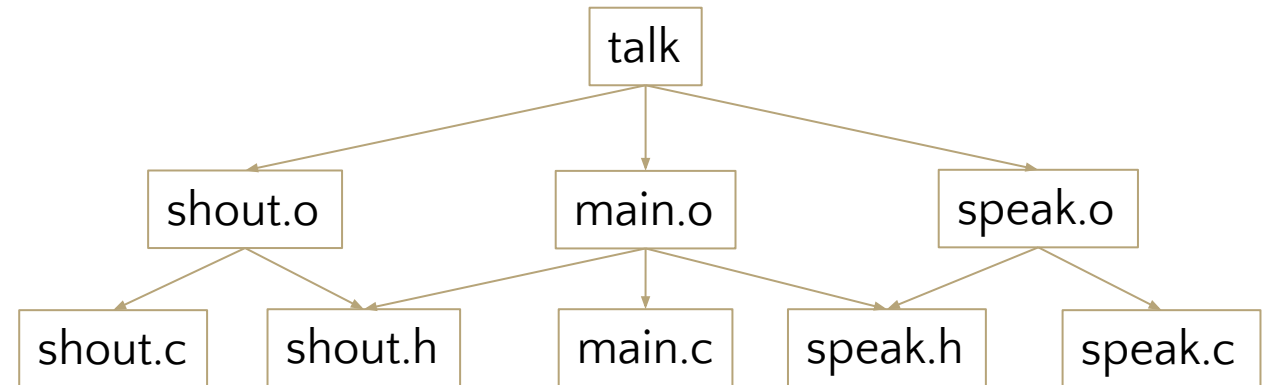
ifdef DEBUG
CFLAGS += -g
endif

# The name of the program that we are producing.
TARGET = talk

# This is a "phony" target that tells
# make what other targets to build.
all: $(TARGET)

# All the .o files we need for our executable.
OBJS = main.o speak.o shout.o

# The executable
$(TARGET): $(OBJS)
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -o talk $(OBJS)
```



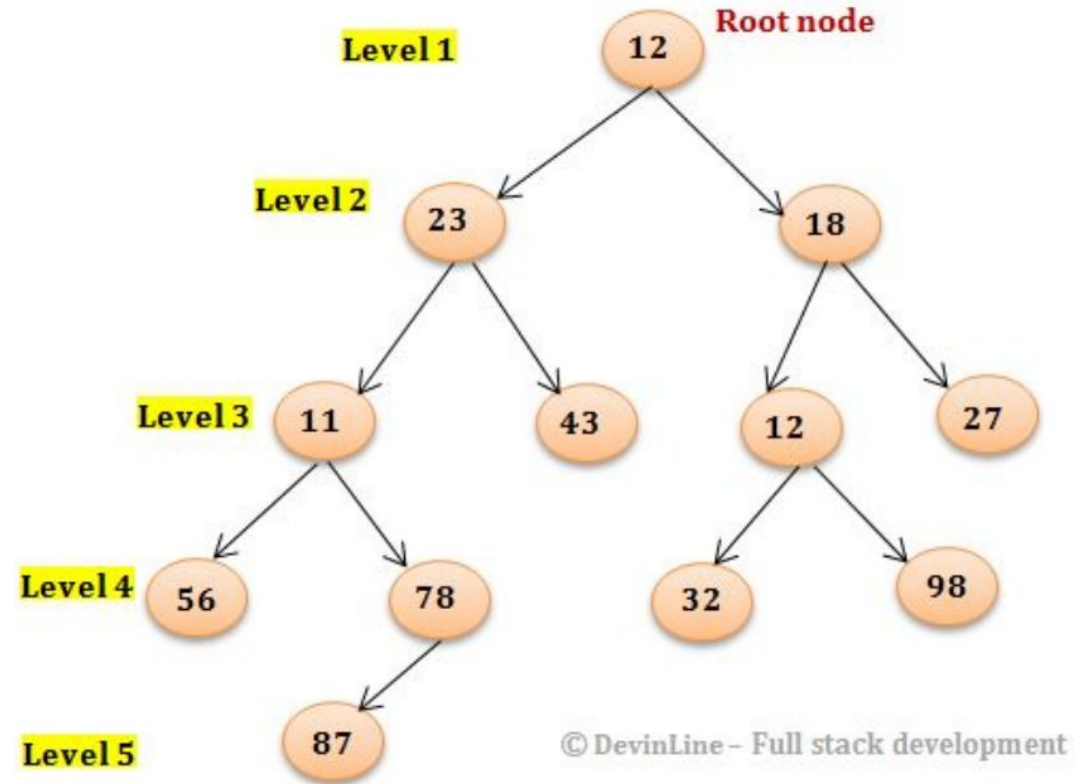
```
# Individual source files
speak.o: speak.c speak.h
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c speak.c
shout.o: shout.c shout.h speak.h
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c shout.c
main.o: main.c speak.h shout.h
    $(CC) $(CFLAGS) -c main.c

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Binary Trees

```
struct BinaryTreeNode
{
    int data;
    struct BinaryTreeNode* left;
    struct BinaryTreeNode* right;
}
struct BinaryTree
{
    struct BinaryTreeNode* root;
}
```

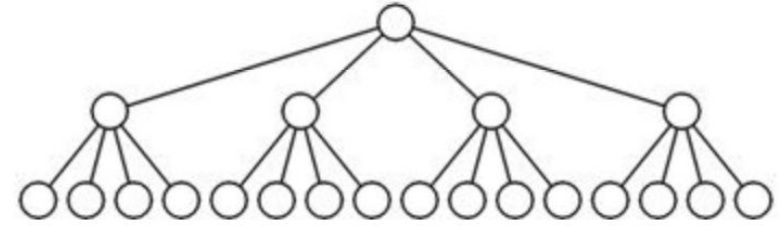
Binary tree



N-Ary Tree

```
struct TrinaryTreeNode
{
    char* data;
    struct TrinaryTreeNode* left;
    struct TrinaryTreeNode* middle;
    struct TrinaryTreeNode* right;
}

struct QuadTreeNode
{
    char* data;
    struct QuadTreeNode* children[4];
}
```



- Binary trees just one formal can have any “branching number”
- Trinary trees have branching number of three
- For arbitrarily large branching numbers, arrays can make more sense than lists of named pointers.

