

Binary Search Trees

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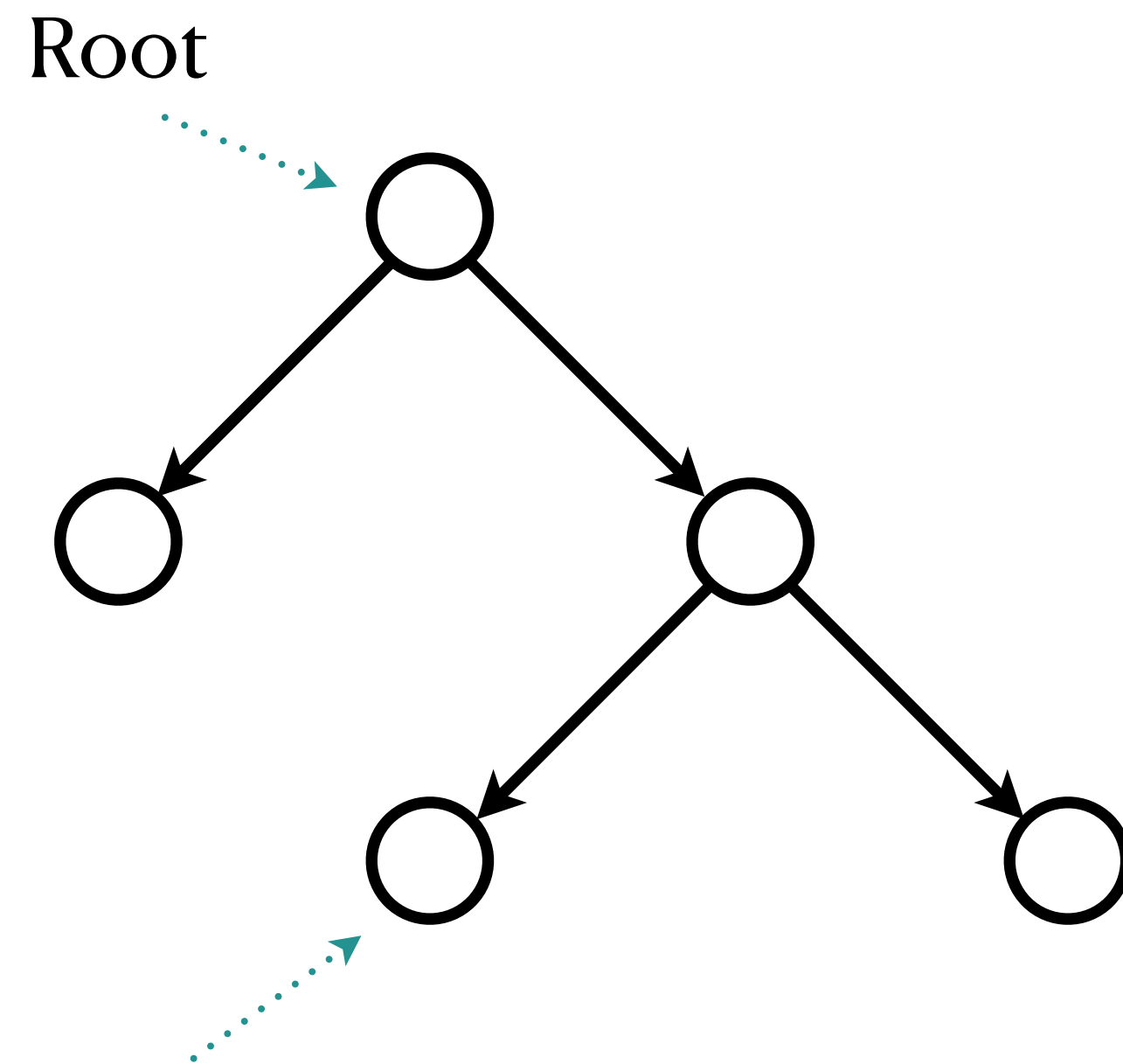
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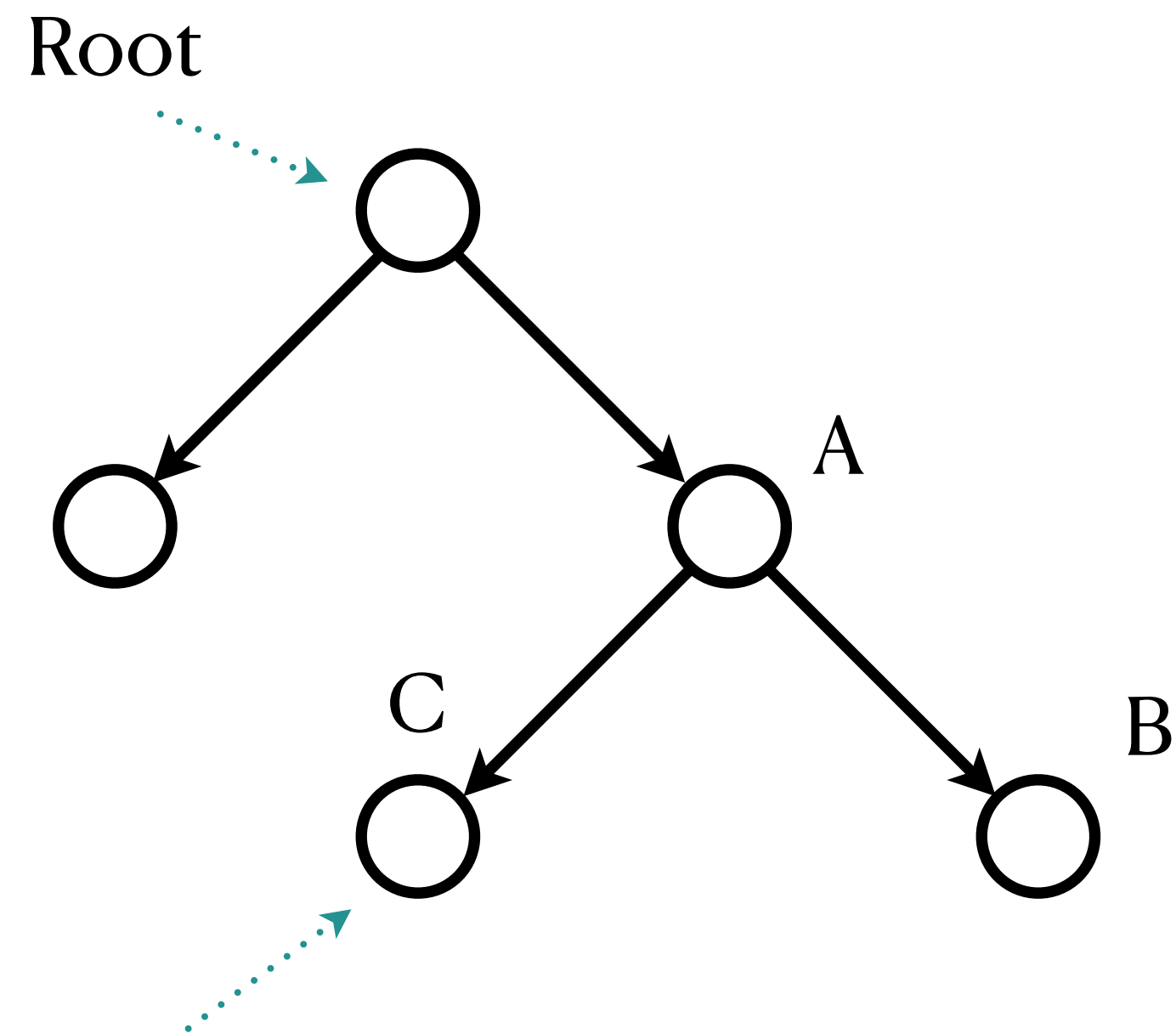


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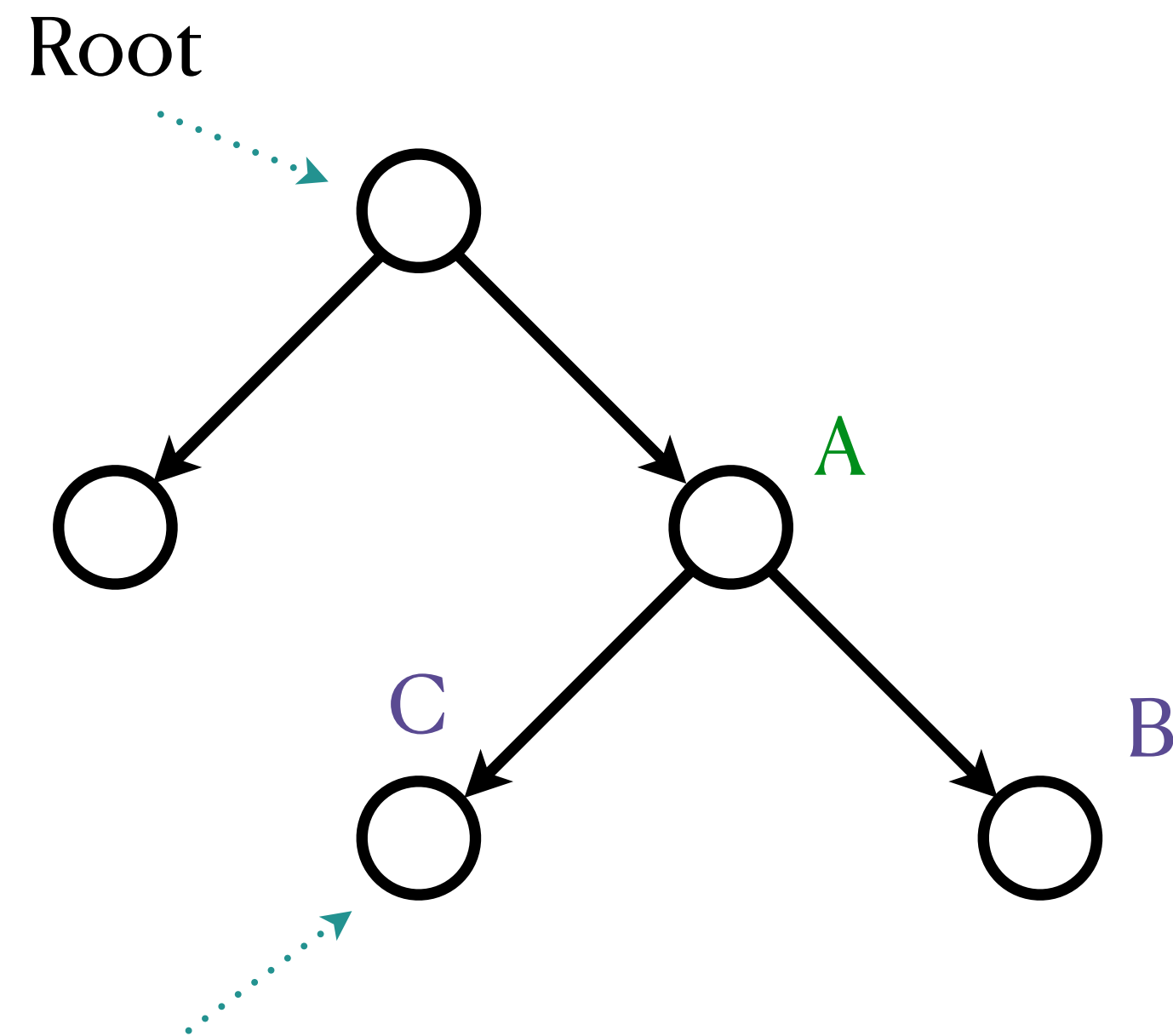


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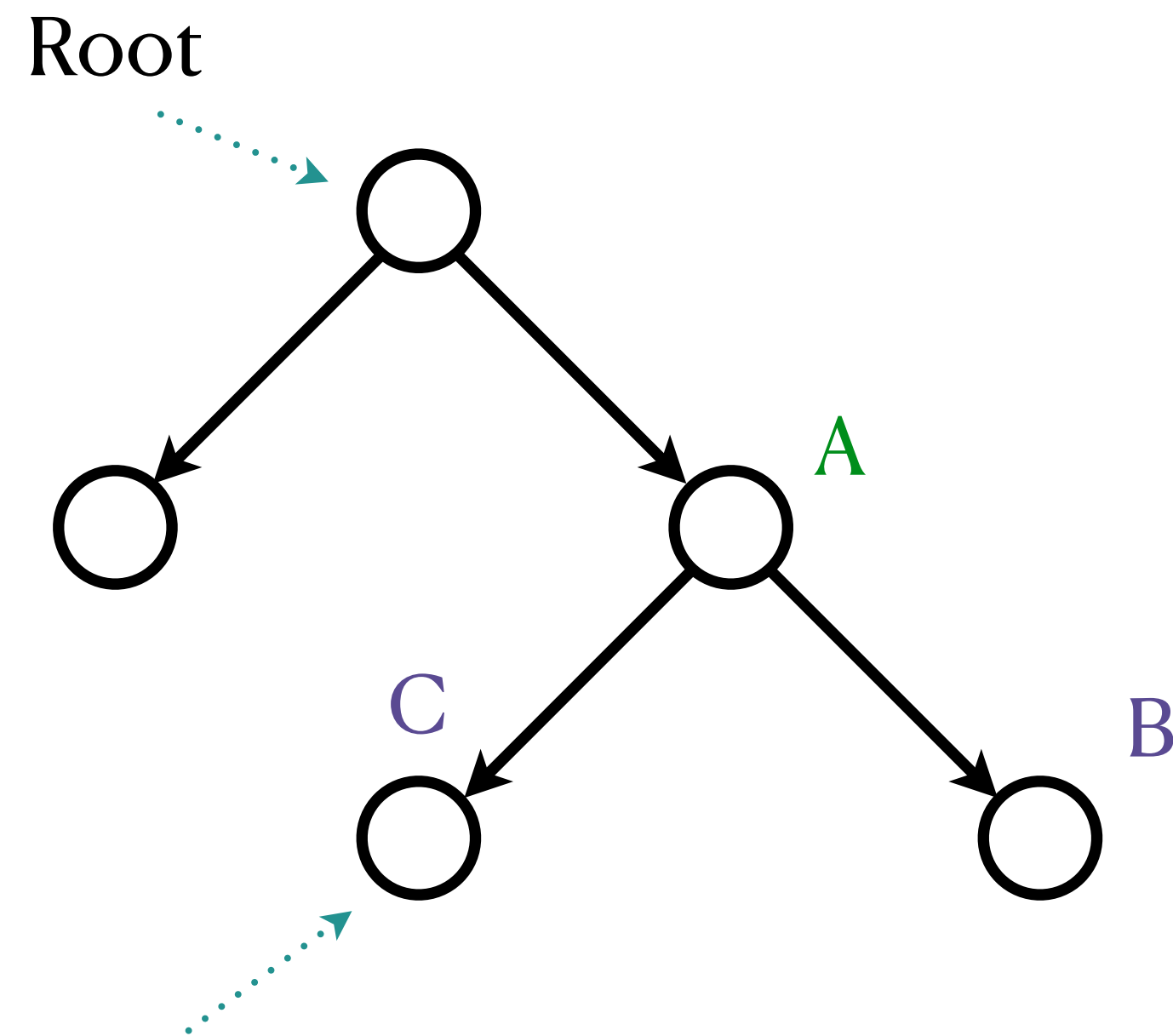
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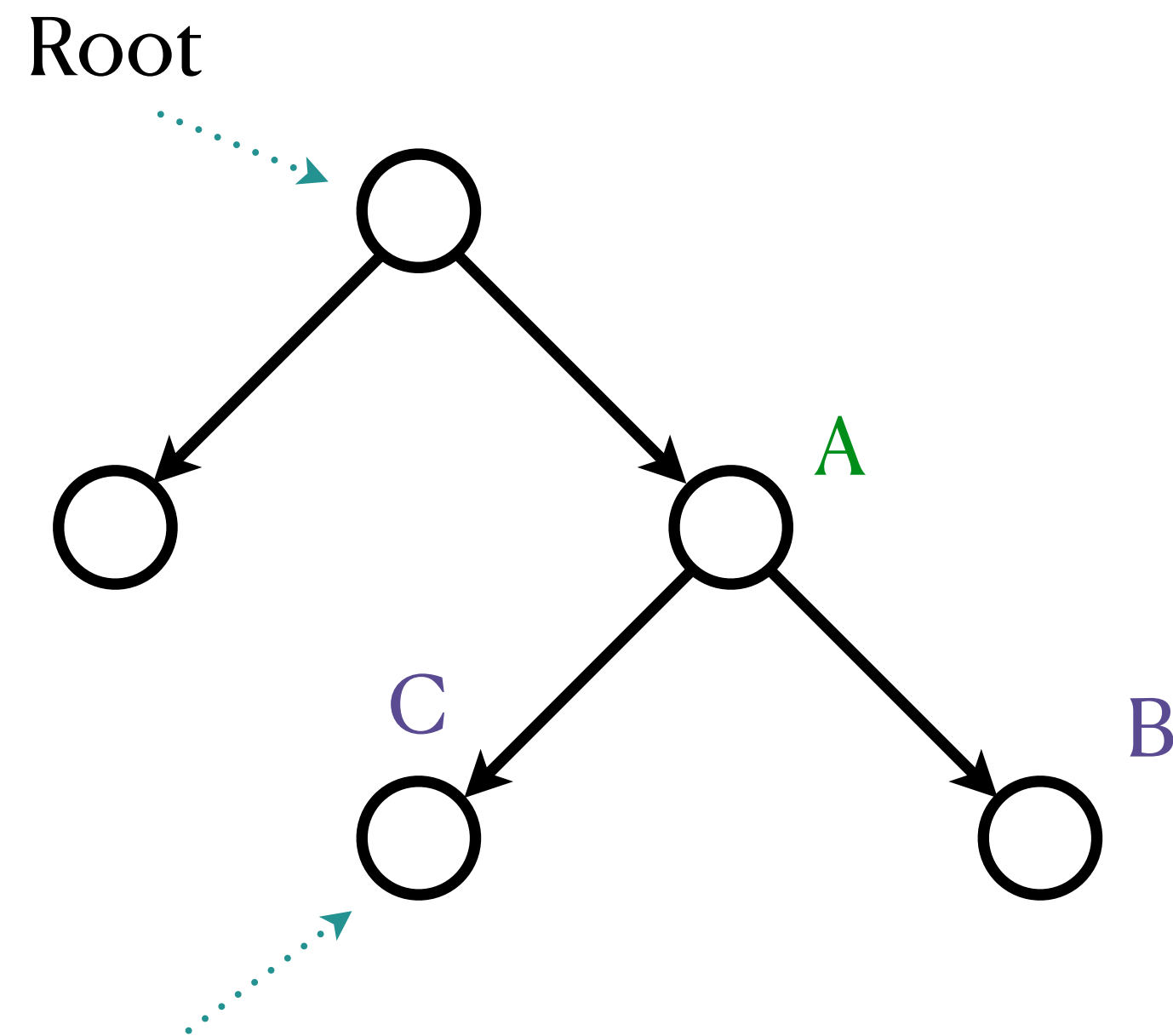
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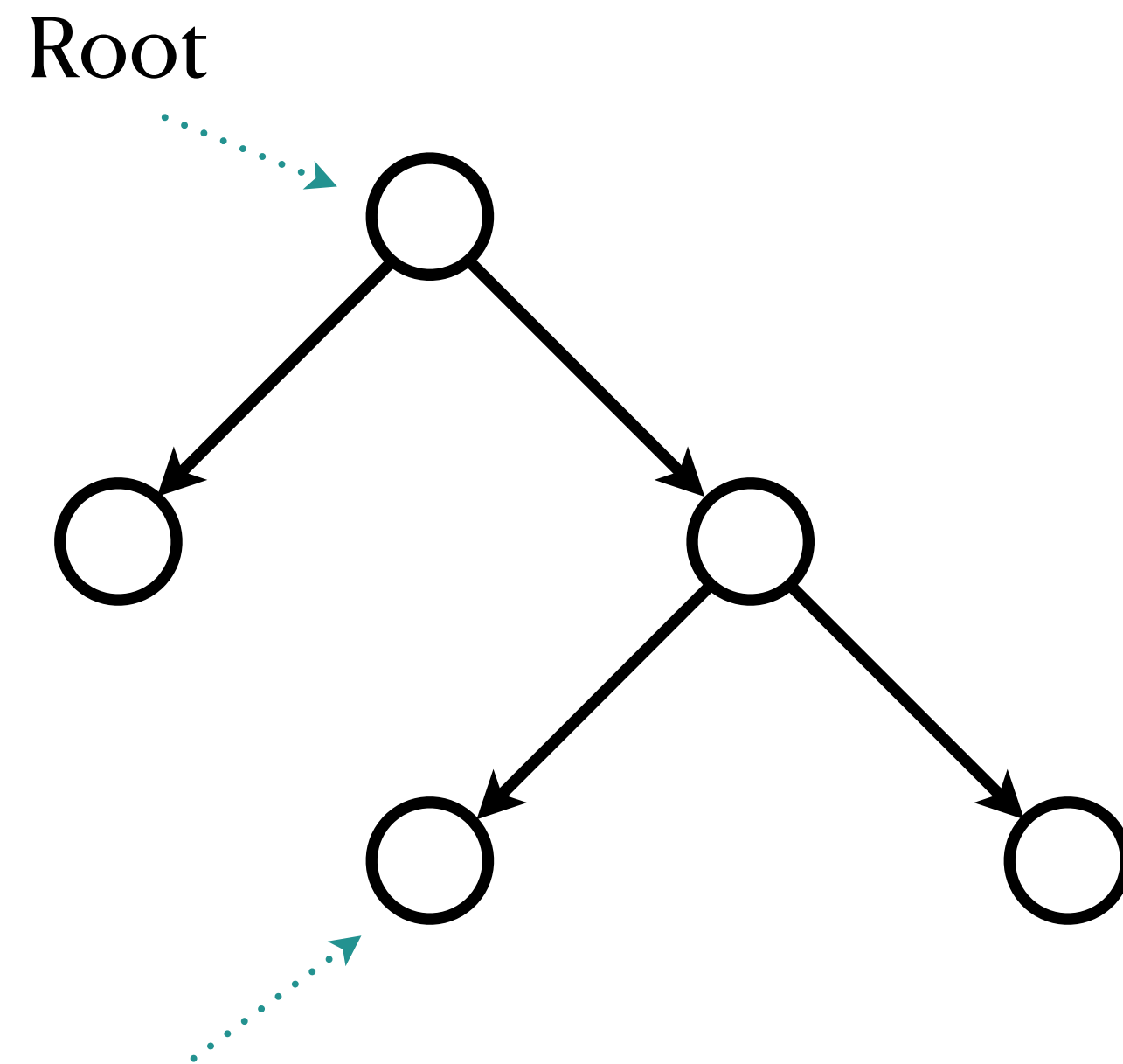
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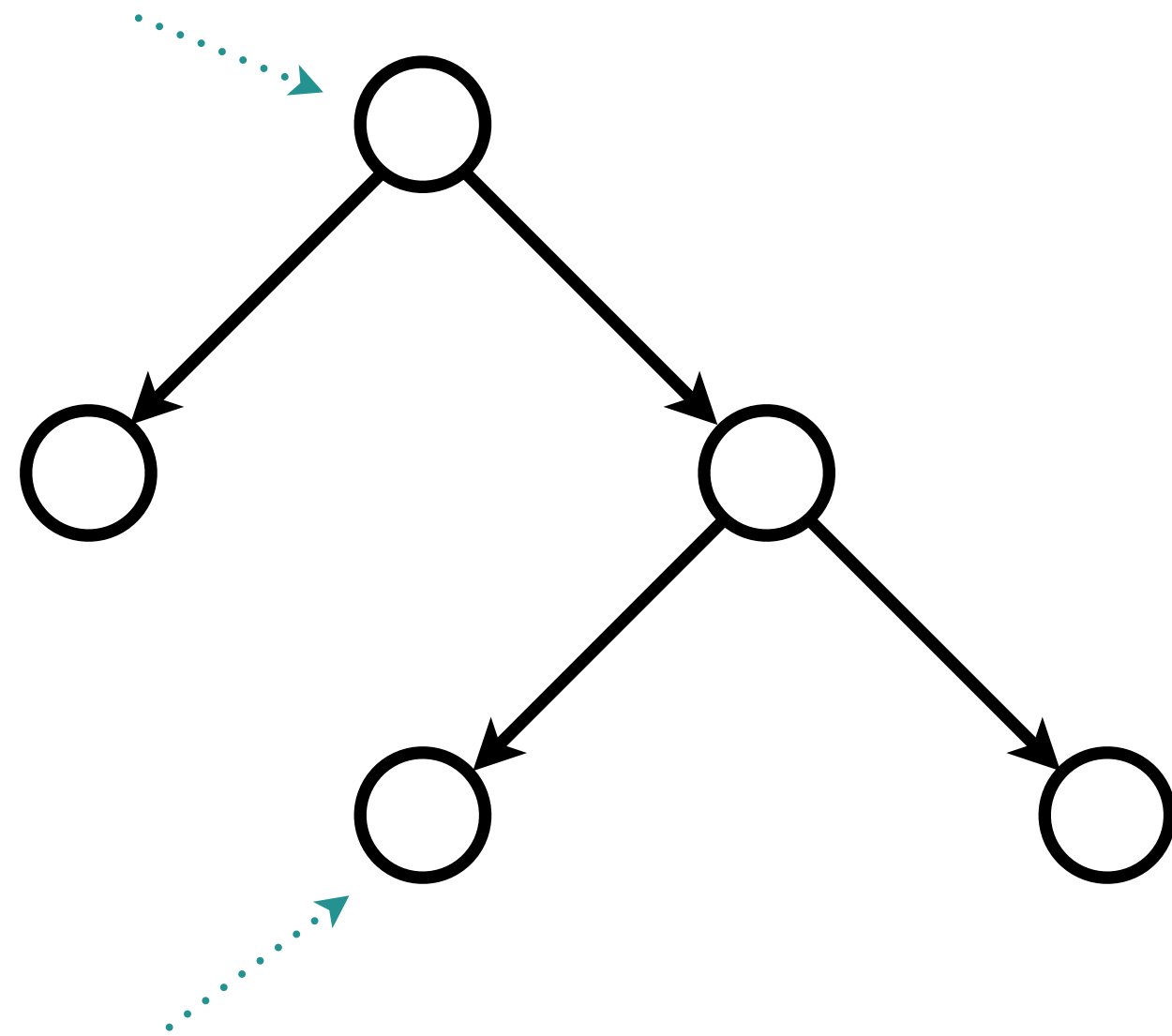
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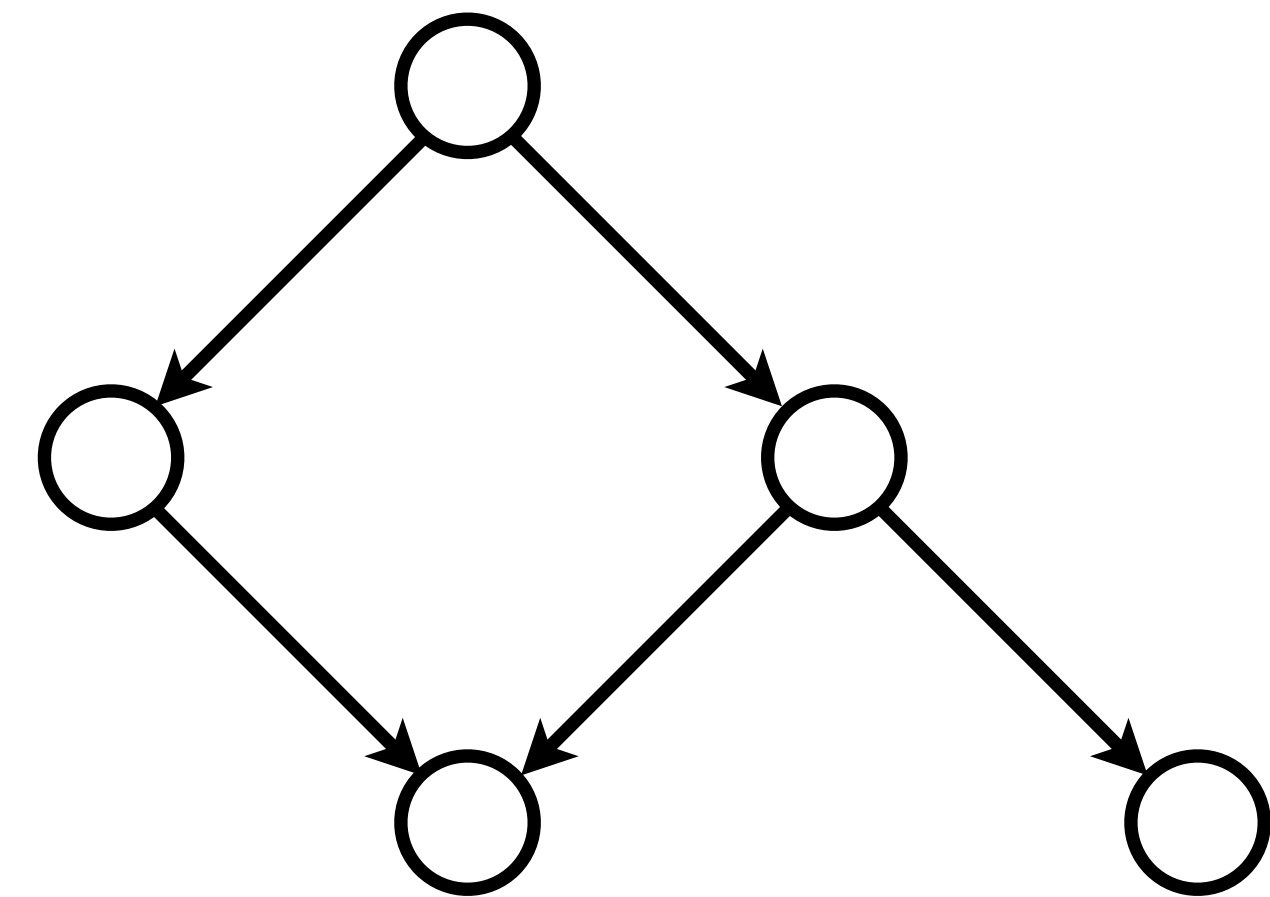
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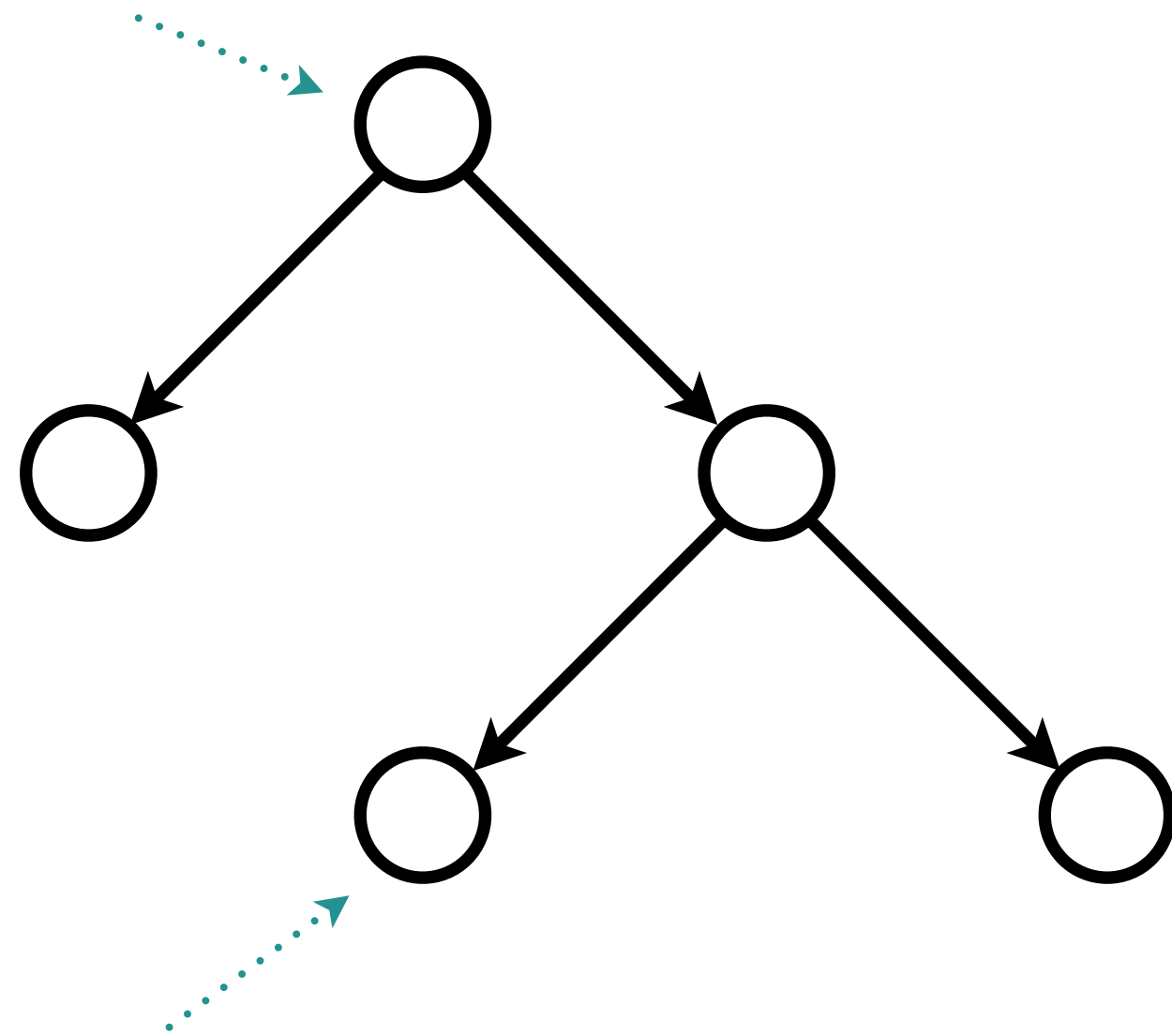


