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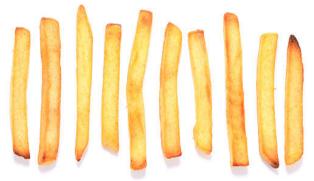
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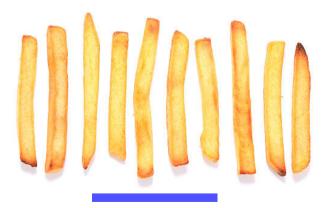
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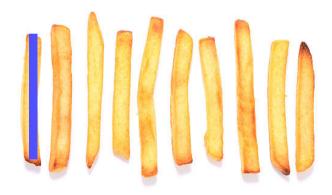
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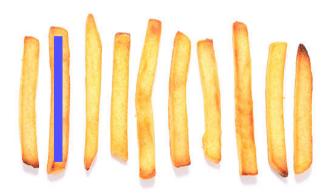
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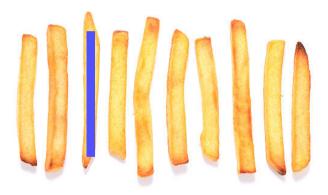


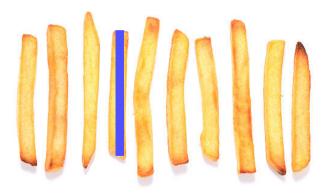
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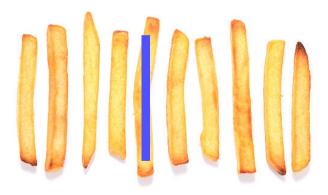


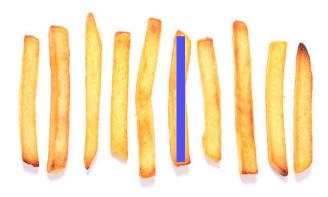


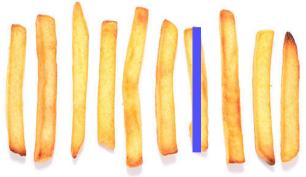












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**Theorem.** BinarySearch(A,x,1,n) correctly determines if x exists in sorted A in  $\Theta(\log_2(n))$ 

To give you a sense of just how fast binary search:

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**Pre-condition**: (1) Array L sorted (increasing) and (2) keys in L are pairwise distinct (first element is L[1])

**Principle**: L is divided into sections of fixed length m. Jump over the sections to determine the section of the key.

Sections:  $1 \dots m$ ,  $m+1 \dots 2m$ ,  $2m+1 \dots 3m$ , and so on.

#### Simple Jump Search:

Jump to positions  $i \cdot m + 1$  (for i = 1, 2, ...) one after another.

As soon as  $x < L[i \cdot m + 1]$ , x can only be in the i-th section  $(i - 1) \cdot m + 1 \dots i \cdot m$ ;

In this i-th section, we apply linear search for finding x.

Example:

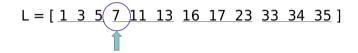
$$L = [1 \ 3 \ 5 \ 7 \ 11 \ 13 \ 16 \ 17 \ 23 \ 33 \ 34 \ 35]$$

Find key x = 17 in L und chose here jump\_width m = 3.

Example:

Subdivision of *L* into blocks of length m = 3.

#### Example:



$$i = 1$$
,  $m = 3$  and jump to  $i \cdot m + 1 = 4$ 

Since L[4] = 7 < 17, we take the next i := 2.

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$$i = 2$$
,  $m = 3$  and jump to  $i \cdot m + 1 = 7$ 

Since L[7] = 16 < 17, we take next i := 3.

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$$i = 3$$
,  $m = 3$  and jump to  $i \cdot m + 1 = 10$ 

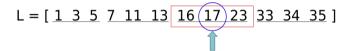
Since L[10] = 33 > 17, it follows that 17 must be in section L[2m + 1..3m] (if 17 is in L at all).

