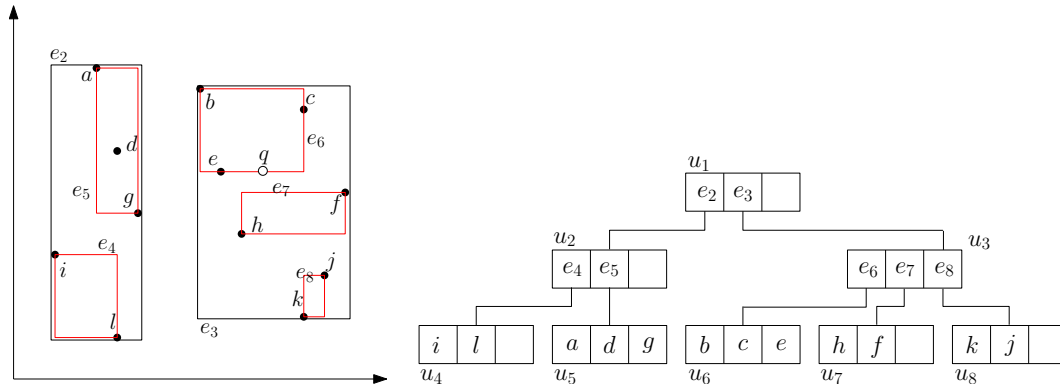


## WST540: Exercise 6

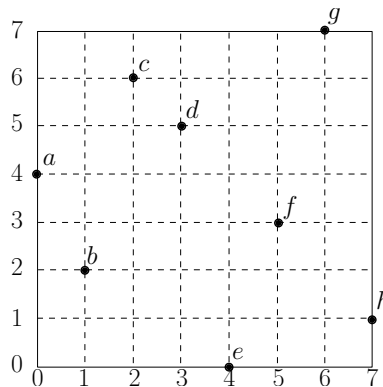
**Problem 1.** Consider the following R-tree:



Suppose that we apply the best-first algorithm to find the nearest neighbor of the query point  $q$  as shown in the picture. List the nodes in the order that they are visited by the algorithm.

**Problem 2.** Repeat the above by finding the 2 nearest neighbors of  $q$ .

**Problem 3.** Calculate the z-values of the black points in the following figure (the data space has domain  $[0, 7]$  on each dimension):



**Problem 4.** Consider that we create an R-tree on the points in the previous problem using the method discussed in our lecture. Show the leaf MBRs of the R-tree.

**Problem 5.** Consider that a server hosts a 1d hidden dataset  $D$  which contains 8 points as shown below. We want to discover the entire  $D$  by issuing range queries in the way described in class. Suppose that the value of  $k$  is 4, such that whenever the query result has more than 4 points, the server always returns the first 4 points alphabetically (e.g., for a query with range  $[2, 7]$ , the server returns  $c, d, e, f$ ). Give the queries that need to be issued by our algorithm.

