

# Design and Analysis of Algorithms

## Lecture-17

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# Deletion operation

Suppose we want to delete a node  $z$  from a red-black tree  $T$ . We use the following steps for this purpose:-

1. First we delete node  $z$  using binary search tree deletion process.
2. Find node  $y$  in the following way:-
  - ❖ If node  $z$  has two children then  $y$  will be successor of  $z$  otherwise  $y$  will be  $z$ .
3. After finding  $y$ , we find  $x$  in the following way:-
  - ❖ If node  $y$  has left child then  $x$  will be left child of  $y$  otherwise  $x$  will be right child of  $y$ .
4. If color of  $y$  is **red**, then we terminate the process.
5. If color of  $y$  is **black**, then we maintain the properties of red-black tree in the following way:-

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(5-a) We start and continue a loop if x is not root node and color of x is **black**.

(5-b) if x is the left child then we do the following actions:-

(i) Find sibling of x. Let it is denoted by w.

(ii) There will be four cases:-

Case-1: If color of w is **red**, then we do the following actions:-

(1) w.color = **black**

(2) x.p.color = **red**

(3) Apply left rotation at parent of node x.

Case-2: If color of w is **black** and color of its both children is also **black**, then we do the following actions:-

(1) w.color = **red**

(2) x = x.p

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Case-3: If color of w is **black** and color of its left child is **red** and color of its right child is **black**, then we do the following actions:-

- (1) w.left.color = **black**
- (2) w.color = **red**
- (3) Apply right rotation at node w.

Case-4: If color of w is **black** and color of its right child is **red**, then we do the following actions:-

- (1) w.right.color = **black**
- (2) w.color = x.p.color
- (3) x.p.color = **black**
- (4) Apply left rotation at parent of node x.
- (5) x = T.root

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(5-c) if x is the right child then we do the following actions:-

(i) Find sibling of x. Let it is denoted by w.

(ii) There will be four cases:-

Case-1: If color of w is **red**, then we do the following actions:-

(1) w.color = **black**

(2) x.p.color = **red**

(3) Apply right rotation at parent of node x.

Case-2: If color of w is **black** and color of its both children is also **black**, then we do the following actions:-

(1) w.color = **red**

(2) x = x.p

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Case-3: If color of w is **black** and color of its right child is **red** and color of its left child is **black**, then we do the following actions:-

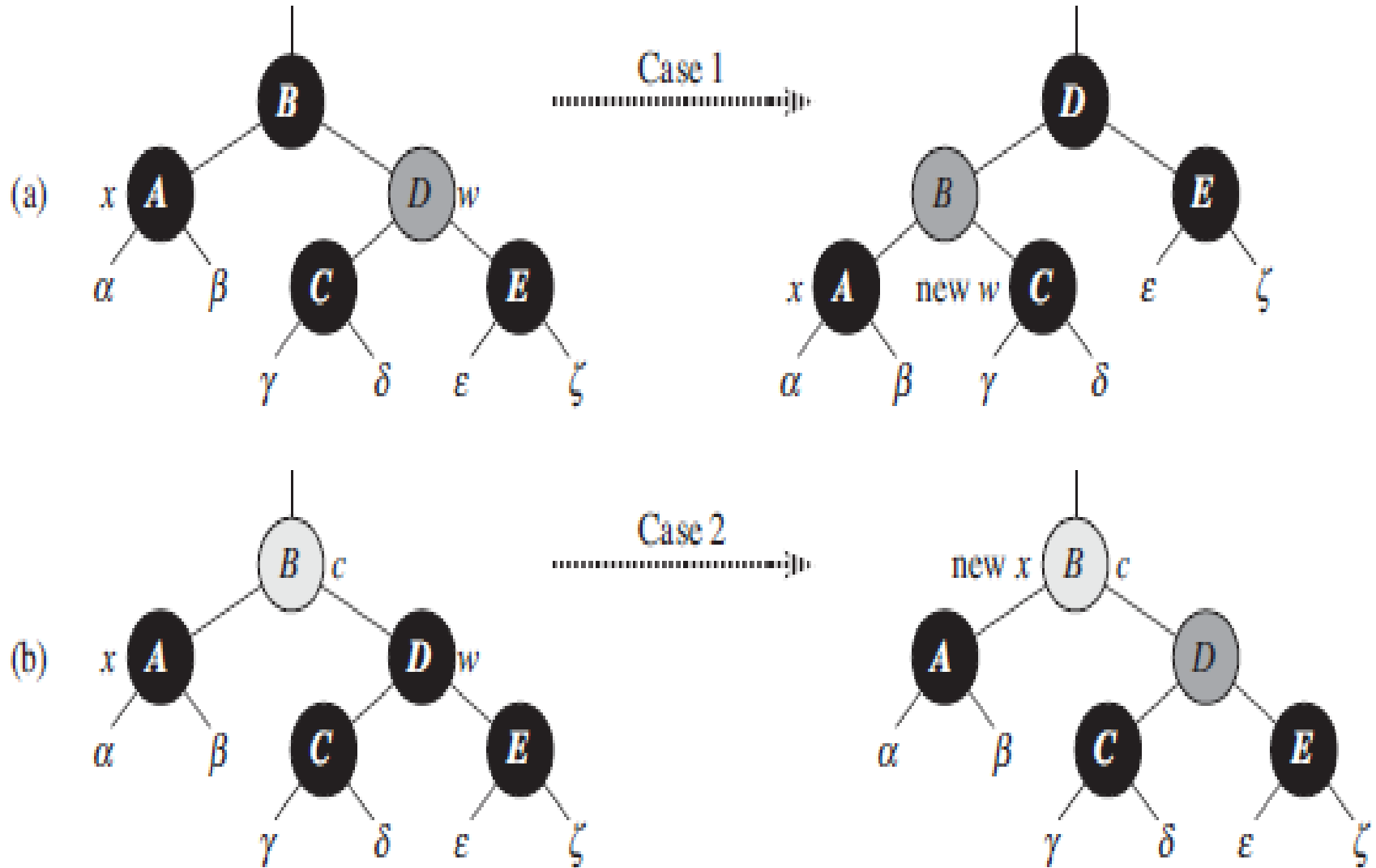
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- (2) w.color = **red**
- (3) Apply left rotation at node w.

