

Trees

Assignment #4

Tuesday, February 16: Read Rosen and Write Essay

Sections 9.6, 9.7, 9.8 -- Pages 647-672

Thursday, February 18: Read Rosen and Write Essay

Section 10.1, 10.2, 10.3 -- Pages 683-722

Assignment #4

Homework Exercises

Section 9.1: Problem 31

Section 9.2: Problems 18, 28

Section 9.3: Problems 30, 31

Section 9.4: Problems 54, 55

Section 9.5: Problems 10, 26, 27, 46, 54

Extra Credit Problem: See Comp 280 web page

Motivation for Trees

Many, Many Applications

Fundamental Data Structure

Neat Algorithms

Simpler than Graphs

Examples and Animations

<http://oneweb.utc.edu/~Christopher-Mawata/petersen/>

Definitions

Tree

- Connected graph with no simple circuits.
- Graph with a unique path between any two vertices.

Rooted Tree

- Explicit Definition
 - A tree with one vertex called the *root*
- Recursive Definition
 - A single vertex r is a rooted tree with root r .
 - If T_1, \dots, T_n are rooted trees with roots r_1, \dots, r_n and r is a new vertex, then the graph with edges joining r to r_1, \dots, r_n is a rooted tree with root r .

Counting Theorems

Theorem 1: $e = v - 1$

Proof: By induction on the number of vertices.
(Inductive Step: Remove a leaf.)

Theorem 2: # leaves $\leq m^{\text{height}}$ (m -ary trees)

Proof: By induction on the height of the tree.
(Inductive Step: Remove the root.)

Theorem 3: $\text{height} \geq \log_m(\text{\# leaves})$

Proof: This result is just a restatement of Theorem 2.

Standard Terminology

Nodes

Ancestor

Parent

Child

Sibling

Descendent

Leaf

Internal Vertex (Node)

Trees

Level

Height

Balanced

N-ary

Binary

-- Left Subtree / Child

-- Right Subtree / Child

Examples

Family Trees

Organization Charts

Computer File Systems

Recursive Calls

- Neville's Algorithm
- Bezier Subdivision

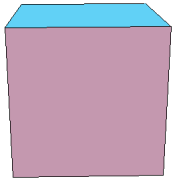
Parallel Processors

Computer Graphics

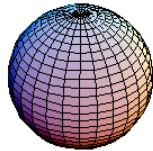
- Constructive Solid Geometry (CSG-Trees)
- Binary Space Partition Trees (BSP-Trees)

Constructive Solid Geometry

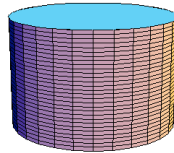
Primitive Solids



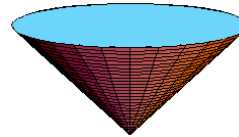
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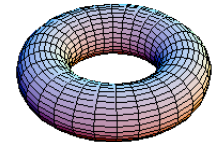
SPHERE



CYLINDER



CONE



TORUS

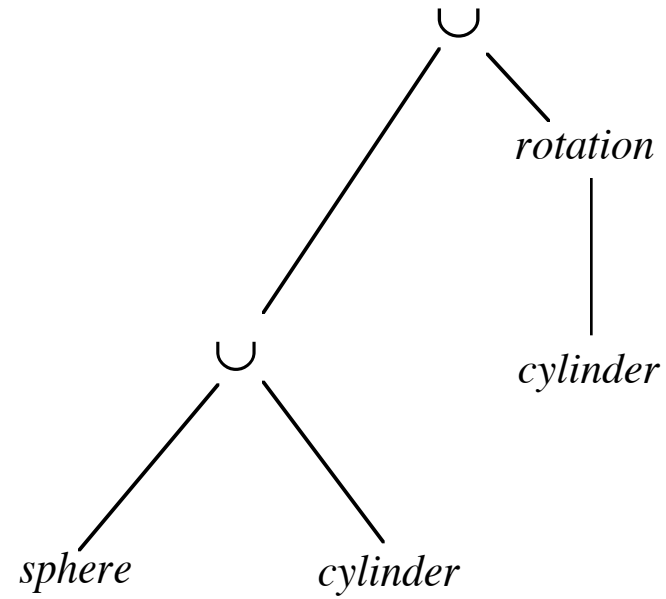
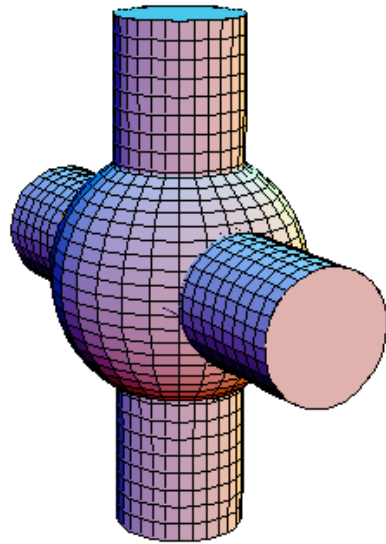
Boolean Operations

