



# COMPUTER SCIENCE

## Database Management System

### File Org. & Indexing

Lecture\_4



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TOPICS  
TO BE  
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01

Multi level Indexing

02

B & B+ Tree



File org.

'Blocks'  $\Rightarrow$  (Pages)

① ORDERED File  
 $\lceil \log_2 B \rceil$

① SPANNED ORG (Variable Length Record) ② Unordered file

~~③~~ UnSpanned ORG (Fixed length Record)

↳ No Record Can be Partially stored  
More than One Block.

$$\text{Avg} = \frac{B}{2}$$

$$\text{Worst} = B$$

→ Unordered (Hash function)

## Indexing

↳ ordered File.

One Index Record Size = Size of key + Size of Pointer

To Access Index Block Avg # Block Access =  $\lceil \log_2 B_i \rceil$

To Access a Record Using Index Avg # Block Access =  $\lceil \log_2 B_i \rceil + 1$



Dense  
Index

$$\# \text{Index Entries} = \# \text{Records}$$

SPARSE (Non Dense)  
Index

$$\# \text{Index Entries} = \# DB \text{ Blocks.}$$

# Types of Index

Single-level  
Ordered Indexes

- Primary indexes
- Clustering indexes
- Secondary indexes

Multilevel  
Indexes

Dynamic multilevel indexes  
Using B-Tress and B<sup>+</sup> Trees.

- ① Primary Index (key + ordered DB File)
- ② Clustering Index (Nonkey + ordered DB File)
- ③ Secondary Index
  - ① Nonkey + Unordered DB File)
  - ② Key + ordered DB File)

# Indexing (Basic Concepts)

- ✓  Indexing mechanisms used to speed up access to desired data.
  - ❖ E.g., author catalog in library
- Search Key** - attribute to set of attributes used to look up records in a file.
- An **index file** consists of records (called **index entries**) of the form

search-key	pointer
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- Index files are typically much smaller than the original file.
- Two basic kinds of indices:
  - ❖ **Ordered indices:** search keys are stored in sorted order
  - ❖ **Hash indices:** search keys are distributed uniformly across "buckets" using a "hash function".

Index file block size is same as DB file Block Size

Block Size of Index File = Block Size of DB file

One Index Record Size = Size of Search Key + Size of Block Pointer

NOTE: To Access a Record Average number of block access  
 $= \log_2 B_i + 1$

Index Block  
access

Data Block  
access

[ Bi : Index Block ]

## Multilevel Index: {T<sub>SAM</sub>}

- 'SPARSE'
- 1) 1st level index is index to DB file and 2nd level onward Index to index file until 1 block index at last level.
  - 2) Idle access cost to access record using multi level index is  $(n + 1)$  blocks, n is number of level in index.

## Categories of Index:

- 1) Dense Index [More entries in Index File]
- 2) Sparse Index [Less entries in Index File]

↓  
(Non Dense)

# Category of Index

## 1) Dense Index Files

Number of Index entries = Number of DB Records

## 2) Sparse Index Files

Non Dense

Number of Index entries = Number of Blocks

# Types of Index

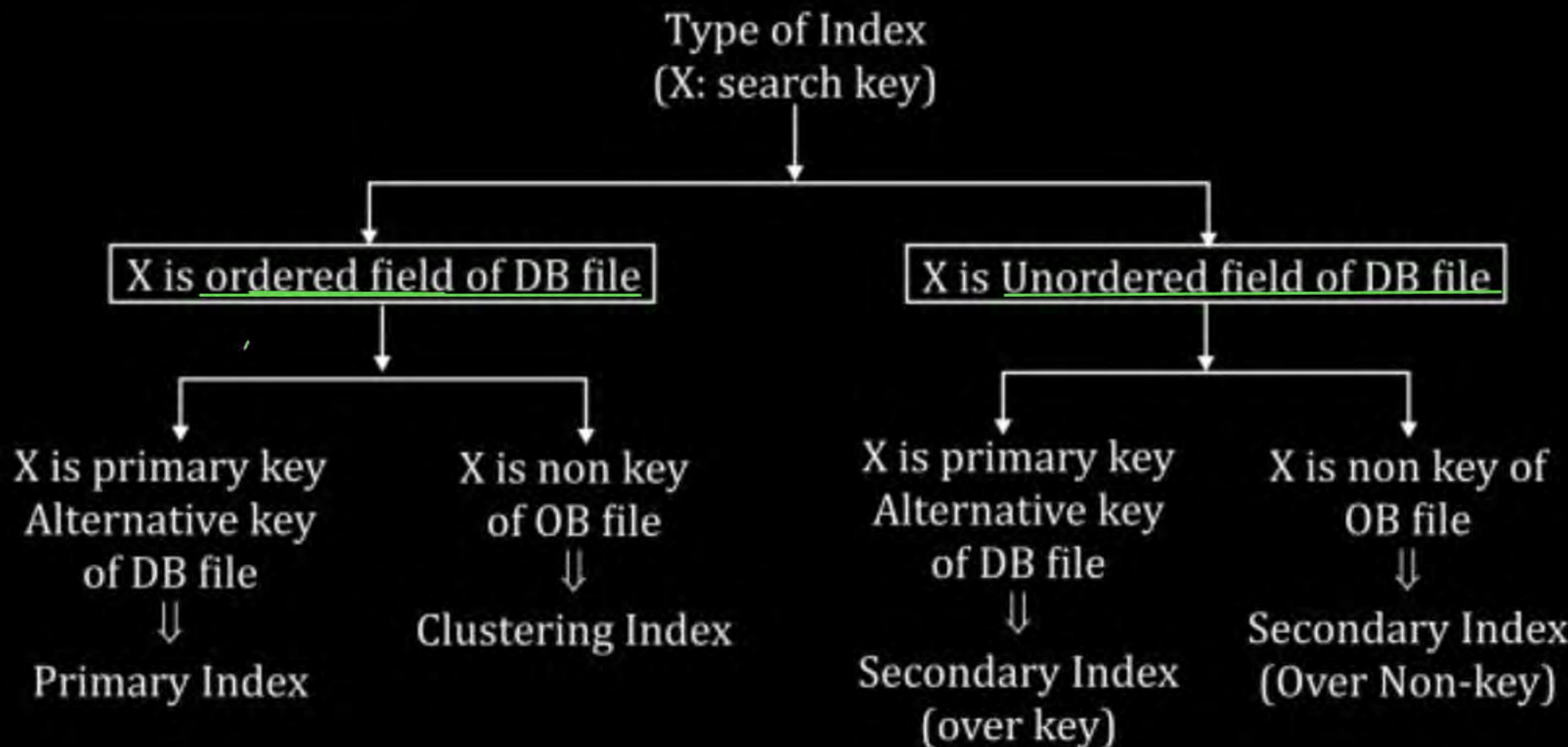
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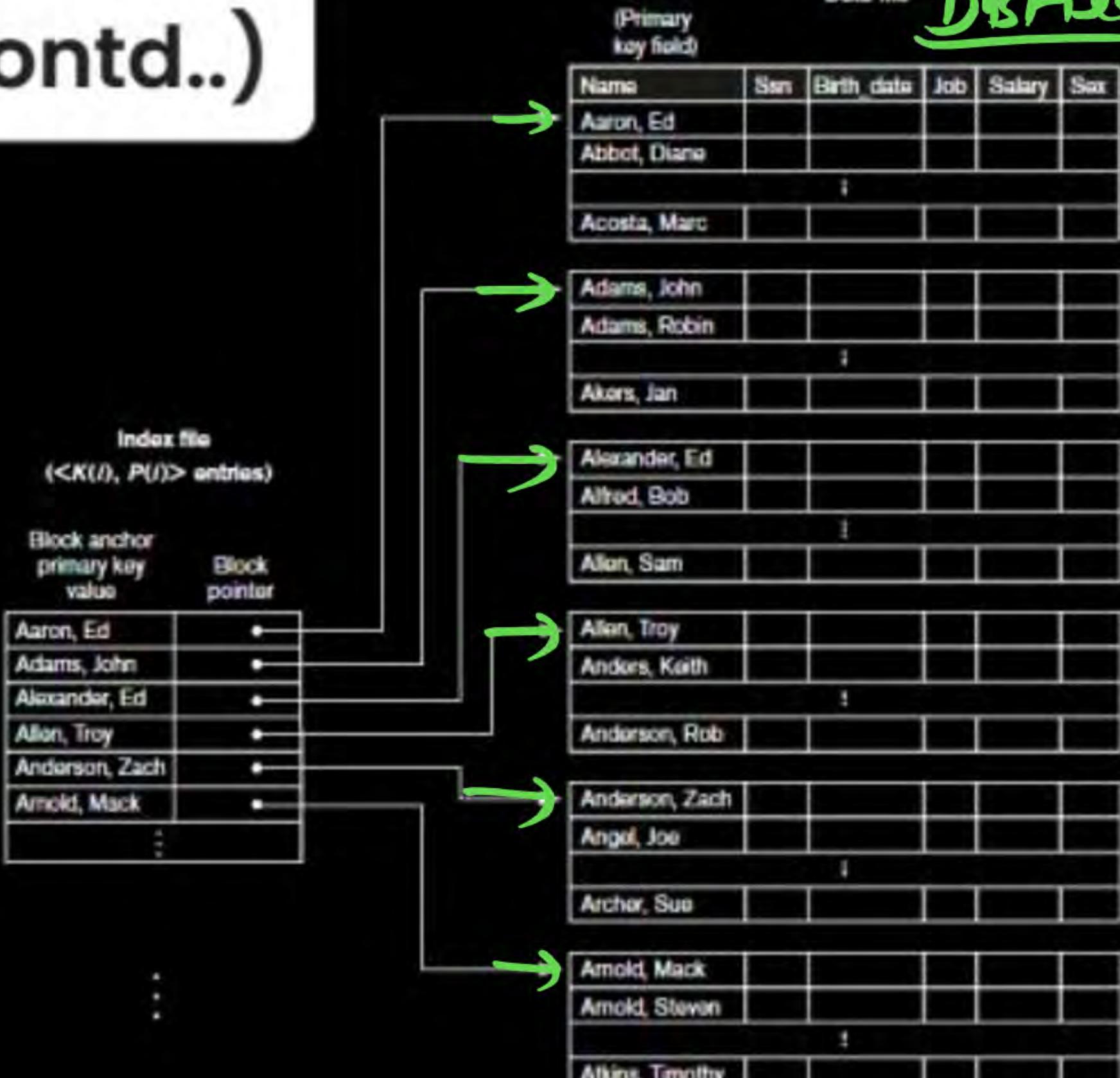


# Primary Indexes

- ❑ Ordered file with two fields
  - ❖ Primary key,  $K(i)$
  - ❖ Pointer to a disk block,  $P(i)$
- ❑ One index entry in the index file for each block in the data file
- ❑ Indexes may be dense or sparse
  - ❖ Dense index has an index entry for every search key, value in the data file
  - ❖ Sparse index has entries for only some search values

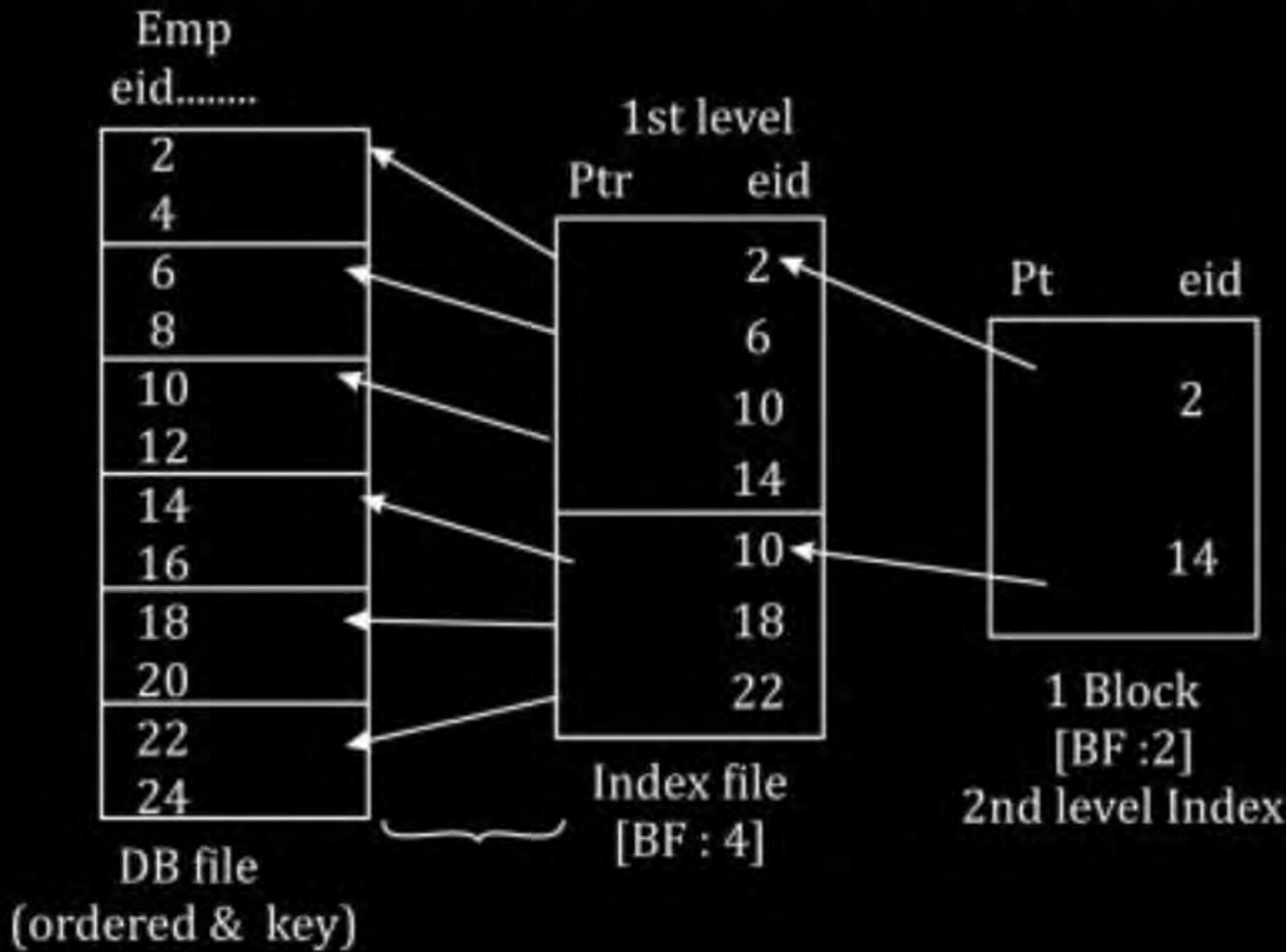
# Primary Index (Contd..)