#### Example:

Start linear search in section [16, 17, 23].

Since 16 < 17 (already compared), go to next element in this section

#### Example:



We find 17 at position 8 in *L*, return 8 and stop searching.

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Example.

$$L = [3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23]$$

Find x = 13 in L.

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Since L[1] = 3 < 13, we have  $i := 2 \cdot 1 = 2$ . Check now L[2].

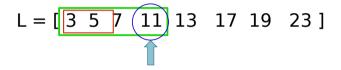
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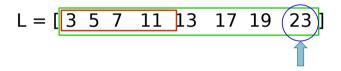


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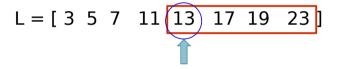


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Check existence of x = 13 via linear search in L[5..8]: In the first step of the linear search we found 13. Return position of 13.

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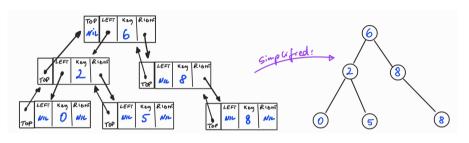
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# **Algorithms and Data Structures**

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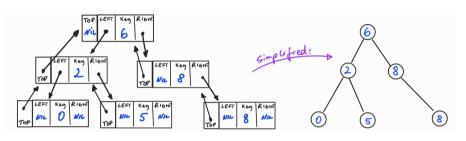
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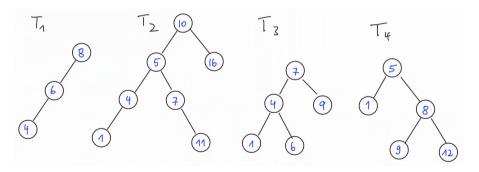
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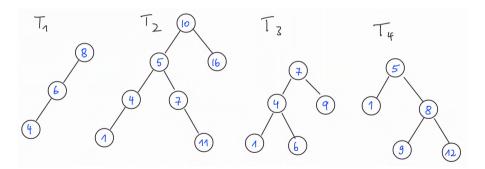
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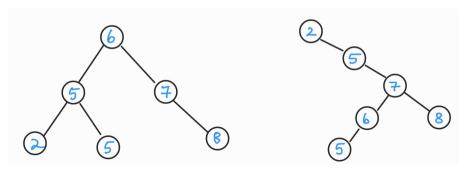
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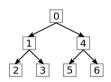
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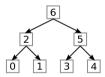
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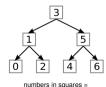
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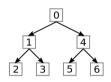
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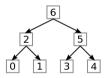
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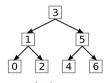
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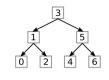
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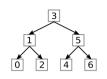


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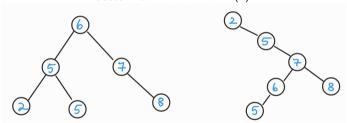
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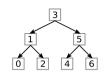
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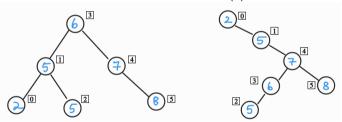
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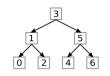
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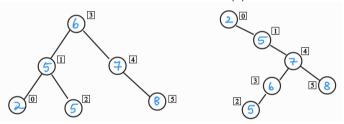
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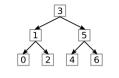


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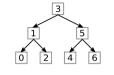
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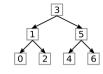
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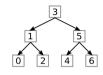
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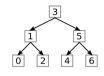
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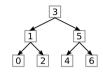
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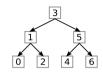
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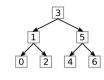
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#### Inorder:

- 1. recursively traverse left subtree
- 2. visit current vertex
- 3. recursively traverse right subtree



INORDER-TREE-WALK(x)

1 IF  $(x \neq N/L)$  THEN

2 INORDER-TREE-WALK(x.left)

PRINT x.key

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**Theorem.** If x is a root of an n-vertex binary search tree, then INORDER-TREE-WALK(x) prints all elements in sorted order in  $\Theta(n)$  time

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# Part 3: Binary Search Trees (Querying)

As discussed next, binary search trees support the queries search, find\_minimum, find\_maximum, . . .