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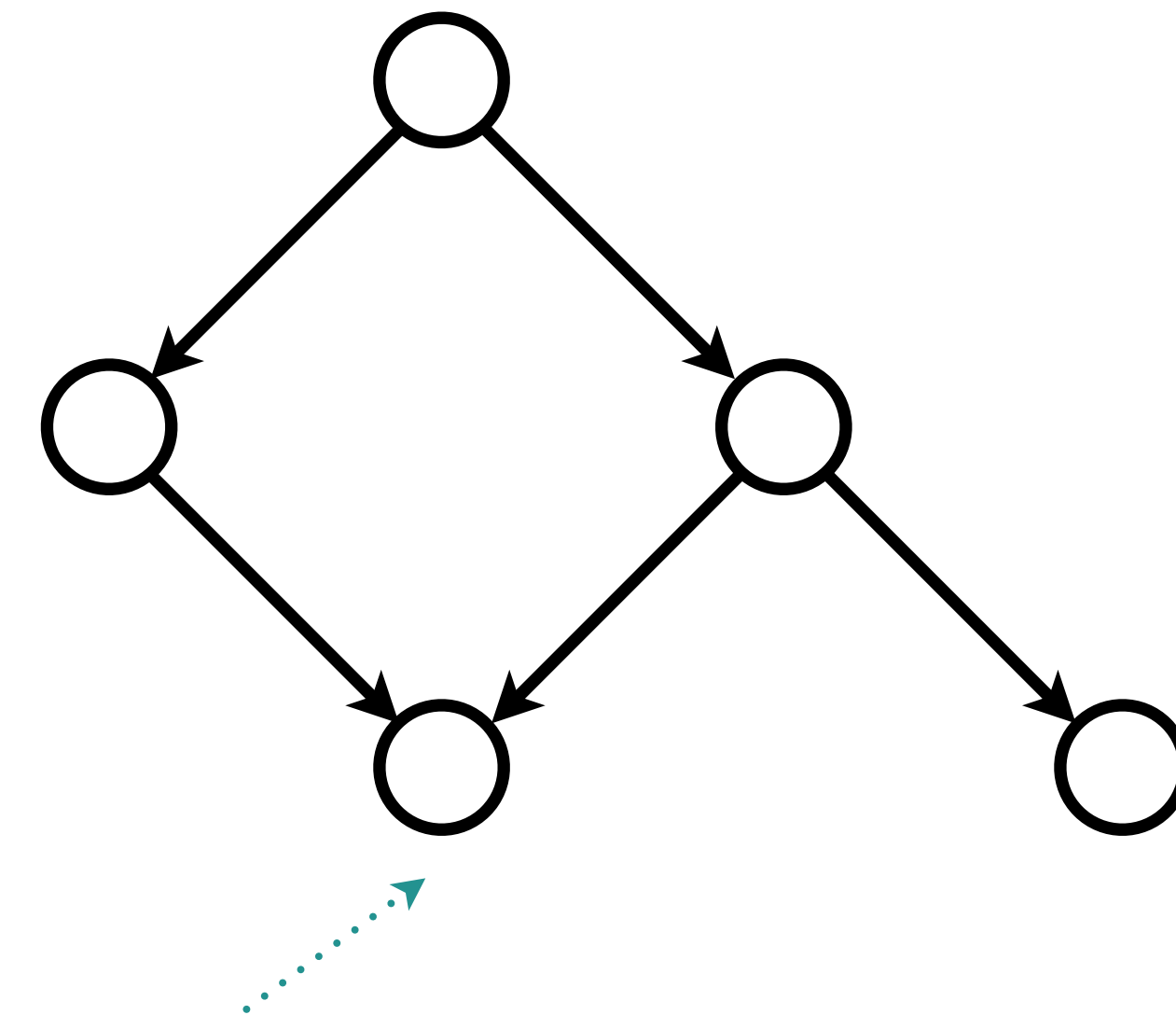
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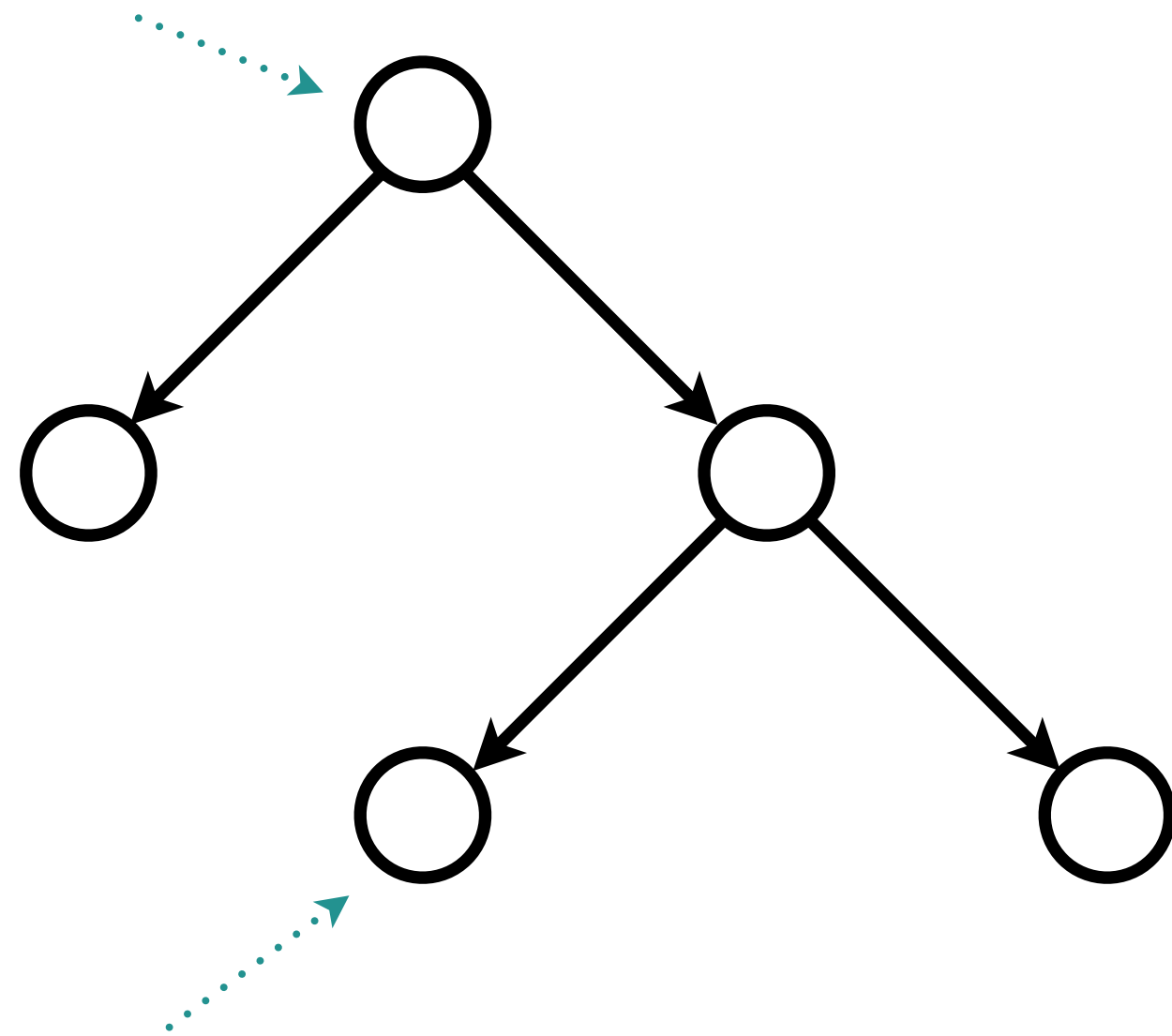
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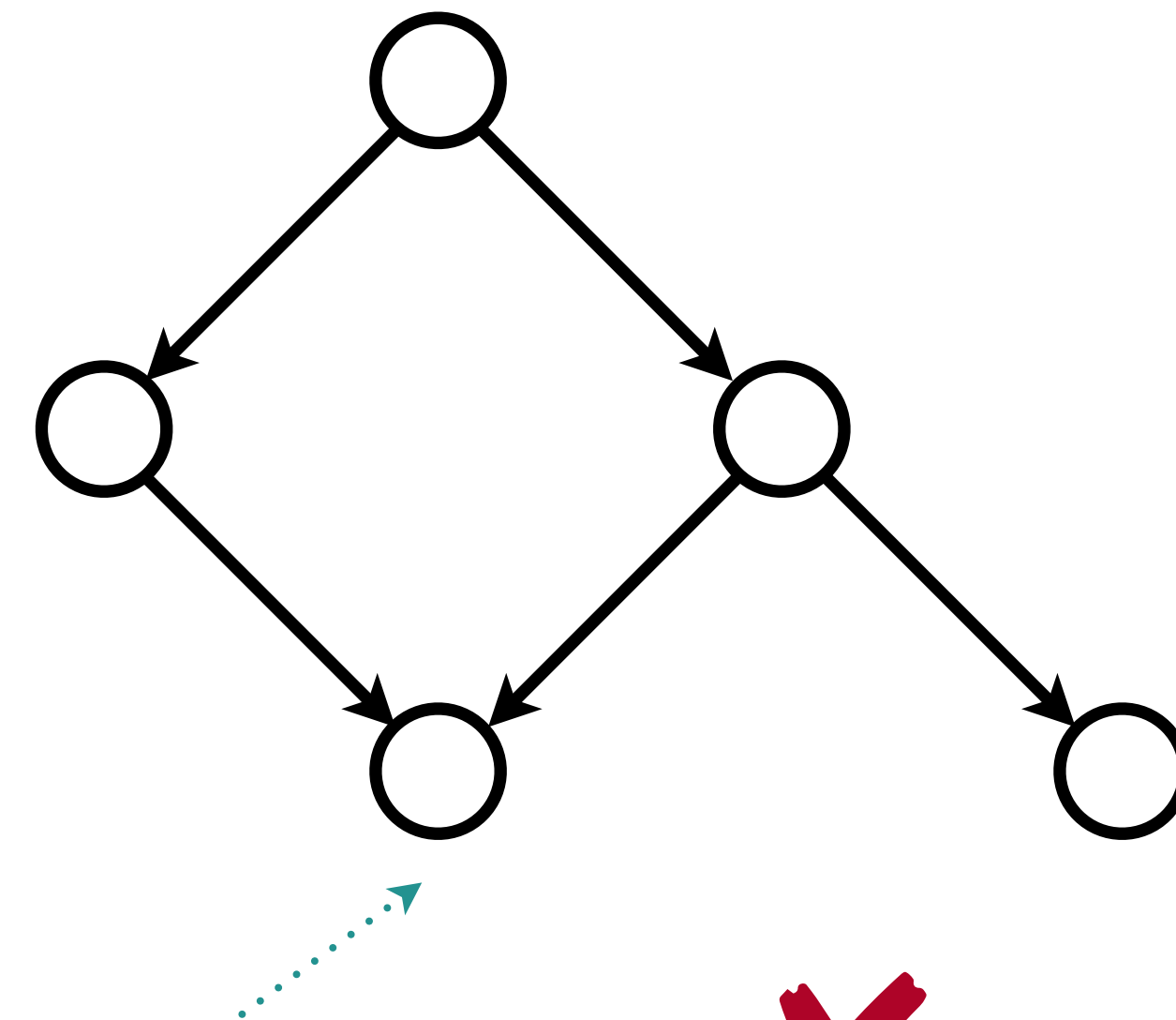
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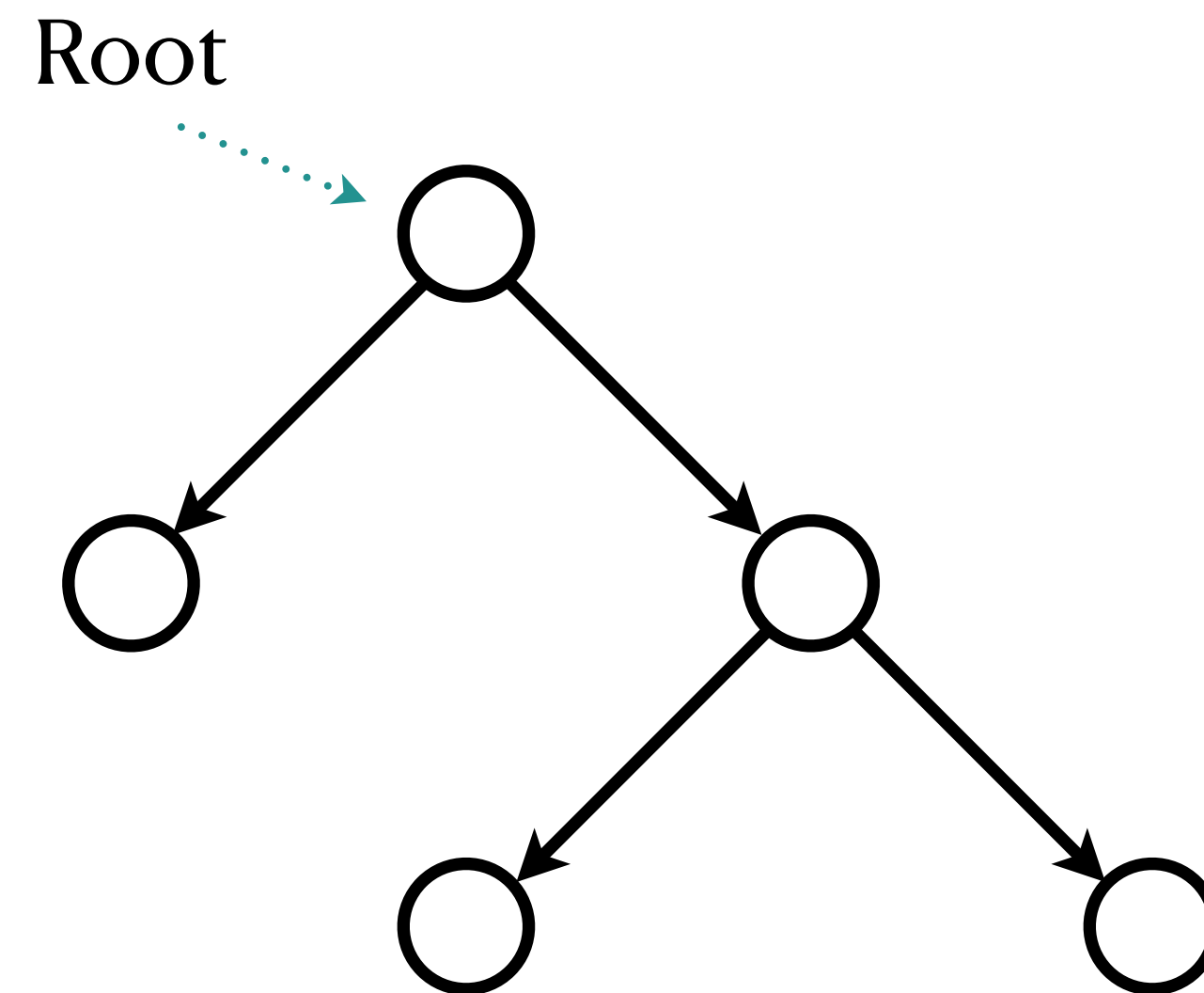
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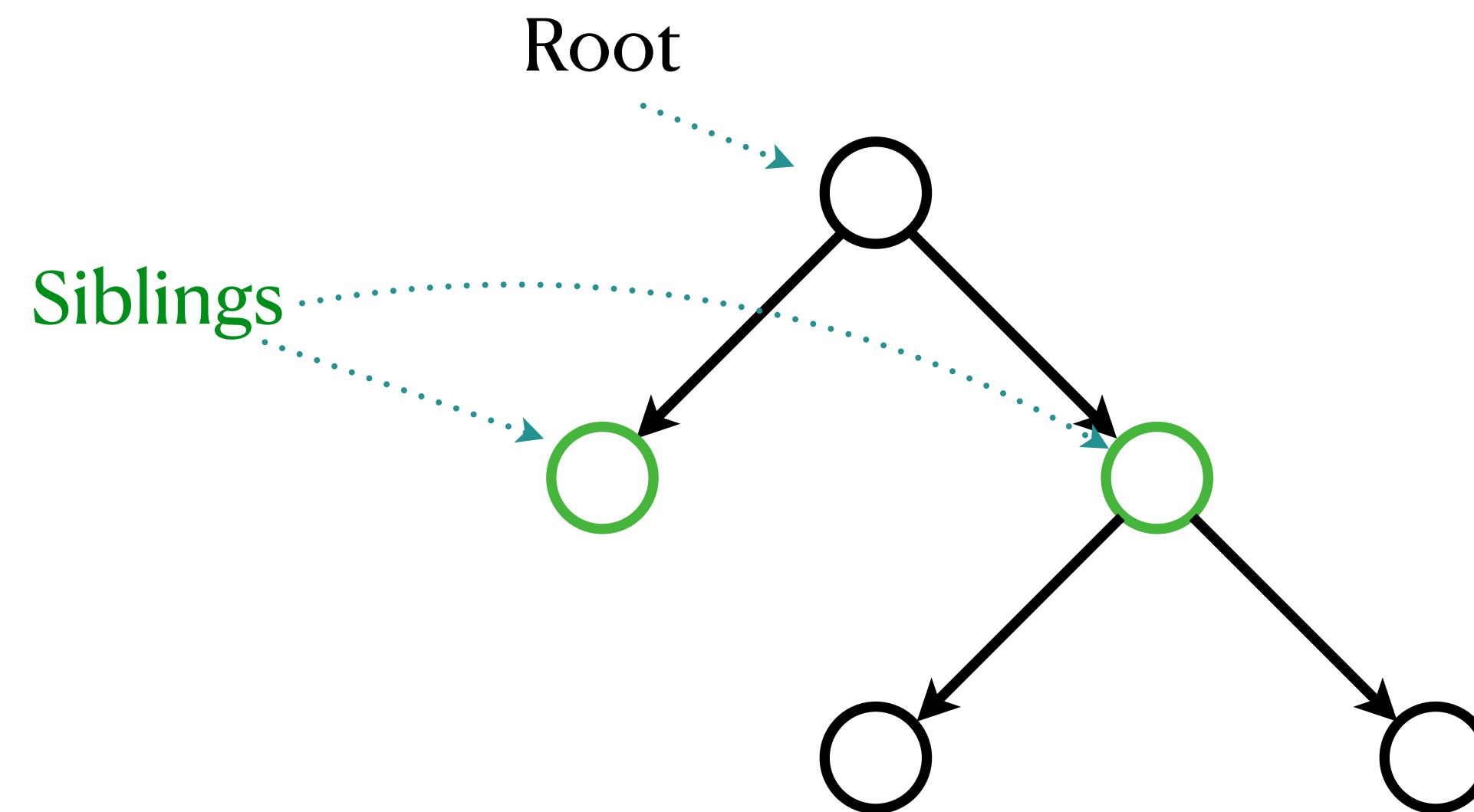
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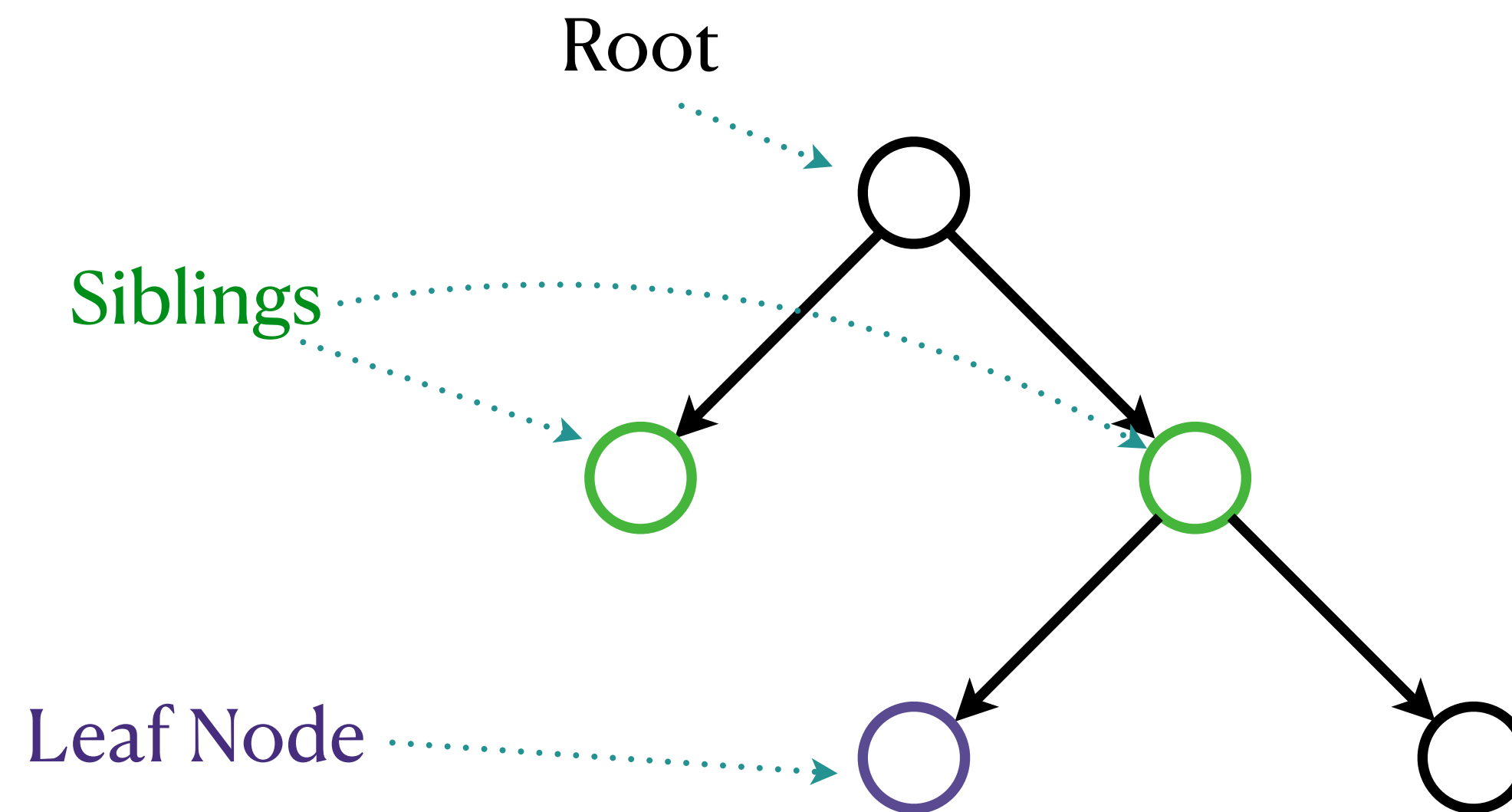
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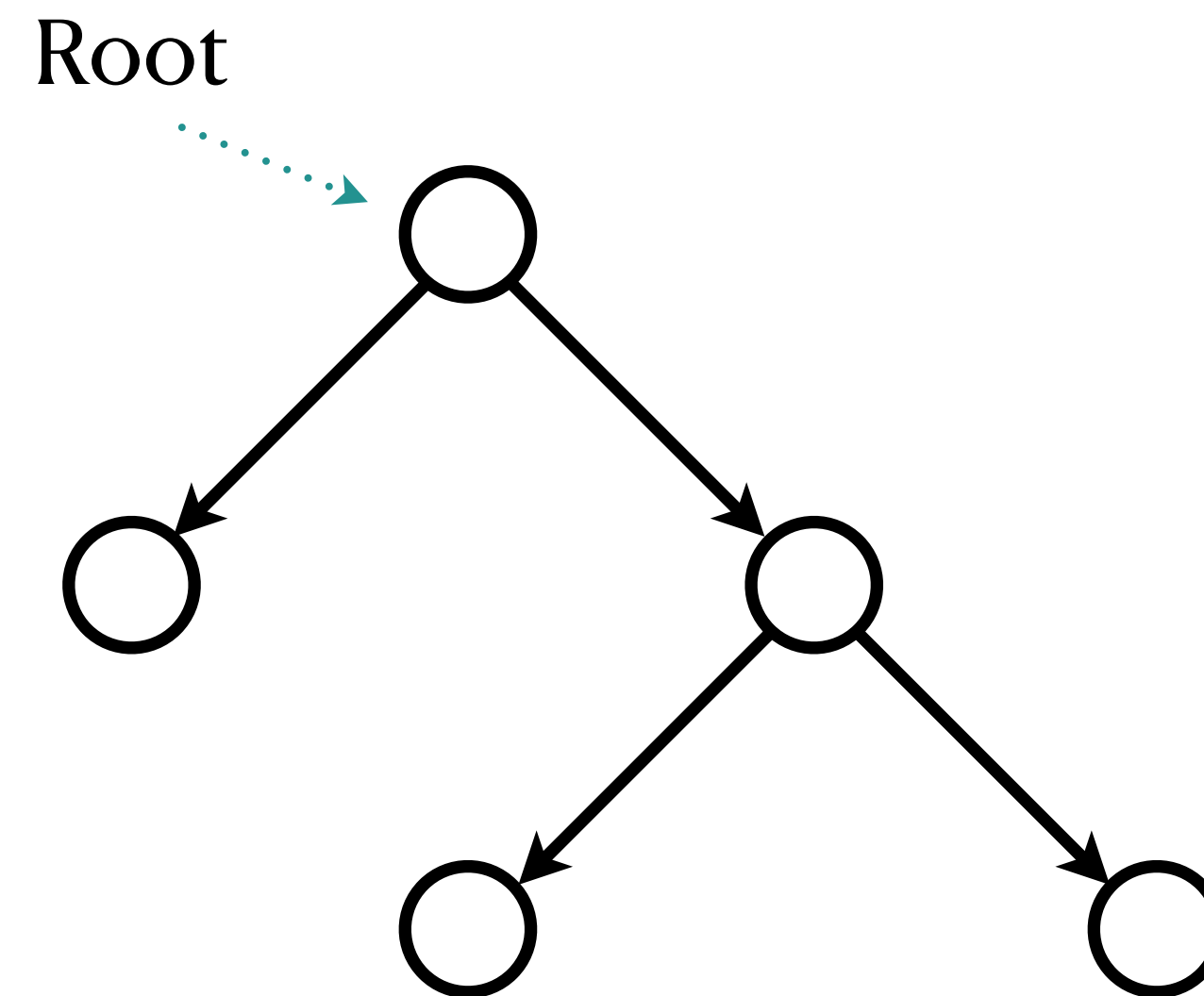
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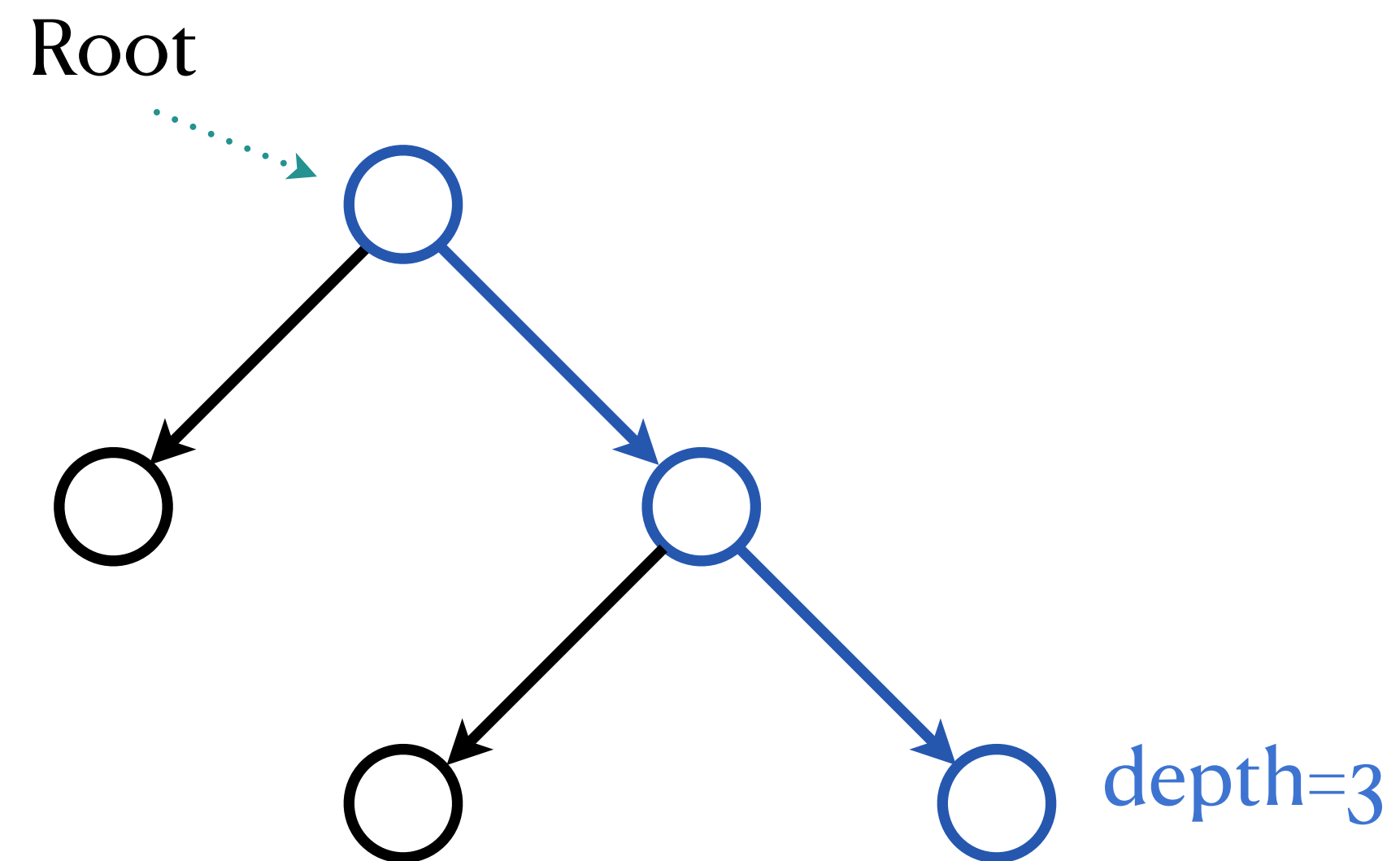
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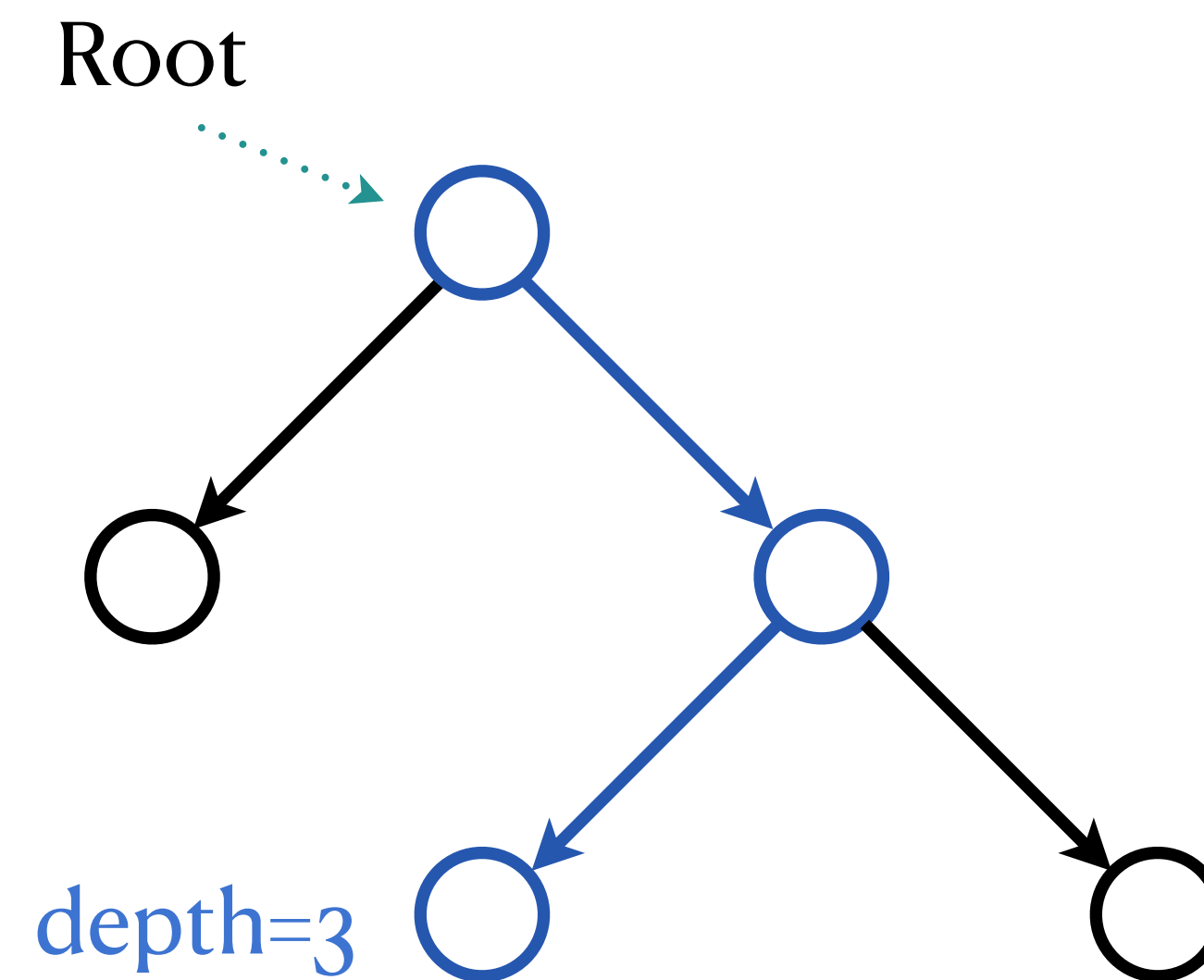
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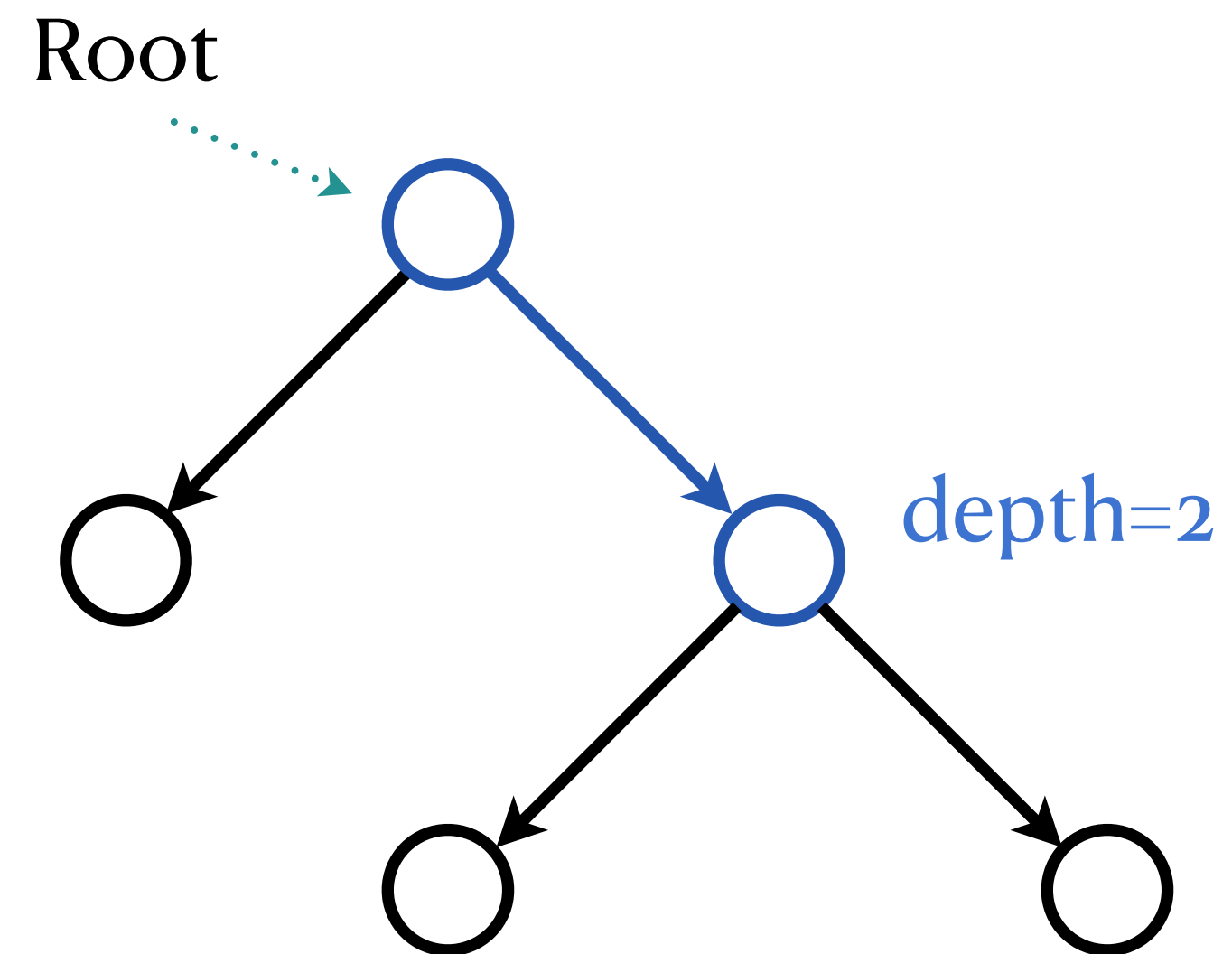
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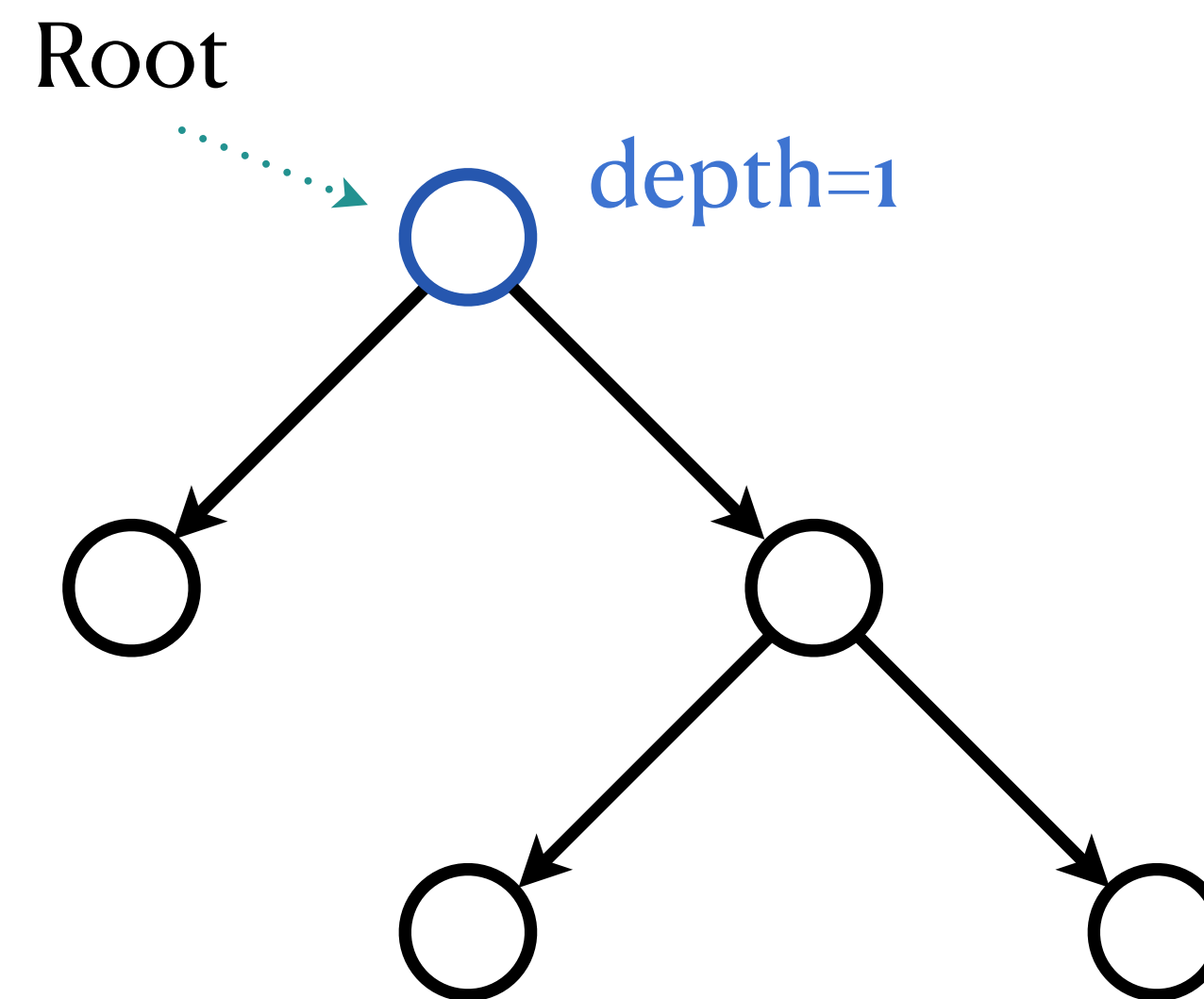
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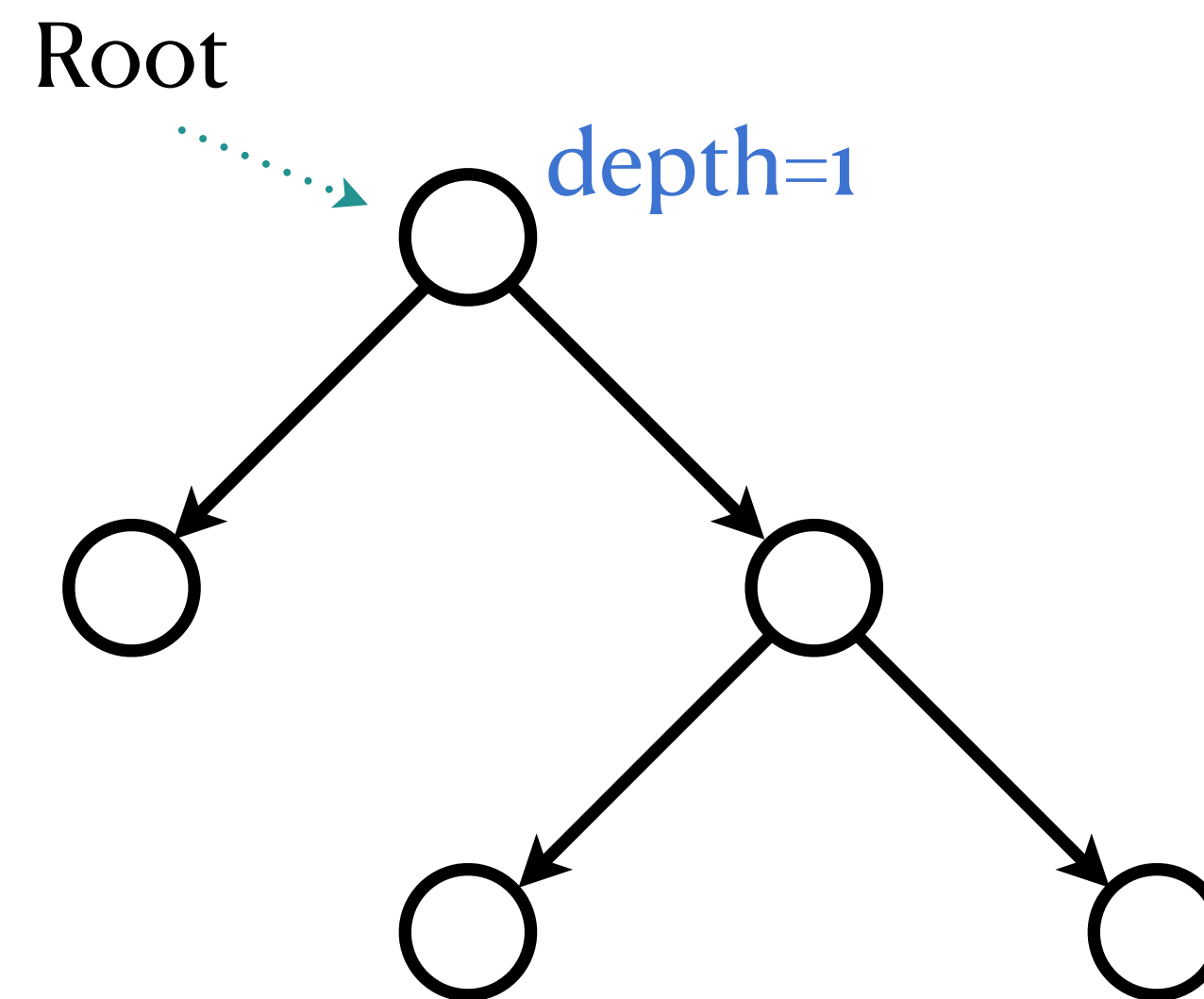
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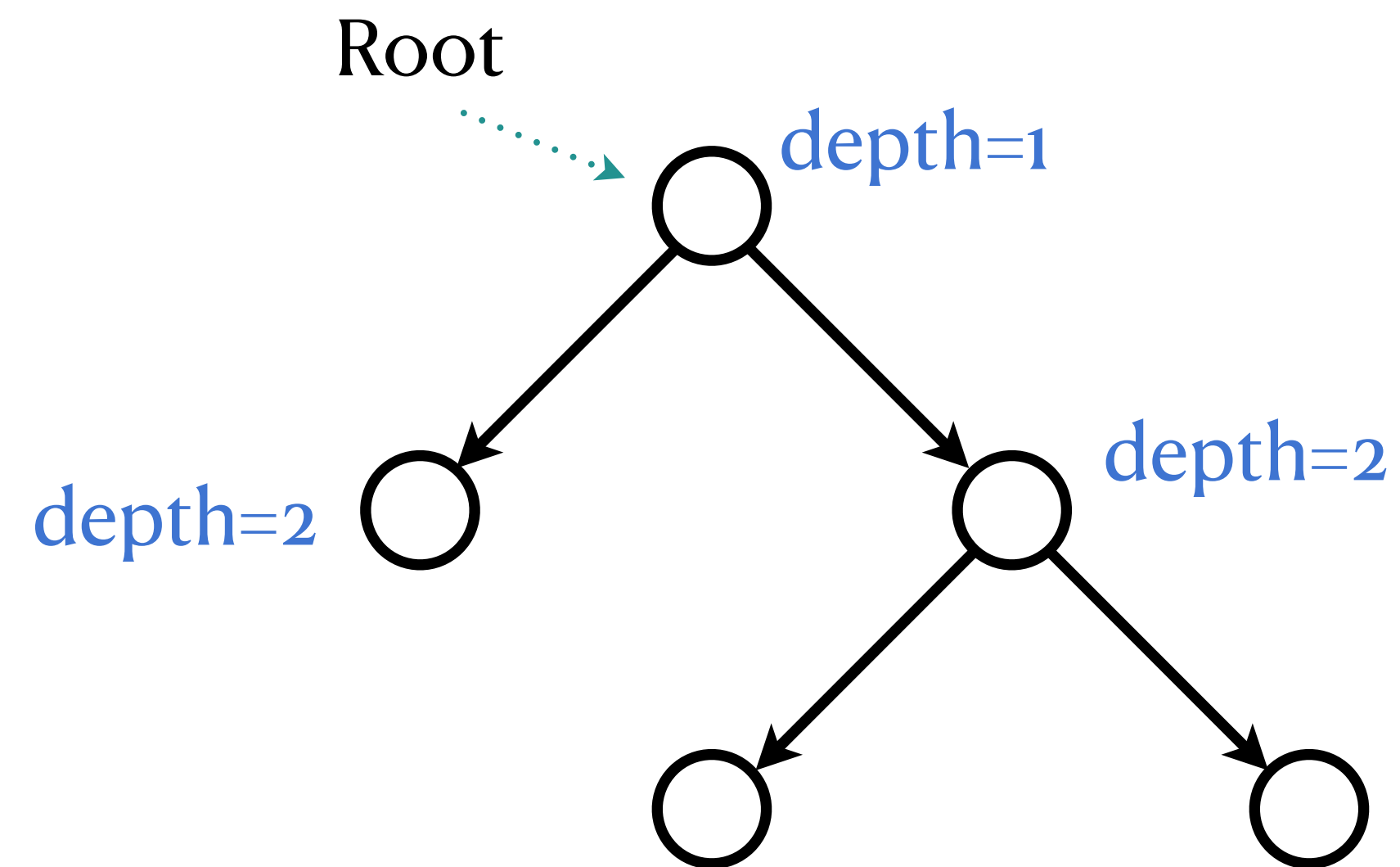
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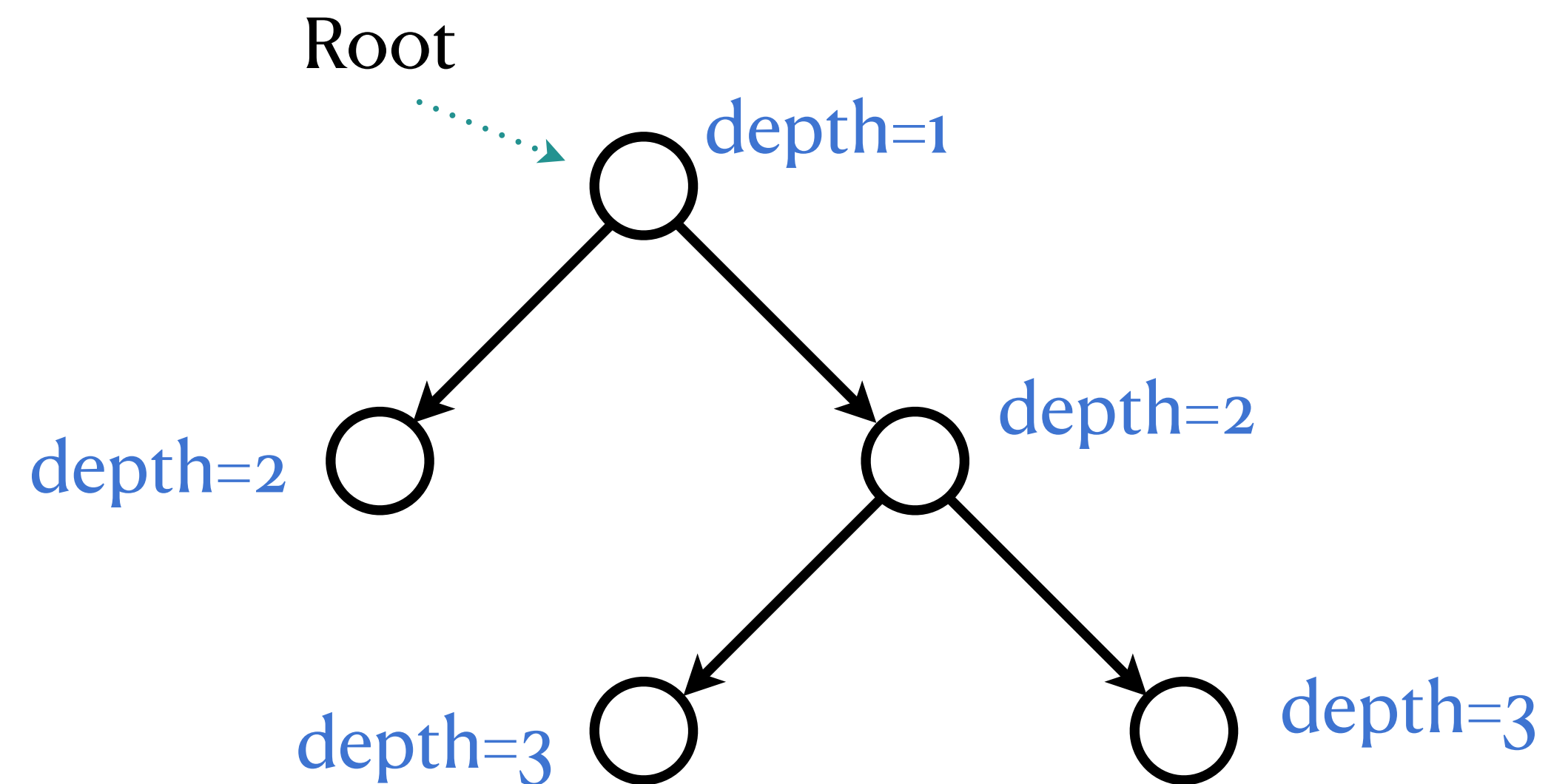
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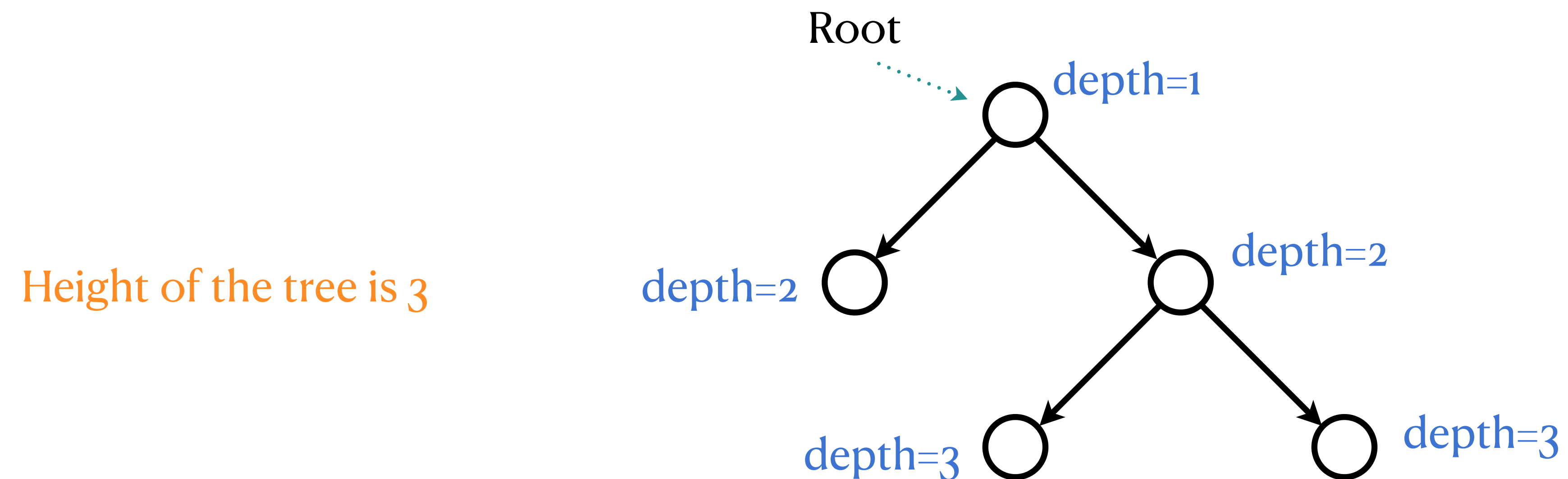
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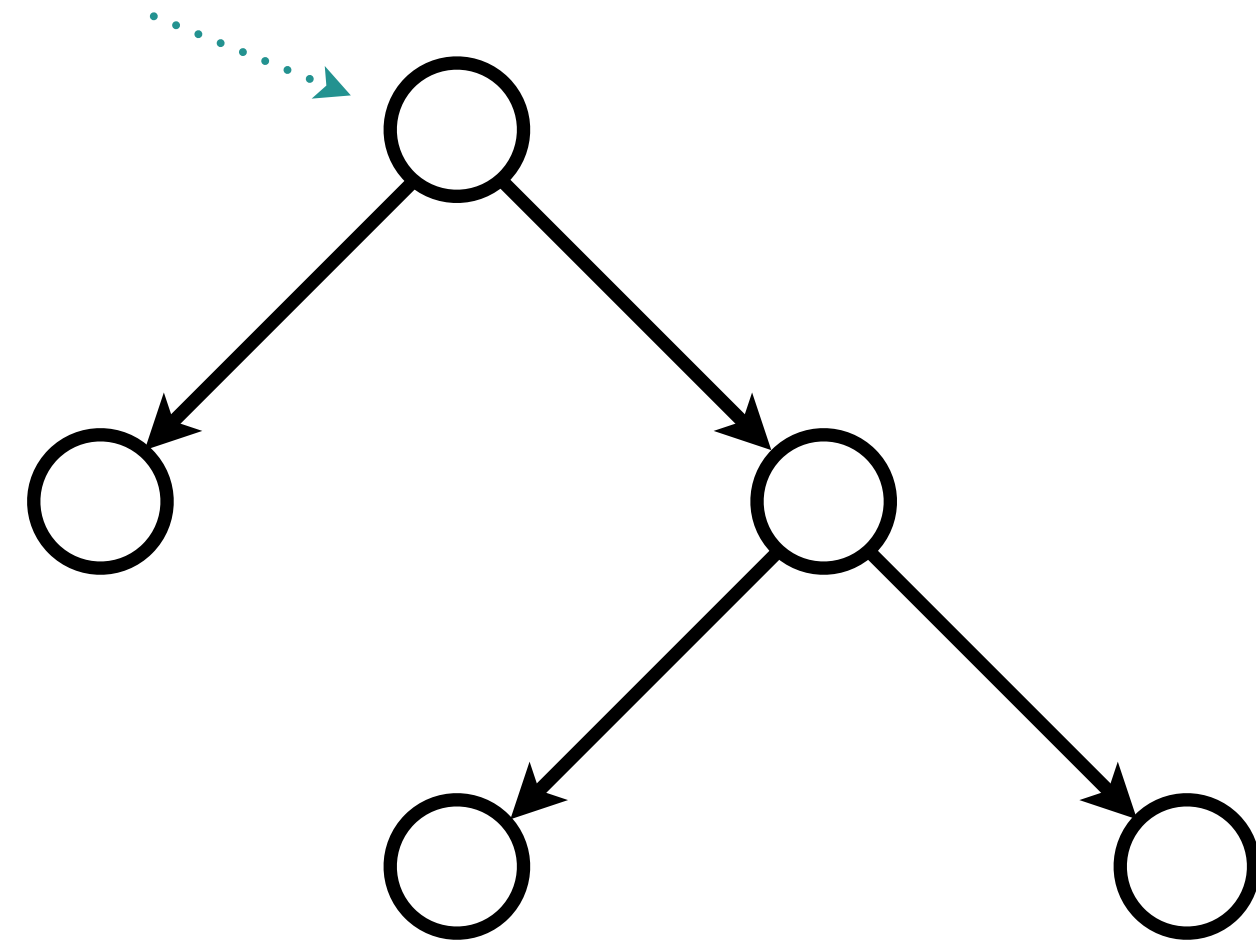
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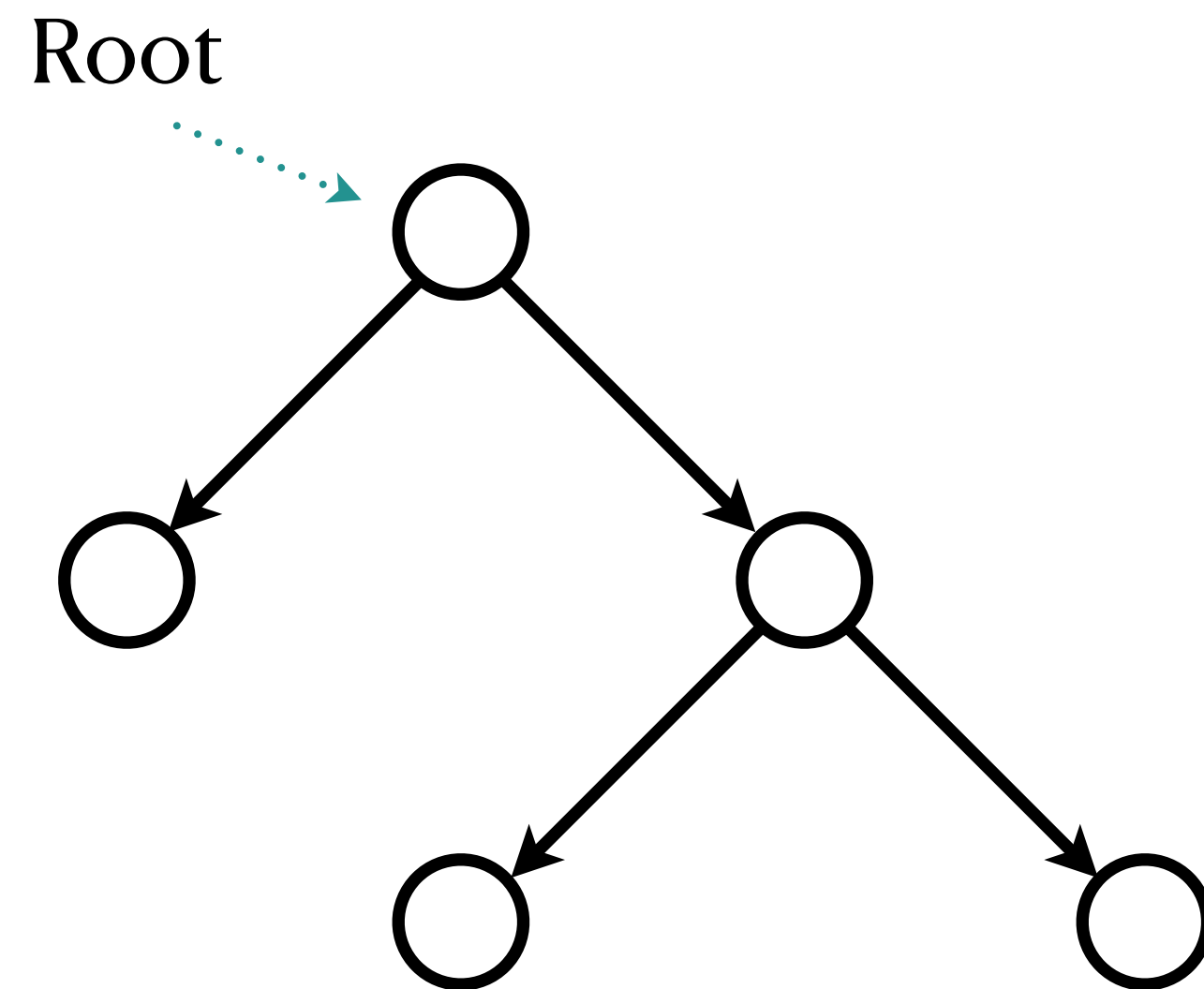
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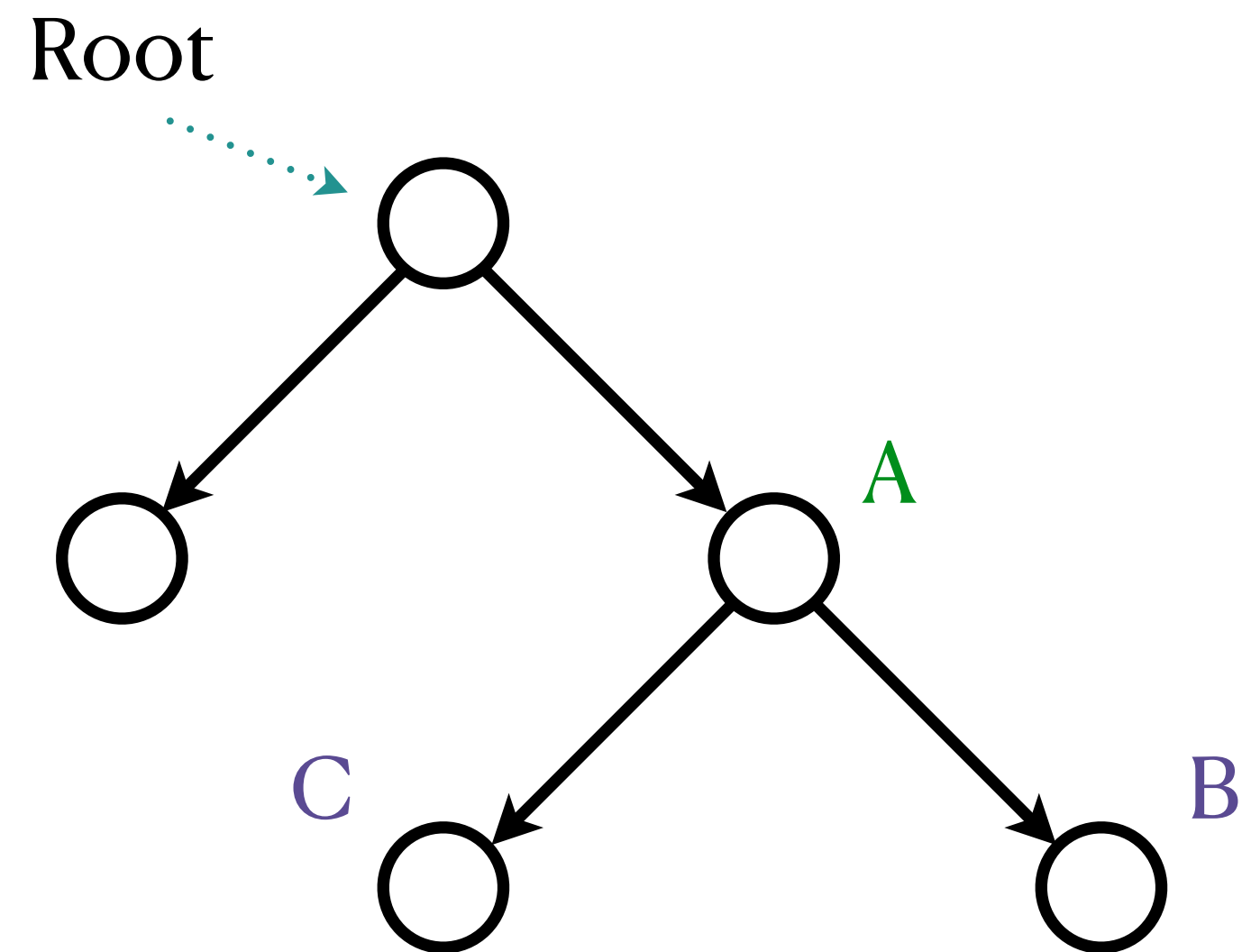