Prefix Tree (Trie)

Tries are a character-by-character set-of-Strings implementation

Nodes store *parts of keys* instead of *keys*

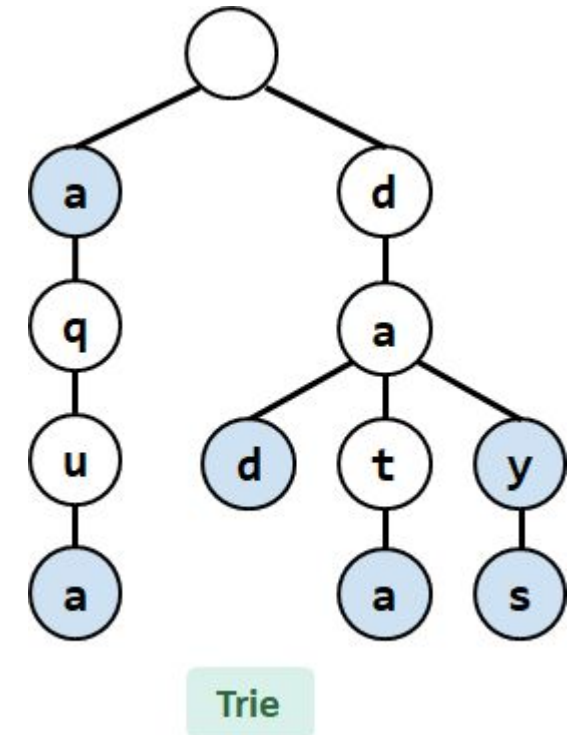
Compact data storage

Key of each node defined entirely by position

efficient worst case searching

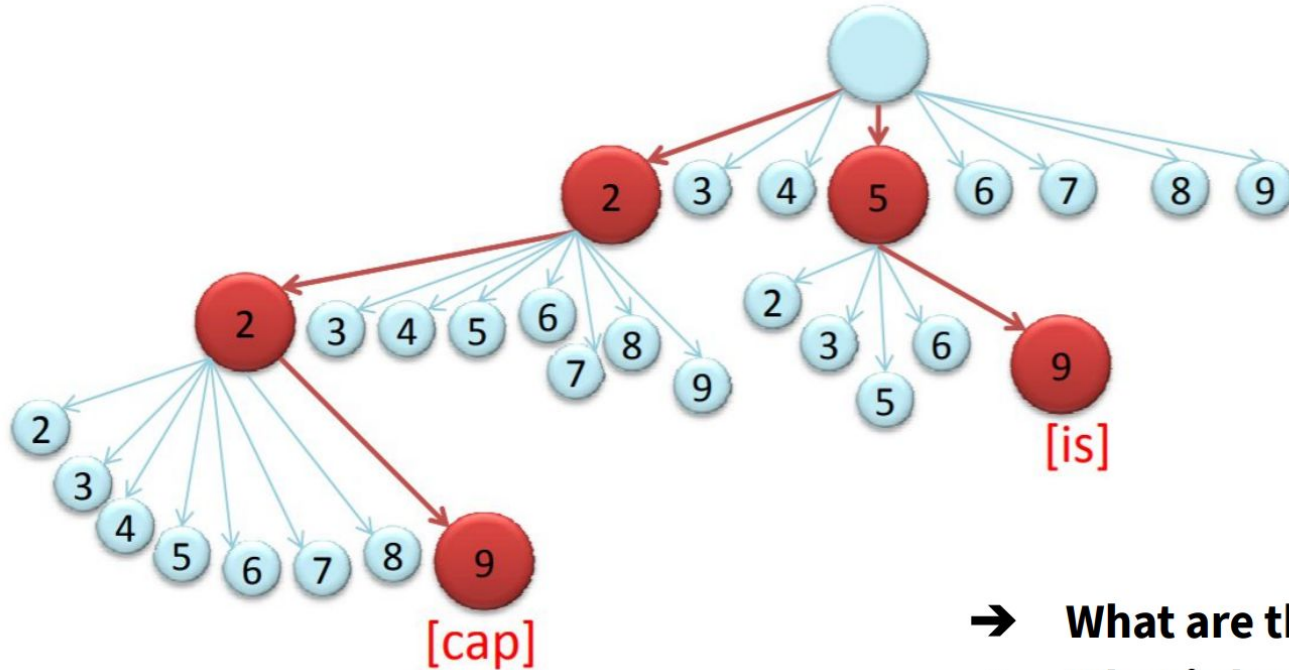
strings often use 26-ary tree

- predictive text
- spell check



T9 Trie

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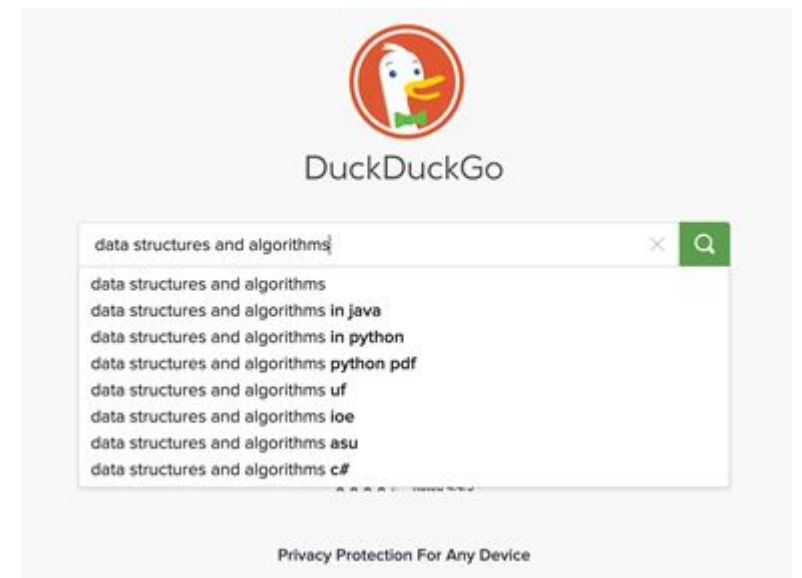
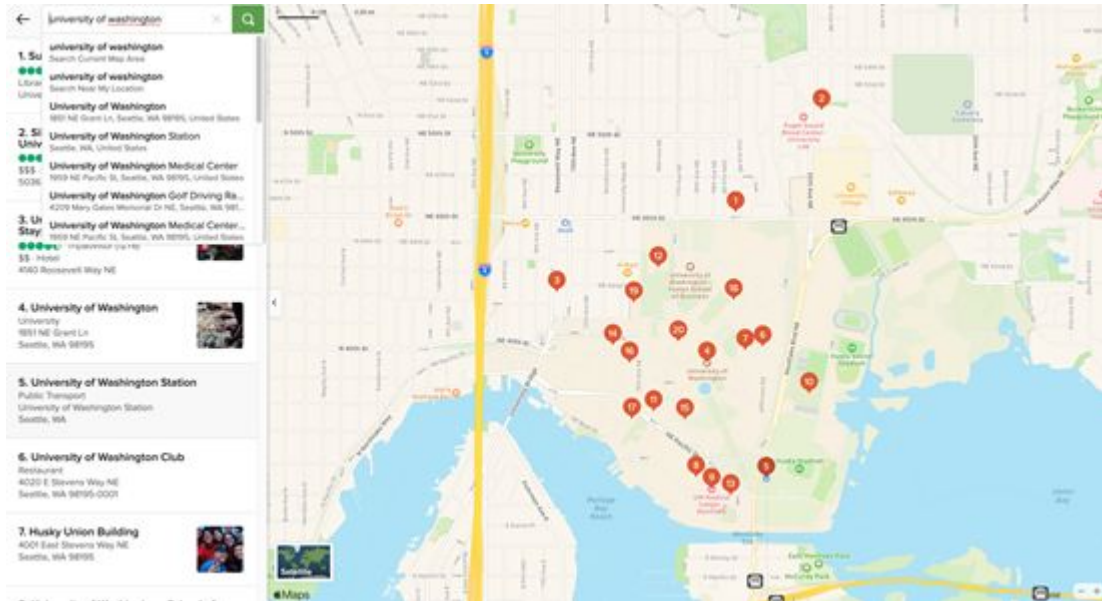
- What are the branches labeled?
- What is branching factor?
- What data is stored in each node?