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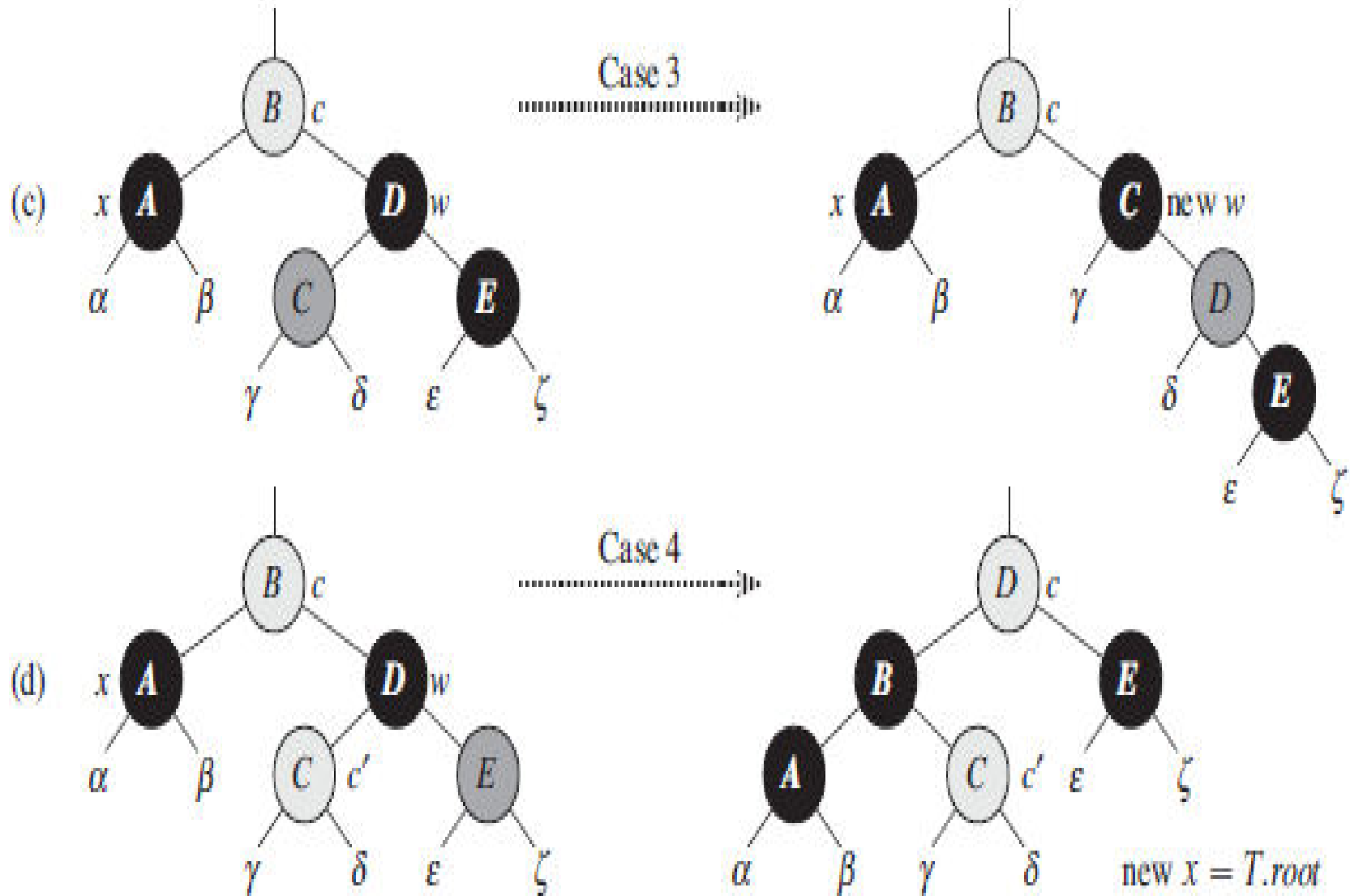
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- (3) x.p.color = **black**
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- (5) x = T.root

(5-d) After exit from the loop, we make the color of node x to the **black**  
i.e. x.color = **black**

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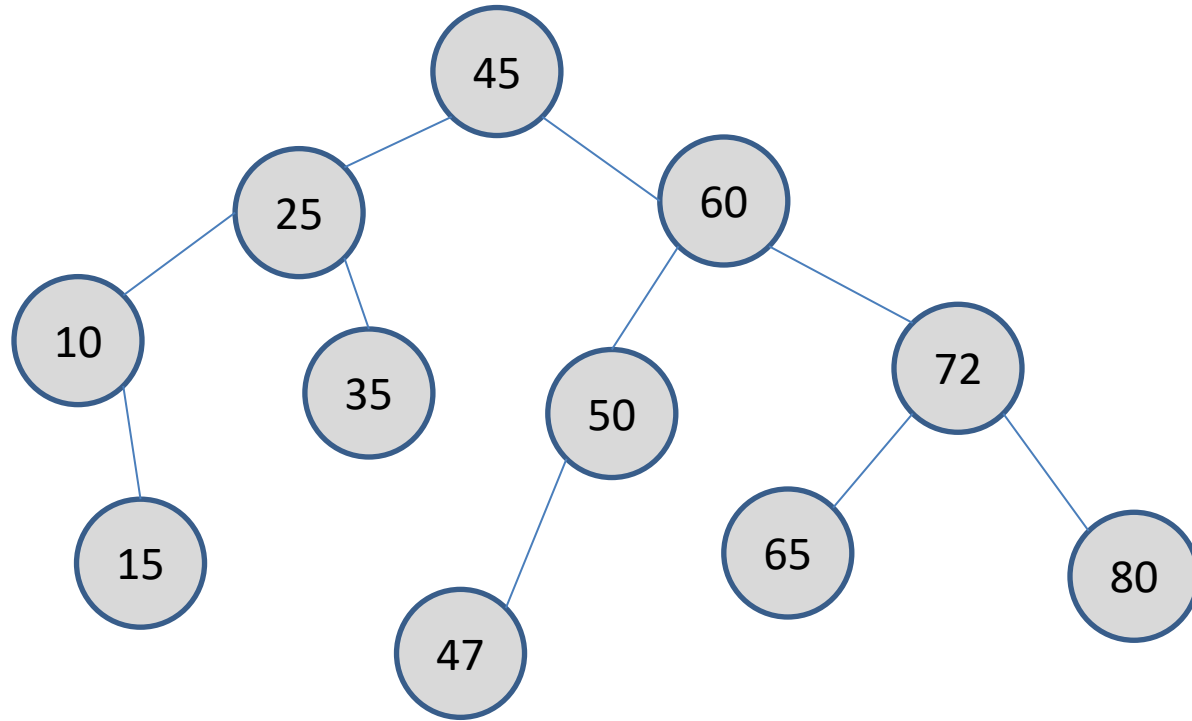