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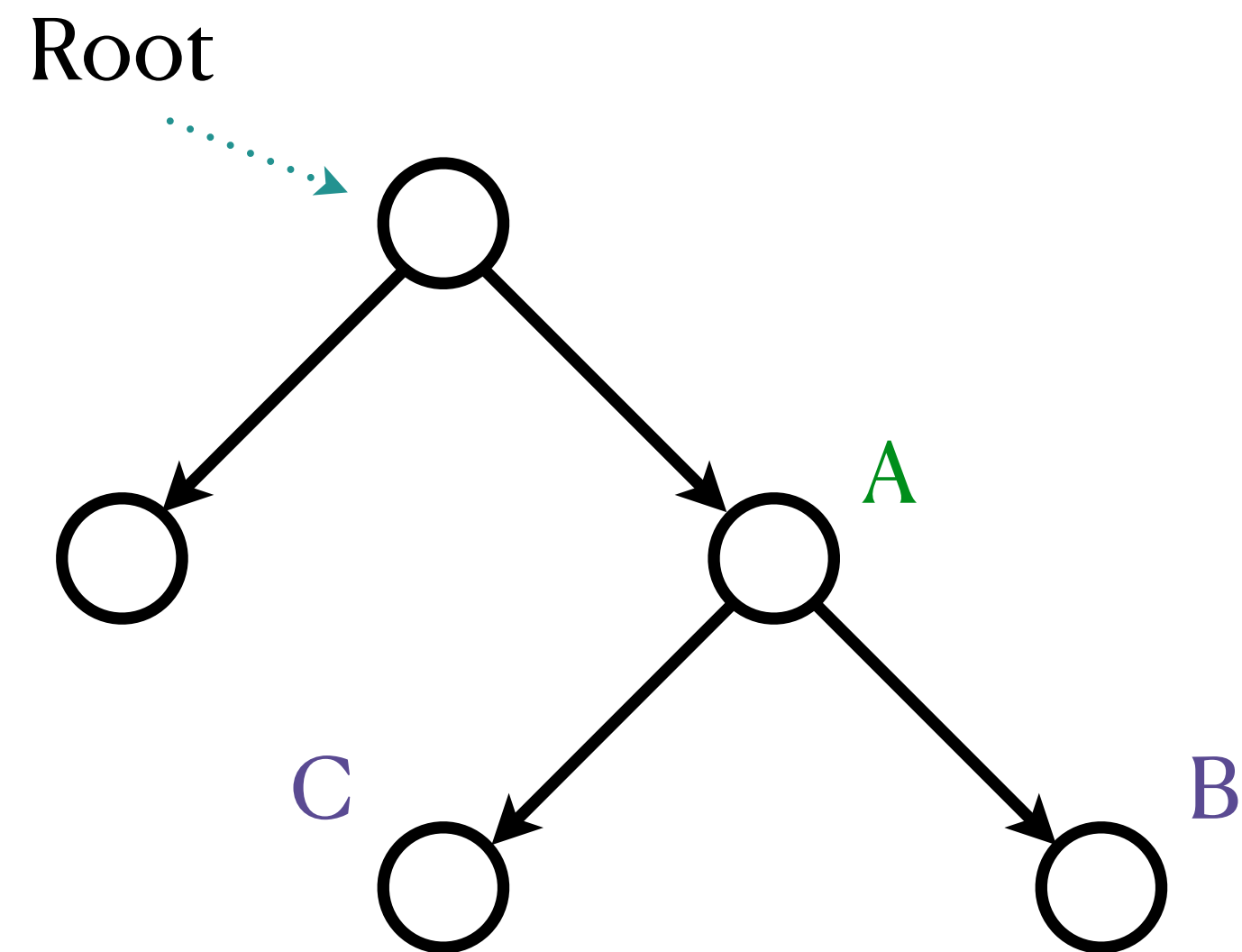
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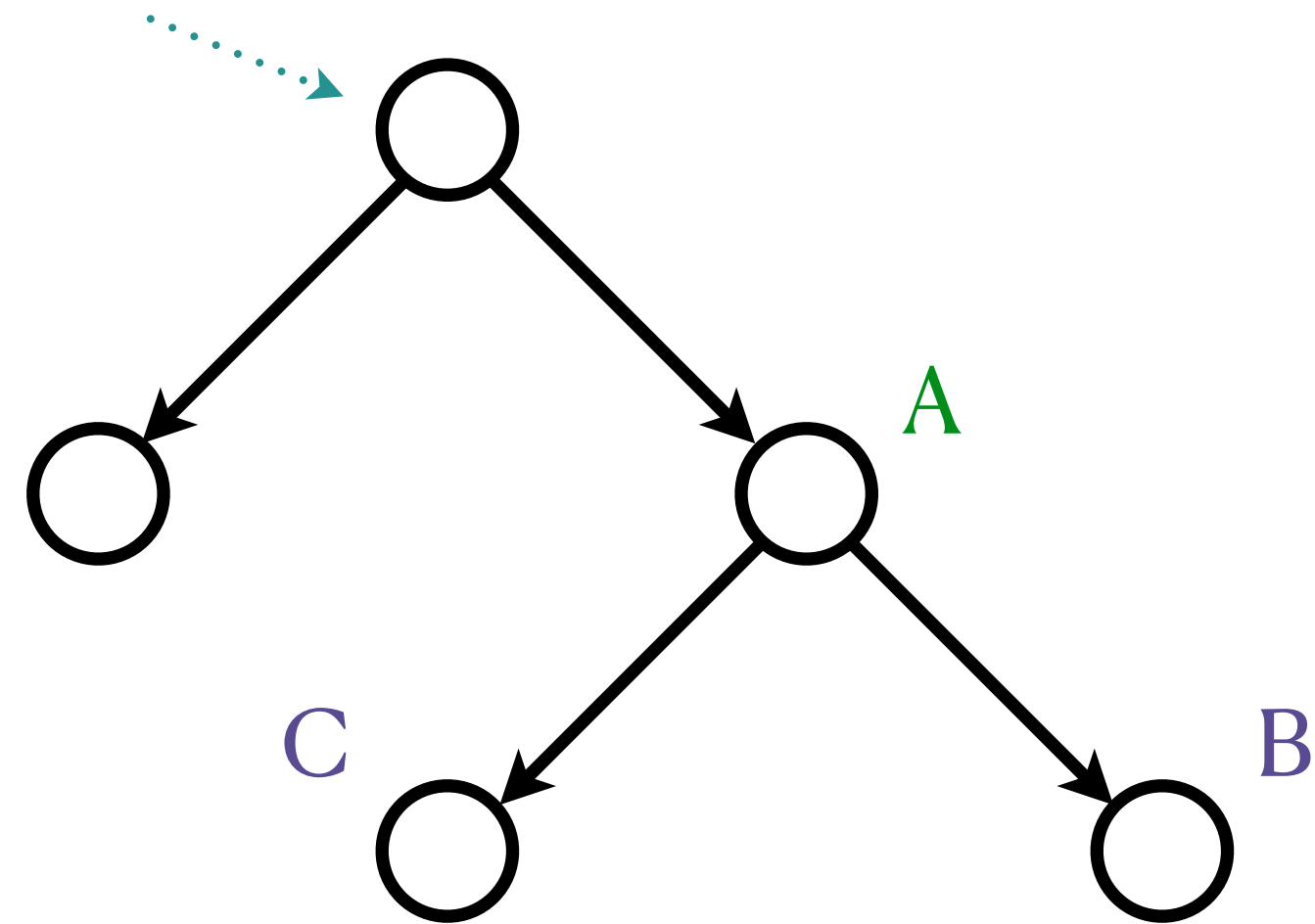
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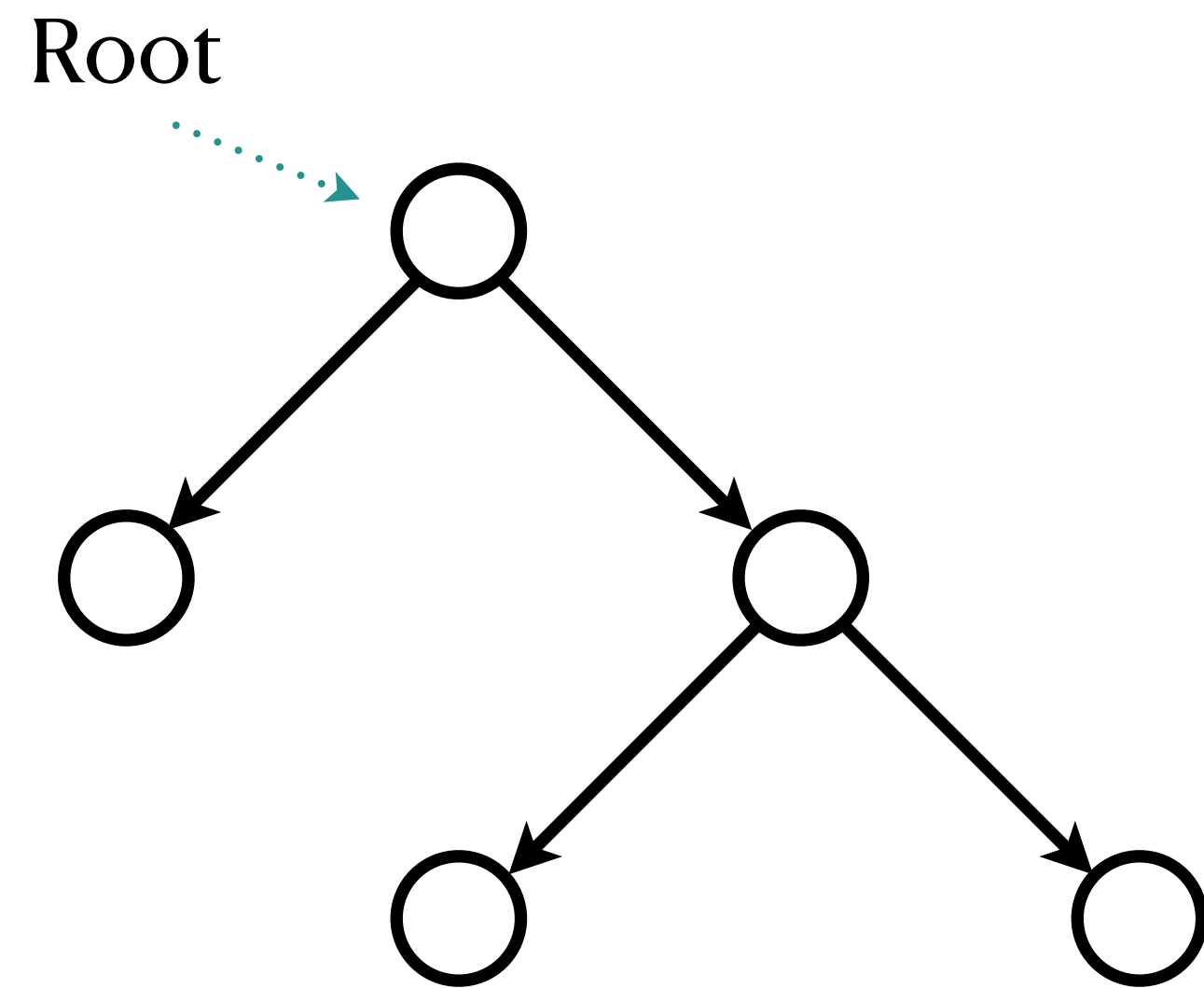
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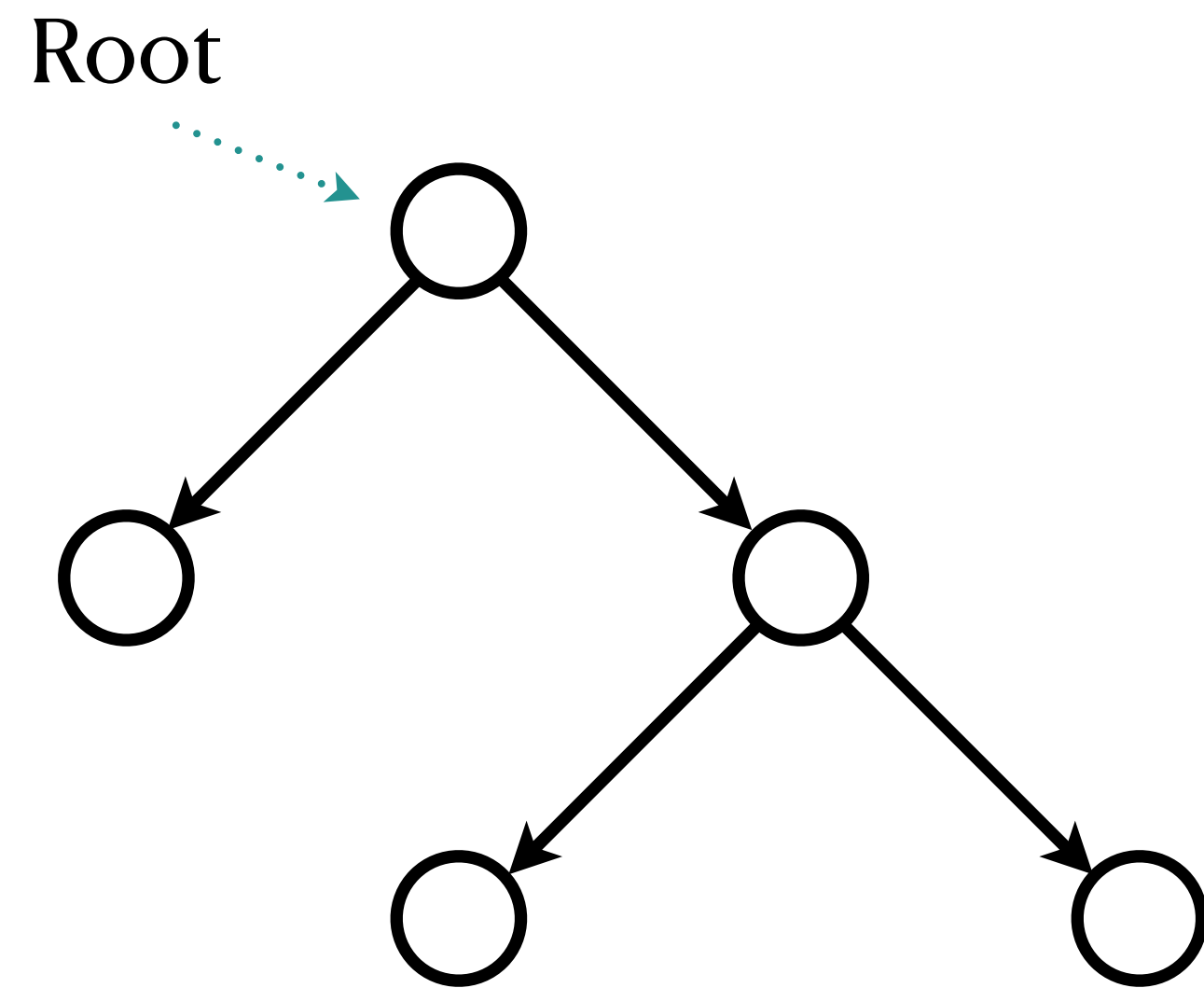
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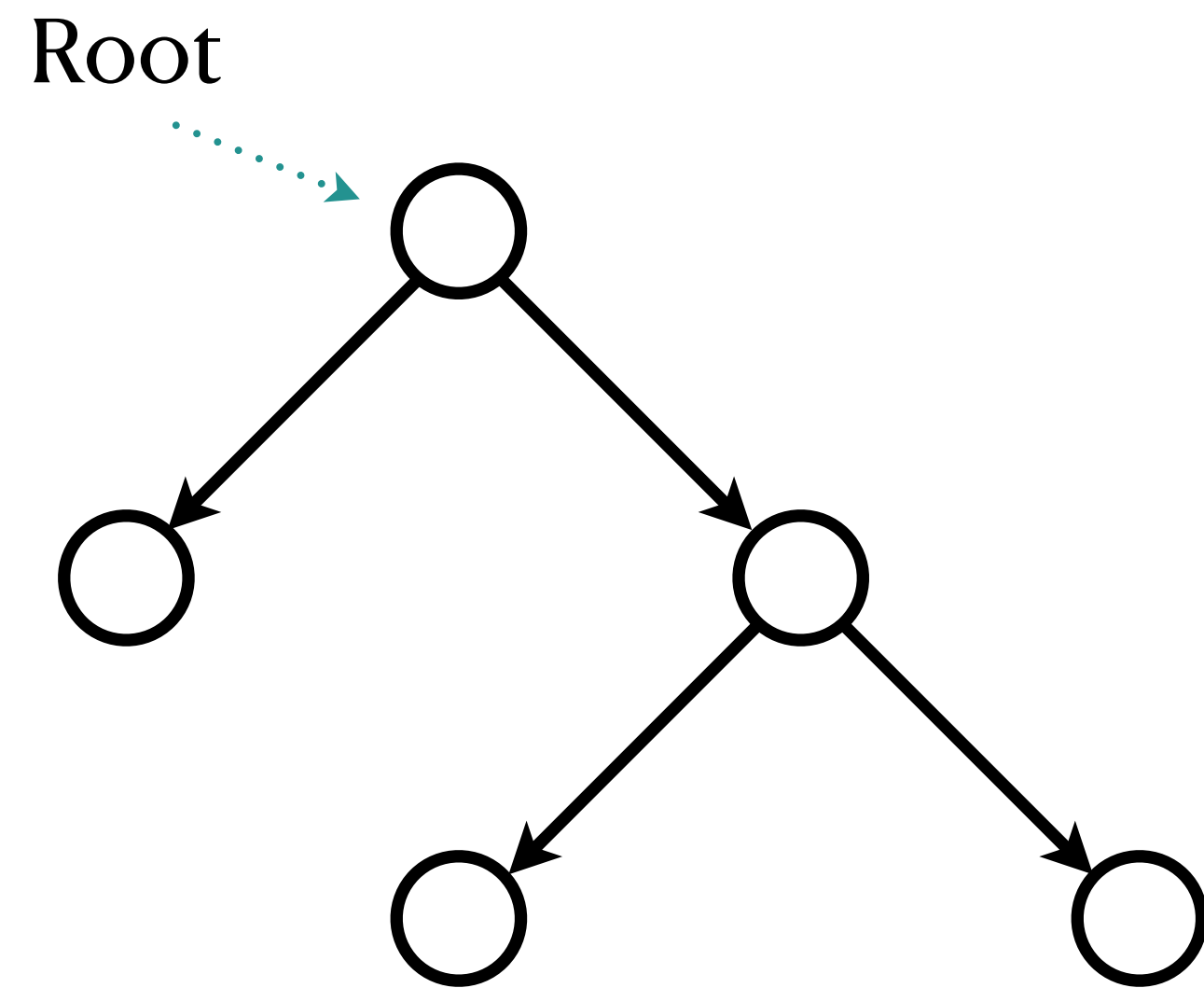
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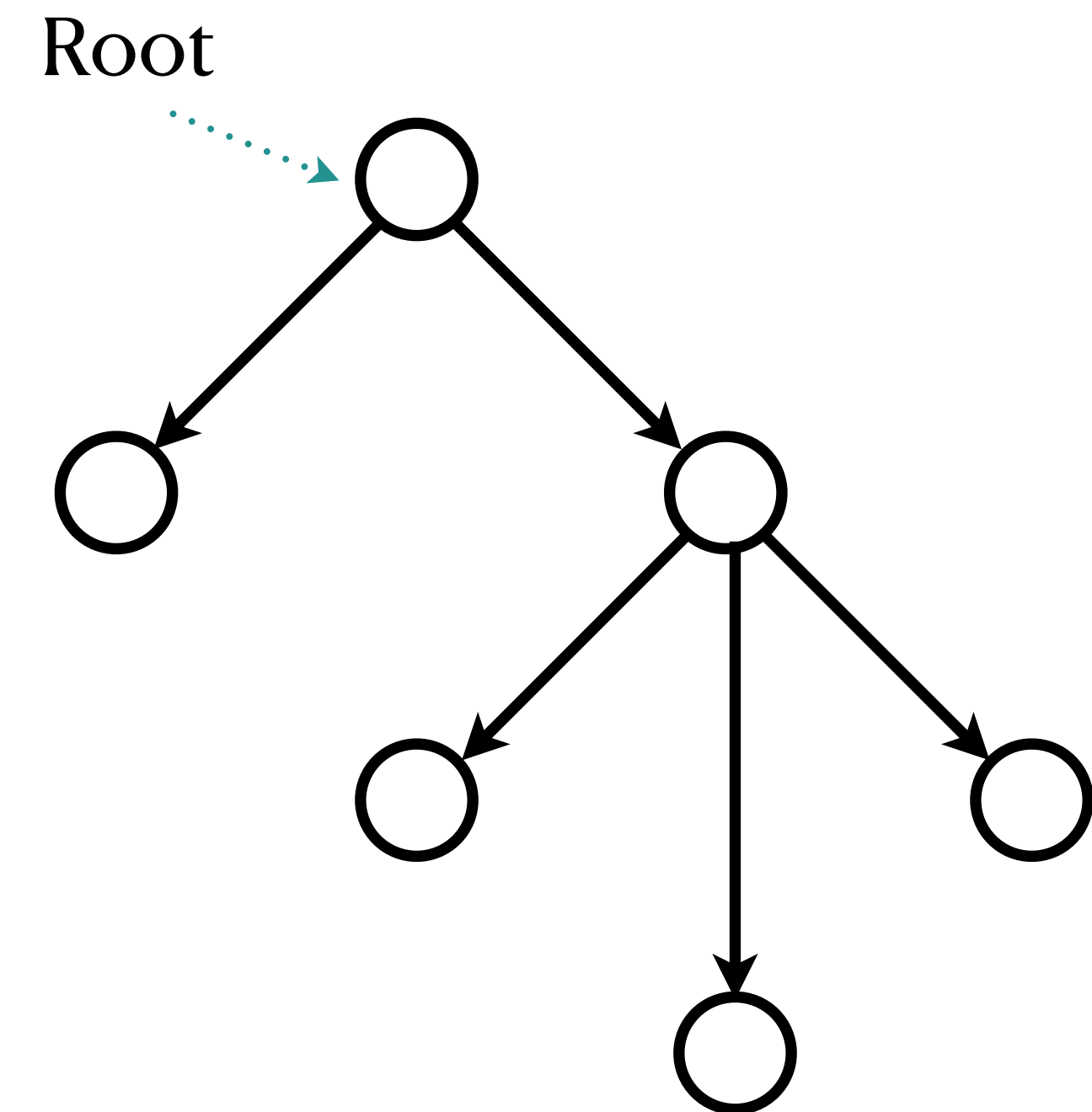
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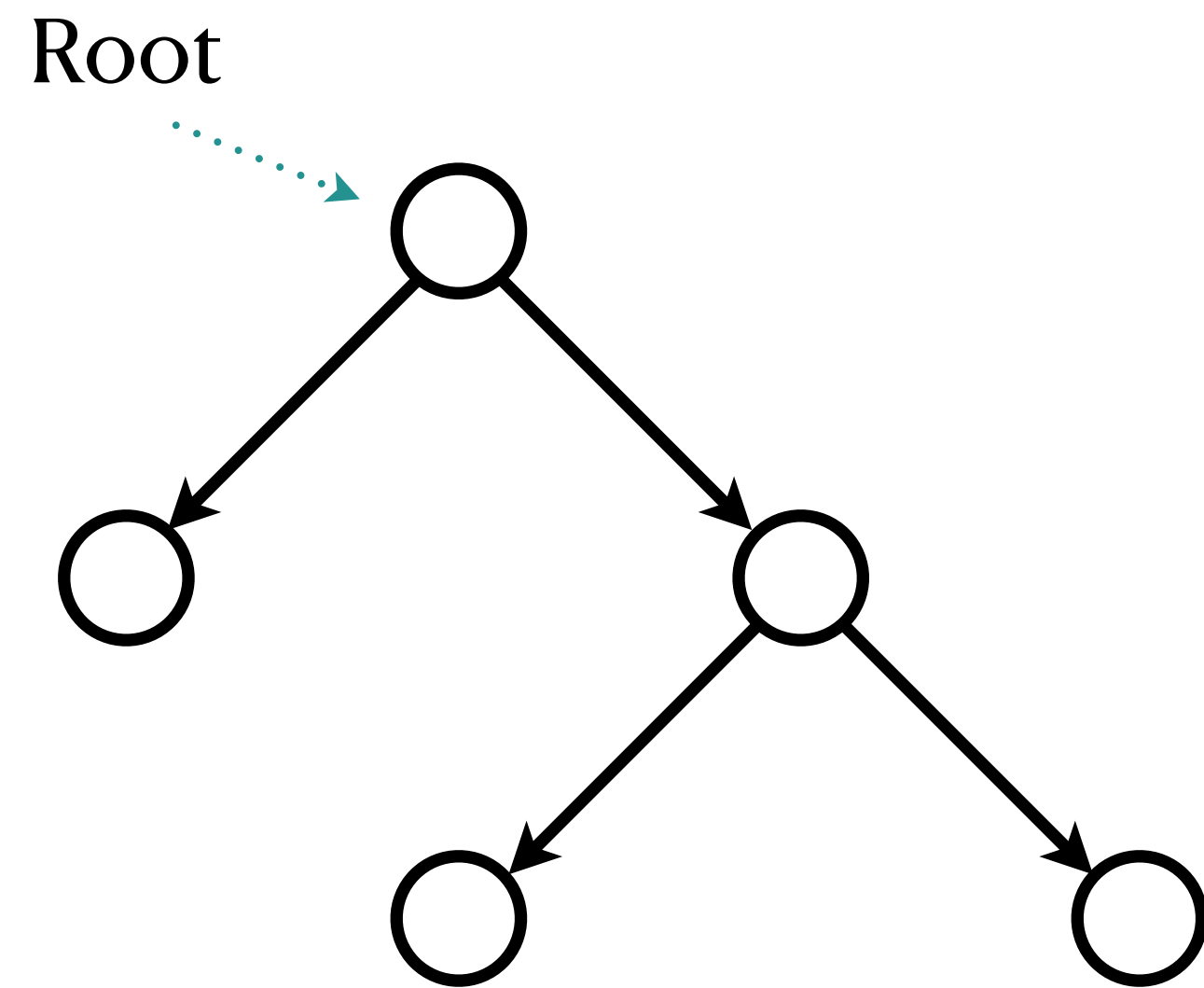
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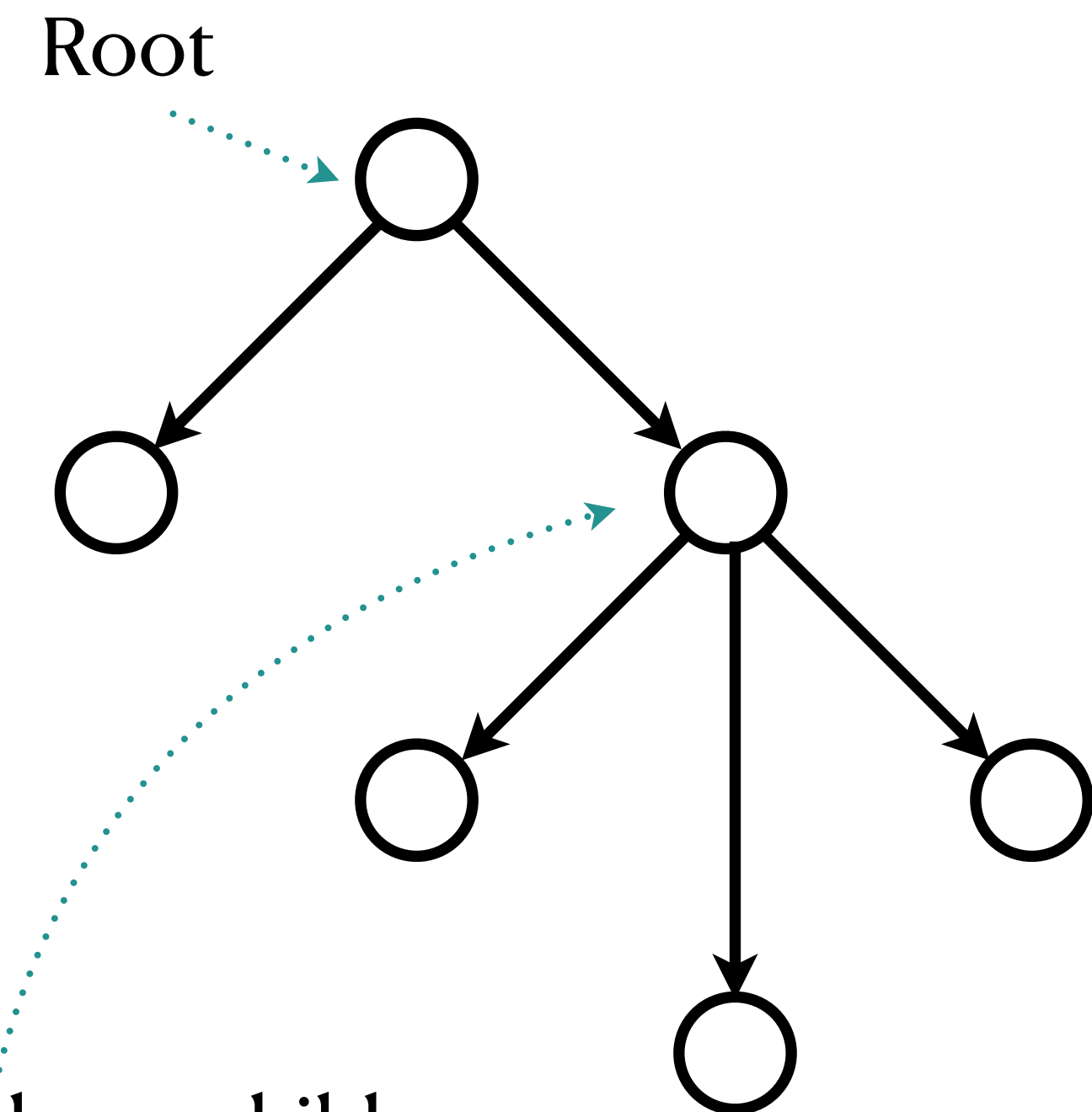
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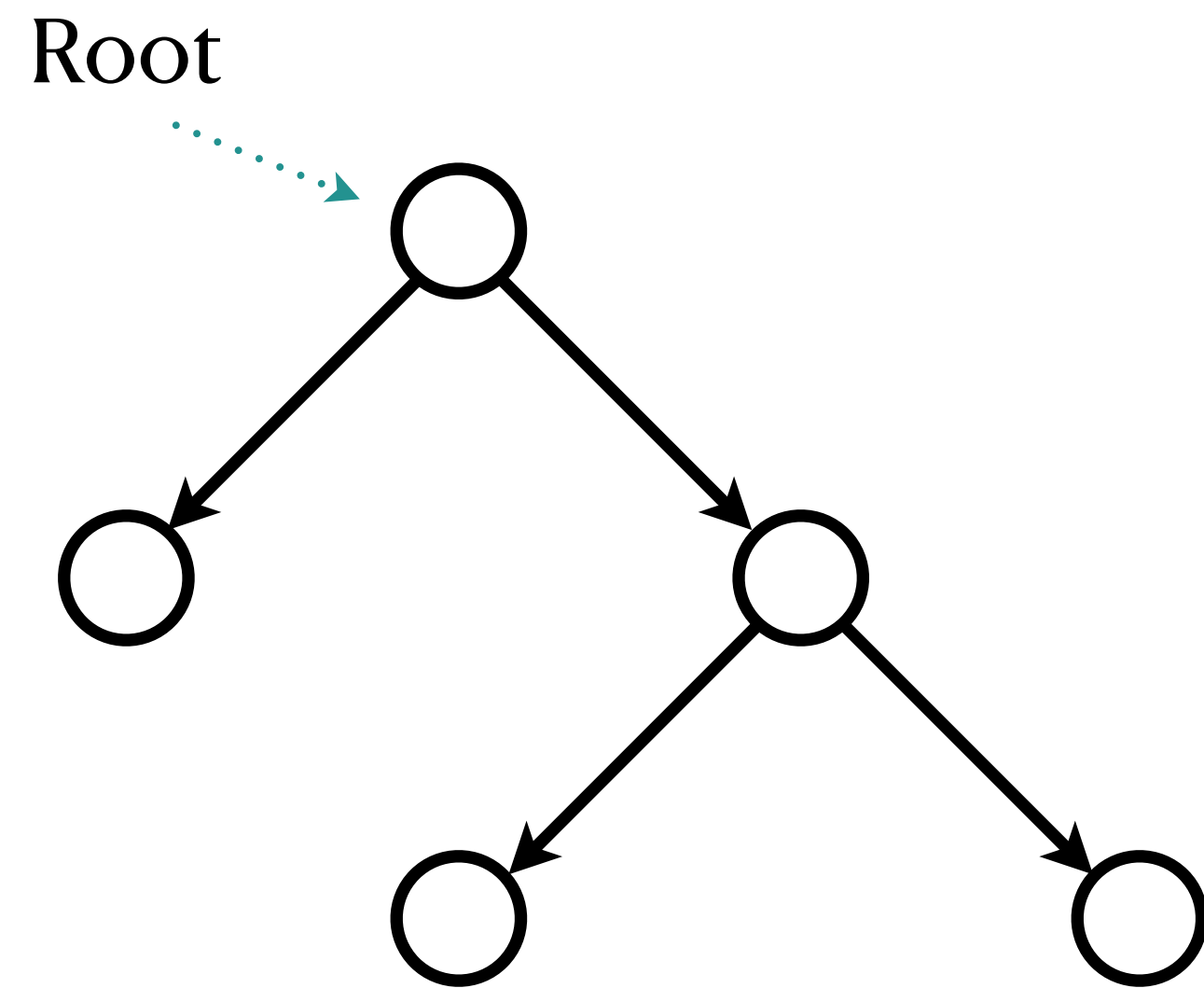


