

# **Introduction to Algorithms and Data Structures**

Heap Operations and Priority Queues

# Last lecture

- Max Heap data structure
- Operations:
  - Max-Heapify
  - Build-Max-Heap
- Using these, we presented **Heapsort**, a sorting algorithm with worst-case running time  $O(n \lg n)$ .

# This lecture

- More Max Heap operations:
  - Max-Heap-Extract-Max( $A$ )
  - Max-Heap-Insert( $A, v$ )
- Using Heaps to implement Priority Queues

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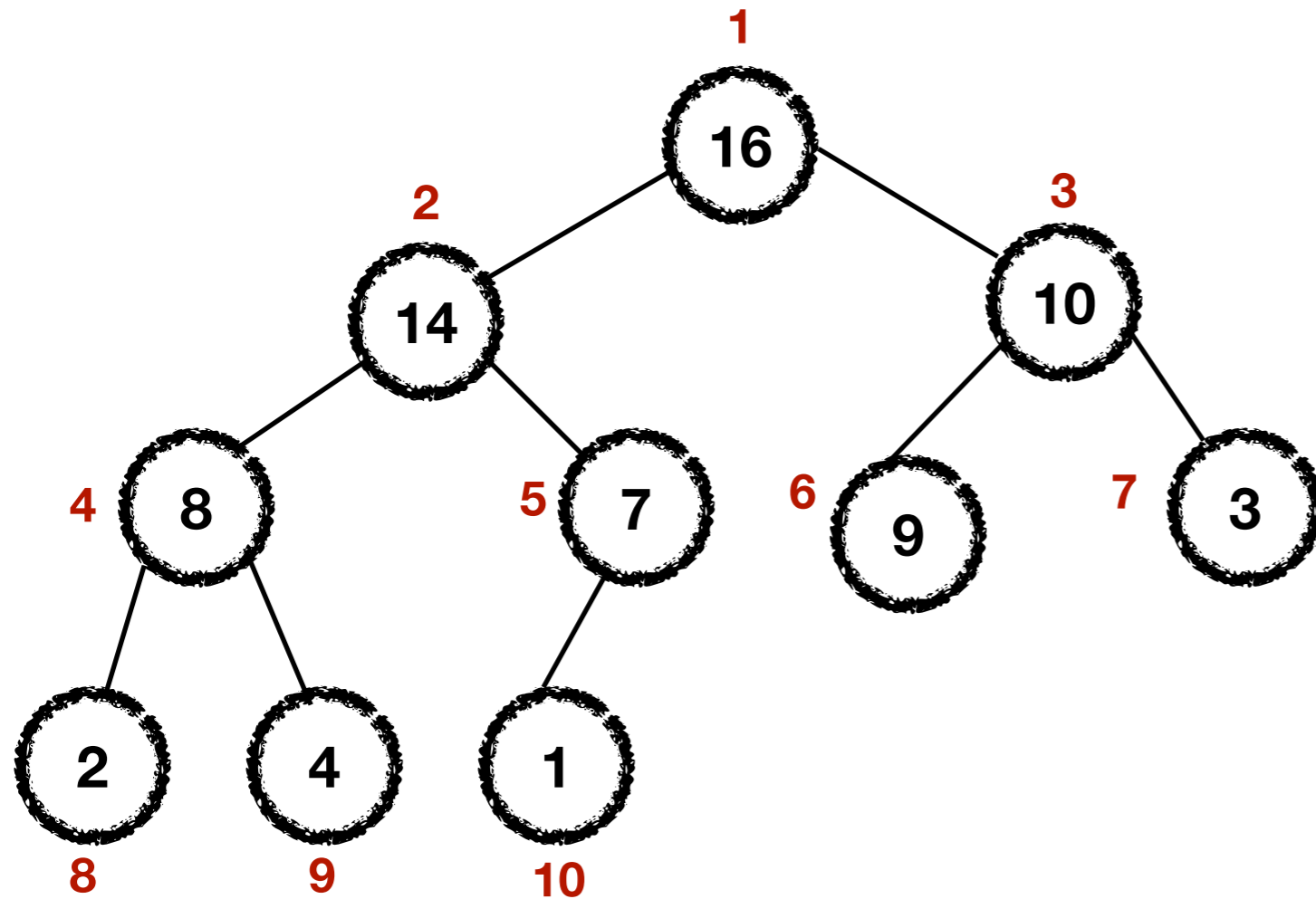
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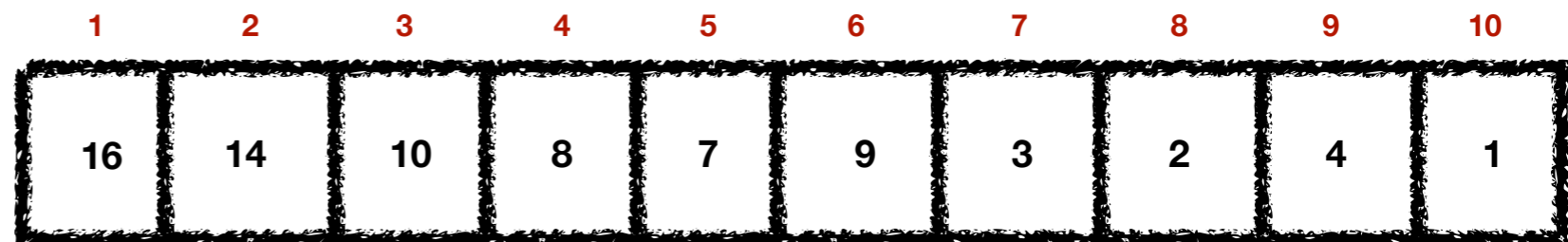
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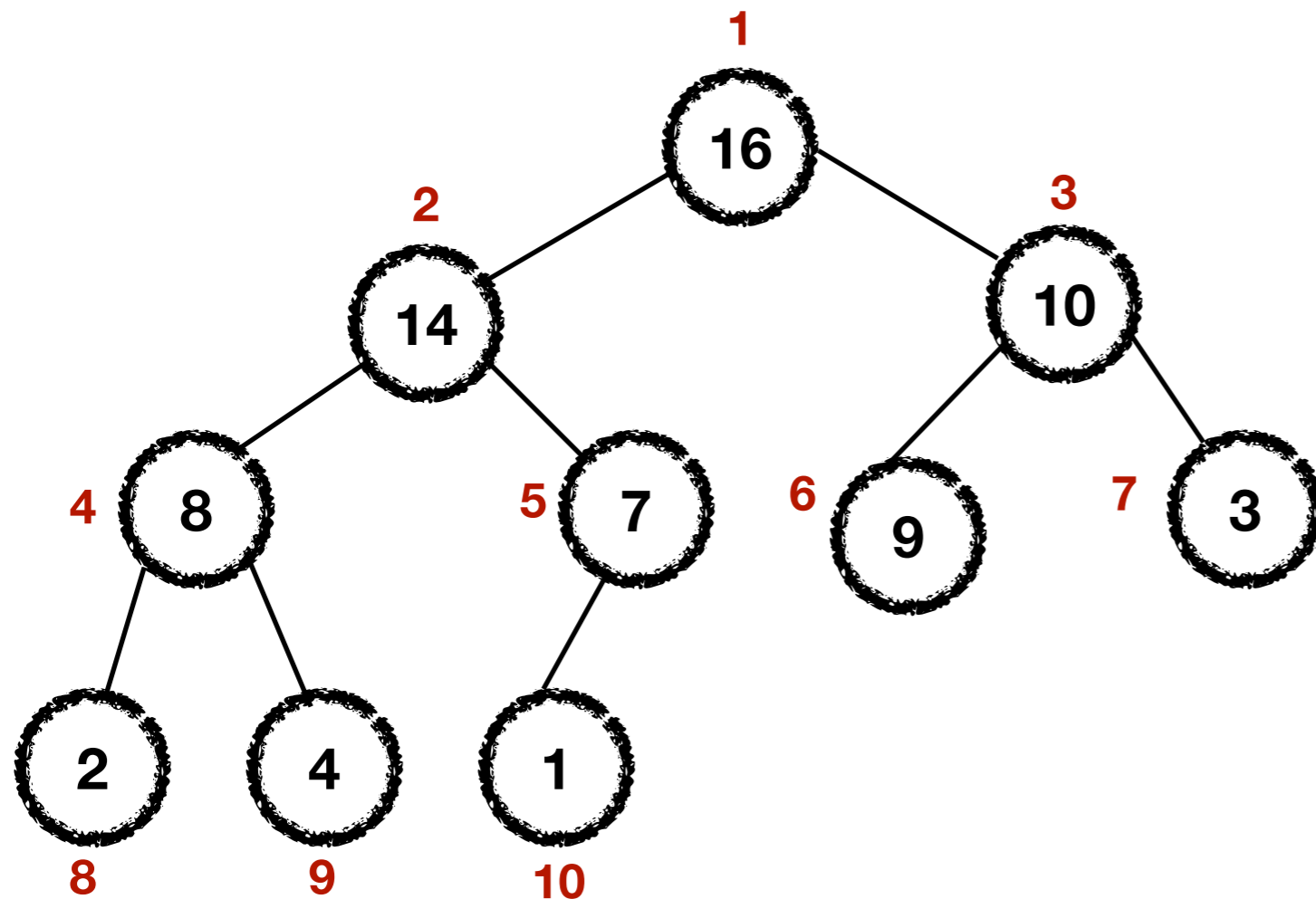
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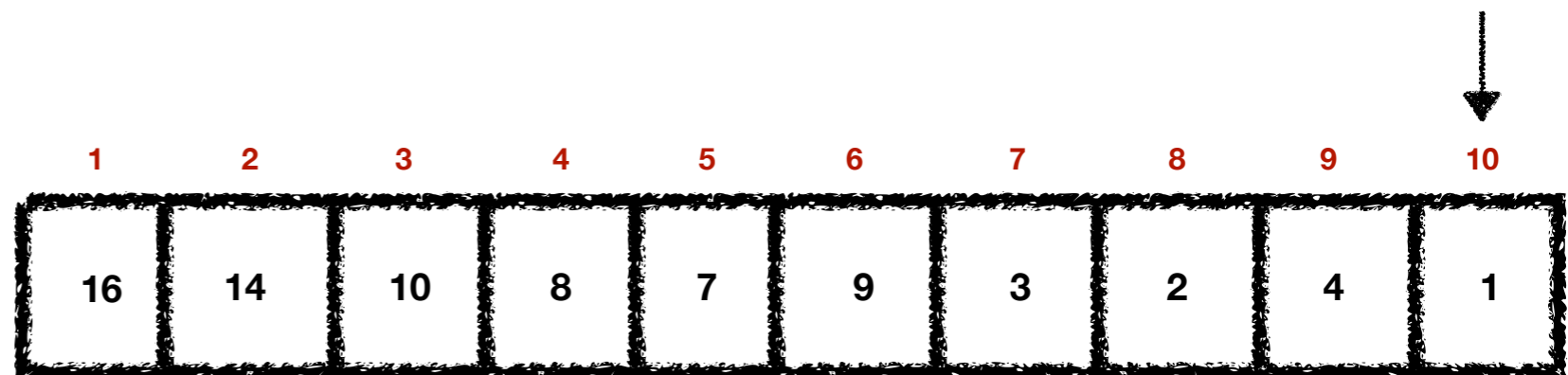