Each query can be done on O(h) time on any binary search tree of height h.

Recall: height of tree T is h(T) = #edges along longest simple path from  $\rho_T$  to a leaf.

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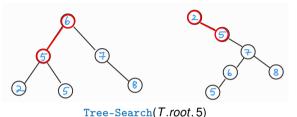
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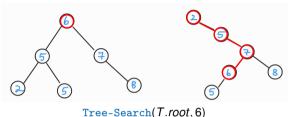
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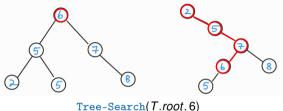
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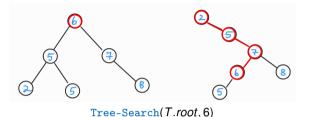
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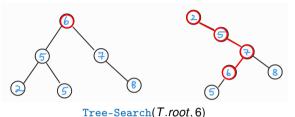


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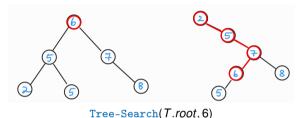
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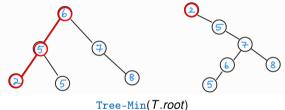
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[left tree: deleting 8 or 7 is easy, deleting inner 5 is more involved]

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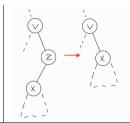
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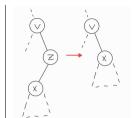
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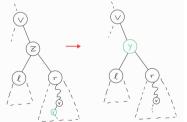




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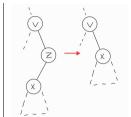
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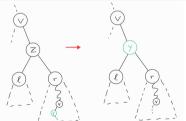




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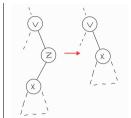
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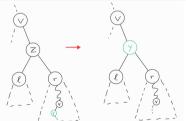




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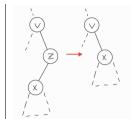
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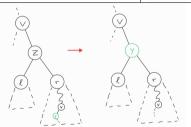




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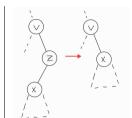
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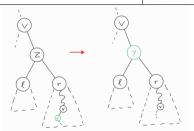
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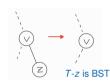
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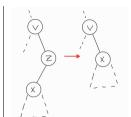
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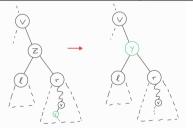