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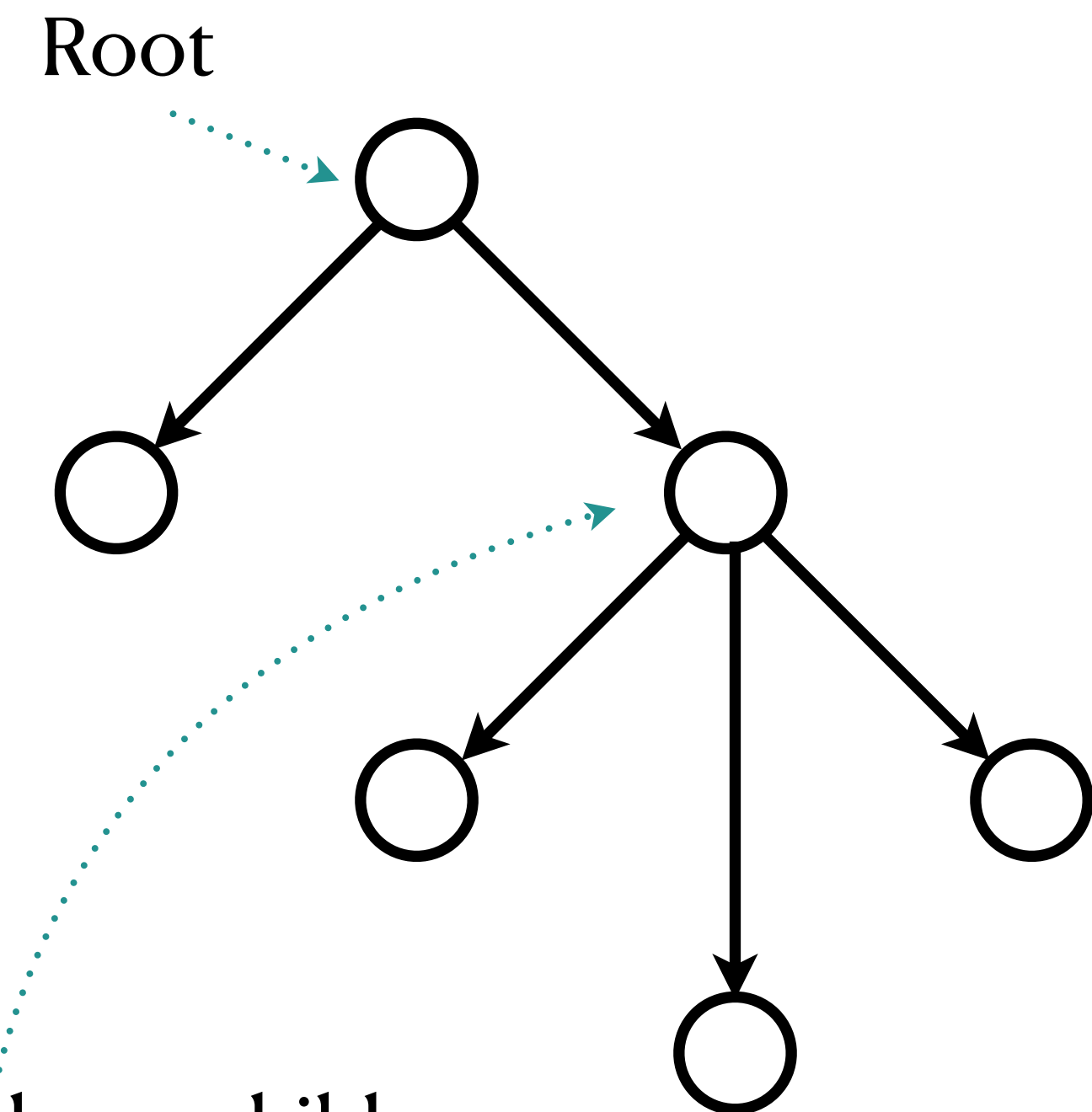
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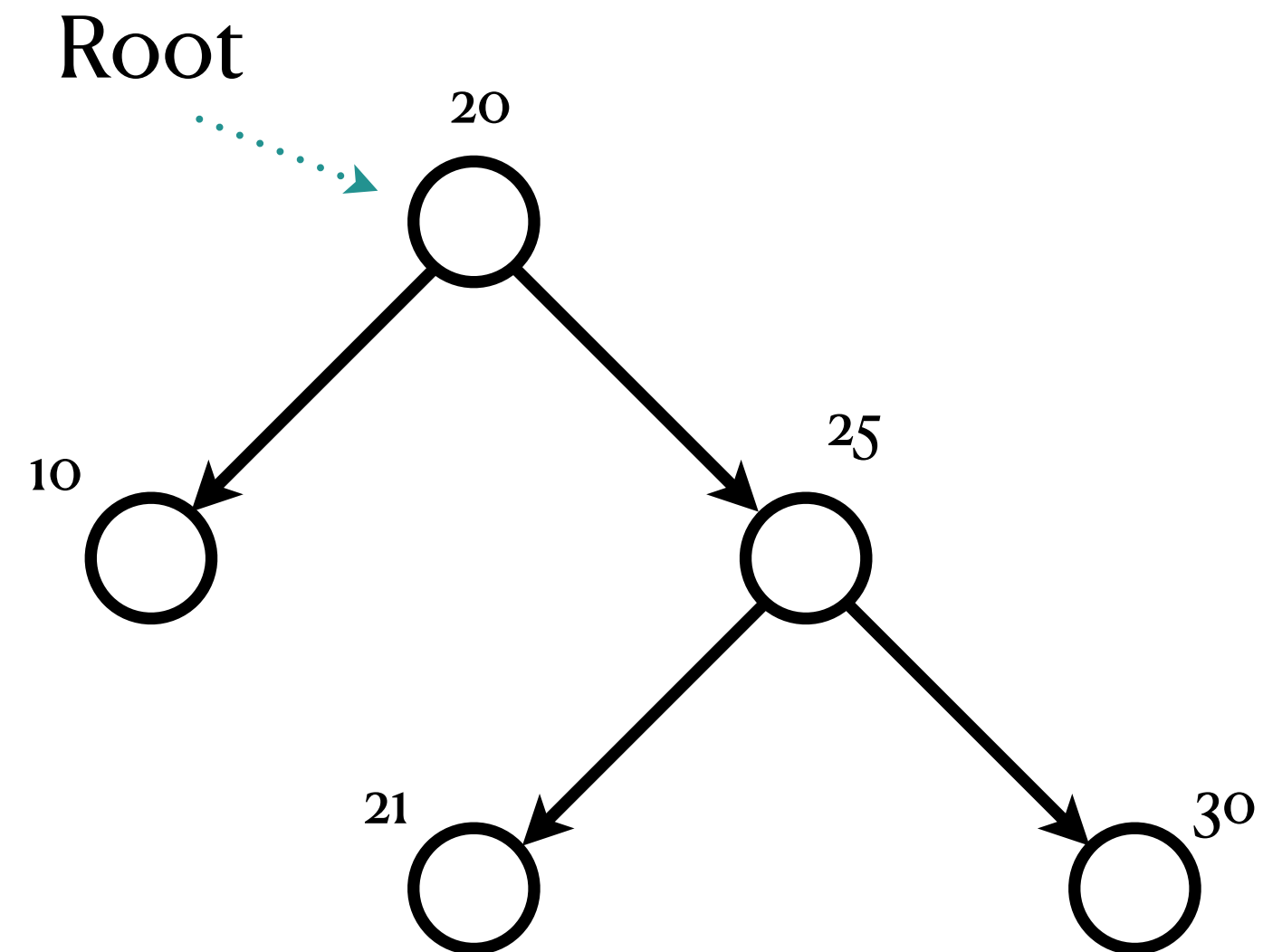
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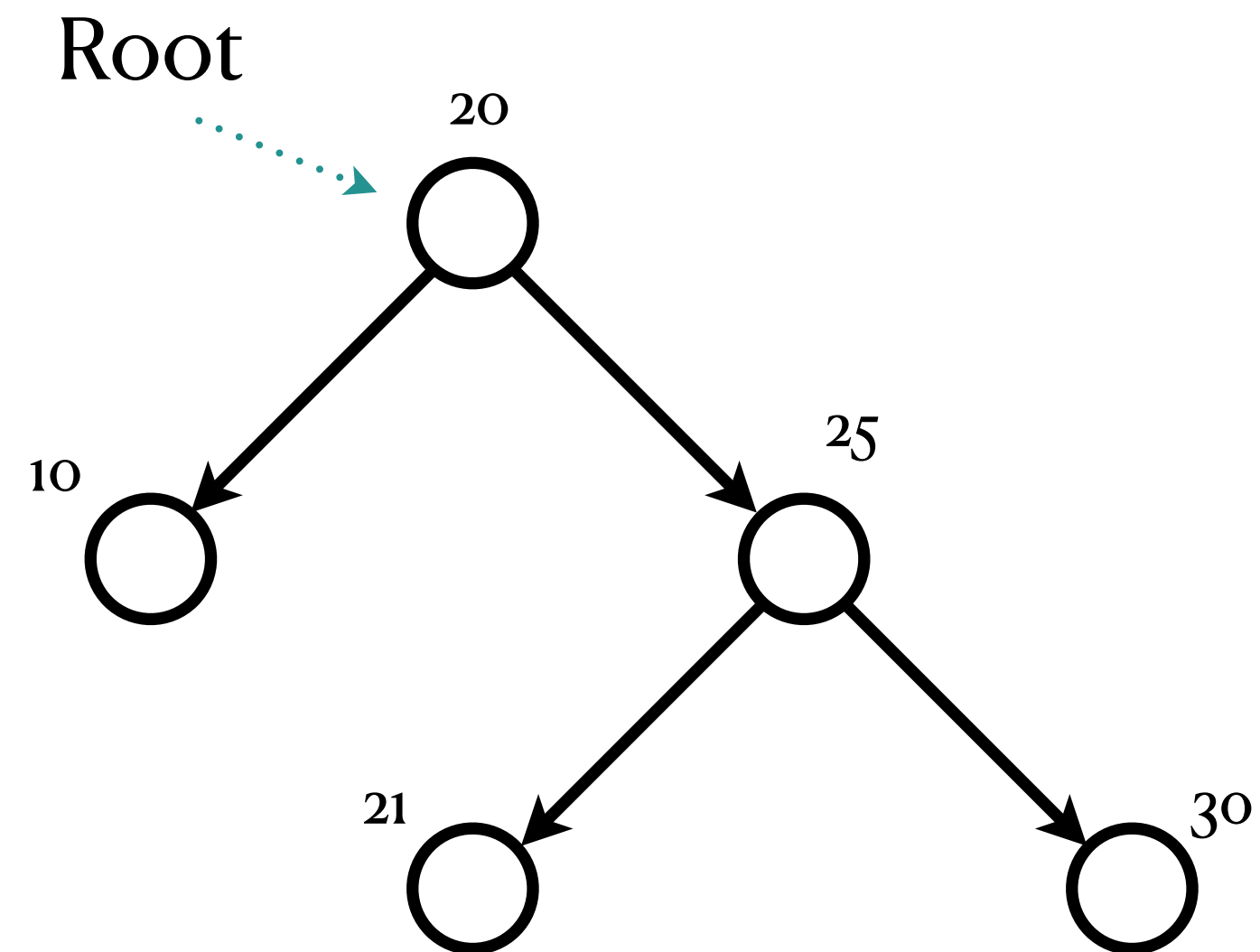
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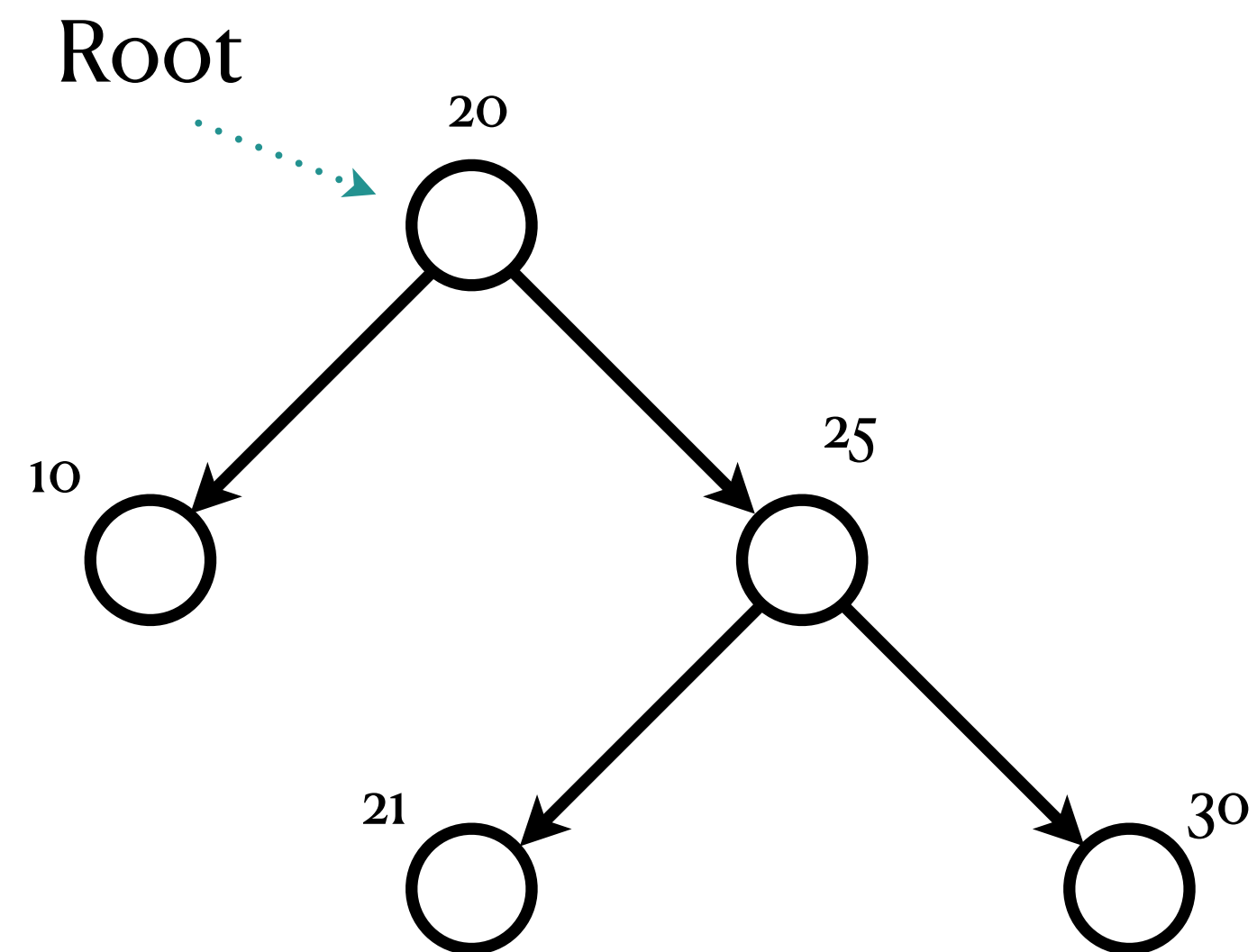
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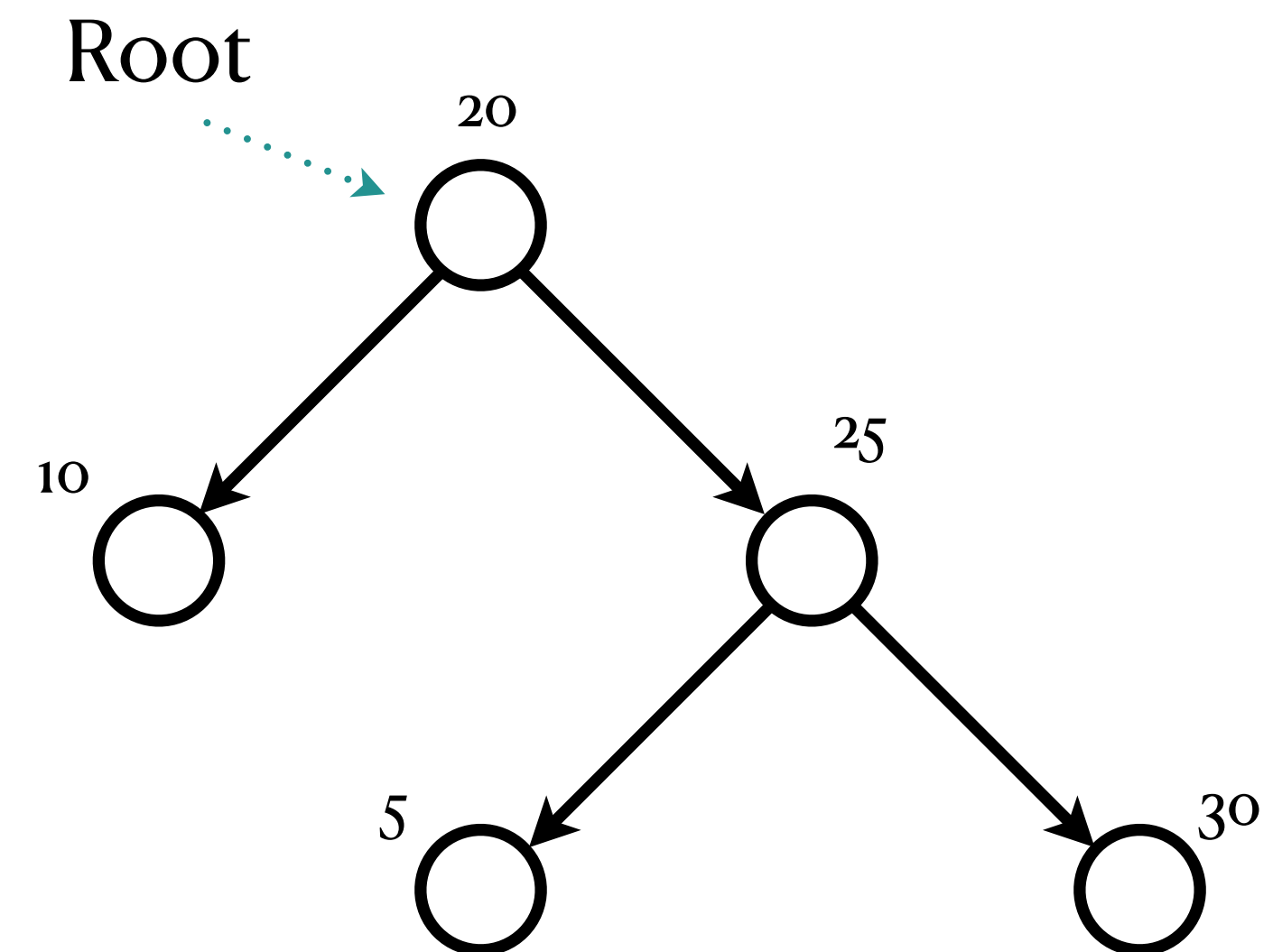
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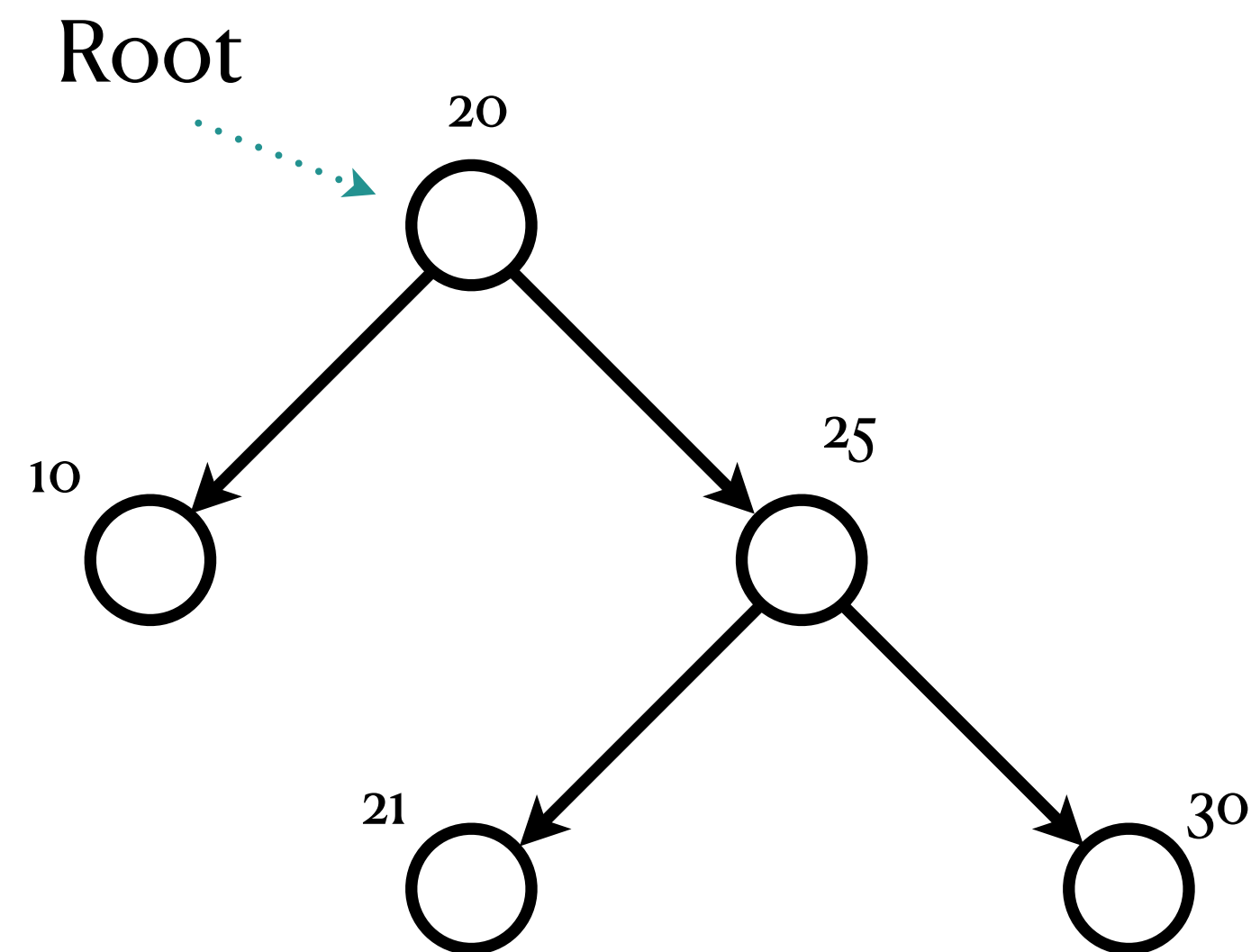


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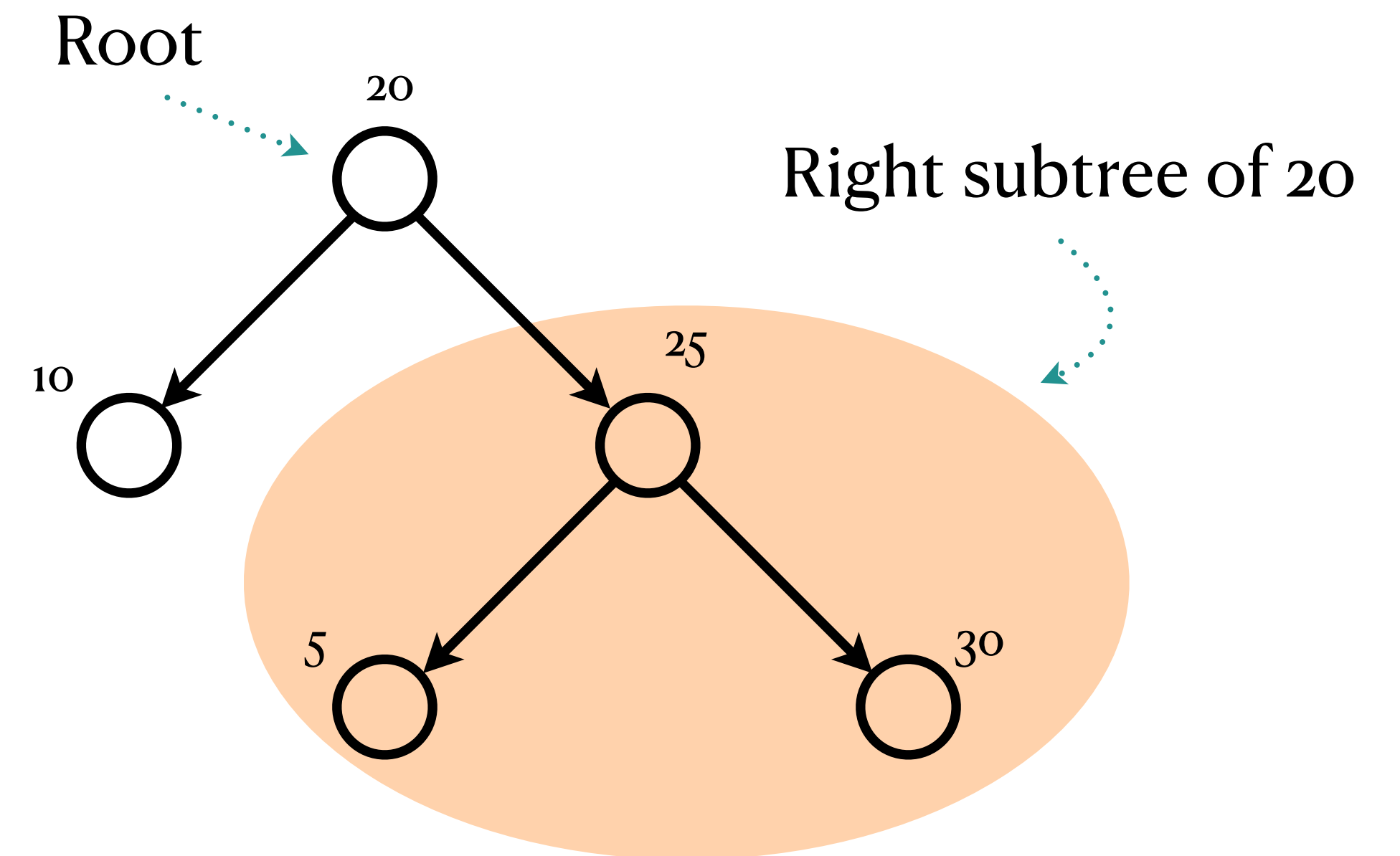


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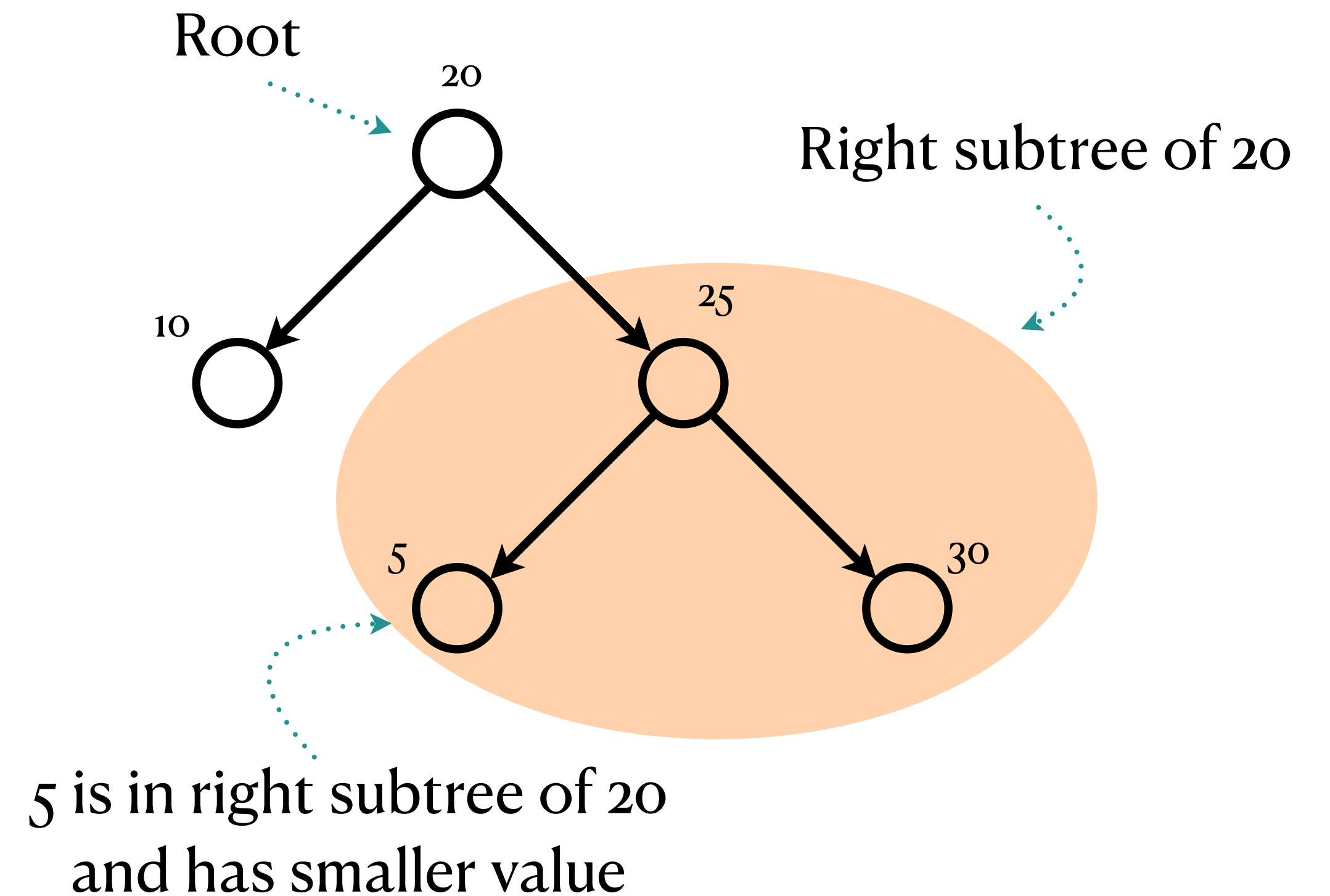
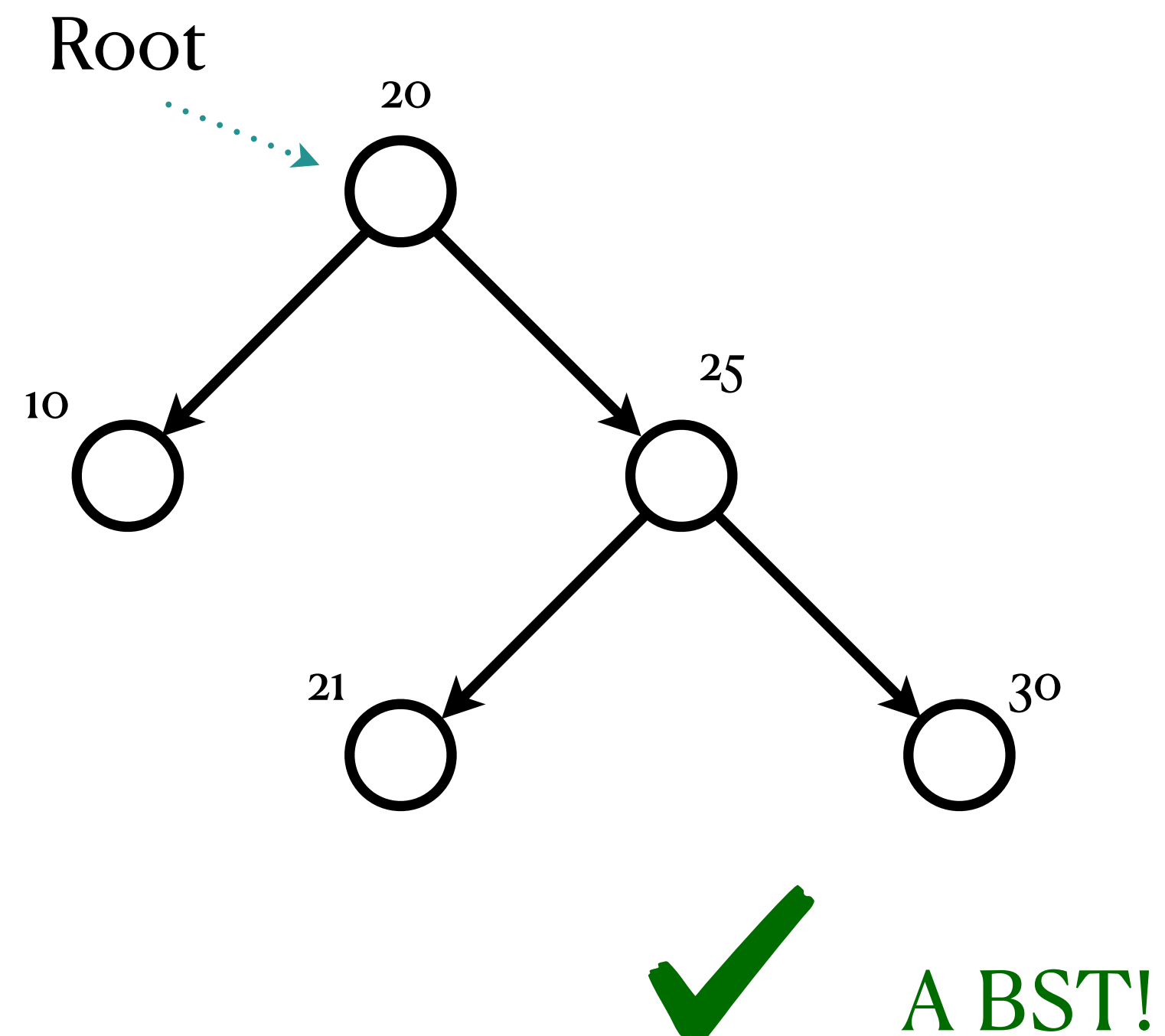