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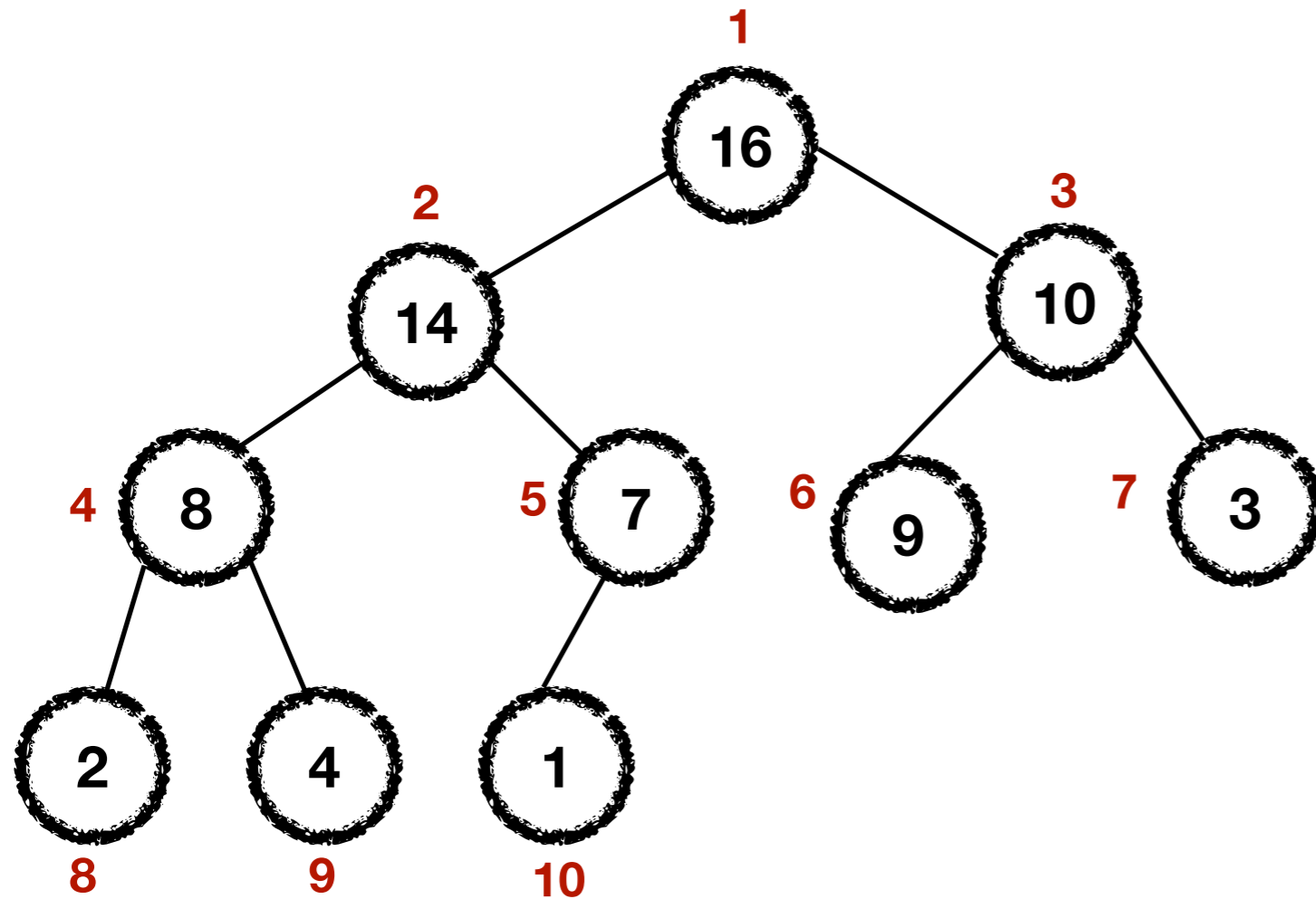
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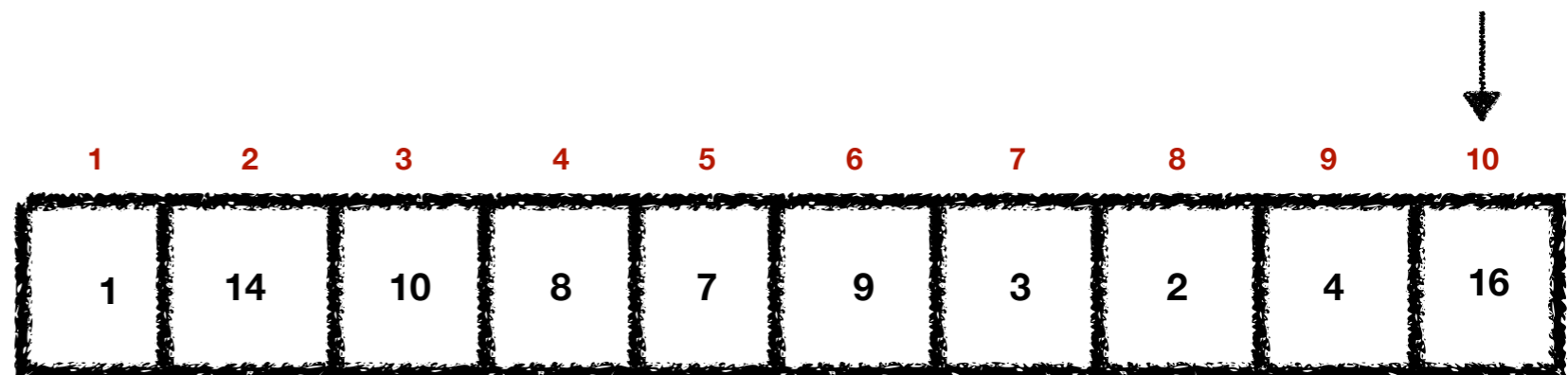
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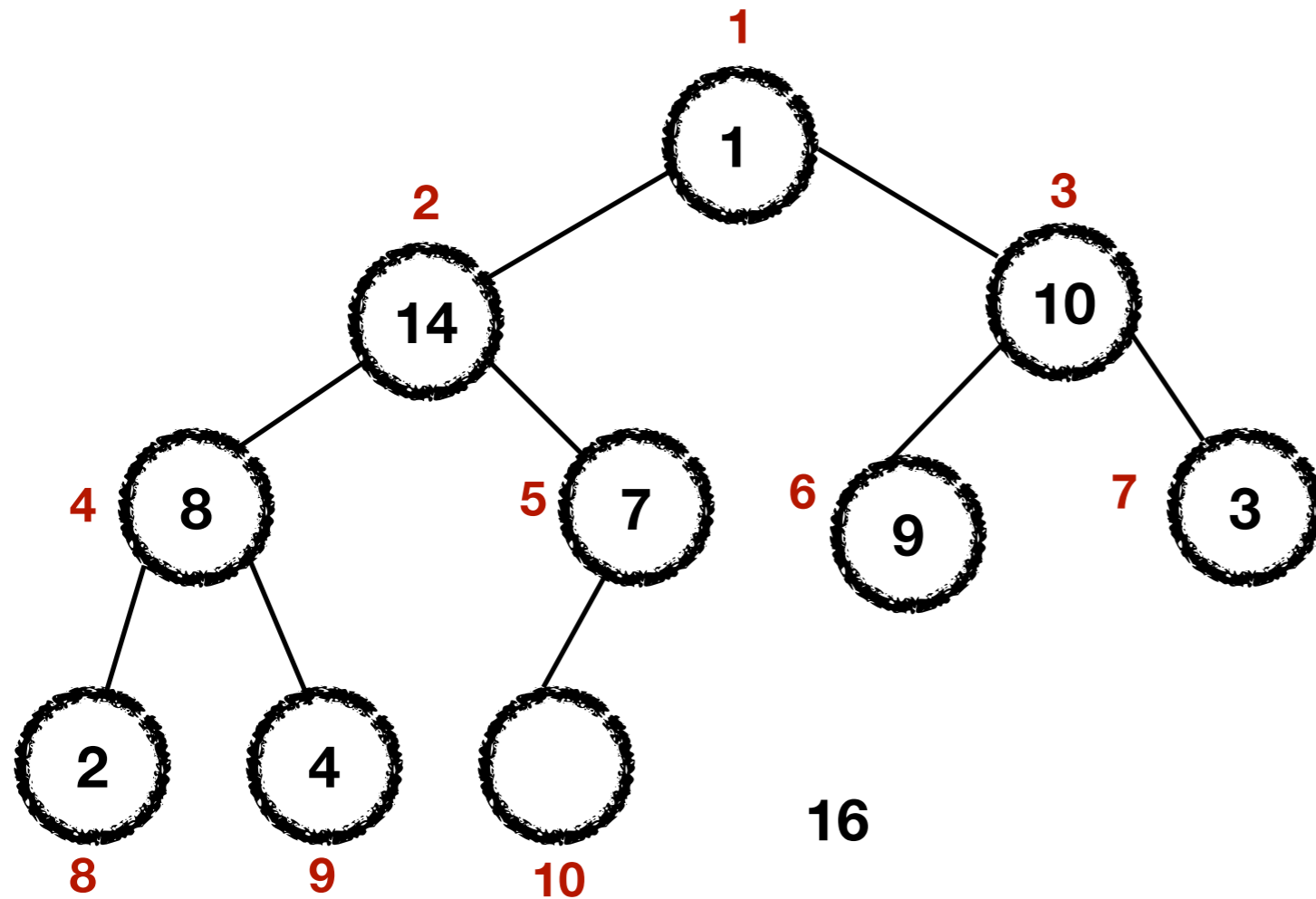
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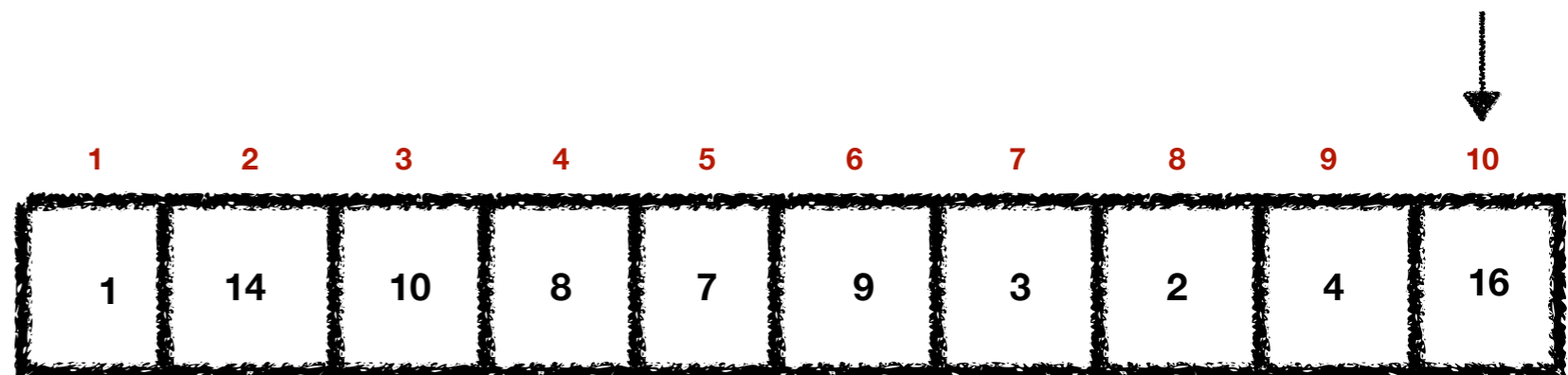
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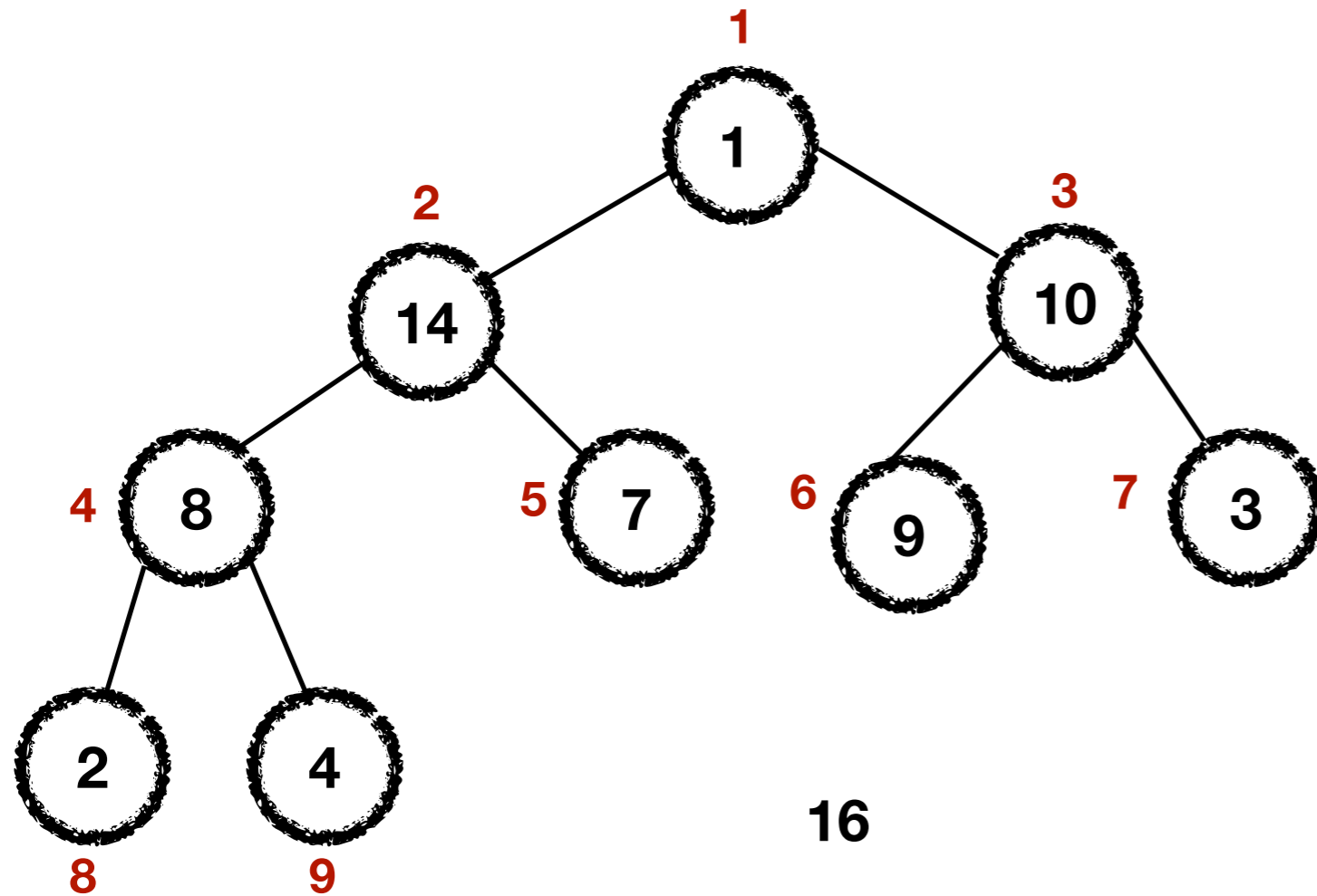
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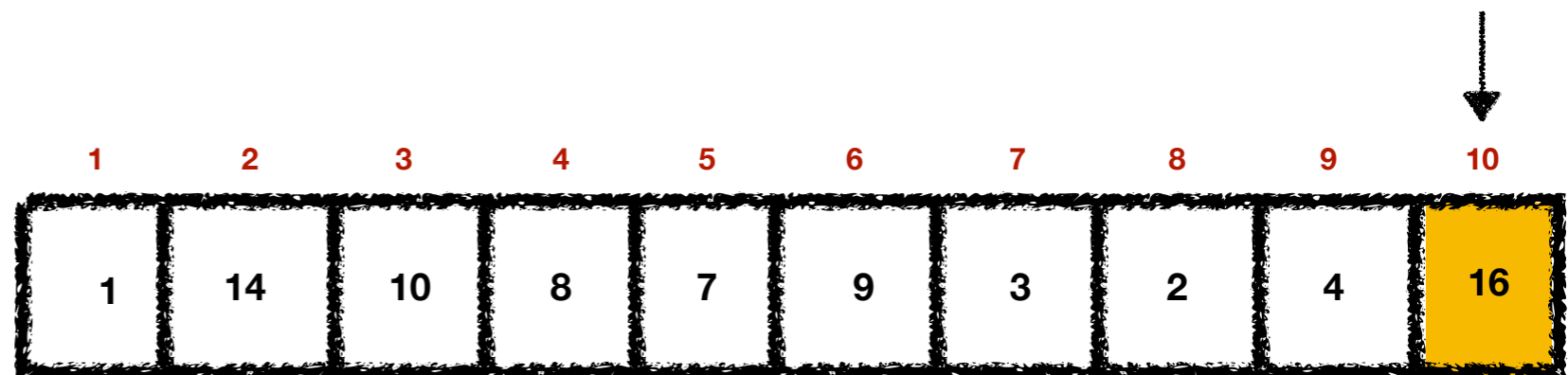
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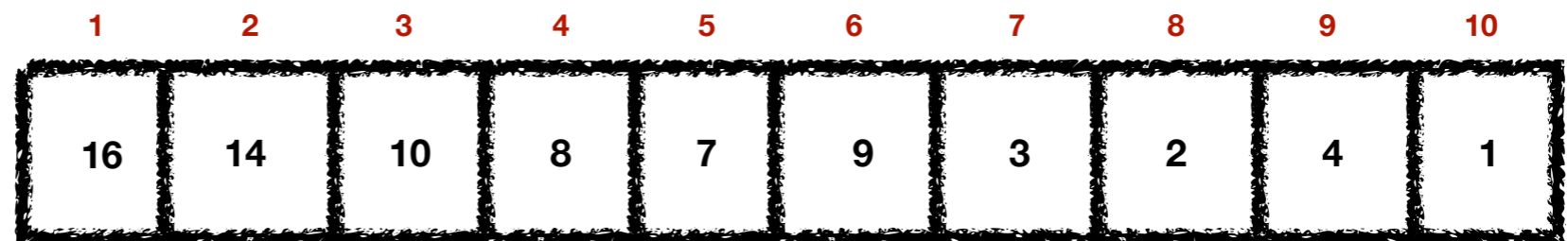
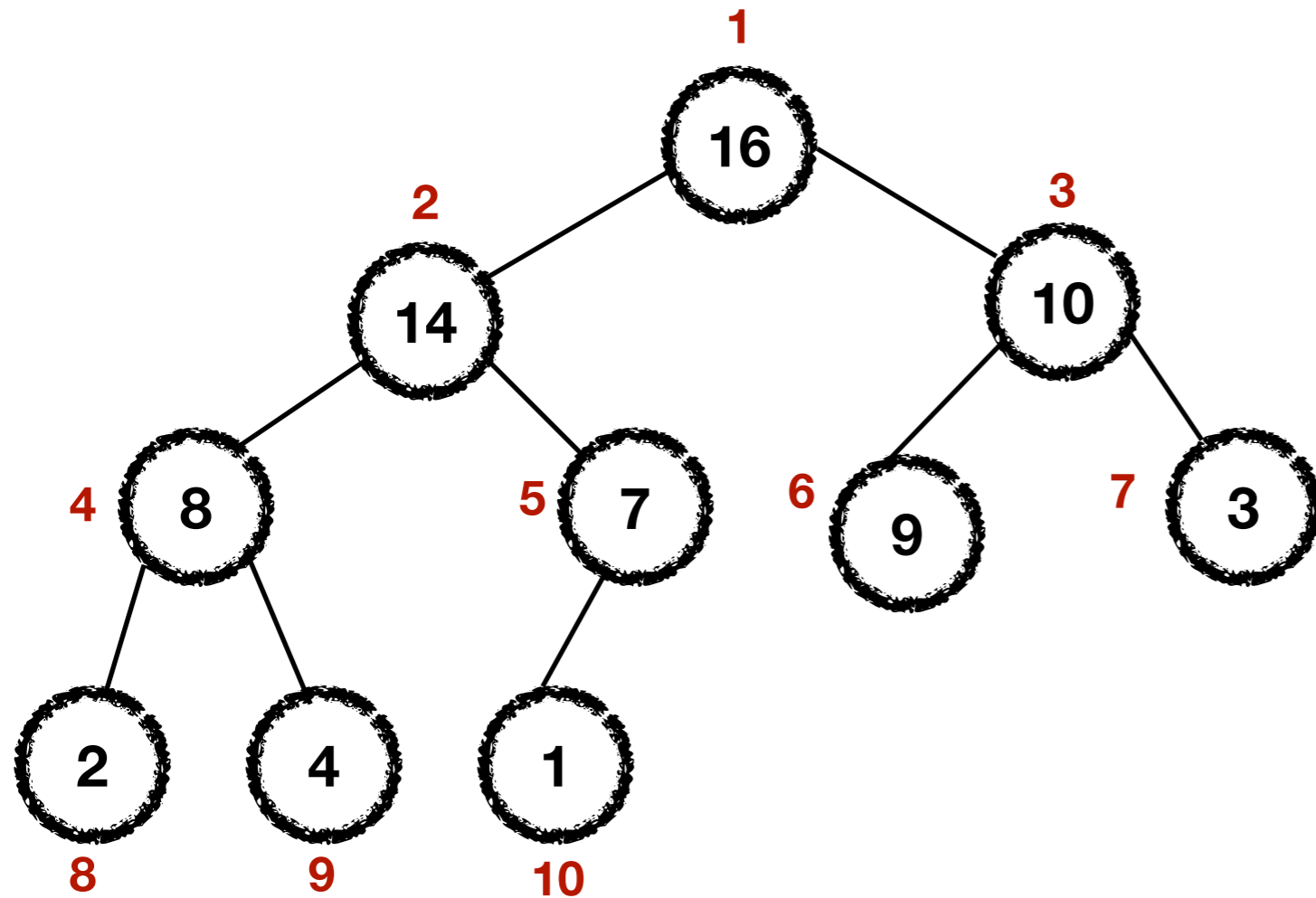
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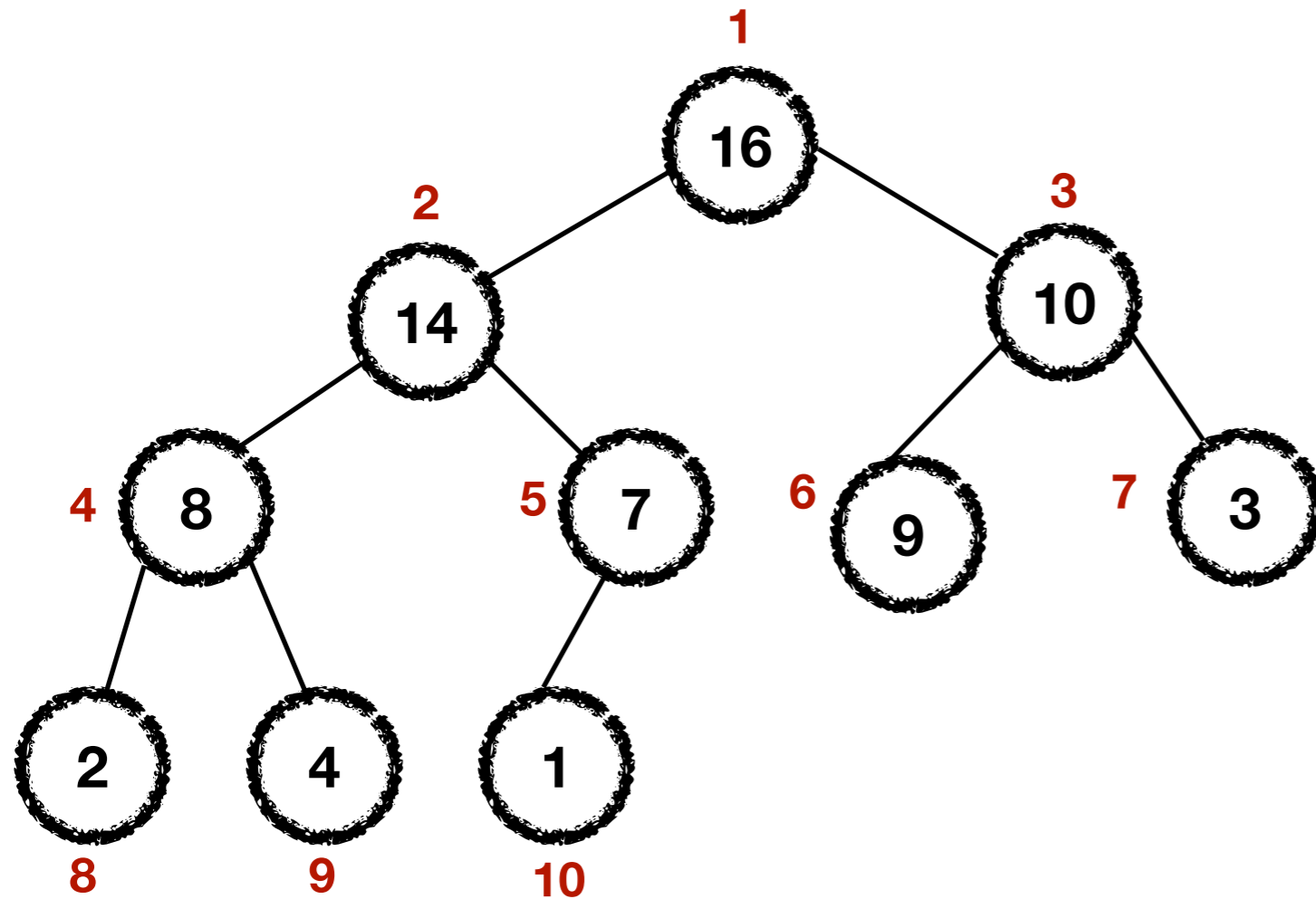
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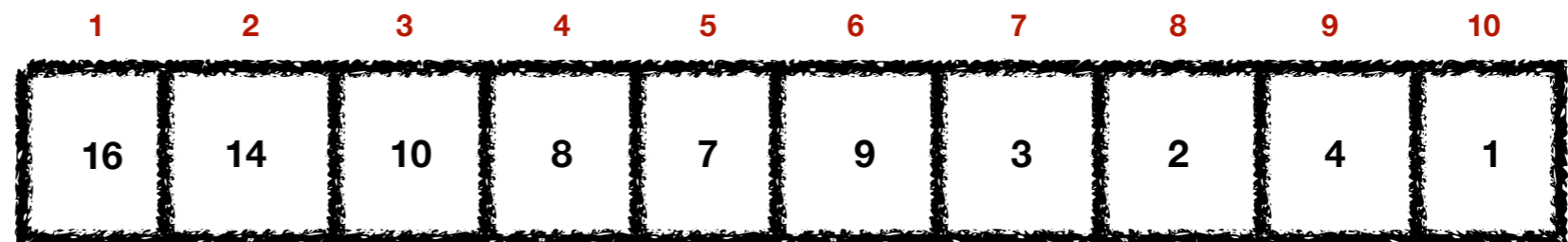