Primary index on the ordering key field of the file shown in Figure



## (I) Primary Indexing:

Search key: Ordered field and key of the file.



⇒ Access cost to access record with PI with multilevel Index:

(K + 1) blocks

- Primary Index can be Dense or sparse  
[sparse PI can be preferred]
- For any database relation at most one PI is possible  
[because of Index over ordered field]

**Q.1**

Suppose that we have Ordered file of 30,000 records, stored on a disk with Block Size 1024 Byte, file records are of fixed length & unspanned of size 100 Byte (Record size) and suppose that we have created a primary index on the key field of the file of size 9 Byte and Block pointer of size 6 Byte then find the average number of Block Access to search for a record using **With** and **Without Index** ?

$$\# \text{DB Blocks} = 3000$$

ORDERED File : To Access a Record Avg #Block Access =  $\lceil \log_2 3000 \rceil = 12$

$B_{fi}$  (Block factor of Index File) = 68 Index entries per Record.

PI : SPARSE (Total #Index entries = #DB Blocks [3000])

$$\# \text{Index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{3000}{68} \right\rceil = 45 \text{ Index Block}$$

To Access Index Avg # Block Access =  $\lceil \log_2 B_i \rceil \Rightarrow \lceil \log_2 45 \rceil$

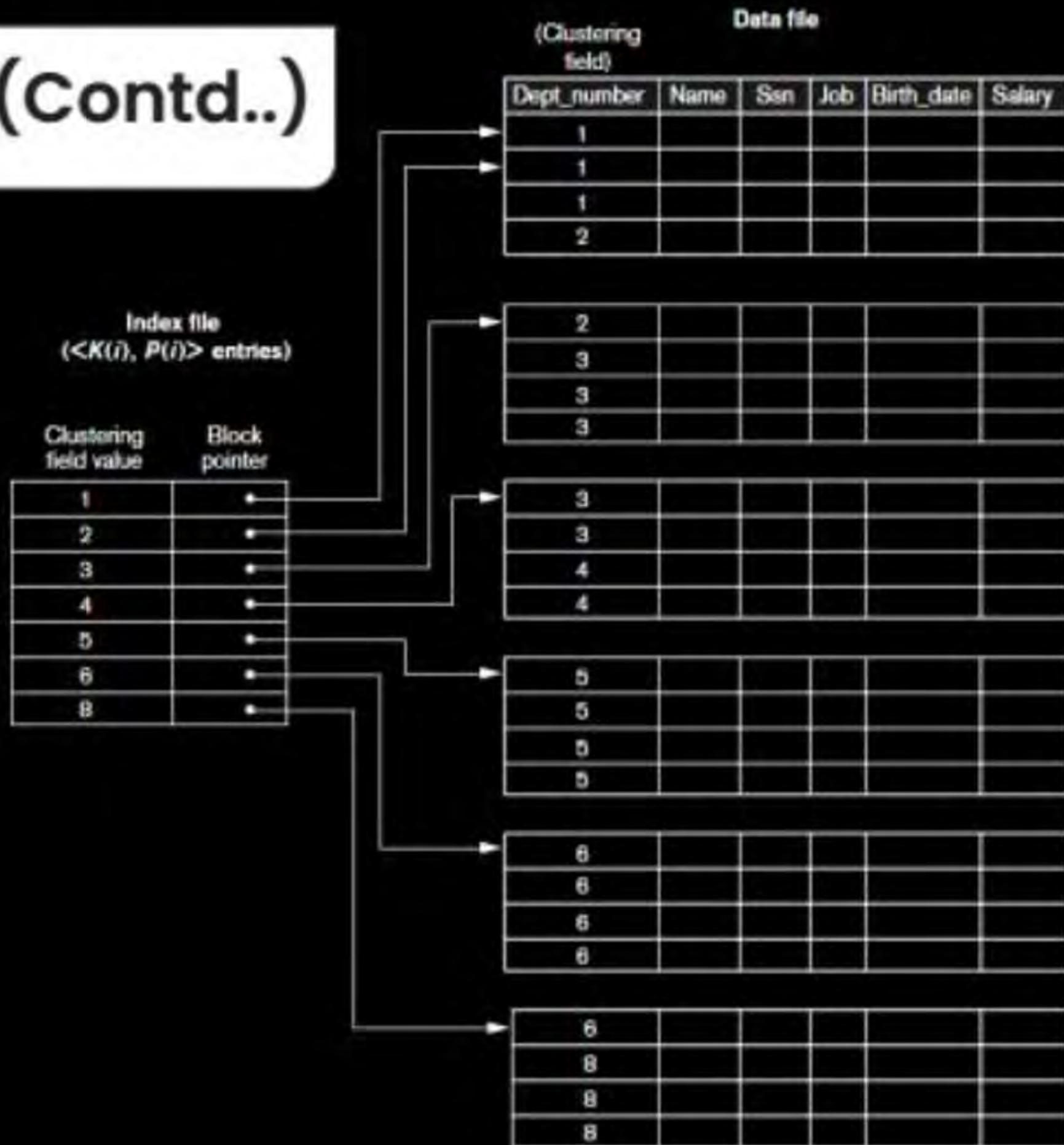
To Access a Record Using Index Avg # Block Access :  $\log_2 B_i + 1 \Rightarrow 6 + 1 = 7$  Avg

# Clustering Indexes

- Clustering field
  - ❖ File records are physically ordered on a nonkey field without a distinct value for each record
- Ordered file with two fields
  - ❖ Same type as clustering field
  - ❖ Disk block pointer

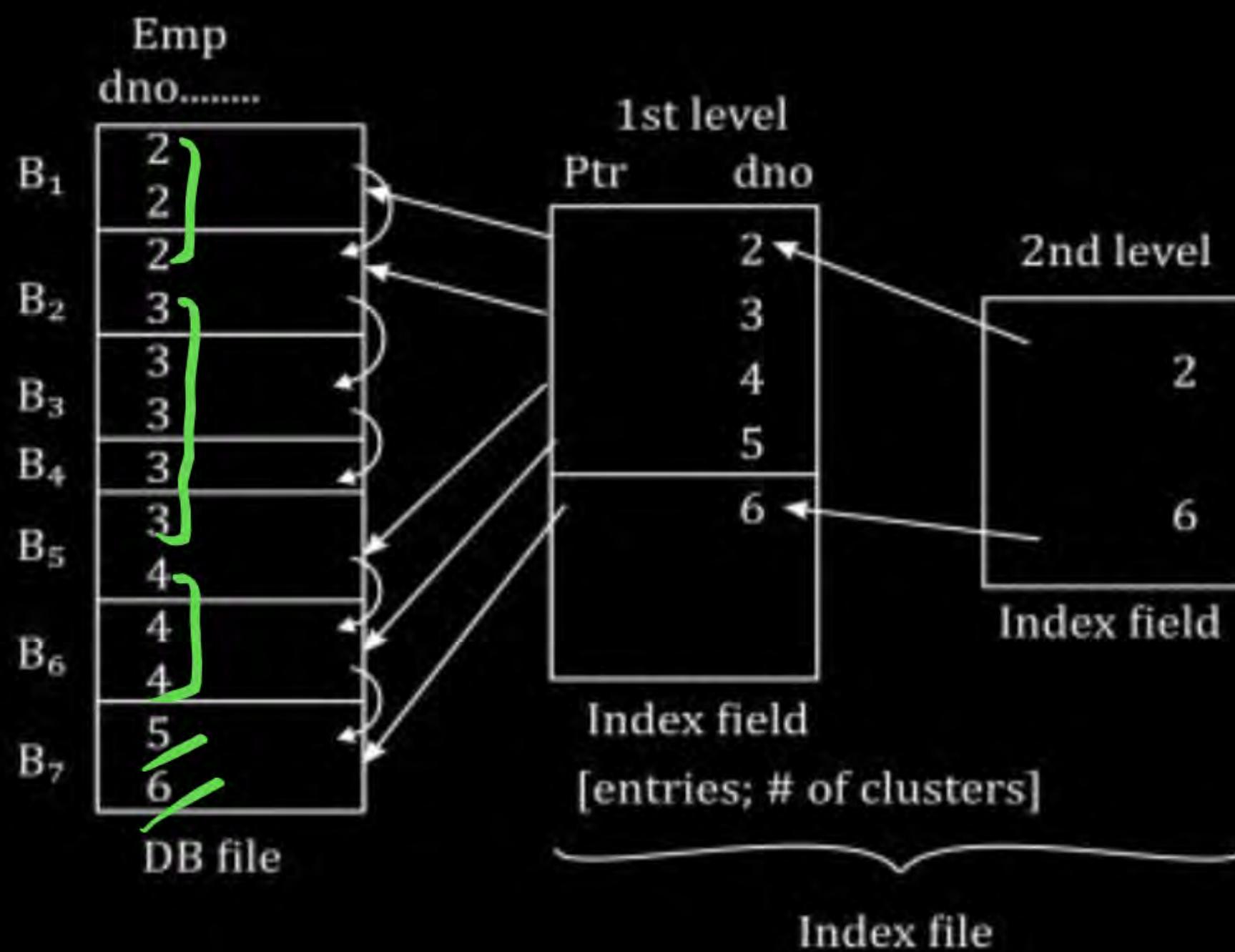
# Clustering Indexes (Contd..)

A clustering index on the Dept\_number ordering nonkey field of an EMPLOYEE file



## Clustering Index:

Search key: Ordered field & Non-key.



- Clustering Index mostly sparse Index [Dense CI also possible If each cluster with one record]
- At most one CI is possible for any Database relation [ordering required]
- For any DB relation can build either PI or CI but not both.