- Union
- Intersection
- Difference

CSG-Tree

- Leaves = Primitive Solids
- Internal Nodes = Boolean Ops or Transformations
- Root = Solid

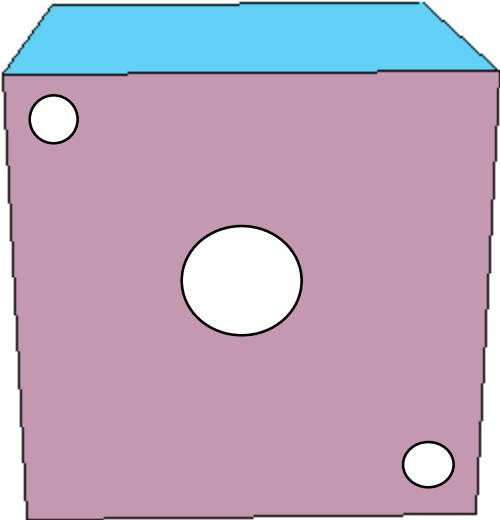
CSG-Tree



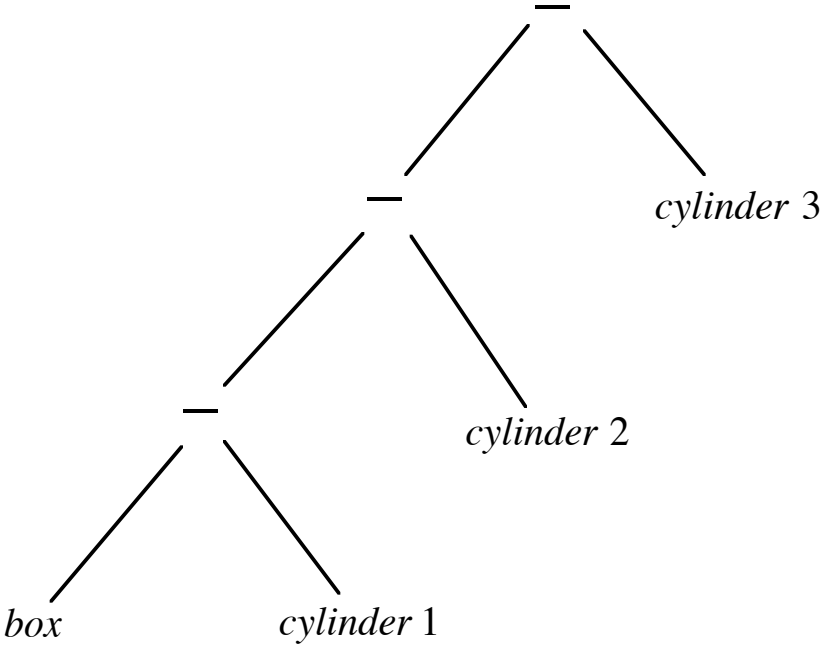
Spherical tank with two cylindrical pipes

CSG tree: union of 1 sphere and 2 cylinders

CSG-Tree



Solid block with three cylindrical holes,



CSG tree: subtract three cylinders from box

Applications

Minimal Spanning Trees

- Minimizing Network Cost

Searching and Sorting

- BSP-Trees (Computer Graphics)

Searching Arbitrary Trees

- Breadth First Search
- Depth First Search
 - Back Tracking
 - Graph Coloring Algorithm

Data Compression (Efficient Coding)

- Prefix Coding -- Horner's Method
- Huffman Coding

Game Trees

- Min-Max Strategy

Binary Search Trees

Applications

- Fast Searching and Sorting any Ordered Collection
 - Dictionaries
 - Telephone Books
- Computer Graphics / Computer Games
 - Hidden Surface Algorithms
 - Fast Polygon Shading (BSP Trees)

Examples and Animations

<http://www.cosc.canterbury.ac.nz/mukundan/dsal/BSTNew.html>

Algorithms for Binary Search Trees

Sorting

If $v < root$, Insert into Left Subtree

Else $v > root$, Insert into Right Subtree

Searching

If $v = root$, FOUND

Else if $v < root$, Search Left Subtree

Else $v > root$, Search Right Subtree

Binary Space Partitioning Trees (BSP-Trees)

Algorithm for Generating a BSP-Tree

- Select any polygon (plane) in the scene for the root.
- Partition all the other polygons in the scene to the back (left subtree) or the front (right subtree).
- Split any polygons lying on both sides of the root.
- Build the left and right subtrees recursively.