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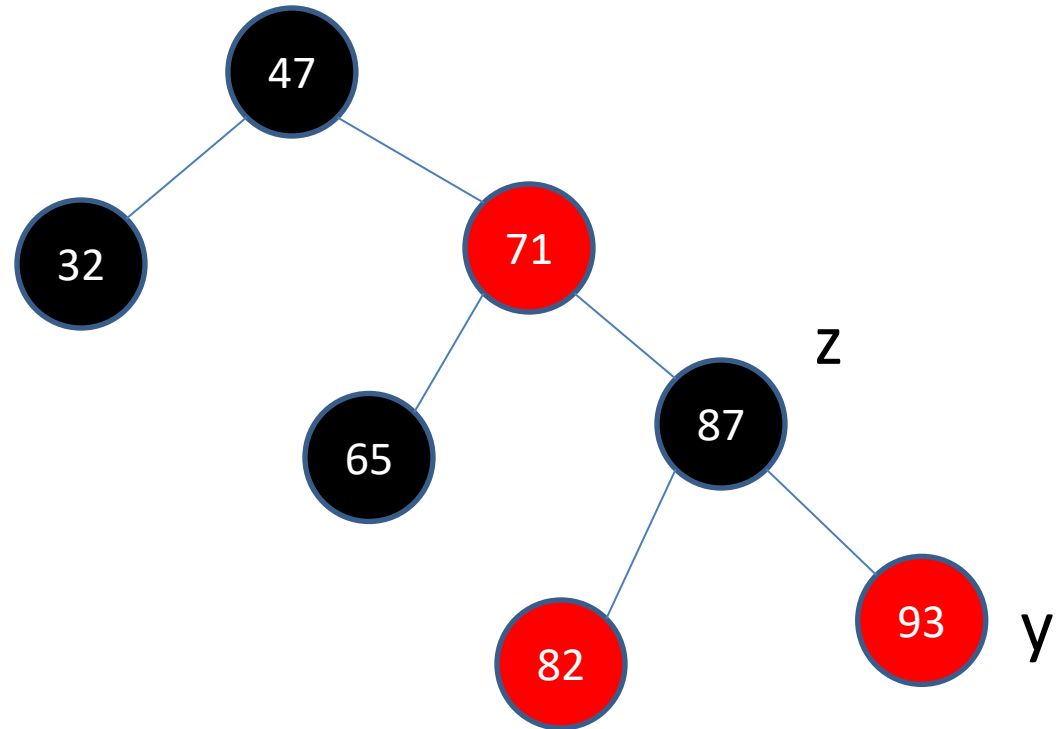


# Binary search tree deletion



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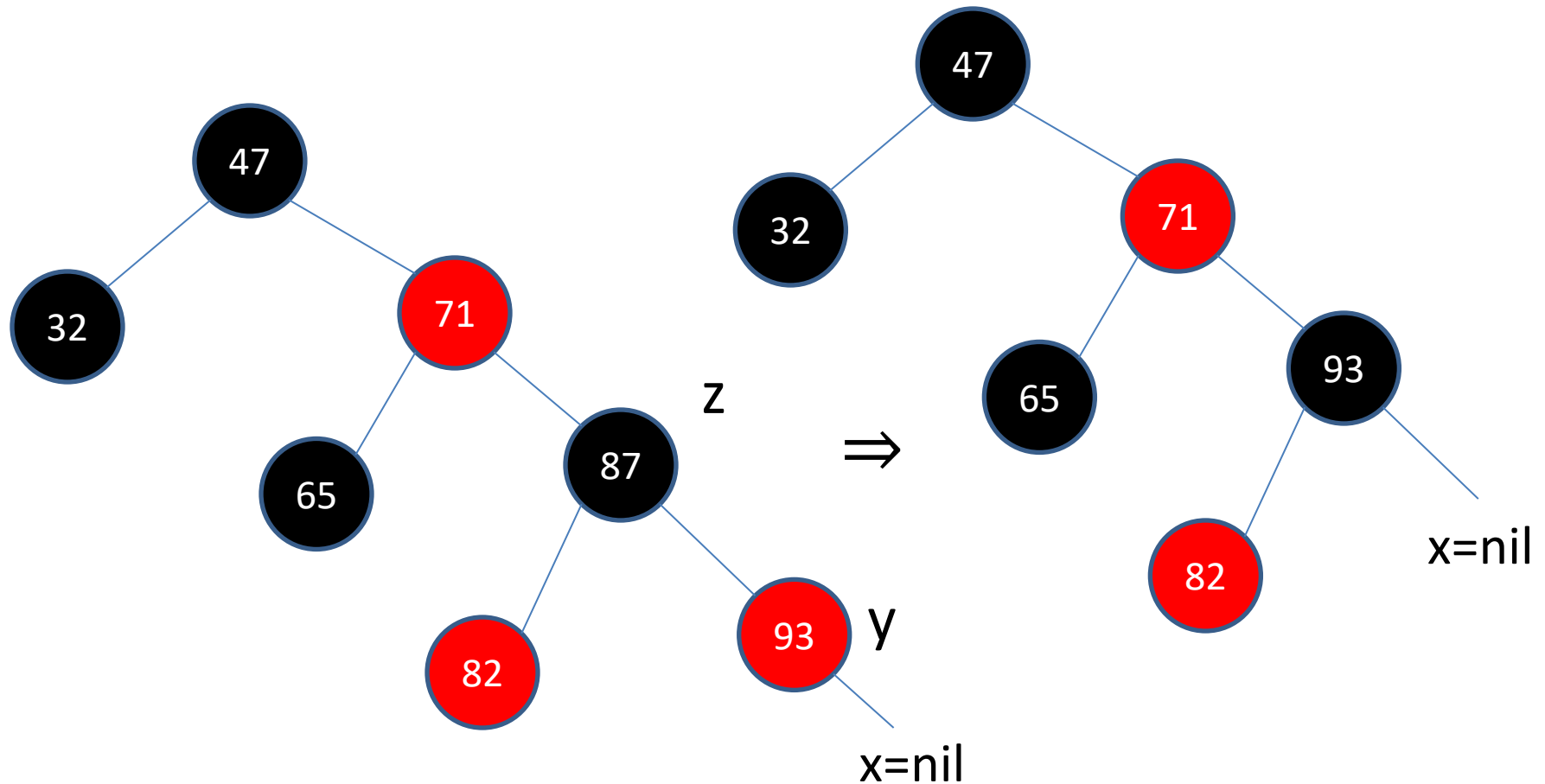
**Example:** Consider the following red-black tree



Delete the element 87, 32 and 71 in order.