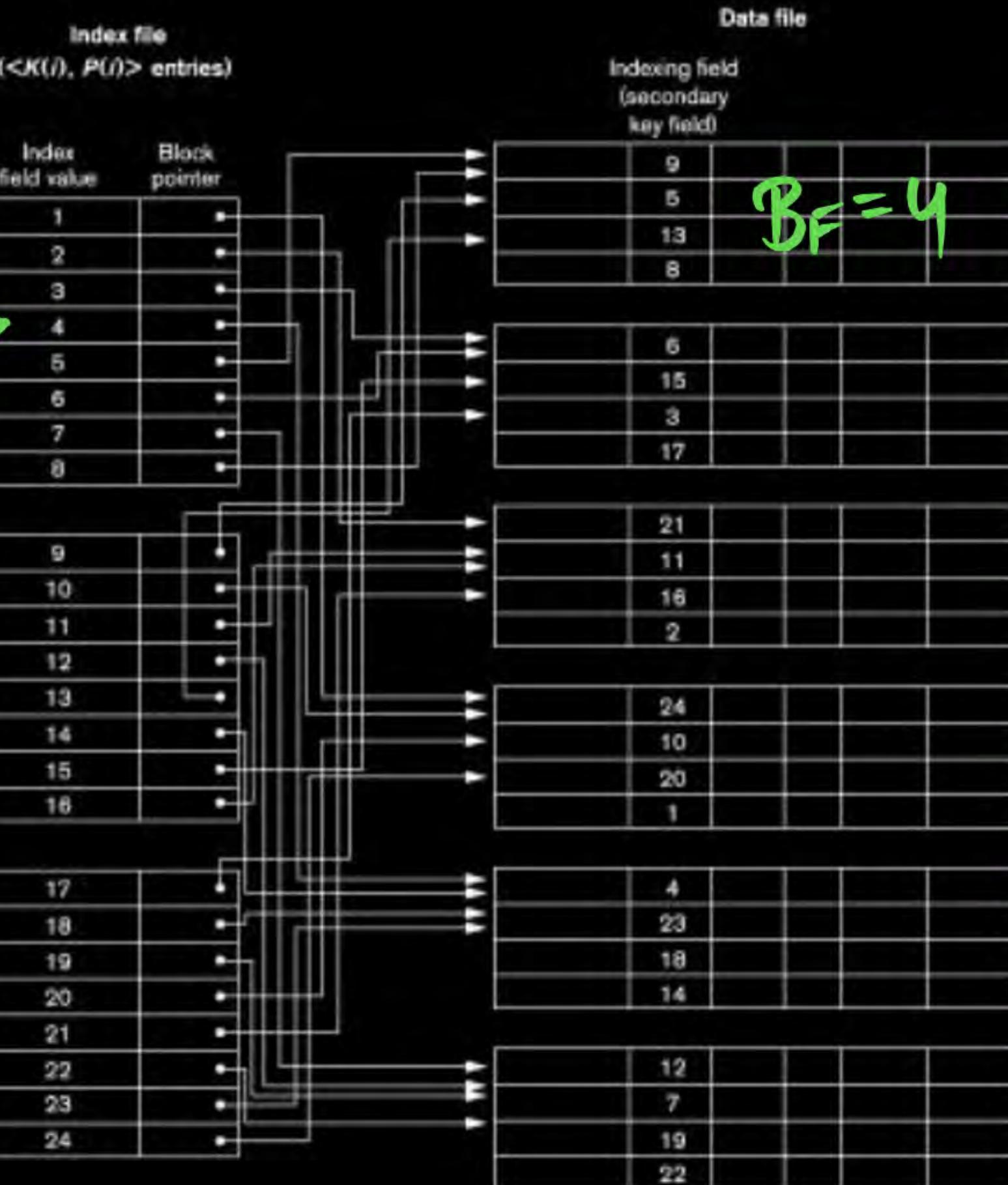
PI ✓      CI X  
CI ✓      PI X

PI ✓      SI ✓  
CI ✓      SI ✓

# Secondary Indexes

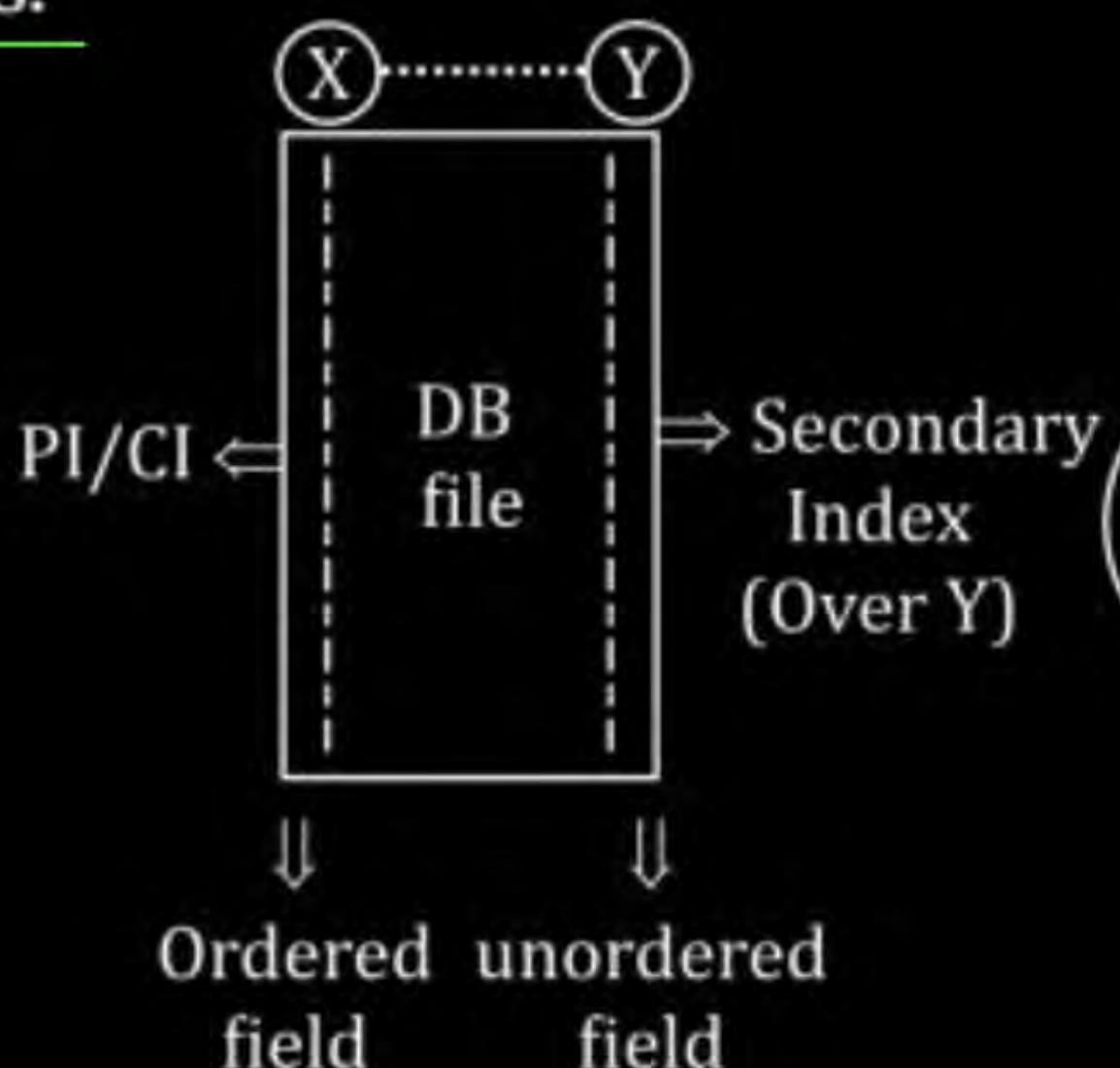
- ❑ Secondary Index
  - ❖ A secondary index provides a secondary means of accessing a file for which some primary access already exists.
  - ❖ The secondary index may be on a field which is a candidate key and has a unique value in every record, or a non-key with duplicate values.
  - ❖ The index is an ordered file with two fields.
    - The first field is of the same data type as some non-ordering field of the data file that is an indexing field.
    - The second field is either a block pointer or a record pointer.
    - There can be many secondary indexes (and hence, indexing fields) for the same file.
- ❑ Includes one entry for each record in the data file; hence, it is a dense index

# Secondary Indexes (Contd..)

Bf<sub>i</sub> · b

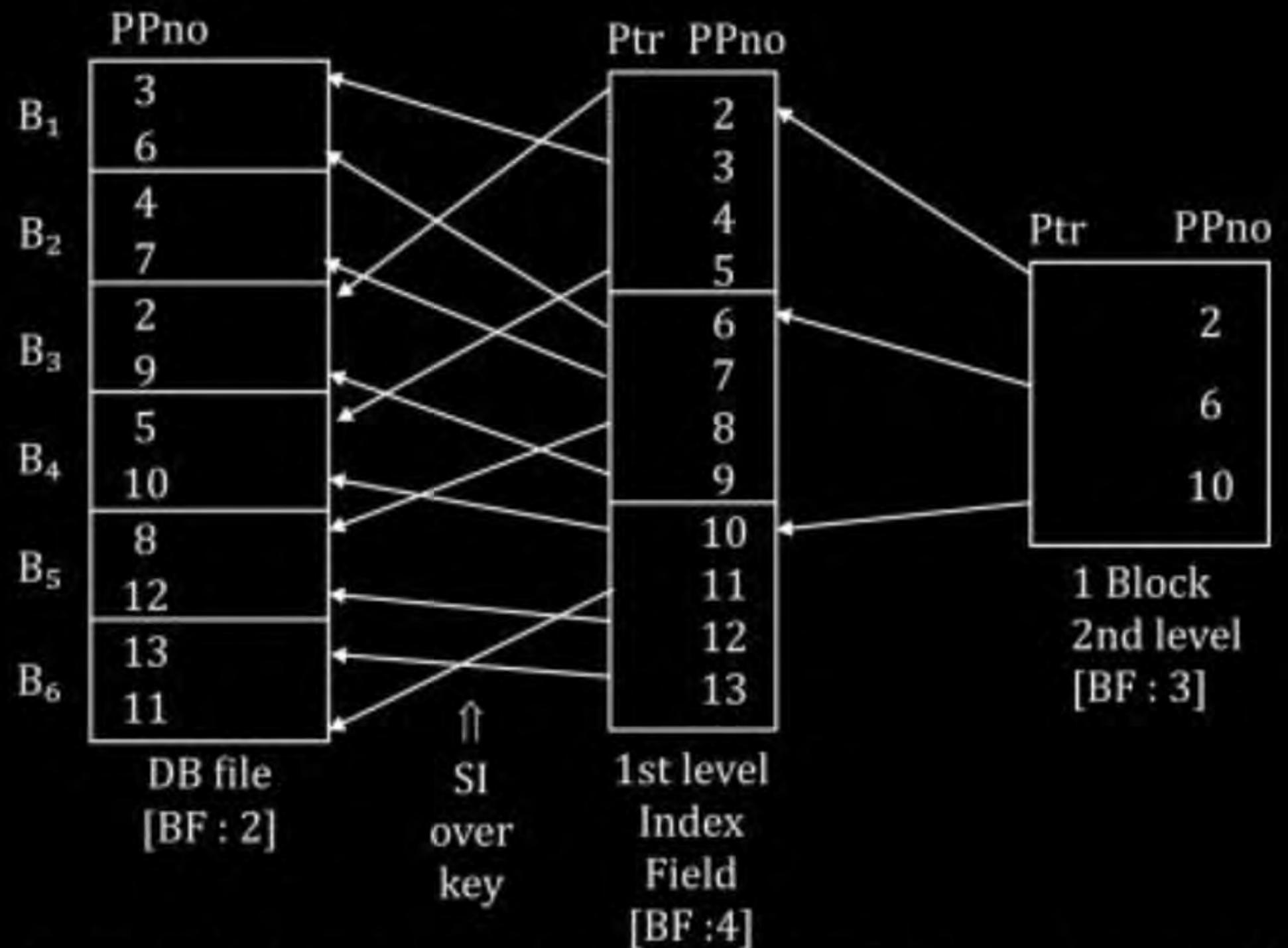
## Secondary Index:

- Search key: Unordered field & Key/Non-key.
- Secondary possible way to access data using index even PI/CI indexes already exists.



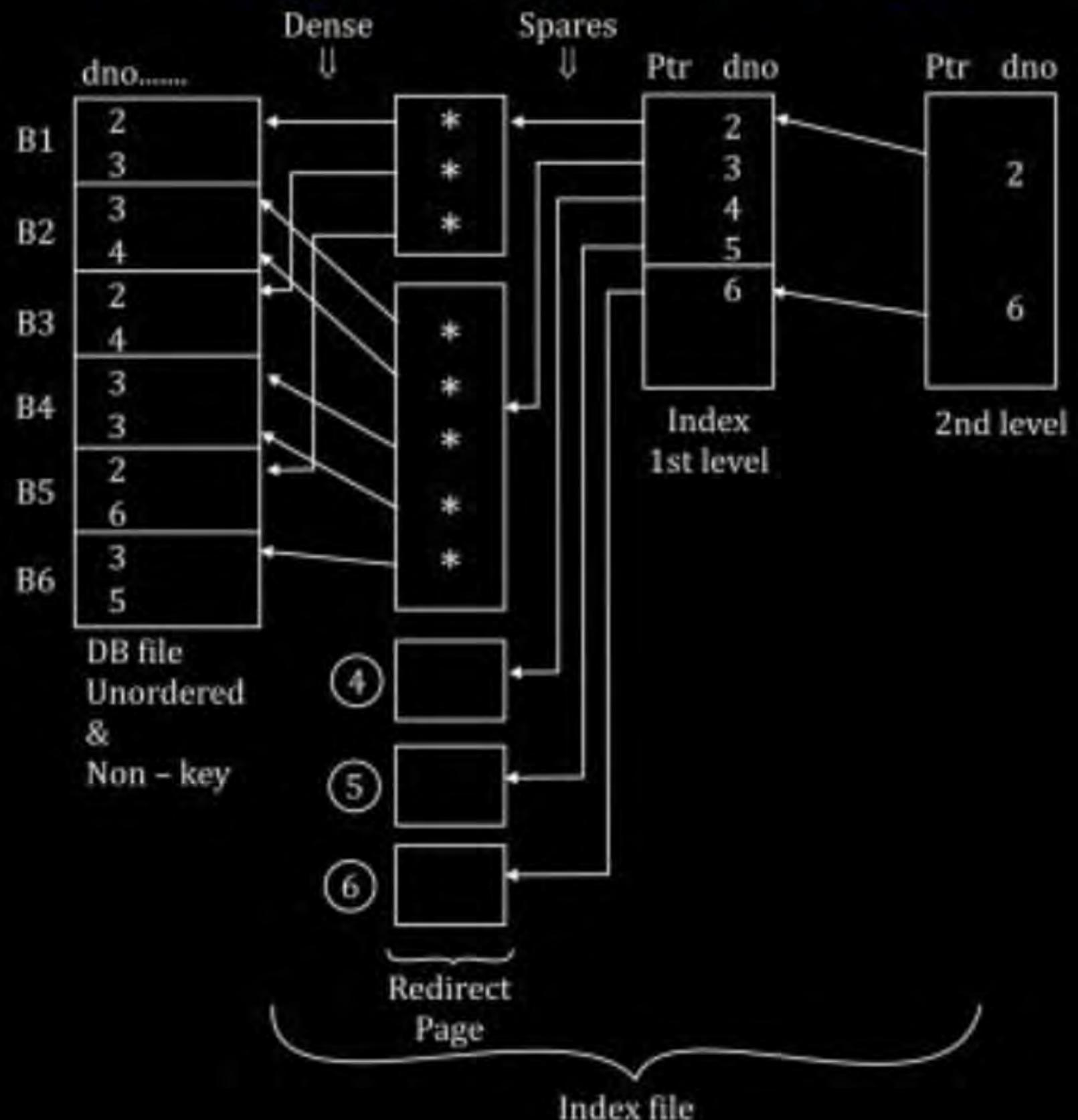
More than one  
SI possible for  
any data base  
table : No ordered  
required

- Secondary Index (over key):



- I/O cost to access record using SI over key with MLI is  $(K + 1)$  blocks.

- Secondary Index (over Non-key):



- I/O cost to access record of some non-key using SI over non-key with MLI: {k + # of blocks of DB equal to # of pointers in given redirect page}

**Q.2**

Consider a secondary Index on the key field of the file of question number 1, then find the Average number of Block Access to Access a record using with & without Index?

Number of records = 30000    Block size = 1024 B

record size = 1000 B

Key = 9B      Bp = 6 Byte

Unspanned & Unordered.

**Q.1** Suppose that we have ~~Unordered~~ file of 30,000 records, stored on a disk with Block Size 1024 Byte, file records are of fixed length & unspanned of size 100 Byte (Record size) and suppose that we have created a ~~primary~~ <sup>ST</sup> index on the key field of the file of size 9 Byte and Block pointer of size 6 Byte then find the average number of Block Access to search for a record using **With** and **Without Index** ?

$$\# \text{DB Blocks} = 3000.$$

ORDERED File : To Access a Record Avg #Block Access =  $\frac{\sum R}{2} = \frac{3000}{2} = 1500$

$B_{fi}$  (Block factor of Index File) = 68 Index entries per Record.

SI : Dense : (Total #Index entries = #DB Records = 30,000.)

$$\text{Total \#Index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{30000}{68} \right\rceil = 442 \text{ Index Block}$$



Now we Apply Multilevel Indexing.



Now we Create SPARSE Index on  
Basic Index file & Repeat this Process  
until all Index entries Fit into One Single Block .