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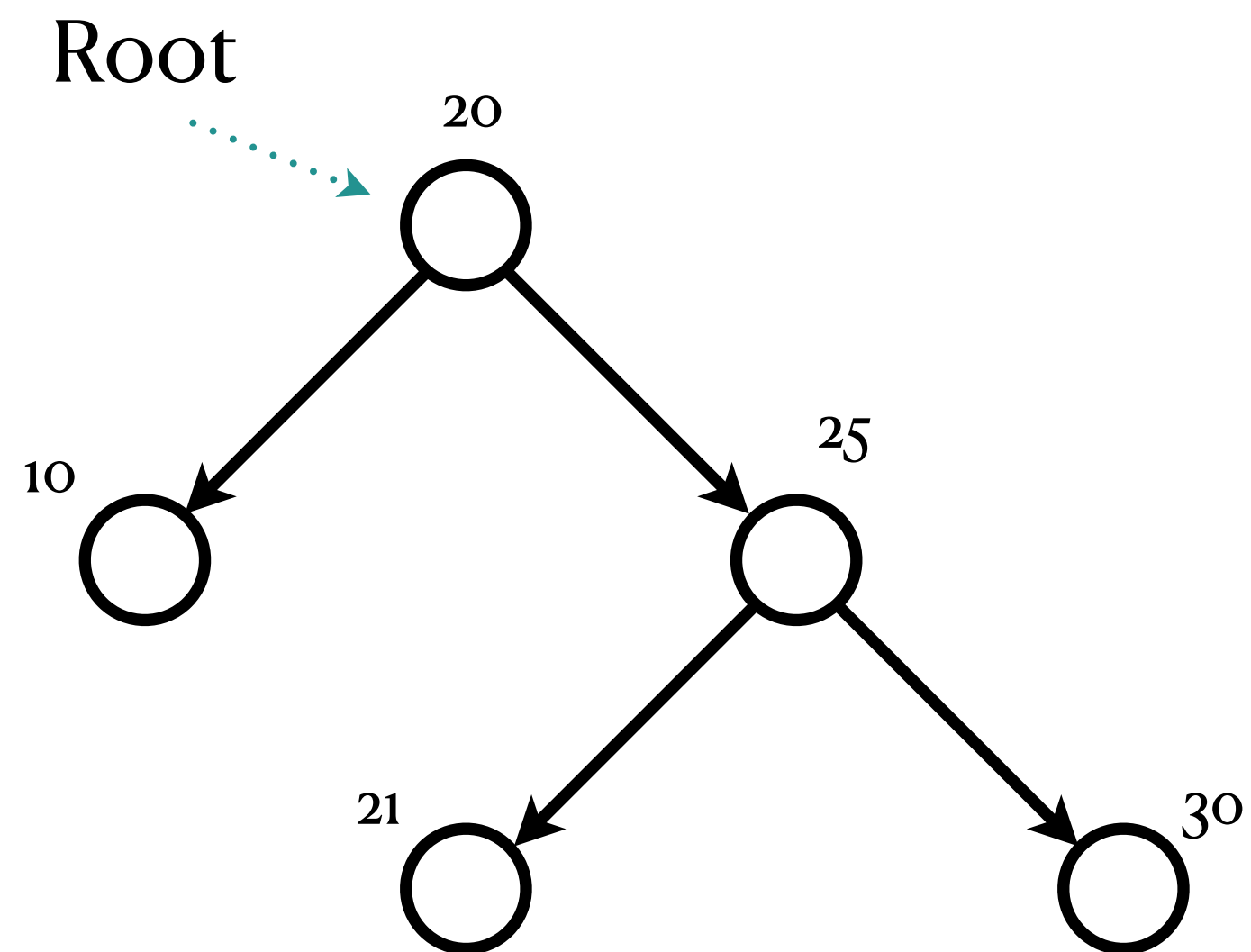
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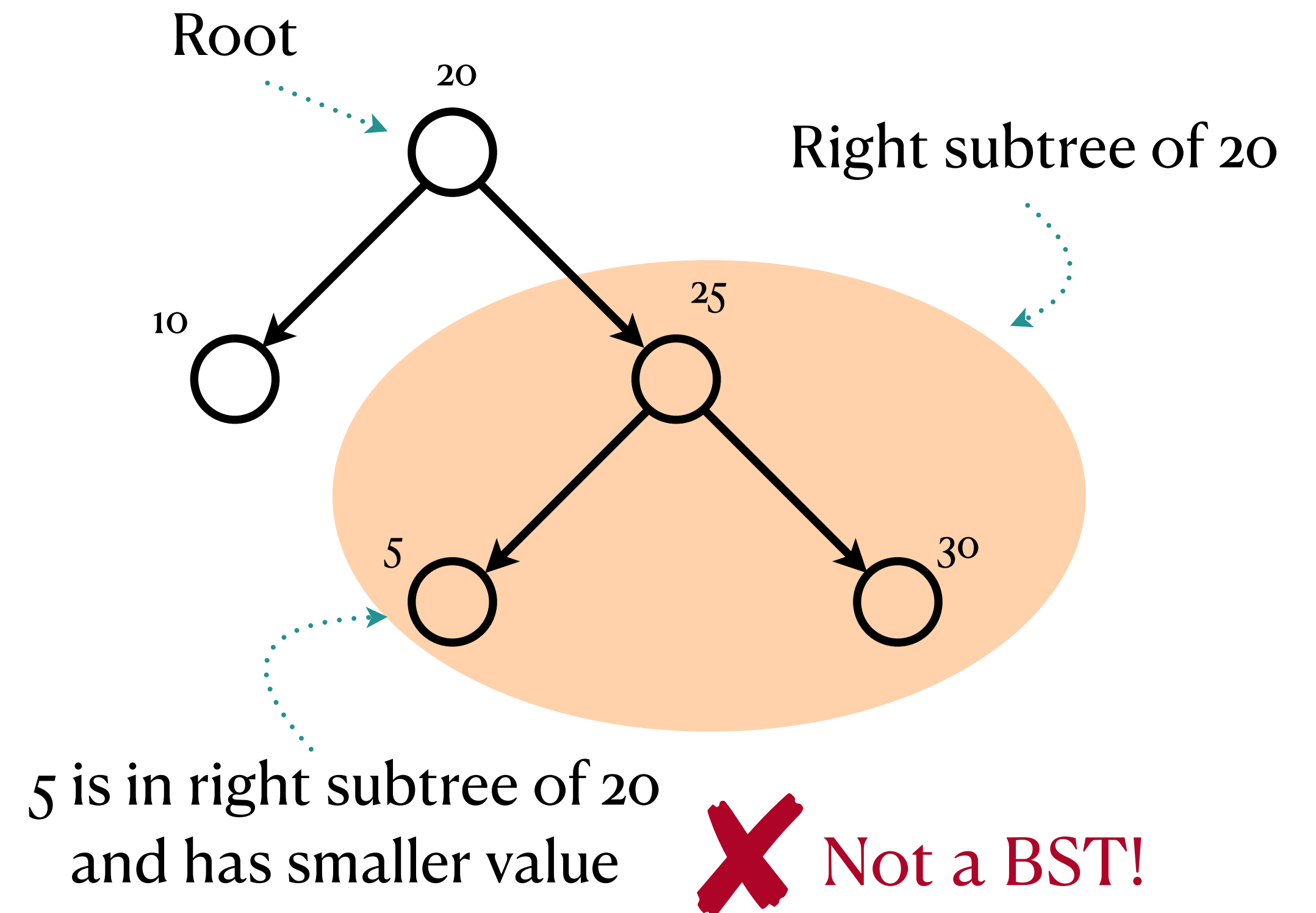


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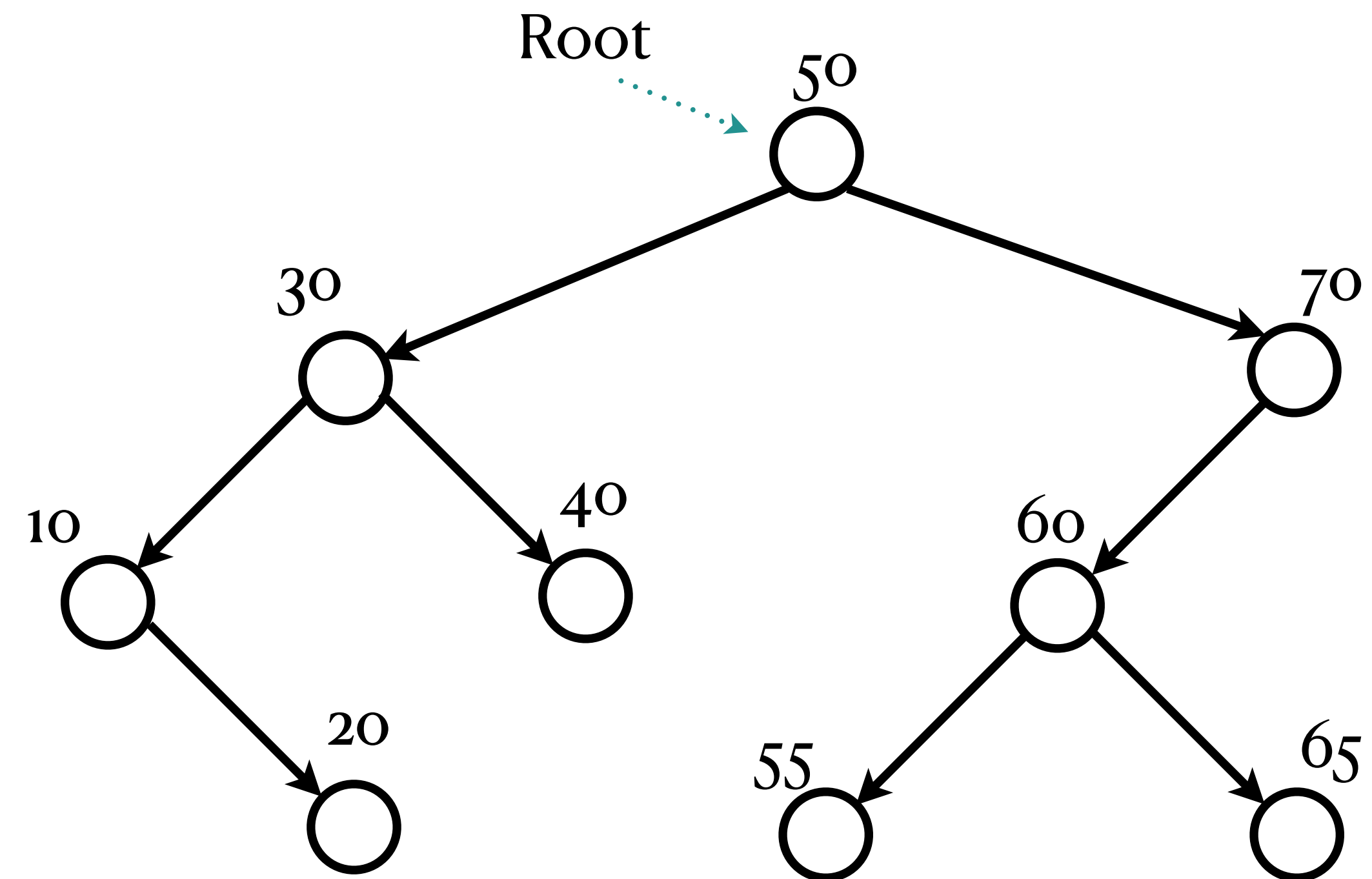
BSTs: Operations

Search

Insertion

Deletion

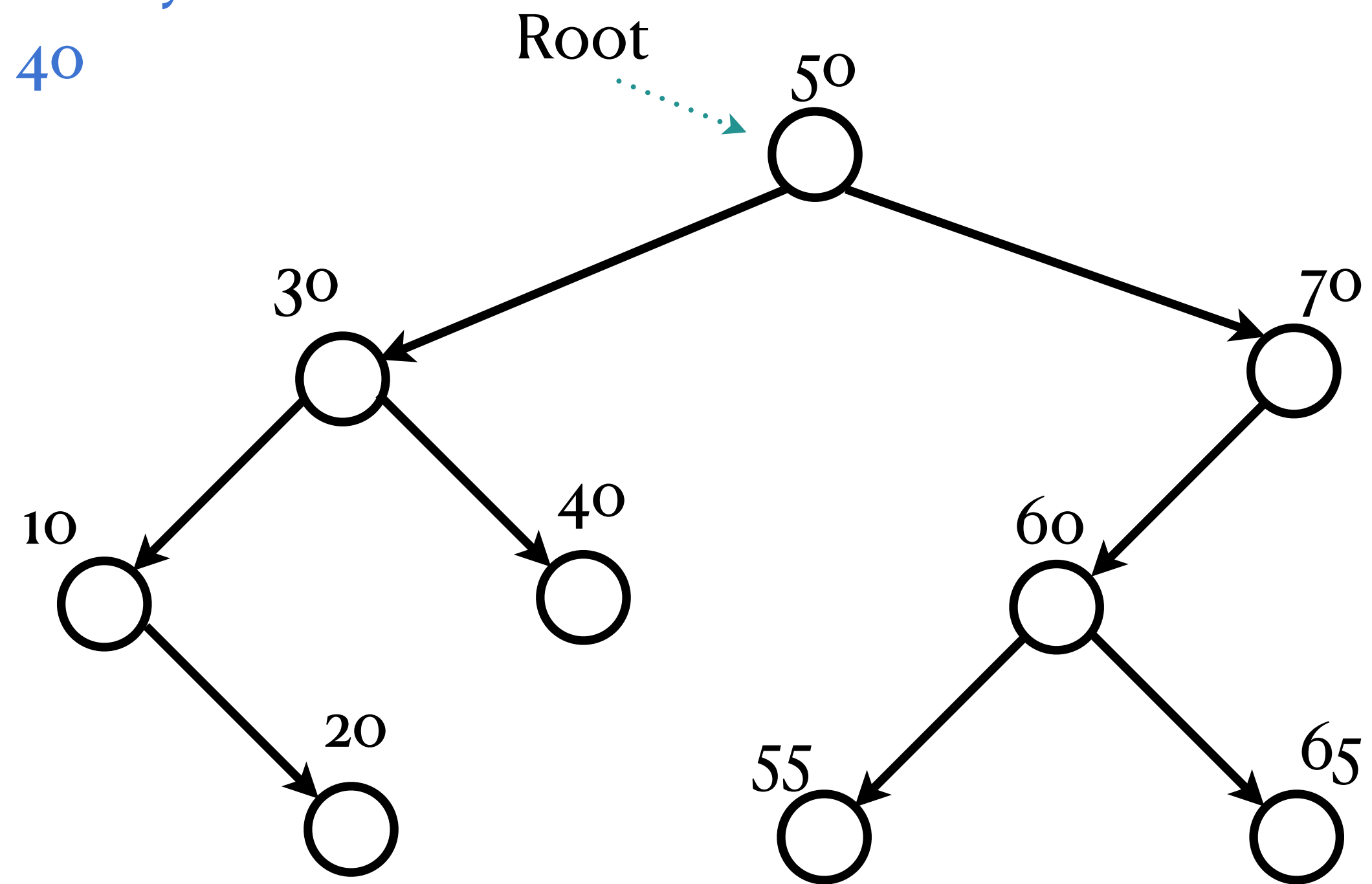
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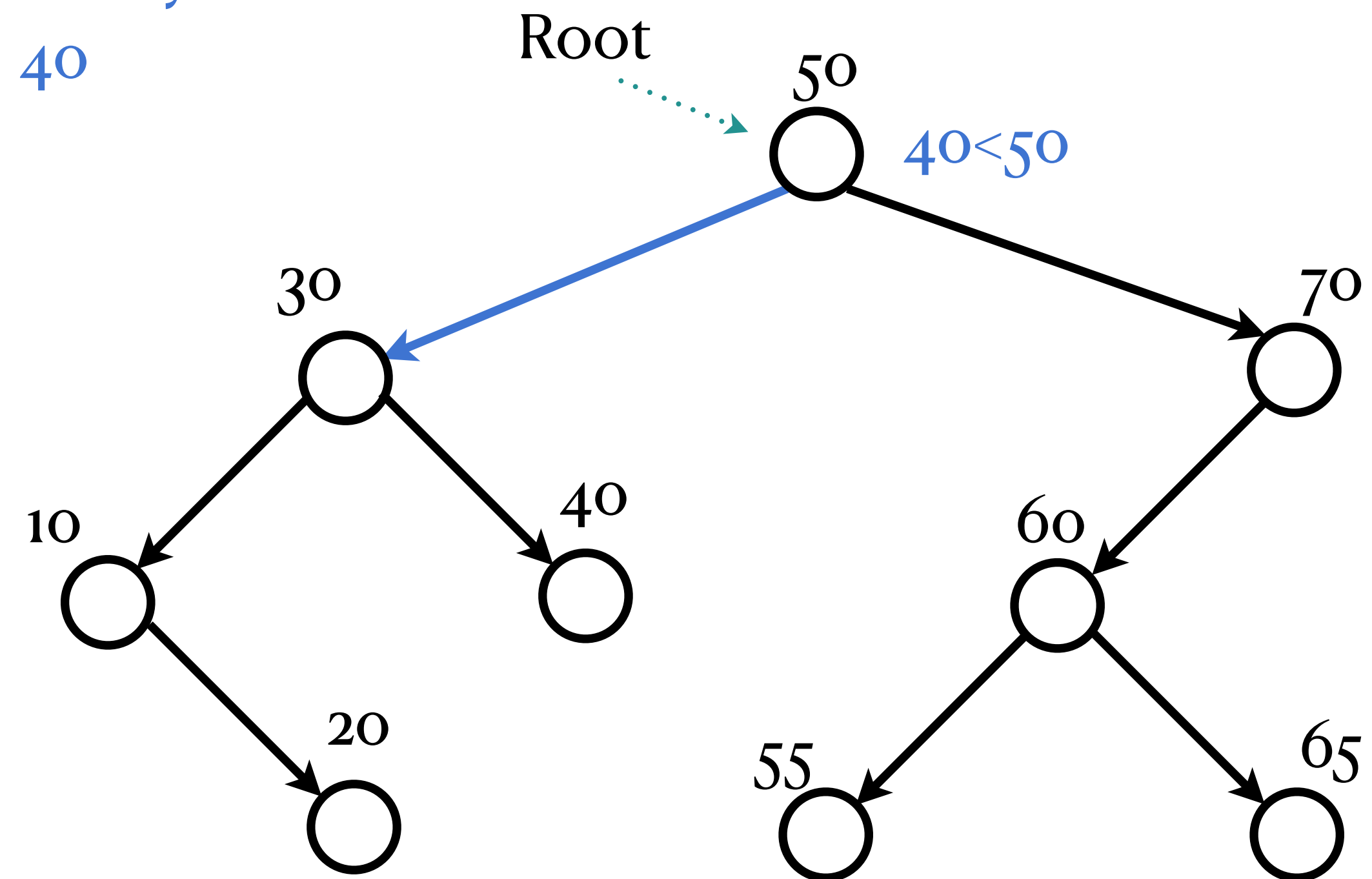
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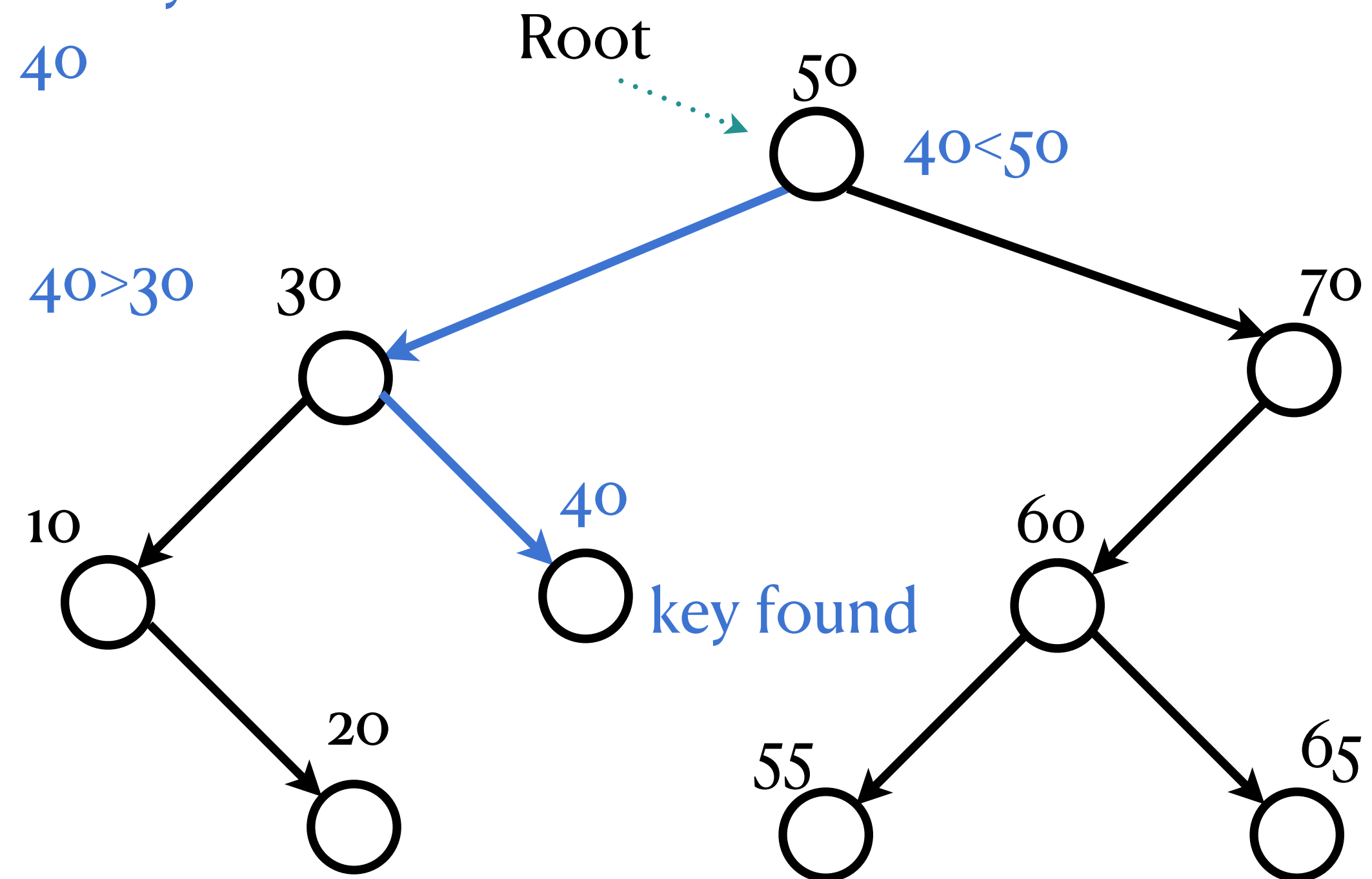
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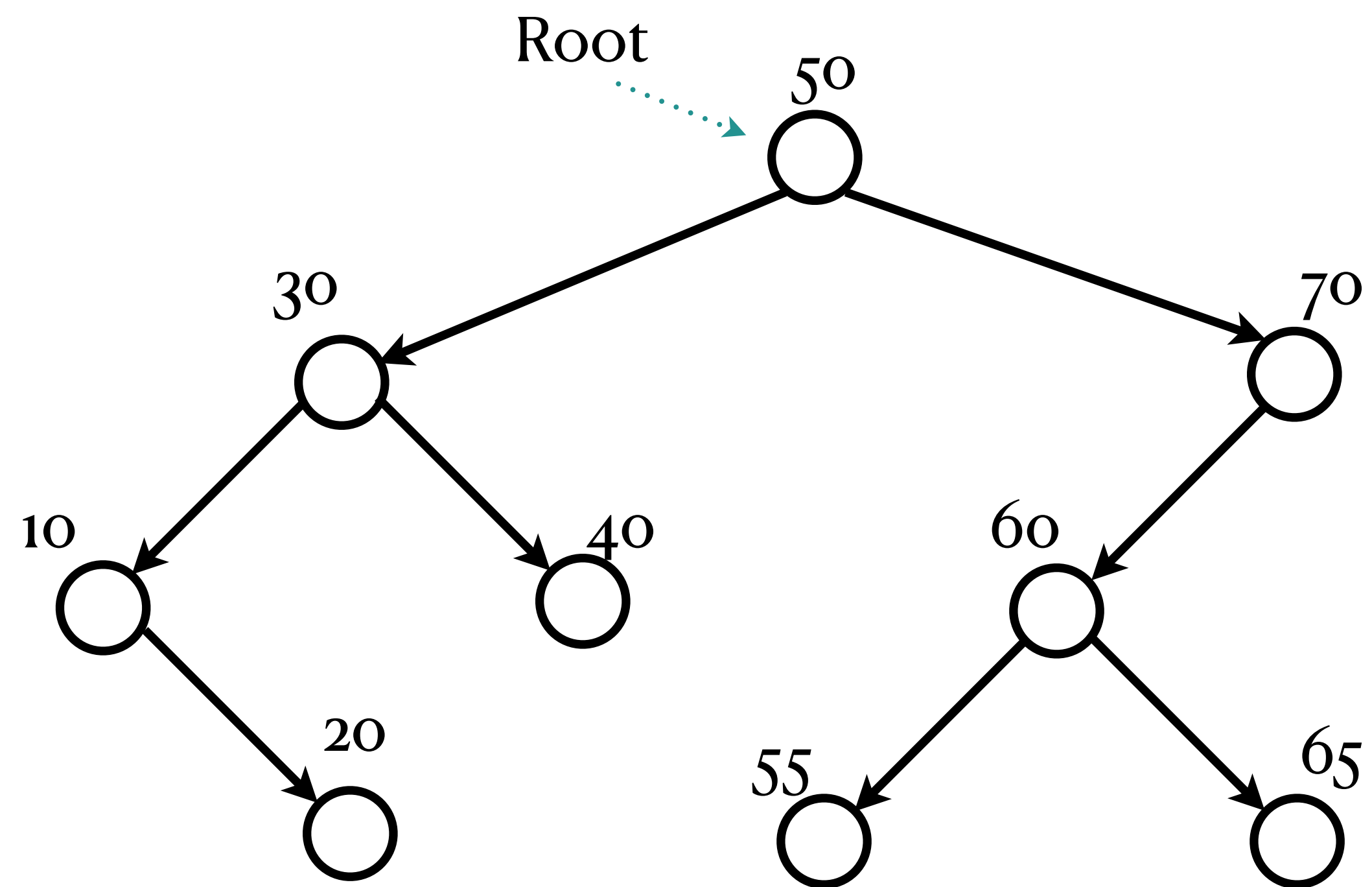
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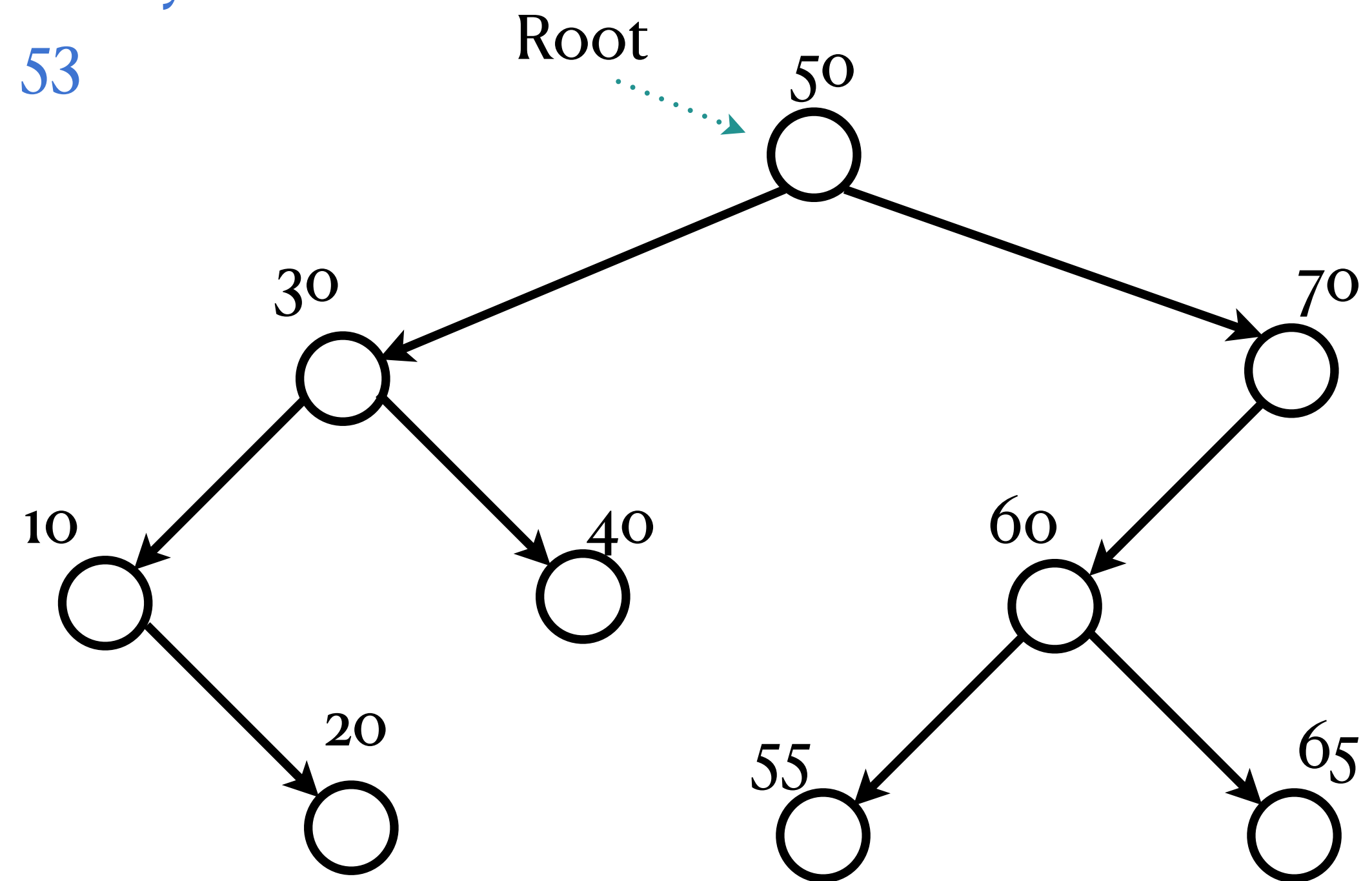


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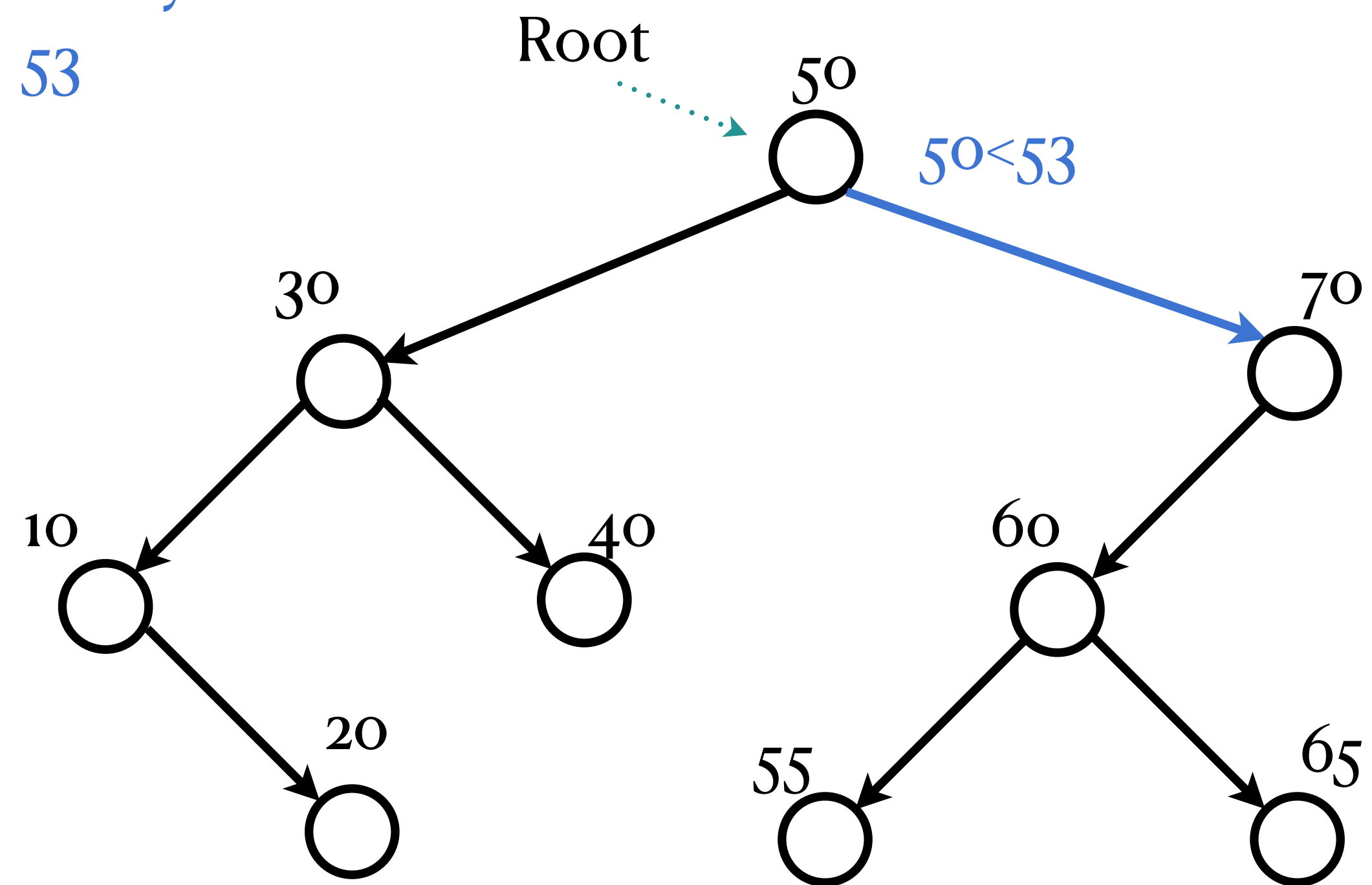
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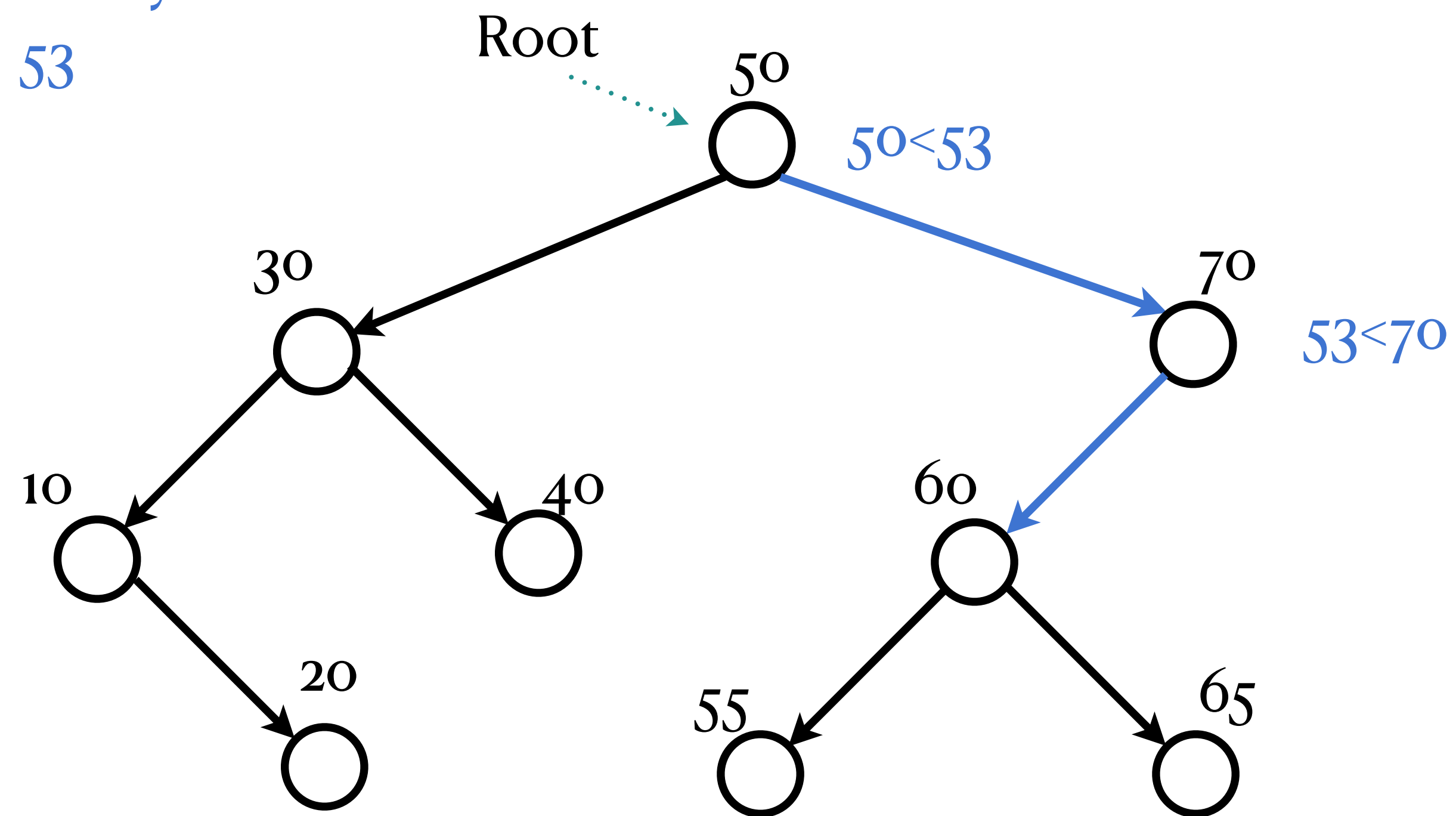
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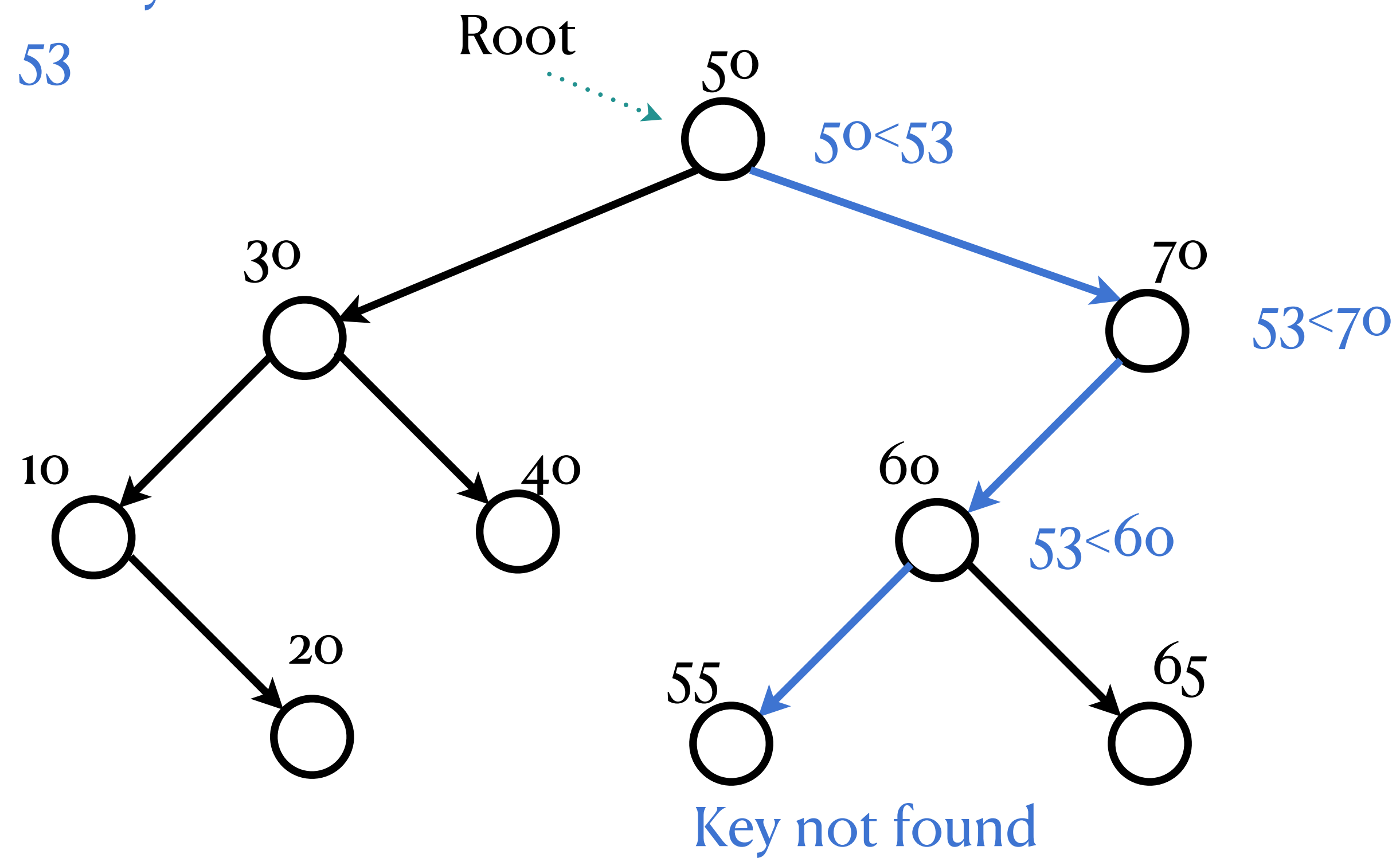
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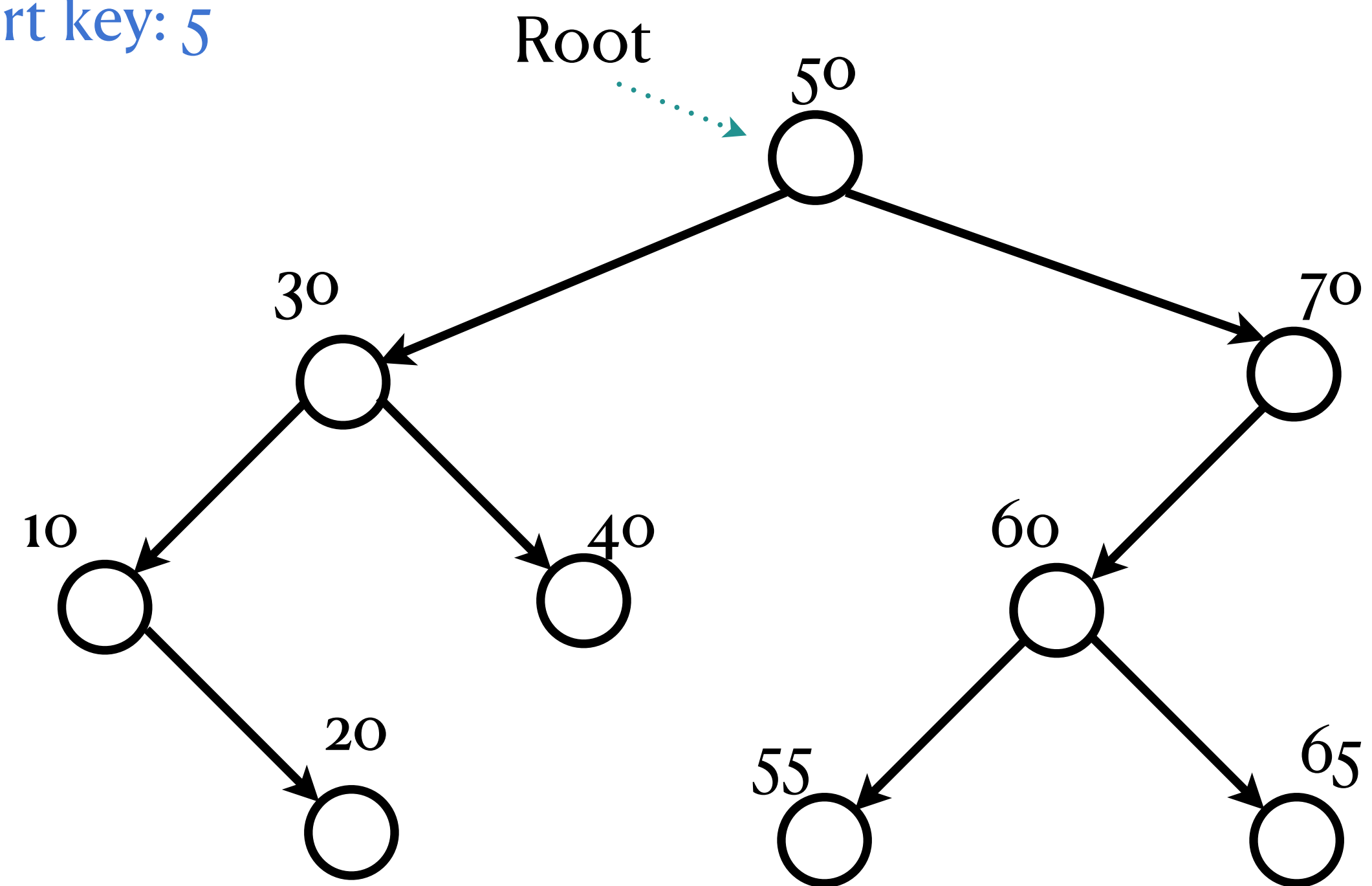
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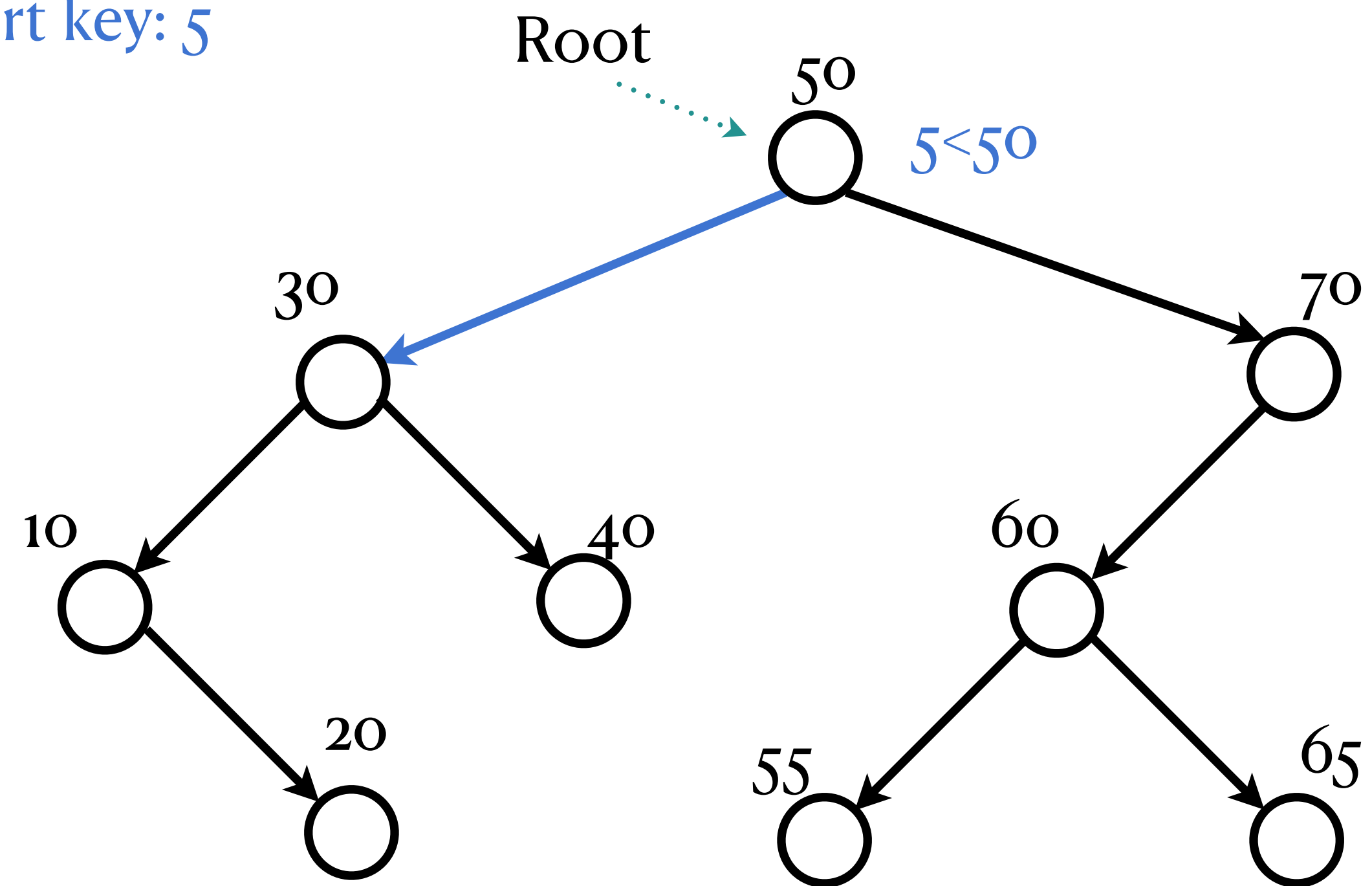
BST: Insertion