BSP-Tree Rendering Algorithm (In Order Tree Traversal)

- If the eye is in front of the root, then
 - Display the left subtree (behind)
 - Display the root
 - Display the right subtree (front)
- If the eye is in back of the root, then
 - Display the right subtree (front)
 - Display the root
 - Display the left subtree (back)

Binary Space Partitioning Trees (continued)

Advantages

- Can use the same BSP-tree for different positions of the eye.
- When we want to move around in a scene, the BSP-tree is the preferred approach to detecting hidden surfaces.

Binary Space Partitioning Trees

<http://maven.smith.edu/~mcharley/bsp/createbsptree.html>

Ordered Tree Traversal

Pre Order

- Visit the Root
- Pre Order Traverse the Children T_1, \dots, T_n

In Order

- In Order Traverse T_1
- Visit the Root
- In Order Traverse the Children T_2, \dots, T_n

Post Order

- Post Order Traverse the Children T_1, \dots, T_n
- Visit the Root

Applications

CSG Tree Evaluation Algorithm

- In Order Tree Traversal

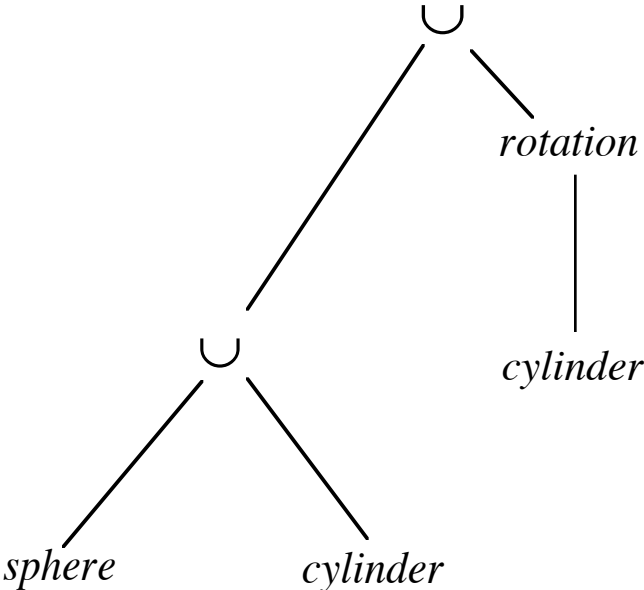
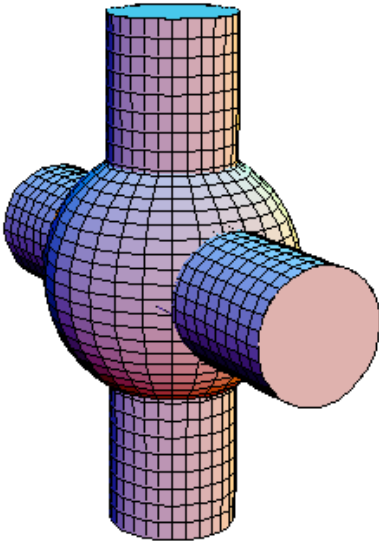
Arithmetic and Logical Expressions

- Infix Form
- Prefix Form (Polish Notation)
- Postfix Form (Reverse Polish Notation)

BSP-Tree Rendering Algorithm

- Back to Front -- In Order
- From to Back -- Reverse In Order

CSG Tree Evaluation Algorithm -- In Order Tree Traversal



Spherical tank with two cylindrical pipes

CSG tree: union of 1 sphere and 2 cylinders

BSP-Tree Rendering Algorithm

- If the eye is in front of the root (In Order Tree Traversal)
 - Display the left subtree (behind)
 - Display the root
 - Display the right subtree (front)
- If the eye is behind the root (Reverse Order Tree Traversal)
 - Display the right subtree (front)
 - Display the root
 - Display the left subtree (back)

Tree Searching Algorithms

Depth First Search (Back Tracking)

- Base Case: Search the root.
- Recursion: For each vertex adjacent to the root, perform Depth First Search.
- STOP When object is found or all vertices have been searched.