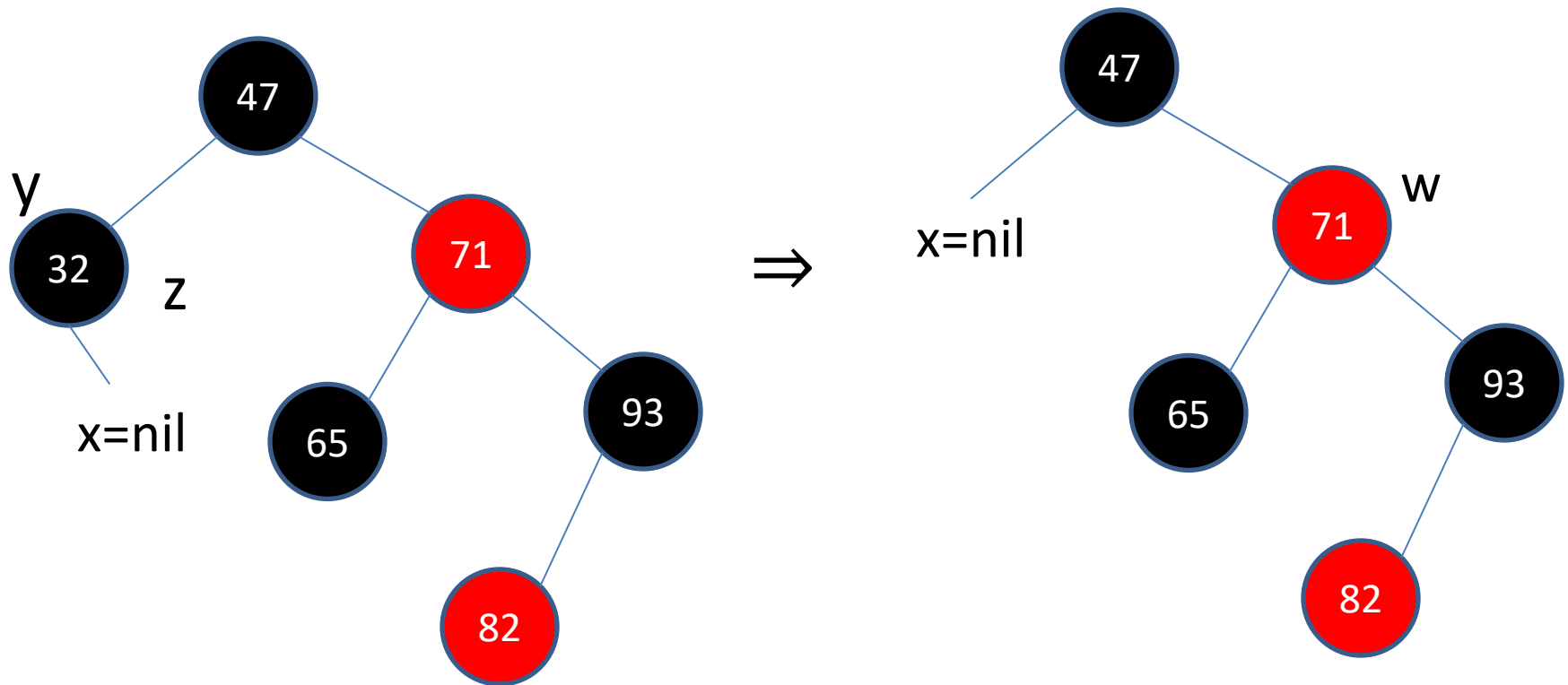
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## Deletion of 87