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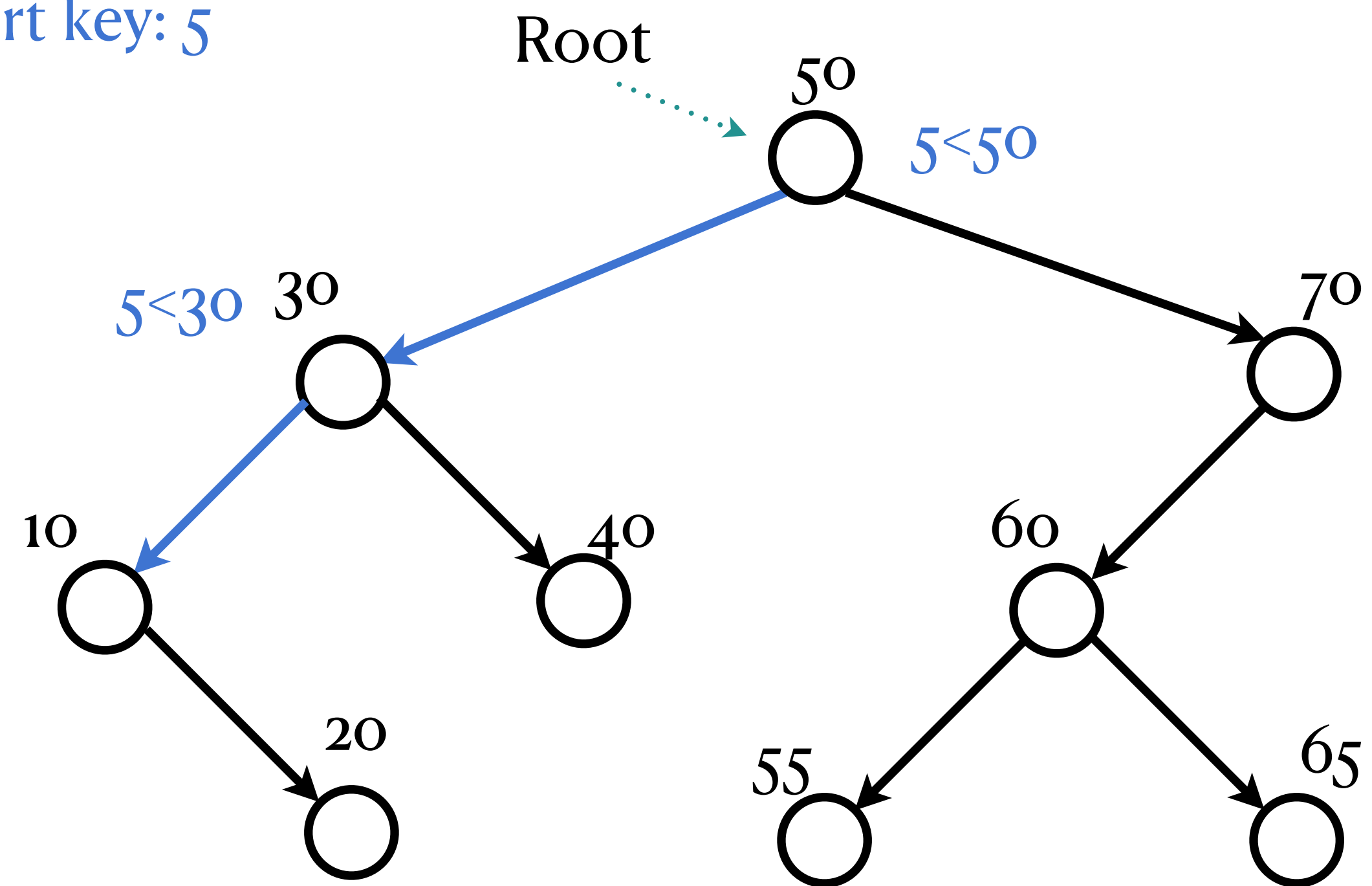
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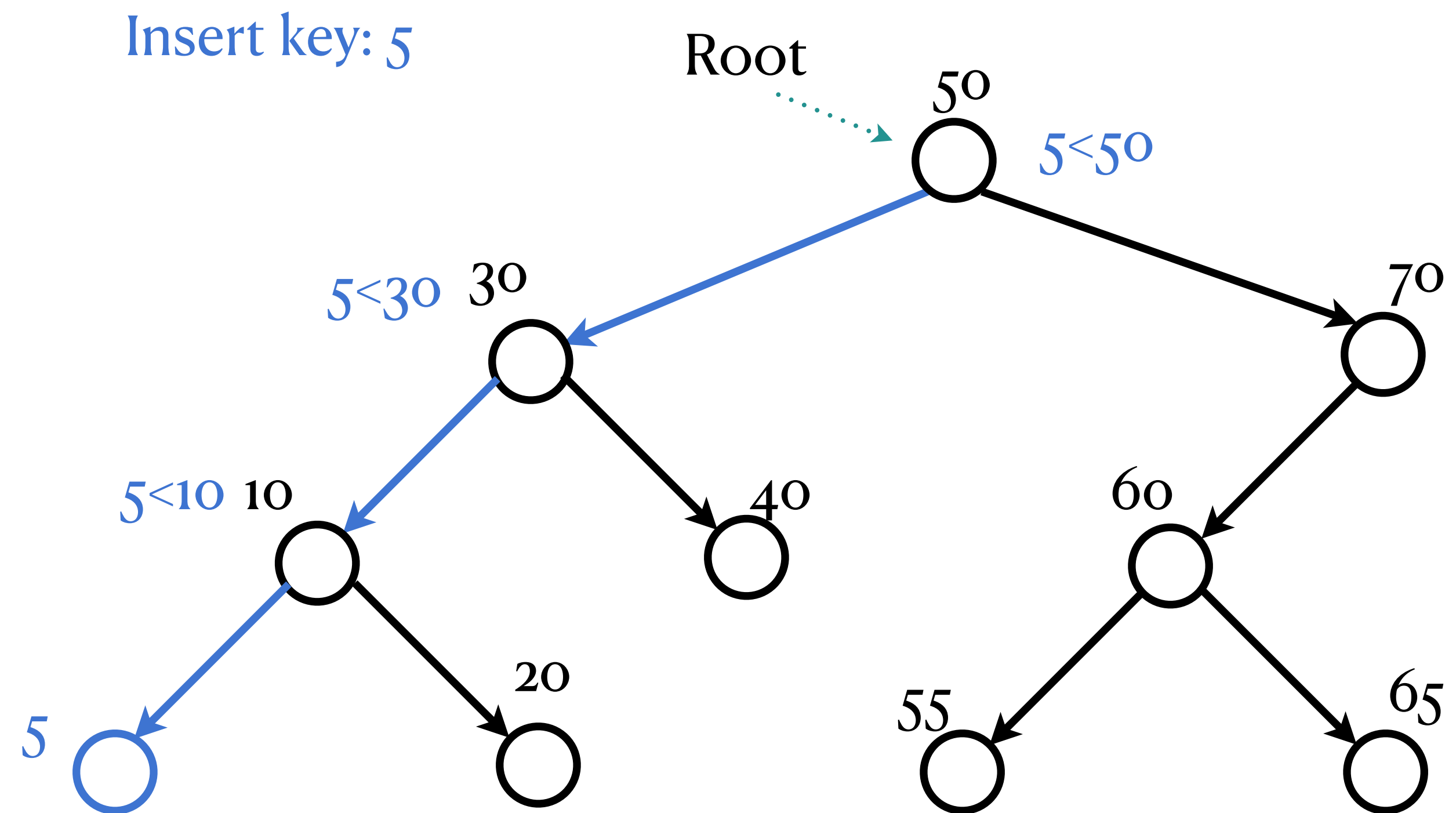


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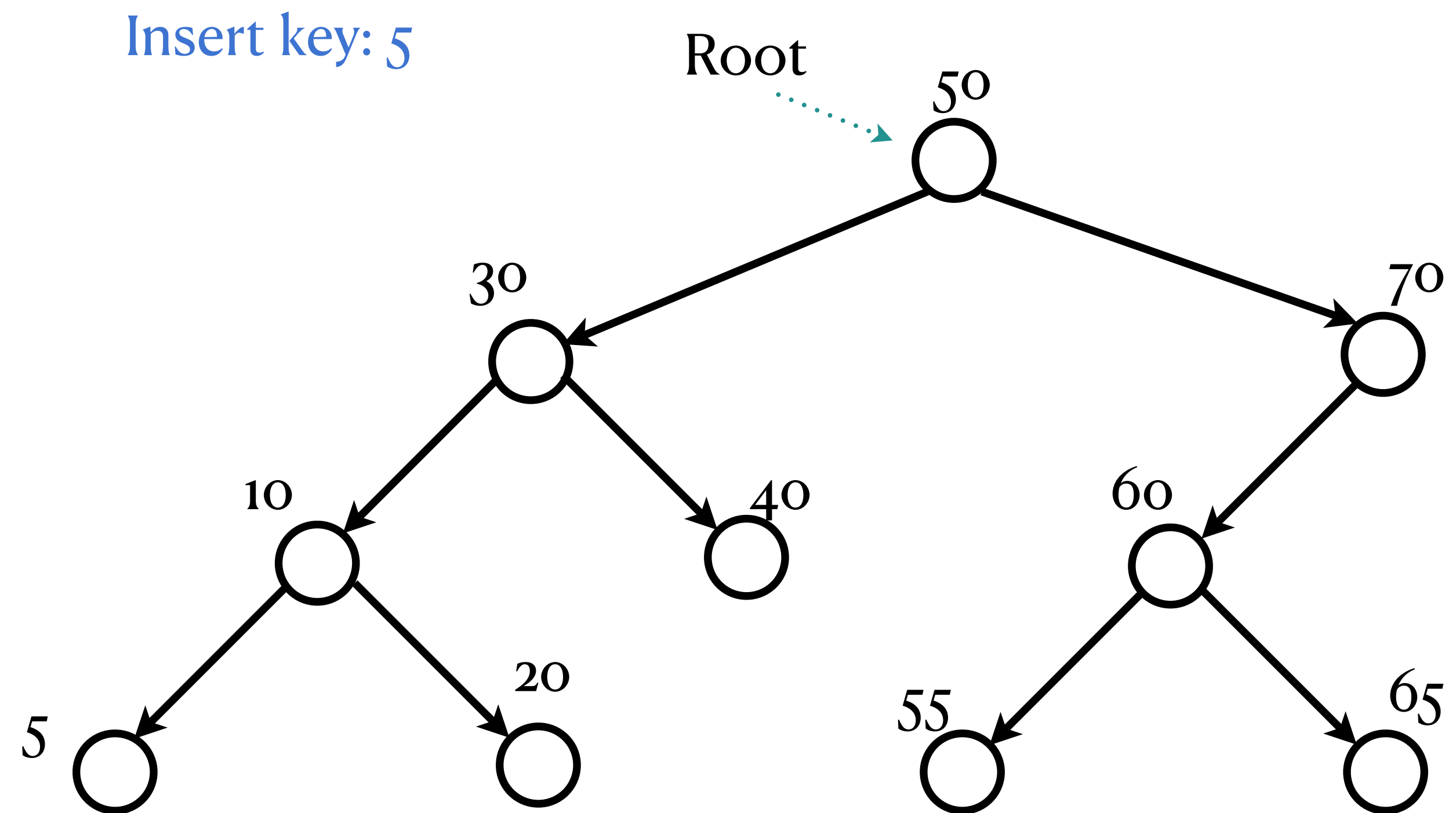
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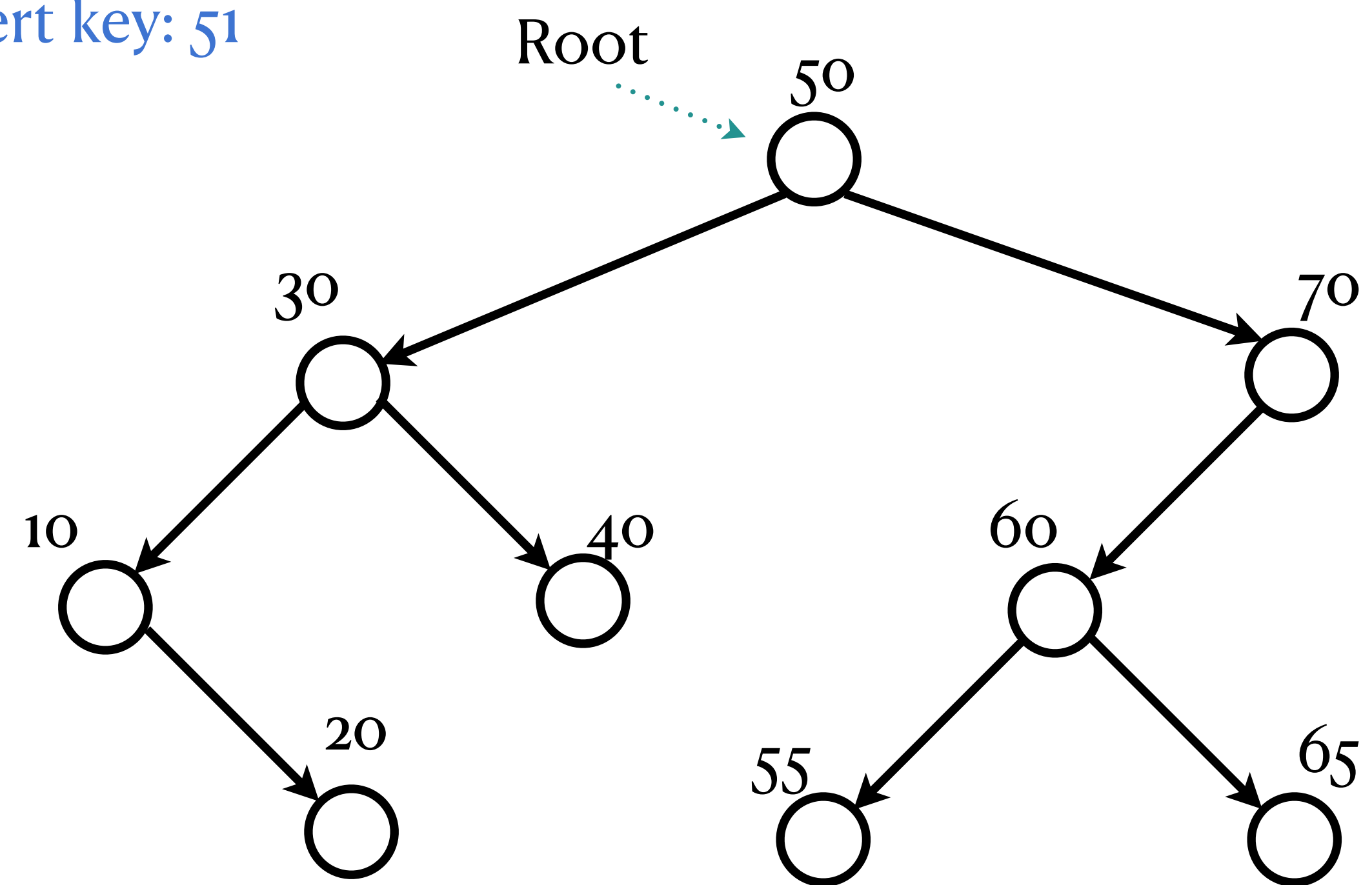


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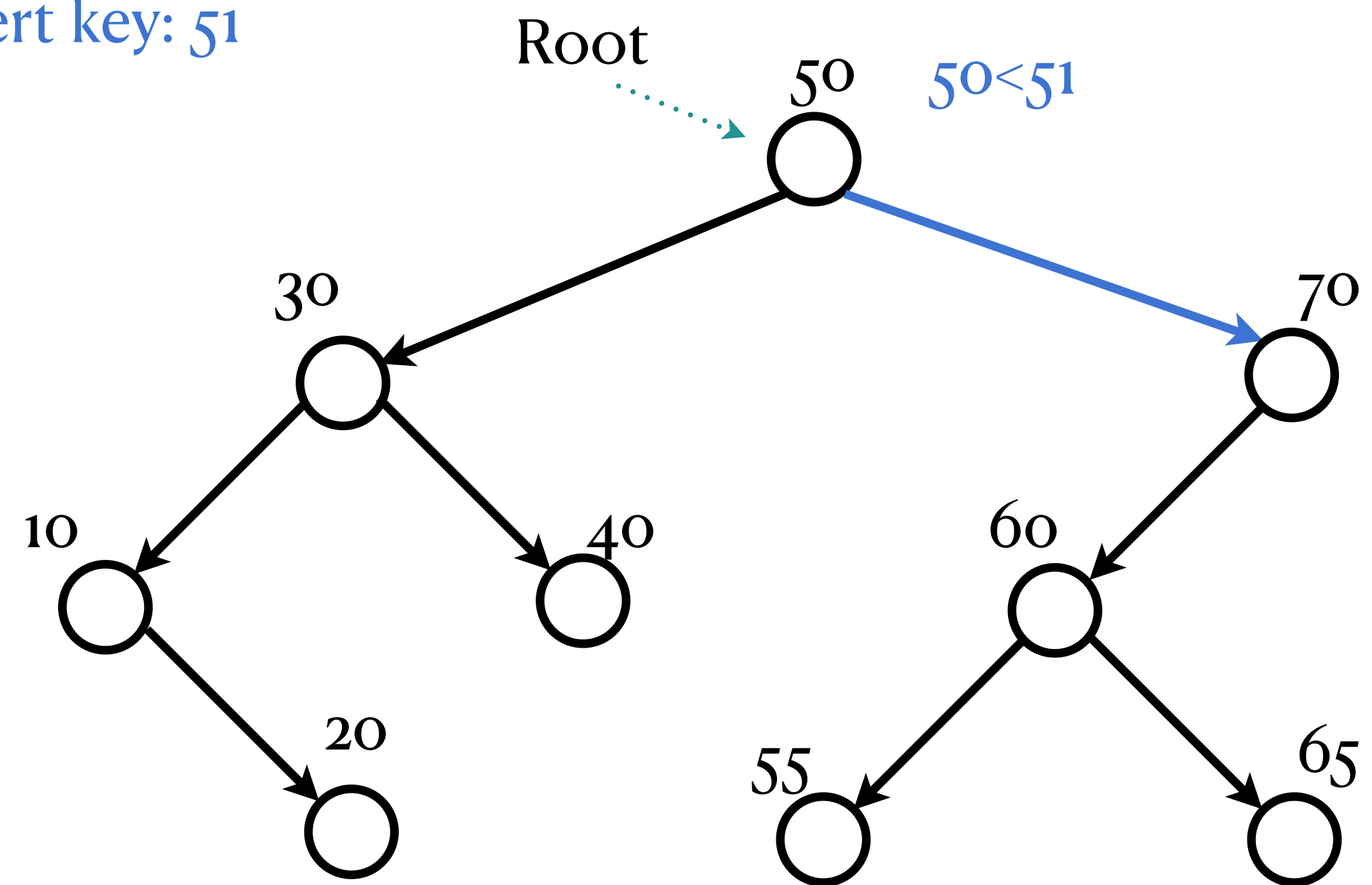
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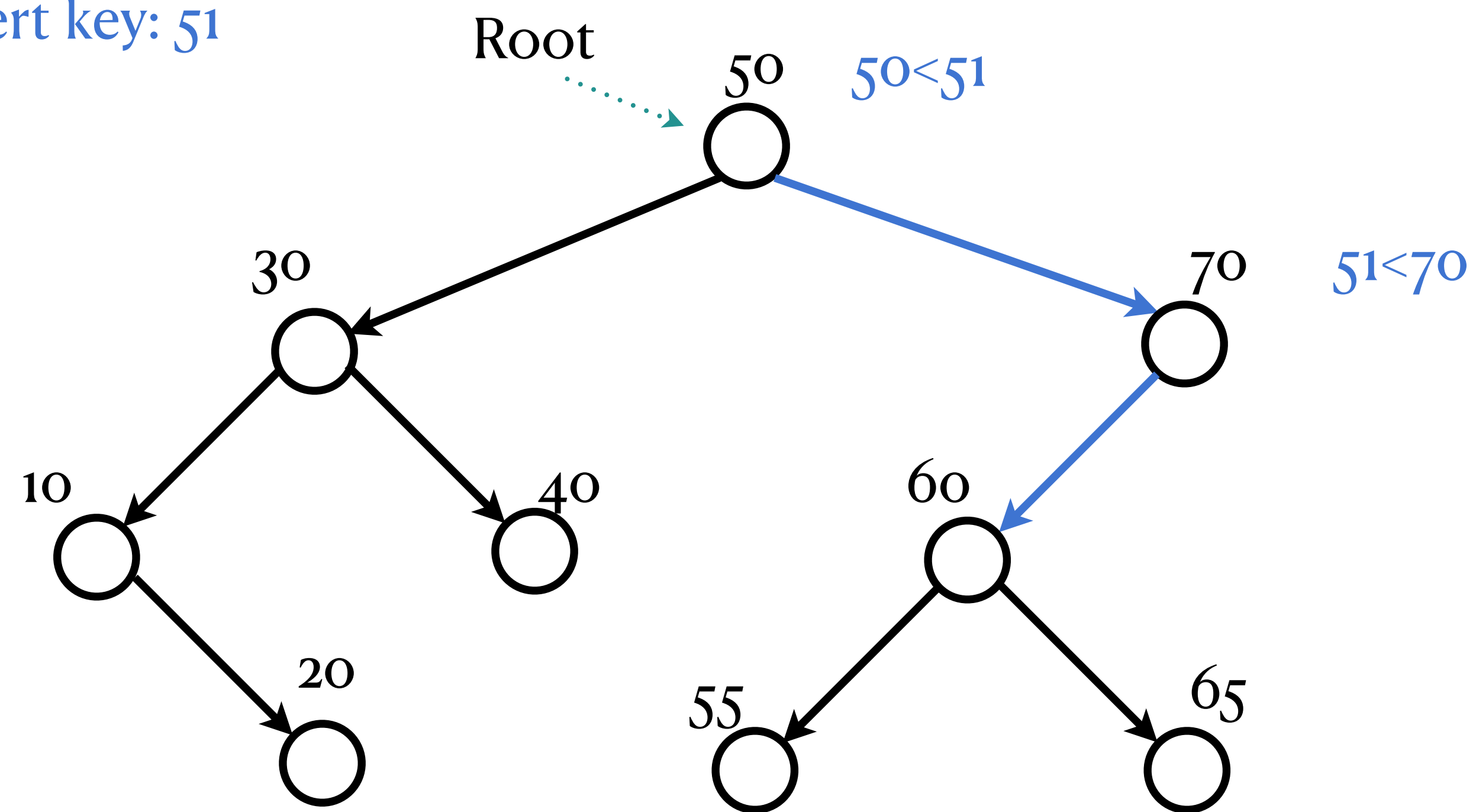
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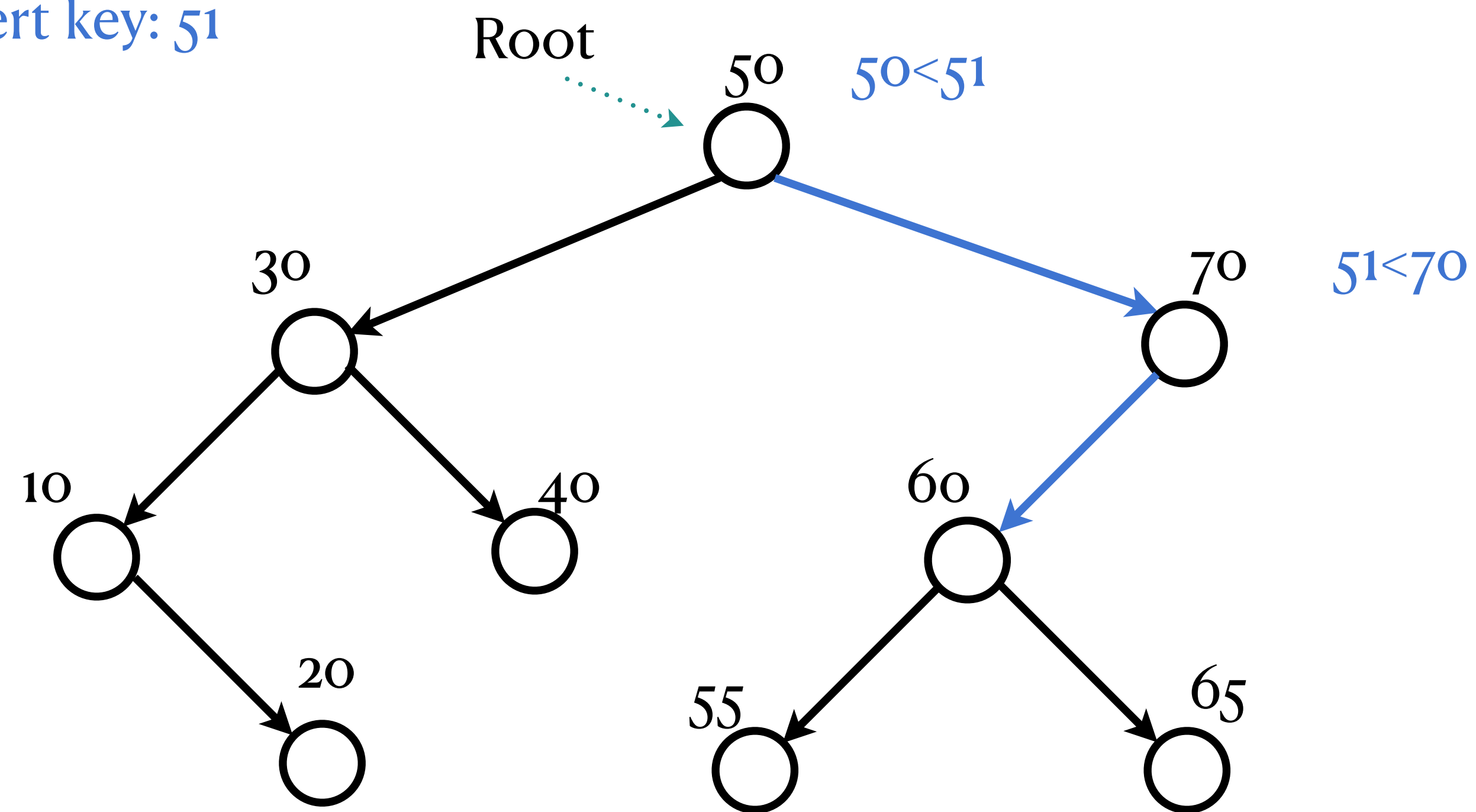
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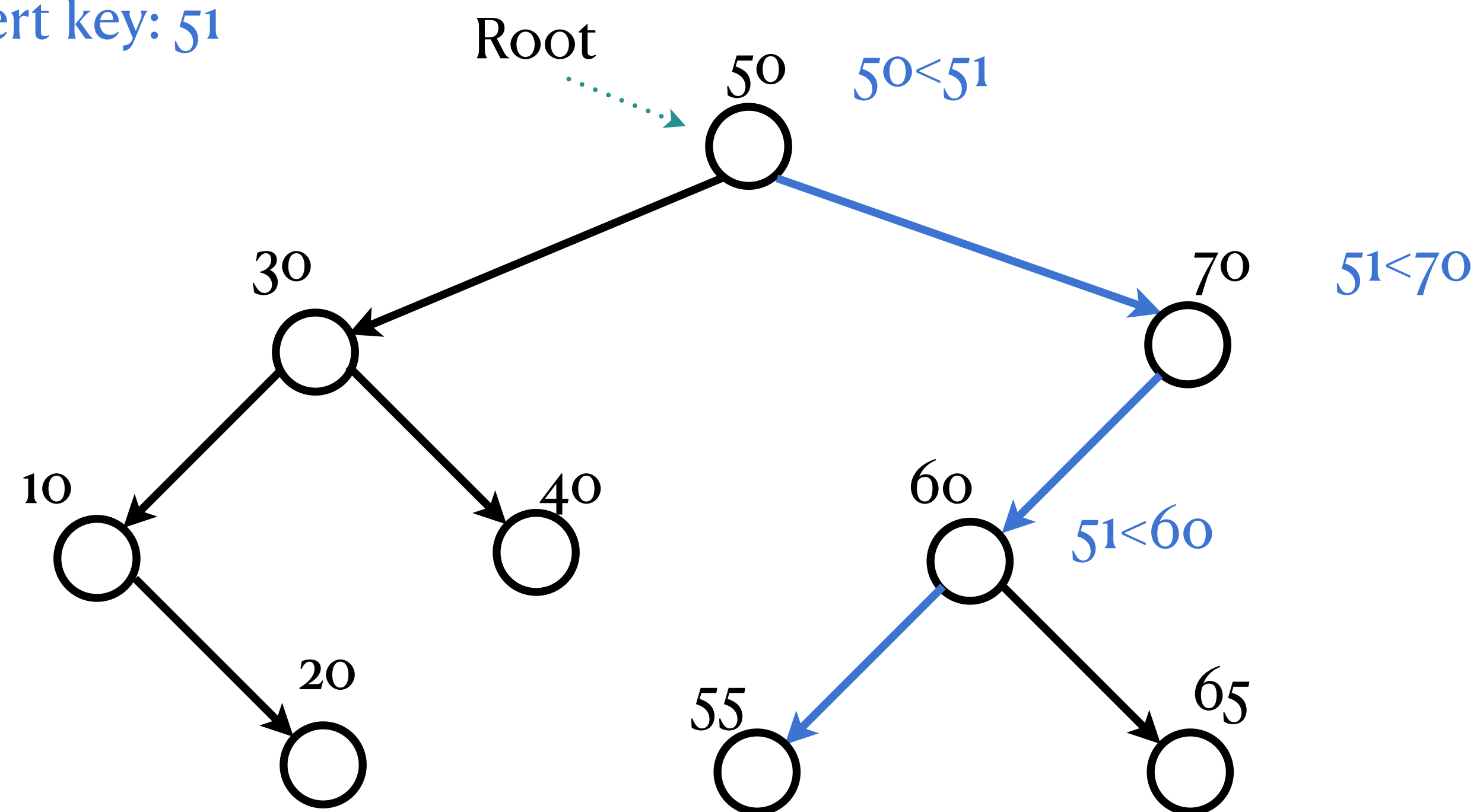
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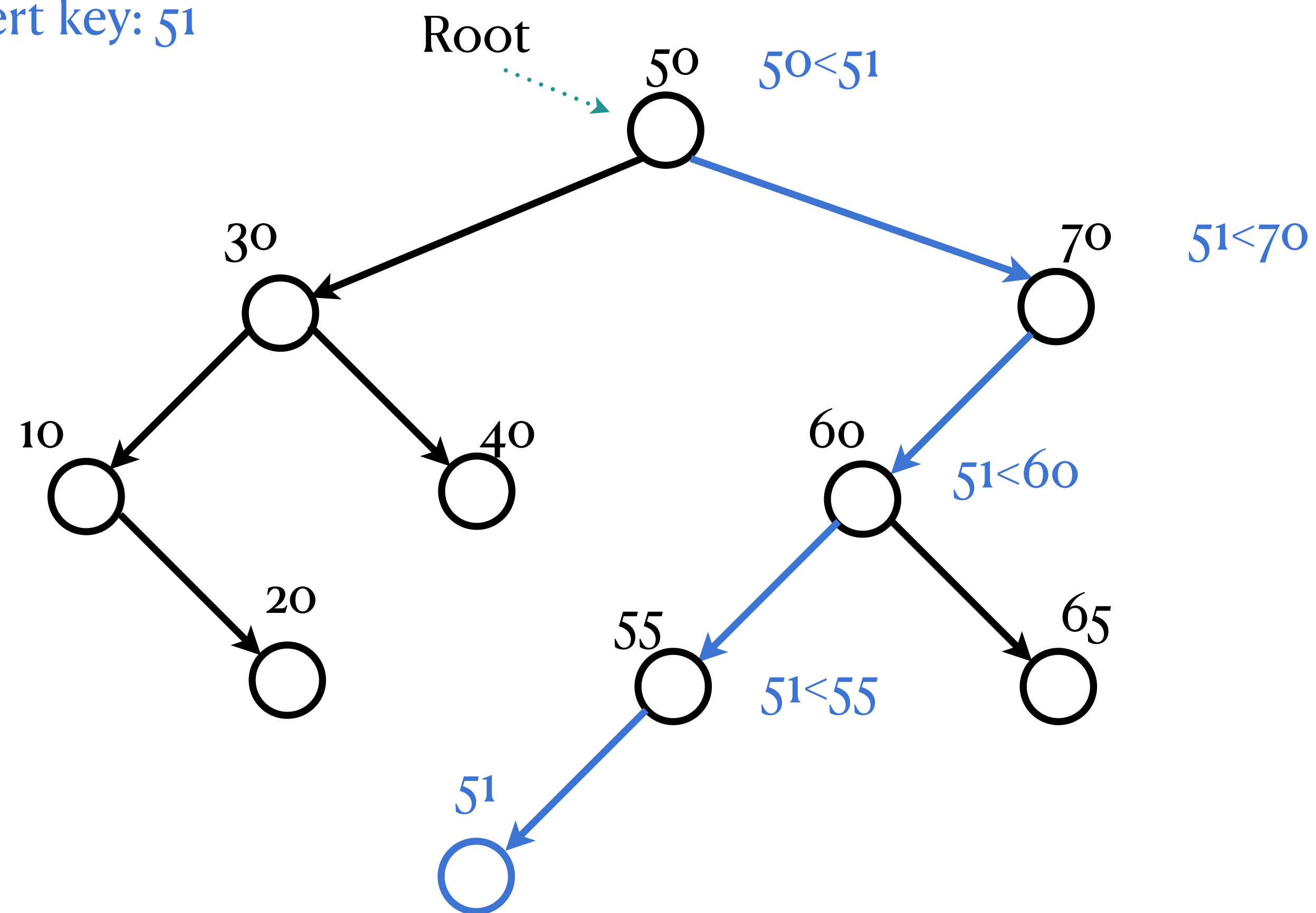
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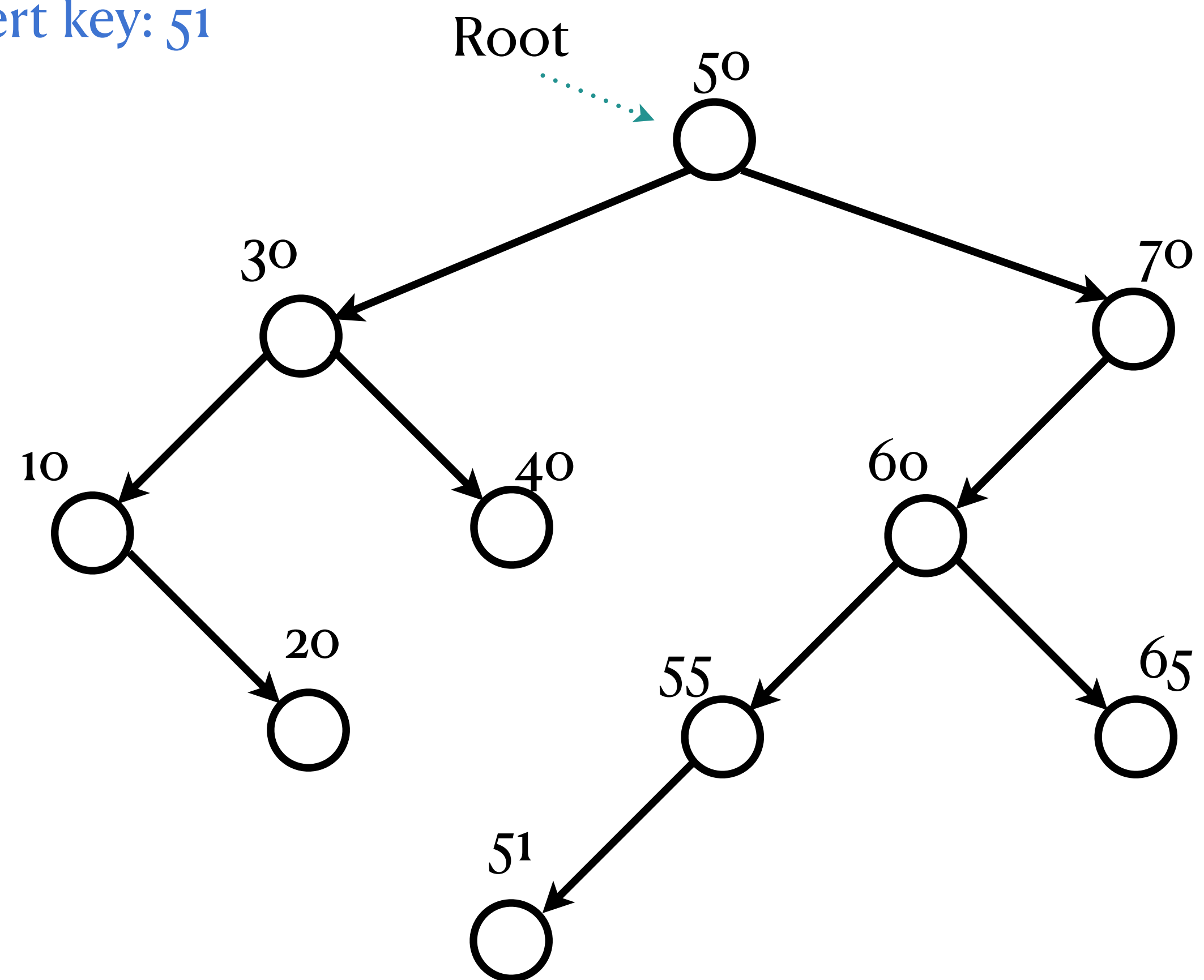
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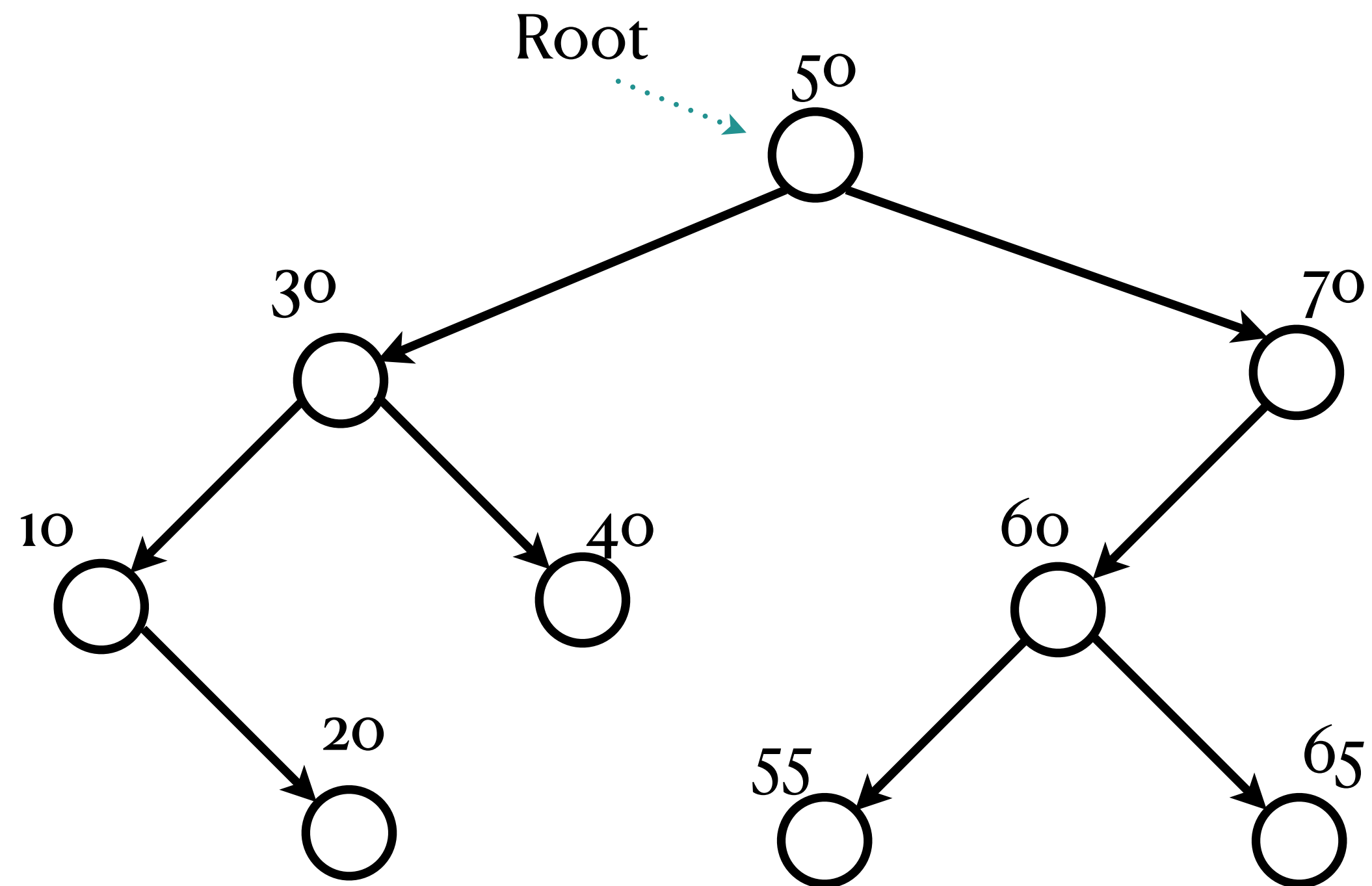