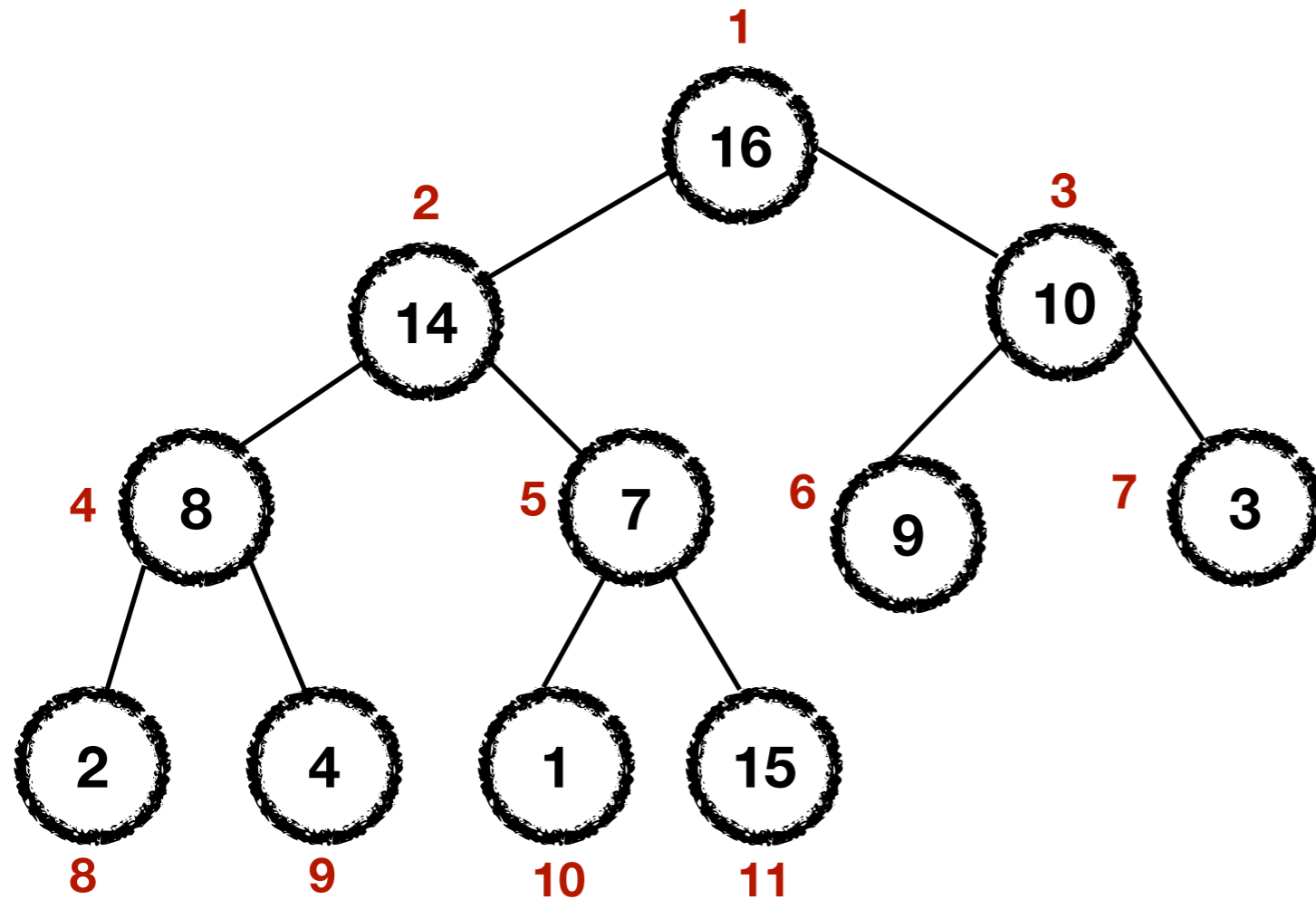
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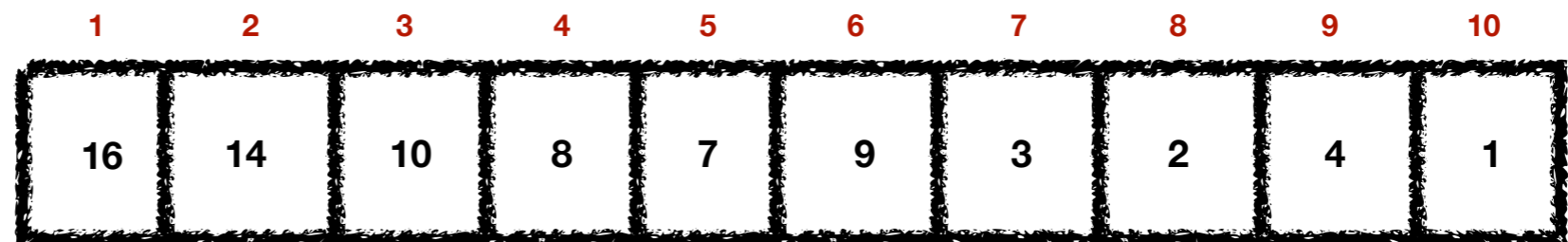
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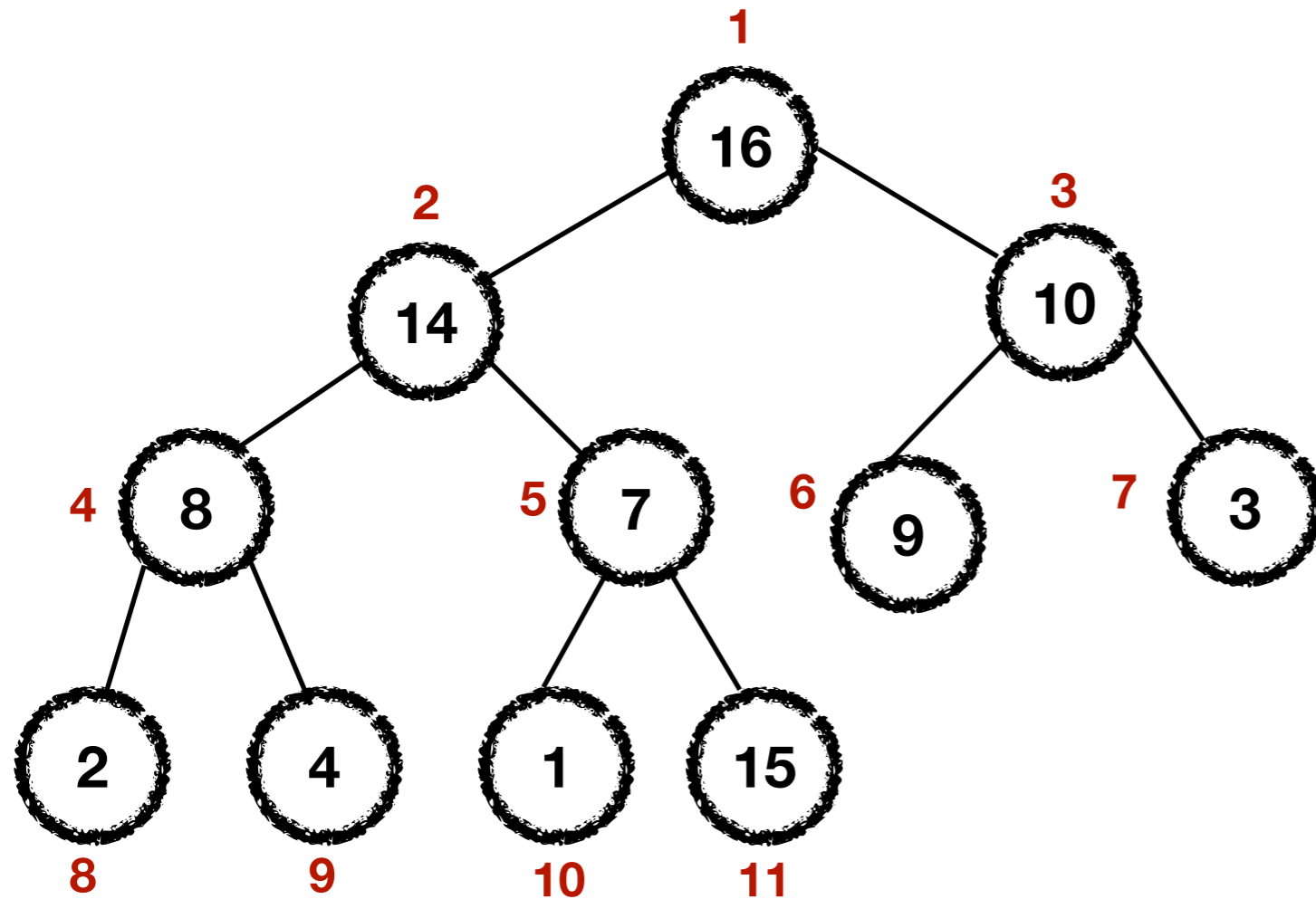
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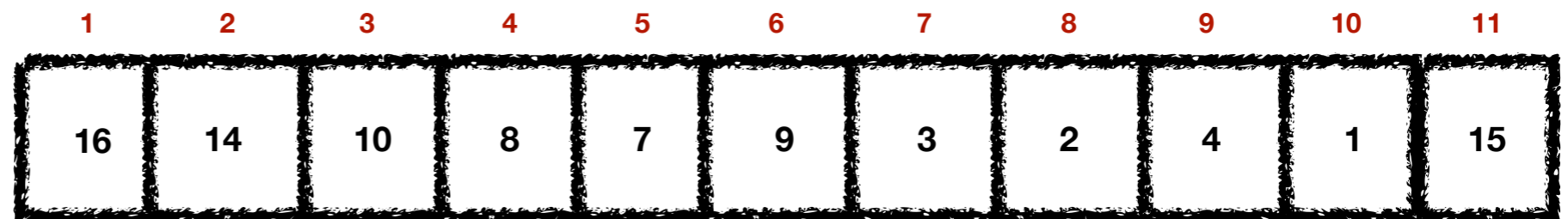
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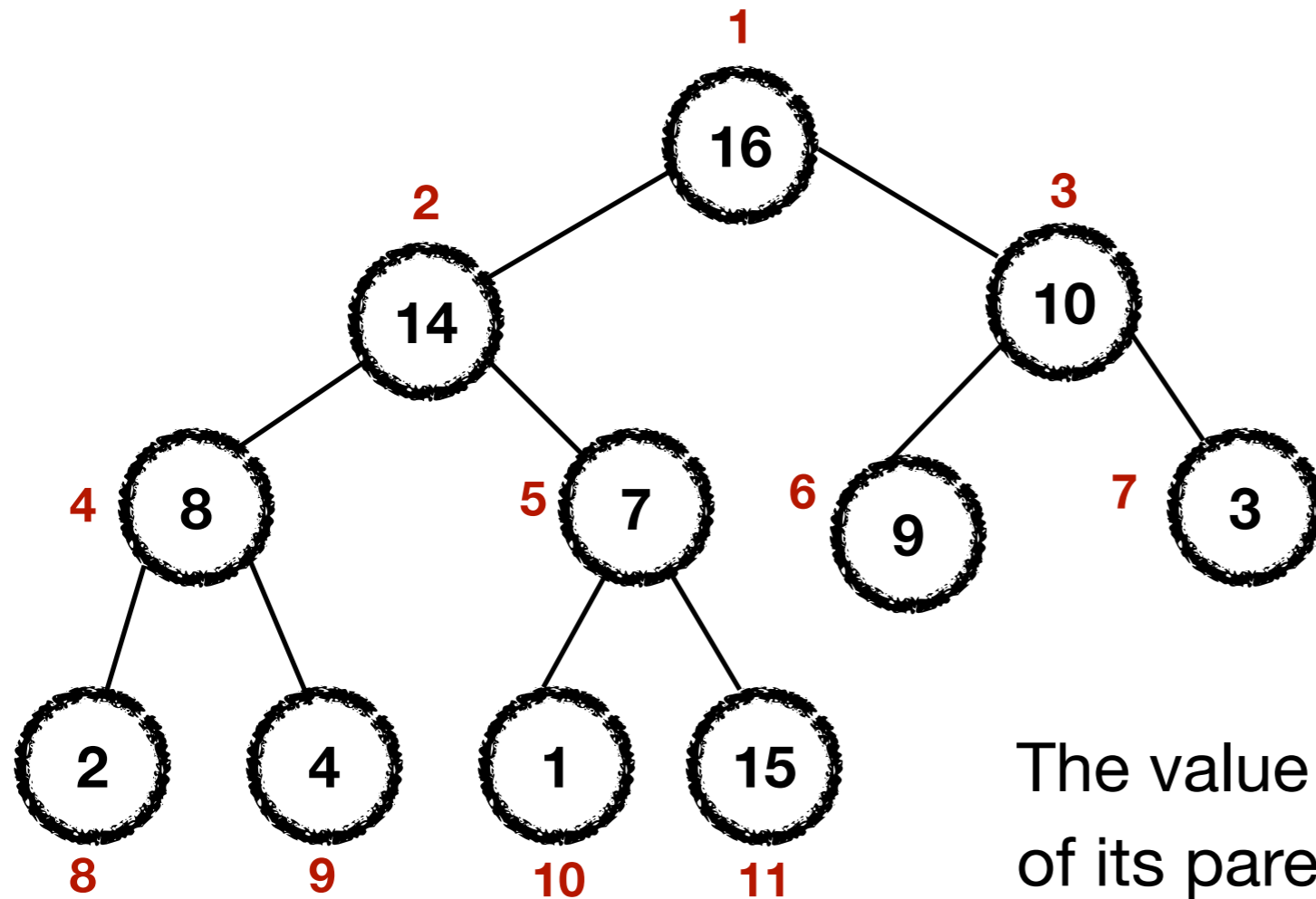
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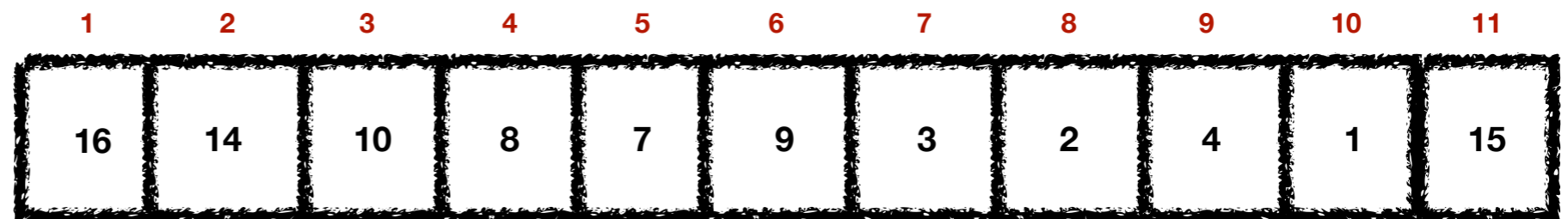


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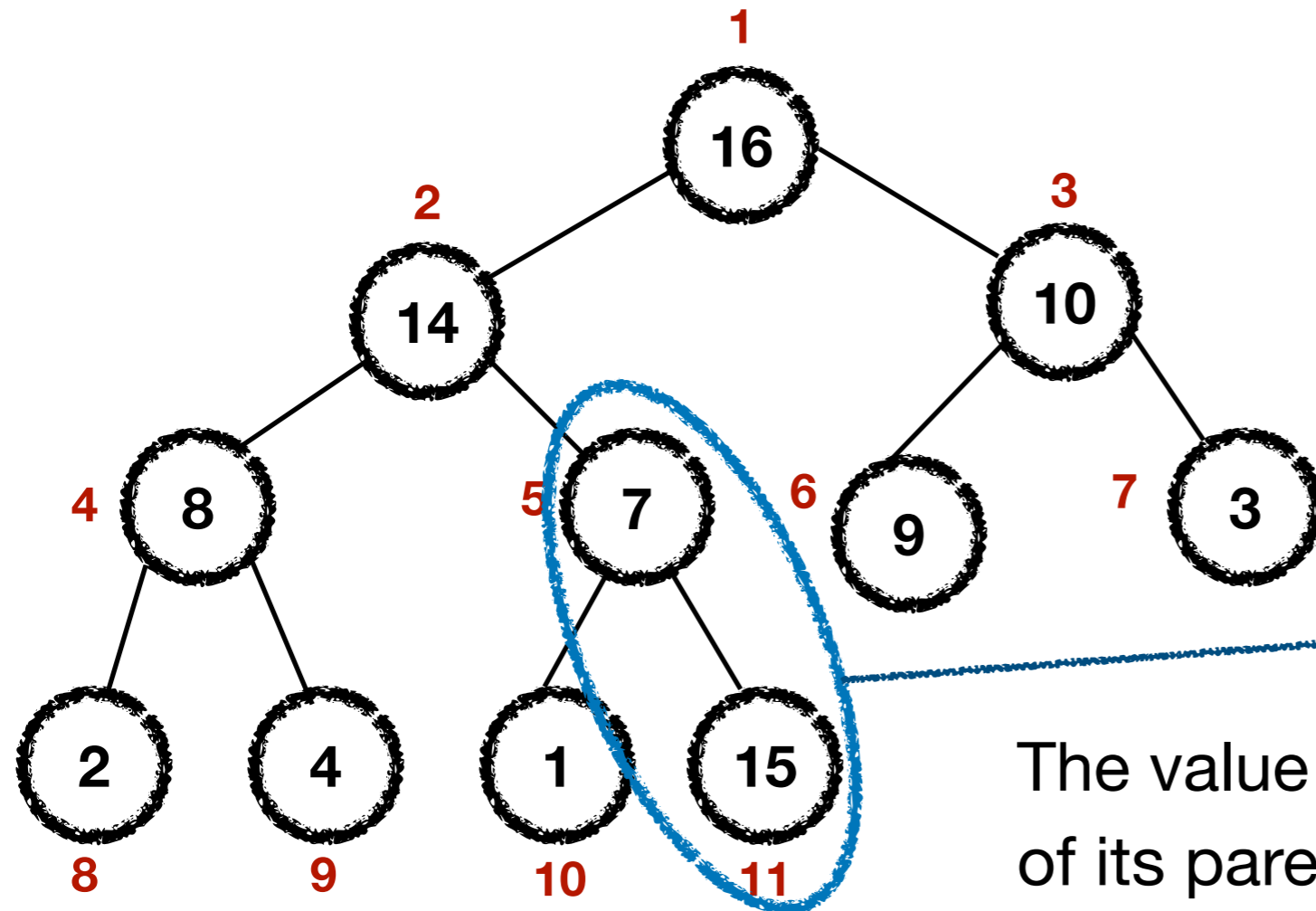