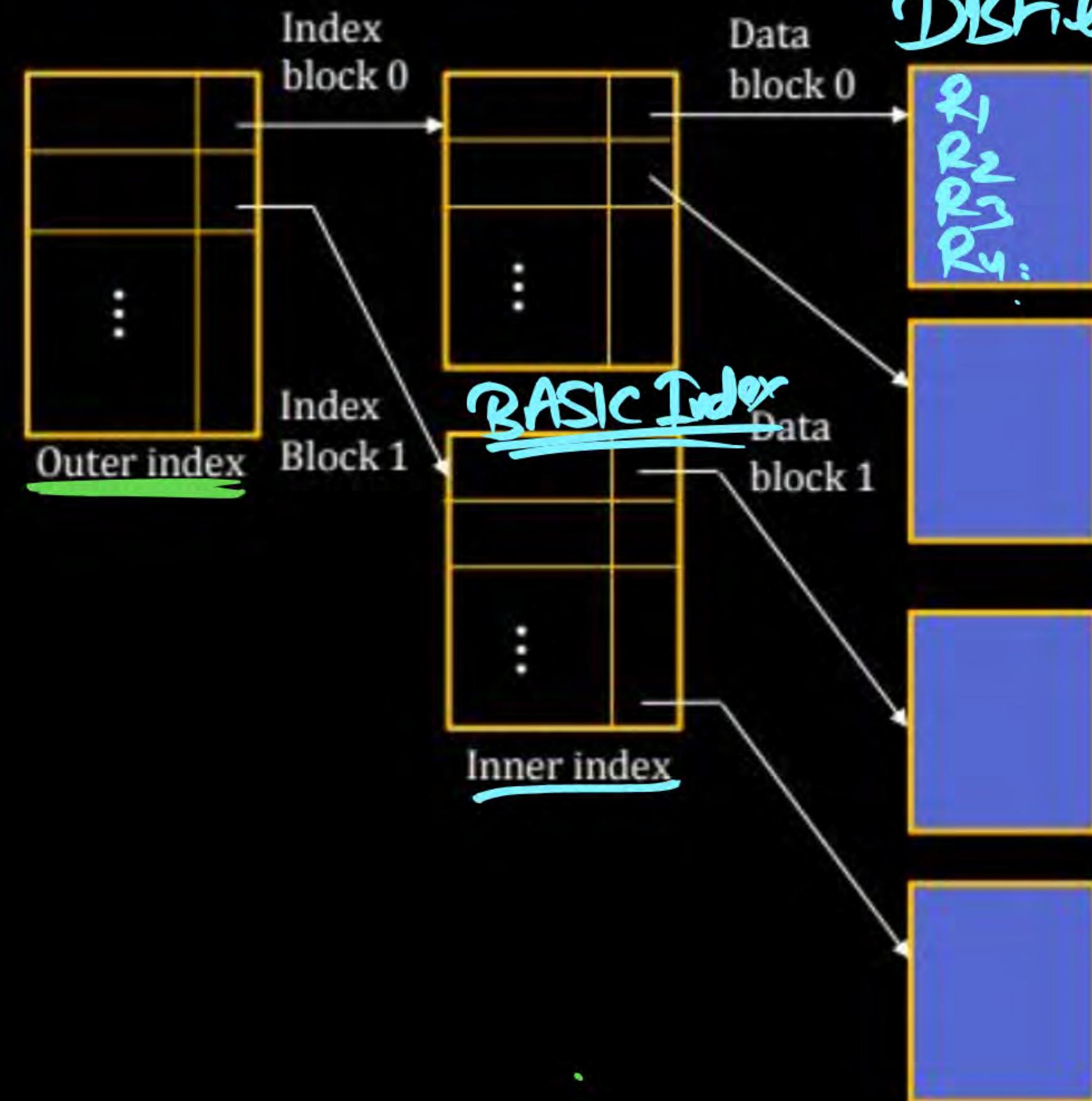
## Multilevel Index

(ISAM) Index Sequential Access method.

(ORDERED File + Multilevel Primary Index)

- ❑ If index does not fit in memory, access becomes expensive.
- ❑ Solution: treat index kept on disk as a sequential file and construct a sparse index on it.
  - ❖ outer index - a sparse index of the basic index
  - ❖ inner index - the basic index file
- ❑ If even outer index is too large to fit in main memory, yet another level of index can be created, and so on.
- ❑ Indices at all levels must be updated on insertion or deletion from the file.

## Multilevel Index (Contd..)



# Multilevel Indexes

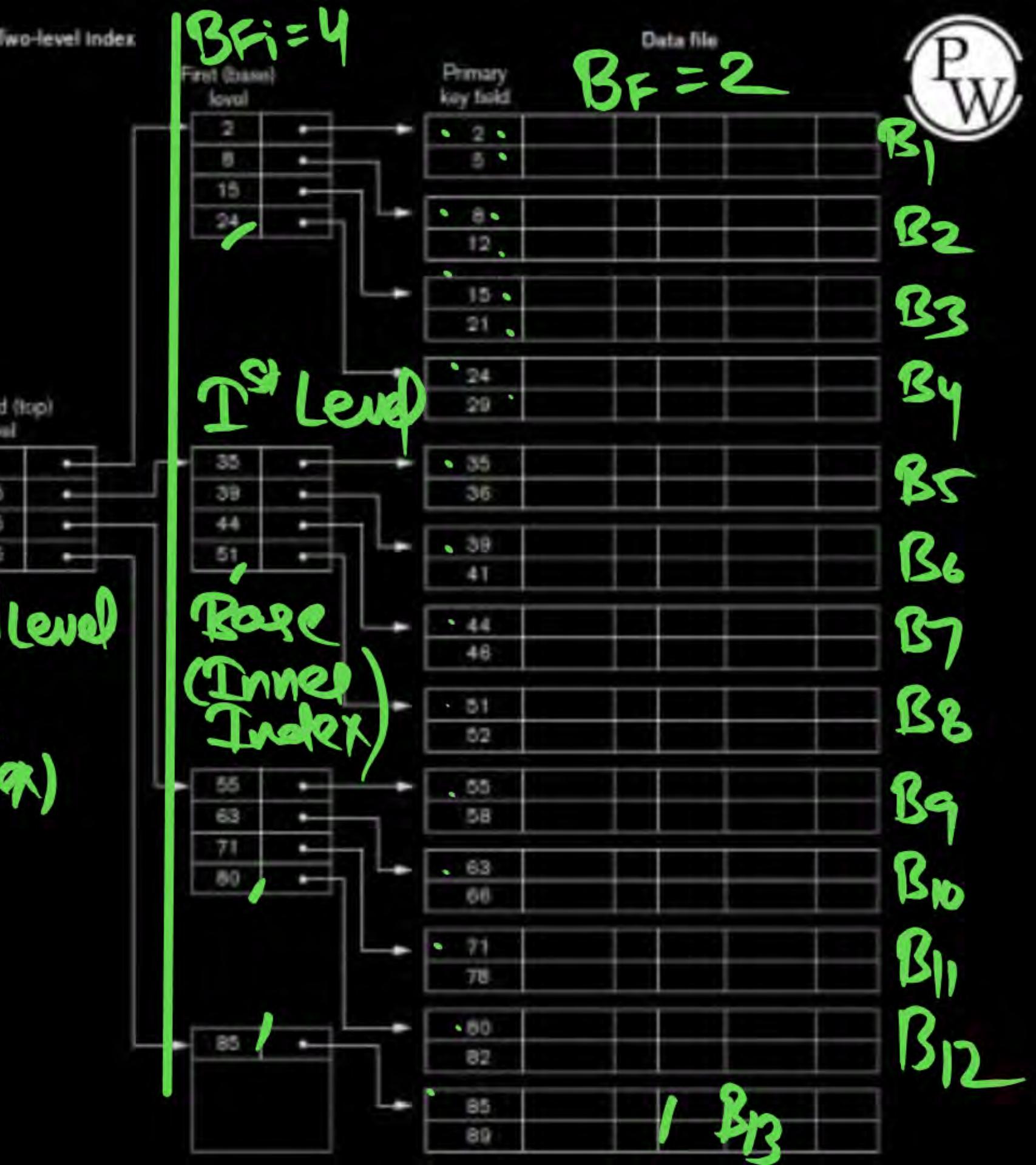
- ❑ Designed to greatly reduce remaining search space as search is conducted
- ❑ Index file
  - ❖ Considered first (or base level) of a multilevel index
- ❑ Second level
  - ❖ Primary index to the first level
- ❑ Third level
  - ❖ Primary index to the second level

(Base)  $\text{I}^{\text{st}}$  Level  $\Rightarrow \text{P.I} \otimes \text{SI}$   
~~Index~~  
Index file

$\text{2}^{\text{nd}}$  level : SPARSE Index( P.I ) on  $\text{I}^{\text{st}}$  Level ( BASE )  
Index File

$\text{3}^{\text{rd}}$  level : P.I [sparse Index] On  $\text{II}^{\text{nd}}$  Level Index file .  
Until Fit into + Block .

A two-level primary index  
resembling ISAM (indexed  
sequential access method)  
organization



**NOTE:** We can Repeat the above process until index entries fit into One Block.

**NOTE:** If there are  $n$  level in multilevel index then the number of Block Access to search for a record =  $n + 1$   
(at each level One Index Block + 1 Data Block)

**Q.3**

Find the average number of block access required to search for a record if multilevel Index is created on the Data file of Question 2.

Block factor of Index file = 68 Index entries per Block .

1<sup>st</sup> Level Total #Index Block = 442 .

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$$\text{2nd Level} = \left\lceil \frac{442}{68} \right\rceil = 7 \quad \text{So Total 3 level}$$

$$\text{3rd Level} = \left\lceil \frac{7}{68} \right\rceil = 1$$

$$\text{Total \#Index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{30000}{68} \right\rceil = 442 \text{ Index Block}$$



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until all Index entries Fit into One Single Block .

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Find the average number of block access required to search for a record if multilevel Index is created on the Data file of Question 2.



Block factor of Index file = 68 Index entries per Block

I<sup>st</sup> Level: Total number of Index Block = 442 Index Block

II<sup>nd</sup> Level: number of Index Records (entries) = 442 (SPARSE number of I<sup>st</sup> level block) & Block factor = 68 Index entries for block

$$\text{Total number Index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{442}{68} \right\rceil = 7 \text{ Index Block}$$

III<sup>rd</sup> Level: Number of Index Record = 7 (number of 2<sup>nd</sup> level block)

$$\text{Total number of index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{7}{68} \right\rceil = 1$$

$$\text{Average Number of block Access} = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 4$$

*Avg*

**Q.1**

A clustering index is defined on the fields which are of type

P  
W

[GATE-2008 : 1 Mark]

- A Non-key and ordering
- B Non-key and non-ordering
- C key and ordering
- D key and non-ordering

Q.2

Consider a file of 16384 records. Each record is 32 bytes long and its key field is of size 6 bytes. The file is ordered on a non-key field, and the file organization is unspanned. The file is stored in a file system with block size 1024 bytes, and the size of block pointer is 10bytes. If the secondary index is built on the key field of the file, and a multilevel index scheme is used to store the secondary index, the number of first-level and second-level block in the multilevel index are respectively [GATE-2008 : 2 Marks]

- A 8 and 0
- B 128 and 6
- C 256 and 4
- D 512 and 5

#Records = 16,384 [ $2^{14}$ ] RecordSize = 32B, key = 6B, BP = 10B,  
Block Size = 1024B, Secondary Index (Dense) & Multilevel  
Index

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One Index Record Size =  $6 + 10 = 16$  Byte.

$$\text{Block factor of Index file } [B_{fi}] = \left\lceil \frac{1024B}{16B} \right\rceil = \frac{2^{10}}{2^4} = 2^6$$

= 64 Index  
Entries per Block

Secondary (Dense) Index : Total # Index entries =  $16,384$  ( $\# \text{DB Records}$ )

1<sup>st</sup> Level Total # Index Block =  $\frac{2^{14}(16,384)}{2^6(64)} = 2^8 = 256$  Index Block

2<sup>nd</sup> Level

# Index entries = 256 (# 1<sup>st</sup> Level Blocks)

B<sub>fi</sub> = 64 Index per Block  
entries

$$\text{Total # Index Blocks} = \left\lceil \frac{256}{64} \right\rceil = 4$$

(256, 4) Ans

3<sup>rd</sup> Level

Total # Index entries = 4

2 B<sub>fi</sub> = 64 Index entries per block.

$$\text{Total # Index Block} = \left\lceil \frac{4}{64} \right\rceil = 1$$

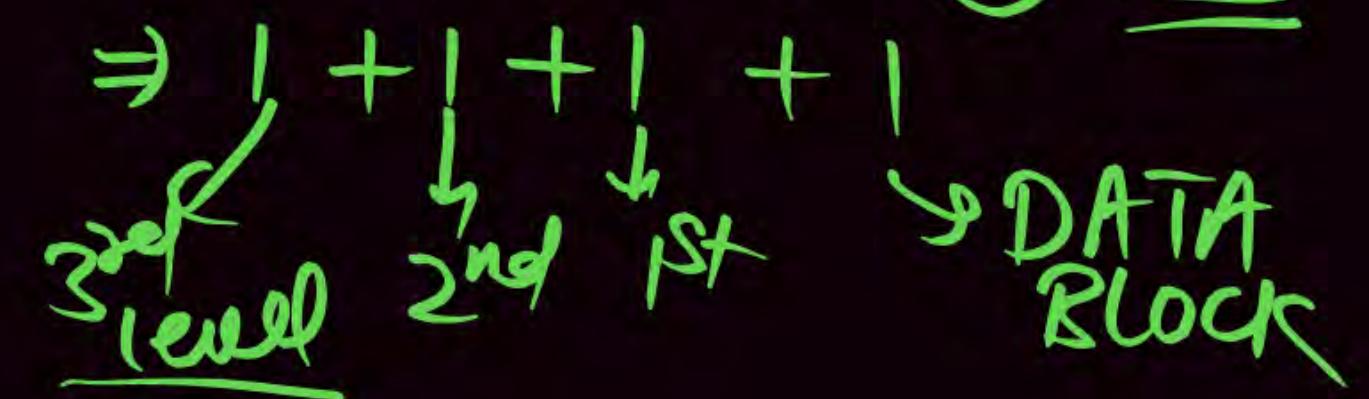
so stop

Total 3 level Required.

