

CSE 3010 – Data Structures & Algorithms

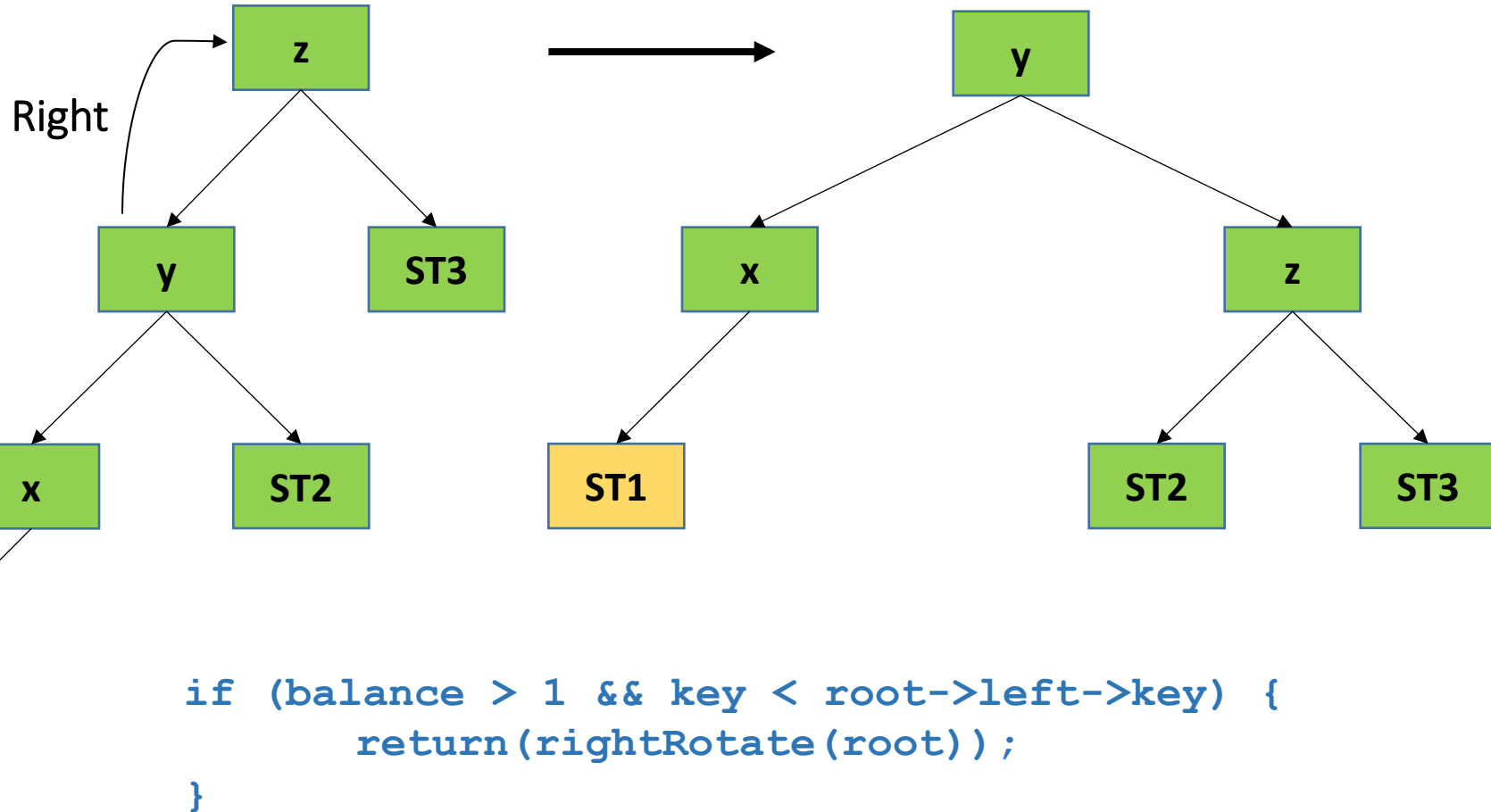
Lecture #43

What will be covered today

- Insertion of a new node in an AVL tree
- Deletion of a node in an AVL tree

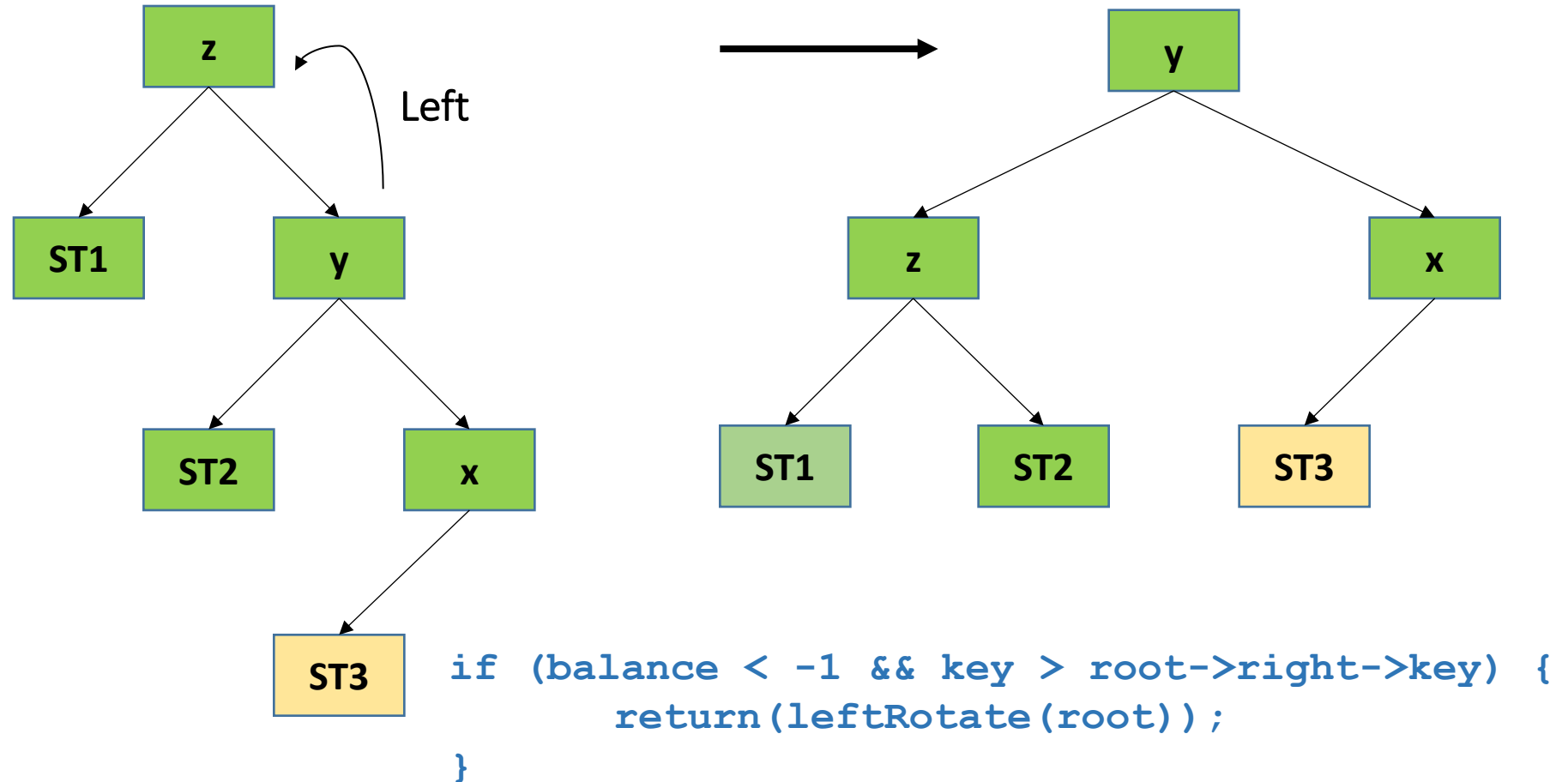
Left Left Case

y is the left child of **z** and **x** is the left child of **y**



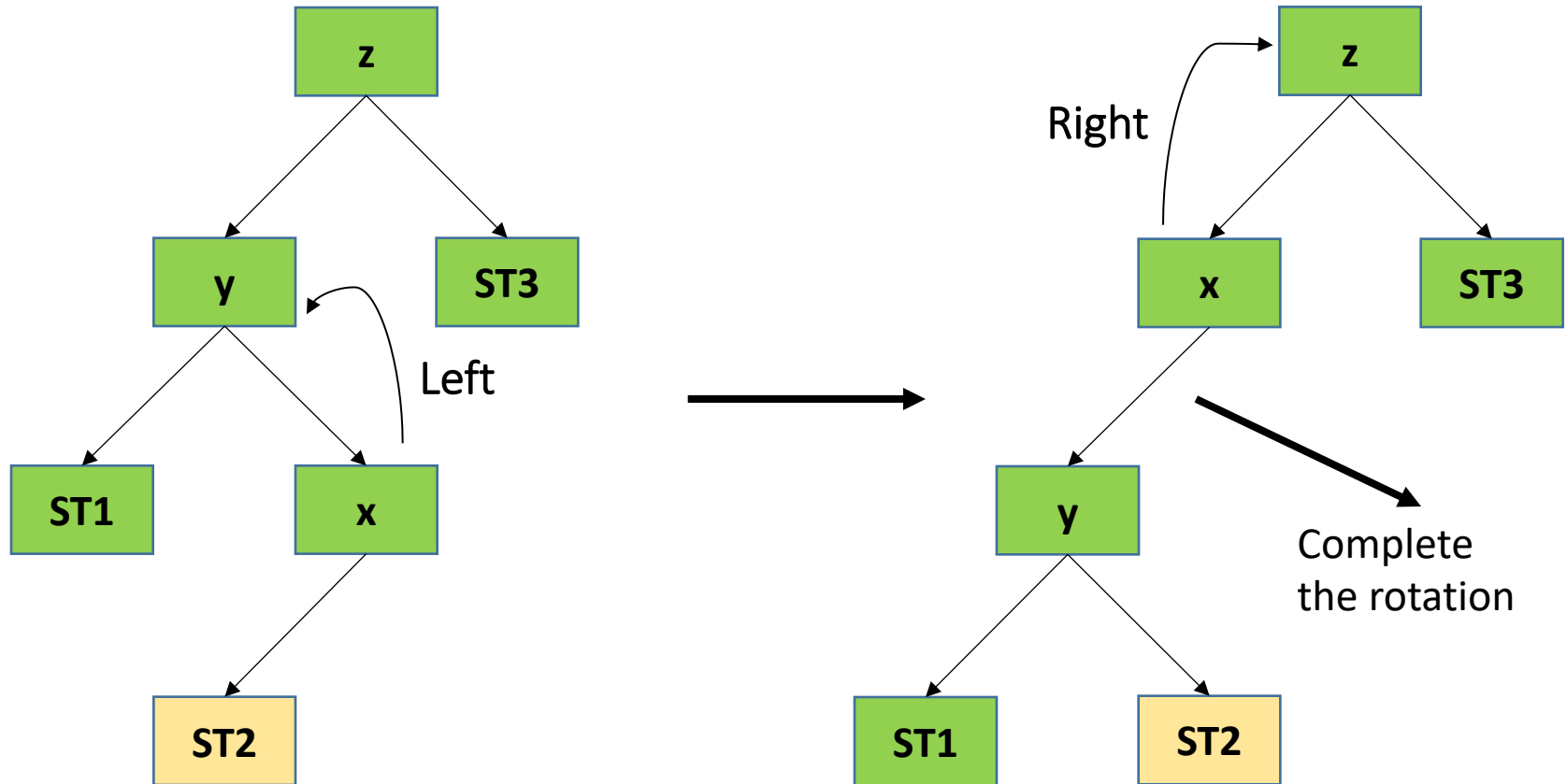
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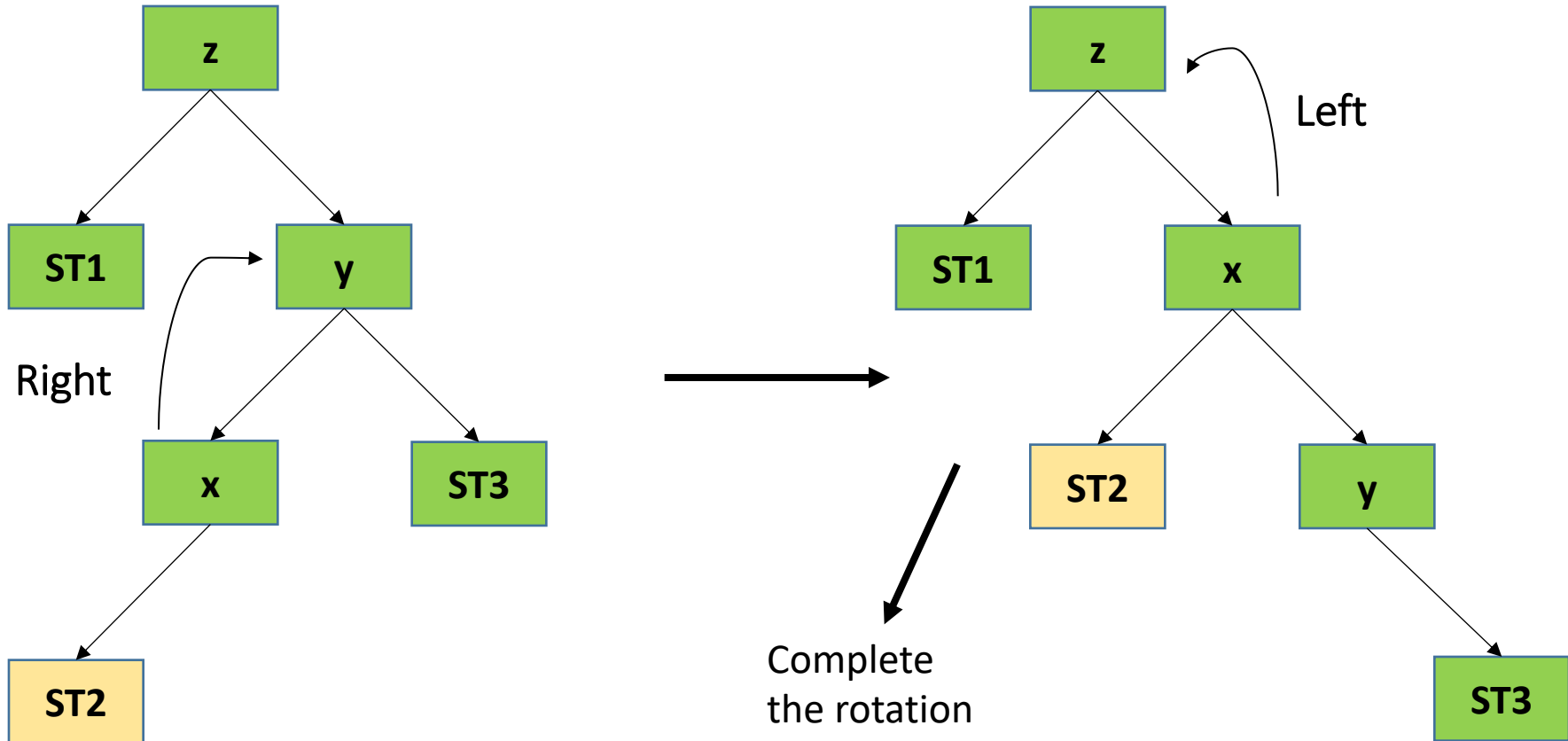
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```
if (balance > 1 && key > root->left->key) {  
    root->left = leftRotate(root->left);  
    return(rightRotate(root));  
}
```

Right Left Case

y is the right child of **z** and **x** is the left child of **y**



```
if (balance < -1 && key < root->right->key) {  
    root->right = rightRotate(root->right);  
    return(leftRotate(root));  
}
```

Deletion in AVL Trees

- Delete a node as you would normally do in a BST. Let this node be **w**.
- Traverse up from **w** to **root**. Let **z** be the first unbalanced node in this path. Let **y** be the child of **z** with larger height and **x** be the grandchild of **z** with larger height.
- Rebalance the tree by performing one of the following operations depending on the relationship between **x**, **y**, and **z**
 - **Left Left Case:** **y** is the left child of **z** and **x** is the left child of **y**
 - **Left Right Case:** **y** is the left child of **z** and **x** is the right child of **y**
 - **Right Right Case:** **y** is the right child of **z** and **x** is the right child of **y**
 - **Right Left Case:** **y** is the right child of **z** and **x** is the left child of **y**
- If balancing the node **z** does not fix the AVL tree, balance the ancestors of **z** as well.