Autocomplete

Search Engines support autocomplete.

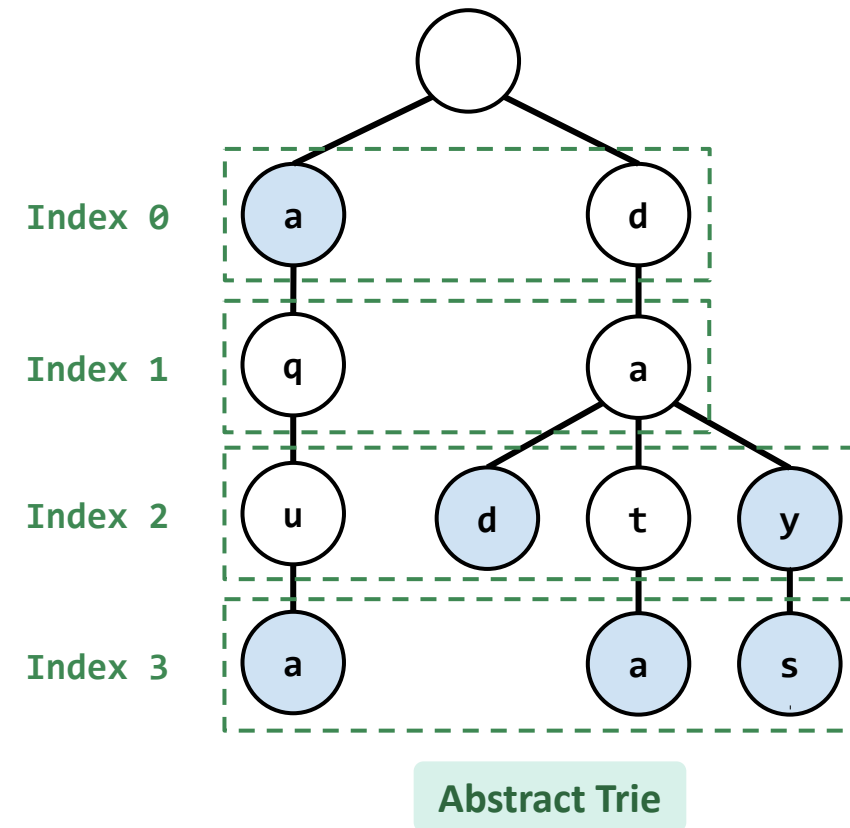
How do you efficiently implement autocomplete with the ADTs we know so far?

Formal Problem: Given a “prefix” of a string, find all strings in a set of possible strings that have the given prefix.



Abstract Trie

- Each level represents an index
 - Children represent next possible characters at that index
- This Trie stores the following set of Strings:
 - $\begin{matrix} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & & 0 & 1 & 2 \\ & a, & a & q & u & a, & d, & a, & d, & a, \end{matrix}$
 - $\begin{matrix} & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & & 0 & 1 & 2 & & 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ & d, & a, & t, & a, & s, & d, & a, & t, & a, & d, & a, & t, & a, \end{matrix}$
- How do we deal with **a** and **aqua**?
 - Mark complete Strings with a **boolean** (shown in blue)
 - Complete string: a String that belongs in our set



Searching in Tries

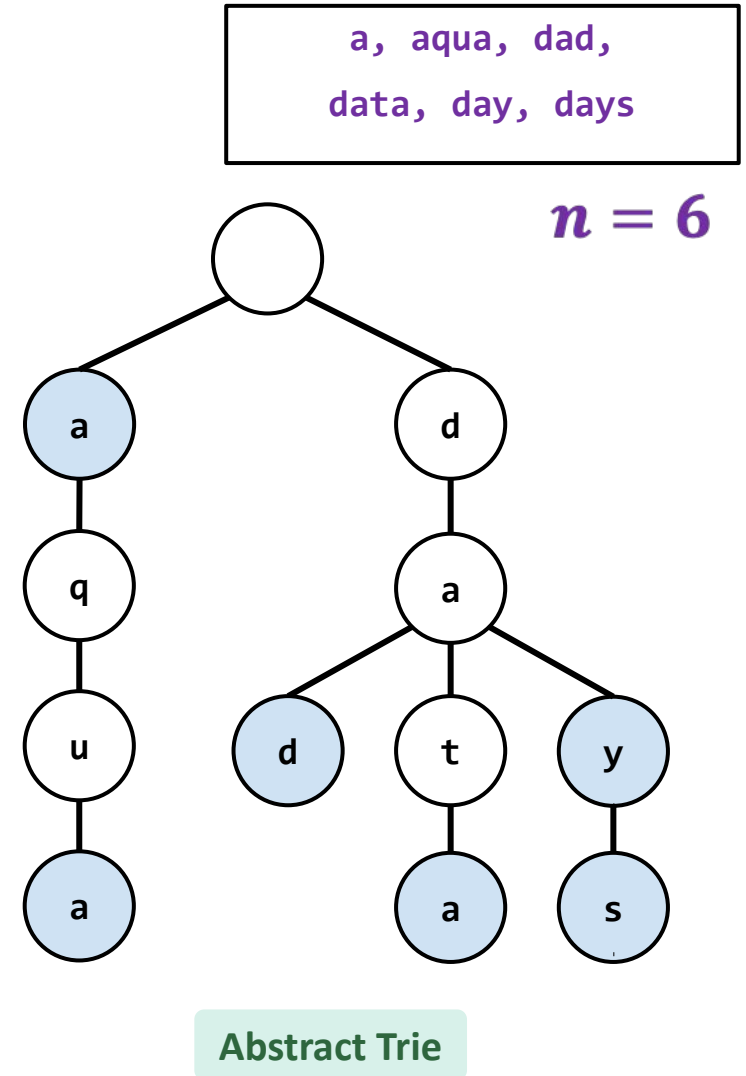
Search hit: the final node is a key (colored blue)

Search miss: caused in one of two ways

1. The final node is not a key (not colored blue)
2. We “fall” off the Trie

```
contains("data") // hit, l = 4
contains("da")   // miss, l = 2
contains("a")    // hit, l = 1
contains("dubs") // miss, l = 4
```