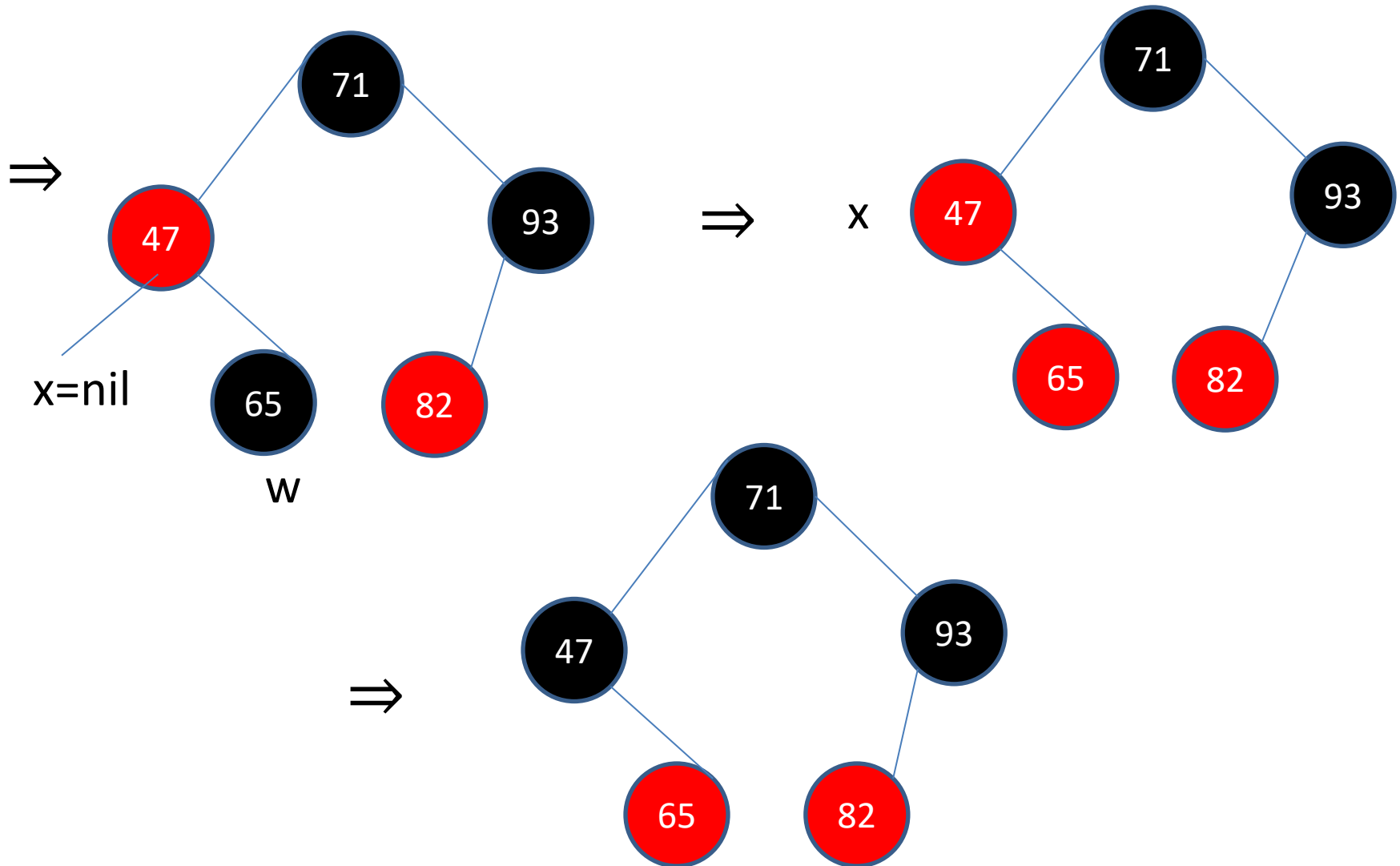
# Deletion operation

## Deletion of 32



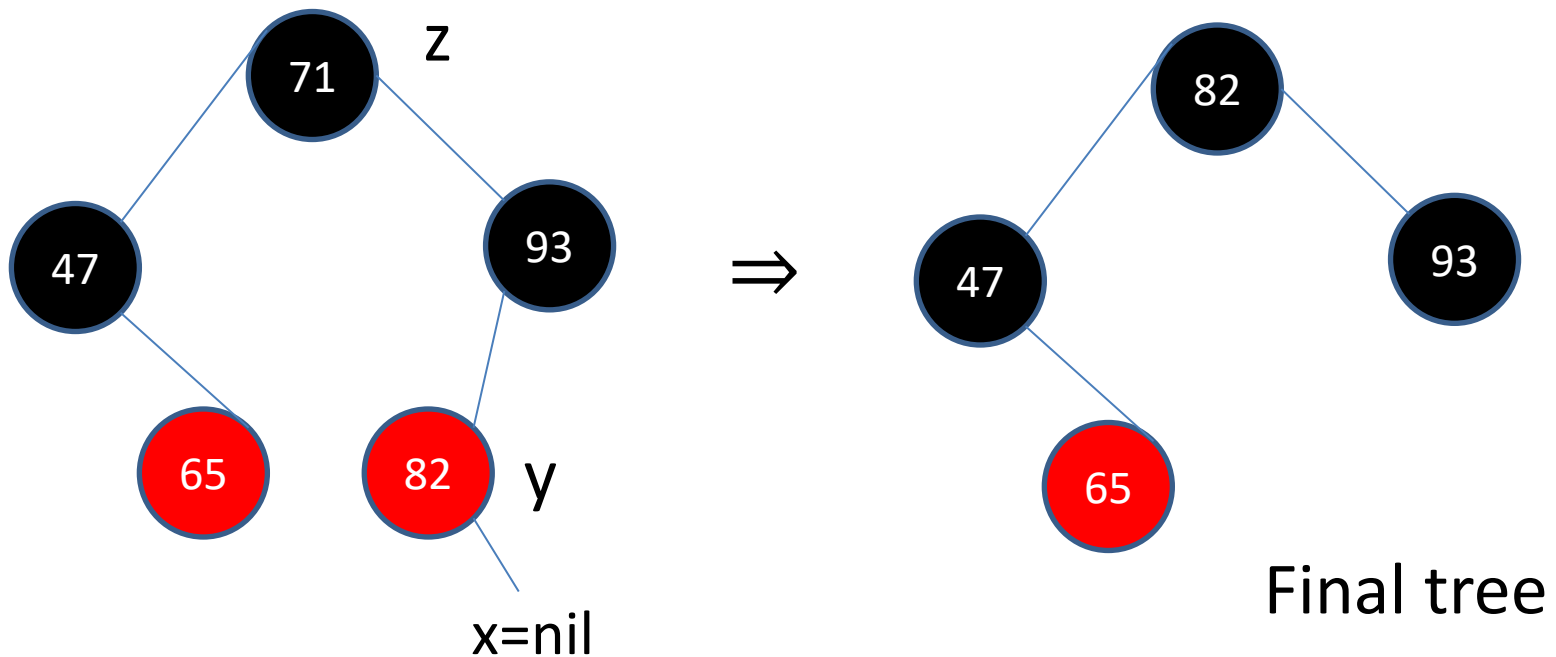
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## Deletion of 32(continue)



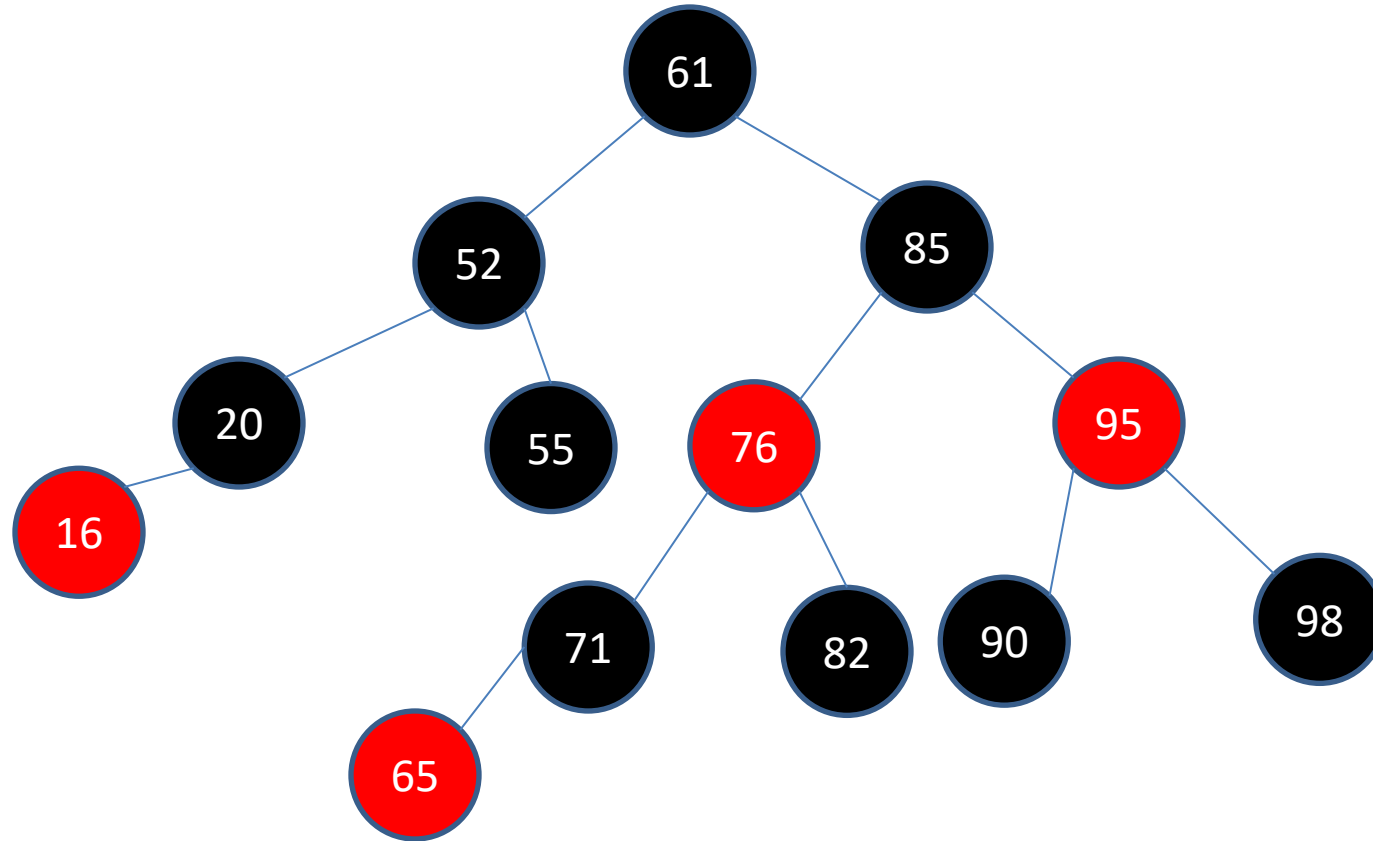
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## Deletion of 71



