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Module 4

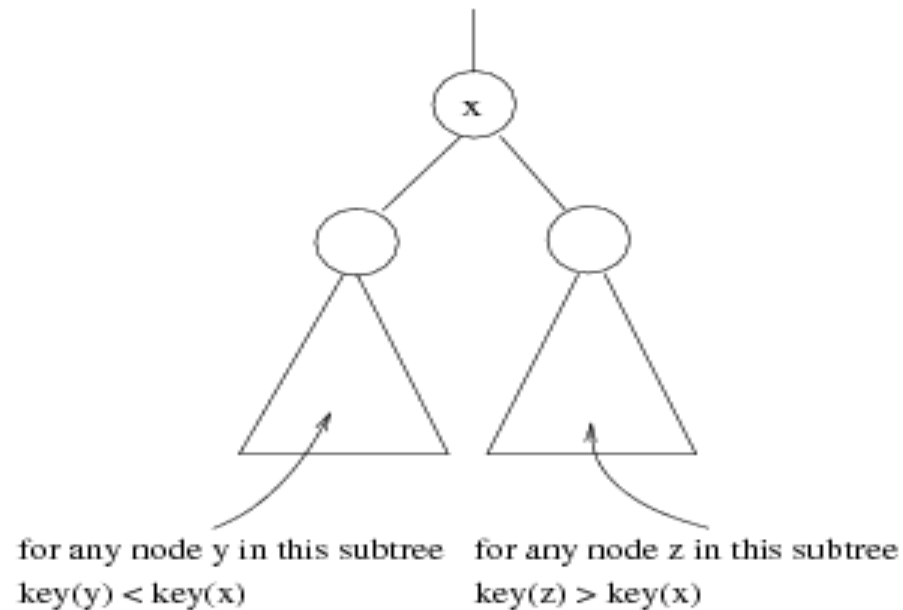
**Advanced Trees & Hashing**

## **Syllabus Contents**

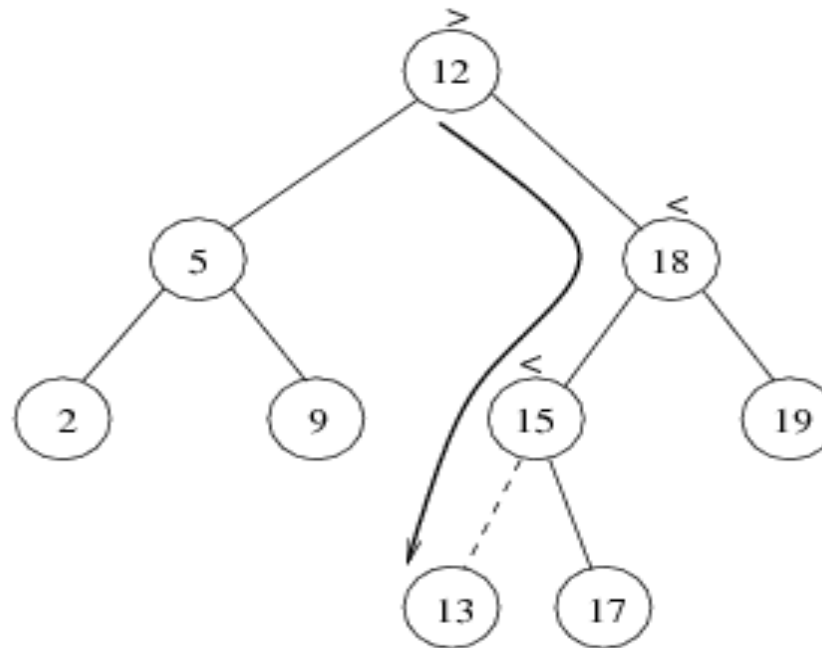
- Binary Search Tree- Operations.
- AVL trees
- Threaded Binary Tree
- B Tree & B+ Tree,
- Heaps, Types, Operations and Applications
- Hashing, Hashing functions, Collision Strategy.

- Stores keys in the nodes in a way so that searching, insertion and deletion can be done efficiently.
- **Binary search tree** property

$$\text{value(LST)} < \text{value (Root)} < \text{value (RS)}$$



- **Find the place** where the item to be attached
- Once place is found **attach the new item** on the traversed path



- **Time complexity** =  $O(\text{height of the tree})$

### Using Recursive structure: insert(Root, data)

1. 'Root' is NULL then **create new node** and **return it**

2. If **Root->data < data**

**Root->right = insert(Root->right, data)**

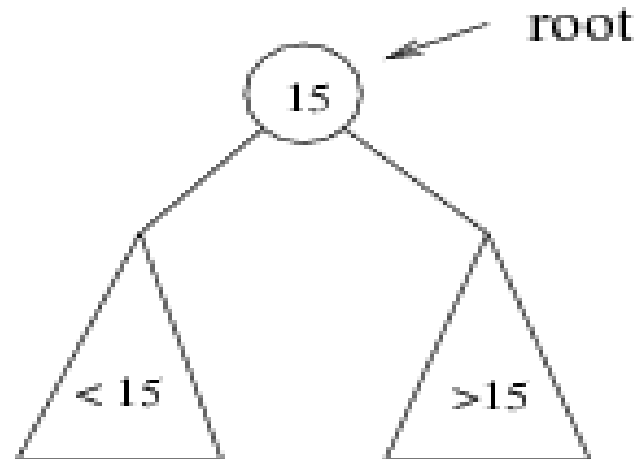
**else**

**Root->left = insert(Root->left, data)**

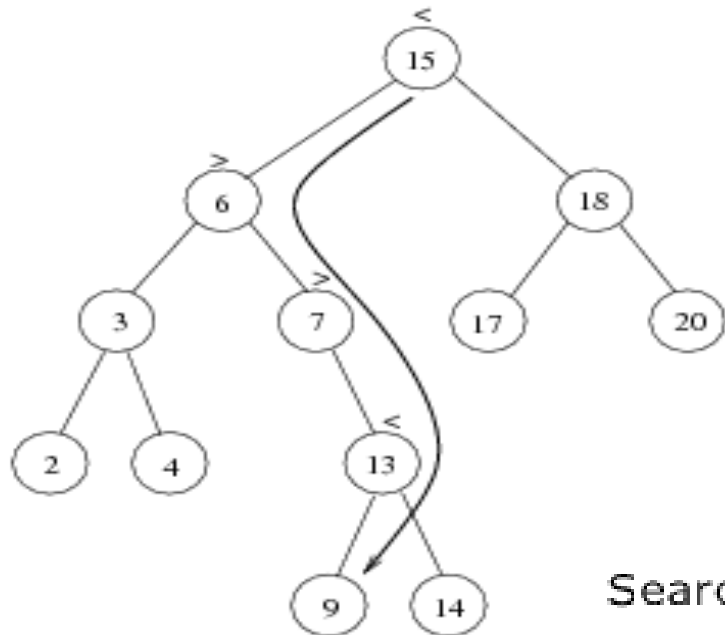
3. Return **Root**

## BST – Searching Operation

- If we are searching for 15, then **we are done.**
- If we are searching for a key  $< 15$ , then we **should search in the left subtree.**
- If we are searching for a key  $> 15$ , then we **should search in the right subtree.**



*Example: Search for 9 ...*



Search for 9:

1. compare 9:15(the root), go to left subtree;
2. compare 9:6, go to right subtree;
3. compare 9:7, go to right subtree;
4. compare 9:13, go to left subtree;
5. compare 9:9, found it!

### Using Loop structure:

1. **Create** a **flag variable** and **initialize with 0**
2. Take a temp pointer for BST and assign the 'Root' address
3. **Loop until temp != NULL**  
    **if temp->data==key**  
        **flag =1 go to step 6**
4. **Else if temp->data < key**  
    **temp = temp->right**  
    **go to step 3**
5. **Else if temp->data>key**  
    **temp = temp->left**  
    **go to step 3**
6. **if flag==0, Display "Element is not found"**  
    **else**  
        **Display "the key is found"**
7. **Stop** the execution



### Using Recursive Procedure: int SearchRec(root,key)

1. Take a **temp pointer** for BST and **assign the 'Root' address**
2. If **temp!=NULL**  
    **Compare temp->data with Key**  
    **if temp->data==key then**  
        **return 1**
3. Else if **temp->data < key then**  
    **return SearchRec(temp->right, key)**
4. Else  
    **return SearchRec(temp->left, key)**

#### **Note:**

**Check the return value in calling procedure to declare the result.**

- **If returned value is 1 then key is found**
- **else the key is not found**

## 3 cases:

Case -1: the node is a leaf

– **Delete it immediately**

EX: Delete(3)

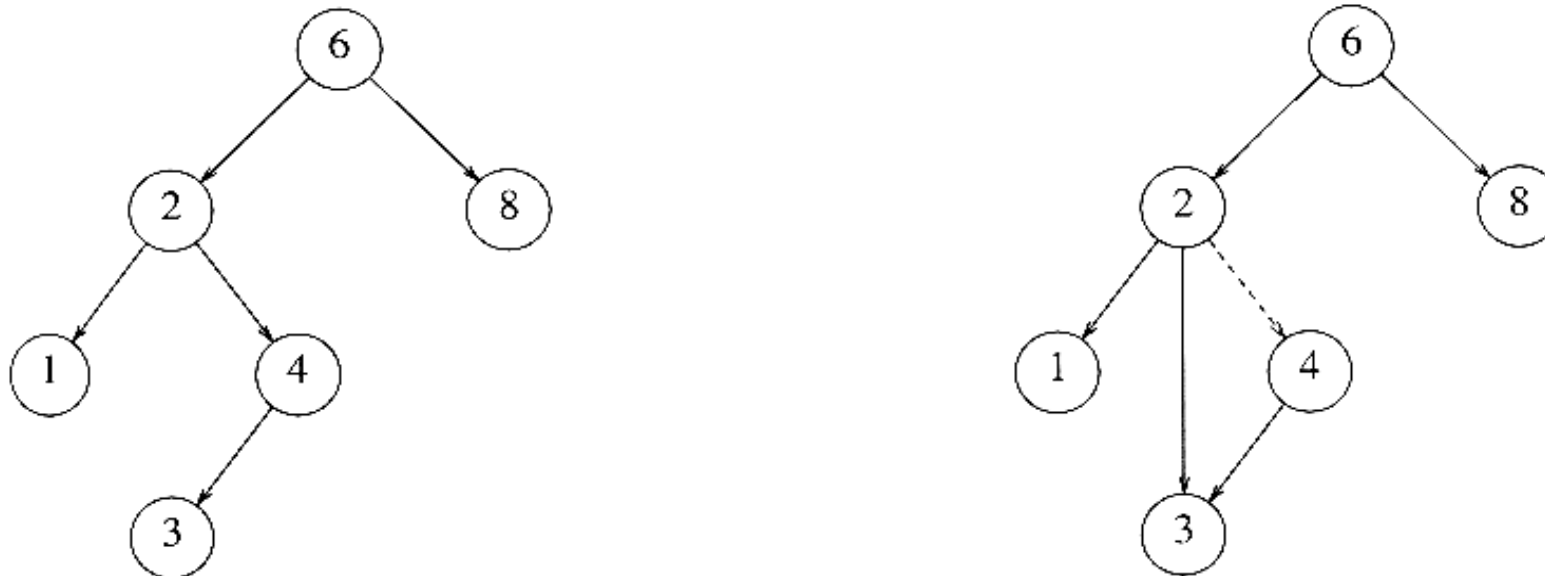


Figure 4.24 Deletion of a node (4) with one child, before and after

## Case 2:

the node has one child

- Adjust a pointer from the parent to **bypass that node**

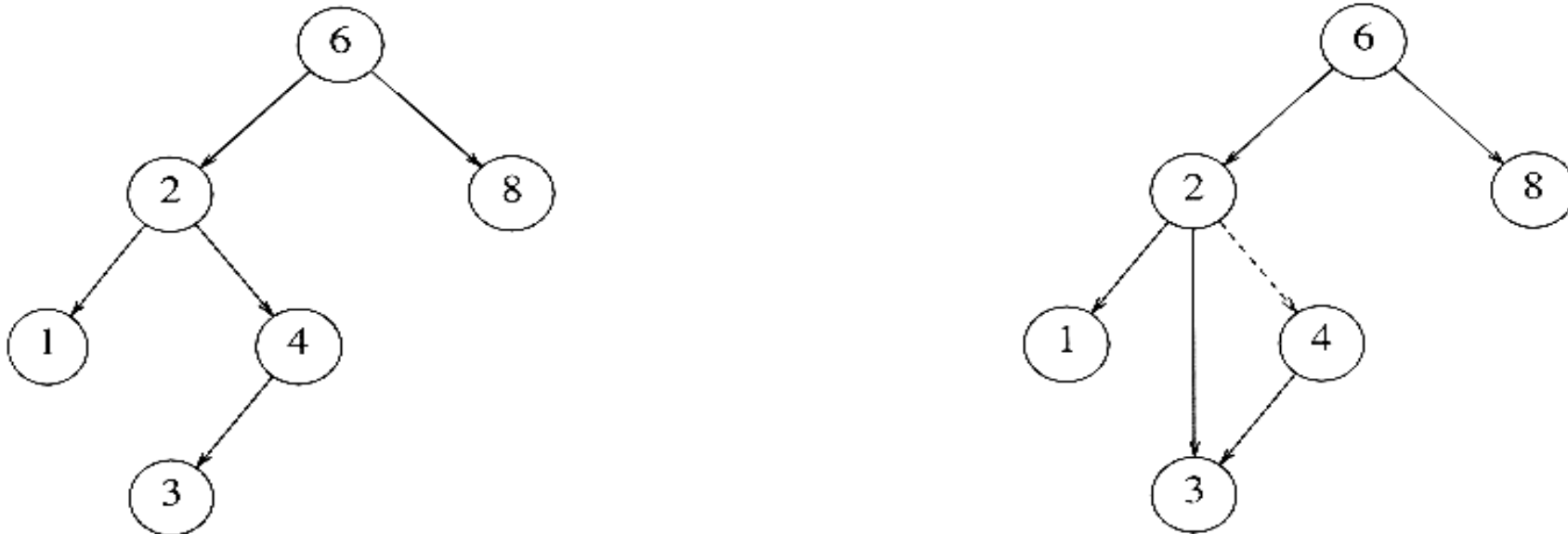


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## Case-3:

the node has 2 children

- replace the key of that node with the minimum element at the right subtree

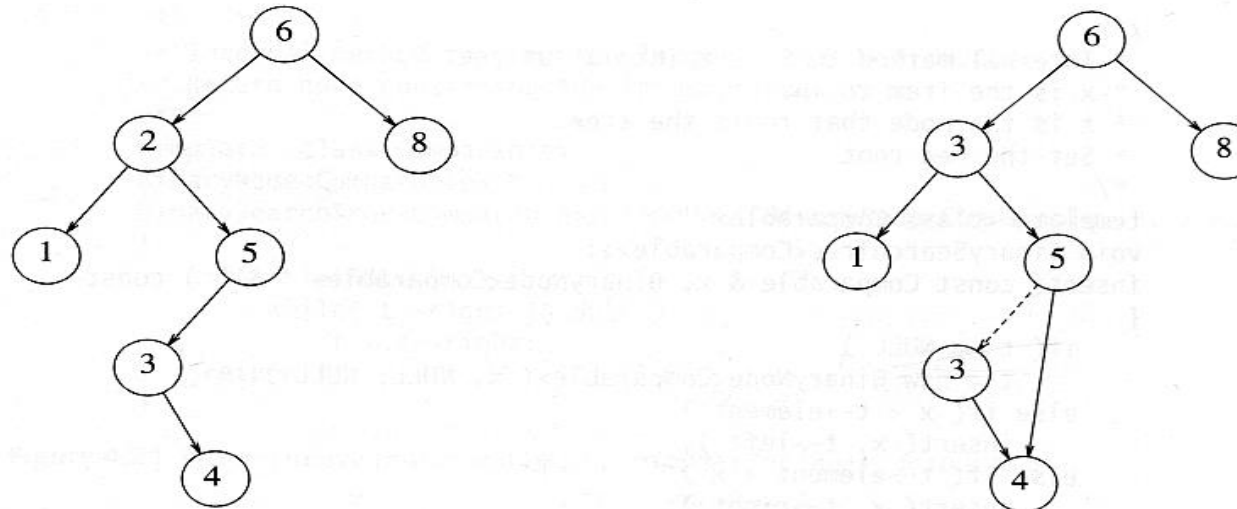
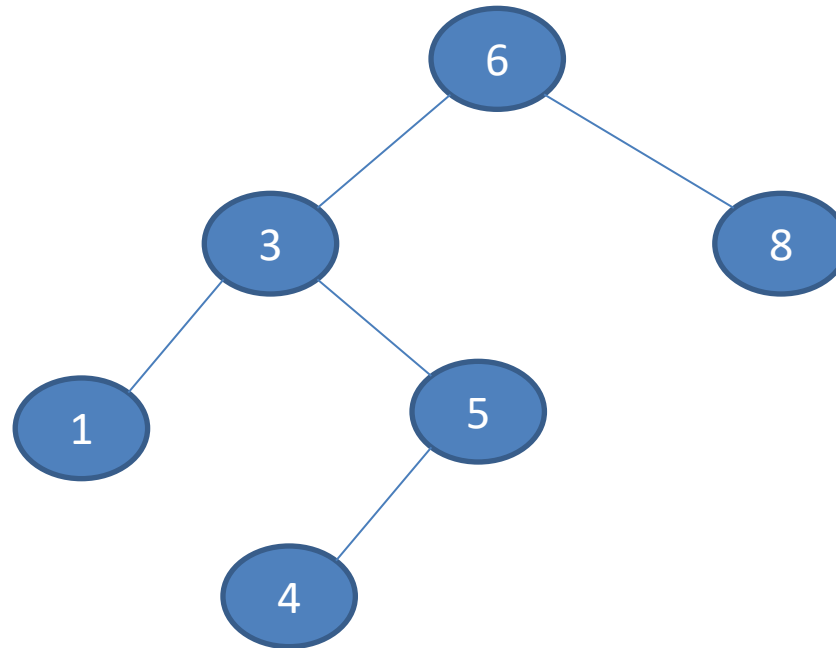


Figure 4.25 Deletion of a node (2) with two children, before and after



After Deleting node(2)

Time complexity =  $O(\text{height of the tree})$

## The Property of AVL Tree is

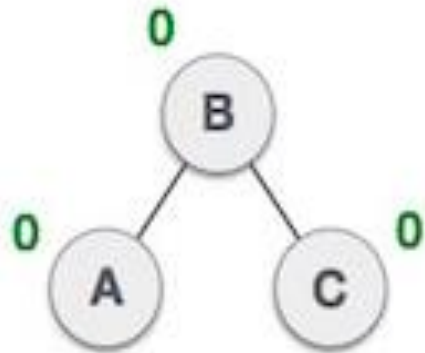
The Balance Factor of each node in AVL tree may differ by at most 1 or 0. That means the acceptable values are 0, 1 or -1

The formula for computing Balance Factor is

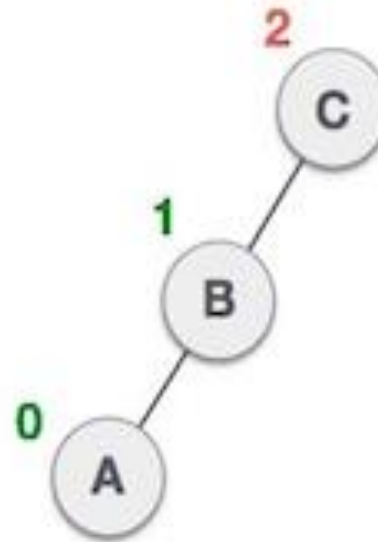
$$\text{Balance Factor} = \text{Height(LST)} - \text{Height(RST)}$$

- When the tree structure changes (e.g., insertion or deletion), we need to **transform the tree to restore the AVL tree property**.
- This is done using **Single rotations or Double rotations**.
- The nodes are rearranged **to have the leaf nodes at least in the same level**

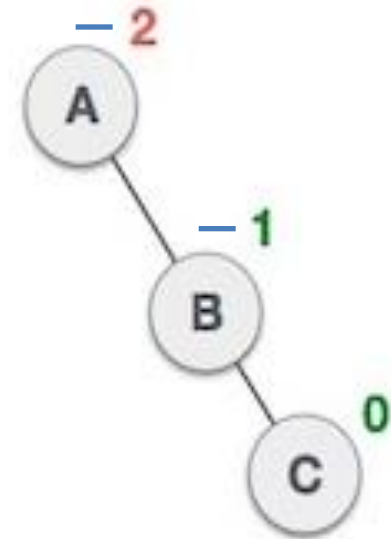
## Example



Balanced



Not balanced



Not balanced



# Rotations

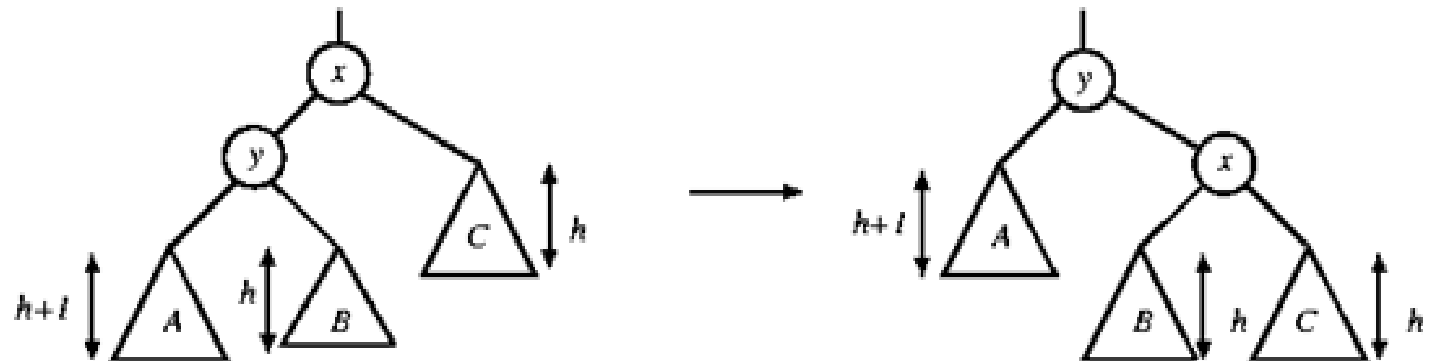
- Inserting a new node will increase the height of the tree
- Deleting a node will decrease the height of the tree
- Thus, if the AVL tree property is violated at a node  $x$ , it means that the heights of  $\text{left}(x)$  and  $\text{right}(x)$  differ by exactly 2.
- Rotations will be applied to node ' $x$ ' to restore the AVL tree property.

# Insertion

- First, insert the new key as a new leaf just as in ordinary binary search tree
- Then trace the path **from the new leaf towards the root**. For each node  $x$  encountered, check if heights of  $\text{left}(x)$  and  $\text{right}(x)$  differ by at most 1.
- If yes, proceed to  $\text{parent}(x)$ . If not, restructure by doing **either a single rotation or a double rotation**
- For insertion, once we perform a rotation at a node  $x$ , we won't need to perform any rotation at any ancestor of  $x$ .

## 1. Single Rotation with Right (LL)

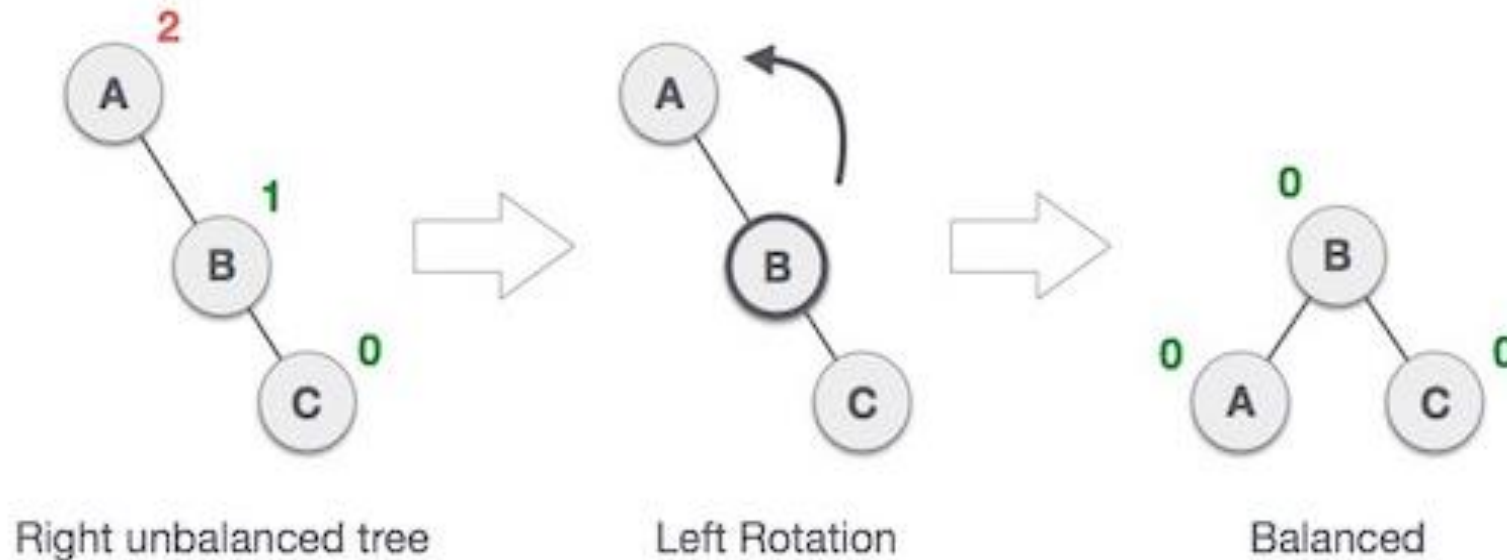
- The new key is inserted in the subtree A. i.e **new node is inserted in the left side of Left Sub Tree (LL)**
- The AVL-property is violated at x, because its balance factor is not accepted values.
- So, the **Right rotation** will be done on node x to balance the tree.



# Single Left Rotation

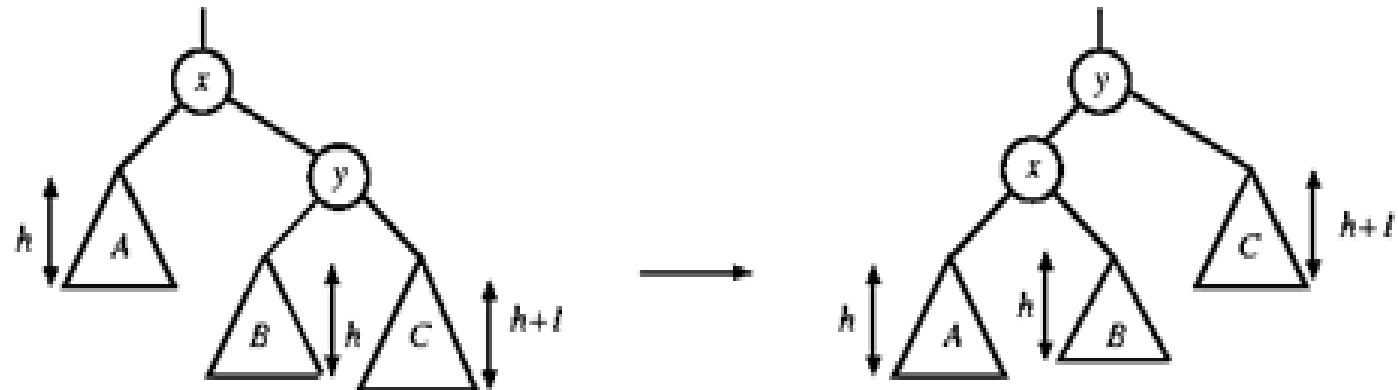
## Left Rotation

If a tree becomes unbalanced, when a node is inserted into the right subtree of the right subtree, then we perform a single left rotation –



## 2. Single Rotation with Left (RR)

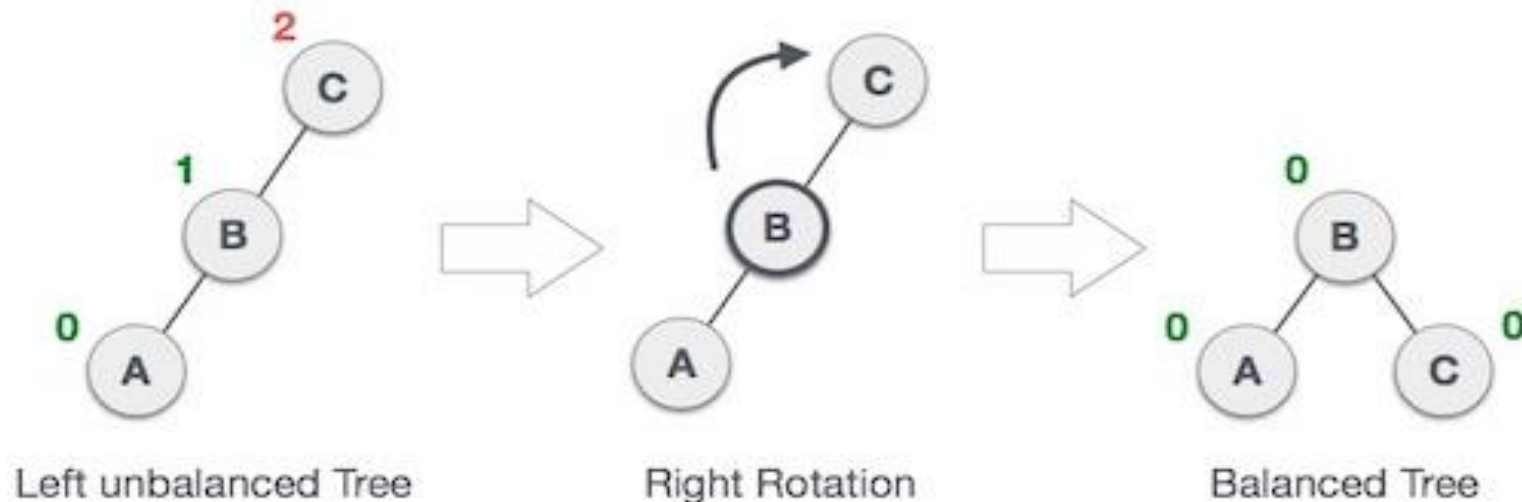
- The new key is inserted in the subtree C. i.e **new node is inserted in the right side of Right Sub Tree (RR)**
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# Single Right Rotation