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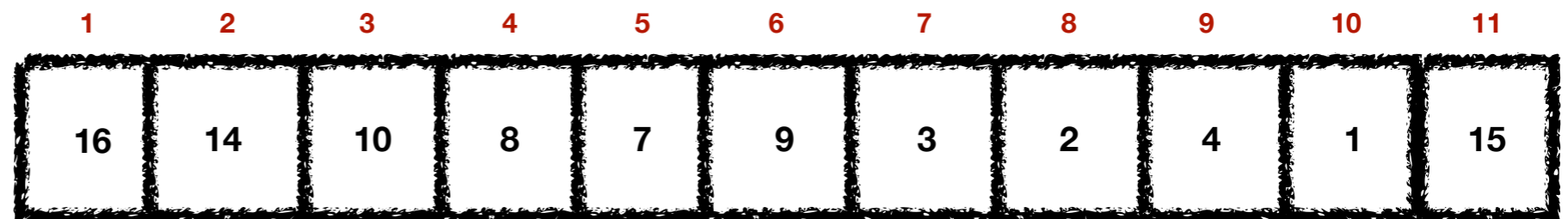
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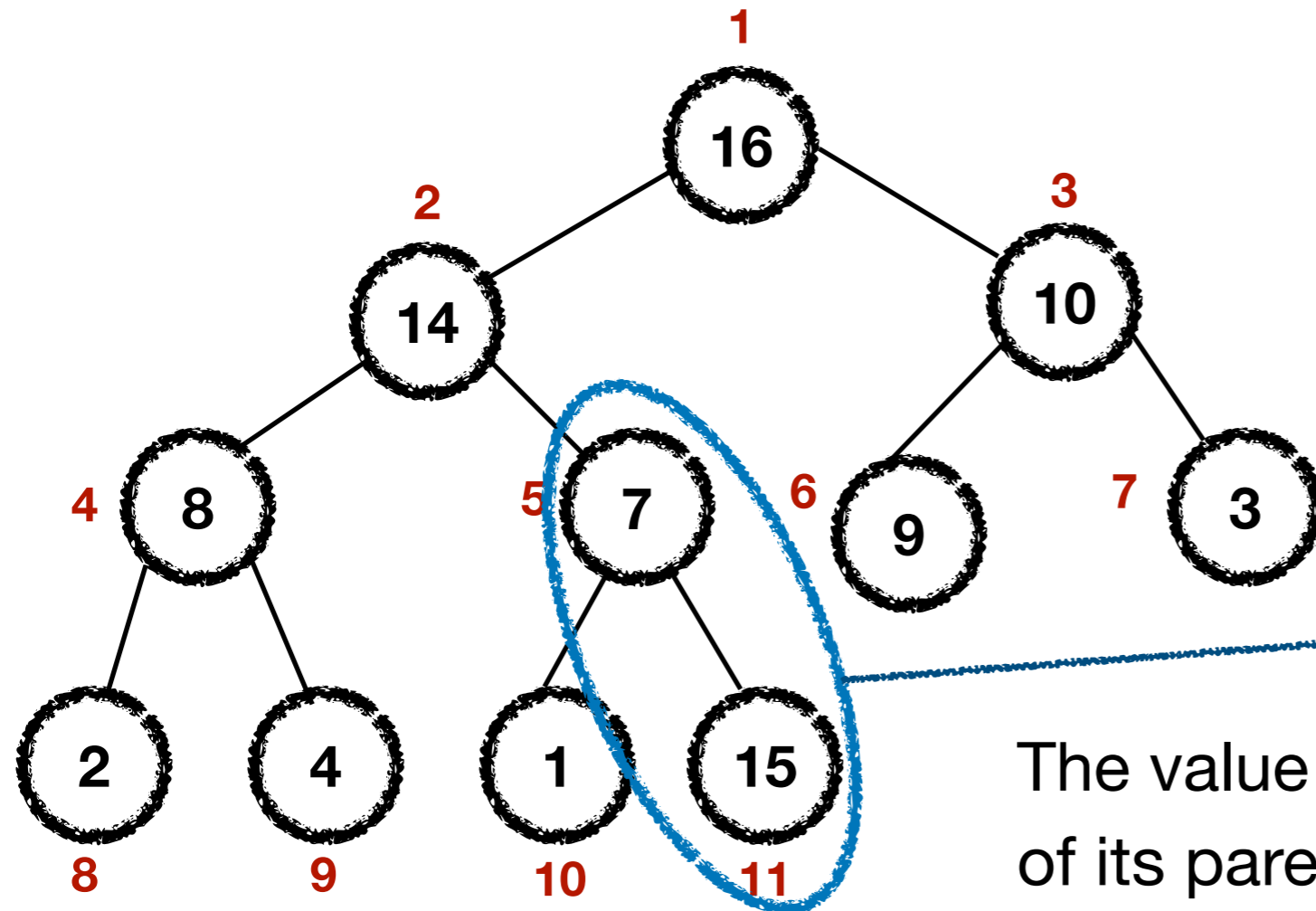
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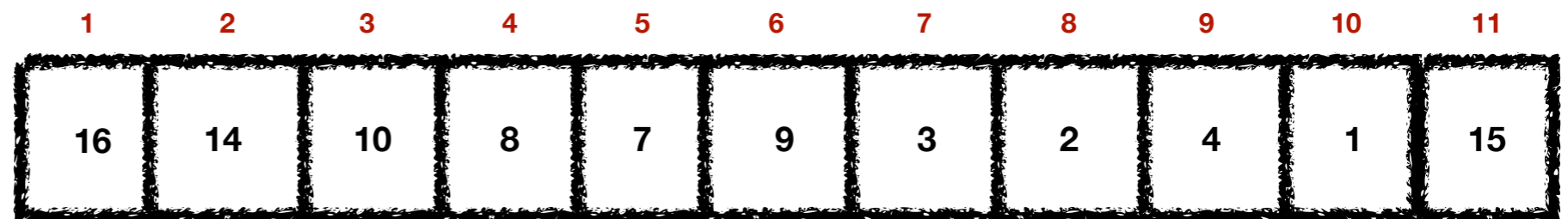
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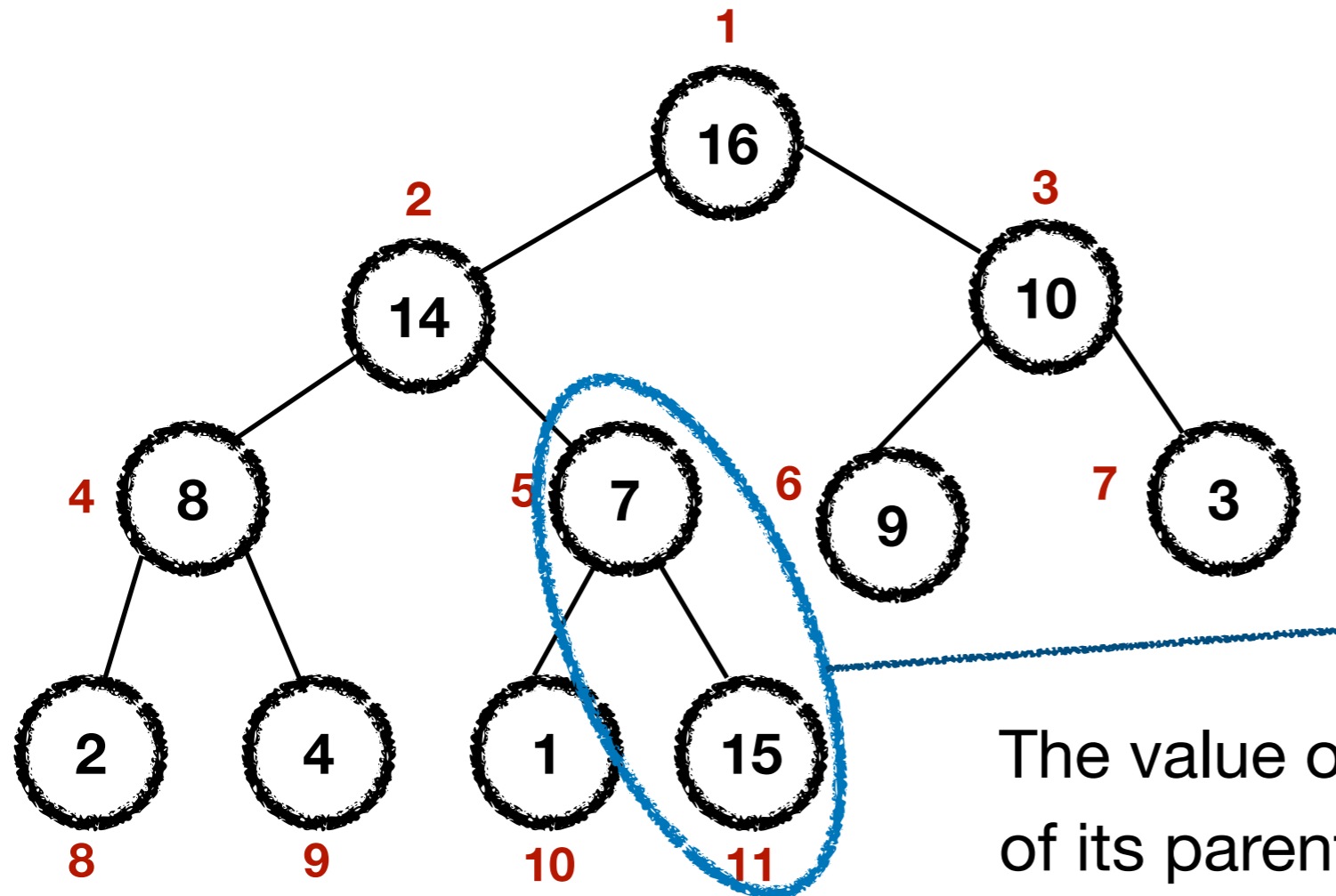
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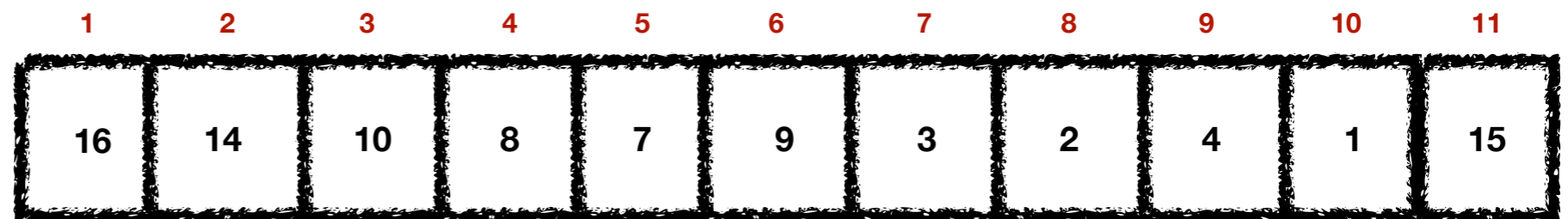
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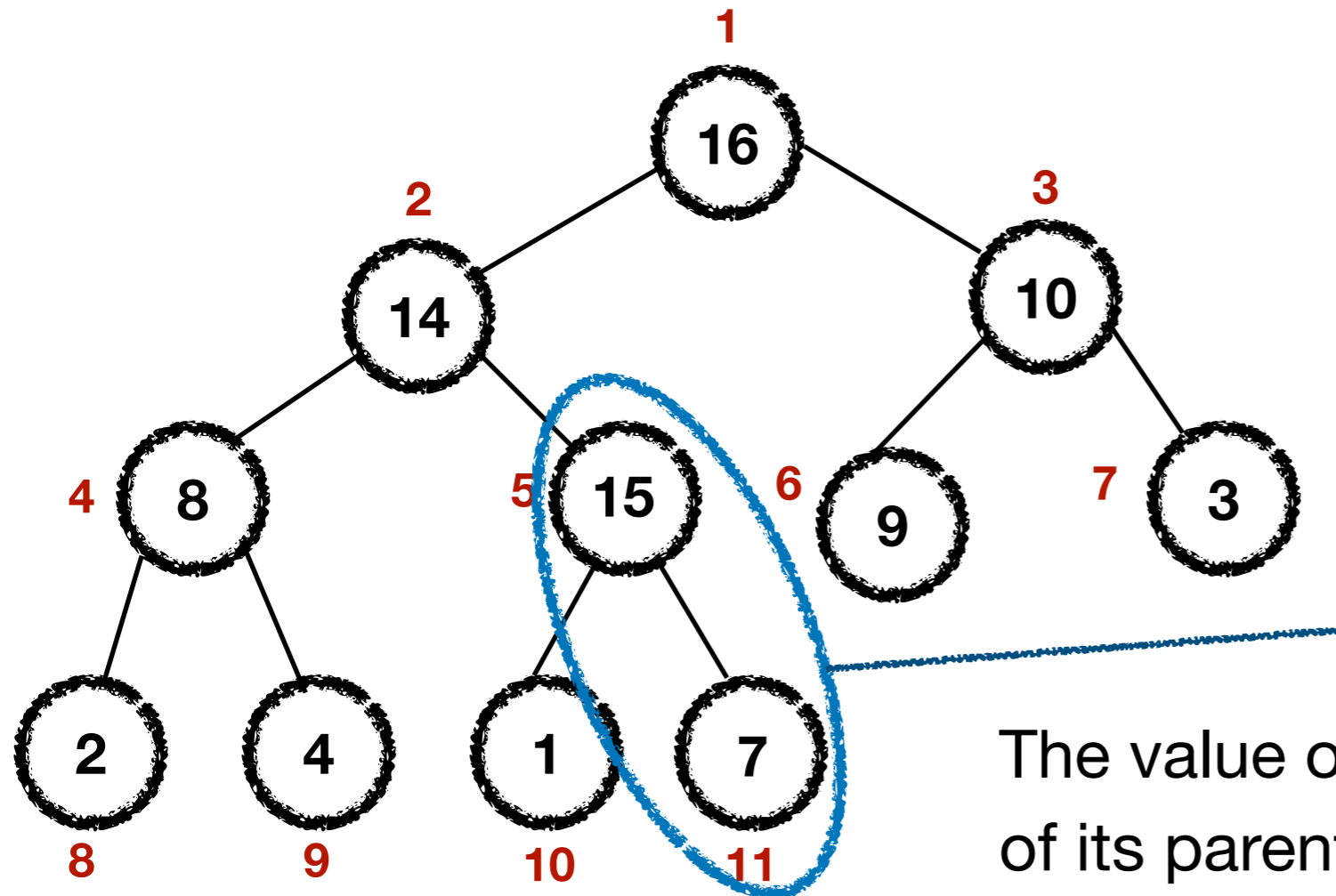
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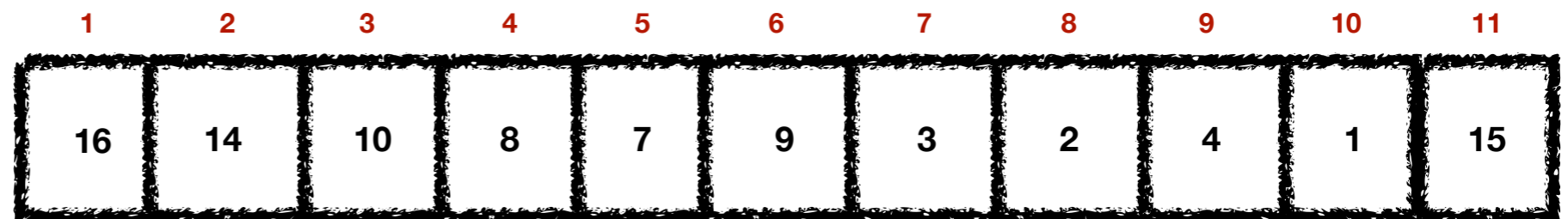
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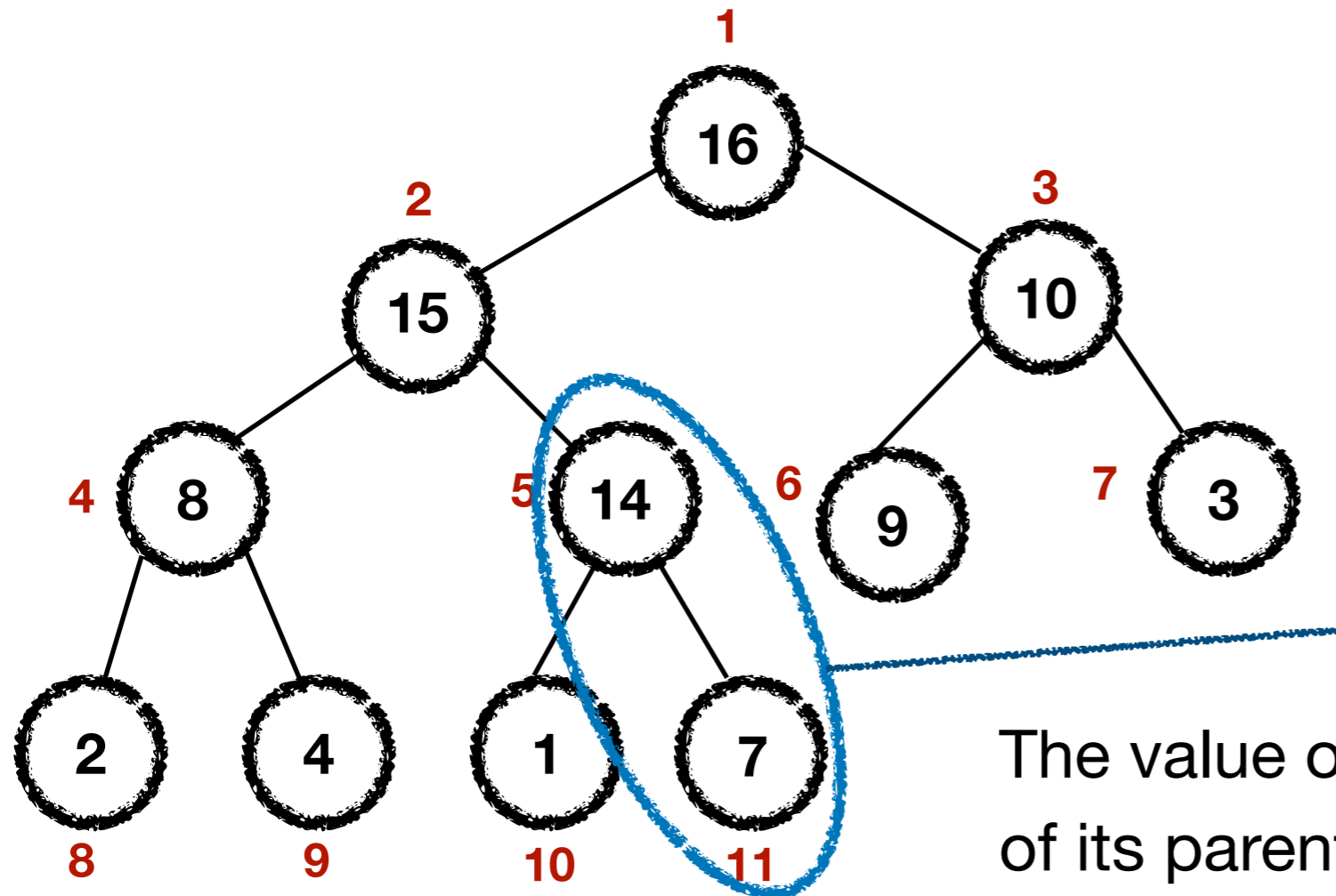
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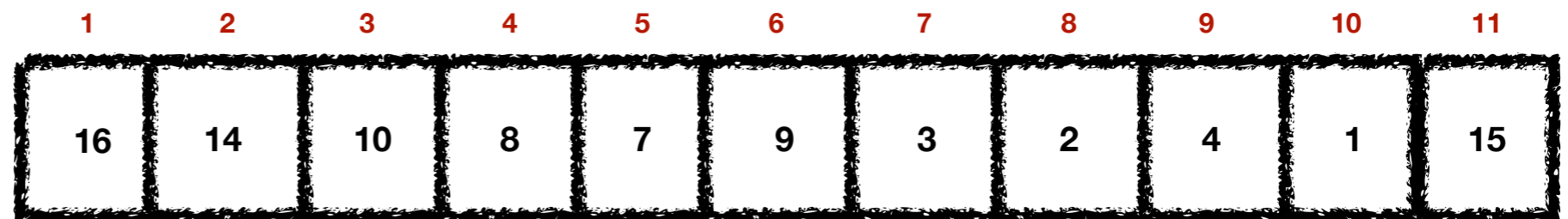