Total 3 Level Indexing Required

To Access a Record Using Multilevel =  $n + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Index Avg # Block Access} &= 3+1 \\ &= ④ \underline{\text{Avg}} \end{aligned}$$



# Problem with Static Multi Level Indexing.

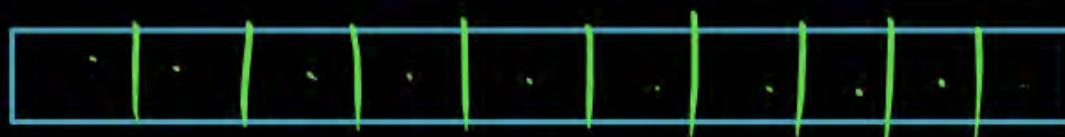
In Previous Q.L Problem with Static Multi Level Indexing.

University DB.

: 30,000 Students  $\rightarrow$  3000 DATA Block  
 $BFDR = 10 \text{ Record Per Block}$

Array : static  
int a[10]

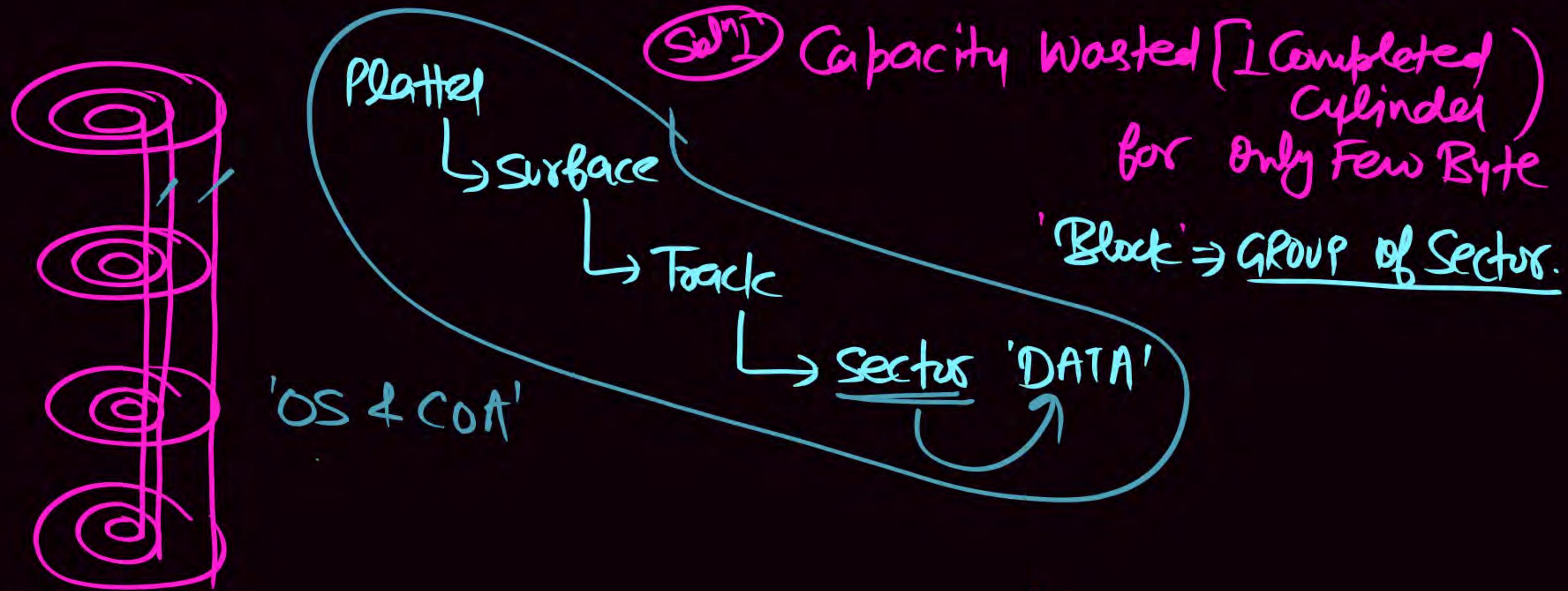
- ↳ (i) 1000 Student  $\Rightarrow$  OUT.  $\Rightarrow$  29000  $\rightarrow$  2900 Blocks
- ↳ (ii) 2000 Student  $\Rightarrow$  New Admission = 32000  $\Rightarrow$  3200 DATA Block



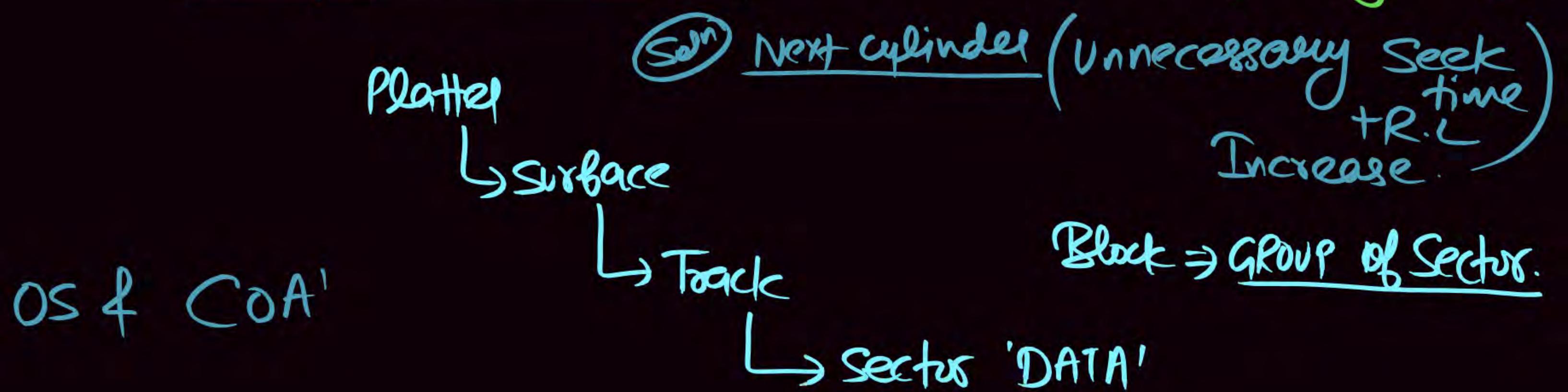
Costly & Very Time Consuming So Dynamic Multi Level Indexing

Cylinder

Role of Block size : if Block Size is very - very small



Role of Block Size: if Block Size is very - very Large?



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# Dynamic Multi Level Indexing.

- B Tree [Balanced Tree].
- B+ Tree

## B Tree Definition

DSA

ORDER : P

$$\text{Min keys} = \lceil \frac{P}{2} \rceil - 1$$

$$\text{Max keys} = P - 1$$

③ ORDER : 5

$$\lceil \frac{P}{2} \rceil - 1$$

$$\text{Min keys} = \lceil \frac{5}{2} \rceil - 1 \Rightarrow 3 - 1$$

= ② Ans

$$\text{Max key} = P - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 - 1$$

= 4 Ans

## B Tree Definition

P  
W

DSA

ORDER : P.

$$\text{Min keys} = \lceil \frac{P}{2} \rceil - 1$$

$$\text{Max keys} = P - 1$$

Q ORDER : 6

$$\text{Min keys} = \lceil \frac{6}{2} \rceil - 1 \Rightarrow 3 - 1$$

= Q Ans

$$\text{Max key} = P - 1$$

$$= 6 - 1$$

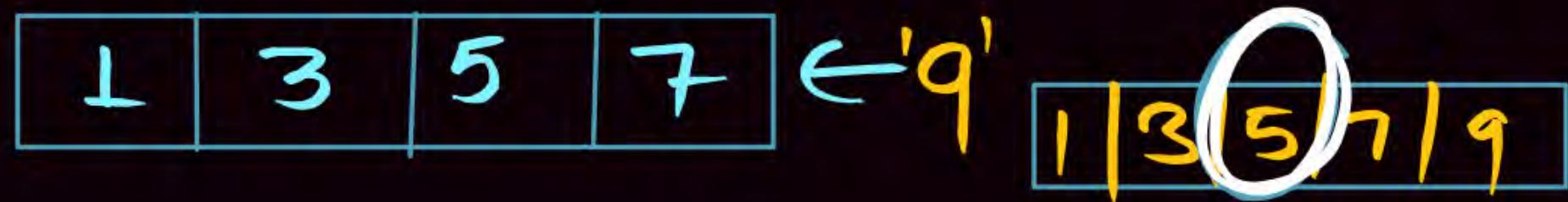
$$= 5 \underline{\text{Ans}}$$

ORDER : '5'  
 $\min \text{key} = \lceil \frac{5}{2} \rceil - 1 \Rightarrow 2$

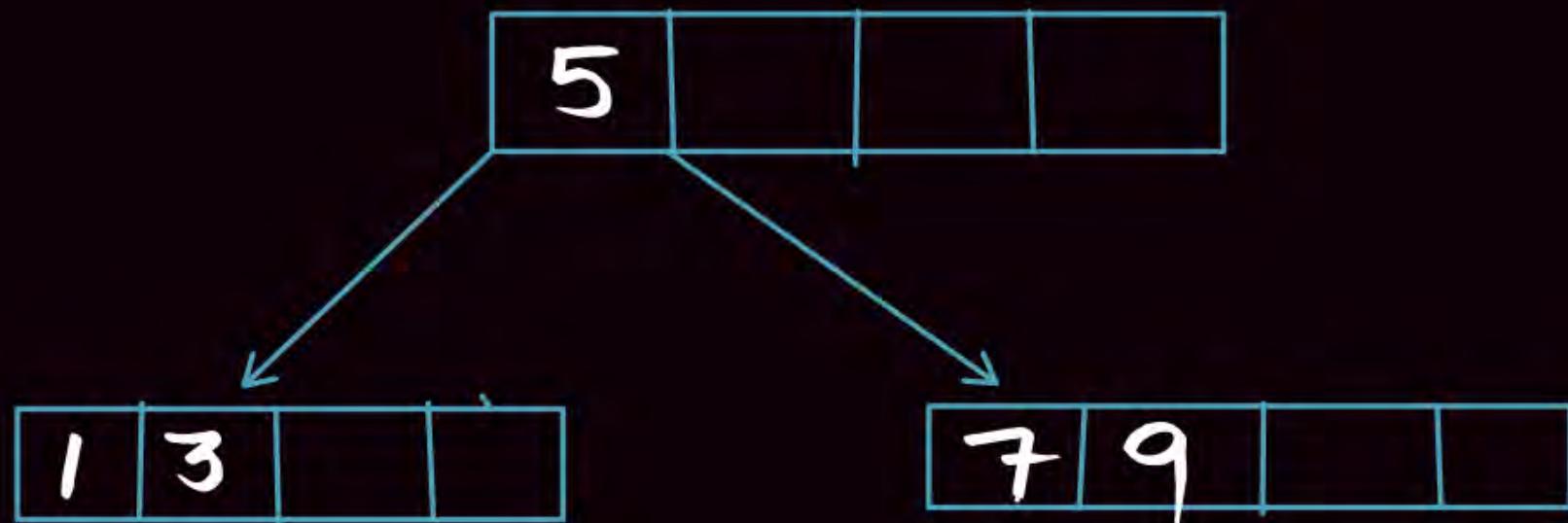
maximum keys =  $5 - 1 = 4$

DSA

1, 5, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 16.



Violate B  
Tree Definition



ORDER : '5'

$$\text{Min key} = \lceil \frac{5}{2} \rceil - 1 \Rightarrow 2$$

$$\text{maximum keys} = 5 - 1 = 4$$

ORDER : 5

$$B_p = 5$$

$$\text{keys} = 4$$

$$R_p = 4$$

DBMS 1, 5, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 16.

B <sub>1</sub>	1	3	5	7	9
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'q'

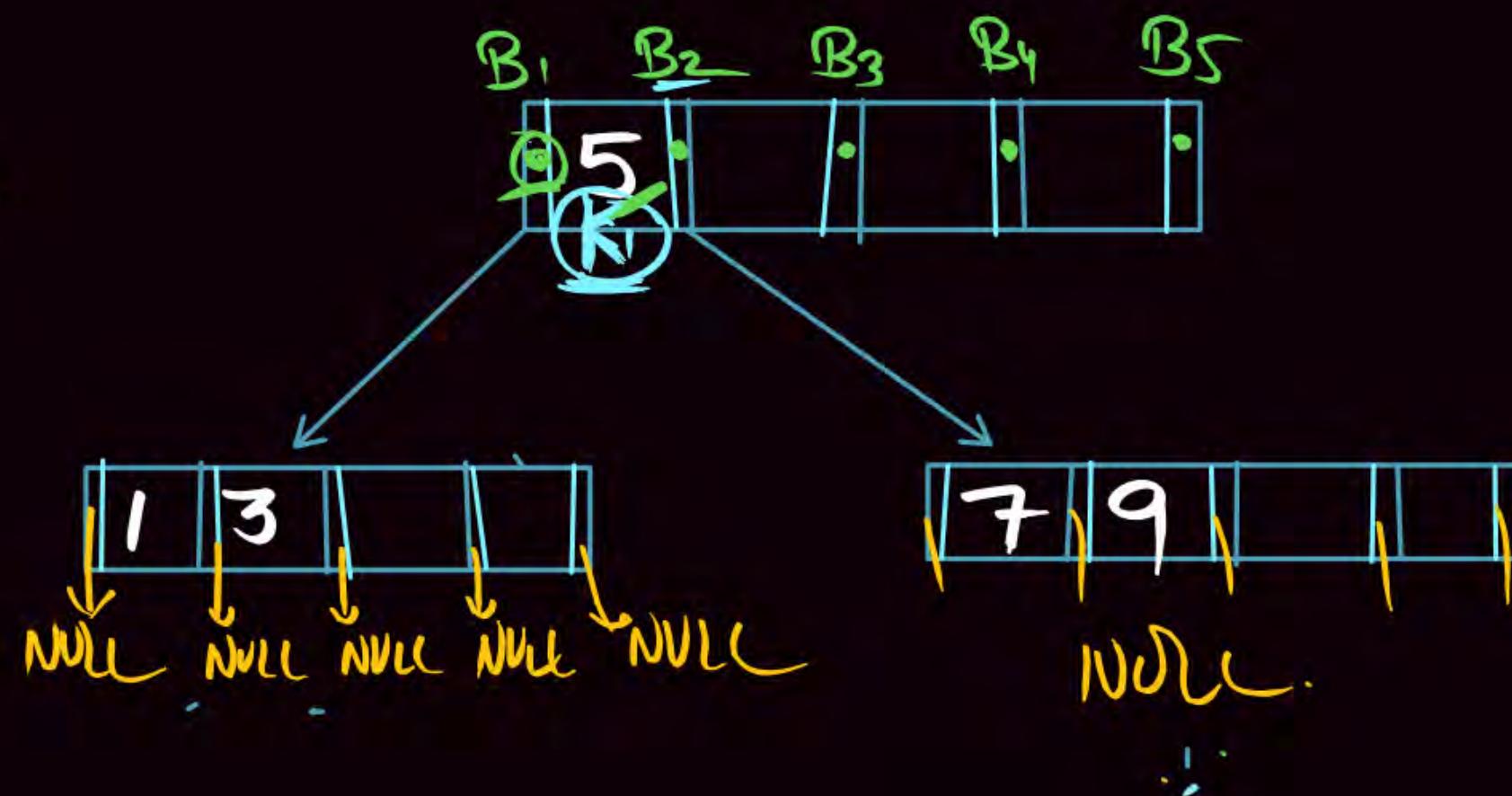
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Violate B