Breadth First Search

- Level 0: Search the root.
- Level 1: Search all the children of the root.
- \vdots \vdots
- Level n : Search all the children incident to parents on level $n - 1$.
- STOP When object is found or all vertices have been searched.

Complexity

- $O(n^2) = O(e)$

Tree Searching Algorithms

Depth First Search (Back Tracking)

http://www.rci.rutgers.edu/~cfs/472_html/AI_SEARCH/SearchAnimations.html

Breadth First Search

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Applications

Depth First Search -- Backtracking

n Queen Problem

<http://www.apl.jhu.edu/~hall/NQueens.html>

http://www.animatedrecursion.com/advanced/the_eight_queens_problem.html

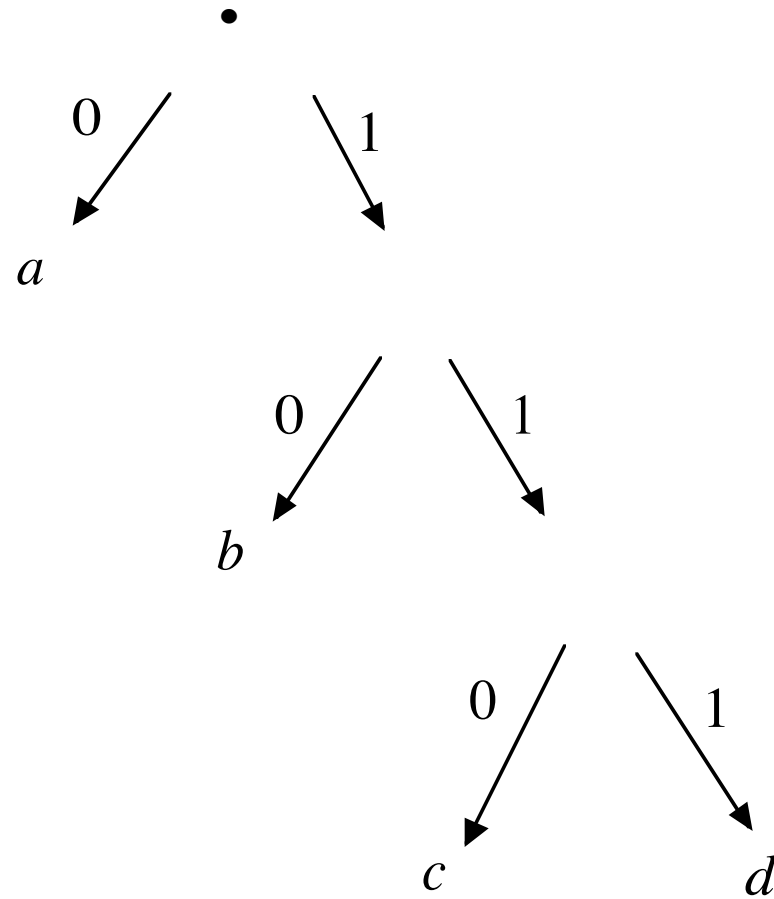
Applications

- Graph Coloring

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- Web Spiders

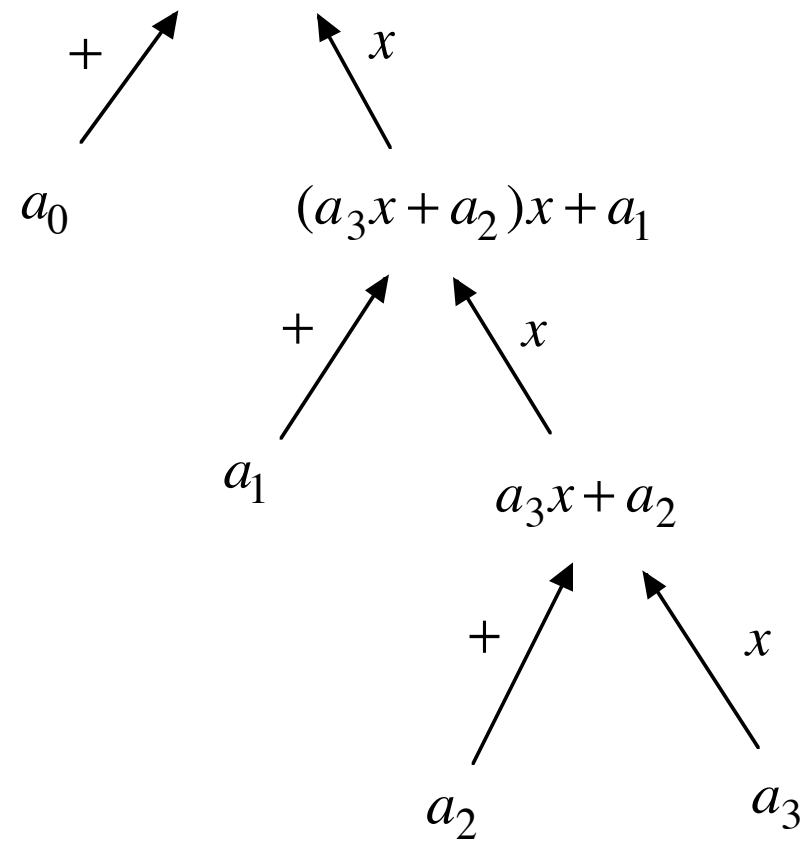
Prefix Coding



Efficient, Non-Redundant Coding

Horner's Method

$$((a_3x + a_2)x + a_1)x + a_0$$



Fast Polynomial Evaluation -- $O(n)$ Multiplications

Huffman Coding

Coding Algorithm

- Assign probability to each symbol
- Combine trees (and their probabilities) with smallest probabilities
 - Smaller probability to right \rightarrow 1
 - Larger probability to left \rightarrow 0
- Symbol code = unique path of 0's and 1's from root