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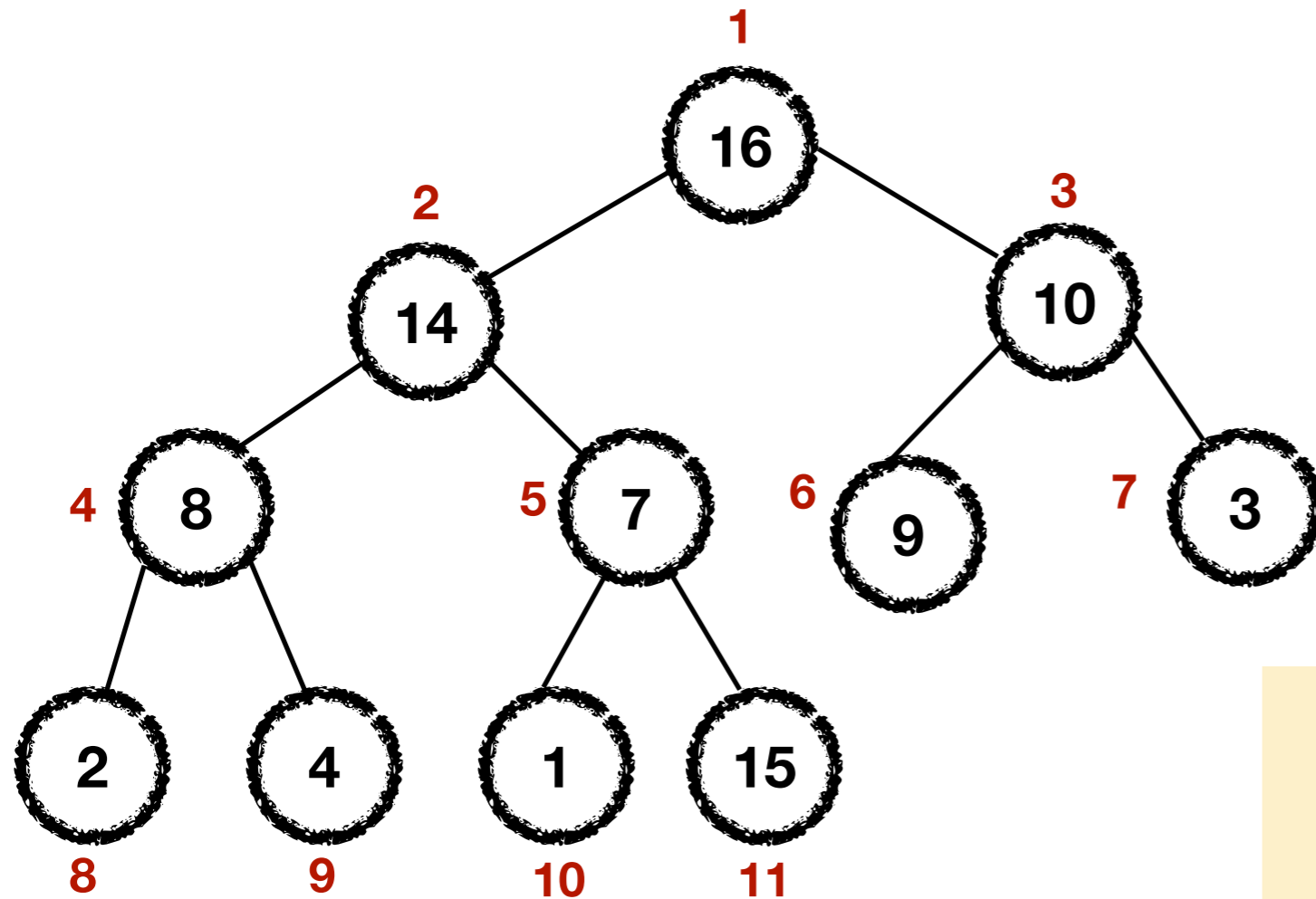
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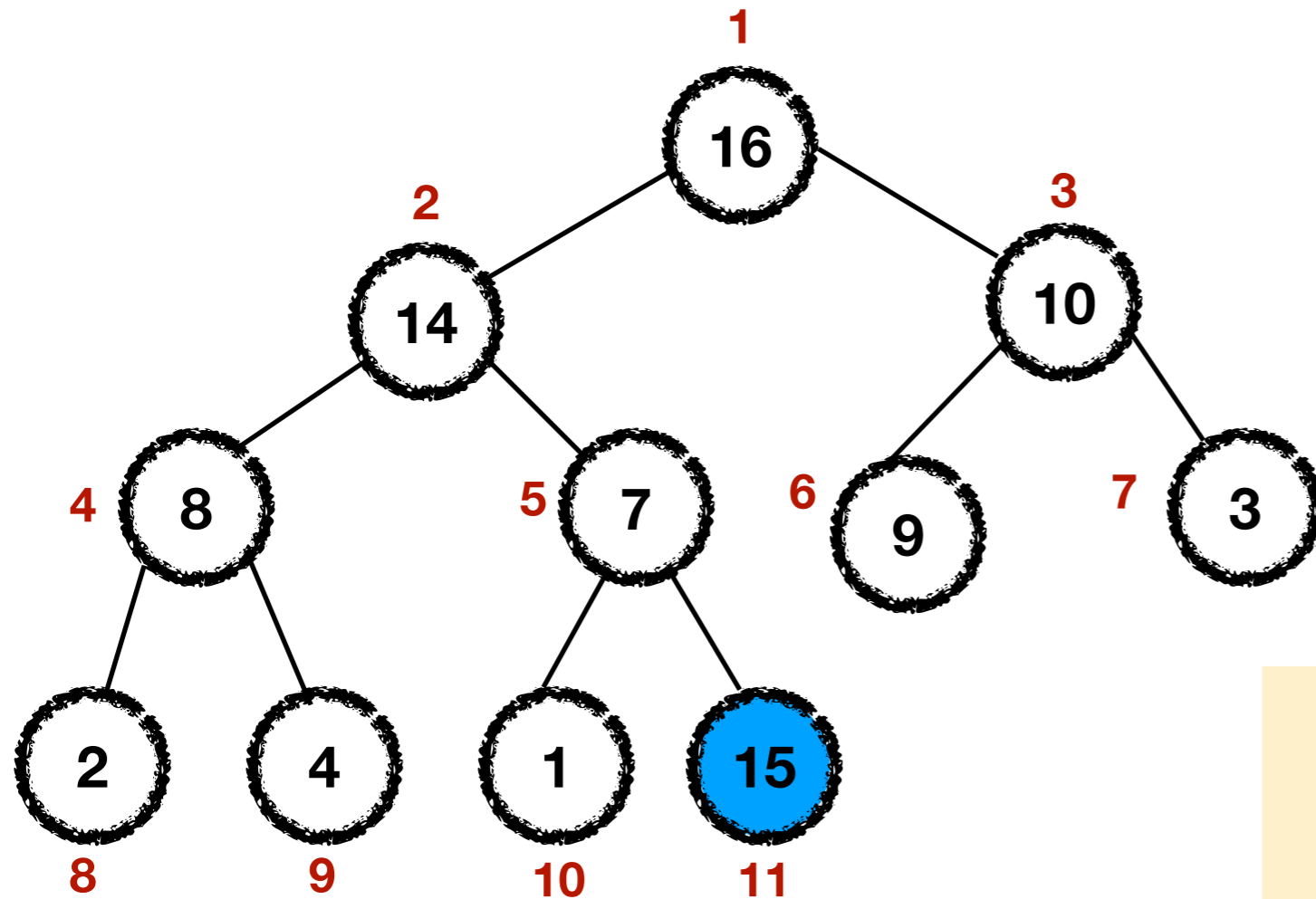
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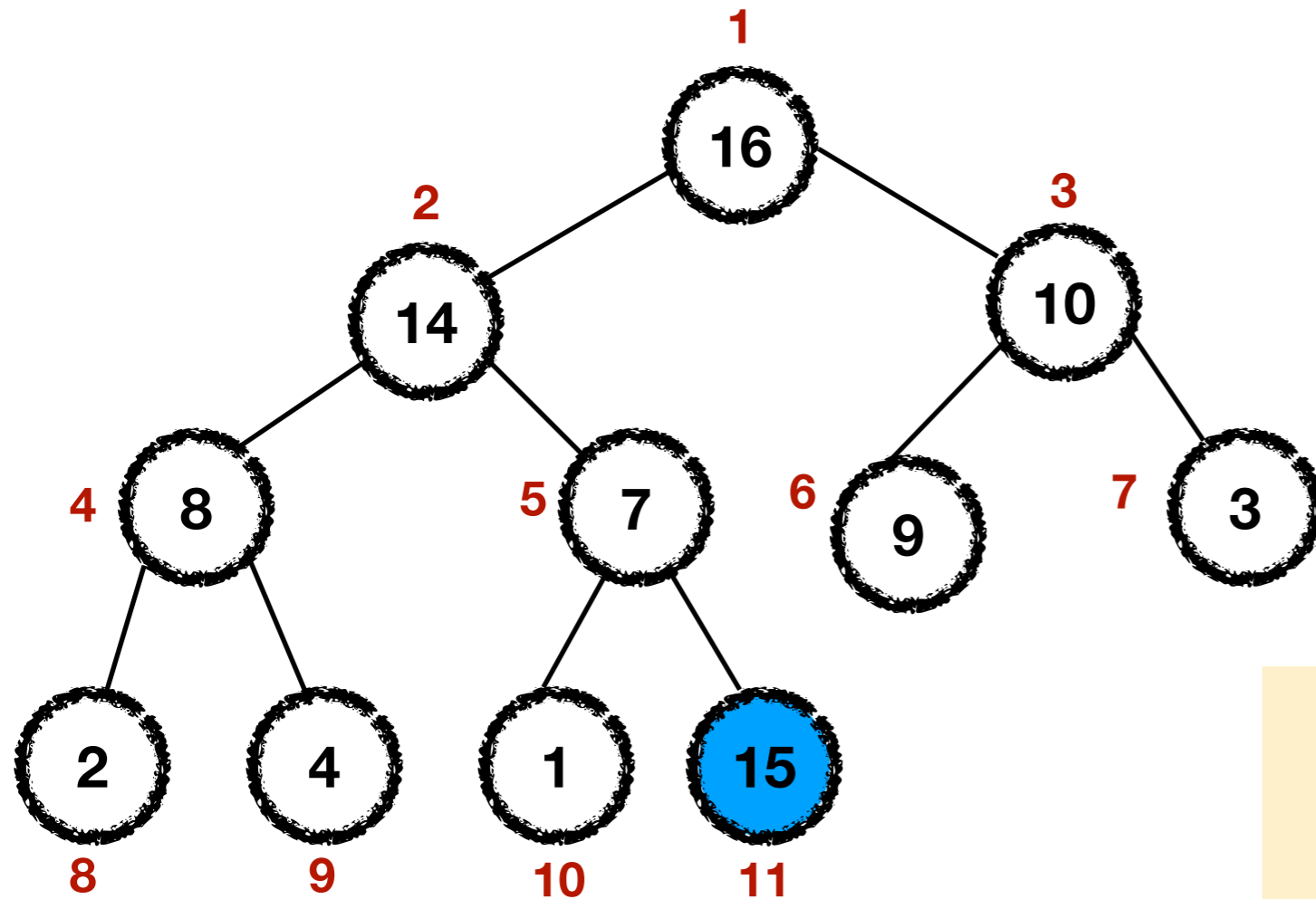
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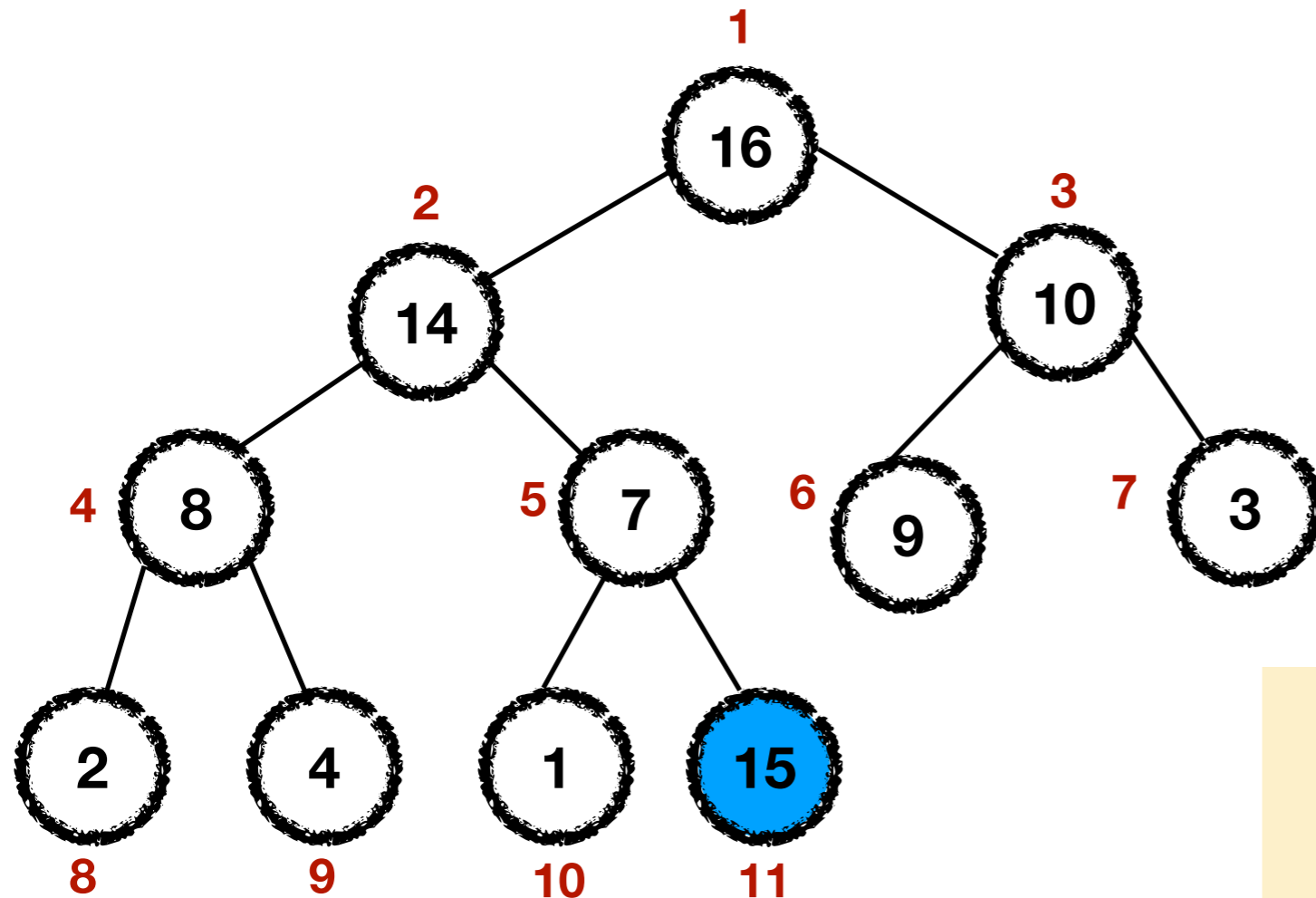
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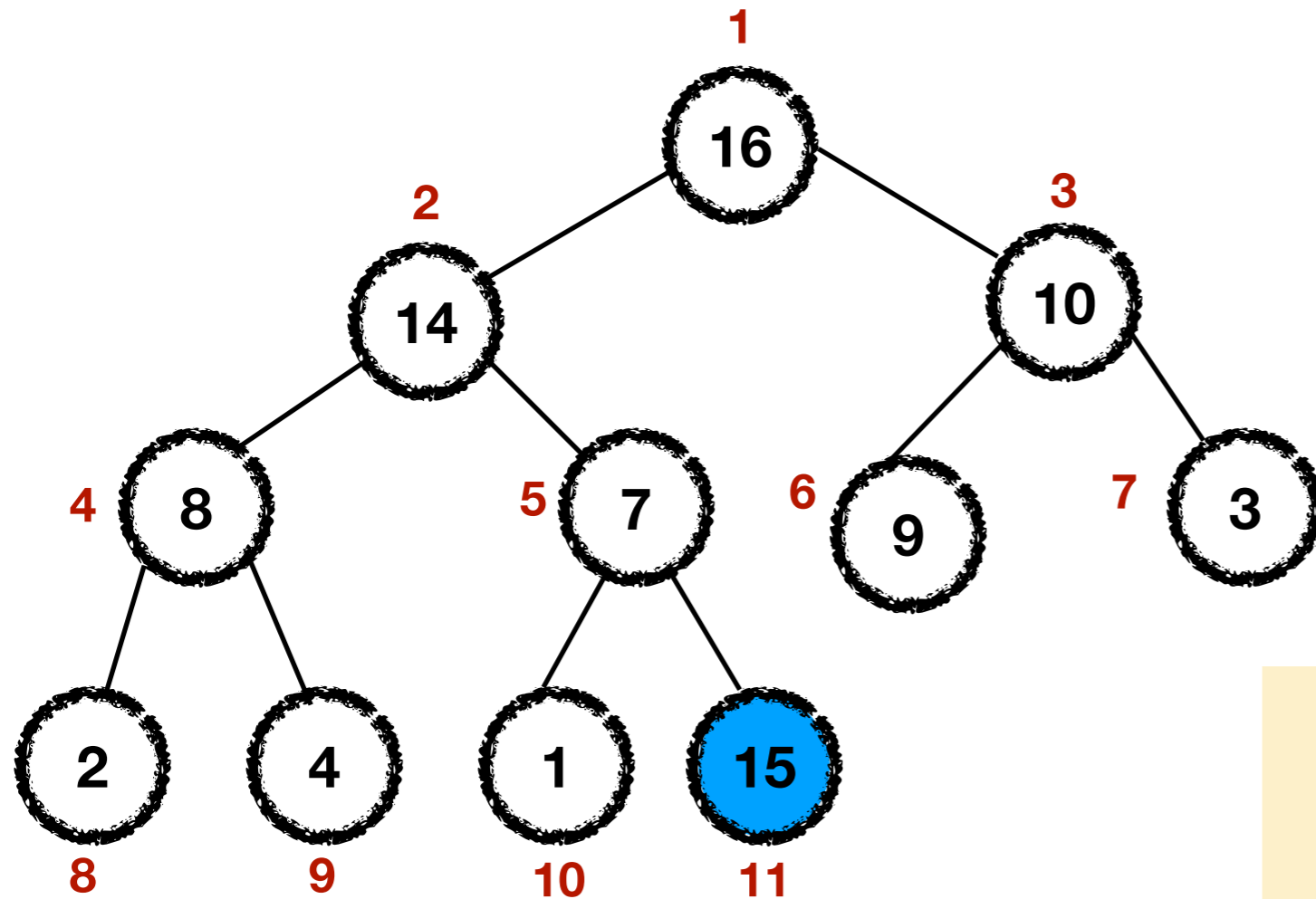