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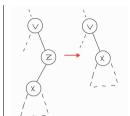
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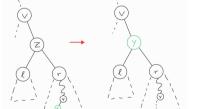
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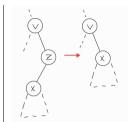
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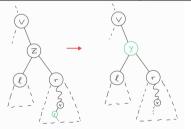
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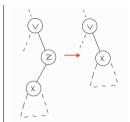
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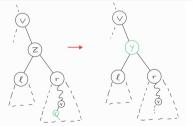
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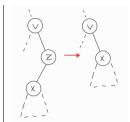
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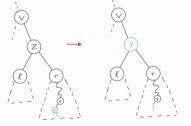
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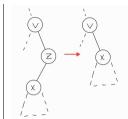
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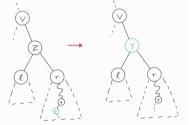
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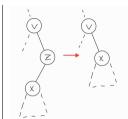
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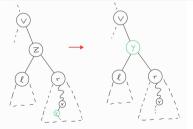
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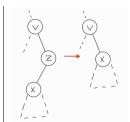
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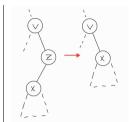
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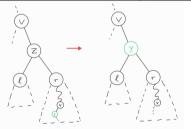
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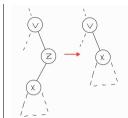
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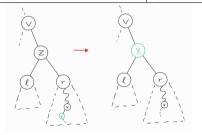
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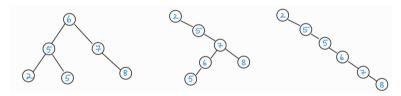
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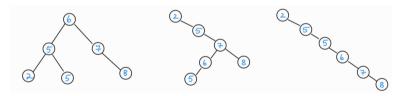
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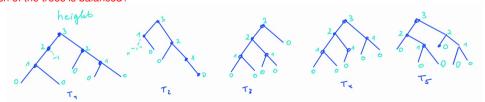
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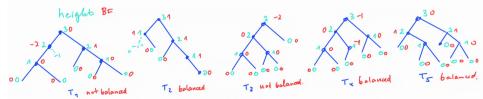
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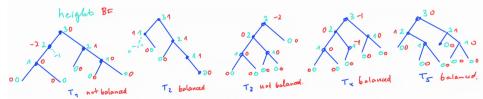
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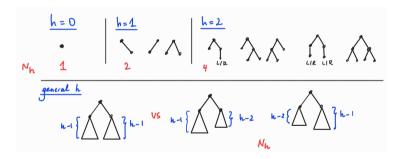
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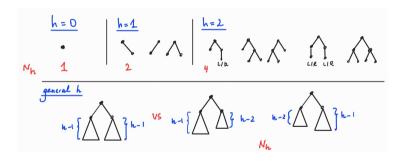
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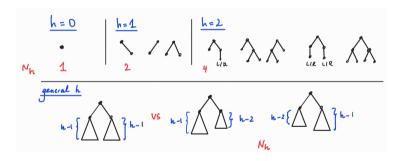


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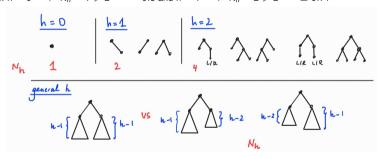
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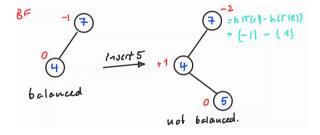
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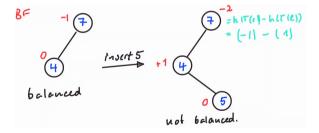


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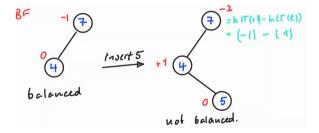
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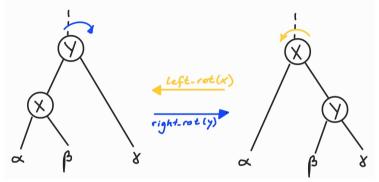
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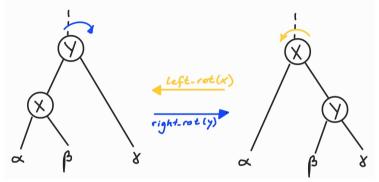
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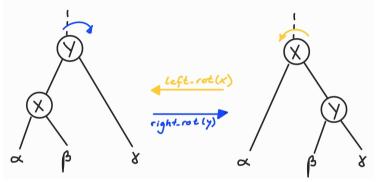
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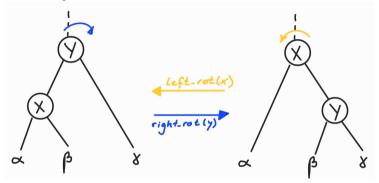
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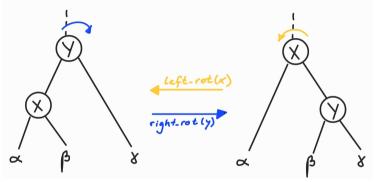
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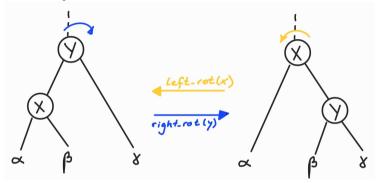
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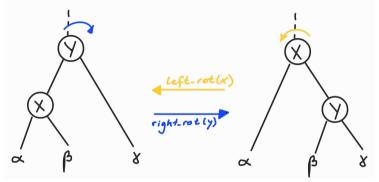
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Rotations in BST preserve binary-search tree properies: " $\alpha$ .keys"  $\leq x$ . $key \leq$  " $\beta$ .keys"  $\leq y$ . $key \leq$  " $\gamma$ .keys"