Tree Definition

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$$\text{Max keys} = 4$$



ORDER : 6

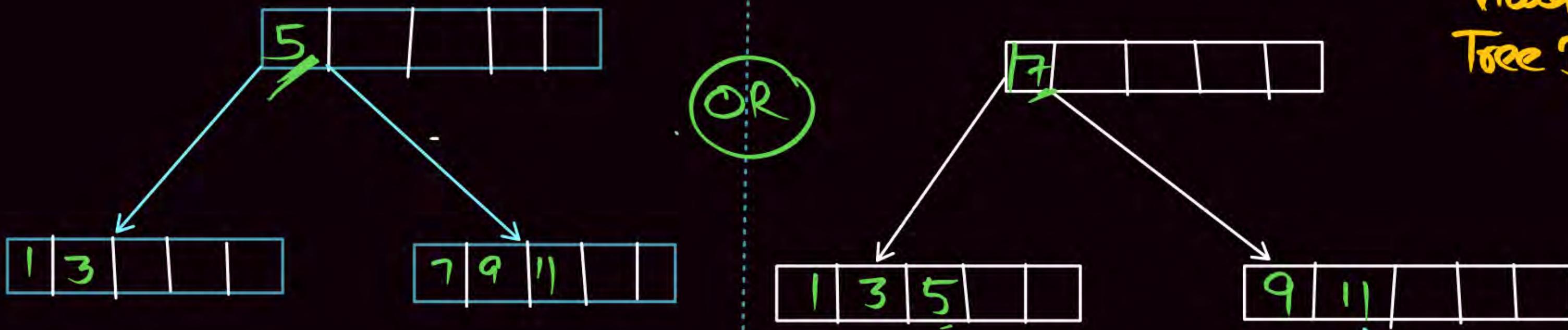
$$\text{Min key} = \lceil \frac{6}{2} \rceil - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2$$

$$\text{Maximum keys} = 6 - 1 = 5$$

1, 5, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 16.

1	3	5	7	9	Ell
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1	3	5	7	9	11
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Violate B  
Tree Definition

## B Tree Definition :

ORDER : P  $\Rightarrow$  maximum number of Block Pointer is P.

P  
W



ORDER : P

B<sub>P</sub> : P

key = P - 1

R<sub>P</sub> = P - 1

B<sub>P</sub> : Block | Child | Tree | Index  
Pointer .

R<sub>P</sub> : Read | Data | Record Pointer

K : Search key .

## B Tree Definition

① ORDER : 2

$$B_p = 2$$

$$\text{key} = 1$$

$$R_p = 1$$

$B_1$	$K_1 R_1$	$B_2$
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② ORDER : 3

$$B_p = 3$$

$$\text{key} = 2$$

$$R_p = 2$$

$B_1$	$K_1 R_1$	$B_2$	$K_2 R_2$	$B_3$
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③ ORDER : 4

$$B_p = 4$$

$$\text{key} = 3$$

$$R_p = 3$$

$B_1$	$K_1 R_1$	$B_2$	$K_2 R_2$	$B_3$	$K_3 R_3$	$B_4$
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④ ORDER : 6

$$B_p = 6$$

$$\text{key} = 5$$

$$R_p = 5$$

$B_1$	$K_1 R_1$	$B_2$	$K_2 R_2$	$B_3$	$K_3 R_3$	$B_4$	$K_4 R_4$	$B_5$	$K_5 R_5$	$B_6$
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⑤ ORDER : 5

$$B_p = 5$$

$$\text{keys} = 4$$

$$R_p = 4$$

$B_1$	$K_1 R_1$	$B_2$	$K_2 R_2$	$B_3$	$K_3 R_3$	$B_4$	$K_4 R_4$	$B_5$
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⑥ ORDER : P

$$B_p = P$$

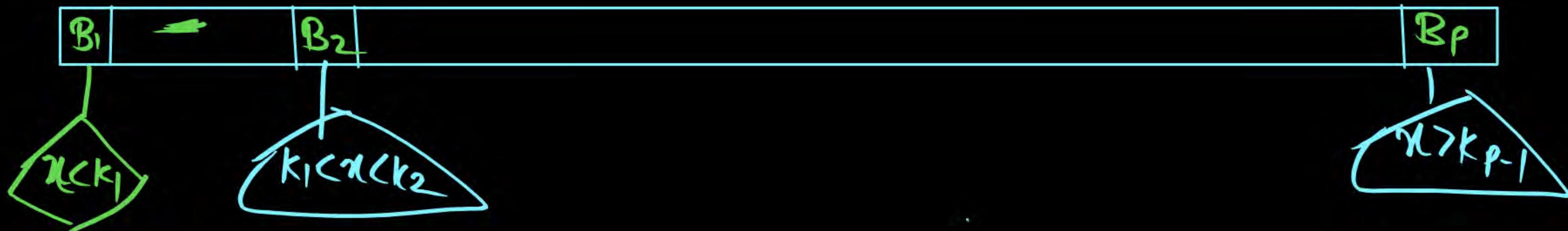
$$\text{key} = P-1$$

$$R_p = P-1$$

## Definition of B Tree

### ① structure of Internal Node

$B_1$	$k_1 R_1$	$B_2$	$k_2 R_2$	$B_3$	$k_3 R_3$	...	...	$B_{p-1}$	$k_{p-1} R_{p-1}$	$B_p$
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## Definition of B Tree

### ② Structure of Leaf Node



## Definition of B Tree

③ Every Internal Node Except the Root Node Contain

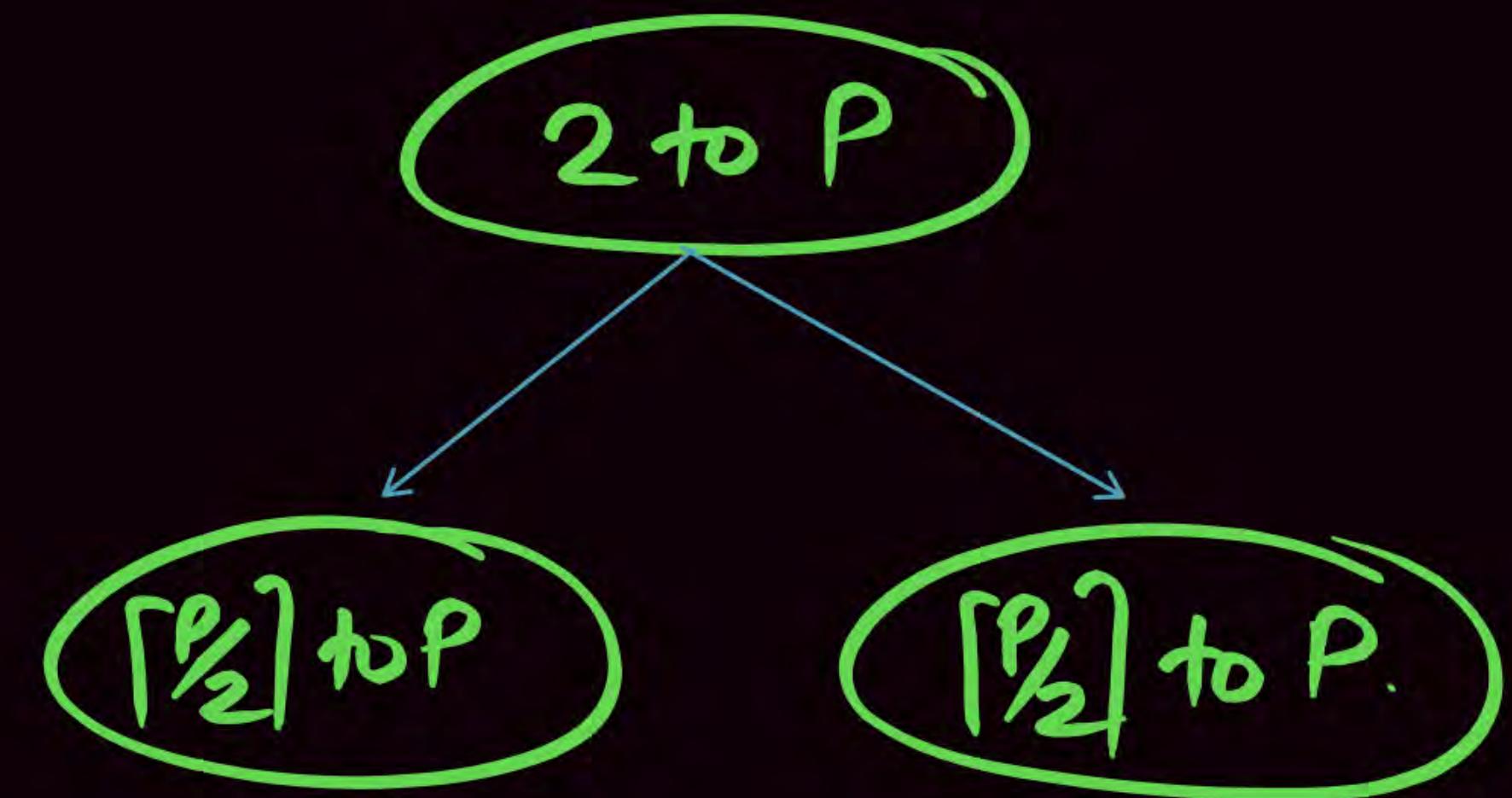
at least(min)  $\lceil \frac{P}{2} \rceil$  Block Pointer (Min keys  $\lceil \frac{P}{2} \rceil - 1$ ) and  
Maximum P Block Pointer (Maximum keys P-1).

④ Root Can Contain atleast 2 Block Pointer (Min. 1 key <sup>in Root Node</sup>)

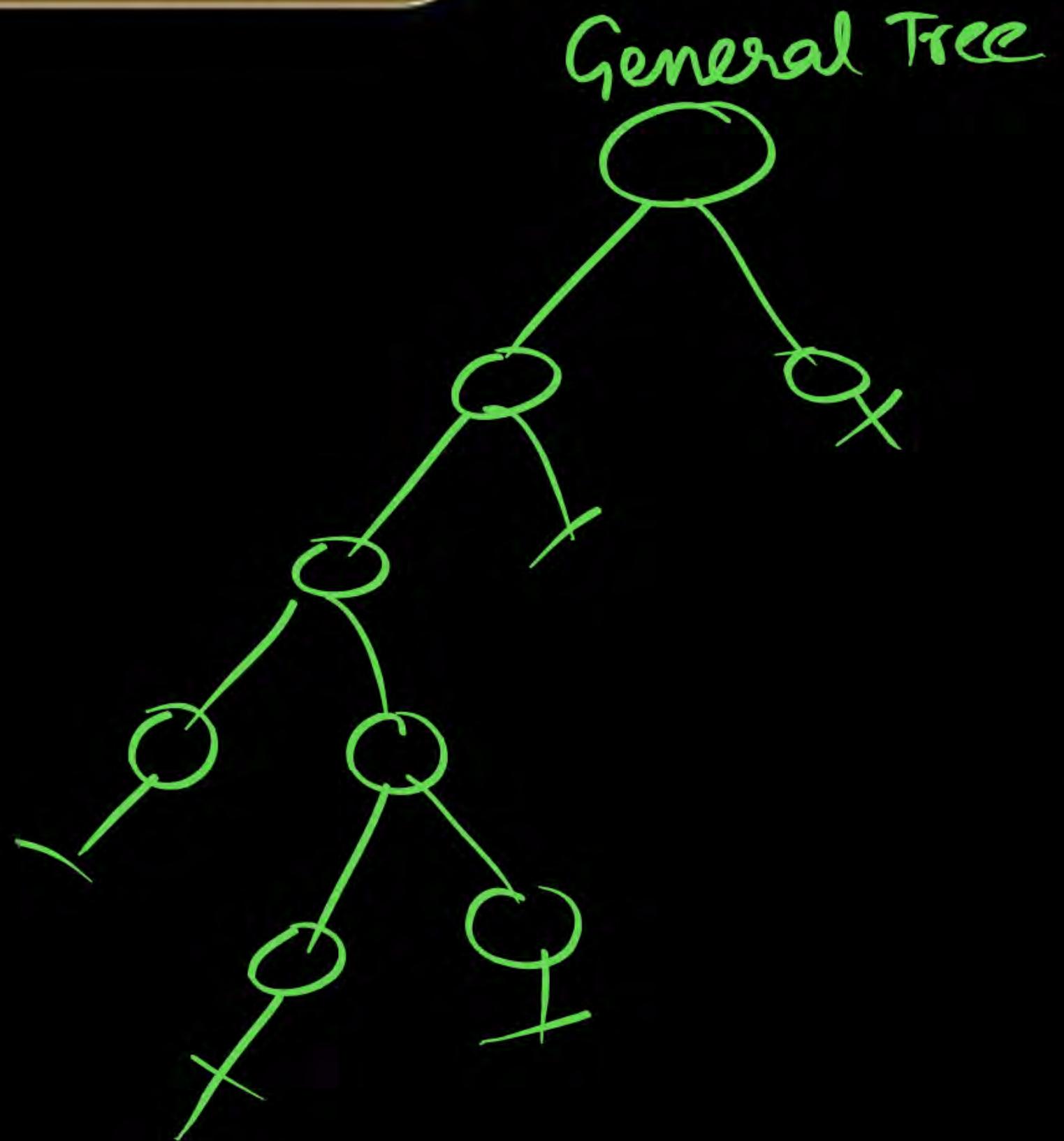
& Maximum P Block Pointer (Max P-1 keys).