Proof of Optimality

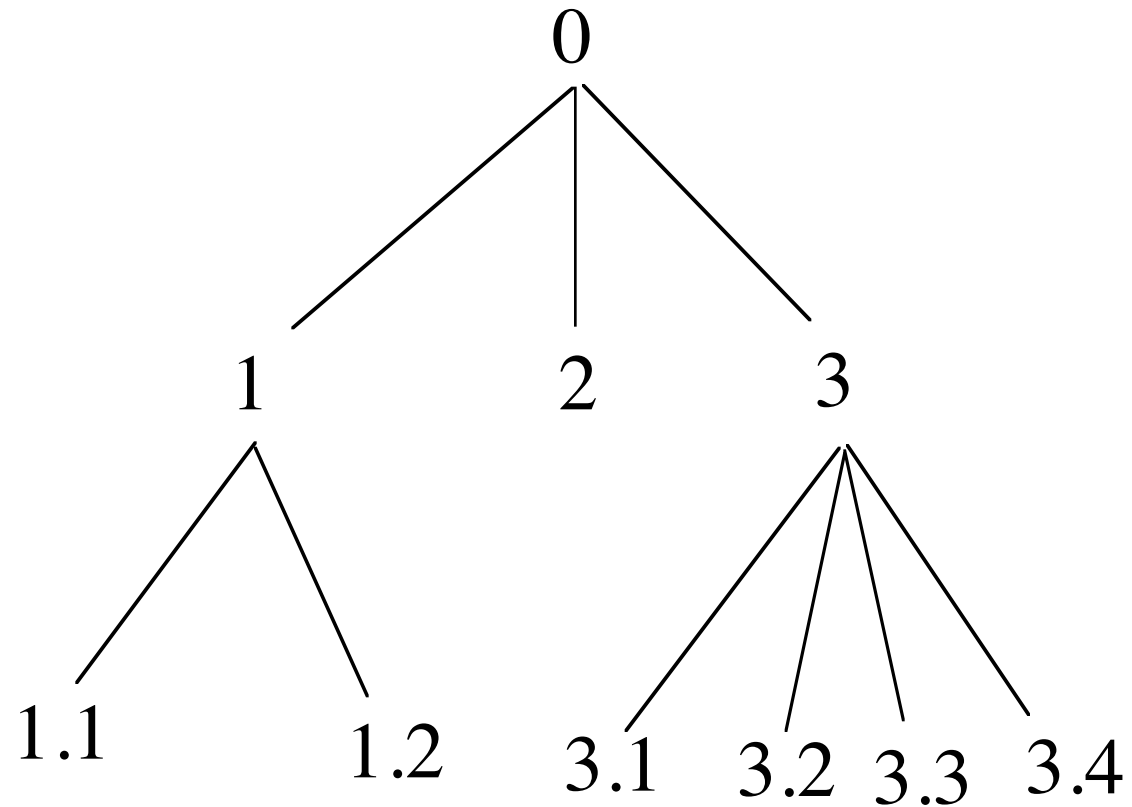
- Homework

Huffman Coding

<http://www.cs.duke.edu/csed/poop/huff/info/>