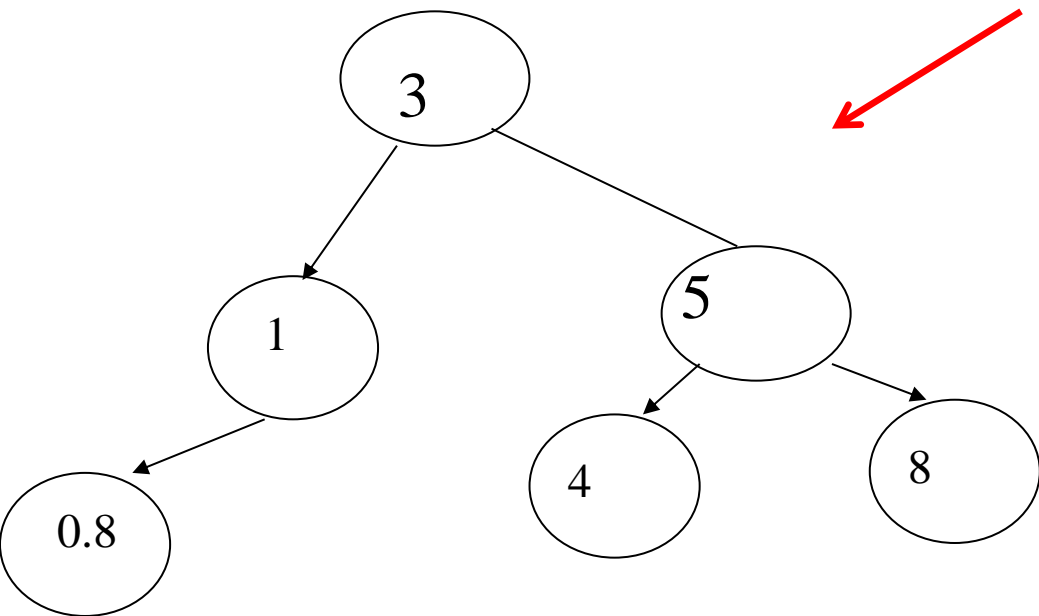
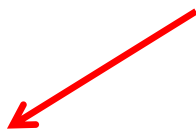
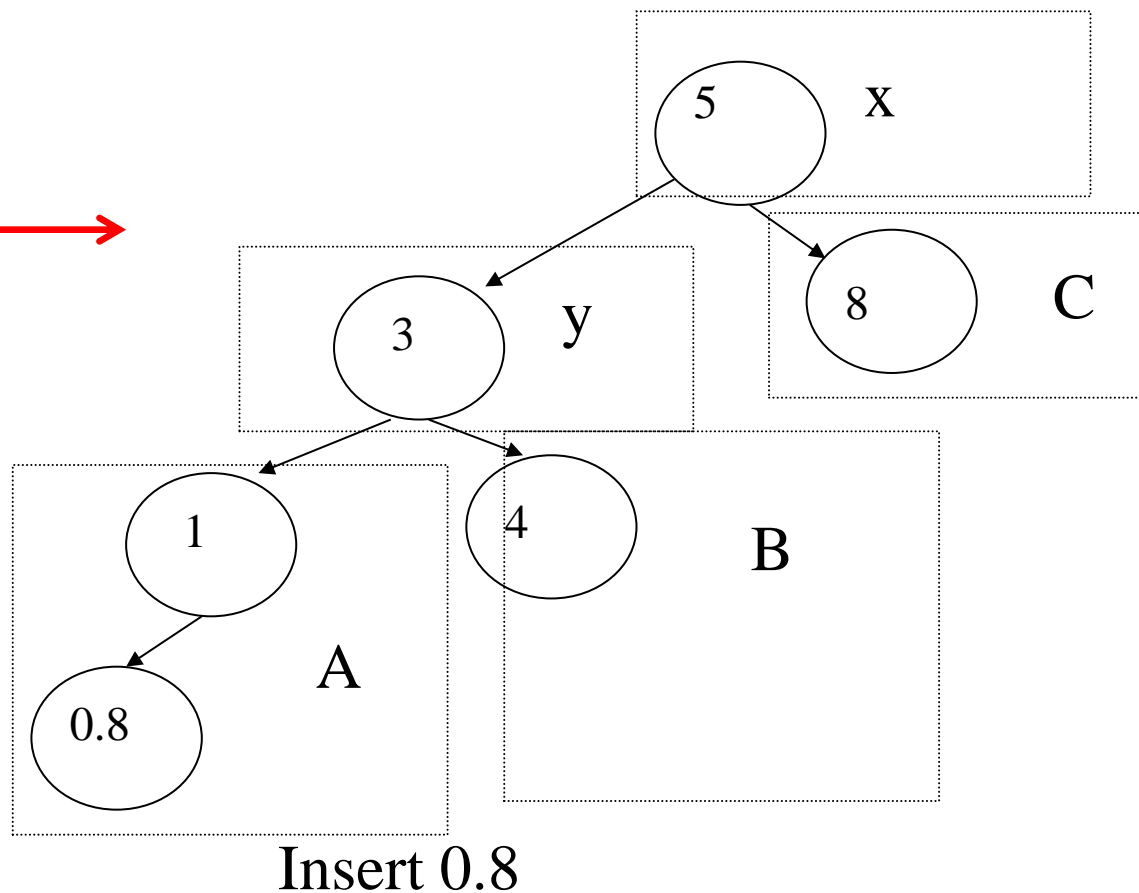
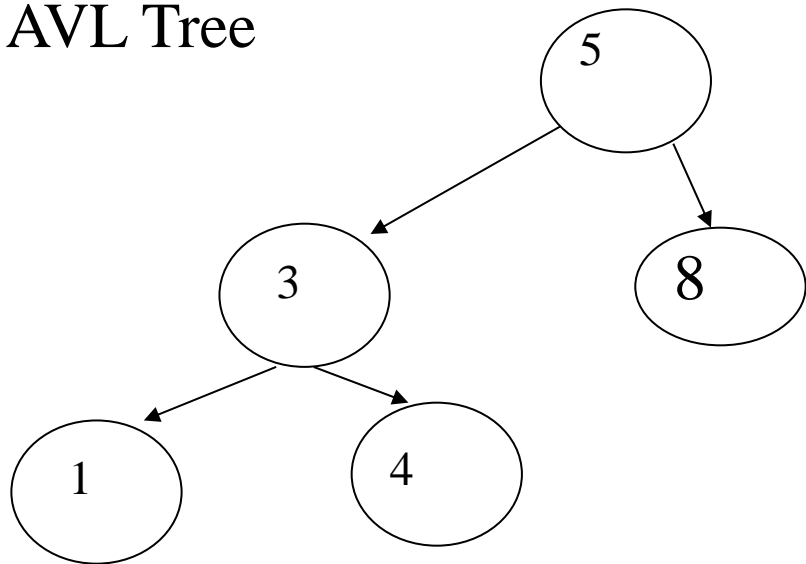
## Right Rotation

AVL tree may become unbalanced, if a node is inserted in the left subtree of the left subtree. The tree then needs a right rotation.



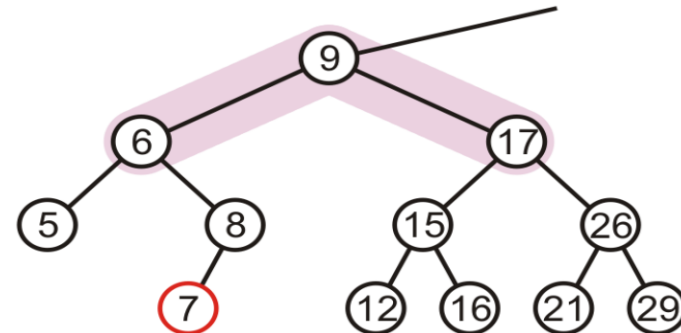
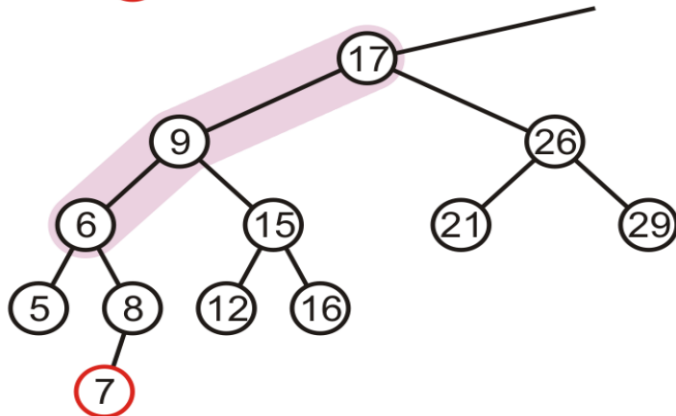
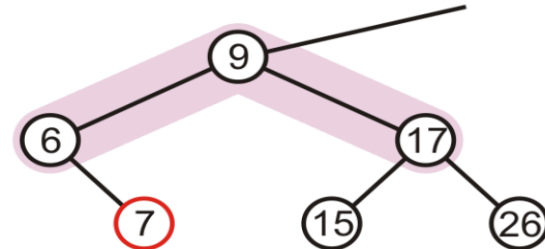
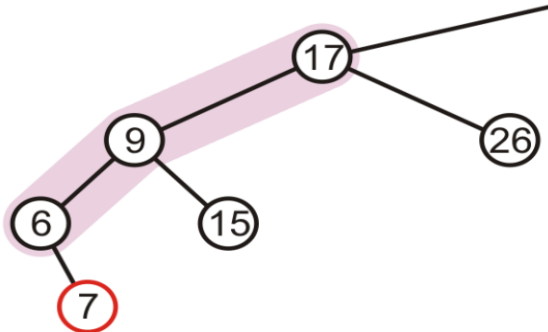
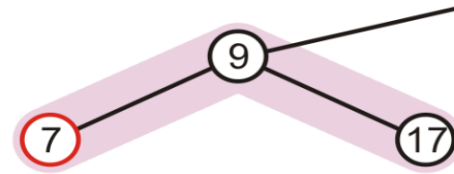
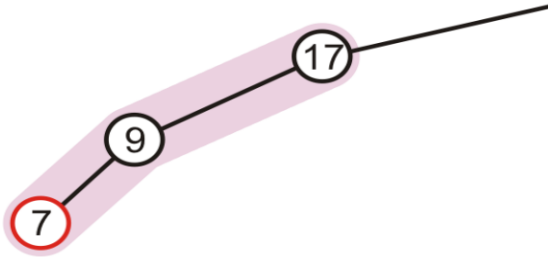
As depicted, the unbalanced node becomes the right child of its left child by performing a right rotation.