### Definition of B Tree

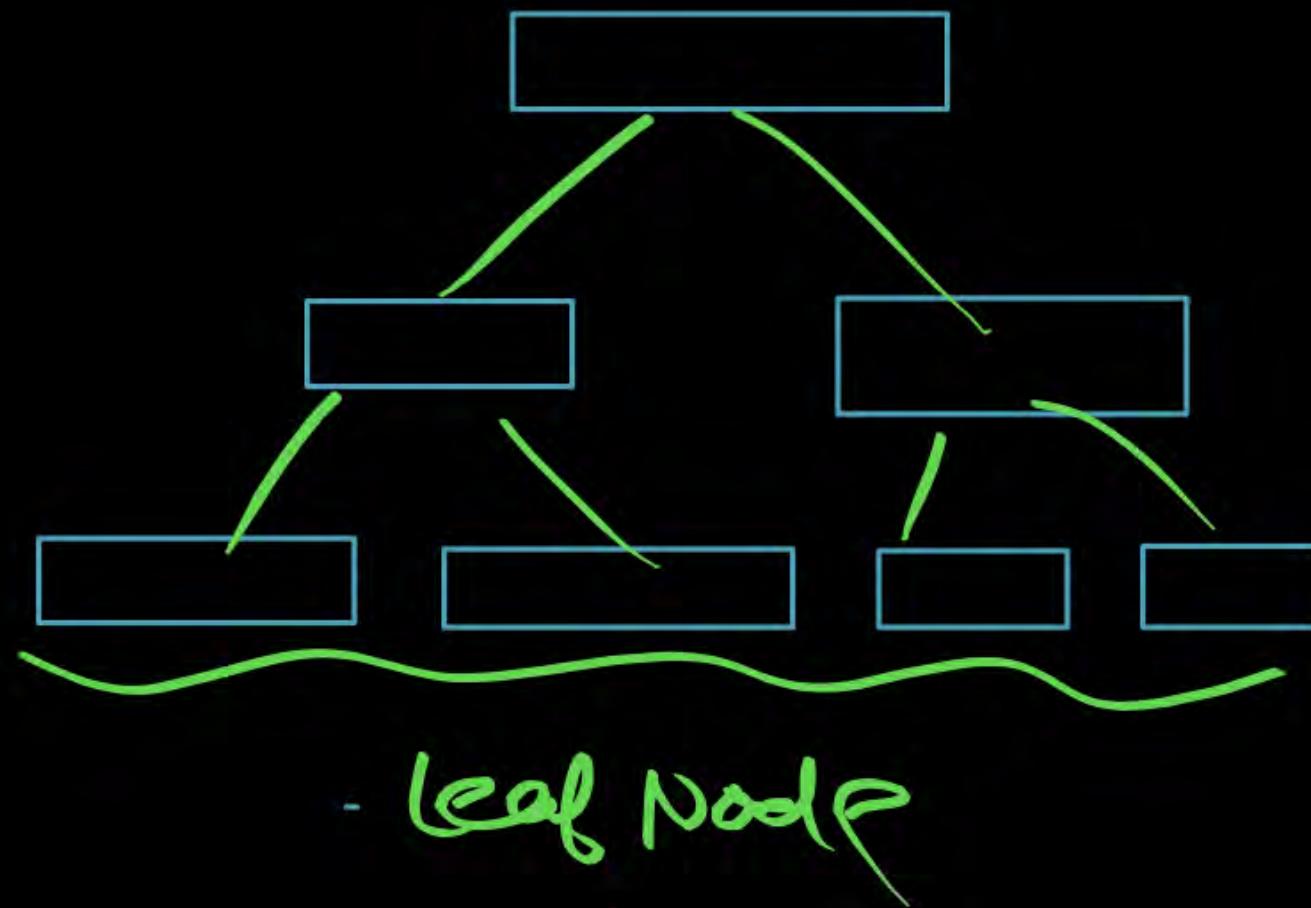
- ⑤ keys within the Node Should be in ascending order.
- ⑥ Every leaf Node Should be at Same level.



## B Tree Definition



B & B+ Tree

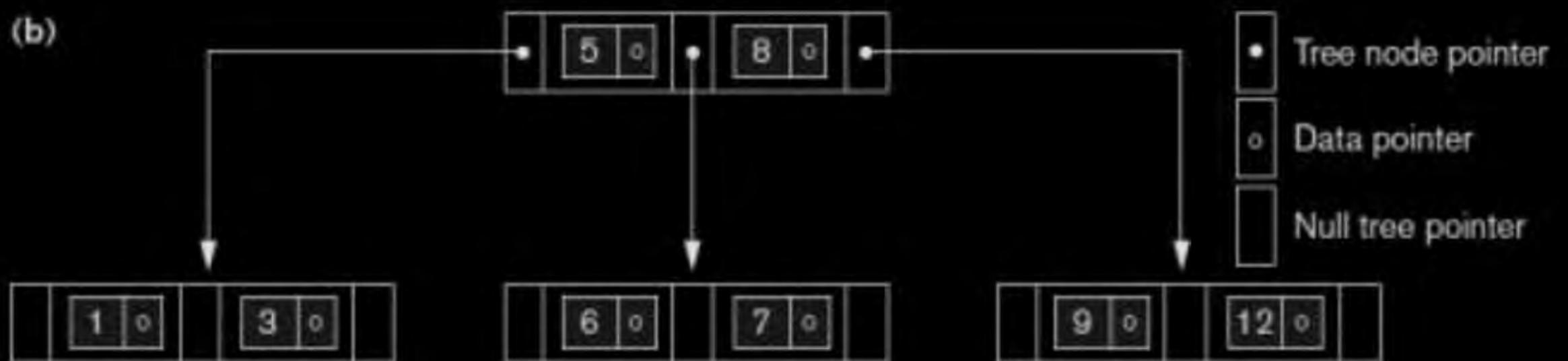
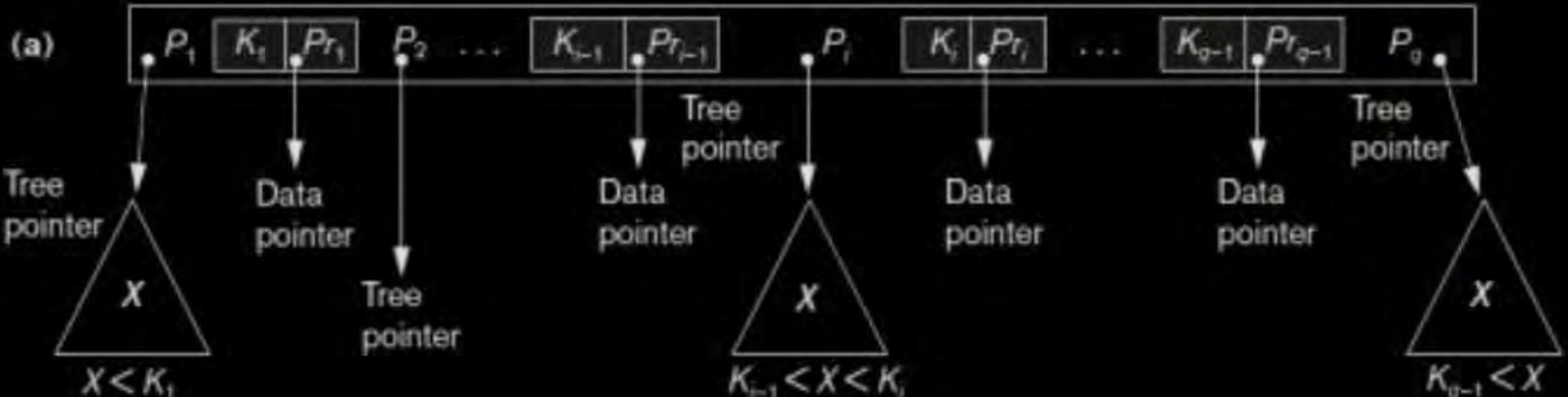


# B Tree Structure

B-tree structures

(a) A node in a B-tree with  $q-1$  search values

(b) A B-tree of order  $p=3$ . The values were inserted in the order 8, 5, 1, 7, 3, 12, 9, 6

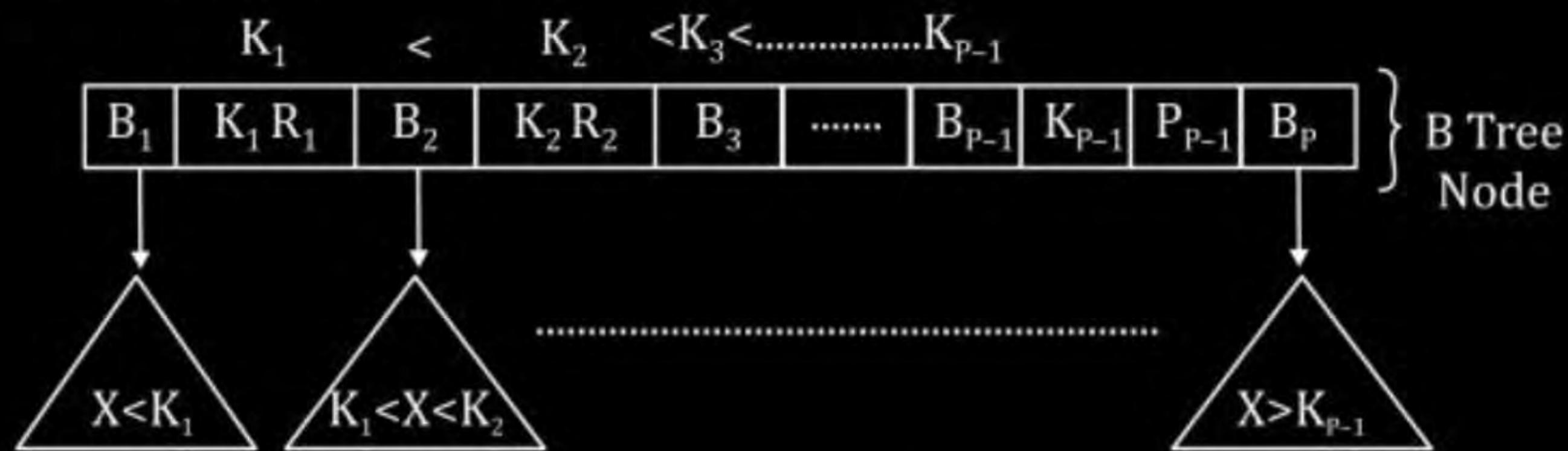


## B Tree Definition

Order P: Max possible child pointers

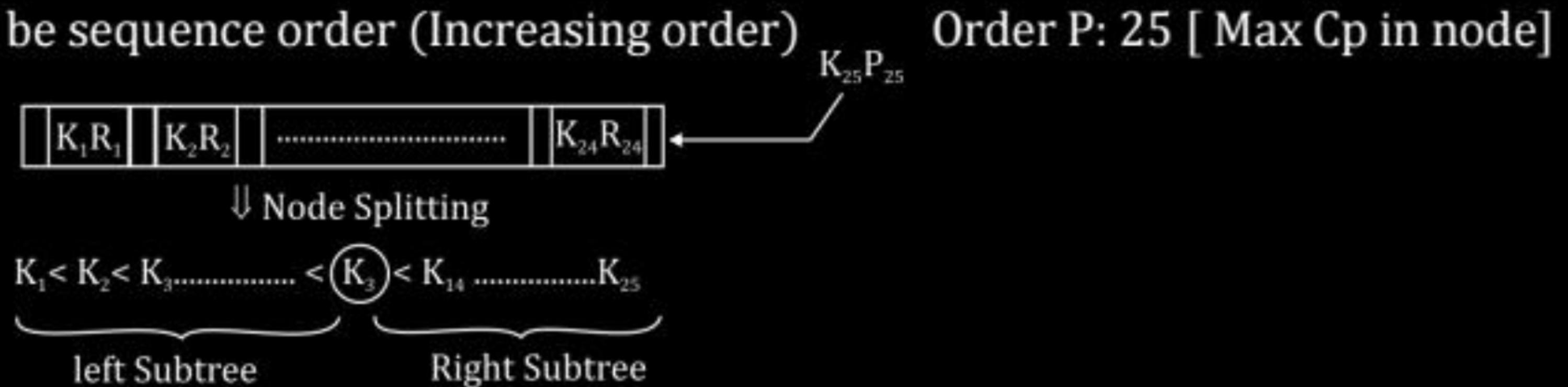
[degree] can store in B Tree node.