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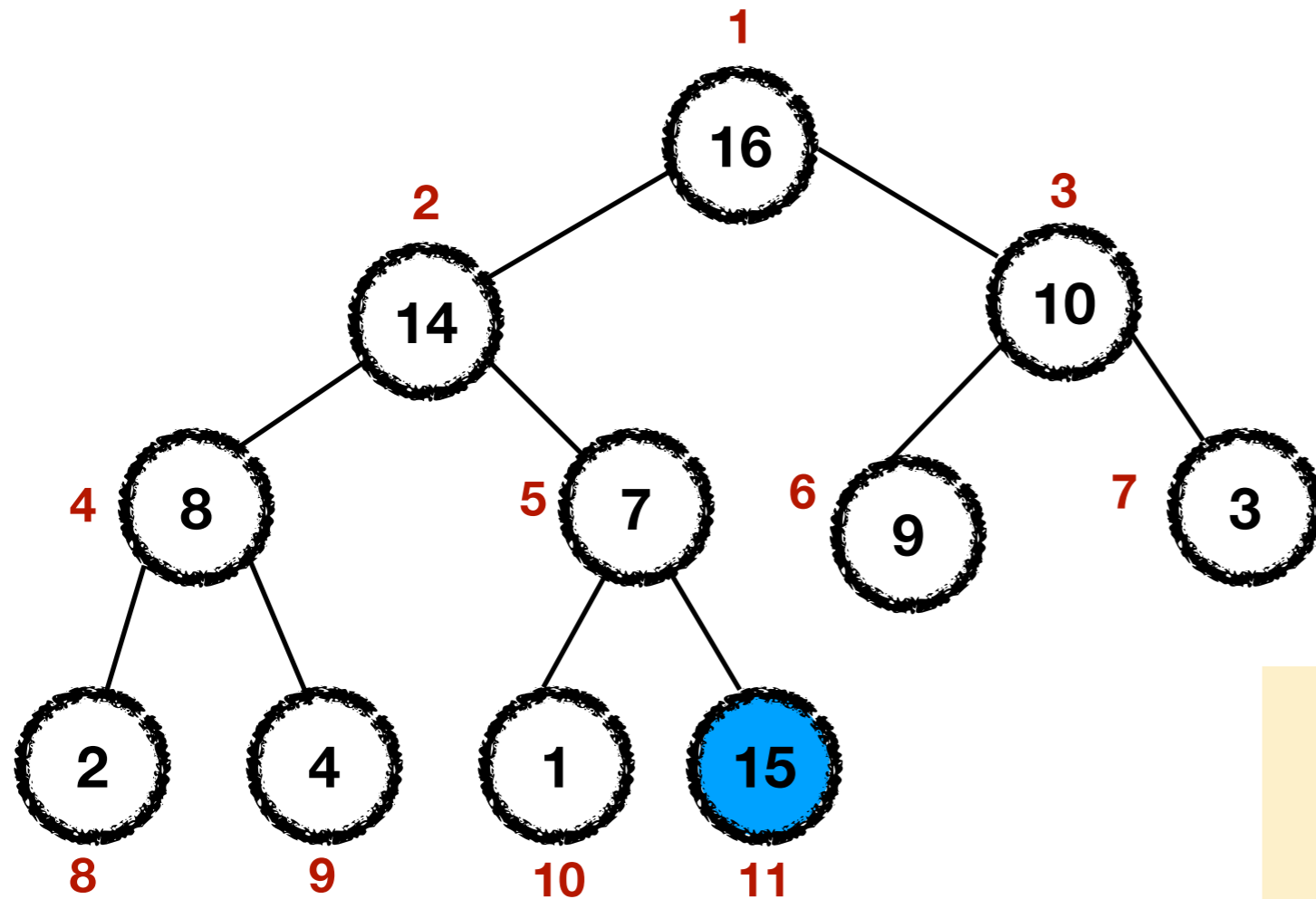
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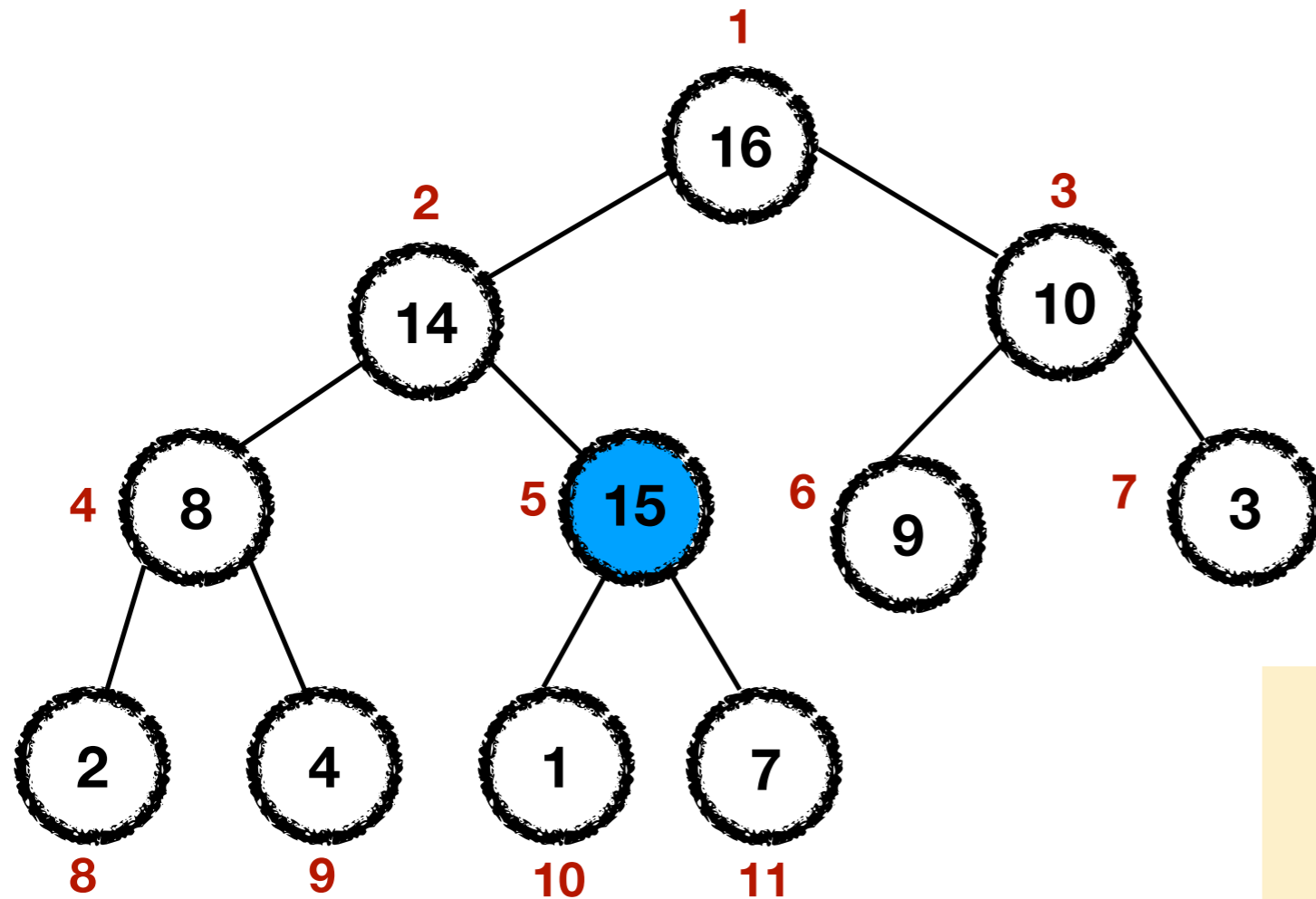
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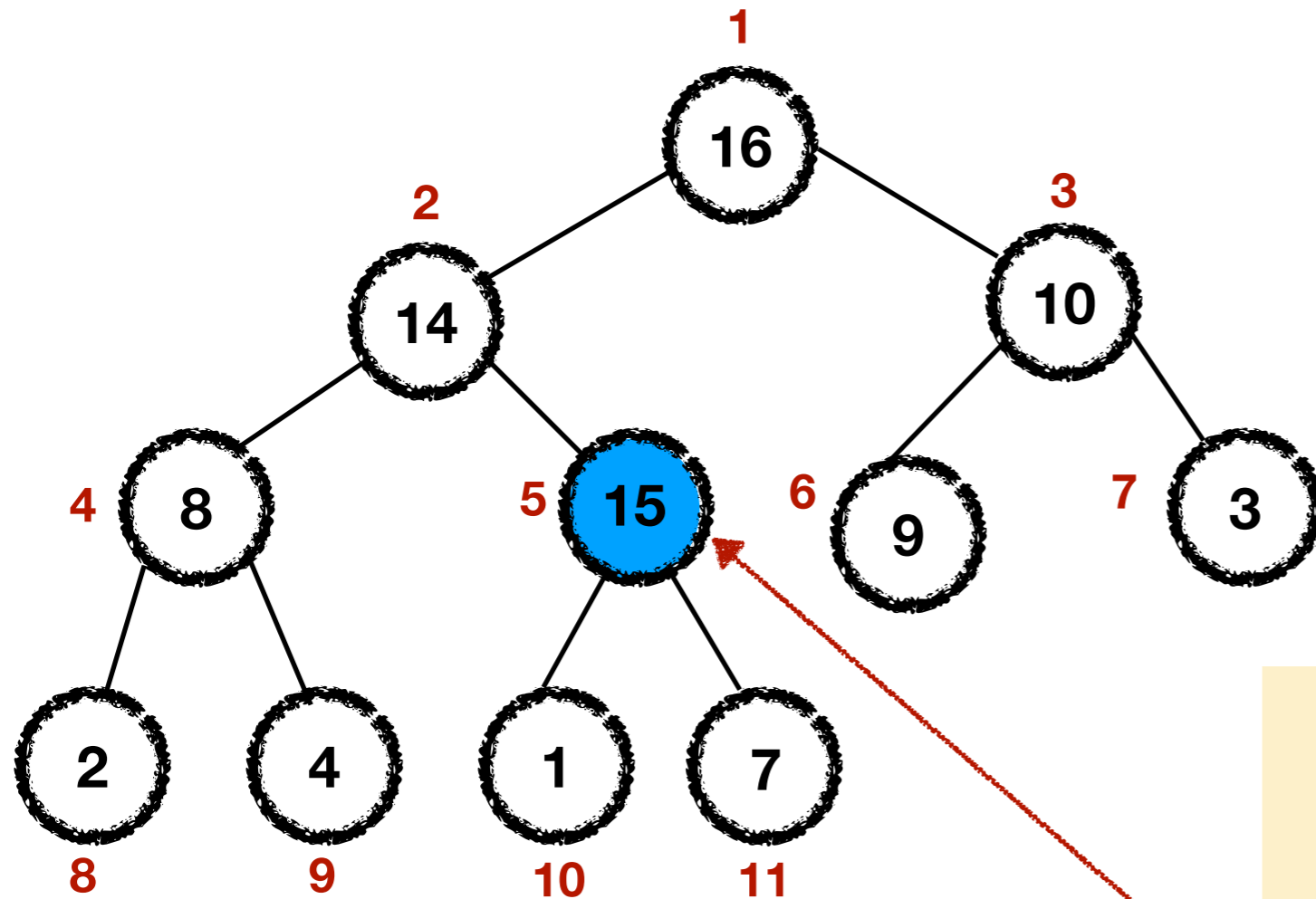
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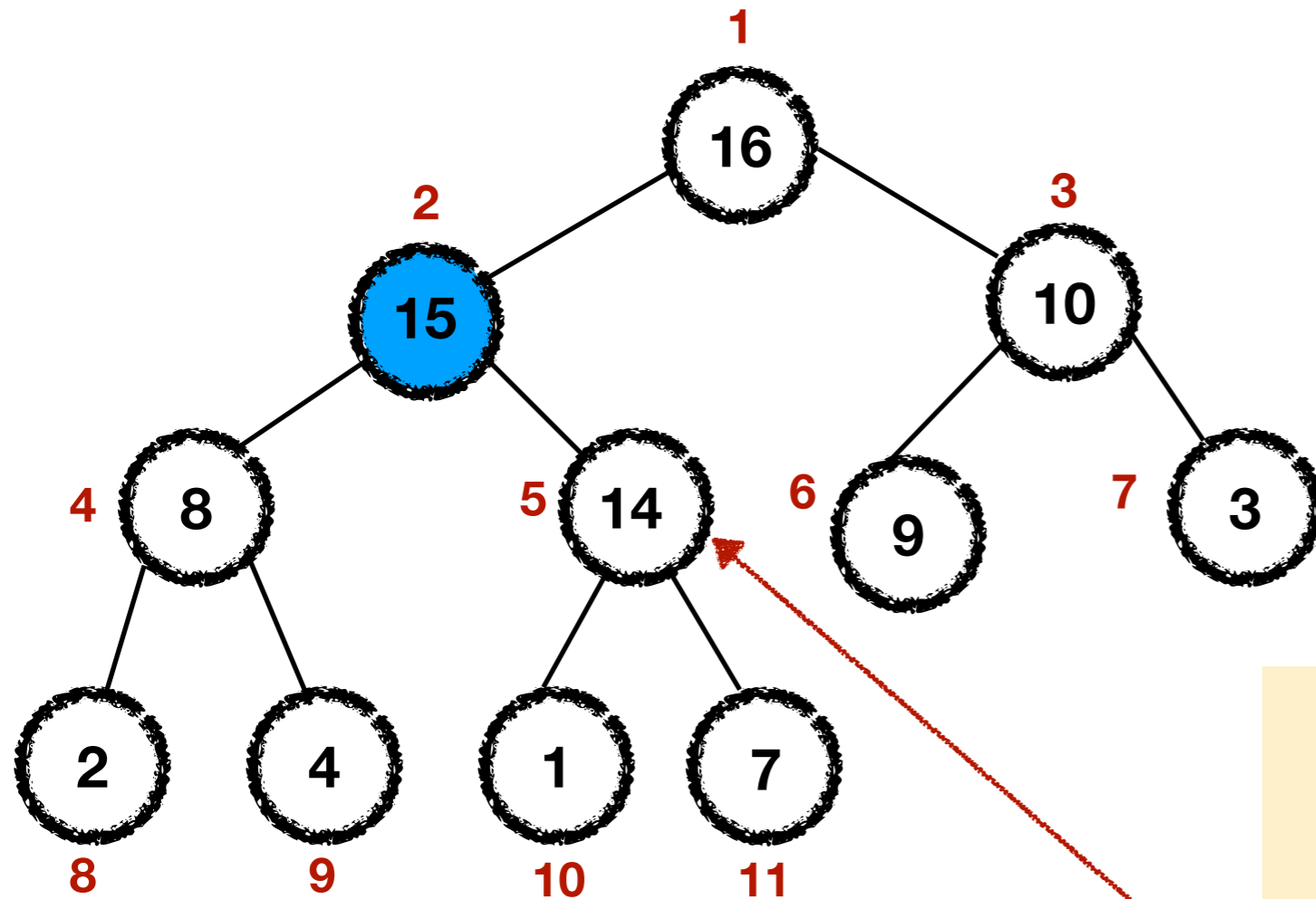
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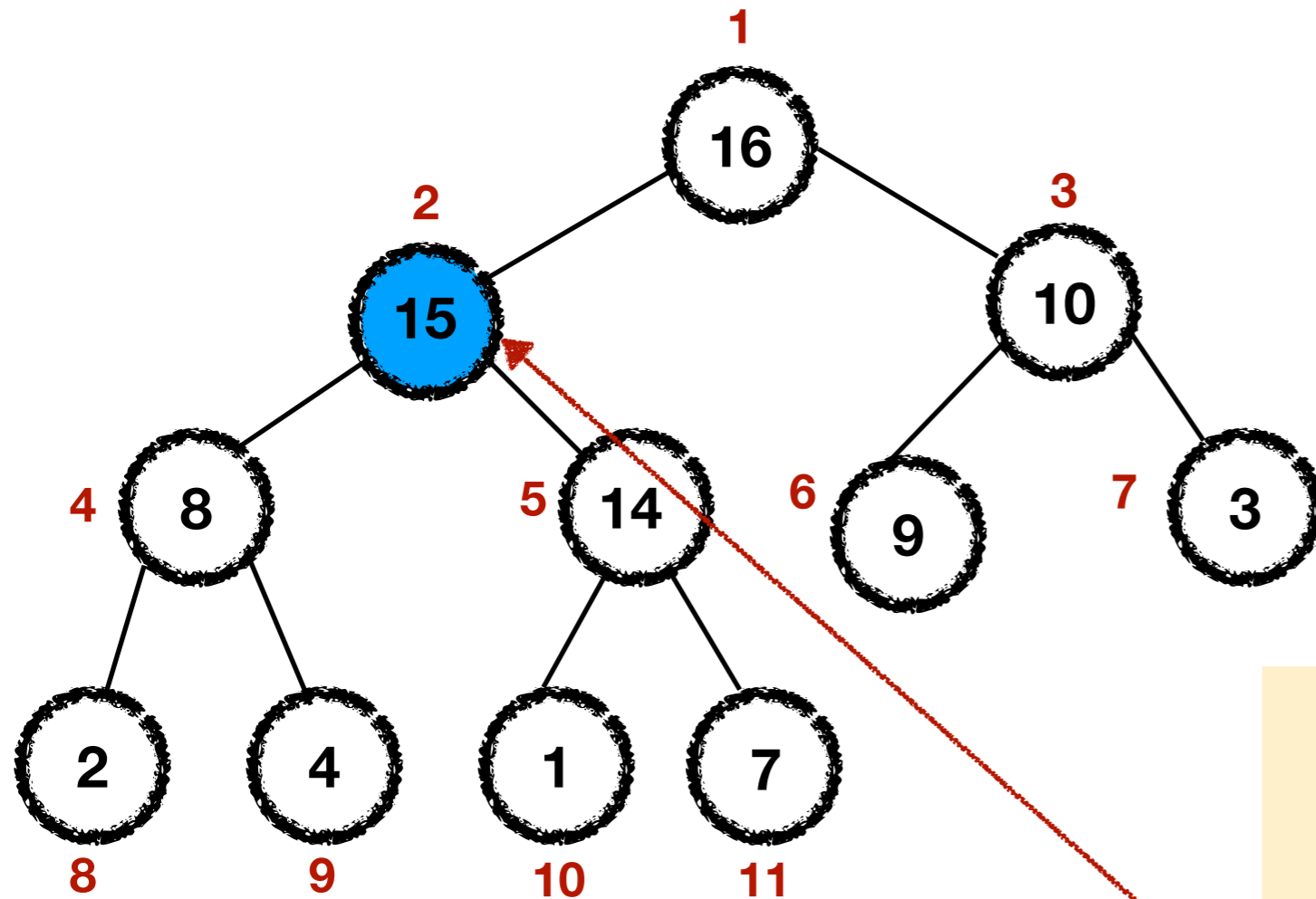
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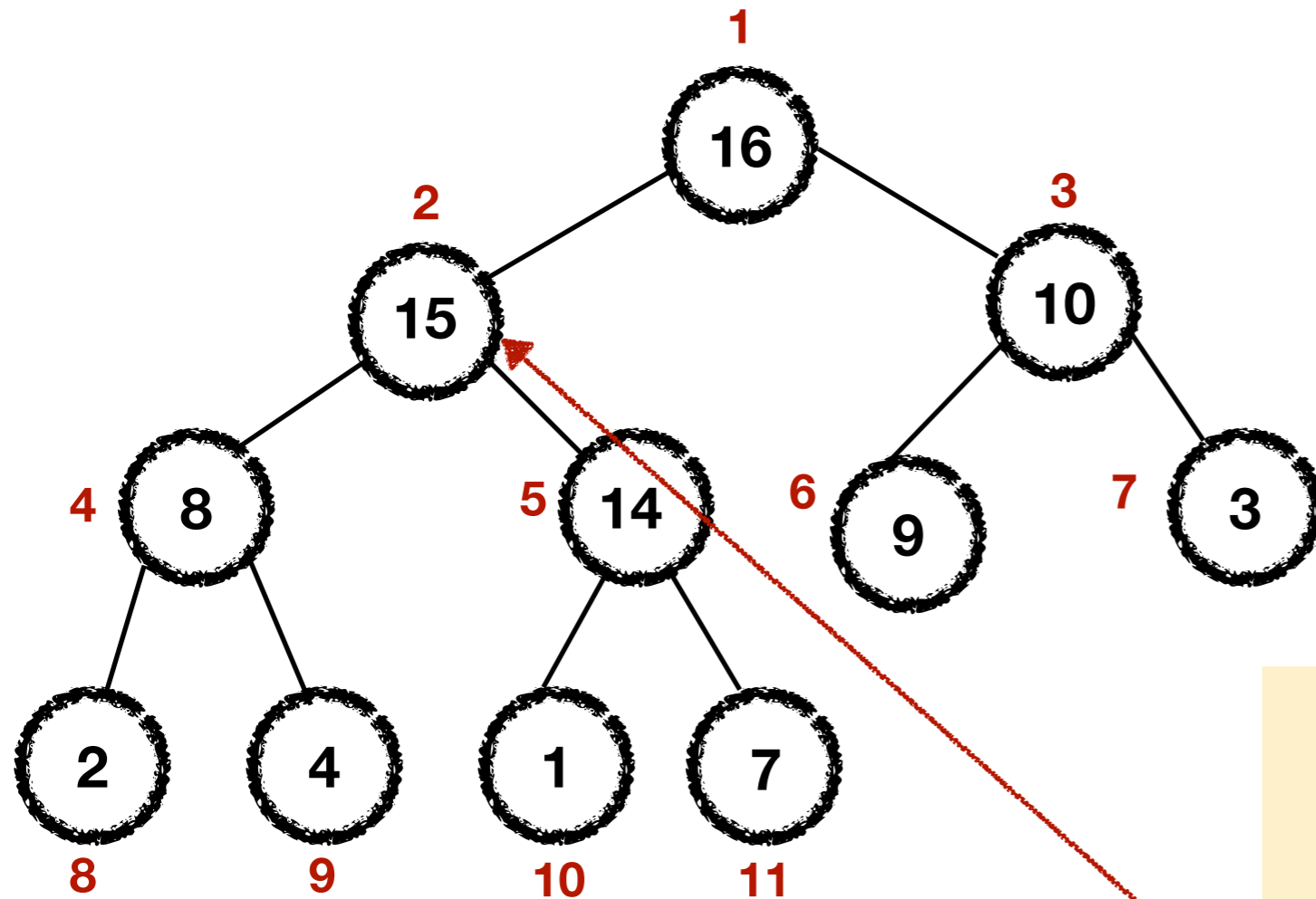
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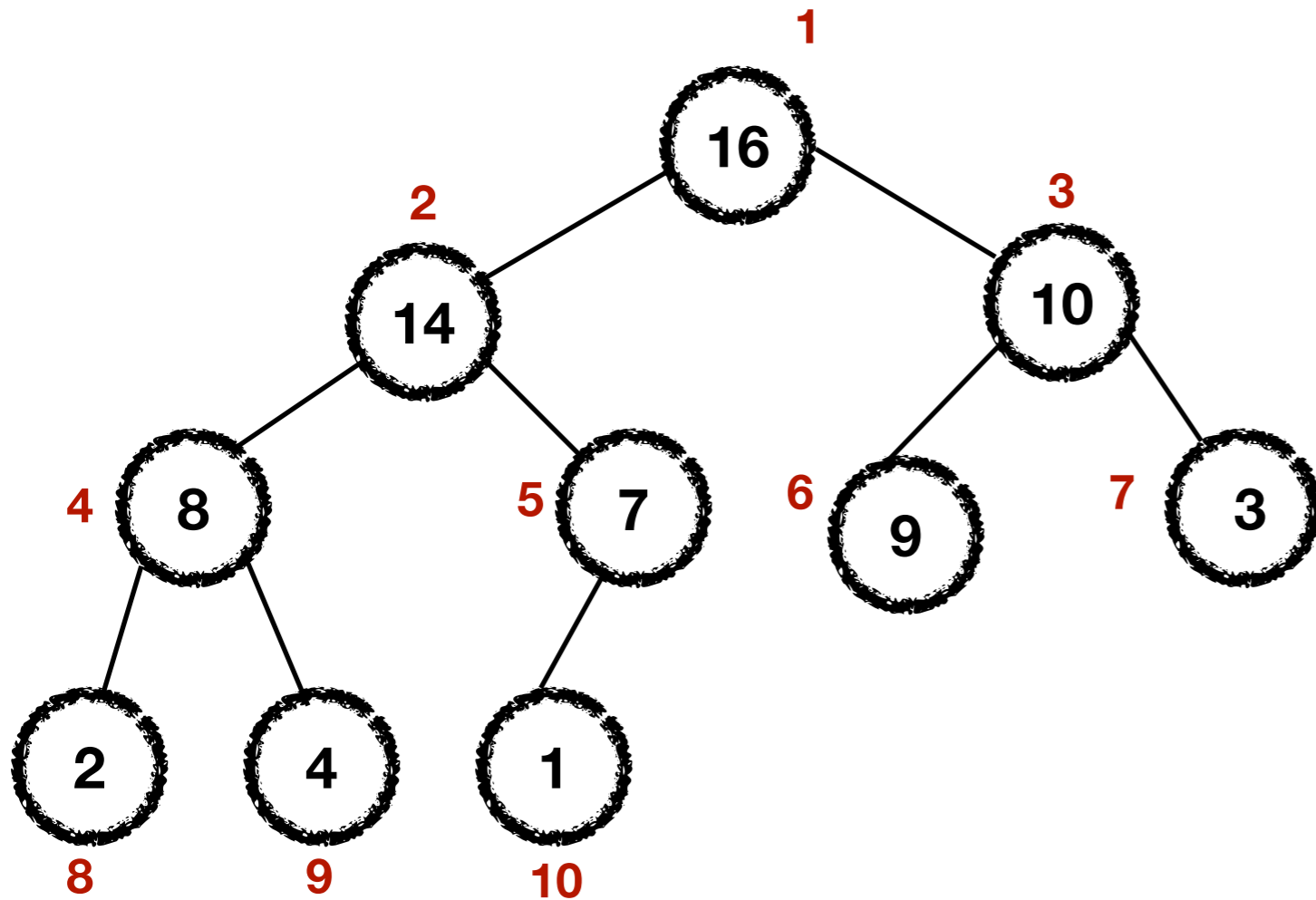
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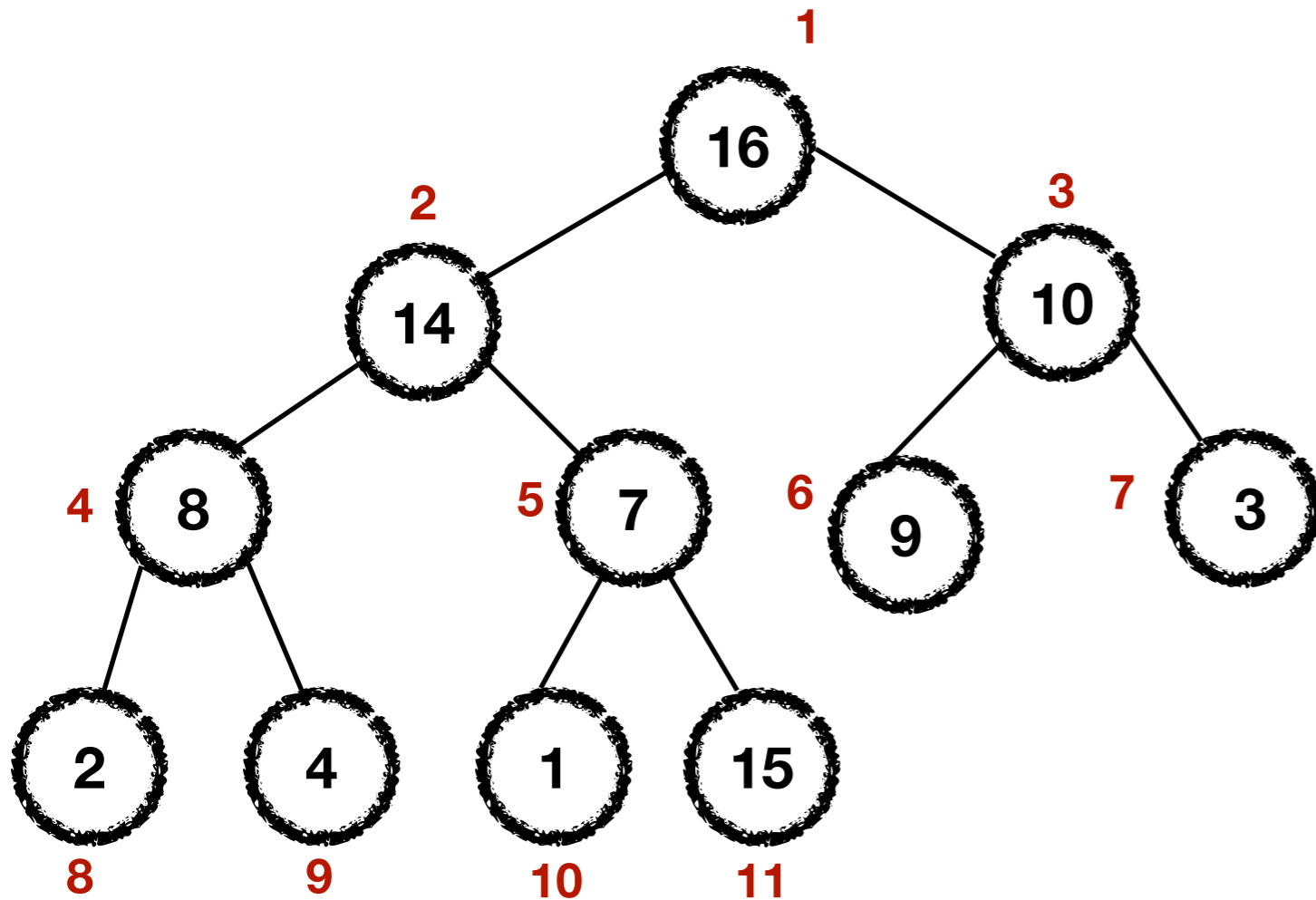