# AVL Tree



After rotation

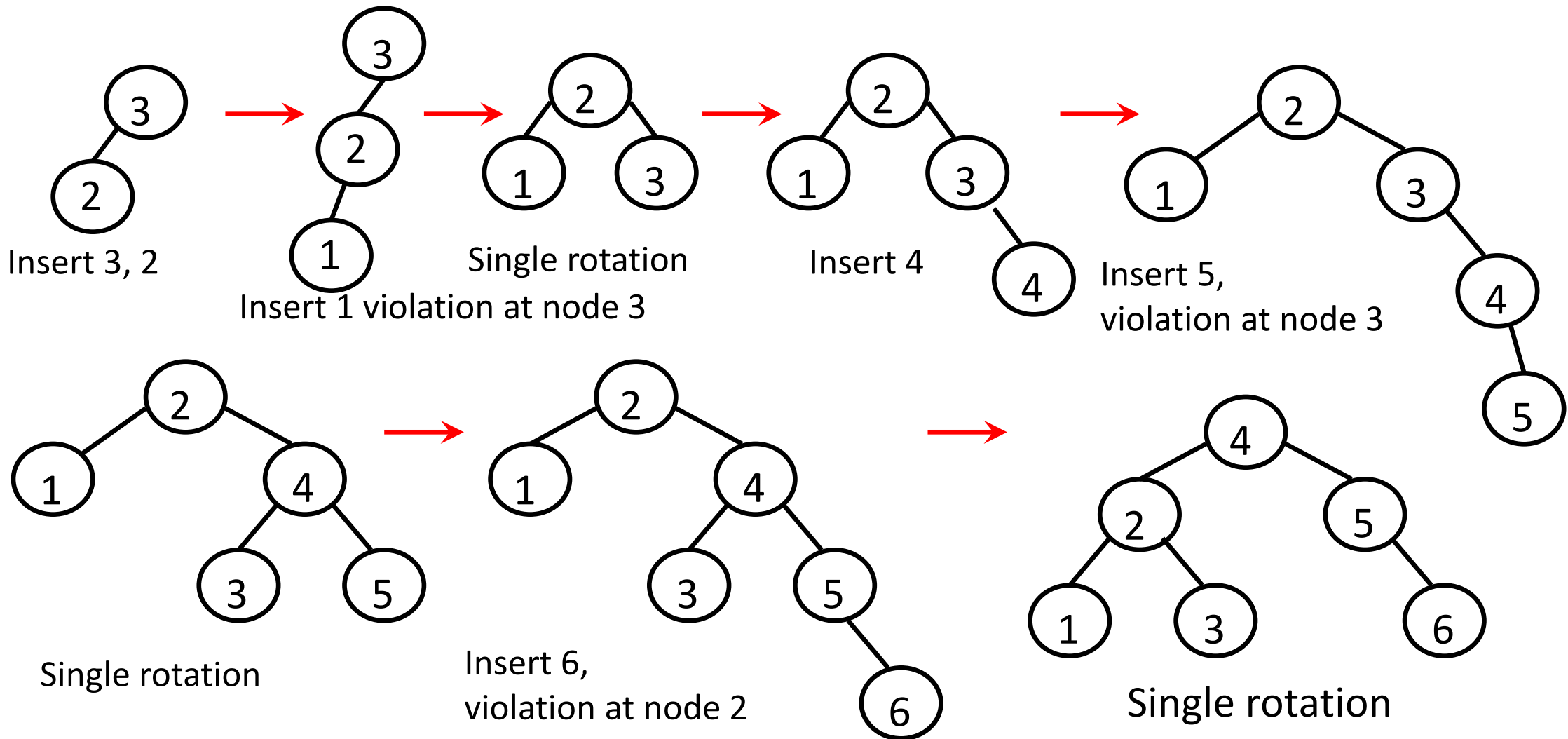
# More Examples





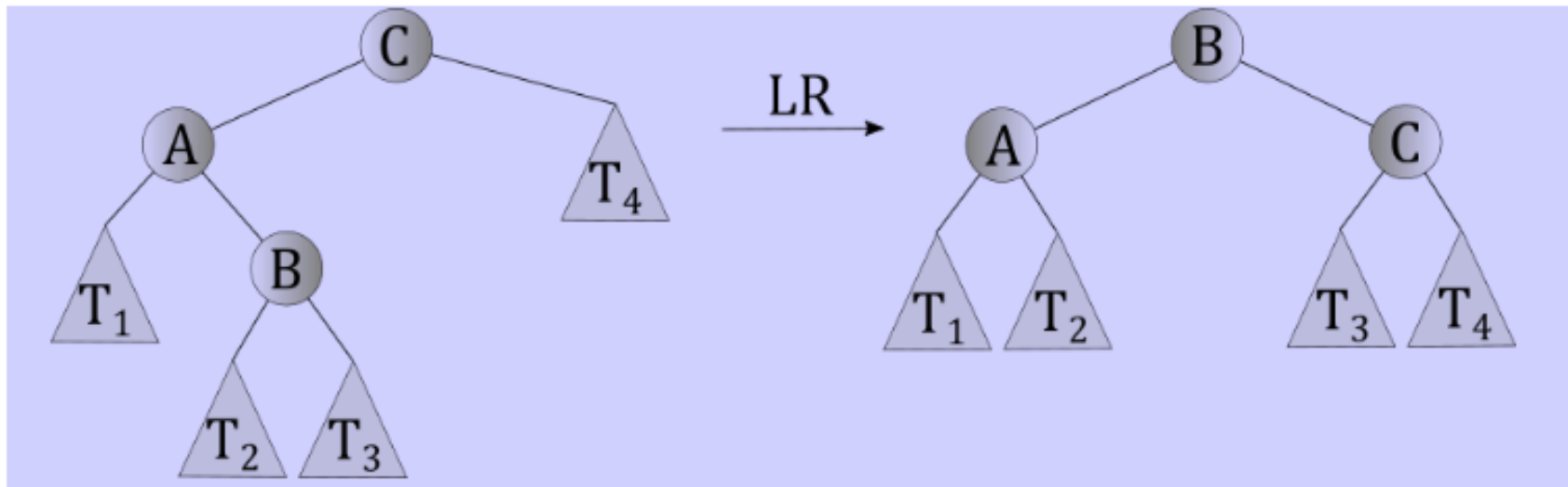
# Ex: Single Rotation

✓ Sequentially insert 3, 2, 1, 4, 5, 6 to an AVL Tree



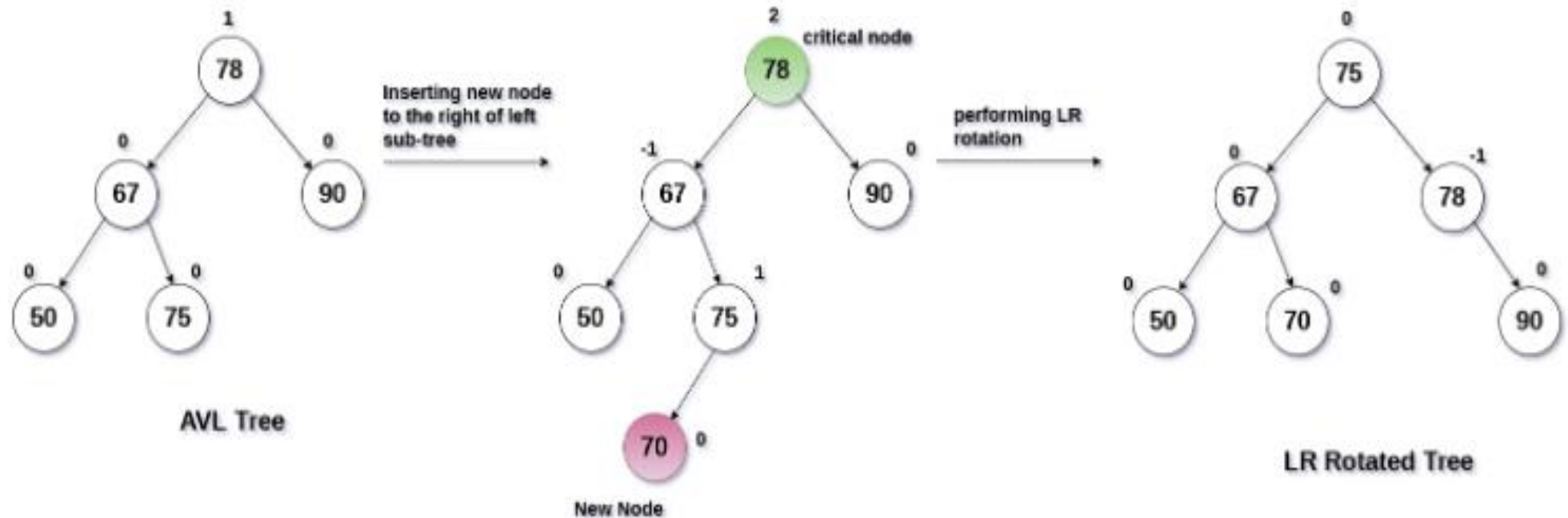
## 1. Left- Right Rotation (LR)

- **new key is inserted** in the **Right side of the Left Sub Tree (LR)**.
- The AVL-property is violated at x.
- So, **apply the left rotation** on the node where balance factor is more.
- Then, **apply the right rotation** on the node where balance factor is more.



# Double Rotations

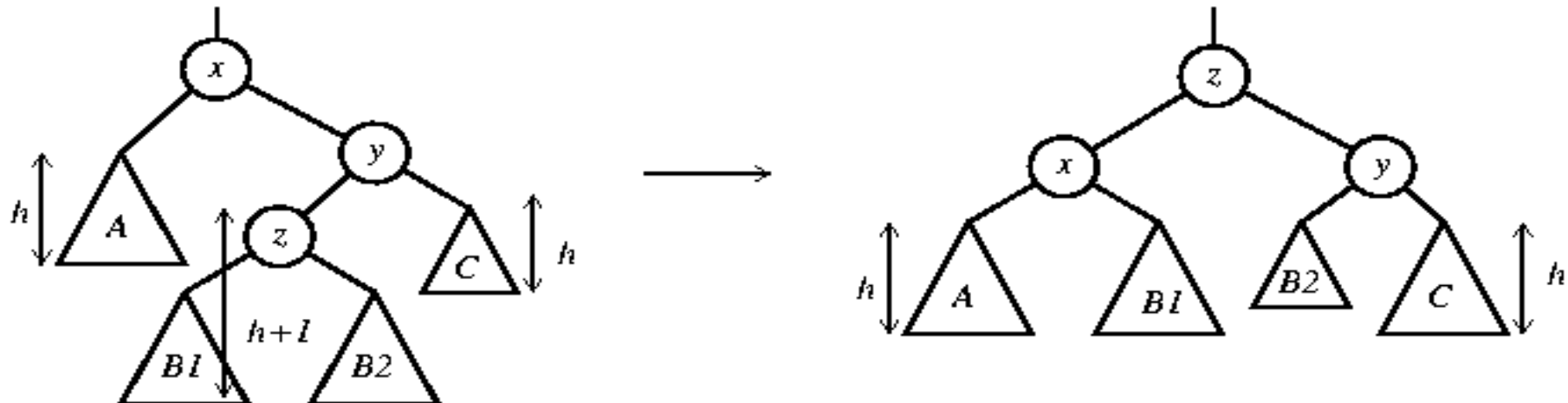
## Example: LR



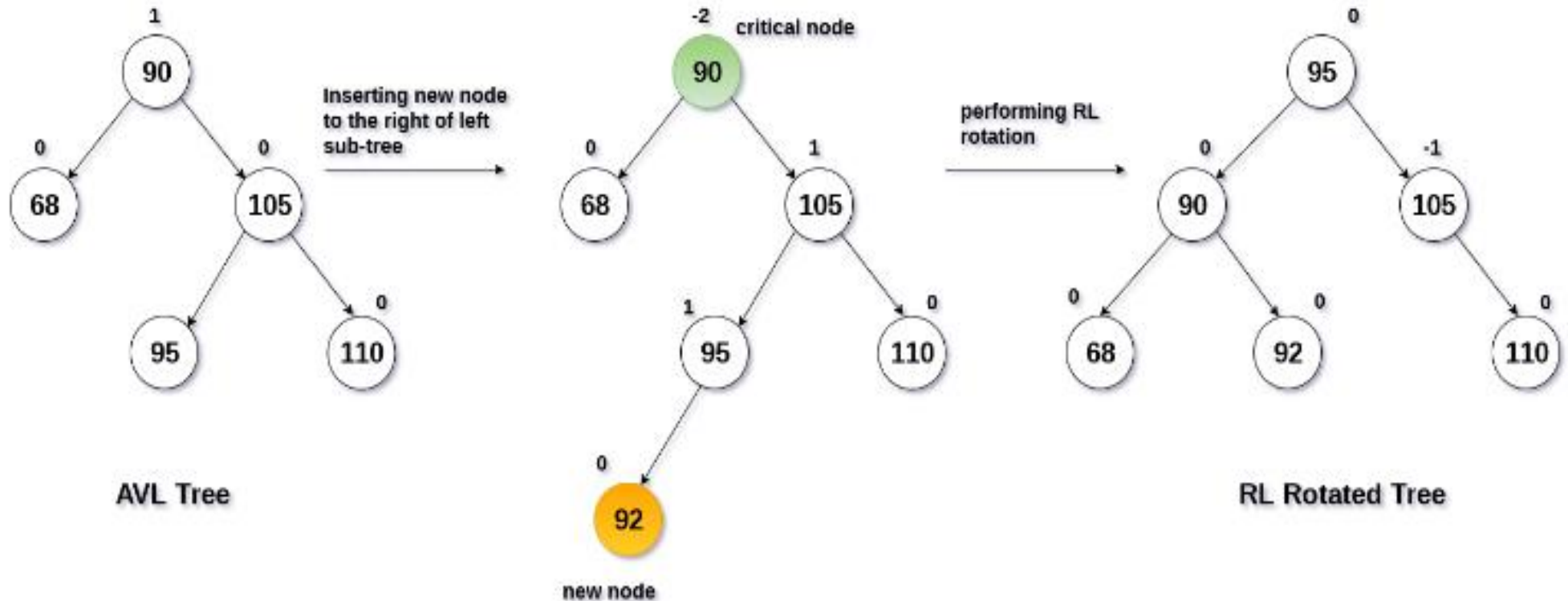
## 2. Right-Left Rotation (RL)

The new key is inserted in the **left side of Right Sub Tree**.