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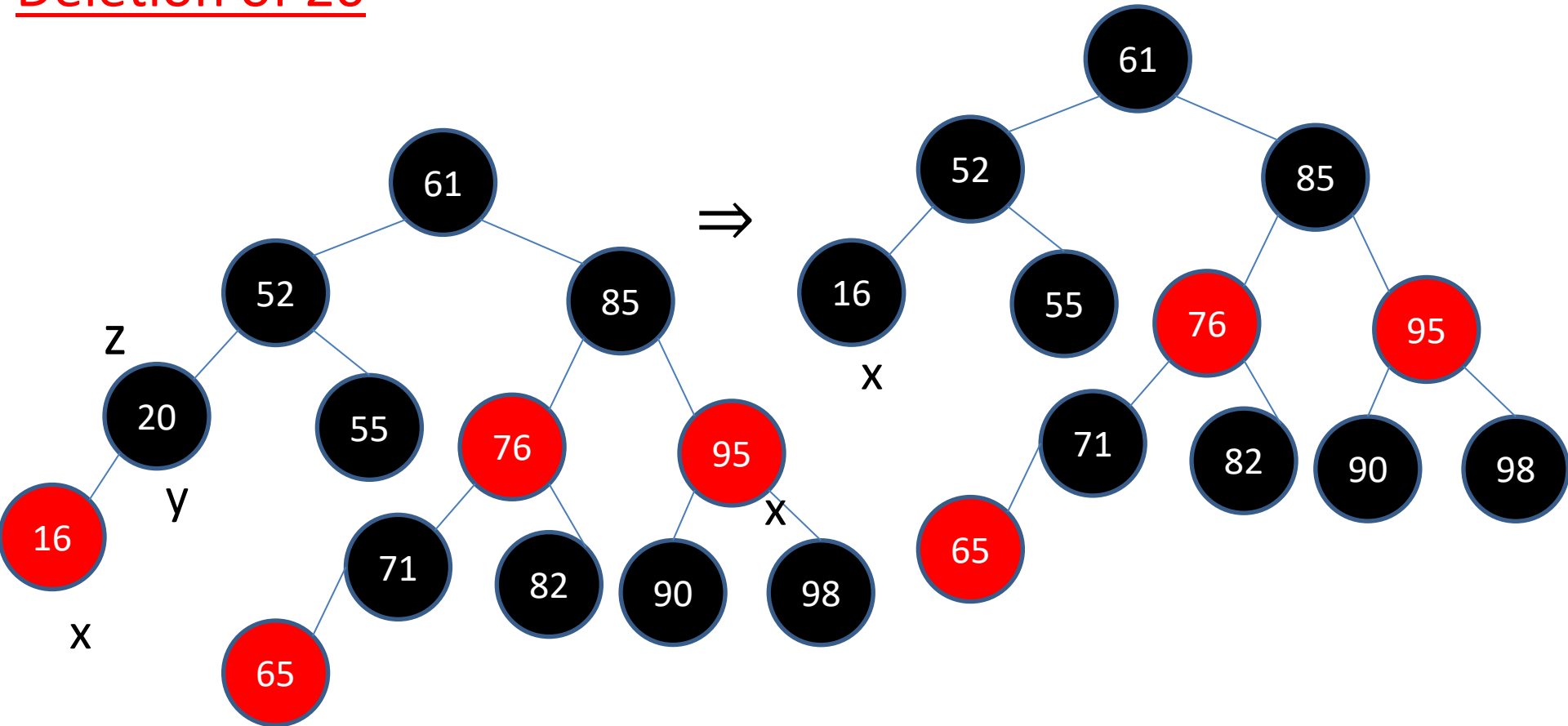
**Example:** Consider the following red-black tree



Delete the element 20, 85, 95 and 98 in order.

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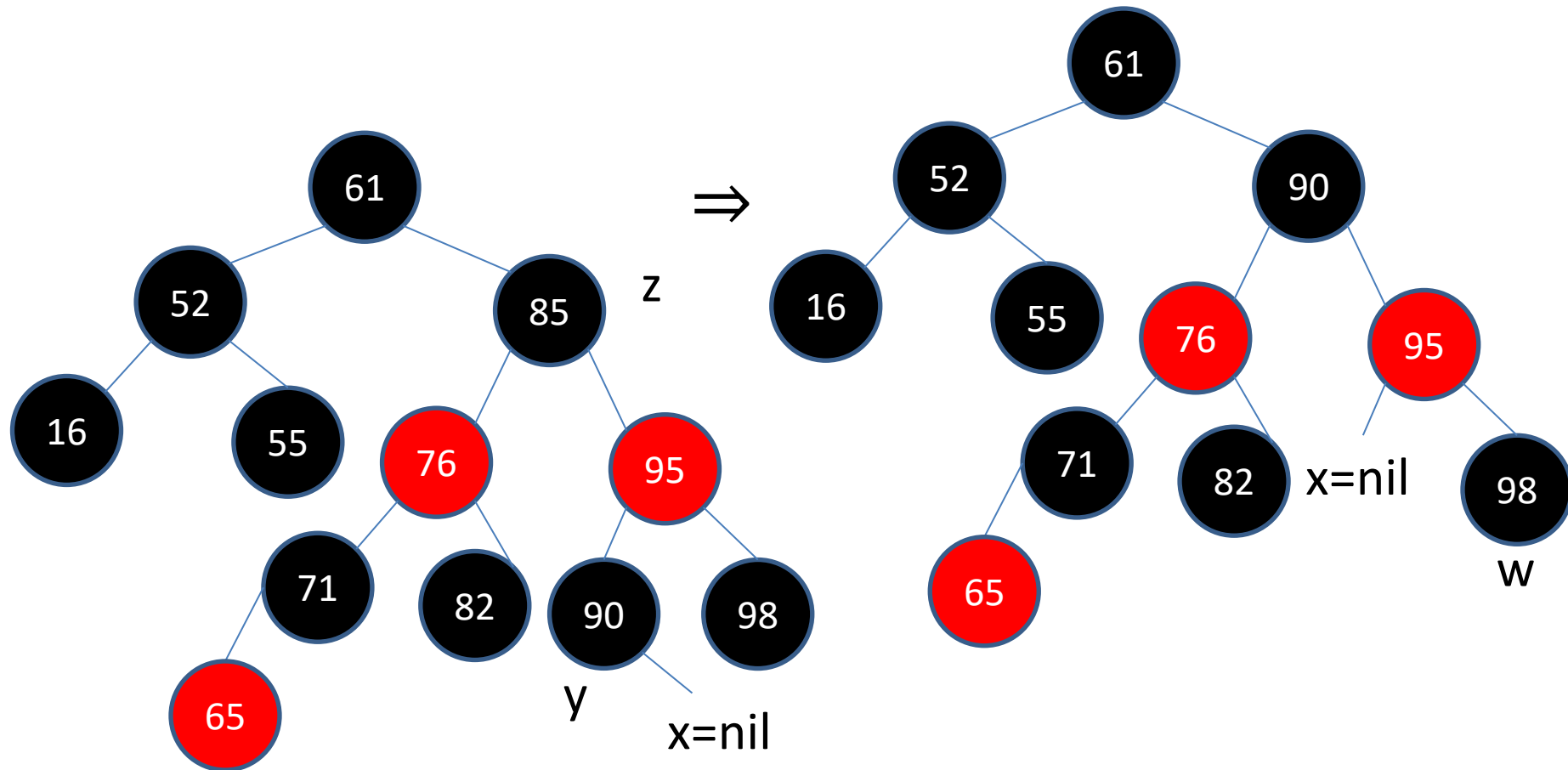
## Deletion of 20