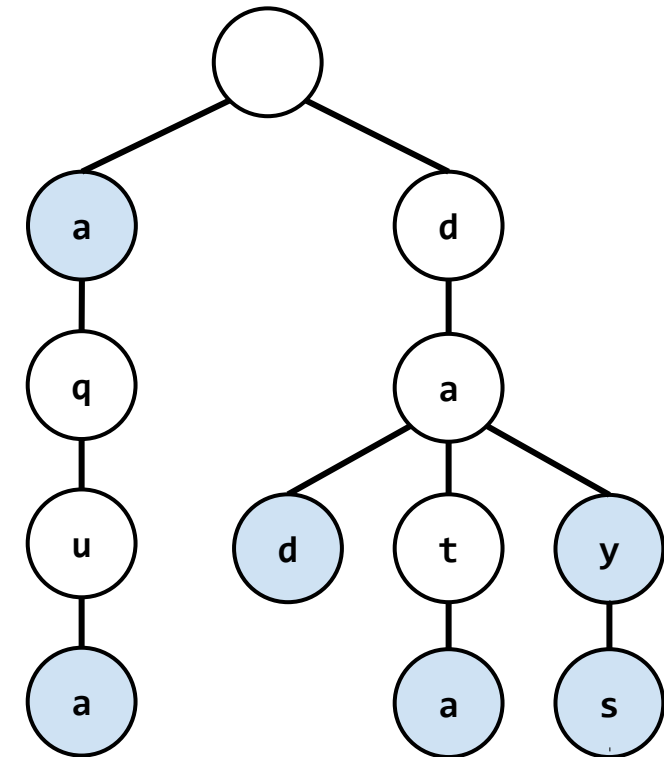
`contains` runtime given key of length l with n keys in Trie: $\Theta(l)$



Prefix Operations with Tries

a, aqua, dad,
data, day, days

- The main appeal of Tries is its efficient prefix matching!
- **Prefix:** find set of keys associated with given prefix
`keysWithPrefix("day")` returns ["day", "days"]
- **Longest Prefix From Trie:** given a String, retrieve longest prefix of that String that exists in the Trie
`longestPrefixOf("aquarium")` returns "aqua"
`longestPrefixOf("aqueous")` returns "aqu"
`longestPrefixOf("dawgs")` returns "da"



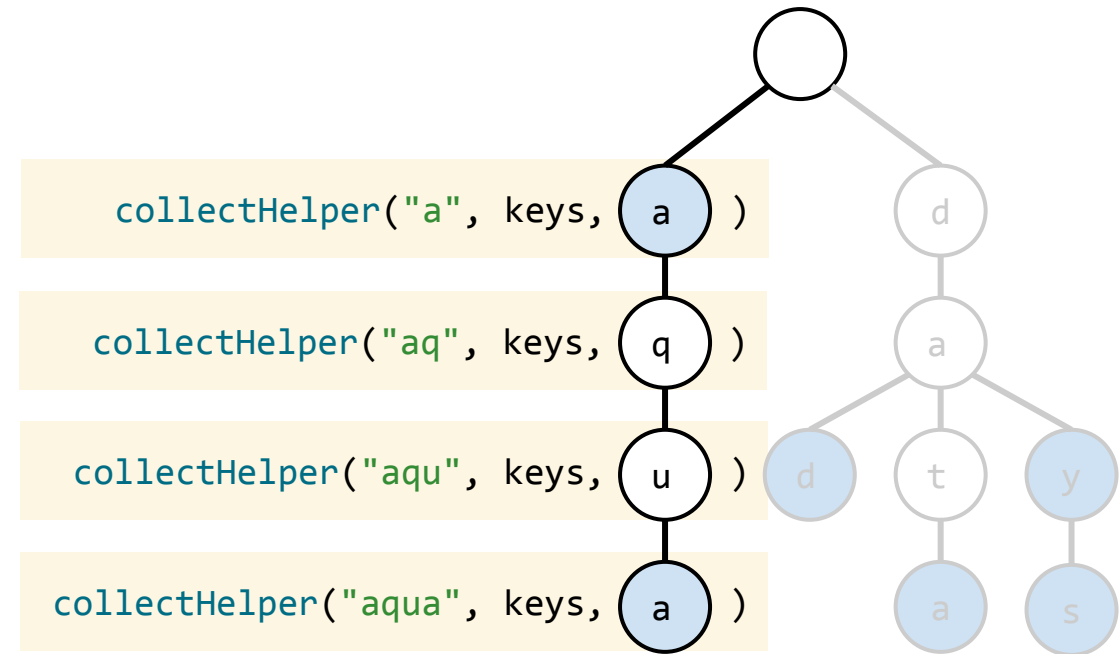
Abstract Trie

Collecting Trie Keys

- **Collect:** return set of all keys in the Trie (like `keySet()`)

`collect(trie) = ["a", "aqua", "dad", "data", "day", "days"]`

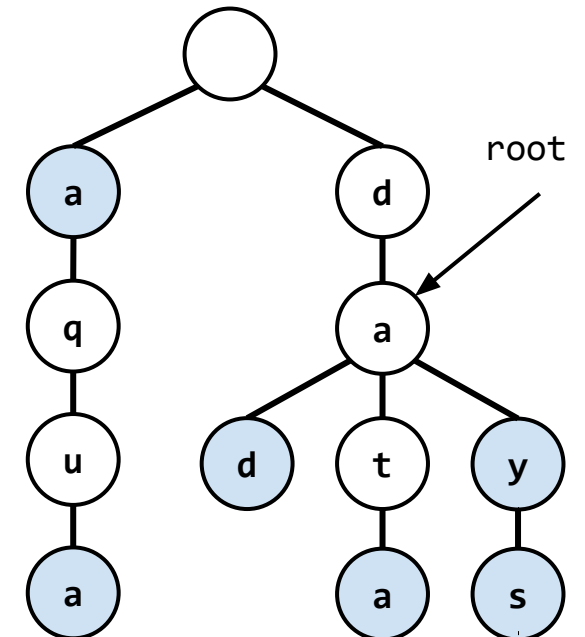
```
List collect() {  
    List keys;  
    for (Node c : root.children) {  
        collectHelper(n.char, keys, c);  
    }  
    return keys;  
}  
  
void collectHelper(String str, List keys, Node n) {  
    if (n.isKey()) {  
        keys.add(s);  
    }  
    for (Node c : n.children) {  
        collectHelper(str + c.char, keys, c);  
    }  
}
```



keysWithPrefix Implementation

- `keysWithPrefix(String prefix)`
 - Find all the keys that corresponds to the given prefix