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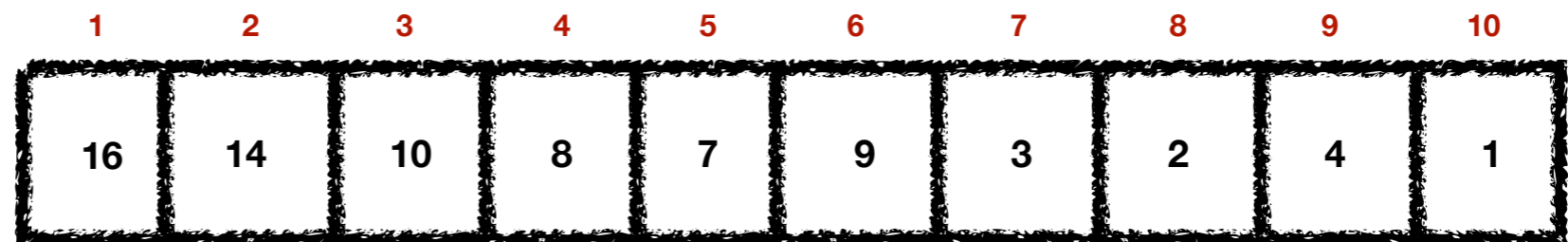


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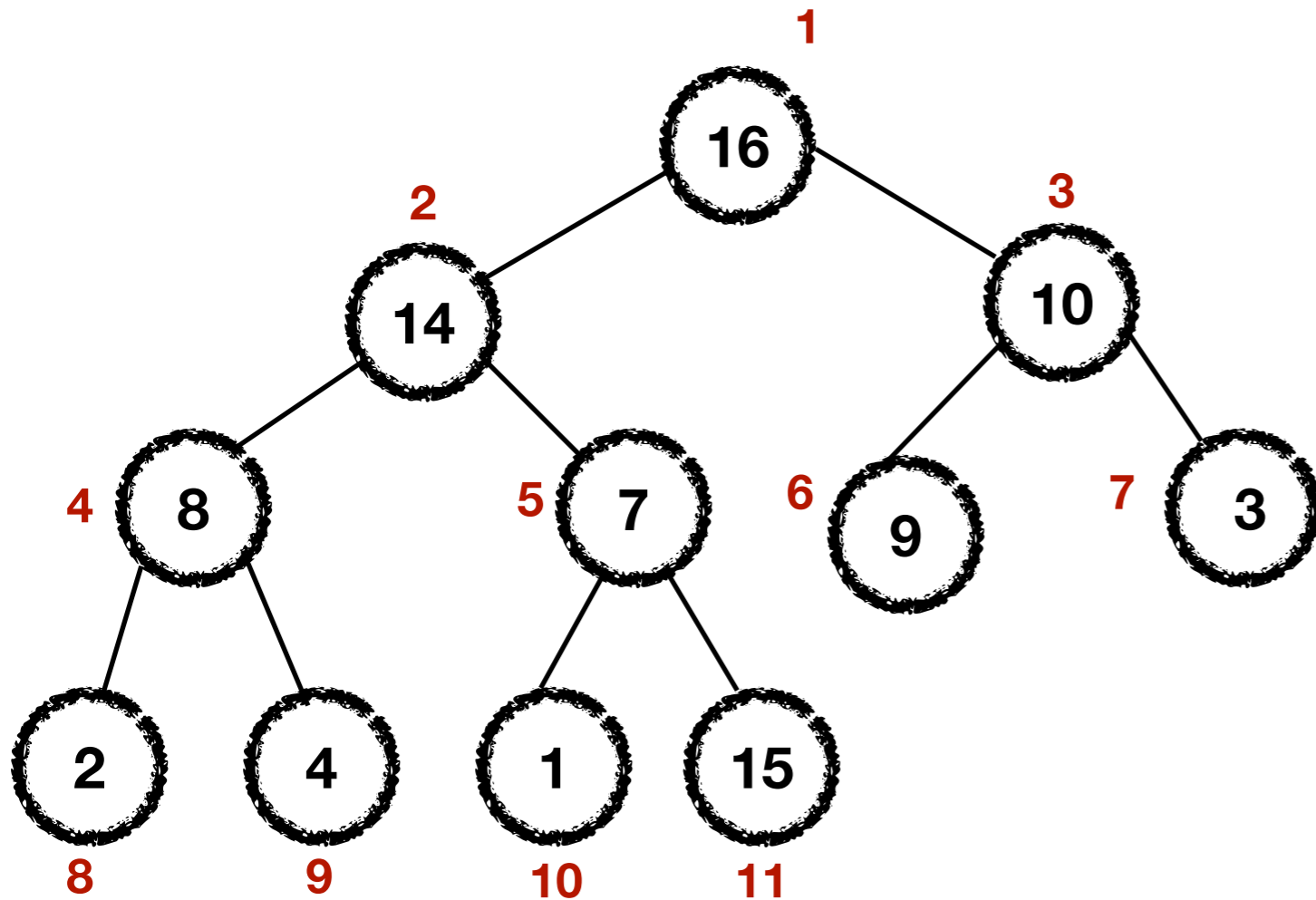


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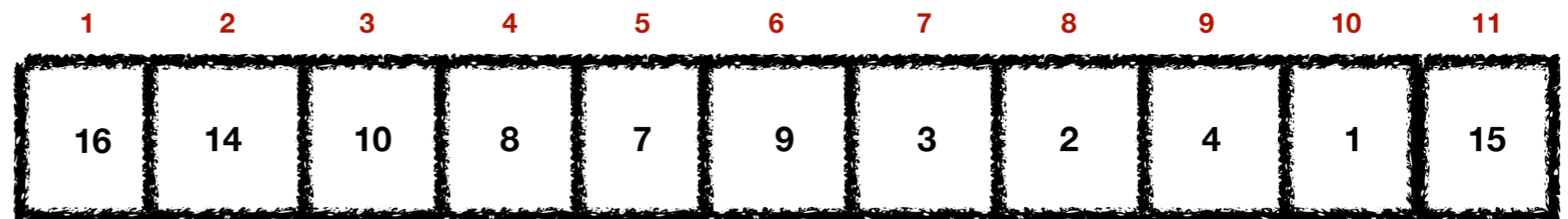