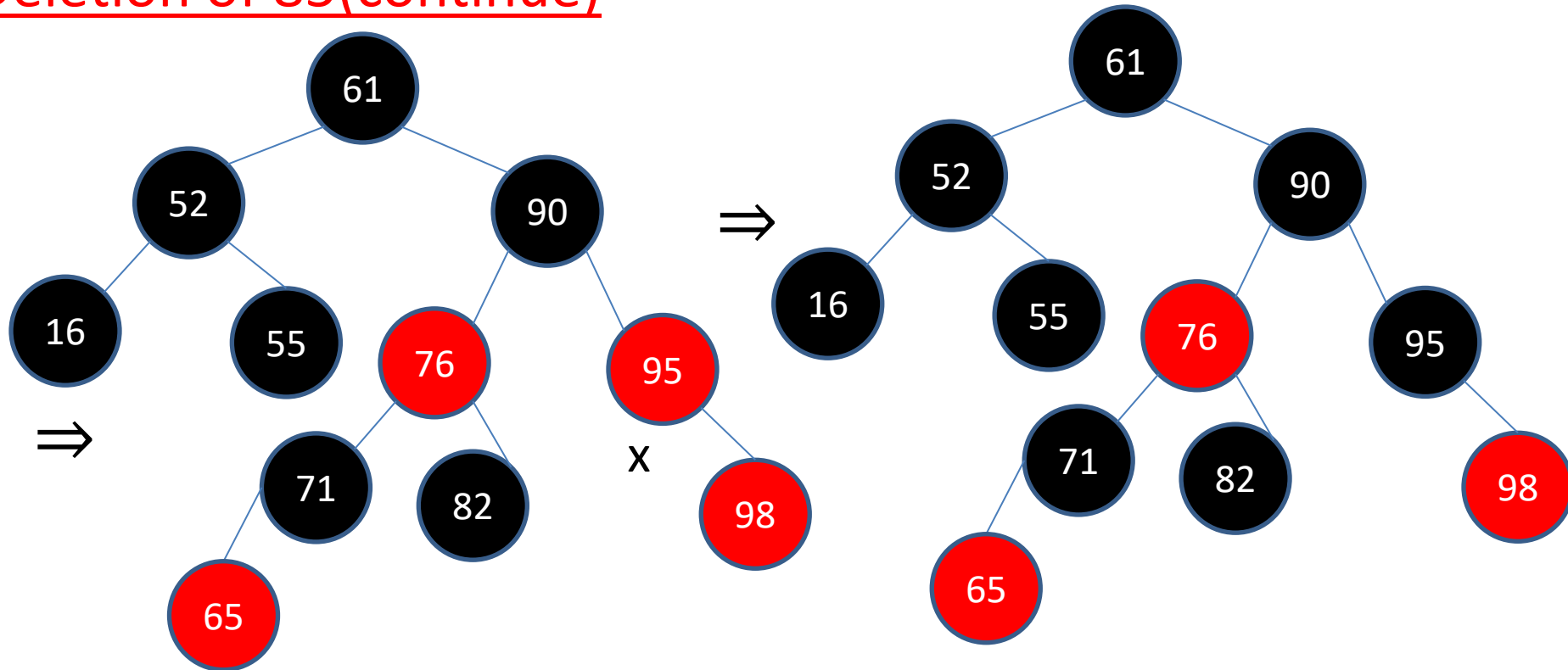
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## Deletion of 85



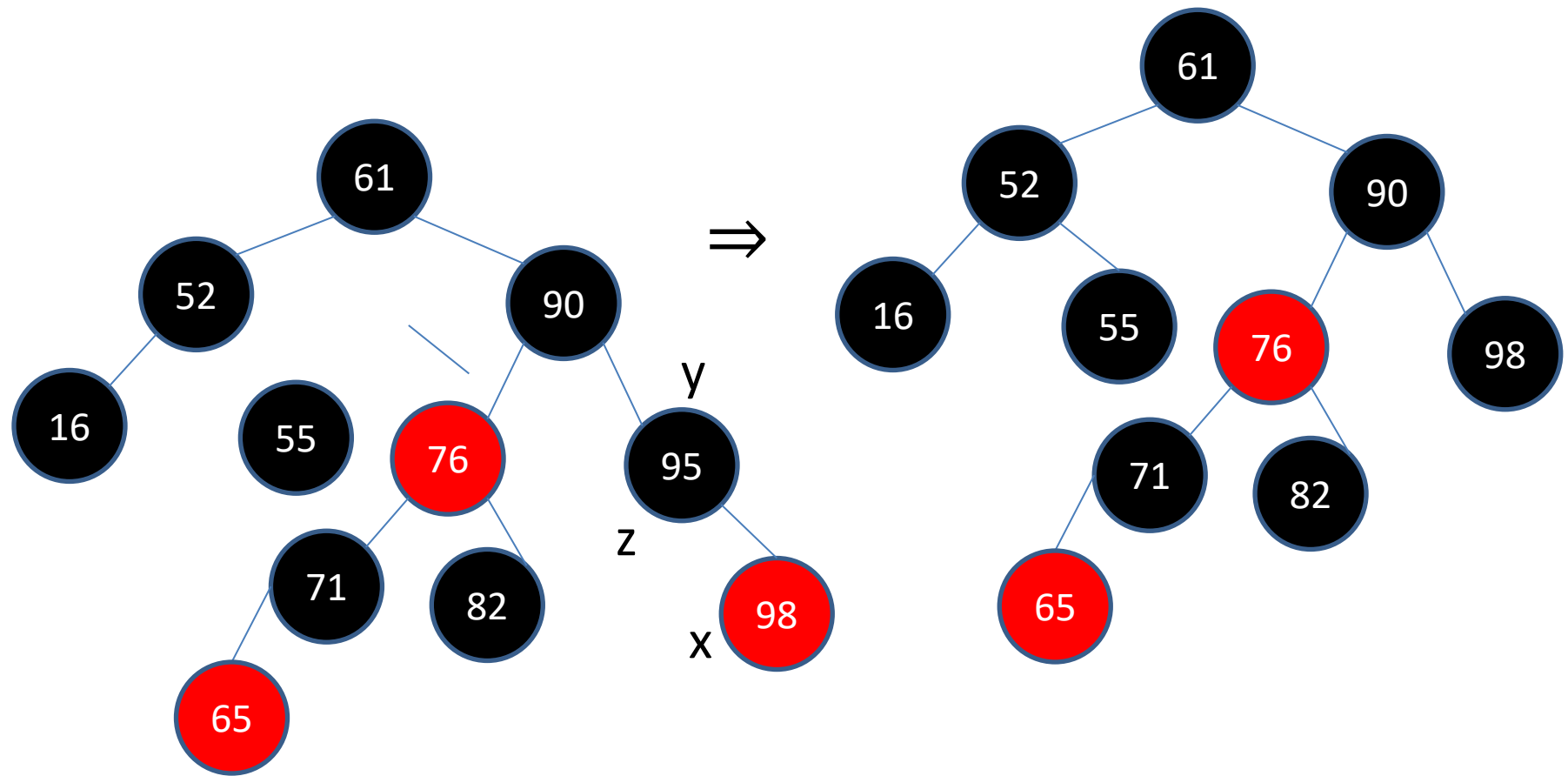
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## Deletion of 85(continue)