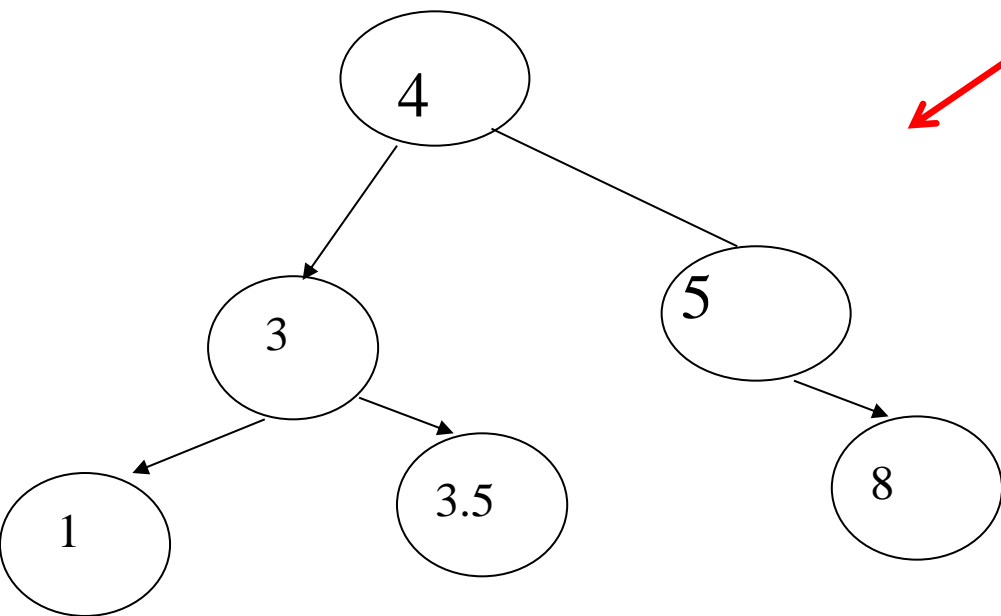
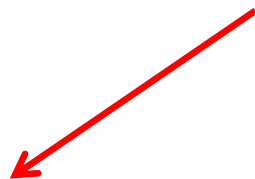
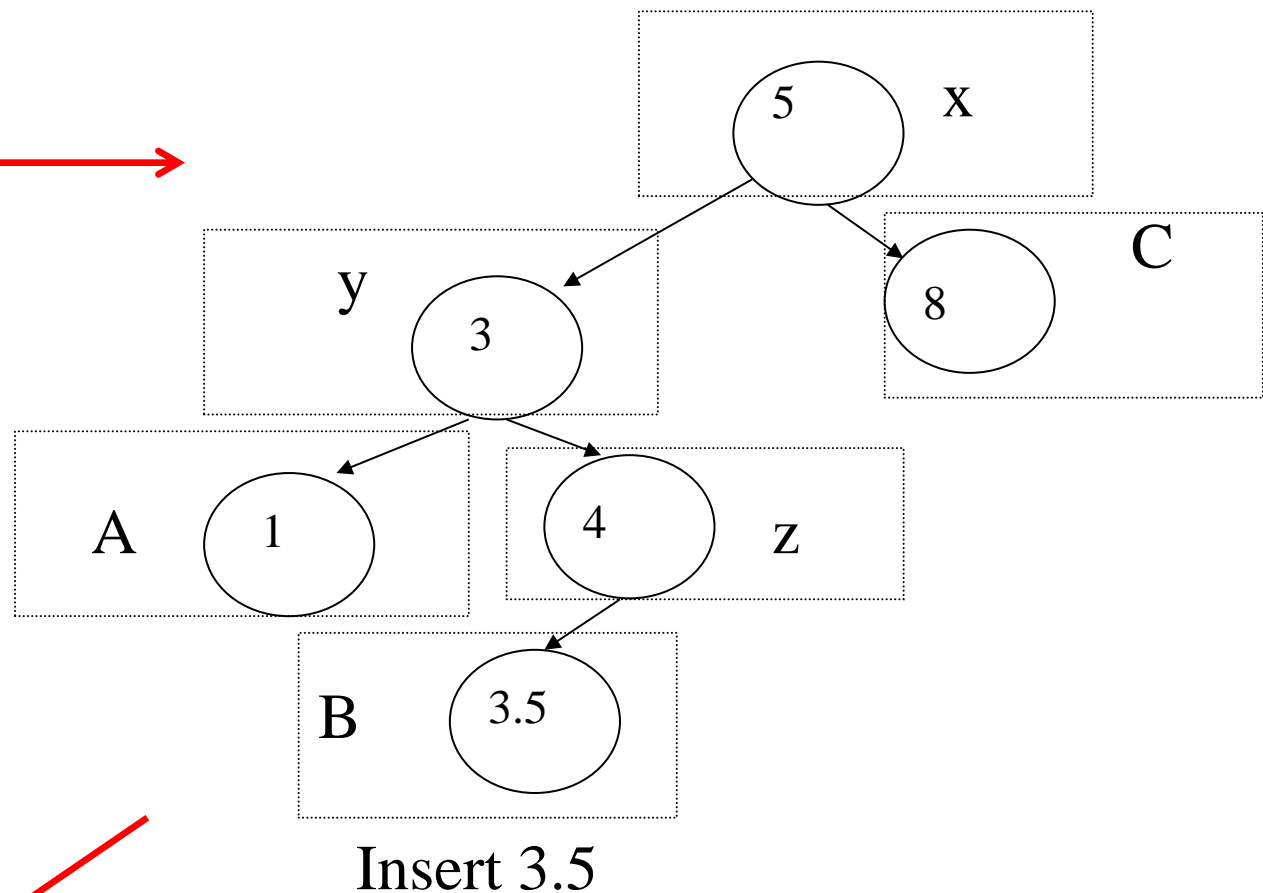
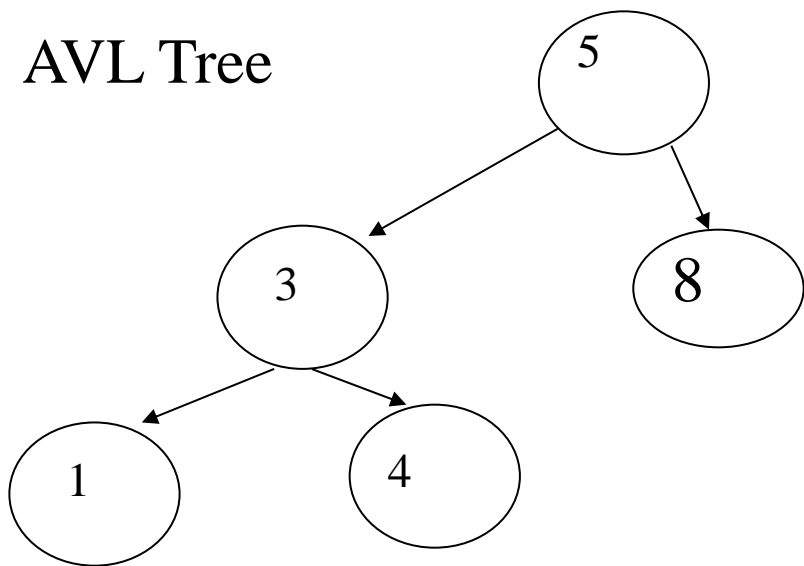
The AVL-property is violated at x.



Double rotate with right child



AVL Tree



After Rotation

- Too many null pointers in current representation of binary trees

**n:** No. of nodes

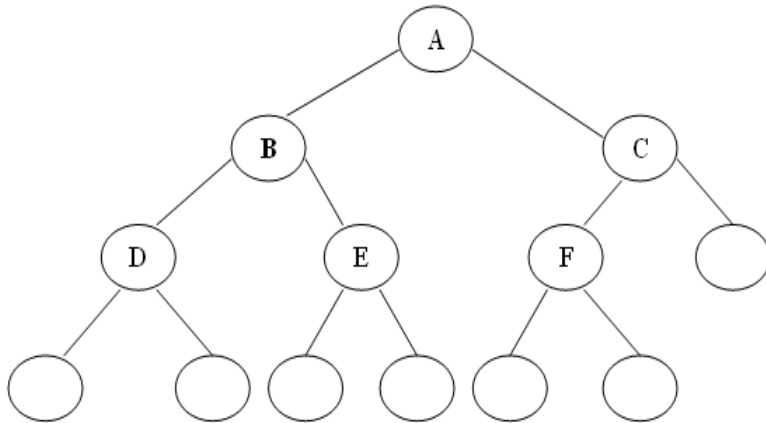
**Total links:**  $2n$

**No. of non-null links:**  $n-1$

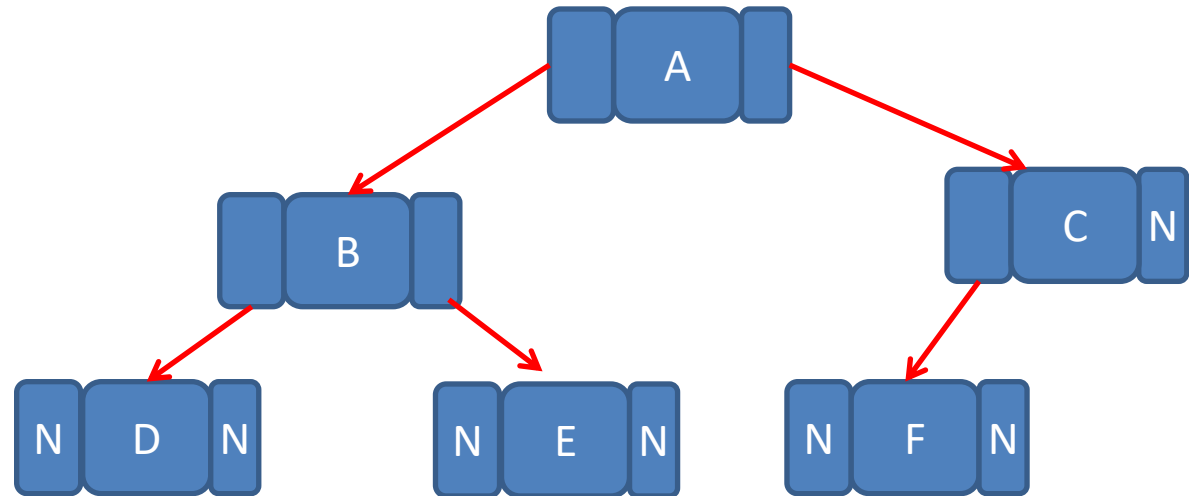
**null links:**  $2n-(n-1)=n+1$

- Replace these null pointers with some useful “**threads**”.

- In a linked representation of a binary tree, the **number of null links (null pointers)** are actually **more than non-null pointers**.
- Consider the following binary tree:



A Binary tree with the null pointers





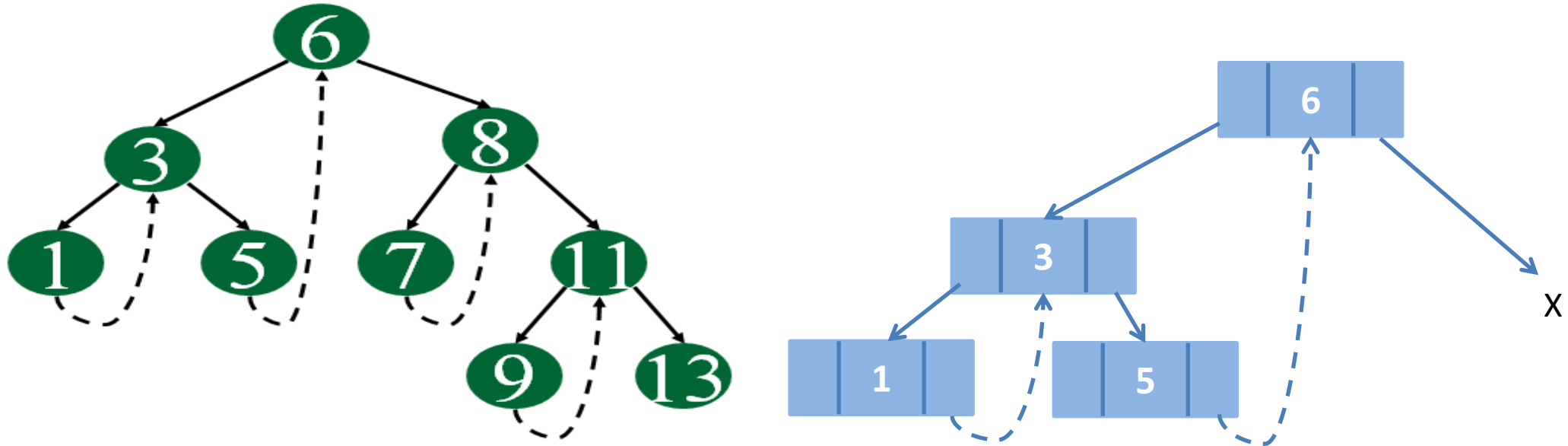
- In the given binary tree, **there are 7 null pointers** & **actual 5 pointers**.
- Objective: To make **effective use of these null pointers**.
- Proposed idea to **make effective use** of these null pointers.
- According to this idea we are going to **replace all the null pointers** by the **appropriate pointer values** called **threads**. Such Trees are known as **'Threaded Binary Trees'**.

## Types of Threaded BT

- Single Threaded Binary Tree
- Double Threaded Binary Tree

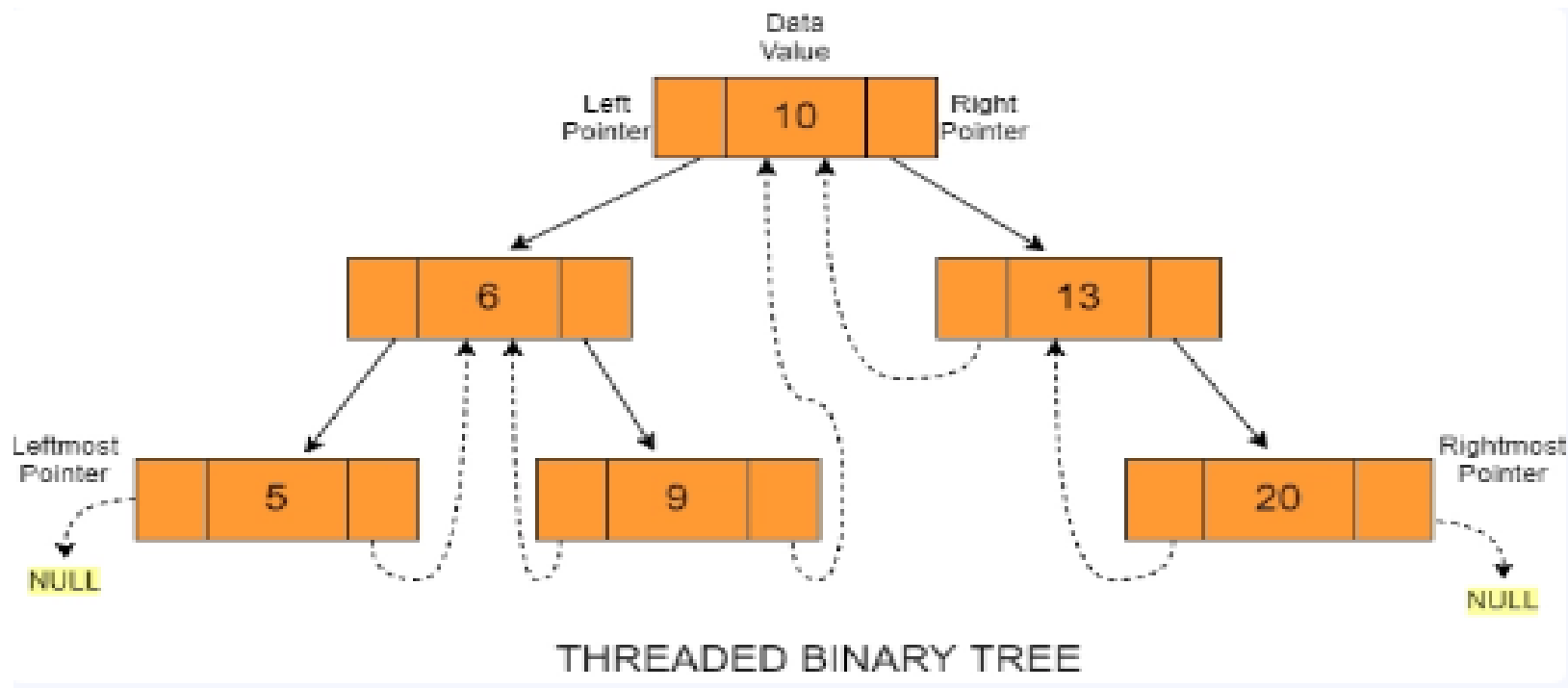
- Single-Threaded Binary Tree

- Where a **NULL Right pointers** is made to point to the **inorder successor** (if successor exists)



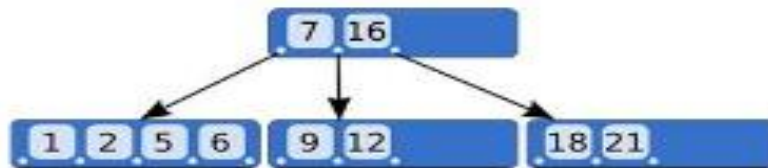
Inorder – 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13

- **Left NULL** pointer is made to **point to inorder predecessor**
- **Right NULL** pointer is made to **point to inorder successor** respectively.
- Furthermore, the **left pointer of the first node** and the **right pointer of the last node** (in the in-order traversal of T) will **contain the null value**.



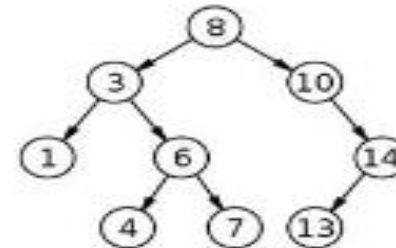
- A **B tree** is a **sorted tree** because its **nodes** are **sorted** in **an inorder traversal**.
- A node in a B tree can have **many children**.
- If each internal node in the tree has M children, the height of the tree would be  $\log_M n$  instead of  $\log_2 n$ .
- Thus, we can **speed up the search significantly**.