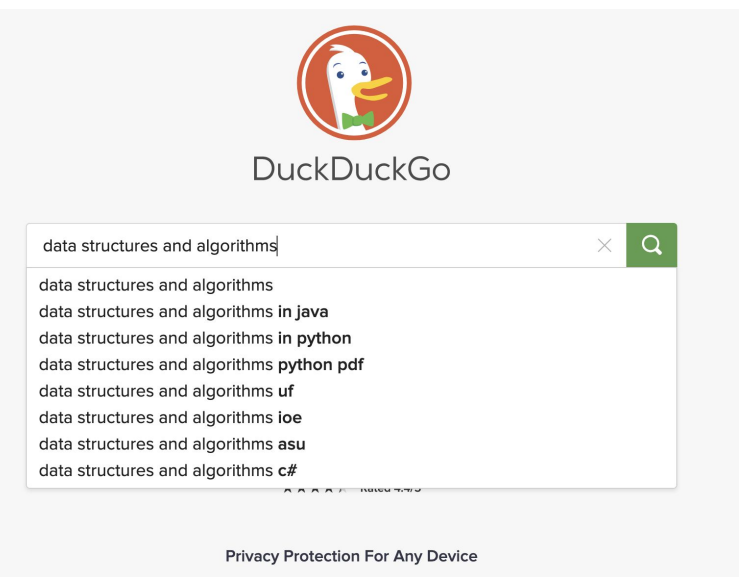
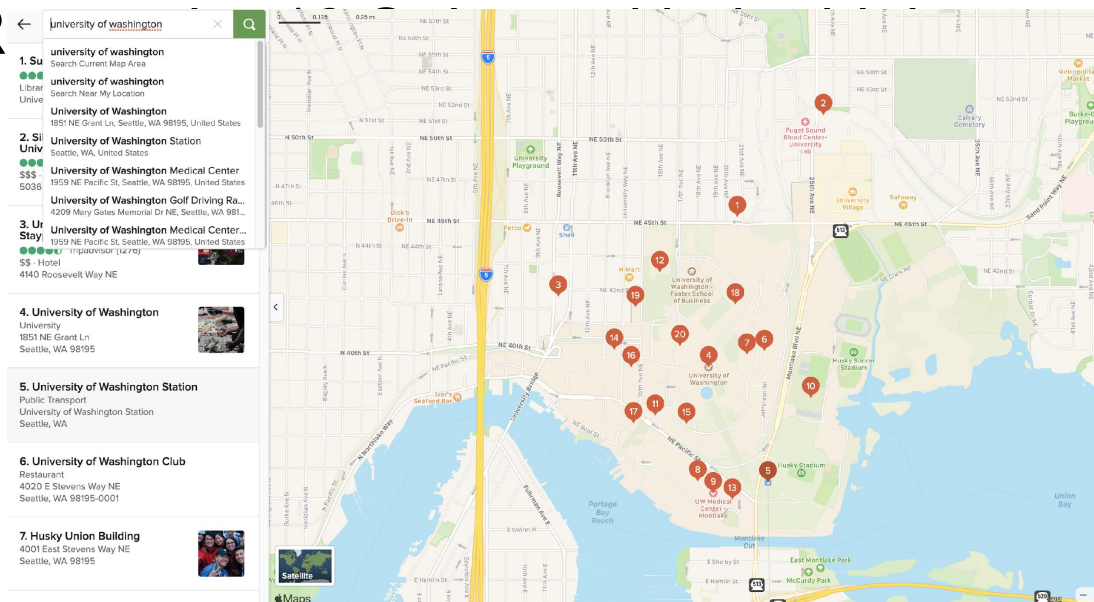
```
List keysWithPrefix(String prefix) {  
    Node root; // Node corresponding to given prefix  
    List keys; // Empty list to store keys  
  
    for (Node n : root.children) {  
        collectHelper(prefix + n.char, keys, c);  
    }  
}  
  
void collectHelper(String str, List keys, Node n) {  
    if (n.isKey()) {  
        keys.add(s);  
    }  
    for (Node c : n.children) {  
        collectHelper(str + c.char, keys, c);  
    }  
}
```



Autocomplete with Tries

- Autocomplete should return the **most relevant results**
- One method: a Trie-based `Map<String, Relevance>`
 - When a user types in a string "hello", call `keysWithPrefix("hello")`

- R ← `university of washington` `Relevance`



Trie Implementation Idea: *Encoding*

ASCII Table

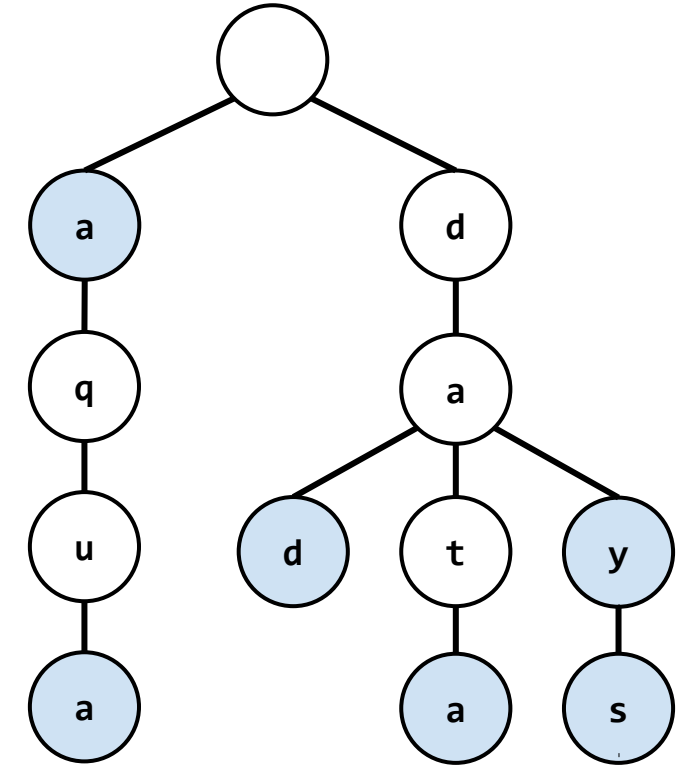
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1	1	1		33	21	41	!	65	41	101	A	97	61	141	a
2	2	2		34	22	42	"	66	42	102	B	98	62	142	b
3	3	3		35	23	43	#	67	43	103	C	99	63	143	c
4	4	4		36	24	44	\$	68	44	104	D	100	64	144	d
5	5	5		37	25	45	%	69	45	105	E	101	65	145	e
6	6	6		38	26	46	&	70	46	106	F	102	66	146	f
7	7	7		39	27	47	'	71	47	107	G	103	67	147	g
8	8	10		40	28	50	(	72	48	110	H	104	68	150	h
9	9	11		41	29	51	)	73	49	111	I	105	69	151	i
10	A	12		42	2A	52	*	74	4A	112	J	106	6A	152	j
11	B	13		43	2B	53	+	75	4B	113	K	107	6B	153	k
12	C	14		44	2C	54	,	76	4C	114	L	108	6C	154	l
13	D	15		45	2D	55	-	77	4D	115	M	109	6D	155	m
14	E	16		46	2E	56	.	78	4E	116	N	110	6E	156	n
15	F	17		47	2F	57	/	79	4F	117	O	111	6F	157	o
16	10	20		48	30	60	0	80	50	120	P	112	70	160	p
17	11	21		49	31	61	1	81	51	121	Q	113	71	161	q
18	12	22		50	32	62	2	82	52	122	R	114	72	162	r
19	13	23		51	33	63	3	83	53	123	S	115	73	163	s
20	14	24		52	34	64	4	84	54	124	T	116	74	164	t
21	15	25		53	35	65	5	85	55	125	U	117	75	165	u
22	16	26		54	36	66	6	86	56	126	V	118	76	166	v
23	17	27		55	37	67	7	87	57	127	W	119	77	167	w
24	18	30		56	38	70	8	88	58	130	X	120	78	170	x
25	19	31		57	39	71	9	89	59	131	Y	121	79	171	y
26	1A	32		58	3A	72	:	90	5A	132	Z	122	7A	172	z
27	1B	33		59	3B	73	;	91	5B	133	[	123	7B	173	{
28	1C	34		60	3C	74	<	92	5C	134	\	124	7C	174	|
29	1D	35		61	3D	75	=	93	5D	135	]	125	7D	175	}
30	1E	36		62	3E	76	>	94	5E	136	^	126	7E	176	~
31	1F	37		63	3F	77	?	95	5F	137	_	127	7F	177	