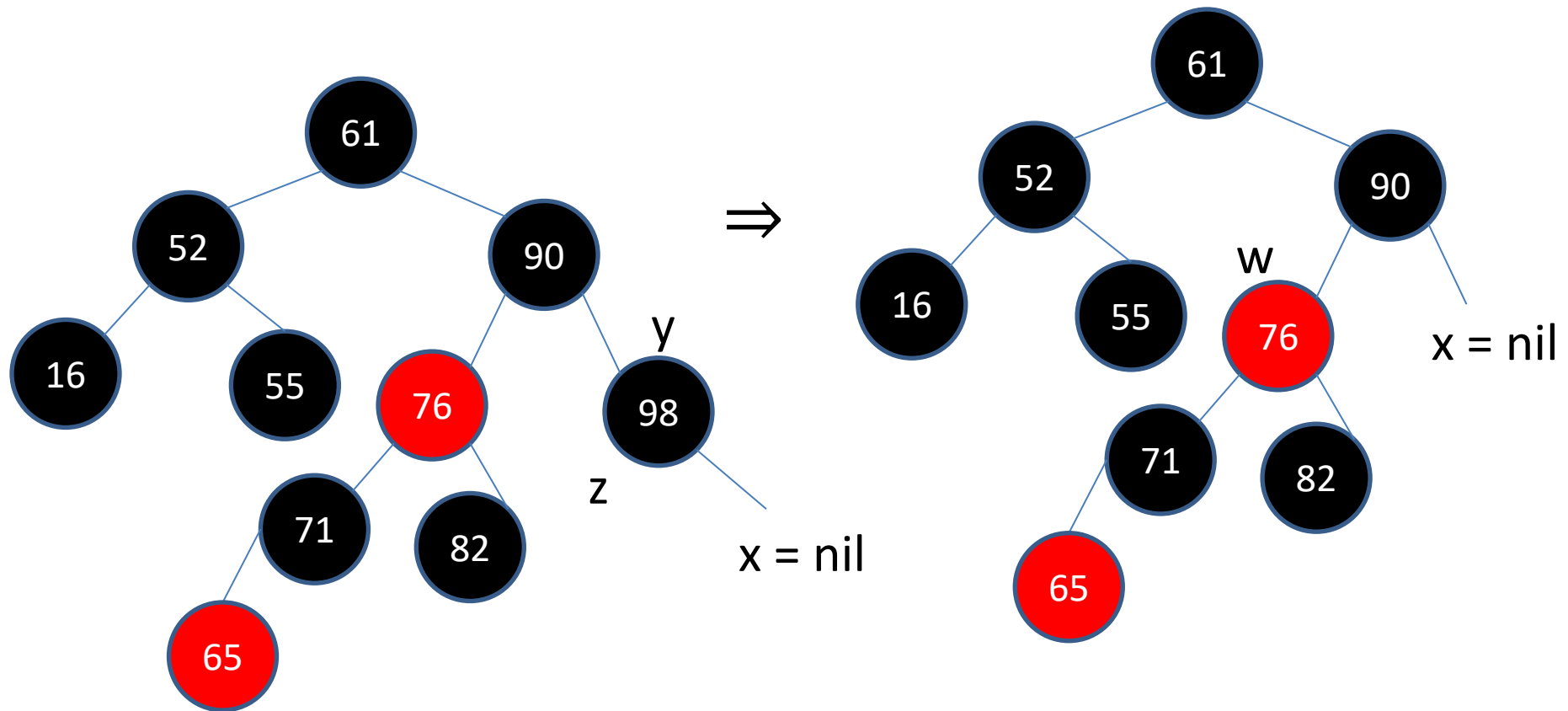
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## Deletion of 95



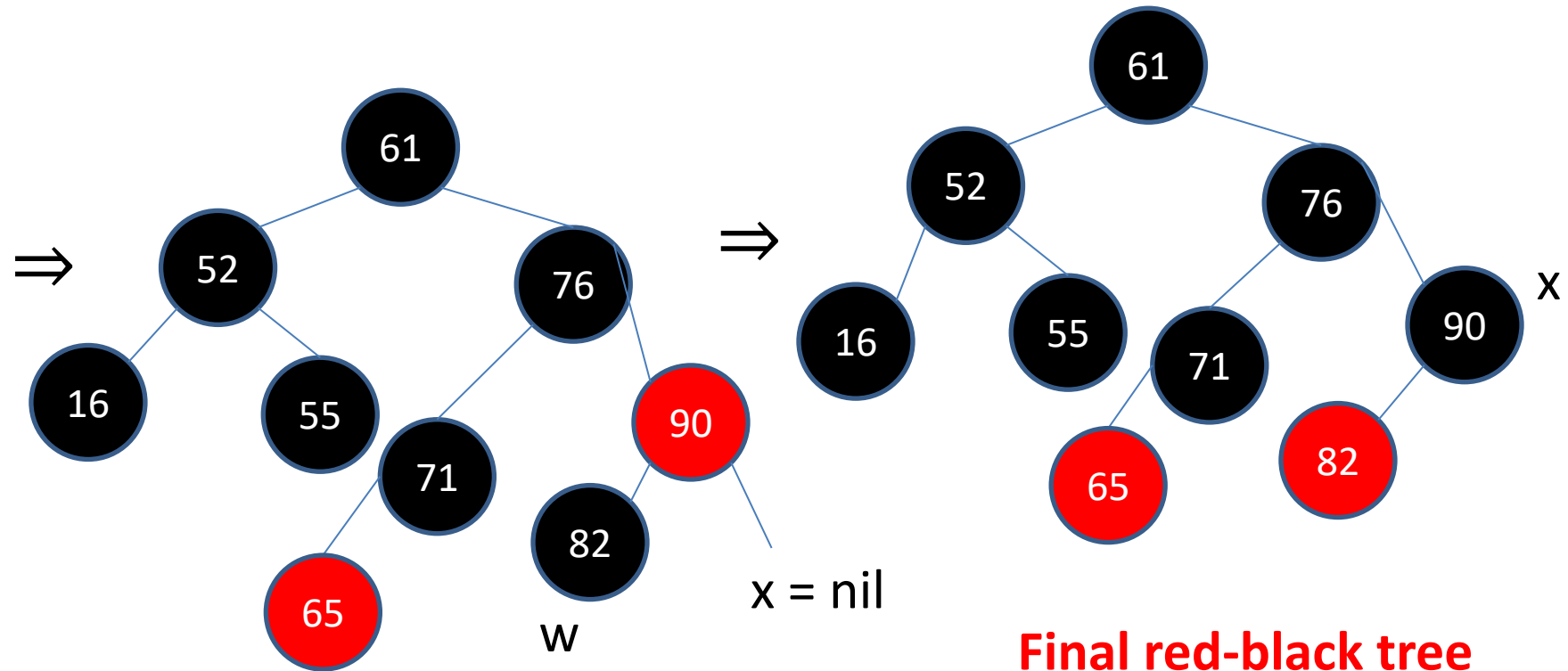
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## Deletion of 98



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## Deletion of 98(continue)



# AKTU Examination Questions

1. Insert the elements 8, 20, 11, 14, 9, 4, 12 in a Red-Black Tree and delete 12, 4, 9, 14 respectively.
2. What is Red-Black tree? Write an algorithm to insert a node in an empty red-black tree explain with suitable example.
3. Insert the following element in an initially empty RB-Tree. 12, 9, 81, 76, 23, 43, 65, 88, 76, 32, 54. Now Delete 23 and 81.
4. Write the properties of Red-Black Tree. Illustrate with an example, how the keys are inserted in an empty red-black tree.

Thank You.