B-tree



	Average	Worst Case
Space	$O(n)$	$O(n)$
Search	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$
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Binary Search Tree



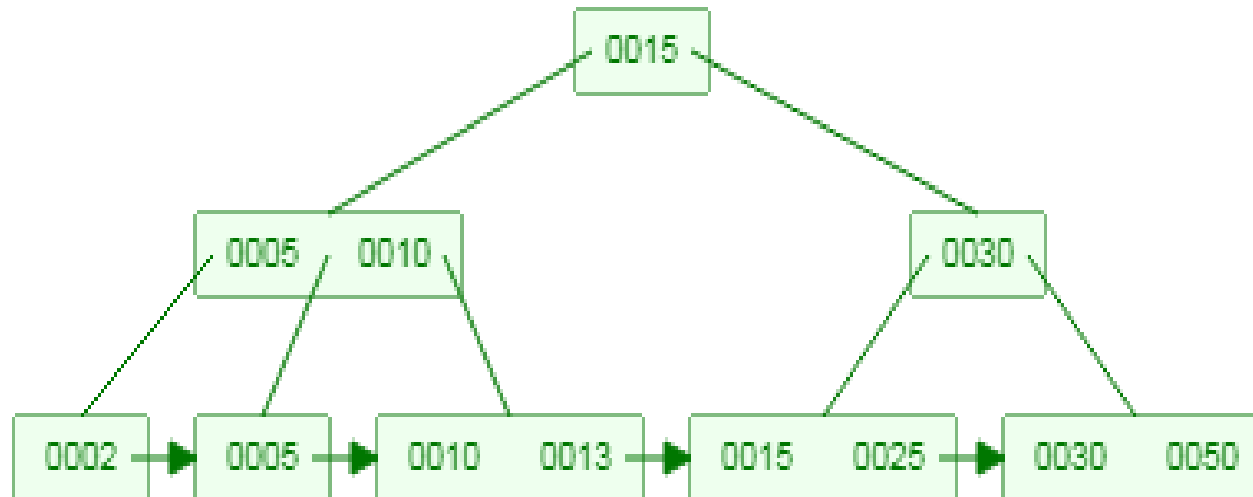
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- **B+ Tree is an extension of B Tree** which allows efficient insertion, deletion and search operations.
- In B Tree - Keys and records both can be stored in the internal as well as leaf nodes.  
**Whereas, in B+ tree,**
  - records (data) can only be stored on the leaf nodes
  - while internal nodes can only store the key values.
- The leaf nodes of a B+ tree are linked together in the form of a singly linked lists to make the **search queries more efficient**.

# B+ Trees - Properties

- A B<sup>+</sup>-tree of order  $M \geq 3$  is an M-ary tree with the following properties:
  - The **root** has between 1 and M-1 keys
  - Each **internal node** has at most M children
  - Each **internal node**, except the root, has between  $\lceil M/2 \rceil - 1$  and M-1 keys
  - The **keys** at each node are ordered
  - Leaves can have M-1 keys
  - The data items are stored at the leaves.
  - All **leaves** are at the same depth.

## B<sup>+</sup> tree with M=3



**Visualization:** <https://www.cs.usfca.edu/~galles/visualization/BPlusTree.html>

## Advantages

- Each internal node/leaf is designed to **fit into one I/O block of data**.
  - An I/O block usually **can hold quite a lot of data**. Hence, an internal node can keep a lot of keys, i.e., large M.
- This implies that the tree has only a few levels and only a few disk accesses can accomplish a search, insertion, or deletion.
- B<sup>+</sup>-tree is a popular structure used **in commercial databases**.
- To further speed up the search, the **first one or two levels of the B<sup>+</sup>-tree are usually kept in main memory**.



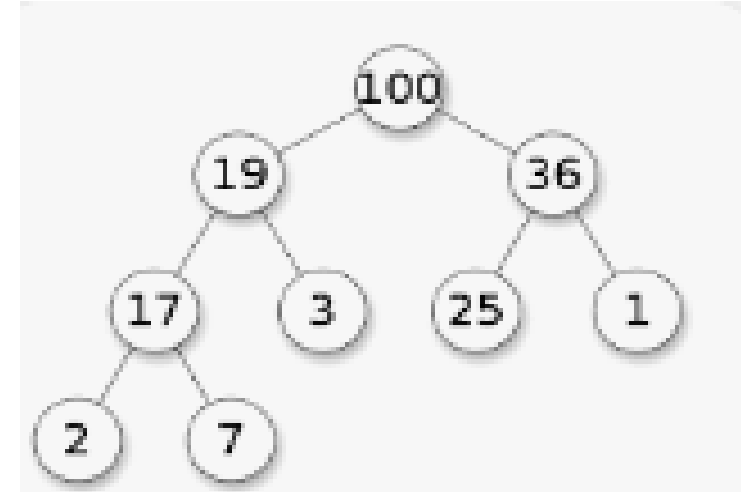
### Disadvantages of B and B+ Trees:

- The disadvantage of B<sup>+</sup>-tree is that most nodes will have less than M-1 keys most of the time. This could **lead to severe space wastage**.
- **B-tree** refers to the variant where the **actual records are kept at internal nodes** as well as the leaves. Such a **scheme is not practical**.
- Keeping actual records at the internal nodes will **limit the number of keys** stored there, and thus **increasing the number of tree levels**.

- First of all, a heap is a kind of binary tree that offers **both insertion and deletion in  $O(\log 2n)$  time.**
- Heaps are **largely about priority queues.**
  - They are an **alternative data structure** to implement **priority queues** (we had arrays, linked lists...)
  - the **advantages and disadvantages** of queues implemented as arrays
    - >Insertions / deletions?  **$O(n)$  ...  $O(1)$ !**
- **Priority queues** are **critical to many real-world applications.**

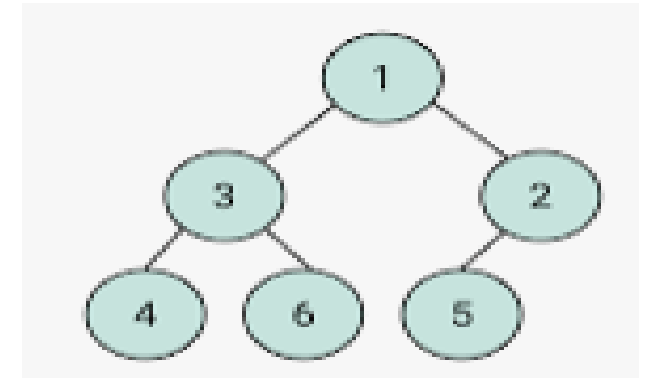
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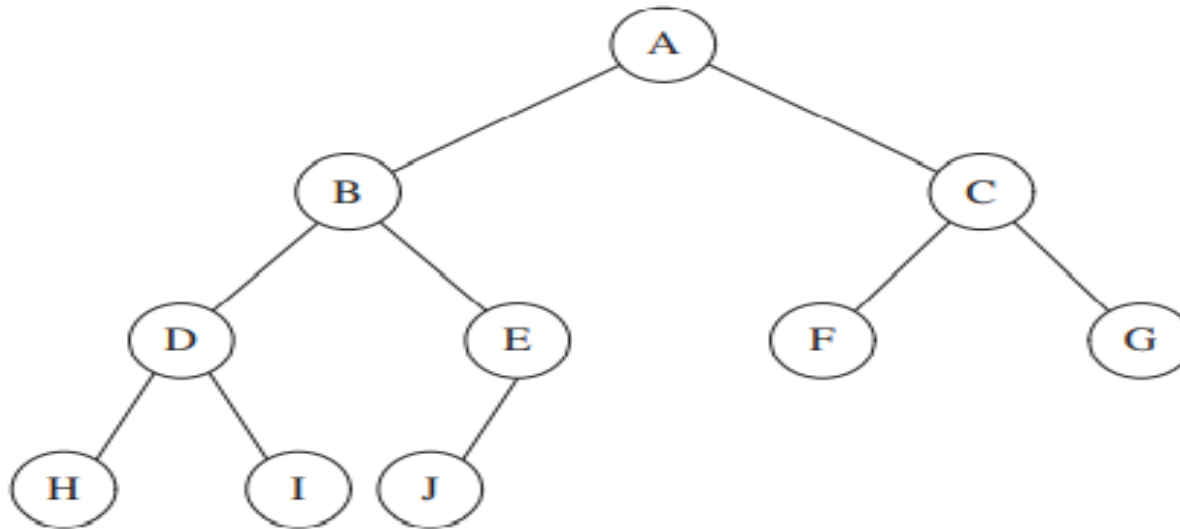
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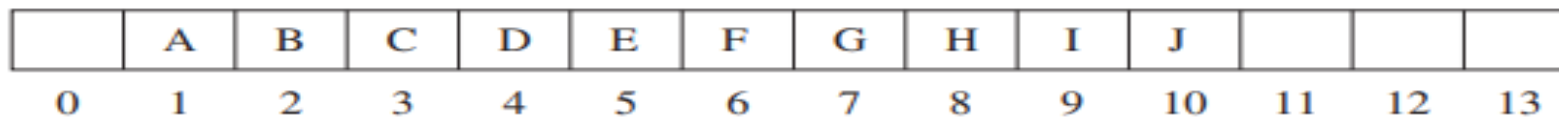
- **Structure Property**

A **heap is a binary tree** that is **completely filled**, with the **possible exception of the bottom level**,

- which **is filled from left to right**

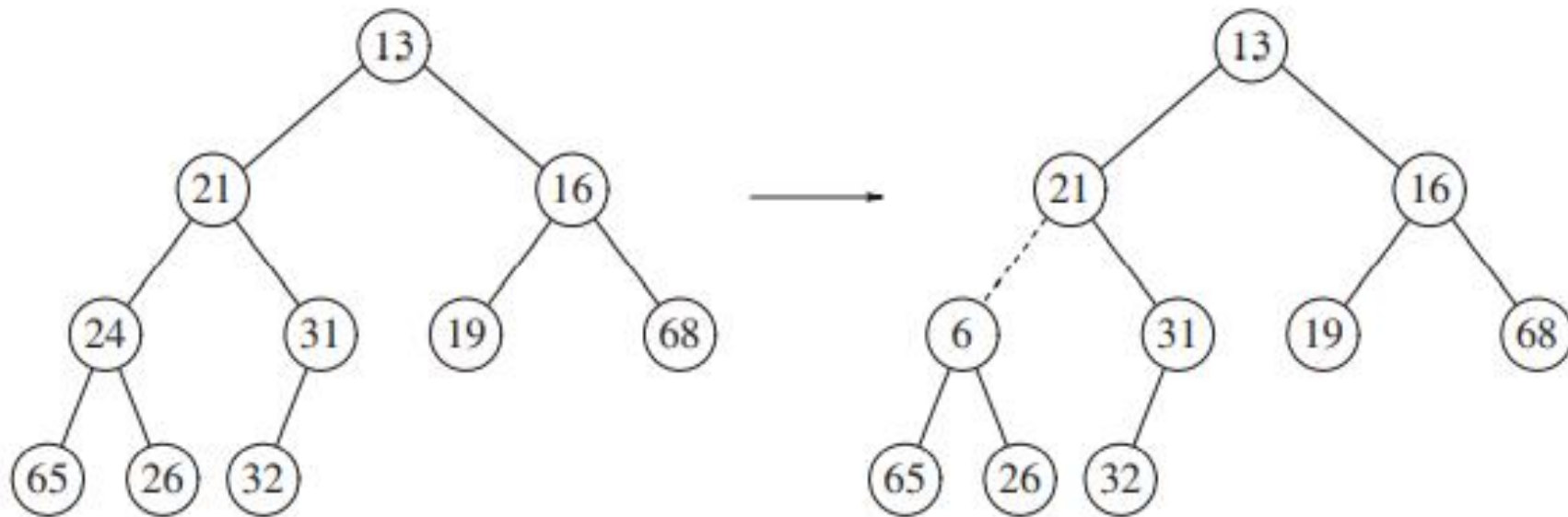


**Figure 6.2** A complete binary tree



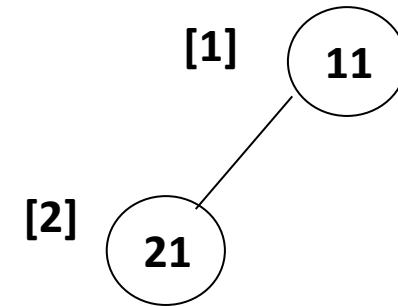
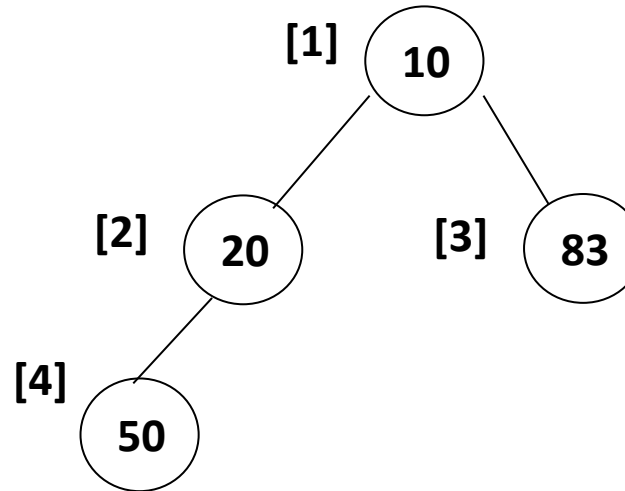
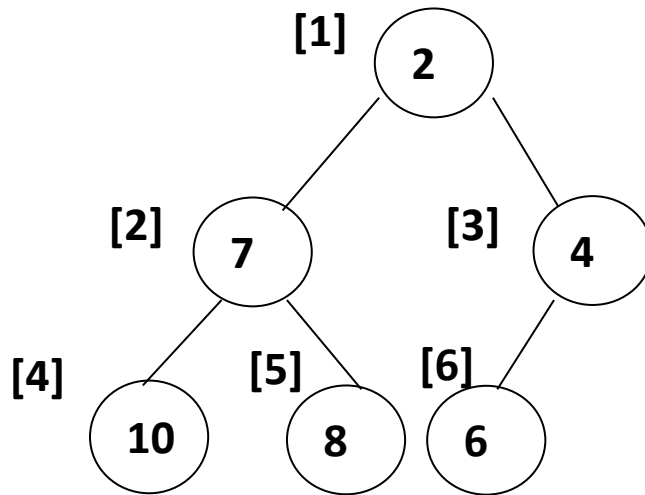
- **Heap Order Property**

Each node in a heap satisfies the ‘heap condition,’ which states that every node’s key is smaller than or equal to the keys of its children (min heap).