DataIndexedCharMap Pseudocode

```
class TrieSet {
    final int R = 128; // # of ASCII encodings
    Node overallRoot;

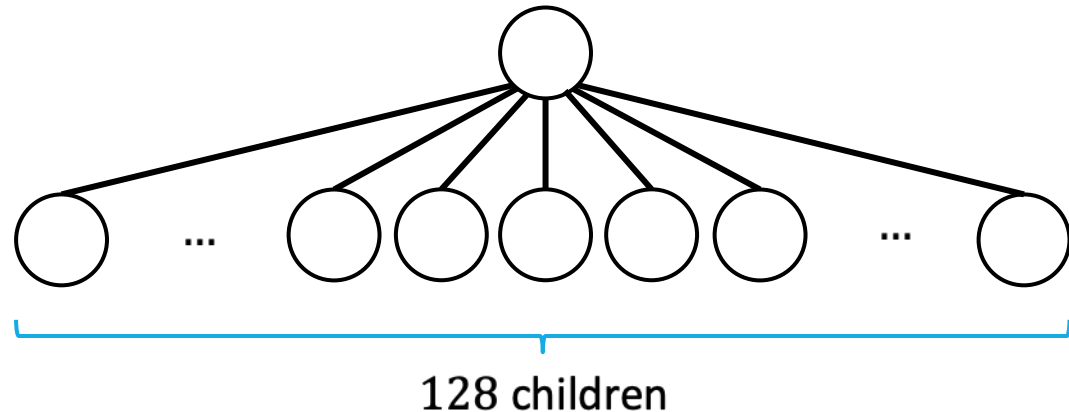
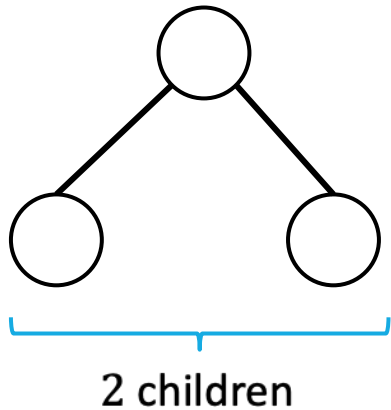
    // Private internal class
    class Node {
        // Field declarations
        char ch;
        boolean isKey;
        DataIndexedCharMap<Node> next; // array encoding

        // Constructor
        Node(char c, boolean b, int R) {
            ch = c;
            isKey = b;
            next = new DataIndexedCharMap<Node>(R);
        }
    }
}
```



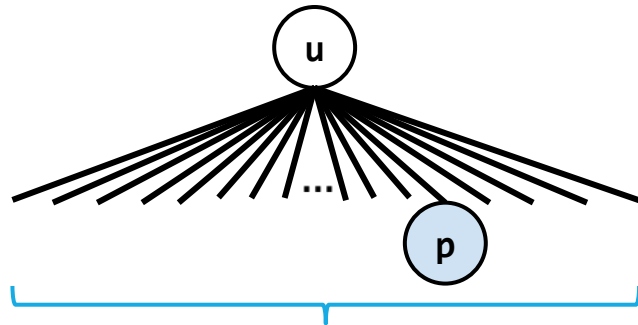
Data Structure for Trie Implementation

- Think of a Binary Tree
 - Instead of two children, we have 128 possible children
 - Each child represents a possible next character of our Trie
- How could we store these 128 children?

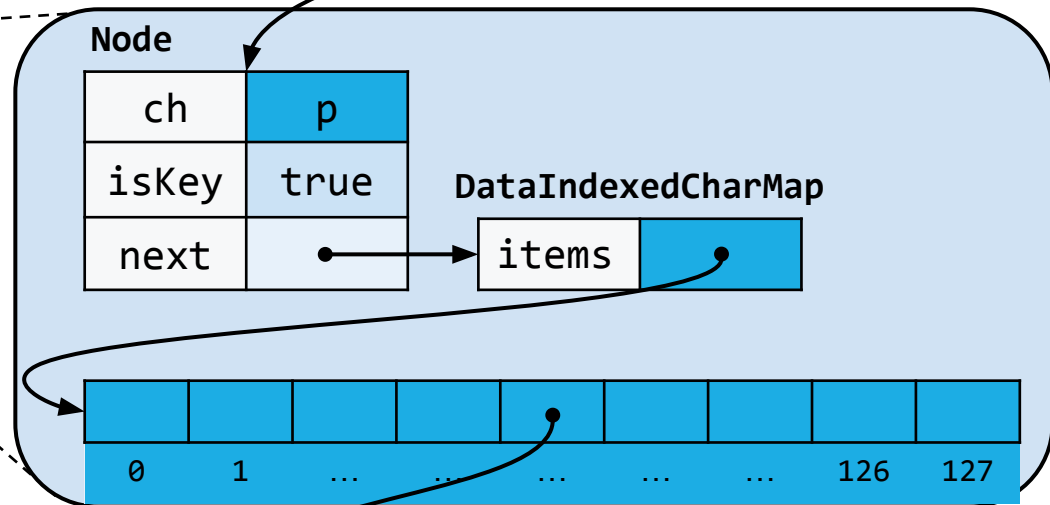
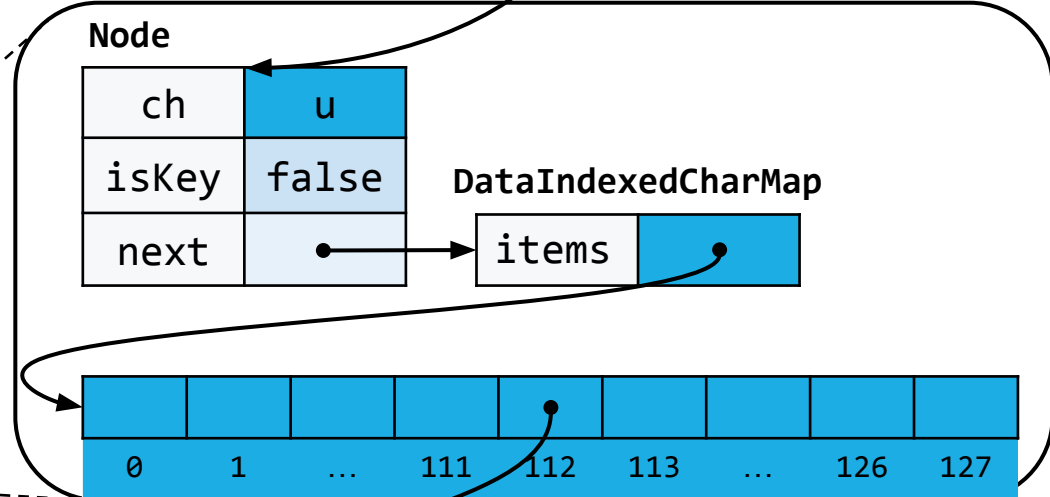