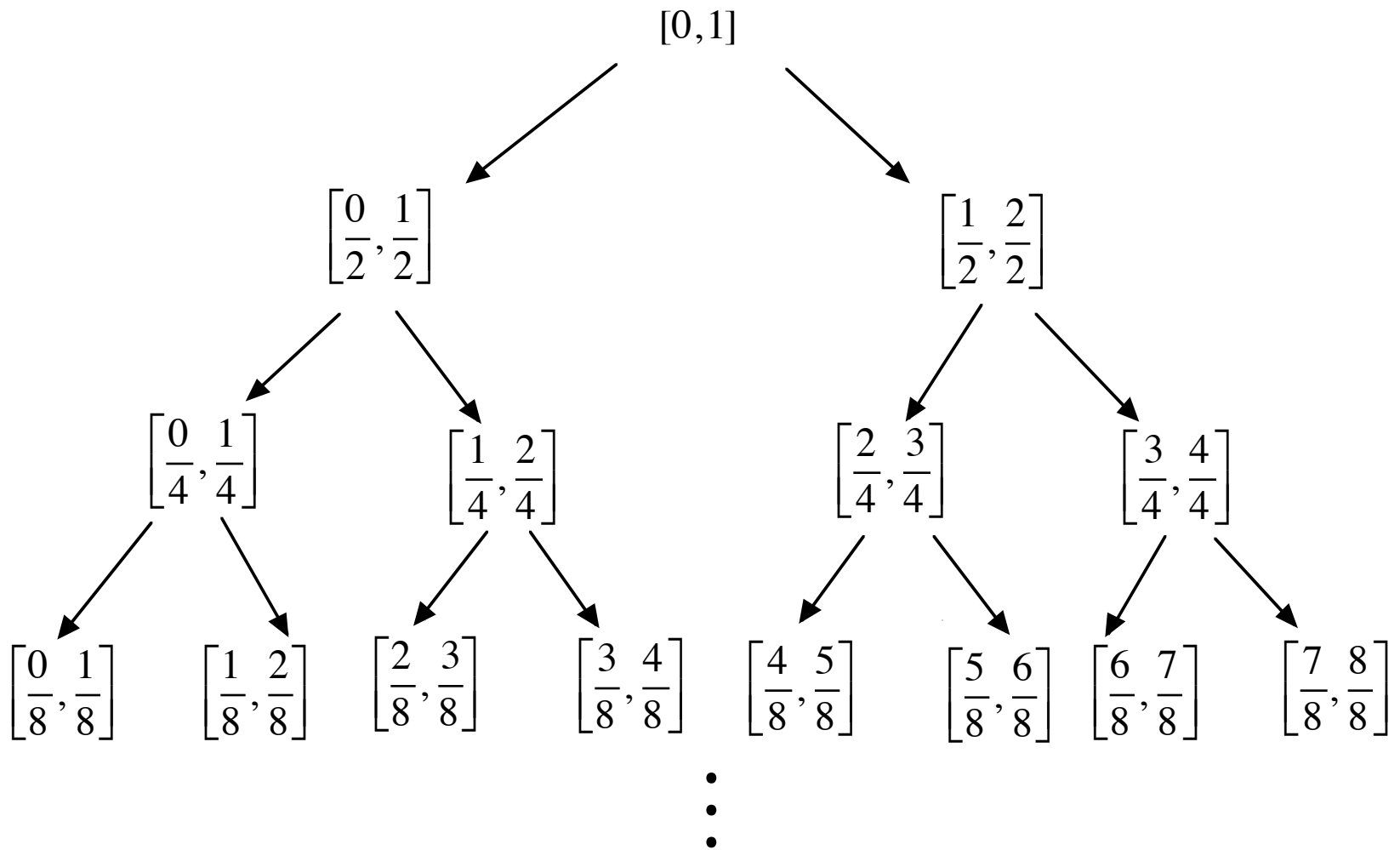
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Universal Address System