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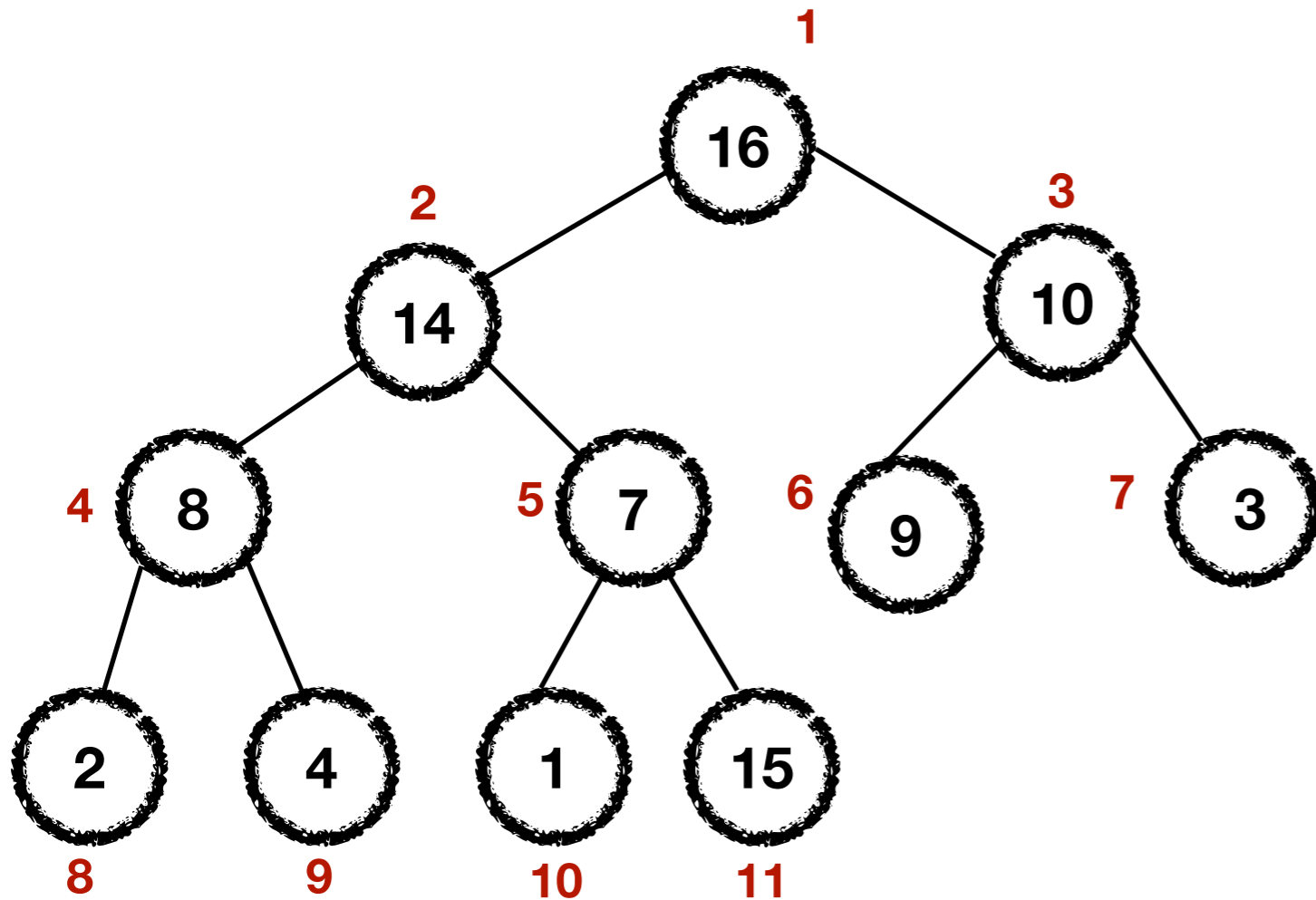


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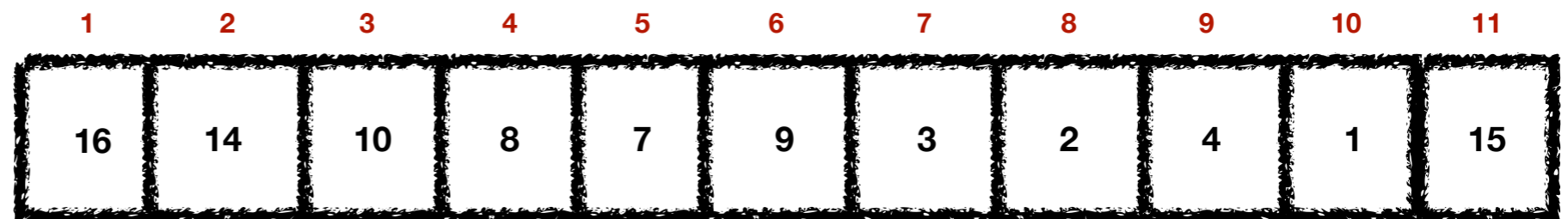


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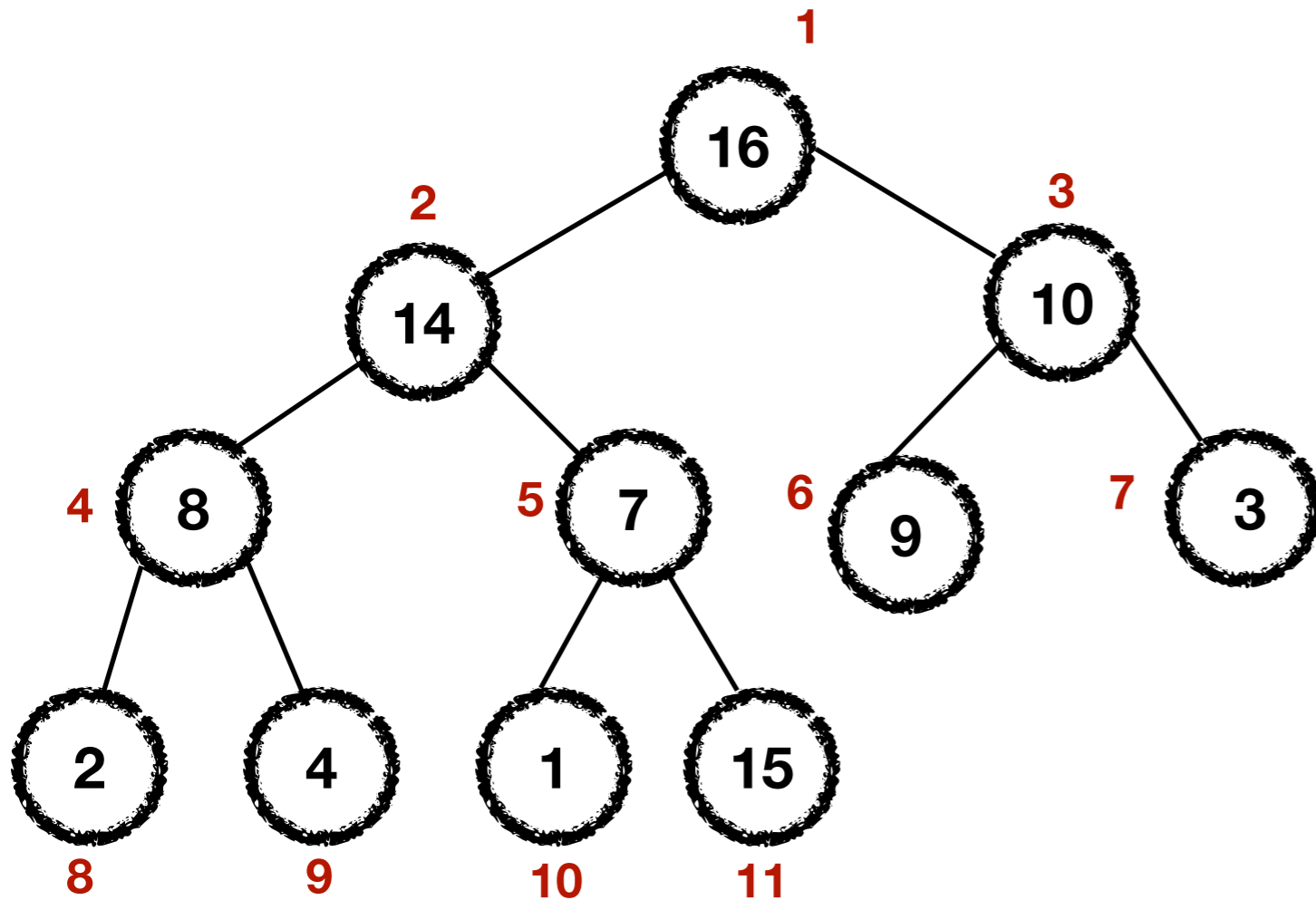


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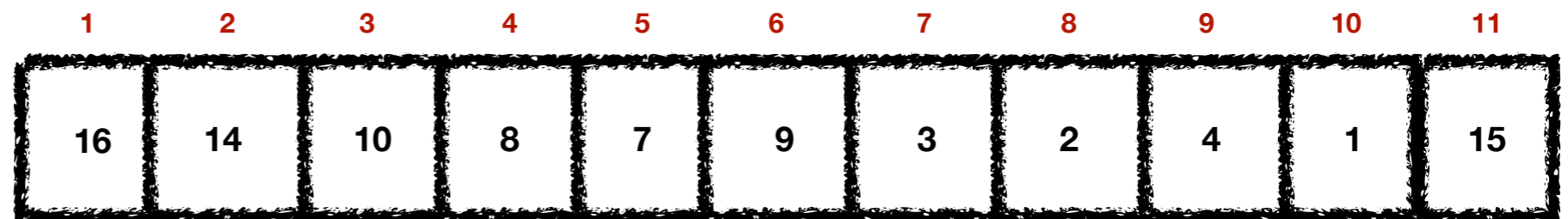


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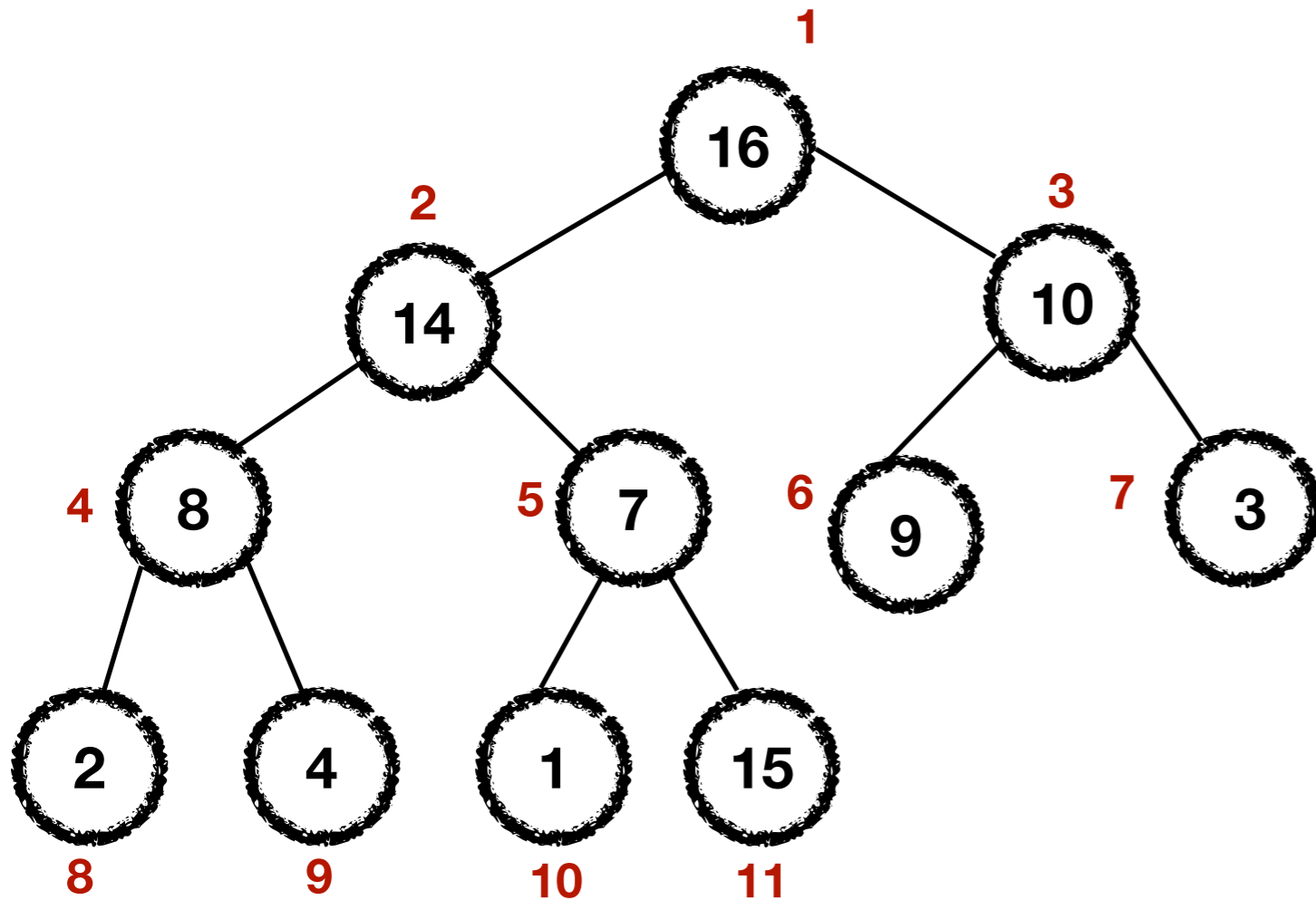


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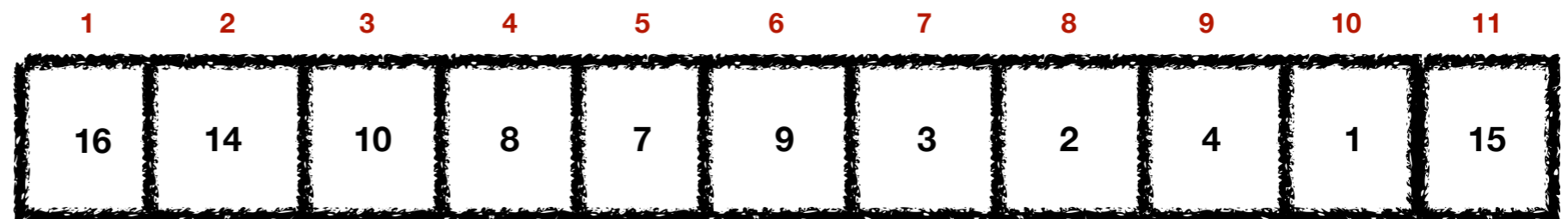


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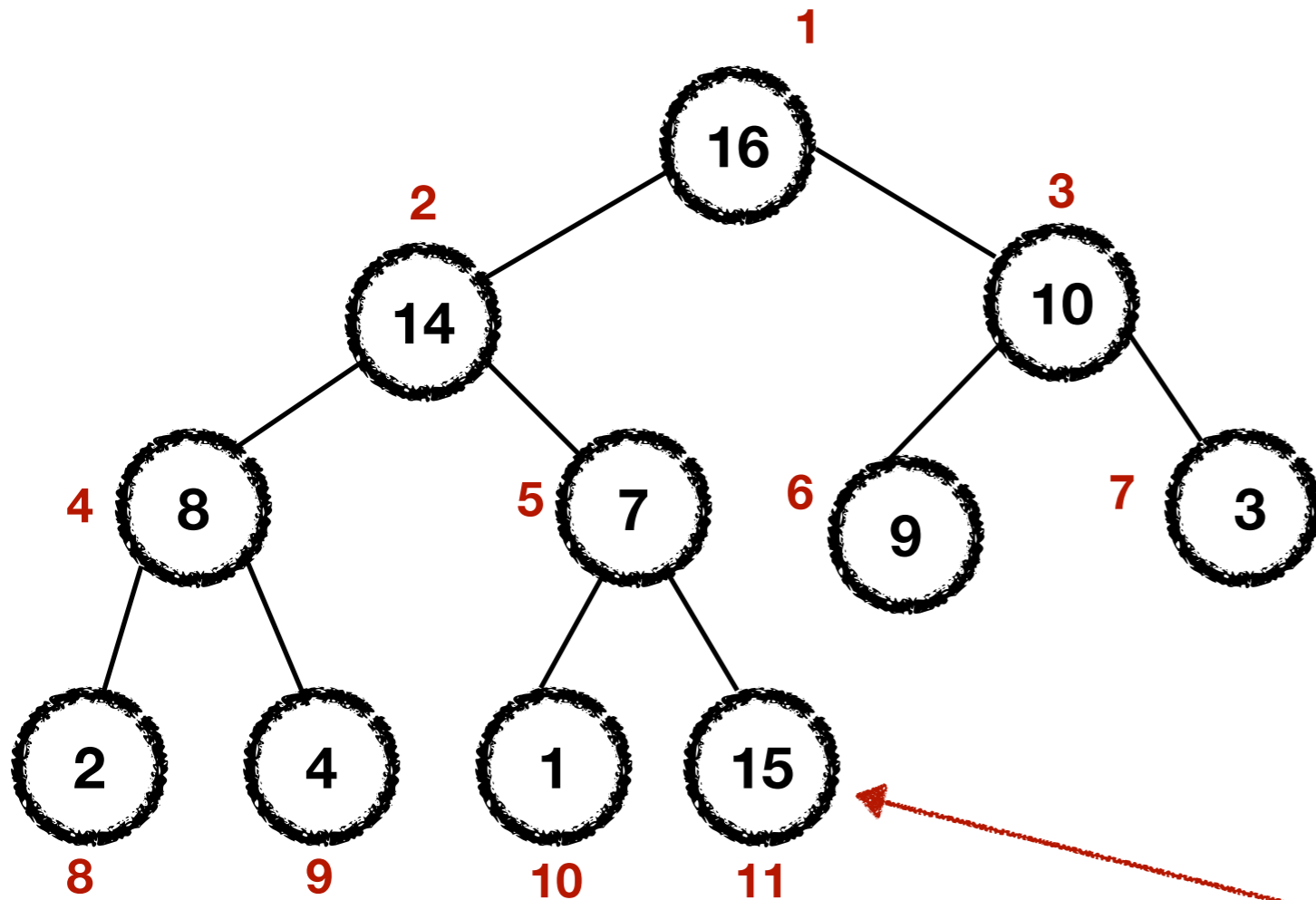


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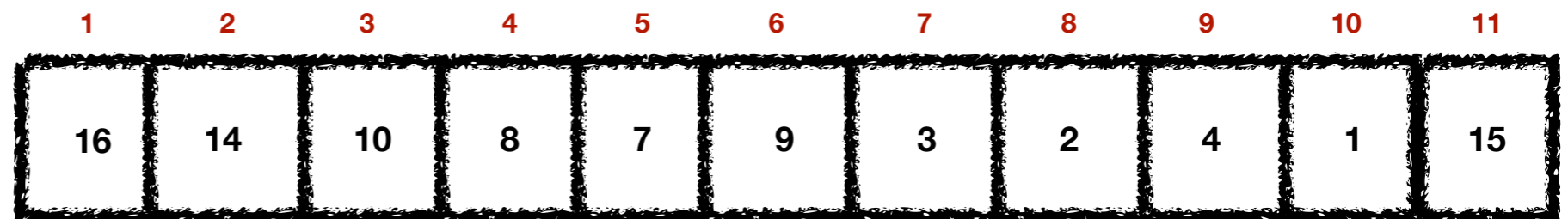


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- They use Min-heaps rather than Max-heaps
  - So do Roughgarden and KT.
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    - e.g., Their `heapify` is basically our `Build-Max-Heap`, our `Max-Heapify` is part of their `Heapop` (which is the equivalent of our `Max-Heap-Extract-Max`).

# Reading

- **CLRS 6.5**
  - **Notes:** Uses max-heaps but presents the heap operations in the context of priority queues first, using an additional increase key operation.
- **KT 2.5.**
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- **Roughgarden 10.2, 10.5**
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