Note, a rotation is just a "rearrangement" of a constant nr. of pointers and thus runs in  $\Theta(1)$  time

[pseudocode = exercise (don't forget cases as y is right/left of parents\_y, x or y is root, ...)]

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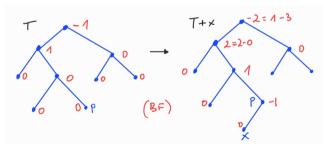
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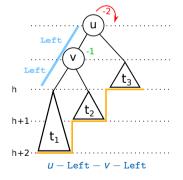
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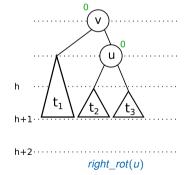
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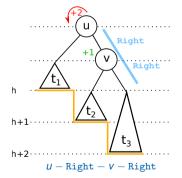
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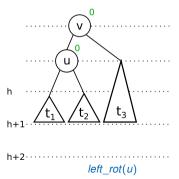
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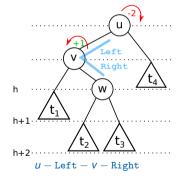
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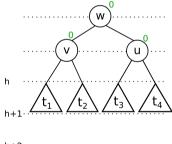
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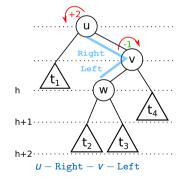
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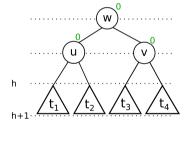
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determining BFs in T + x can be done in O(1) time

(since it is determined by the BFs in T [advanced exercise])

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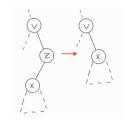
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#### The same as in BST (delete).

#### Tree-Delete(T, z)

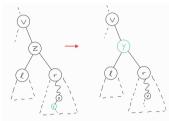


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CASE z has two children:

Find y in T(r) with min y. key and such that y has no left child

Delete y from T [see previous cases]

Replace z by y

#### Now apply pseudocode - sketch ReBalance:

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### [Example Board]

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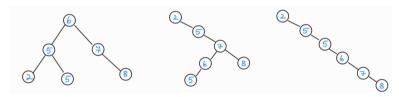
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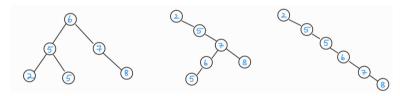
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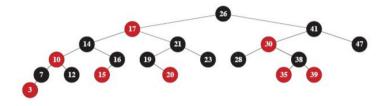
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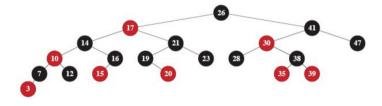
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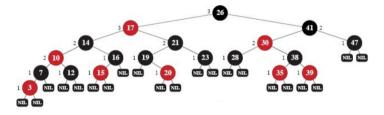


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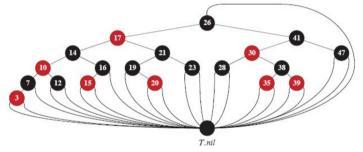


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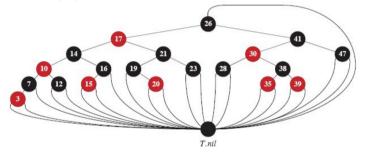