Data-Indexed Array Visualization

```
// Private internal class
class Node {
  // Field declarations
  char ch;
  boolean isKey;
  DataIndexedCharMap<Node> next;
}
```

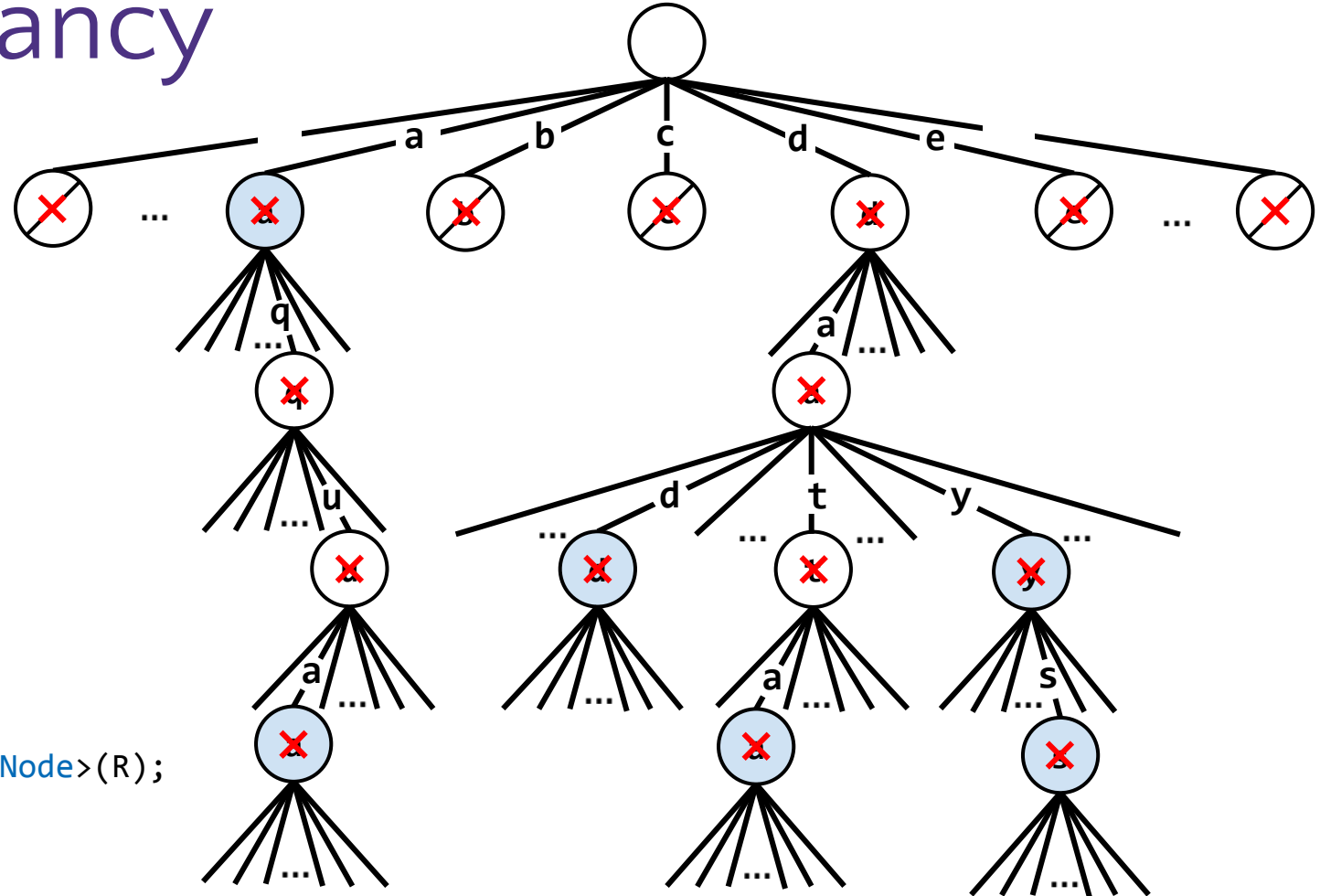


$R = 128$ links, 127 null



Removing Redundancy

```
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    final int R = 128;  
    Node overallRoot;  
  
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        char ch;  
        boolean isKey;  
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        // Constructor  
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            ch = c;  
            isKey = b;  
            next = new DataIndexedCharMap<Node>(R);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

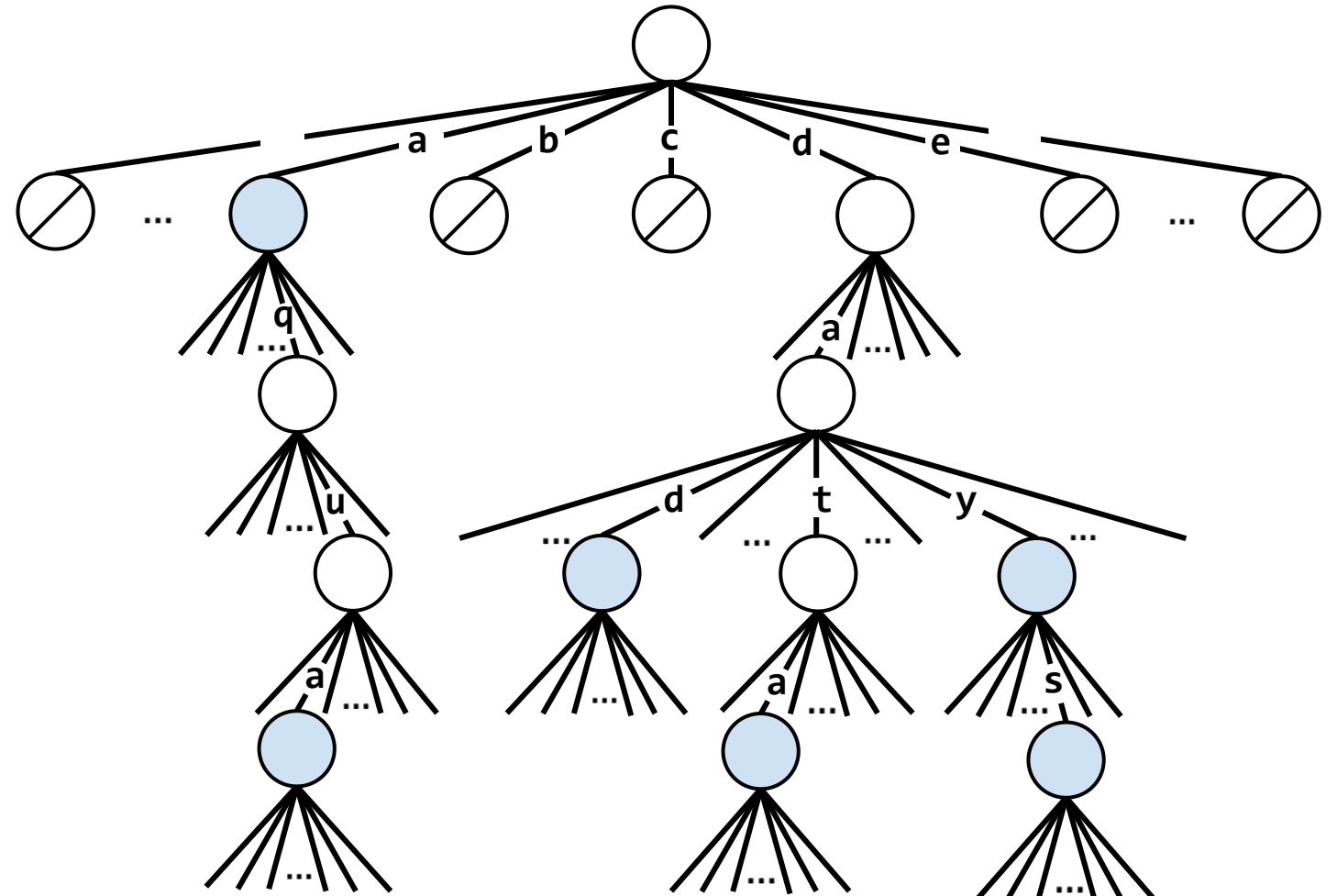


Does the structure of a Trie depend on the order of insertion?

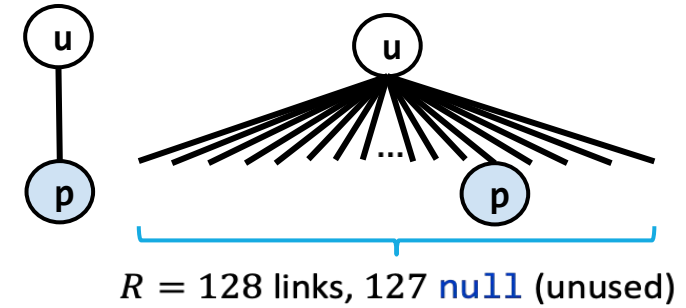
a) Yes

➔ b) No

c) I'm not sure...



Runtime Comparison



- Typical runtime when treating **length l** of keys as a constant:

Data Structure	Key Type	contains	add	keysWithPrefix
Balanced BST	Comparable			
Hash Map	Hashable			
Trie (Data-Indexed Array)	String (Character)			

* In-practice runtime

** Where p is the number of strings with the given prefix. Usually $p \ll n$.

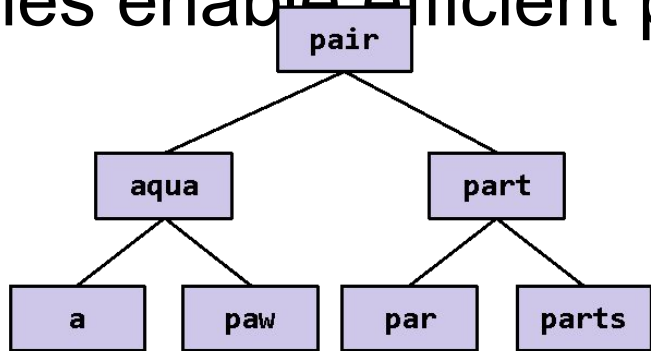
• Takeaways:

+ When keys are Strings, Tries give us a better **add** and **contains** runtime