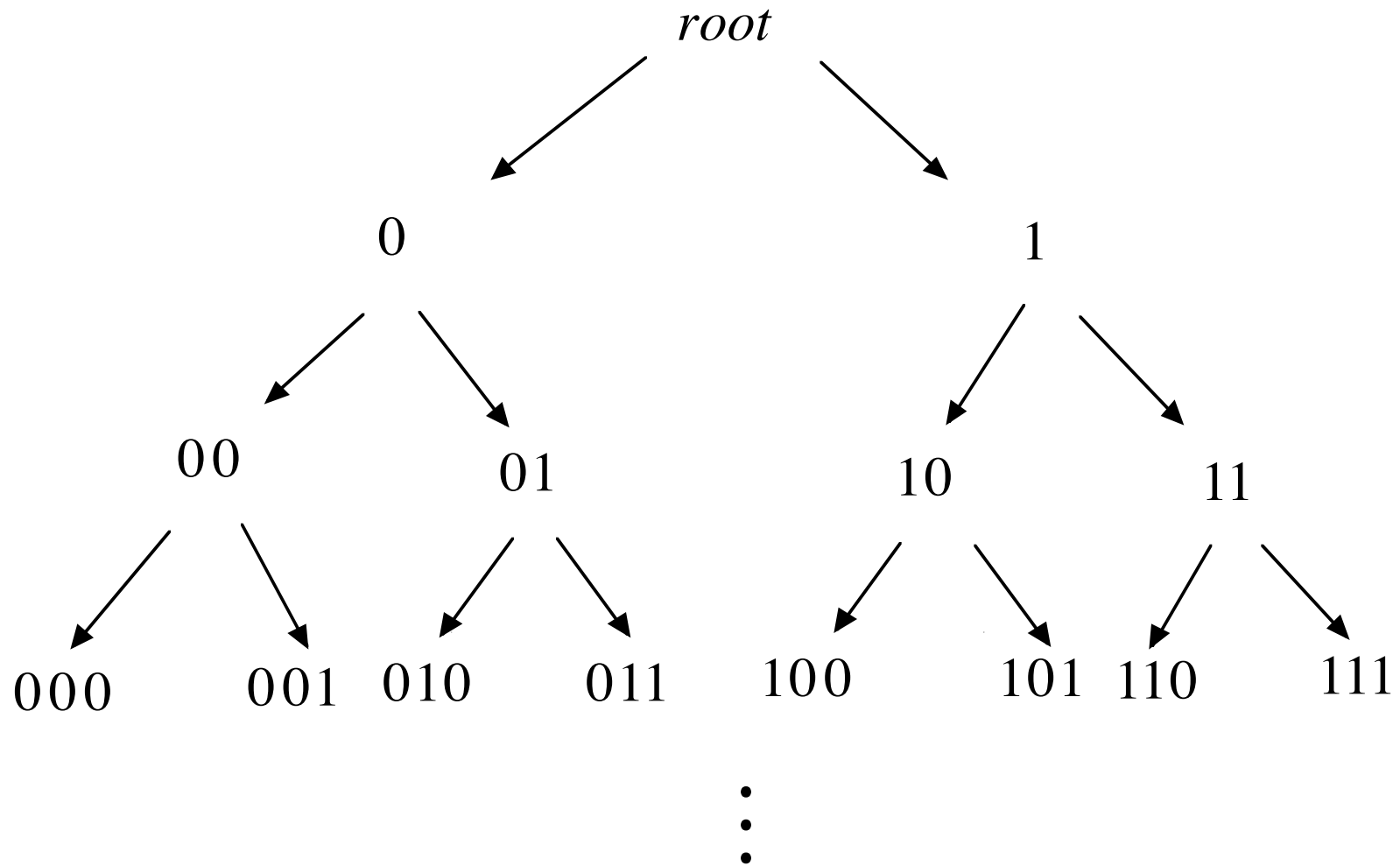


Lexicographic Order (Depth First)