**Figure 6.5** Two complete trees (only the left tree is a heap)

## Min heaps

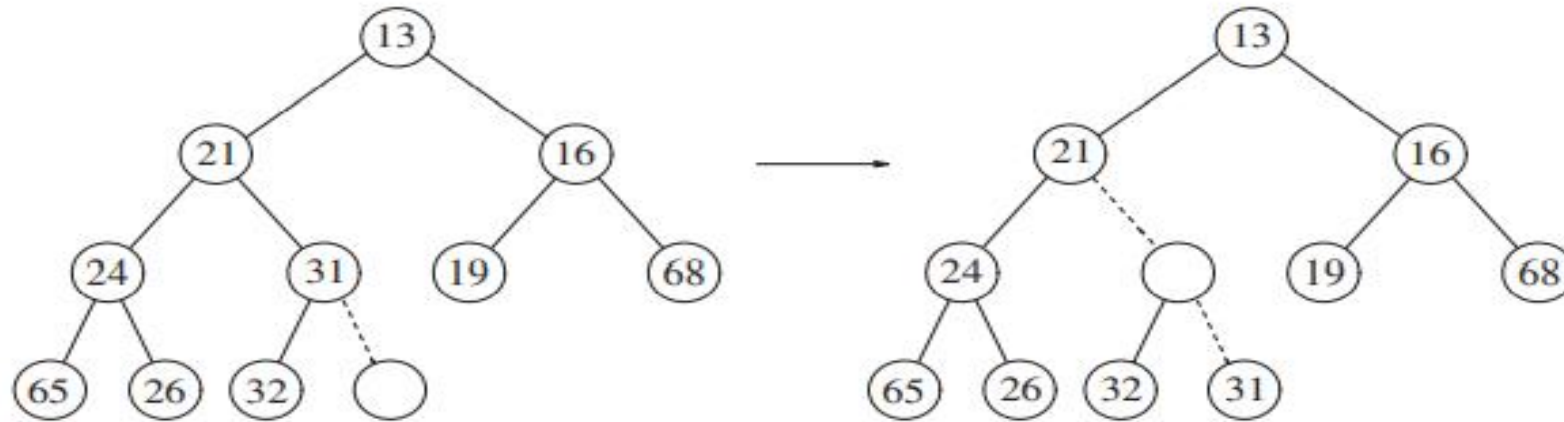


**Property:** The root of **min heap** contains the **smallest**.

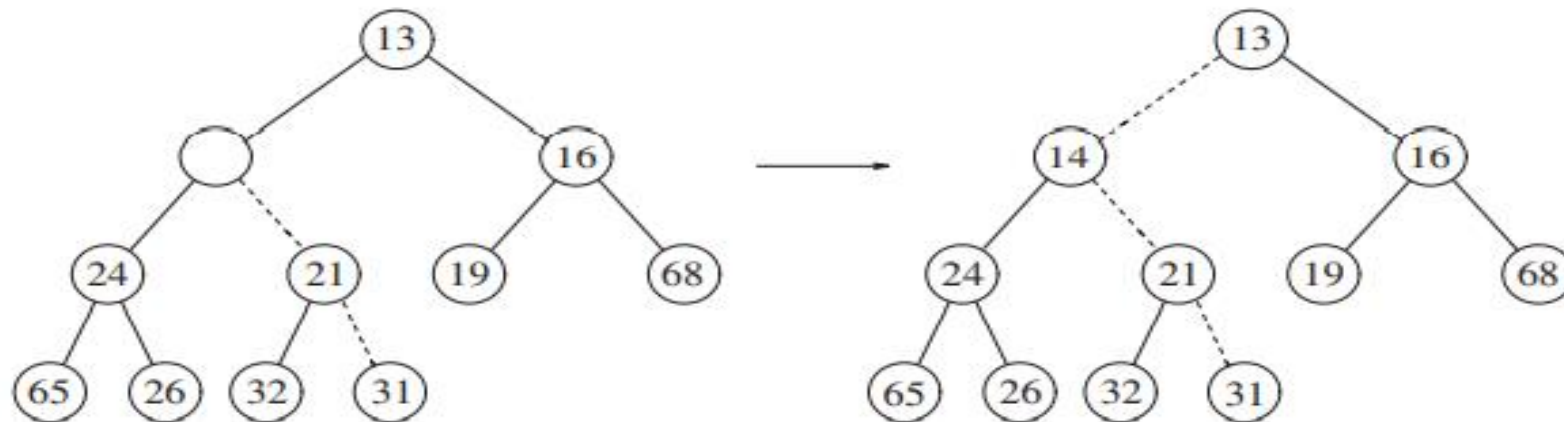
- ✓ Add **new item to the end**
- ✓ Now **fix the heap** (float the new item up to the correct location)
- ✓ **Move the element** to the **correct location** (**trickle up**)
- Start at the **bottom** (first open position) via code:  
    heapArray[n] = newNode;  
    n++;
- \***Inserting at bottom** will likely destroy the heap condition.

This will happen when the new node is not satisfying the Heap order property than its parent.

- \***Trickle upwards** until node is **satisfying the heap order property**



**Figure 6.6** Attempt to insert 14: creating the hole, and bubbling the hole up



**Figure 6.7** The remaining two steps to insert 14 in previous heap

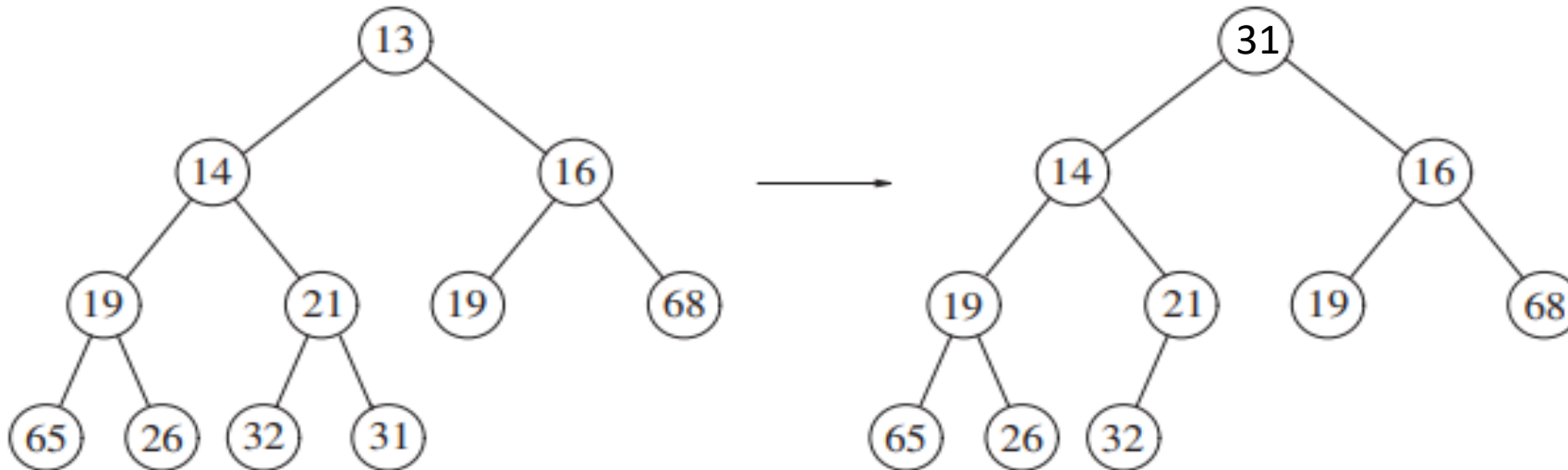


## Removal 'Min' Node

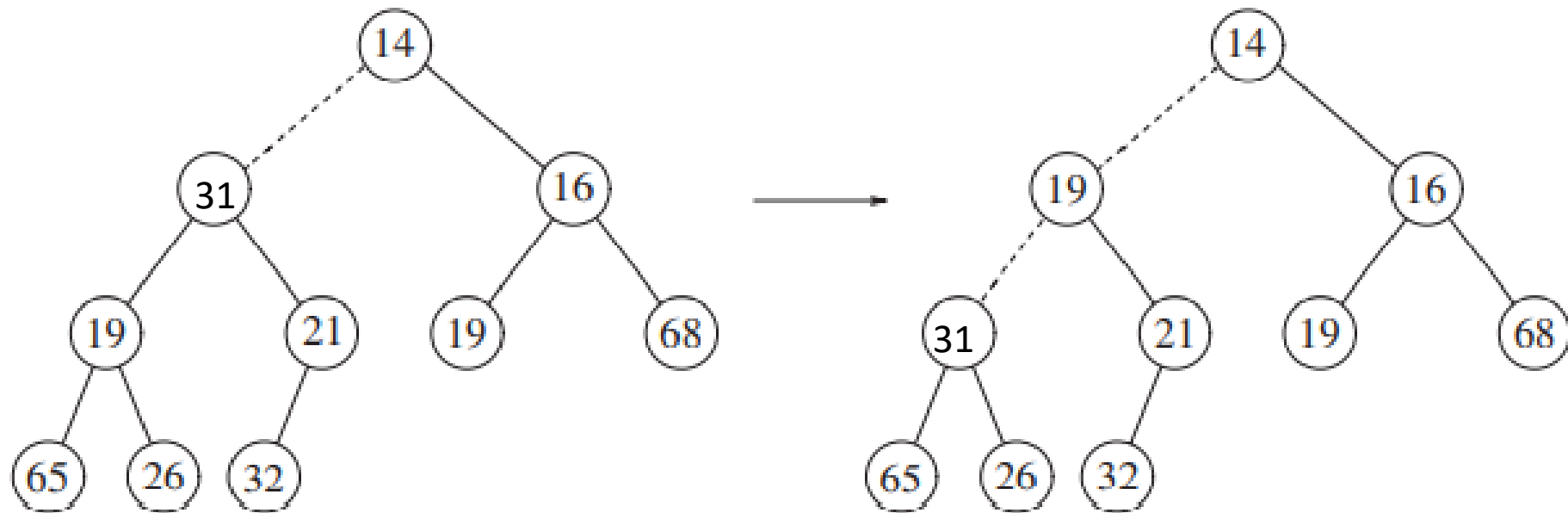
- **Remove the Root Key**
  - When we remove from a heap, we always remove the node with the root key.
  - Hence, removal is quite easy and has **index 0 of the heap array**.
  - $\text{maxNode} = \text{heapArray}[0]$
- **Move 'last node' to root.**
  - Start by **moving the 'last node' into the root**.
  - The 'last' node is the **recently inserted in the heap**.
  - This also corresponds to the **last filled cell** in the array (ahead).
- **Trickle-down or Percolate Down:**
  - Then **trickle this last node down** until **heap order property gets satisfied**.

## deleteMin()

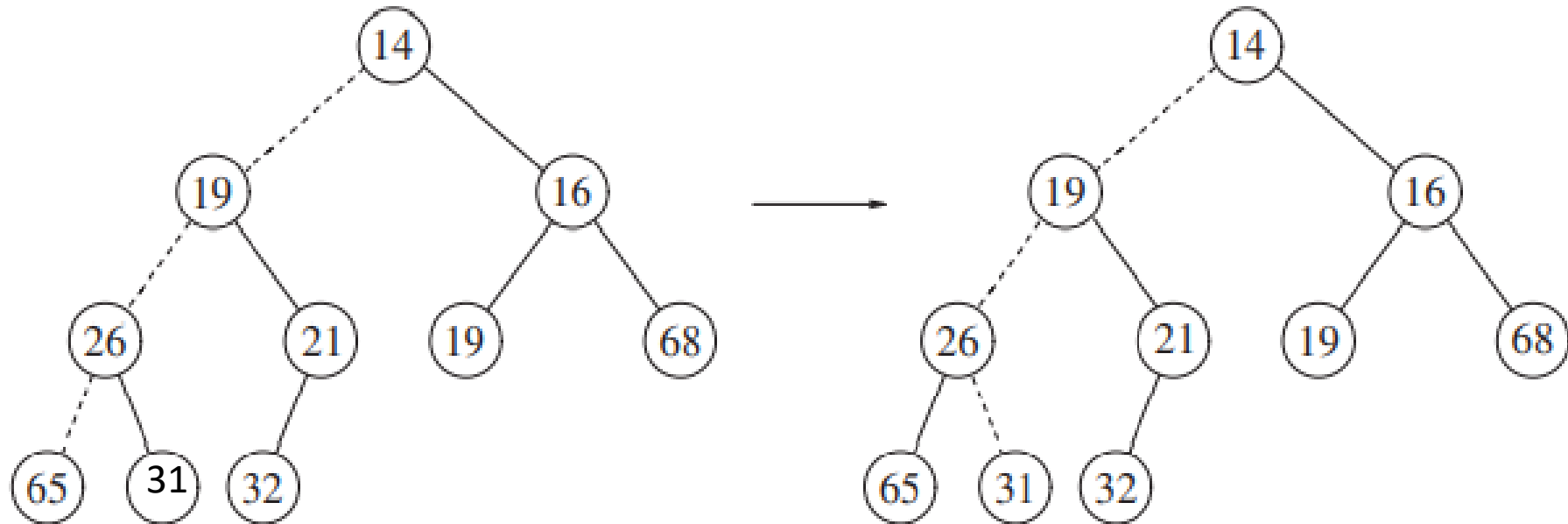
- ✓ The root element is **removed simply from the root**
- ✓ **Last element** will be **moved to the root**
- ✓ Verify heap order property. If it is violated **percolate down** the **element to correct position**



**Figure 6.9** Creation of the hole at the root



**Figure 6.10** Next two steps in deleteMin



**Figure 6.11** Last two steps in deleteMin

## Applications of Heaps

- Used to obtain **improved running times for several network optimization algorithms.**
- Can be used to assist in **dynamically-allocating memory partitions.**
- A **heapsort** is considered to be **one of the best sorting methods** being in-place with no quadratic worst-case scenarios.
- **Finding the min, max, both the min and max, median, or even the k-th largest element can be done in linear time** using heaps and etc.

It is the process of mapping a key value to a position in a table

- ✓ Hashing is a technique used for performing insertions, deletions and searching in constant average time (i.e.  $O(1)$ )
- ✓ Hash function is determining position of key in the array.
- ✓ Hashing is widely useful technique for implementing Dictionaries ADT.
- ✓ Hash table ADT is an alternative solution with  $O(1)$  expected query time and  $O(n + N)$  space, where  $N$  is the size of the table.

## Hashing Functions

There are many hash functions that use numeric or alphanumeric keys.

Different hash functions:

1. **Division Method** - The hash function **divides the value  $k$  by  $M$**  and then **uses the remainder obtained.**

$$h(K) = k \bmod M$$

Here,

$k$  is the key value, and

$M$  is the size of the hash table.