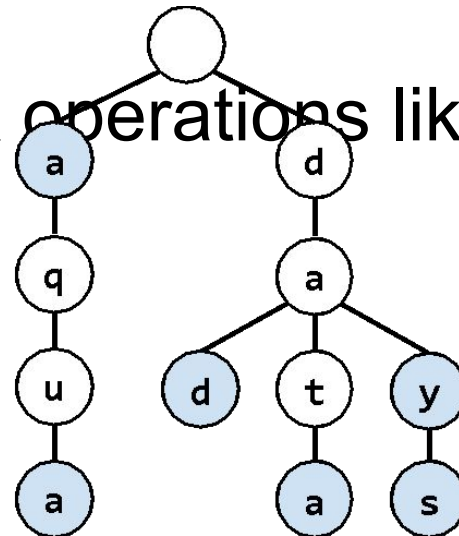
- **DataIndexedCharMap** takes up a lot of space by storing R links per node

Trie Takeaways

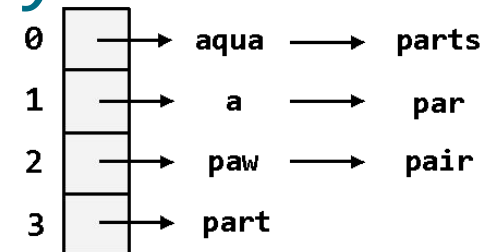
- Tries can be used for storing Strings (or any sequential data)
- Real-world performance often better than Hash Table or Search Tree
- Many different implementations: `DataIndexedCharMap`, Hash Tables, BSTs (and more possible data structures within nodes), and TSTs
- Tries enable efficient prefix operations like `keysWithPrefix`



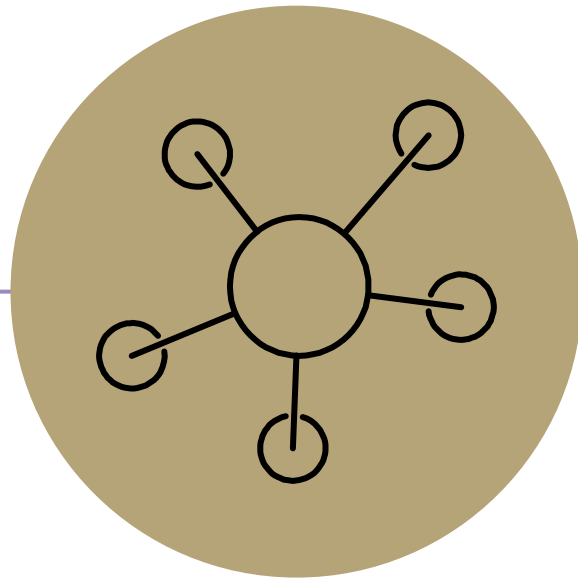
Binary Search Tree



Trie



Hash Table



Appendix

File IO – working with strings

- **FILE *fopen(const char *path, const char *mode);**
 - opens the file whose name is the string pointed to by path and associates a stream with it.
- **char *fgets(char *s, int size, FILE *stream);**
 - reads in at most one less than size characters from stream and stores them into the buffer pointed to by s. Reading stops after an EOF or a newline. If a newline is read, it is stored into the buffer. A terminating null byte ('\0') is stored after the last character in the buffer.
- **int fprintf(FILE *stream, const char *format, ...);**
 - It's printf, but to a file.
 - **int fputc(int c, FILE *stream);** // print a single character
 - **int fputs(const char *s, FILE *stream);** // print a string