Interval Subdivision

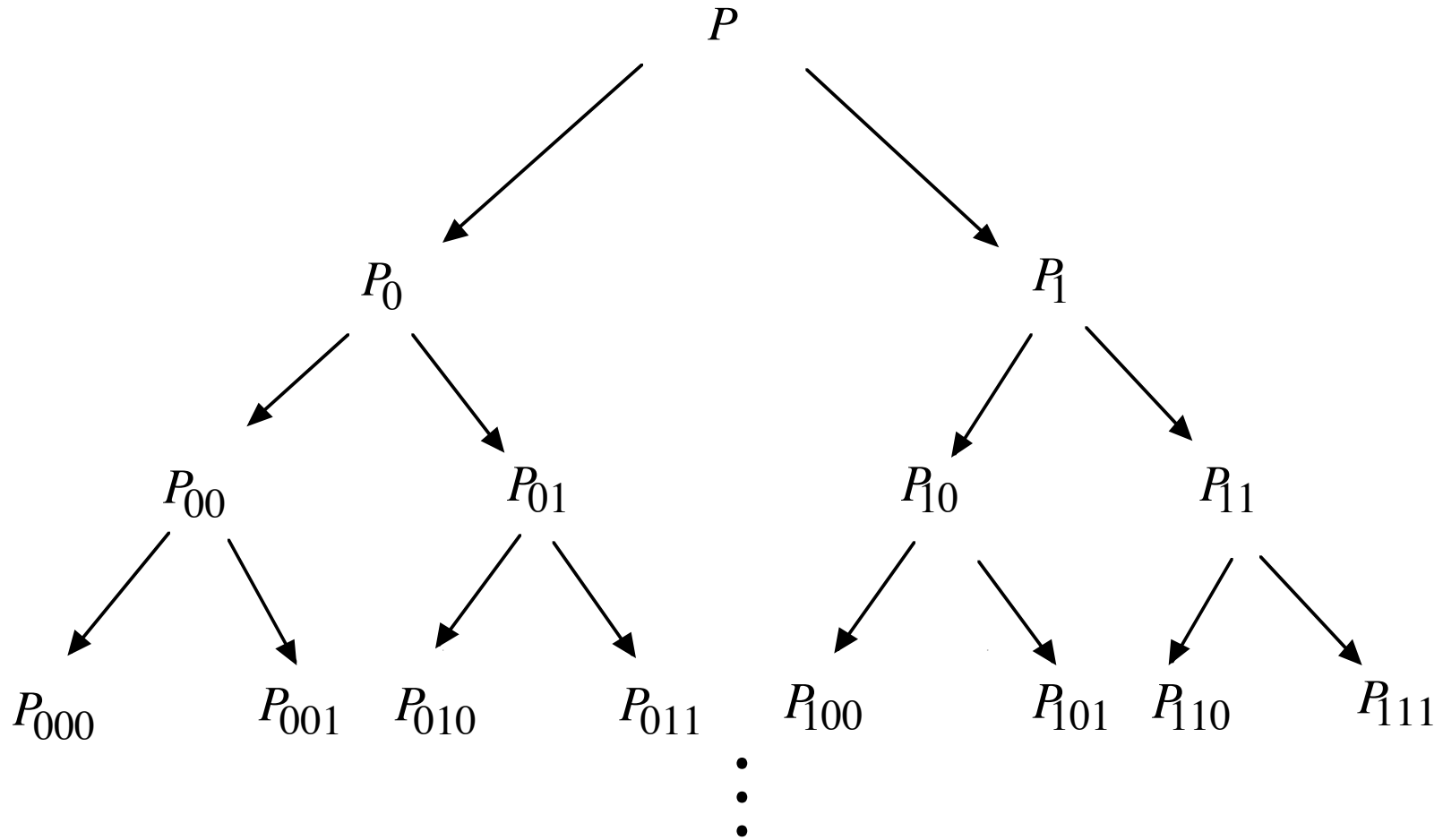


Interval Subdivision



$$b_1 \cdots b_n \leftrightarrow [.b_1 \cdots b_n, .b_1 \cdots b_n + 2^{-n}]$$

Bezier Subdivision



$P_{b_1 \dots b_n} \leftrightarrow$ Control Points for the Interval $[\cdot b_1 \dots b_n, \cdot b_1 \dots b_n + 2^{-n}]$

Game Trees

- Vertices \leftrightarrow Positions
- Edges \leftrightarrow Legal Moves
- Leaves \leftrightarrow Final Positions
 - Win = 1 (First Player)
 - Draw = 0 (First Player)
 - Lose = -1 (First Player)

Game Trees

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SO-oXQgvJt4>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Unh51VnD-hA>

Min-Max Strategy

Payoff -- Recursive Definition

- $\text{payoff}(\text{leaf}) = \text{value at leaf}$
- $\text{payoff}(\text{node at even level}) = \max(\text{payoff to children})$
- $\text{payoff}(\text{node at odd level}) = \min(\text{payoff to children})$

Min-Max Strategy

- First Player -- Moves to Child with Maximum Payoff
- Second Player -- Moves to Child with Minimum Payoff

Min-Max Strategy (continued)

Theorem: The Min-Max Strategy is Optimal for both Players

Payoff at each vertex represents payoff to first player if game starts in this vertex and both players play min-max strategy.

Proof: By induction on level.