It is best suited that  **$M$  is a prime number** as that can make sure the **keys are more uniformly distributed.**

## 2. Mid Square Method

It involves two steps to compute the hash value-

1. Square the value of the **key k i.e.  $k^2$**
2. **Extract the middle r** digits as the hash value.

$$h(K) = h(k \times k)$$

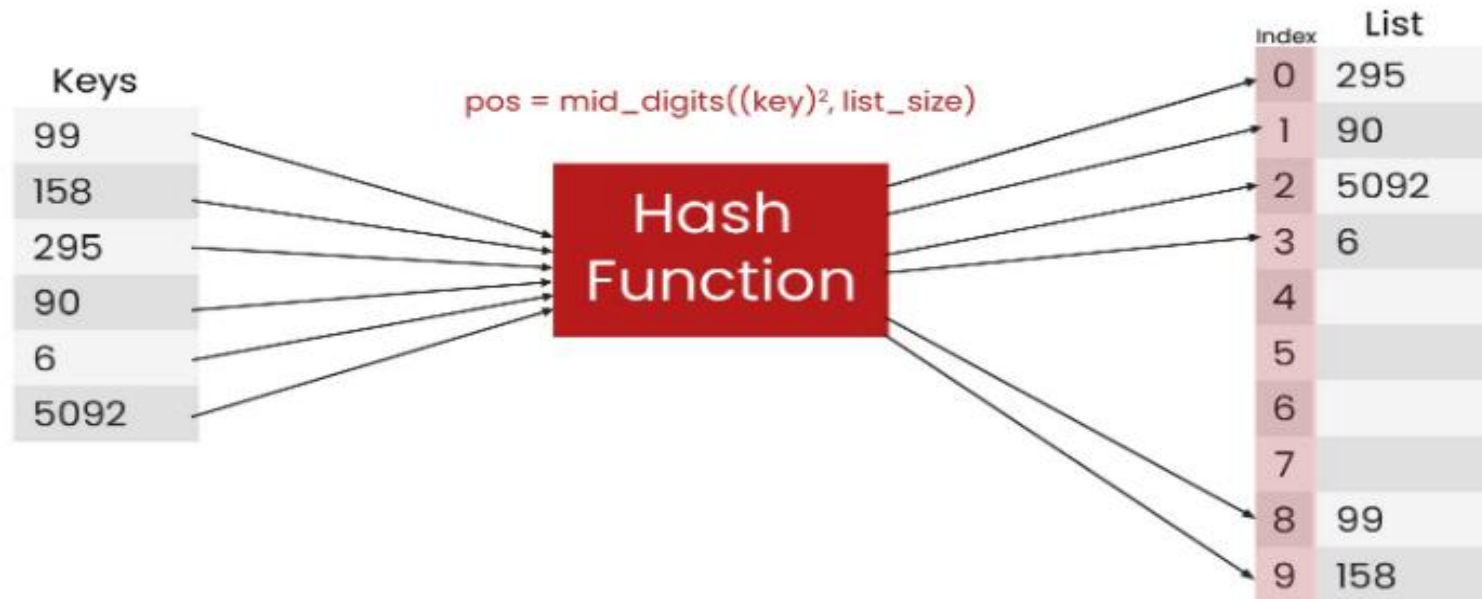
*Here,*

*k is the key value.*

The value of r can be decided based on the size of the table.



## Mid Square Method - Hashing



### 3. Folding Method.

This method involves two steps:

1. Divide the key-value  $k$  into a number of parts i.e.  $k_1, k_2, k_3, \dots, k_n$ , where **each part has the same number of digits except for the last part** that can have lesser digits than the other parts.

2. Add the individual parts. The hash value is obtained by ignoring the last carry if any.

$$k = k_1, k_2, k_3, k_4, \dots, k_n$$

$$s = k_1 + k_2 + k_3 + k_4 + \dots + k_n$$

$$h(K) = s$$

*Here,*

*$s$  is obtained by adding the parts of the key  $k$*

**Ex: Keys are 2103, 7148, 12345, Table size 100 (0 to 99)**

Hash table index : **00 to 99** (2-digit hash table)

So, divide the Key into **k numbers of two digits**

K	2103	7148	12345
$k_1 \ k_2 \ k_3$	21.03	71.48	12.34.5
$H(k)$ $= k_1 + k_2 + k_3$	$H(2103)$ $= 21 + 03 = 24$	$H(7148)$ $= 71 + 48 = 119$	$H(12345)$ $= 12 + 34 + 5 = 51$

$H(7148) = 71 + 48 = 119$ , here we will eliminate the leading carry (i.e., 1). So  $H(7148) = 71 + 48 = 19$

**Key 2103 is placed -> cell 24, 7148 -> cell 19, 12345 -> 51**

## 4. Multiplication Method

Steps to follow -

- Pick up a constant value  $A$  (where  $0 < A < 1$ )
- Multiply  $A$  with the key value
- Take the fractional part of  $kA$
- Take the result of the previous step and **multiply it by the size of the hash table,  $M$ .**

Formula -  $h(K) = \text{floor}(M (kA \bmod 1))$

(Where,  $M$  = size of the hash table,  $k$  = key value and  $A$  = constant value)

**Ex:**

Suppose  $k=6$ ,  $A=0.3$ ,  $m=32$

$$(1) \quad k \times A = 1.8$$

$$(2) \quad \text{fractional part: } 1.8 - \lfloor 1.8 \rfloor = 0.8$$

$$(3) \quad m \times 0.8 = 32 \times 0.8 = 25.6$$

$$(4) \quad \lfloor 25.6 \rfloor = 25 \quad \quad \quad h(6)=25$$

- Problem: **COLLISION**
  - two keys may hash **to the same slot**
  - can we ensure that any two distinct keys get different cells?
    - No, if  $|U| > m$ , where  $m$  is the size of the hash table
- Design a **good hash function**
  - that is **fast to compute** and
  - can **minimize the number of collisions**
- Design a **method to resolve the collisions** when they occur

**Collision:** Collision is the condition resulting when two or more keys produce the same hash location

✓ To avoid collision use **Collision Resolution Techniques**

There are two broad ways of collision resolution:

1. **Separate Chaining:** An array of linked list implementation.
2. **Open Addressing:** Array-based implementation.
  - (i) Linear probing (linear search)
  - (ii) Quadratic probing (nonlinear search)
  - (iii) Double hashing (uses two hash functions)

✓ **Ex:** 23 ,24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 ,60

Take  $n \% 10$  is a Hash Function

**BUCKET: 0** -->30 -->60 **Collision**

**BUCKET: 1** -->31

**BUCKET: 2** -->32

**BUCKET: 3** -->23 --> 33**Collision**

**BUCKET: 4** -->24

**BUCKET: 5** -->25

**BUCKET: 6** -->26

**BUCKET: 7** -->27

**BUCKET: 8** -->28

**BUCKET: 9** -->29

✓ To avoid Collision use Collision resolution Techniques



- ✓ To deal collision, set up an **array of links (a table)**, indexed by the **keys to lists of items with the same key**
- ✓ All keys that map to the same hash value are **kept in a list**
- ✓ The **hash table is implemented as an array of linked lists**, inserting an item that hashes at index **is simply insertion into the linked list at position in the table.**
- ✓ Store all elements that hash to the same slot in a linked list, **store a pointer to the head of the linked list** in the hash table slot.

- **To insert a key K**
  - **Compute  $h(K)$  to determine which list to traverse**
  - **If  $T[h(K)]$  contains a null pointer**, initialize this entry to point to a linked list that **contains K alone.**
  - **If  $T[h(K)]$  is a non-empty list**, we add **K at the beginning of this list or end of the list.**
- **To delete a key K**
  - compute  $h(K)$ , then search for K within the list at  $T[h(K)]$ .  
Delete K if it is found.

**Example:** Load the keys **23, 13, 21, 14, 7, 8, and 15** , in this order, in a hash table of size **7** using separate chaining with the hash function:  **$h(\text{key}) = \text{key} \% 7$**

$$h(23) = 23 \% 7 = 2$$

$$h(13) = 13 \% 7 = 6$$

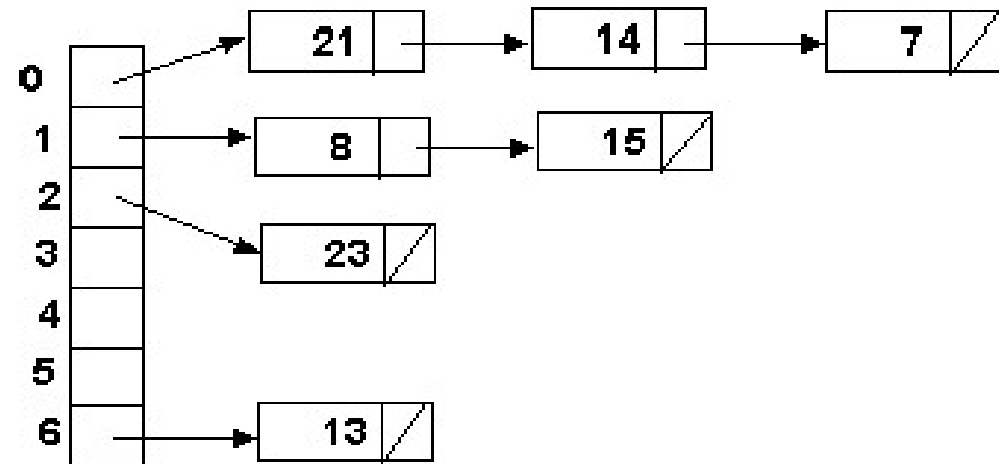
$$h(21) = 21 \% 7 = 0$$

$$h(14) = 14 \% 7 = 0 \quad \text{collision}$$

$$h(7) = 7 \% 7 = 0 \quad \text{collision}$$

$$h(8) = 8 \% 7 = 1$$

$$h(15) = 15 \% 7 = 1 \quad \text{collision}$$



- Assume that we will be storing  $n$  keys. Then we should make  $m$  the next larger prime number. If the hash function works well, the number of keys in each linked list will be a **small constant**.
- Therefore, we expect that each search, insertion, and deletion can be done in **constant time**.
- **Disadvantage:**  
Memory allocation in linked list manipulation will slow down the program.
- **Advantage:** deletion is easy.

### ✓ Open Addressing:

- (i) Linear probing (linear search)
- (ii) Quadratic probing (nonlinear search)
- (iii) Double hashing (uses two hash functions)

- ✓ Linear probing is a strategy for resolving collisions, by placing the new key into the closest following empty cell.
- $f(i) = i$ 
  - cells are probed **sequentially** (with wraparound)
  - $h_i(K) = (\text{hash}(K) + i) \bmod m$
- Insertion:
  - Let  $K$  be the new key to be inserted. We compute  $\text{hash}(K)$
  - For  $i = 1$  to  $m-1$ 
    - compute  $L = (\text{hash}(K) + i) \bmod m$
    - $T[L]$  is empty, then we put  $K$  there and stop.
  - If we cannot find an empty entry to put  $K$ , **it means that the table is full and we should report an error.**

✓ **Ex:** Insert items with keys: 89, 18, 49, 58, 9 into an empty hash table. Table size is 10. Hash function is  $\text{hash}(x) = x \bmod 10$ .

**Hash Function:**  $89 \% 10 = 9$   
 $18 \% 10 = 8$   
 $49 \% 10 = 9$   
 $58 \% 10 = 8$   
 $9 \% 10 = 9$

$\text{hash}(89, 10) = 9$   
 $\text{hash}(18, 10) = 8$   
 $\text{hash}(49, 10) = 9$   
 $\text{hash}(58, 10) = 8$   
 $\text{hash}(9, 10) = 9$

**Bucket 0**      **49**  
**Bucket 1**      **58**  
**Bucket 2**      **9**  
**Bucket 3**  
**Bucket 4**  
**Bucket 5**  
**Bucket 6**  
**Bucket 7**  
**Bucket 8**      **18**  
**Bucket 9**      **89**

	After insert 89	After insert 18	After insert 49	After insert 58	After insert 9
0			49	49	49
1				58	58
2					9
3					
4					
5					
6					
7					
8		18	18	18	18
9	89	89	89	89	89

**Fig: Linear probing hash table after each insertion**

Active

- ✓ Quadratic Probing eliminates primary clustering problem of linear probing.
- ✓ Collision function is quadratic.

The popular choice is  $f(i) = i^2$ .

- ✓ If the hash function evaluates to  $h$  and a search in cell  $h$  is inconclusive, we try cells  $h + 1^2, h + 2^2, \dots h + i^2$ .
- ✓ Remember that subsequent probe points are a **quadratic number of positions** from the original probe point.
- ✓ In case of a collision if the hash table is not full, attempt to store key in array elements  $(h+1^2)\%N, (h+2^2)\%N, (h+3^2)\%N \dots$  until you find an empty slot.



hash ( 89, 10 ) = 9  
 hash ( 18, 10 ) = 8  
 hash ( 49, 10 ) = 9  
 hash ( 58, 10 ) = 8  
 hash ( 9, 10 ) = 9

	After insert 89	After insert 18	After insert 49	After insert 58	After insert 9
0			49	49	49
1					
2				58	58
3					9
4					
5					
6					
7					
8		18	18	18	18
9	89	89	89	89	89

**Fig: A quadratic probing hash table after each insertion**

Active

- The idea of double hashing: **Make the offset to the next position** probed depend on the key value, so **it can be different for different keys**
  - **Need to introduce a second hash function  $H_2(K)$** , which is used as the offset in the probe sequence

$$h_1(x) = x \bmod m$$

$$h_2(x) = x \bmod m'$$

Suppose we have a list of size 10 ( $m = 10$ ). We want to put some elements in linear probing fashion. The elements are {96, 48, 26, 68}

$$h_1(x) = x \bmod 10$$

$$h_2(x) = x \bmod 7$$

$$h(x, i) = (h_1(x) + i h_2(x)) \bmod 10$$

$$96 \% 10 \Rightarrow 6$$

$$48 \% 10 \Rightarrow 8$$

$$26 \% 10 \Rightarrow 6, \text{ collision}$$

$$H(26, 1) = (h_1(26) + i * h_2(26)) \% 10$$

$$= (6 + 5) \% 10 = 1 \text{ it is free.}$$

26 will be moved to slot 1

Cell	Value	remarks
0		
1	26	Placed using Double Hashing
2		
3		
4		
5		
6	96	26 need this, collision
7		
8	48	
9		

- ✓ Relational DB Query processing
- ✓ File Organization, Telephone Dictionaries.
- ✓ Symbol table of a compiler.
- ✓ Memory-management tables in operating systems.
- ✓ Large-scale distributed systems.
- ✓ Online spelling checkers.
- ✓ Indexes
- ✓ Search engine databases
- ✓ Game programs - (transposition table)