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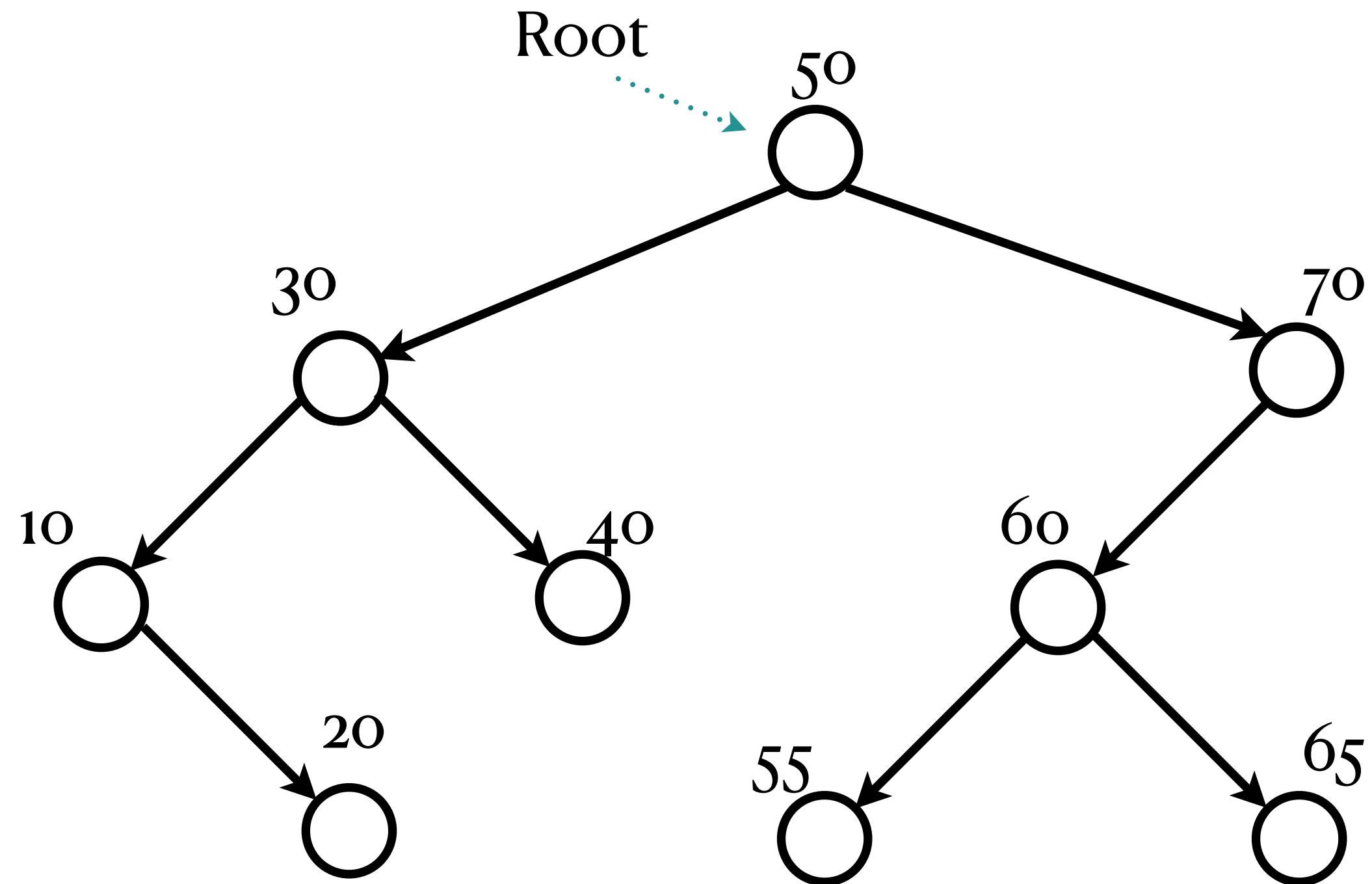


BST: Deletion



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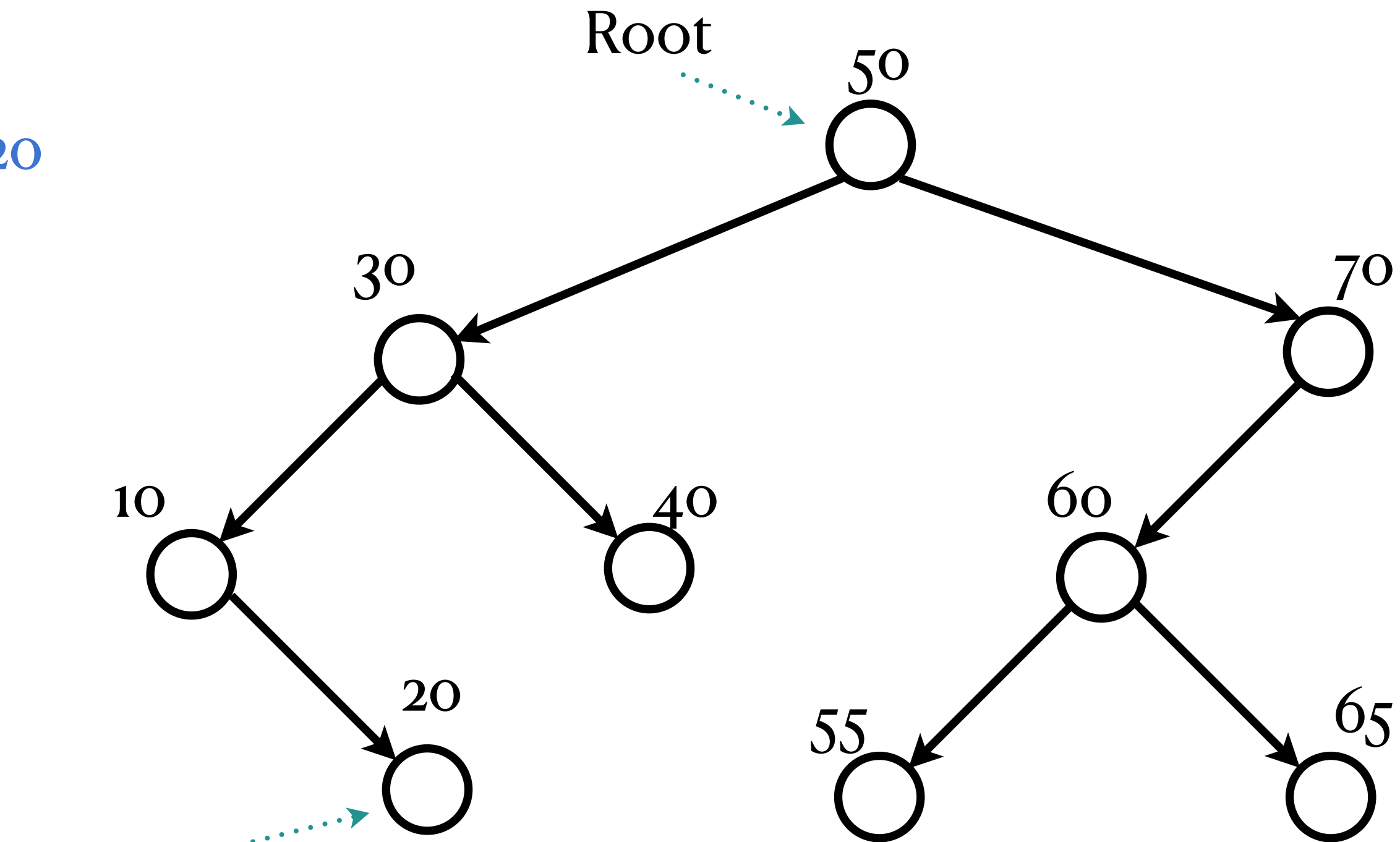
Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node



BST: Deletion

Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node

Deletion key: 20

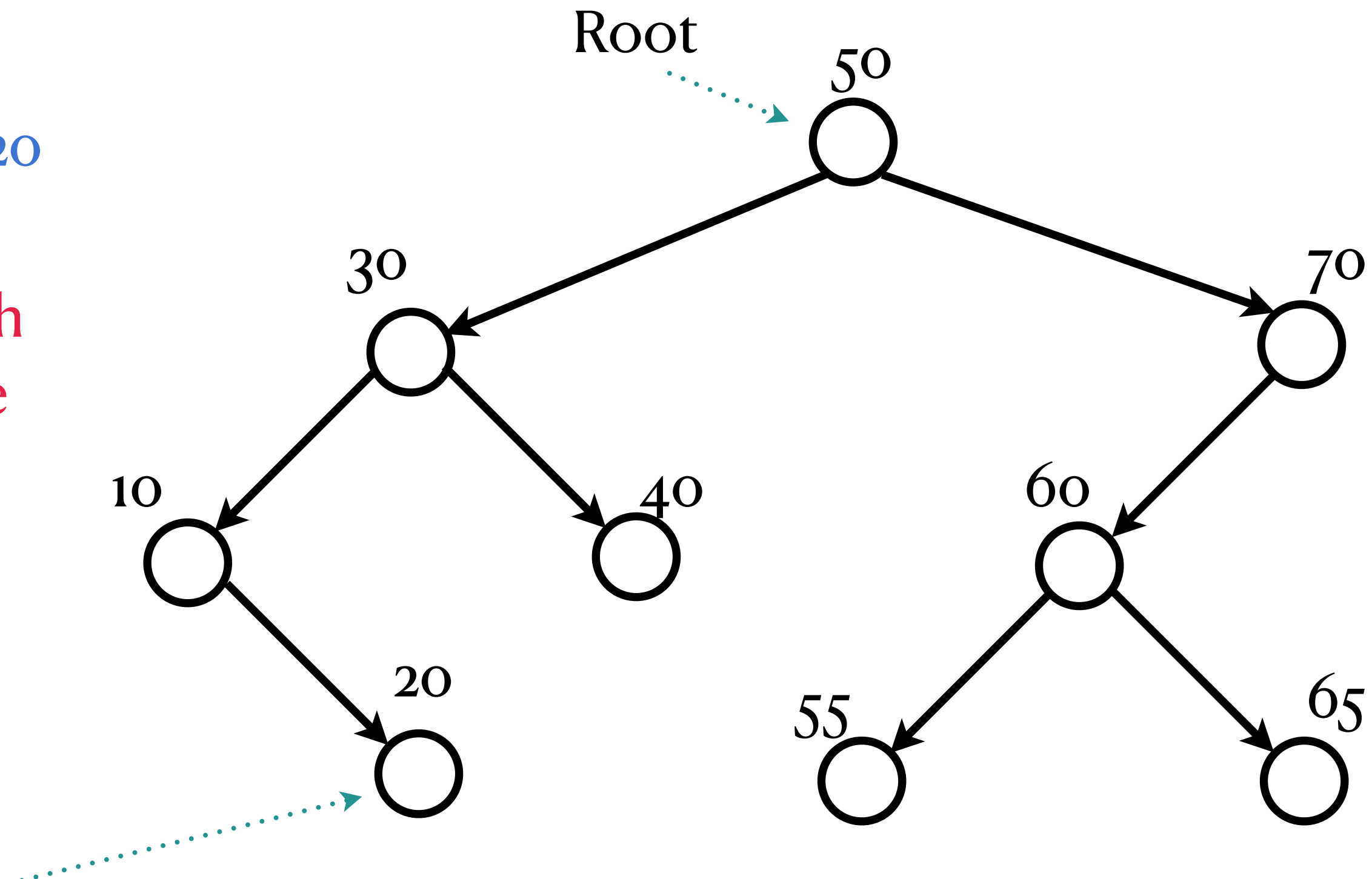


BST: Deletion

Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node

Deletion key: 20

Step 1: Search
for the node

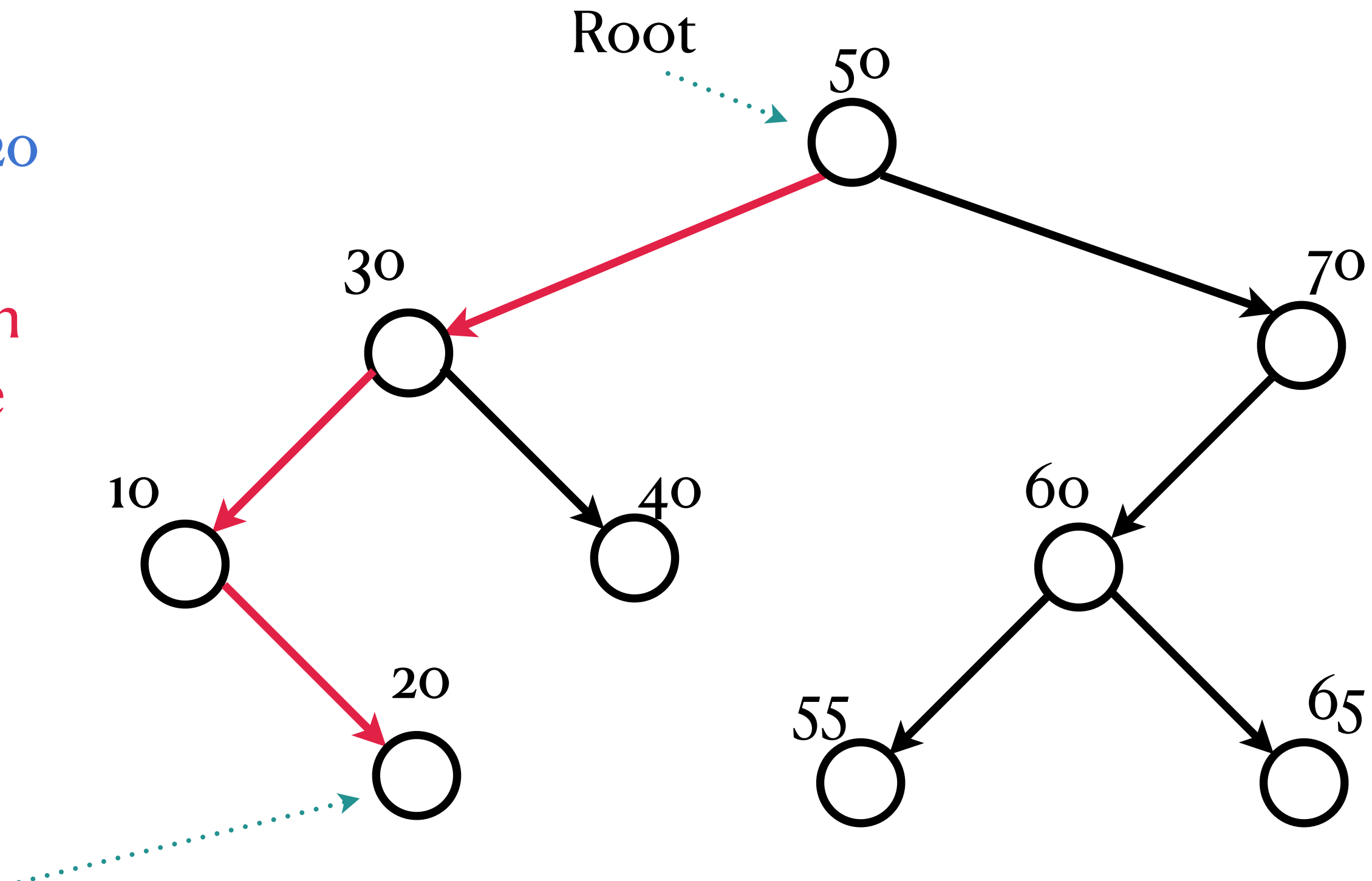


BST: Deletion

Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node

Deletion key: 20

Step 1: Search
for the node



20 is a leaf node (it has
no children)

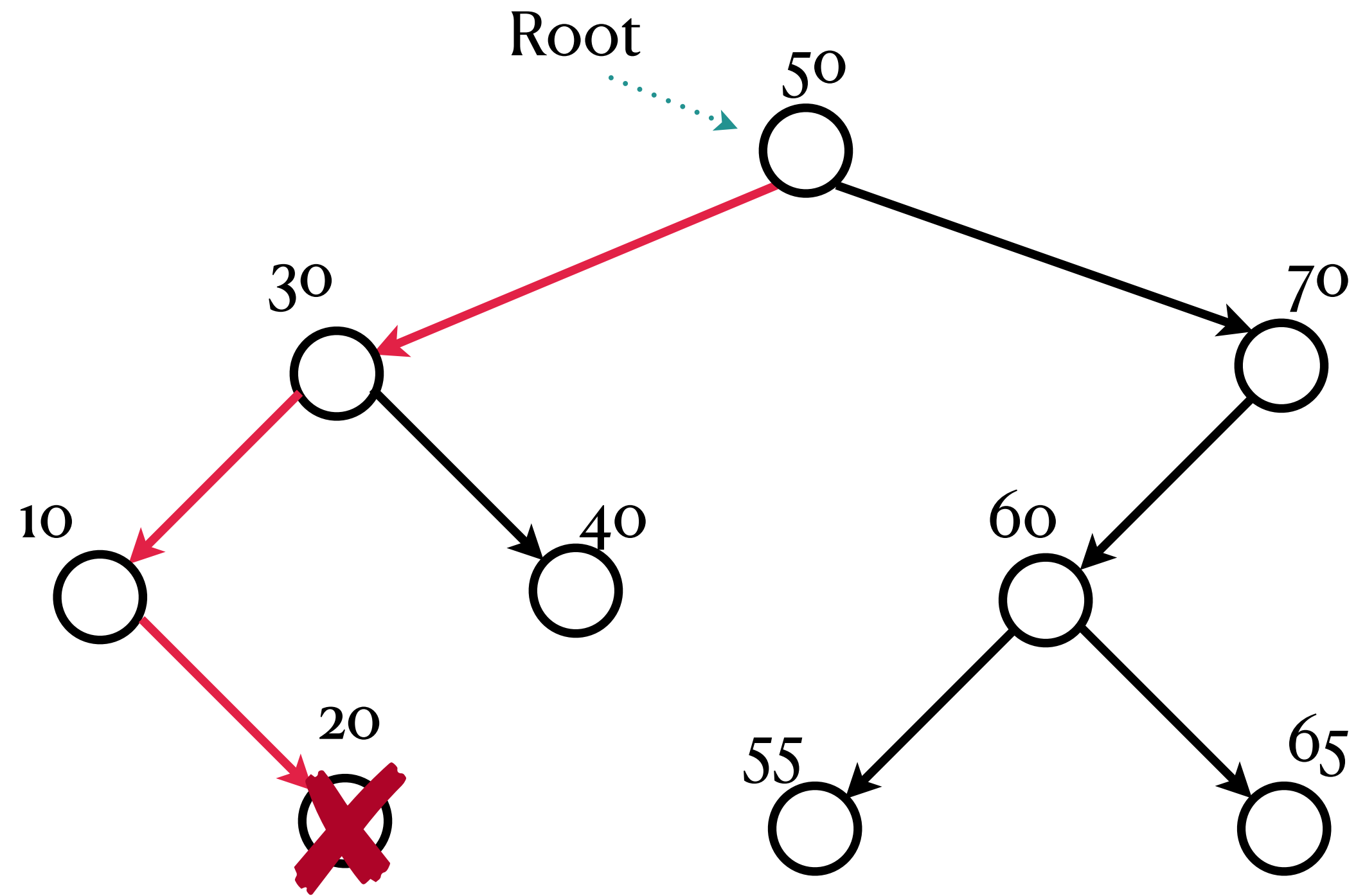
BST: Deletion

Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node

Deletion key: 20

Step 1: Search
for the node

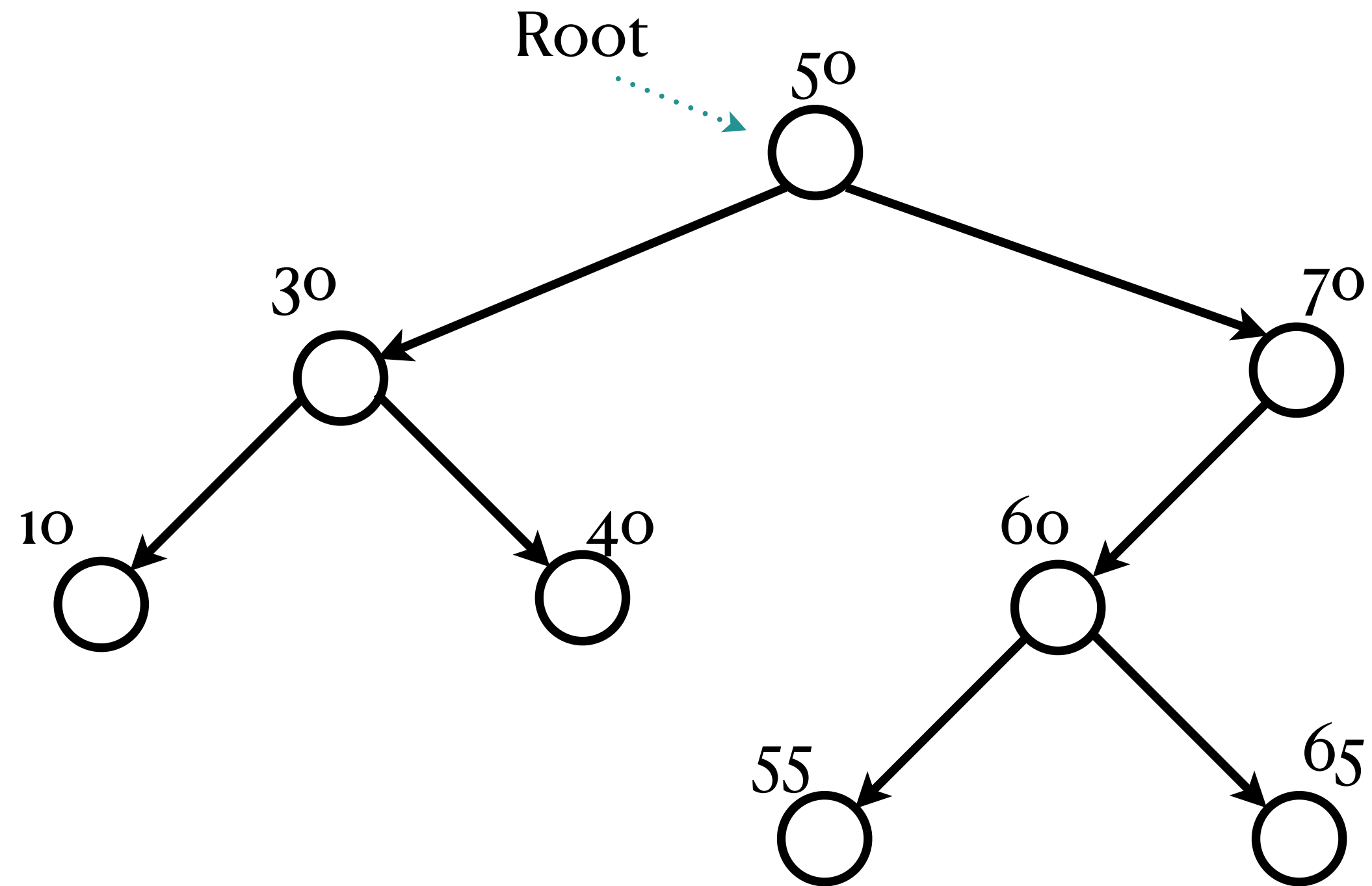
Step 2: Remove
the node and
update the
parent