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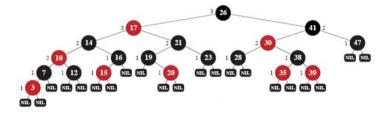
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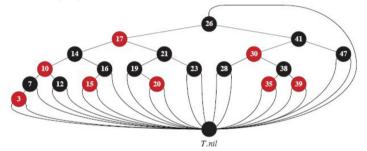
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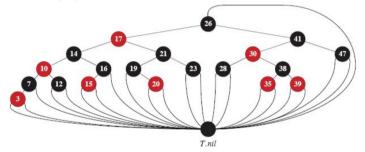


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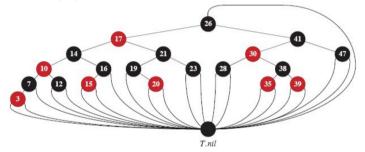
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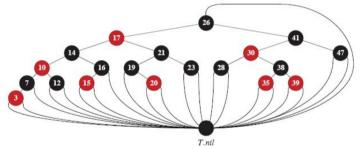
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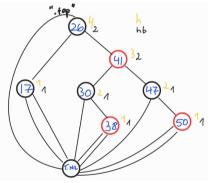
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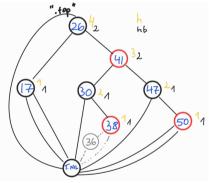


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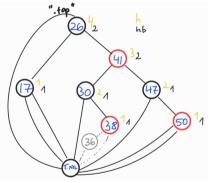


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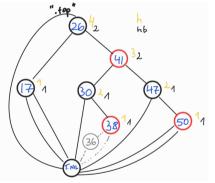


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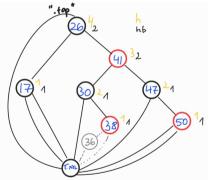


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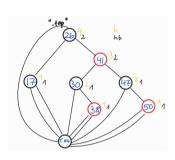
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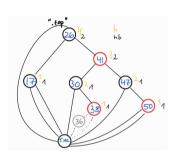
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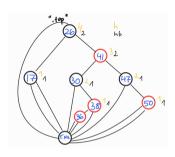
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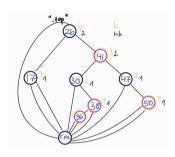
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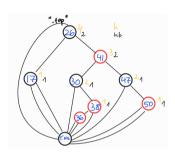
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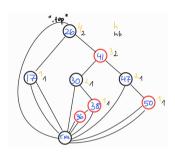
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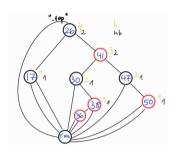
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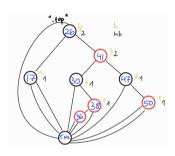
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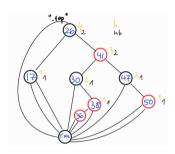
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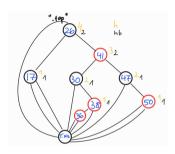
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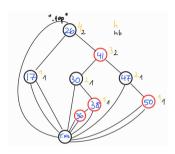
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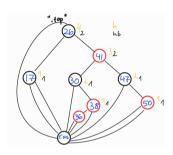


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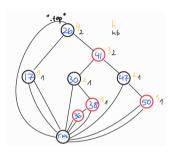
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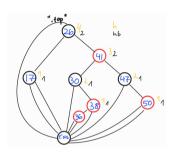
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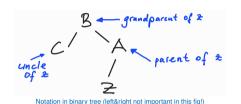
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We use RB-Insert-Fixup(T, z) which is based on re-coloring and rotations to fix issues that may occur in I.b and II.

Coloring z BLACK would yield other issues that are harder to fix!