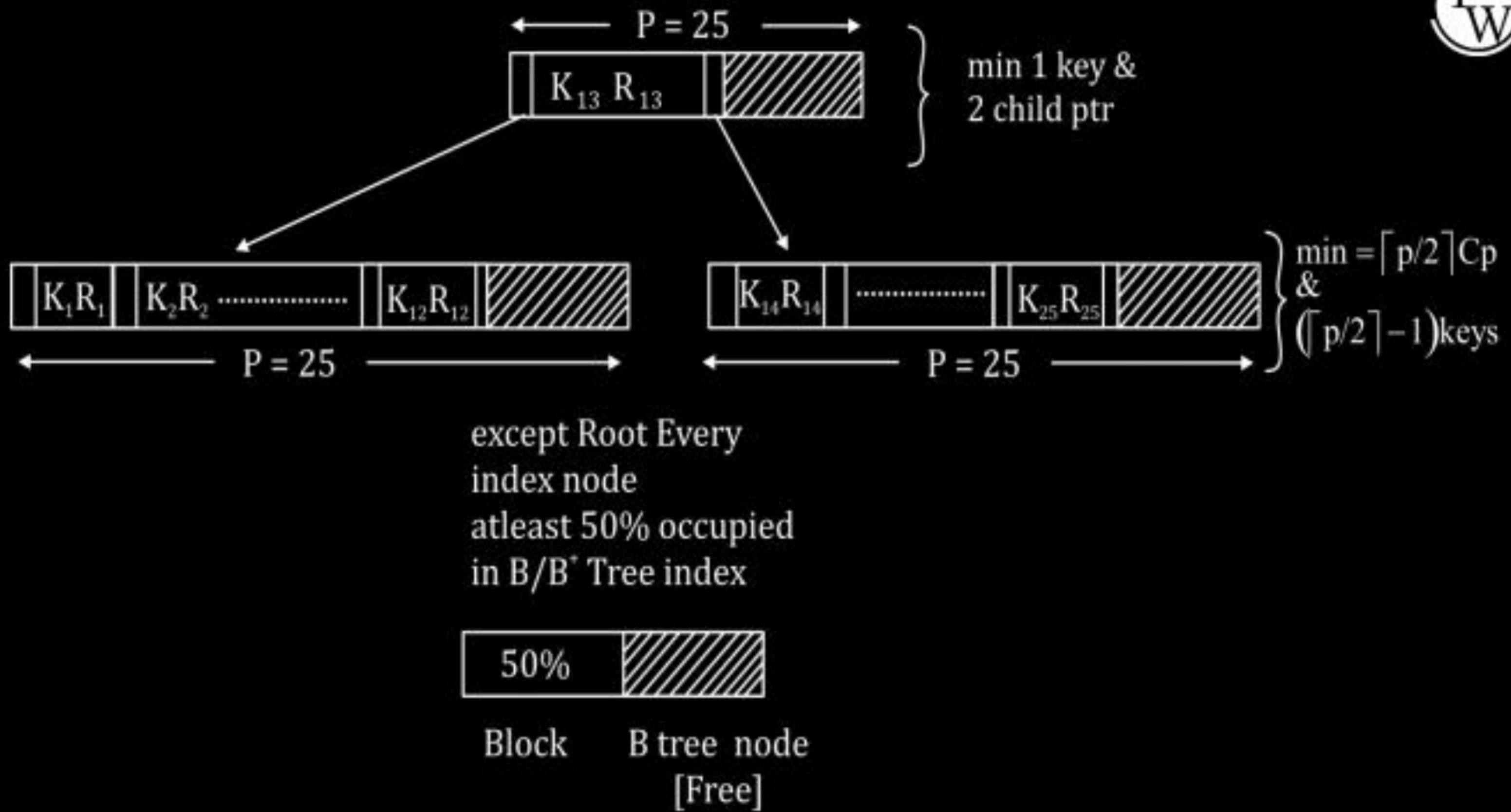
(1) Node structure:



$\langle P.C_p, (p-1)\text{keys}, (p-1)R_p \rangle$

- (2) Every internal node except root must be at least  $[P/2]$  child pointer with  $([P/2] - 1)$  key's and at most P children pointer with  $(P - 1)$  key's must.
- (3) Root node can be at least 2 children with 1 key, at most P children pointer and  $(P - 1)$  key's.
- (4) Every leaf node must be at same level and keys with in node should be sequence order (Increasing order)





Q.

Construct B Tree with order P: 4 [max Bp/cp (Block/child pointer) per node] and following sequence of key's \_\_\_\_\_  
5, 10, 15, 1, 23, 34, 13, 8.

**Q.3**

Consider a table T in a relational database with a key field K. A B-tree of order p is used as an access structure on K, where p denotes the maximum number of tree pointers in B-tree index node. Assume that K is 10 bytes long; disk block size is 512 bytes; each data pointer  $P_D$  is 8 bytes long and each block pointer  $P_B$  is 5 bytes long. In order for each B-tree node to fit in a single disk block, the maximum value of p is

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- A 20
- C 23

- B 22
- D 32

**Advantage:**

- 1) B Tree index best suitable for Random access of some record.

```
select *
```

```
FROM R
```

```
WHERE A = 24 ;
```

One record  
access

I/O cost: K + 1 blocks

$$\approx [\log_P n] + 1 = \theta(\log_P n)$$

## Disadvantage:

- 1) B Tree index not best suitable for sequency access of range of records.

```
select *  
FROM R  
WHERE A ≥ 30 and A ≤ 85;
```

Range of record  
Access required

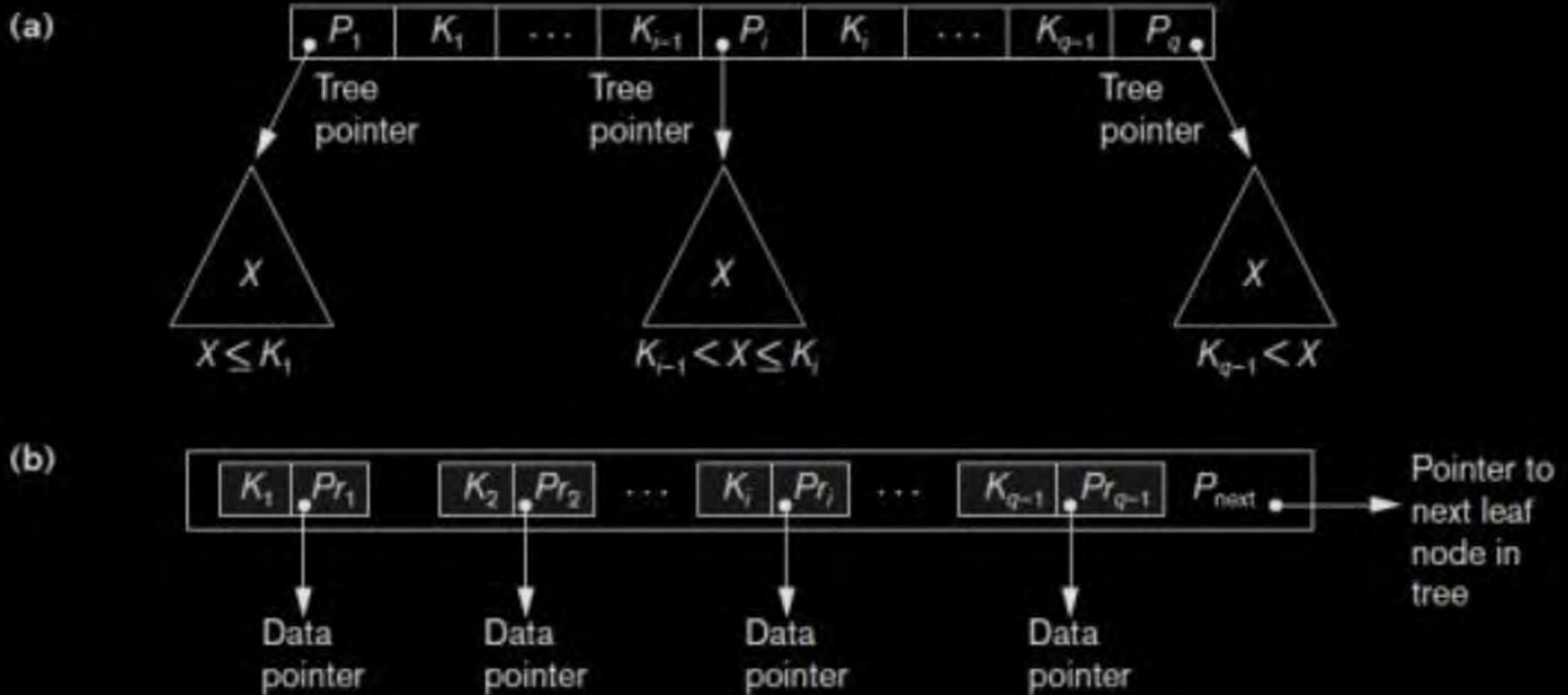
← X blocks of DB →

I/O cost:  $x[\log_p n + 1] + \text{cost of unsuccessful}$

More Access cost

[Unordered File DB]

# B+ Tree



The nodes of a B+-tree  
(a) Internal node of a B+-tree with  $q-1$  search values  
(b) Leaf node of a B+-tree with  $q-1$  search values and  $q-1$  data pointers

## B<sup>+</sup> Tree Definition

Order P: max possible pointers [degree] can store in B<sup>+</sup> Tree node.

(1) Node Structure:

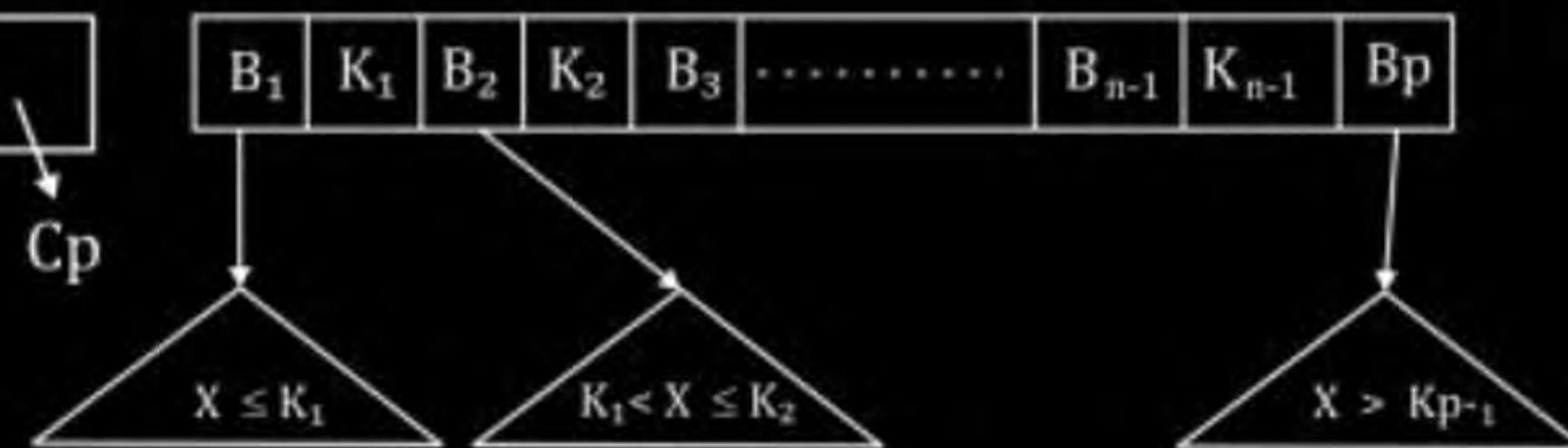
(a) Leaf Node

[set of (key, Rp) pair and only one block pointer pointed to next Leaf node]

K <sub>1</sub> R <sub>1</sub>	K <sub>2</sub> R <sub>2</sub>	K <sub>3</sub> R <sub>3</sub>	.....	K <sub>p-1</sub> R <sub>p-1</sub>	
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(b) Internal Node

[key's and child pointer]  
∴ No record pointer (Rp).

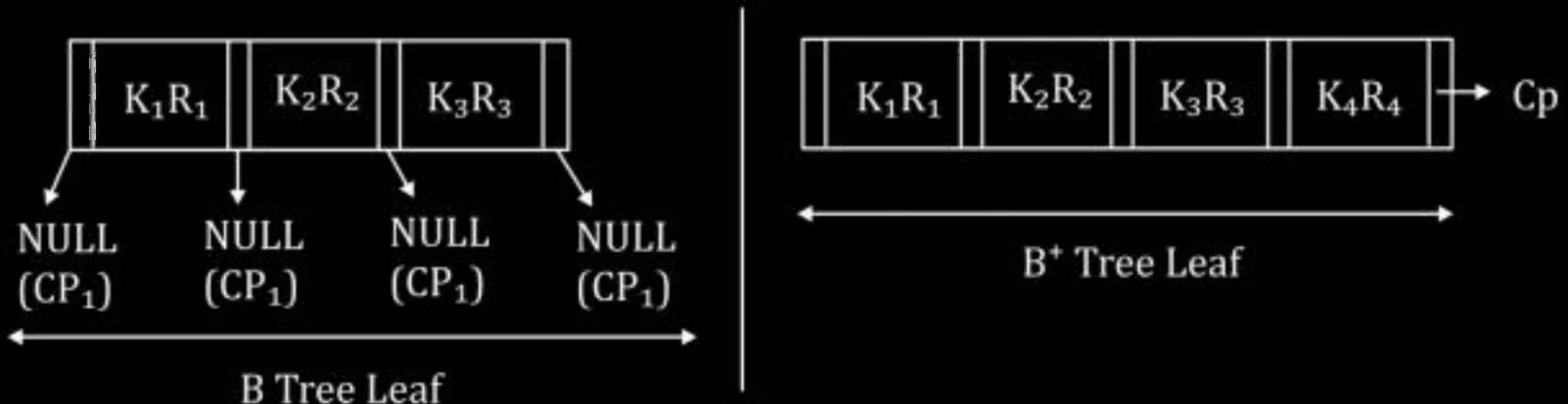


⇒ Left Biasing condition

$$k_1 < x \leq k_2 \dots$$

Right Biasing condition

$$k_1 \leq x < k_2 \dots x \geq k_{p-1}$$



⇒ Remaining Balancing Condition same as B Tree

## Advantage:

- 1) B<sup>+</sup> Tree index best suitable for sequence access of range of records.

[Range Queries runs faster using B<sup>+</sup> Tree index]

Select \*

FROM R

WHERE A ≥ 30 and A ≤ 85;

I/O cost:  $[\log_p n + x + x]$

For  
Index

For  
Database  
File

**Q.4**

The order of an internal node in a B<sup>+</sup>-tree index is the maximum number of children it can have. Suppose that a child pointer takes 6 bytes, the search field value takes 14 bytes, and the block size is 512 bytes. What is the order of the internal node?

- A** 24
- C** 26

- B** 25
- D** 27

**Q.5**

Consider a  $B^+$ -tree in which the maximum number of keys in a node is 5 . What is the minimum number of keys in any non-root node?

- (A) 1
- (B) 2
- (C) 3
- (D) 4

**THANK  
YOU!**