BST: Deletion

Case 1: Deleting a
leaf Node

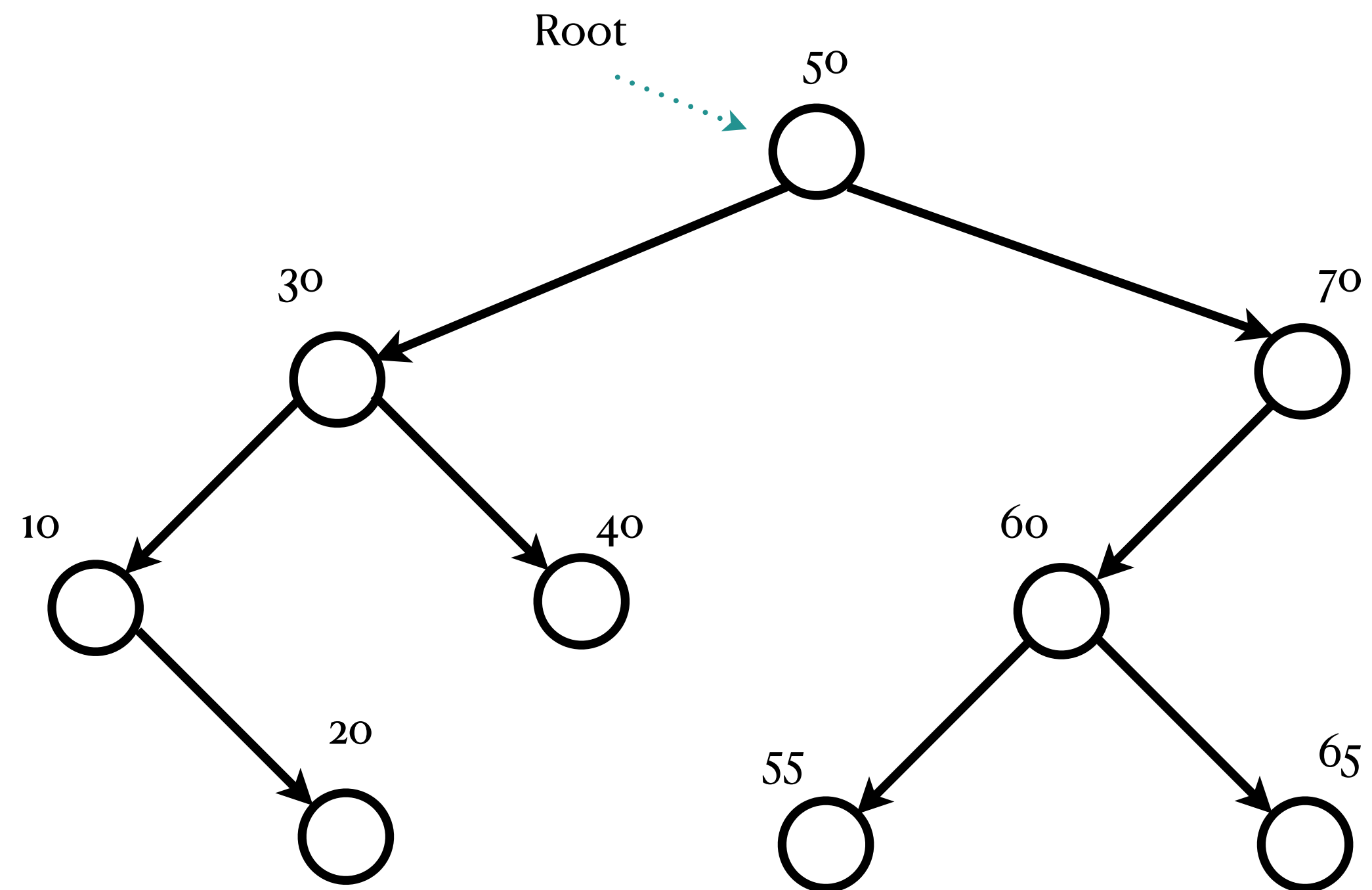
Deletion key: 20



BST: Deletion

Case 2: Deleting
a node with
exactly one child

Deletion
key: 10

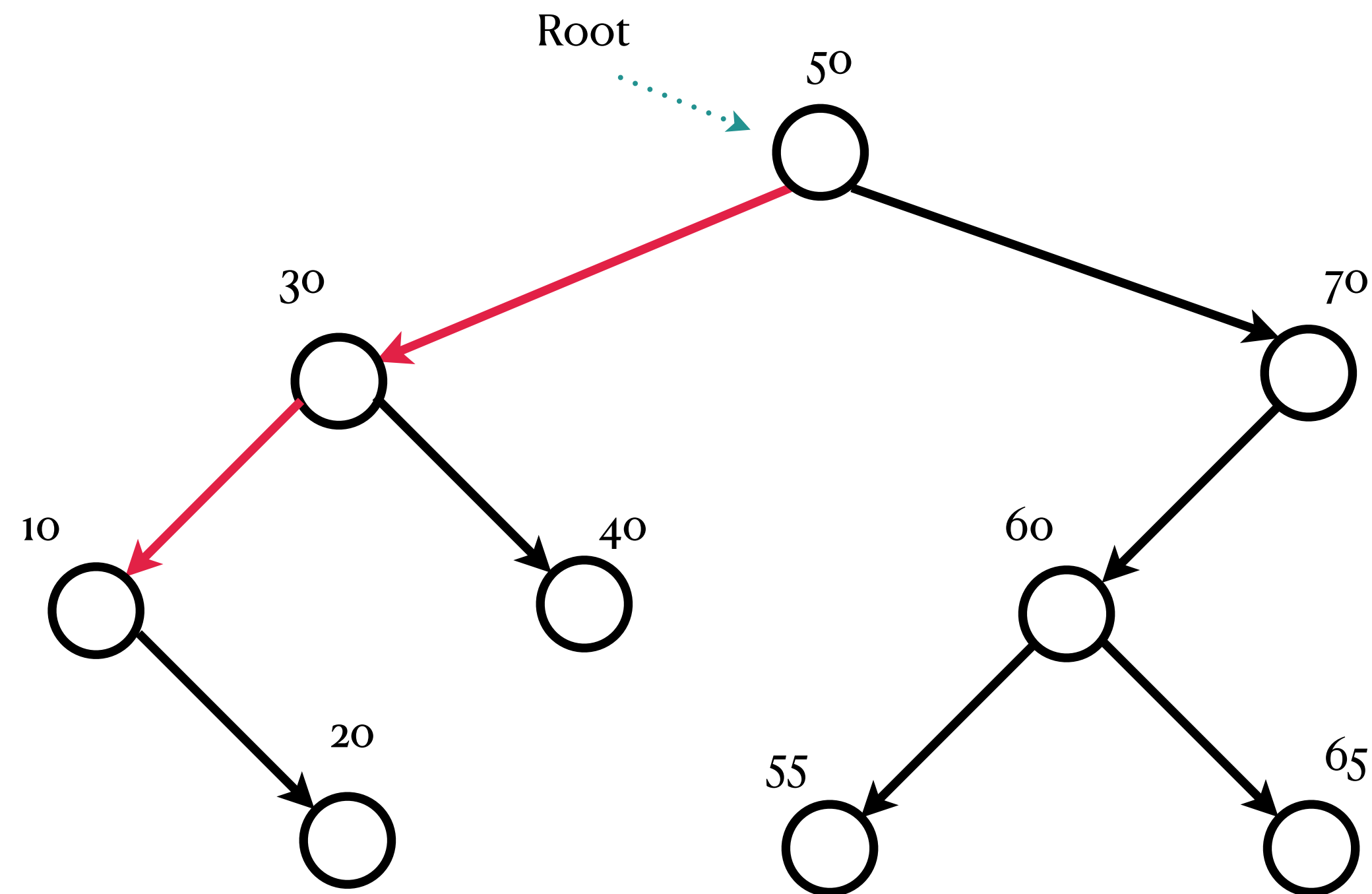


BST: Deletion

Case 2: Deleting
a node with
exactly one child

Deletion
key: 10

Step 1: Search
for the node

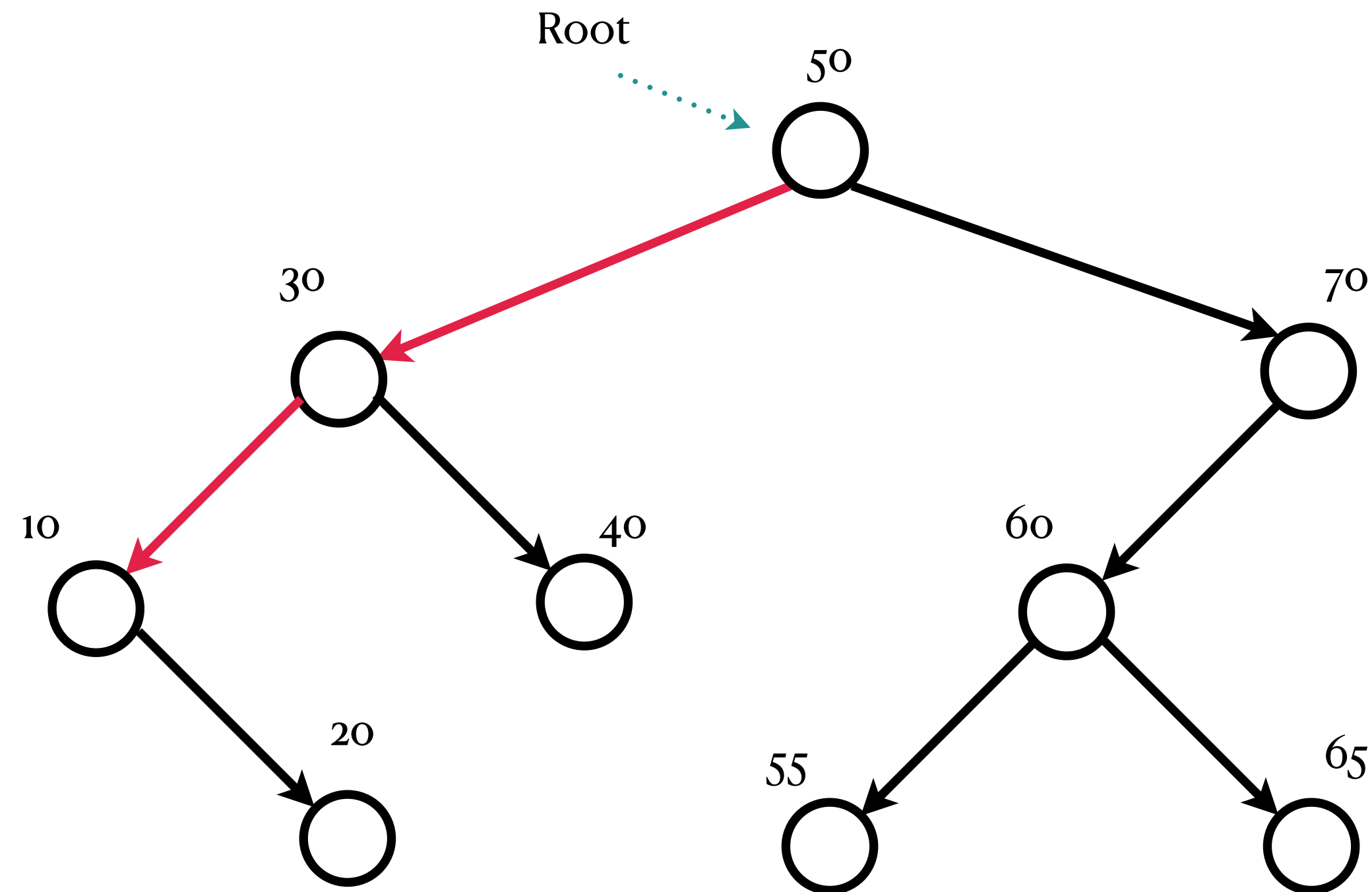


BST: Deletion

Case 2: Deleting
a node with
exactly one child

Deletion
key: 10

Step 1: Search
for the node



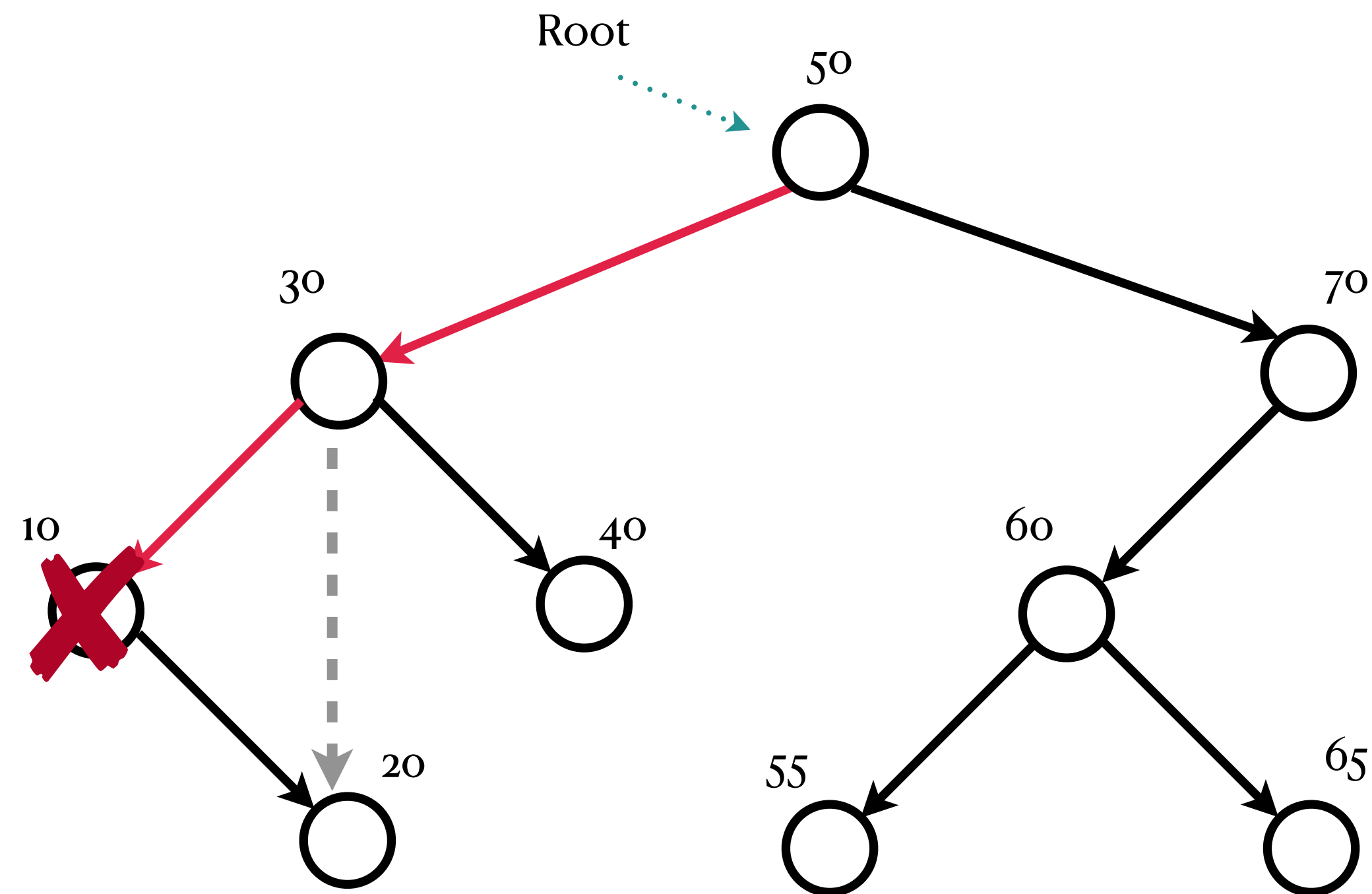
BST: Deletion

Case 2: Deleting
a node with
exactly one child

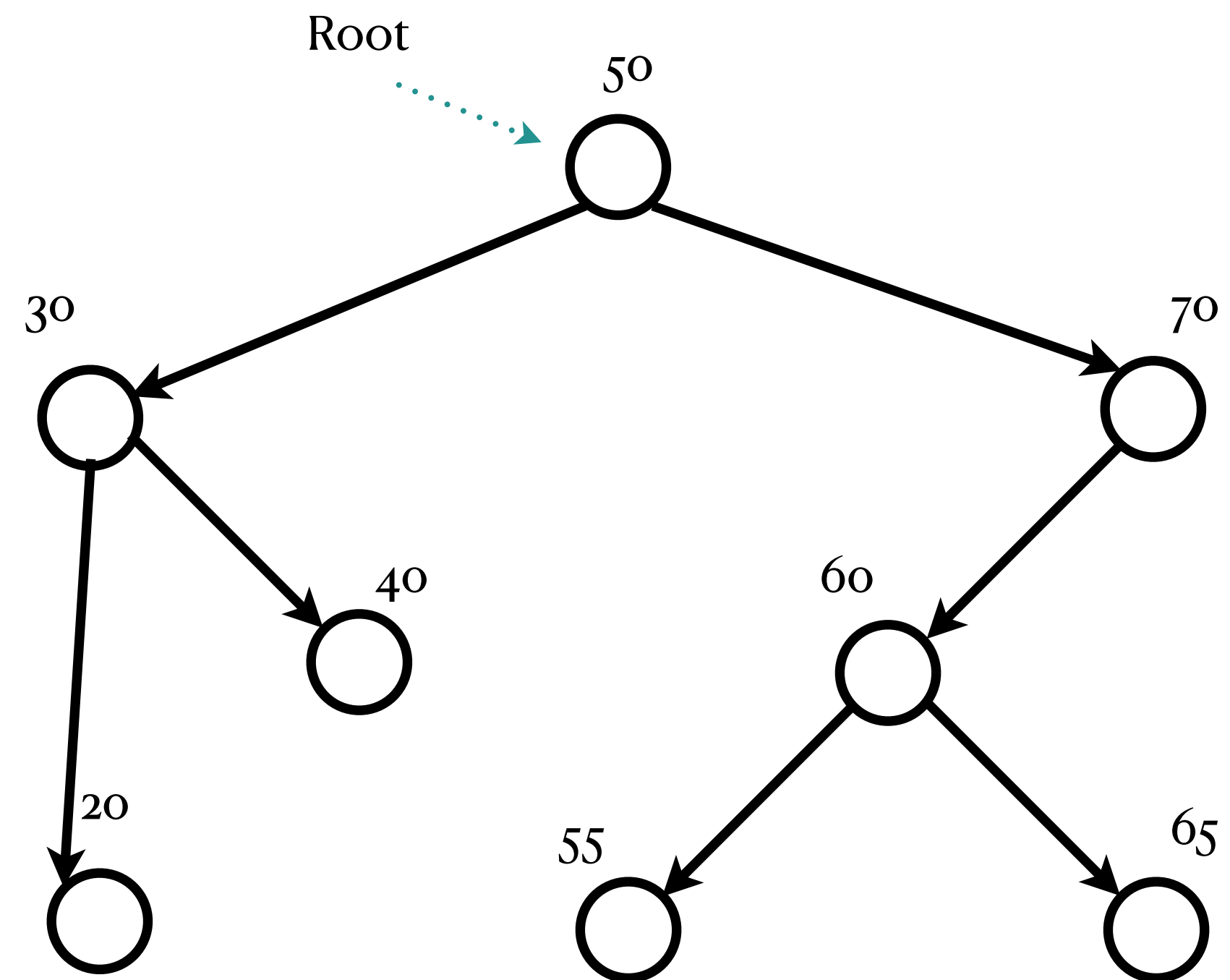
Deletion
key: 10

Step 1: Search
for the node

Step 2: Remove
the node and
update the
parent



BST: Deletion

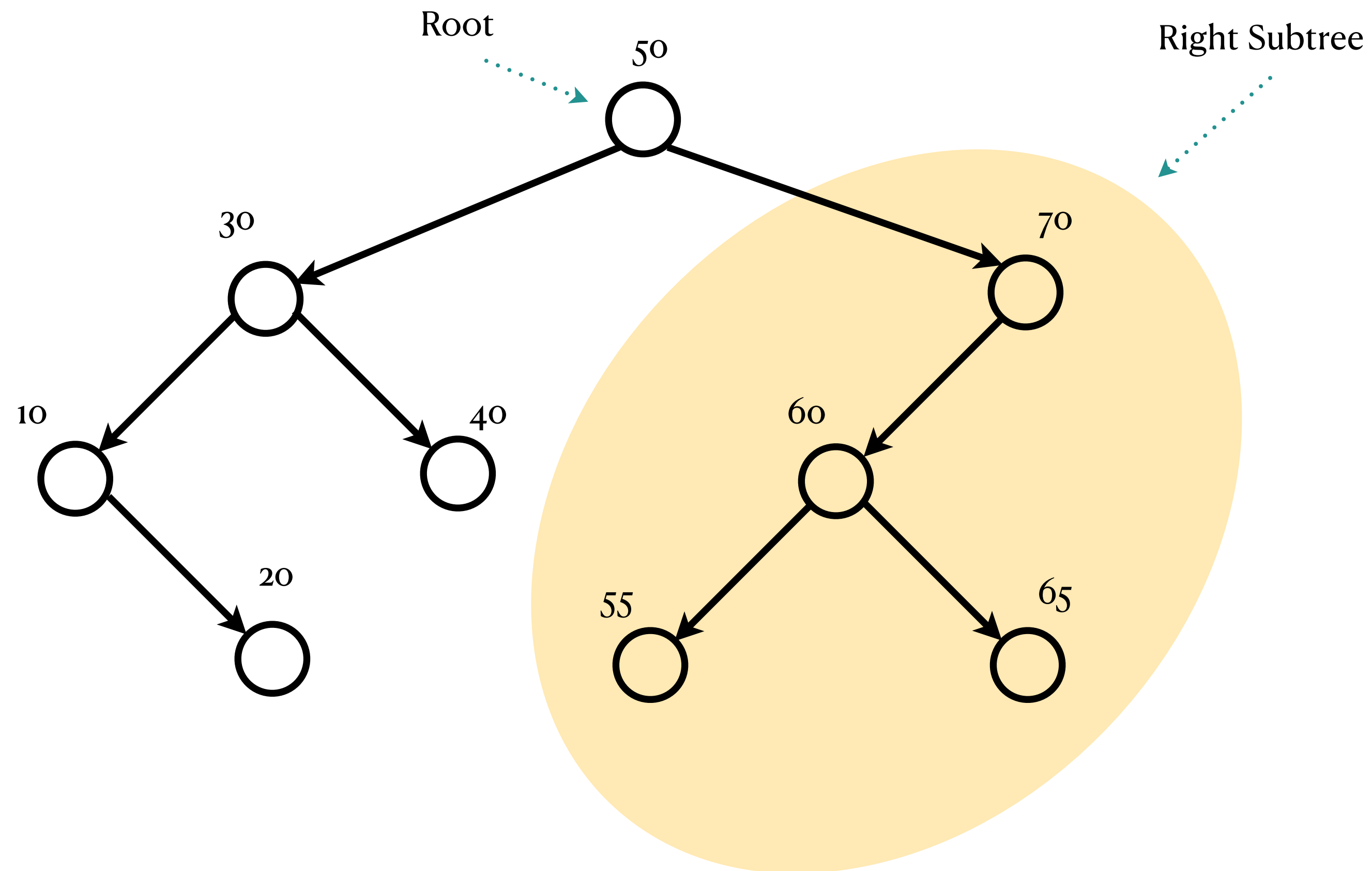


BST: Deletion

Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 1: Find the
smallest element in
right subtree



BST: Deletion

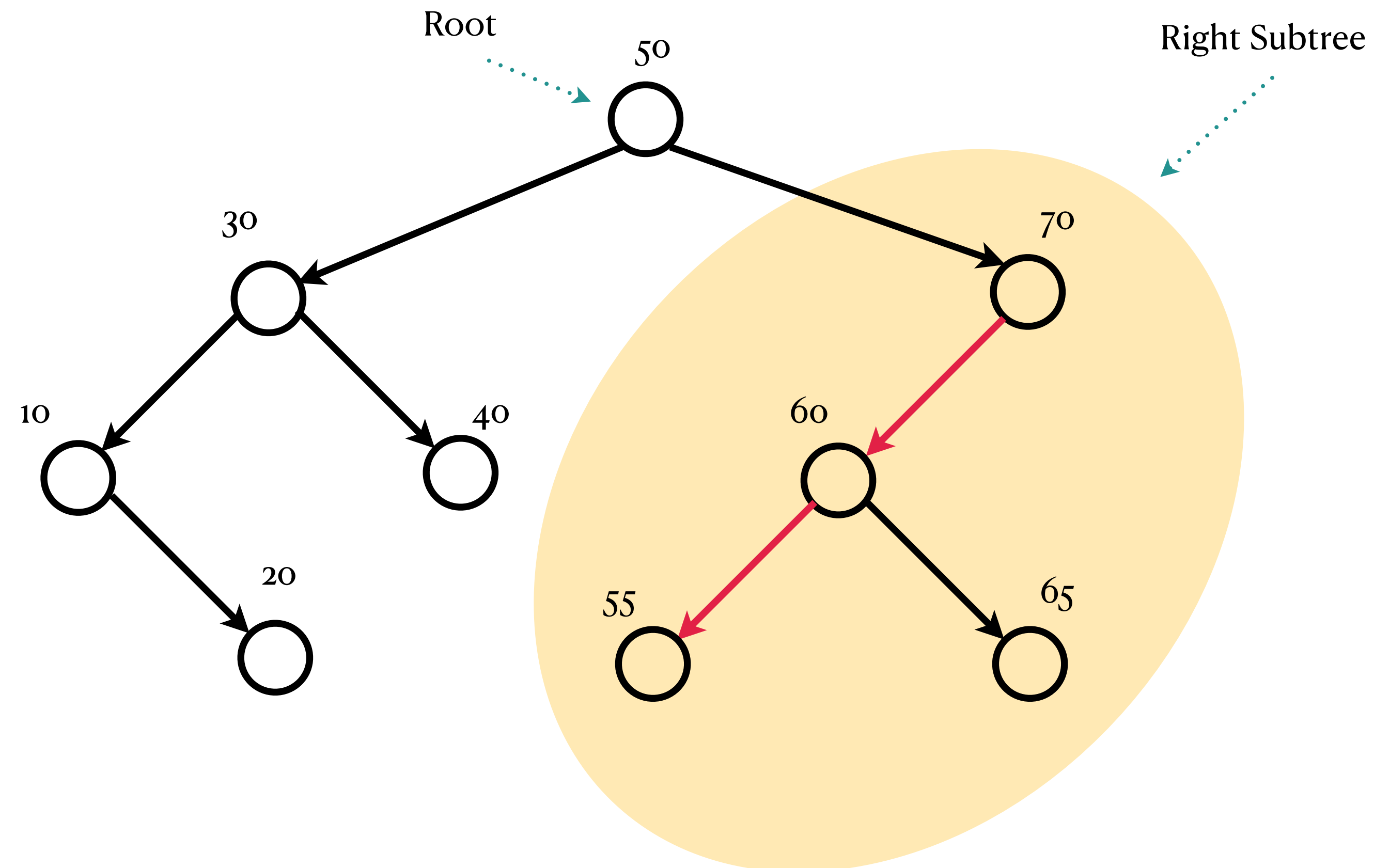
Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 1: Find the
smallest element in
right subtree

How? Start from
root of the right
subtree and keep
moving left

Smallest node in the right subtree
has at most one children (Why?)



BST: Deletion

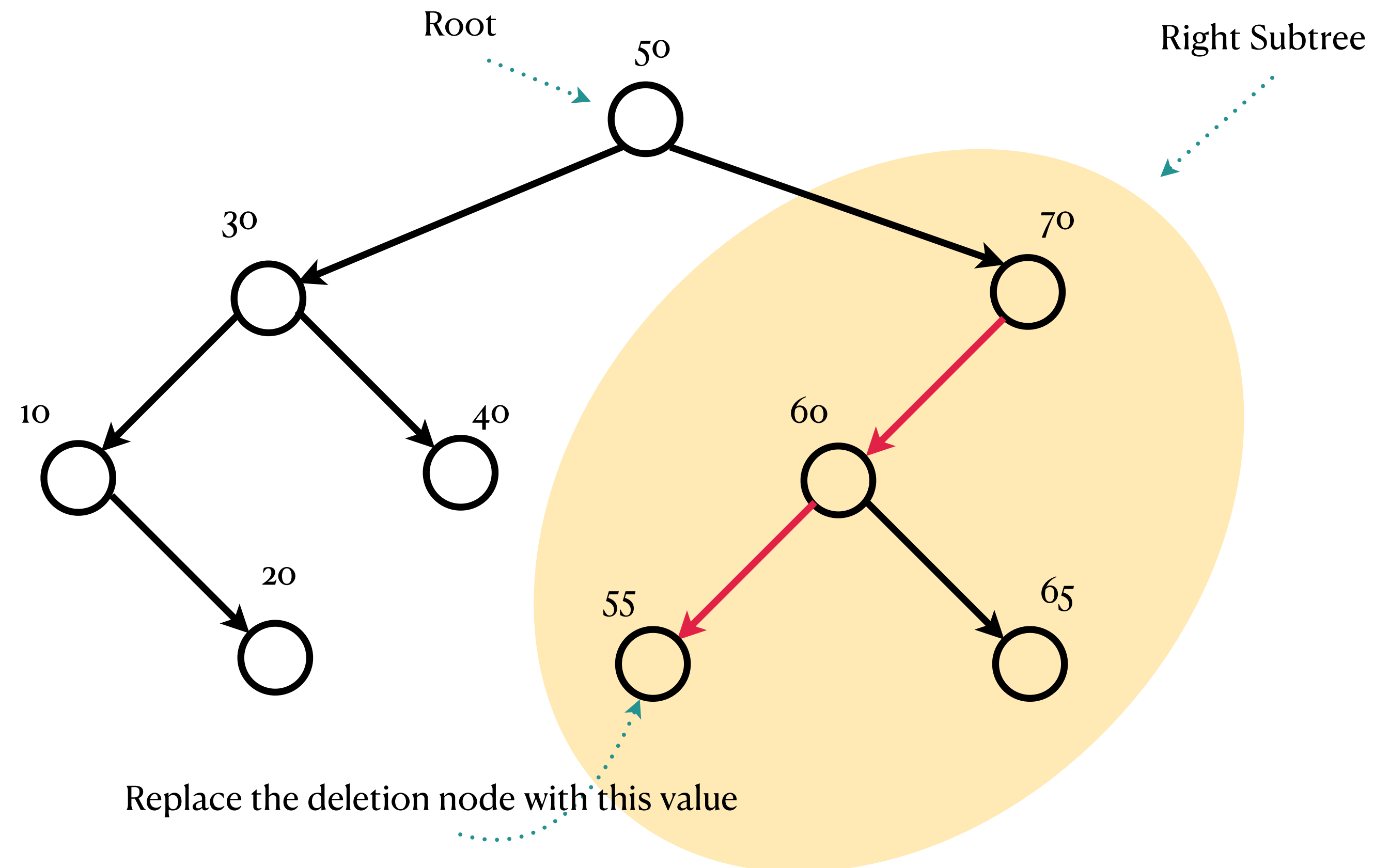
Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 1: Find the
smallest element in
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BST: Deletion

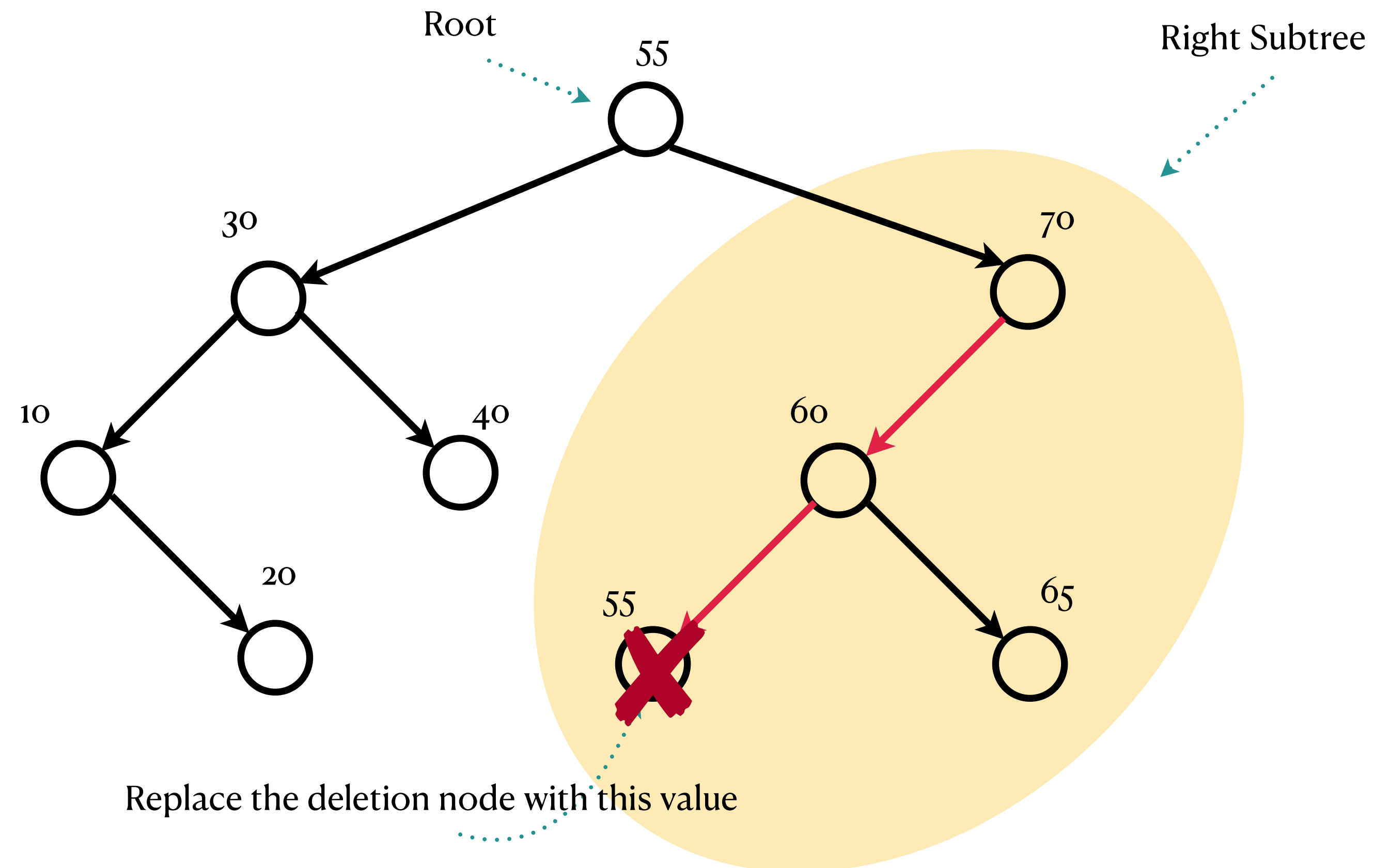
Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

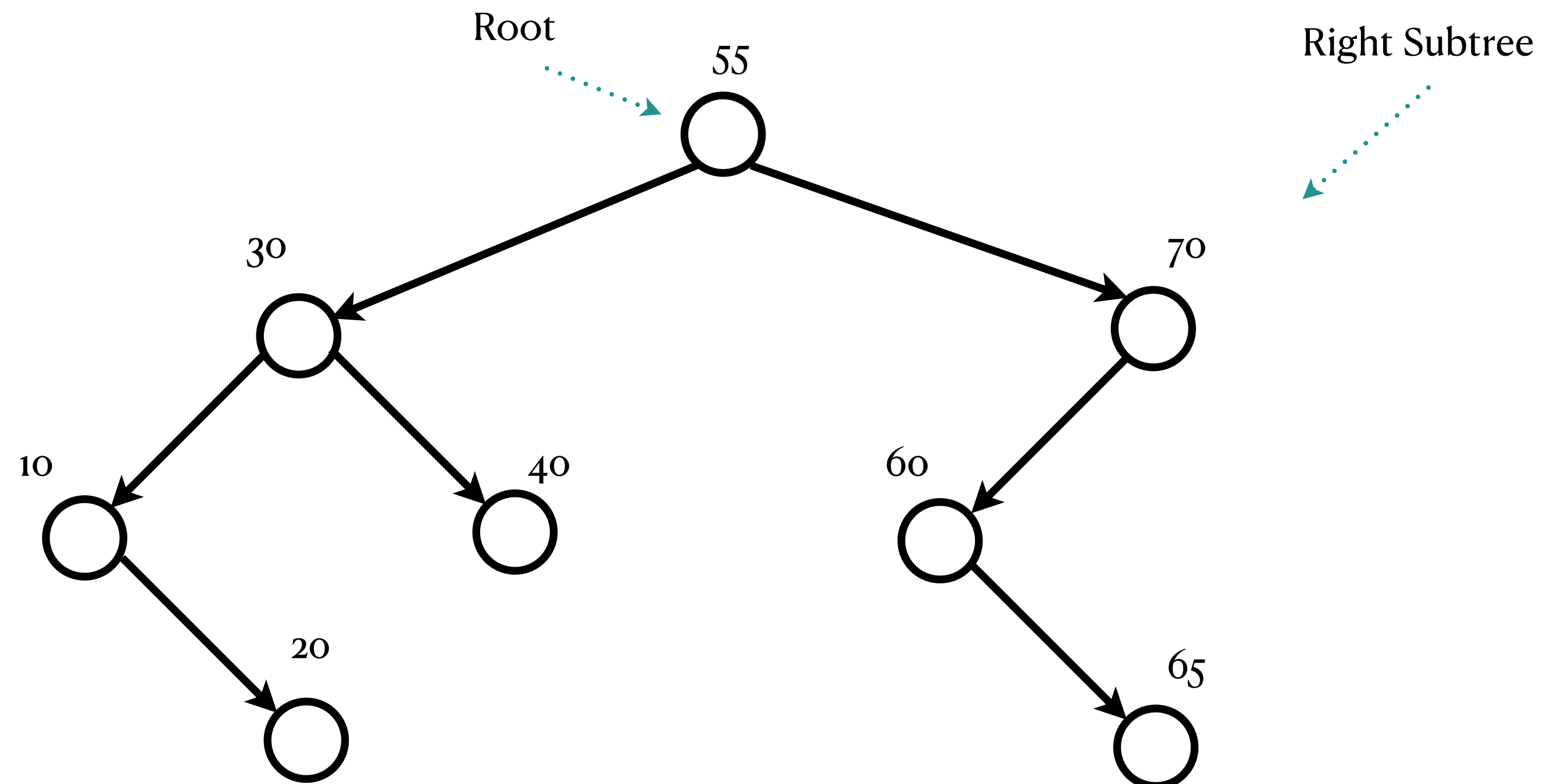
Option 1: Find the
smallest element in
right subtree

How? Start from
root of the right
subtree and keep
moving left

Smallest node in the right subtree
has at most one children (Why?)



BST: Deletion



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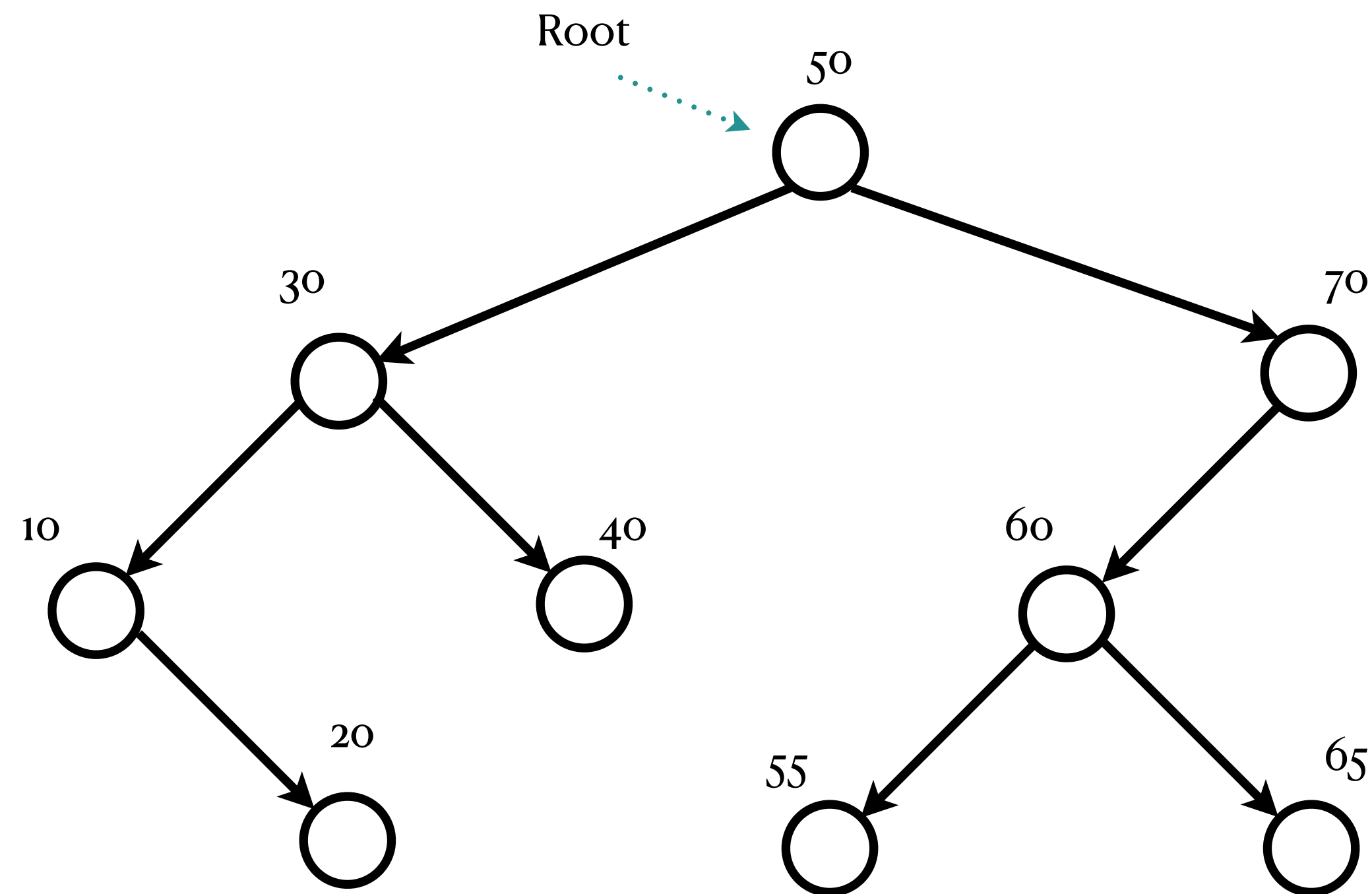
Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 2: Find the
largest element in
left subtree

How? Start from
root of the left
subtree and keep
moving right

Largest node in the left subtree
has at most one children (Why?)

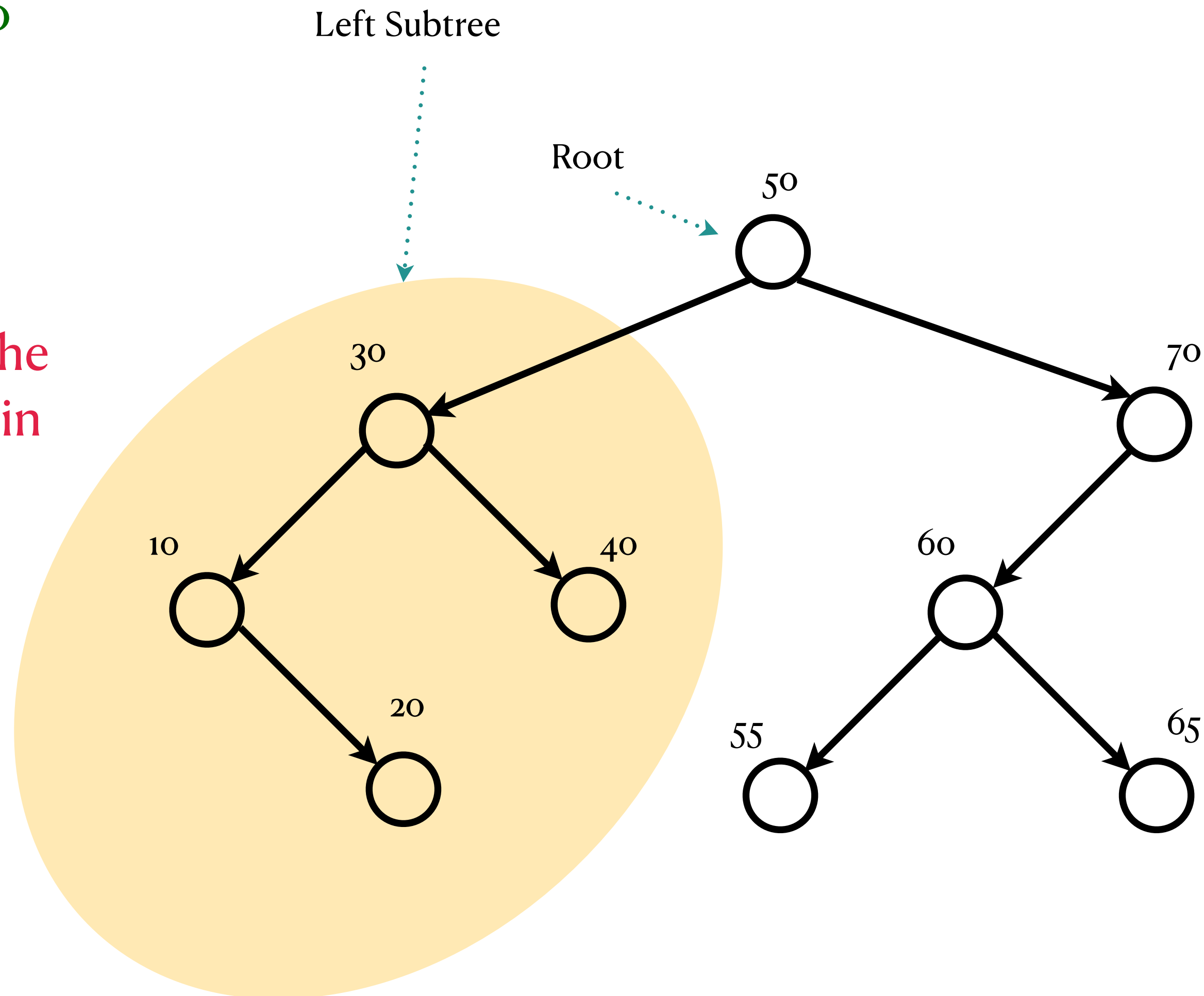


BST: Deletion

Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 2: Find the
largest element in
left subtree



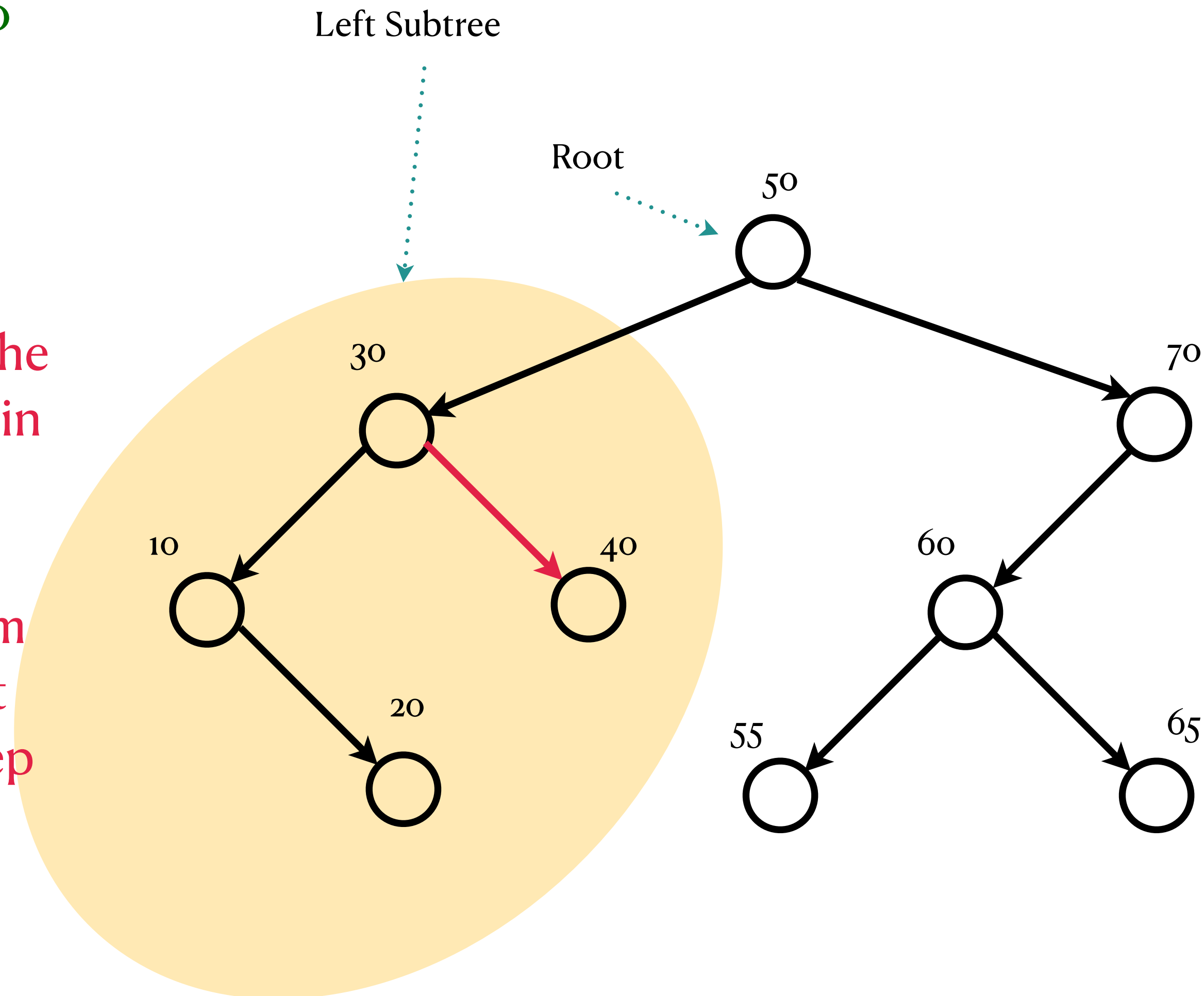
BST: Deletion

Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 2: Find the
largest element in
left subtree

How? Start from
root of the left
subtree and keep
moving right



BST: Deletion

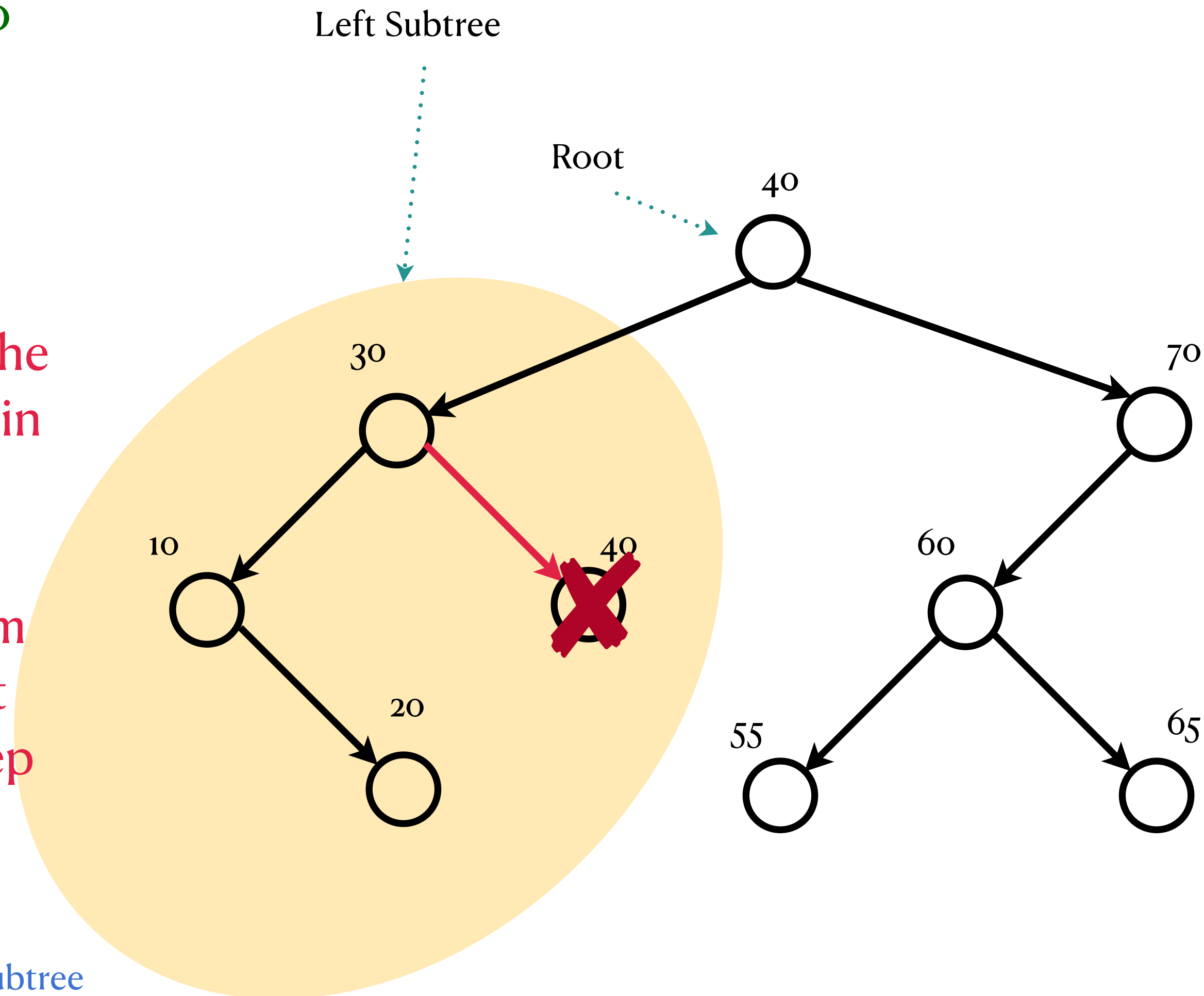
Case 3: Deleting a
Node with two
children

Deletion
key: 50

Option 2: Find the
largest element in
left subtree

How? Start from
root of the left
subtree and keep
moving right

Largest node in the left subtree
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BST: Deletion