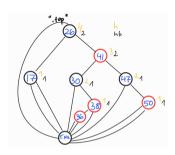
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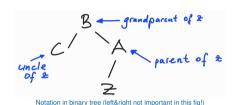
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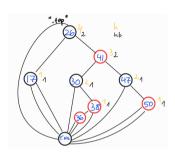
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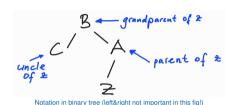
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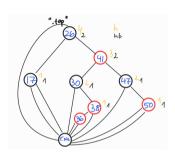
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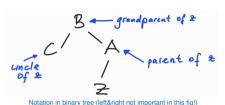
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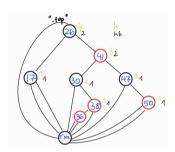
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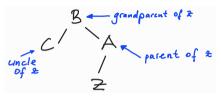
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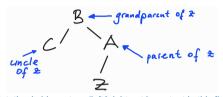
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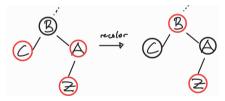
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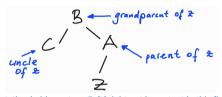
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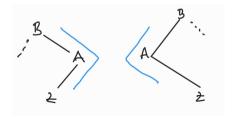
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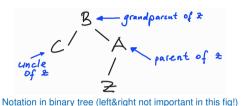
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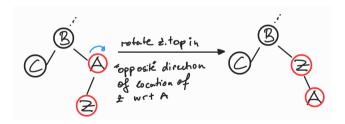
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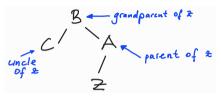
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Still II (node is RED, children BLACK) is violated, but now we are in Case II.iii with A playing the role of z



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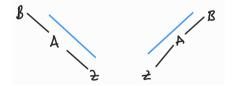
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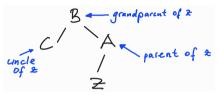
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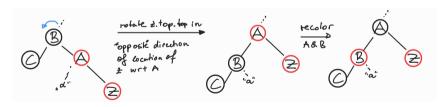
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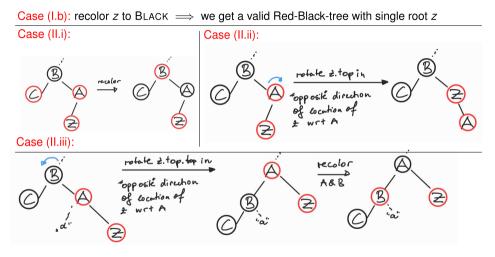
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Working Example Board.

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To summarize in a nutshell:

Insert z as in usual BST and then RB-Insert-Fixup(T, t) which is based on 4 scenarios:

I.b z is the root \implies Re-color z

II parent of z is RED

i. uncle of z is RED

\implies Recolor + Repeat with "new z" (L.8)

ii. uncle of z is BLACK (triangle)

\implies Rotate parent of z + Repeat with "new z" (L.10)

iii. uncle of z is BLACK (line)

\implies Rotate grandparent of z and recolor
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## **Search-Trees: Summary**

We considered the class of binary search trees (BST). In particular, we had a closer look to the subclasses:

AVL trees

Red-Black trees

Question: when using AVL tree, when Red-Black trees?

Since the invention of AVL trees in 1962 and Red-black trees in 1978, researchers were divided in two separated communities, AVL supporters and Red-Black ones.

Often, AVL trees are used for retrieval applications (Search Engines, Database queries) whereas Red Black trees are used in updates operation (insertion, replace information)

Worst case	AVL	Red-Black
Height	1.44 Log (n)	2 log (n+1)
Updates complexity	O(Log (n))	O(Log (n))
Retrieval Complexity	O(Log (n))	O(Log (n))
Rotations for insert	2	2
Rotations for delete	Log (n)	3

<sup>\*</sup>AVL and Red-Black tree as a single balanced tree, Bounif and Zegour, Proc. of the Fourth Intl. Conf. Advances in Computing, Communication and Information Technology, 2016