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which of the unbalanced node's subtrees has greater height?

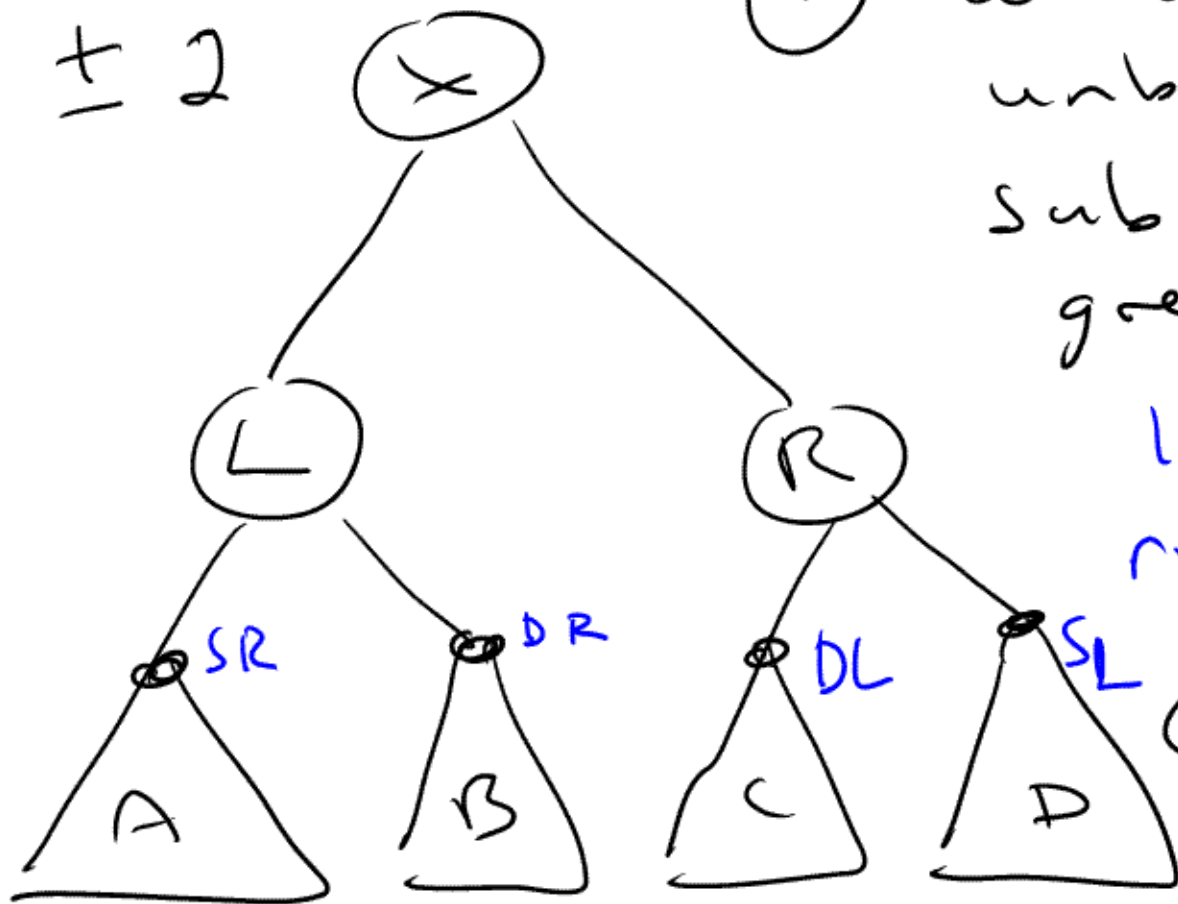
left \rightarrow RIGHT rot
right \rightarrow LEFT rot

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given your answer to Q1,

which of its subtrees has greater height?

outer (left \rightarrow left or right \rightarrow right)
 \Rightarrow SINGLE



SINGLE

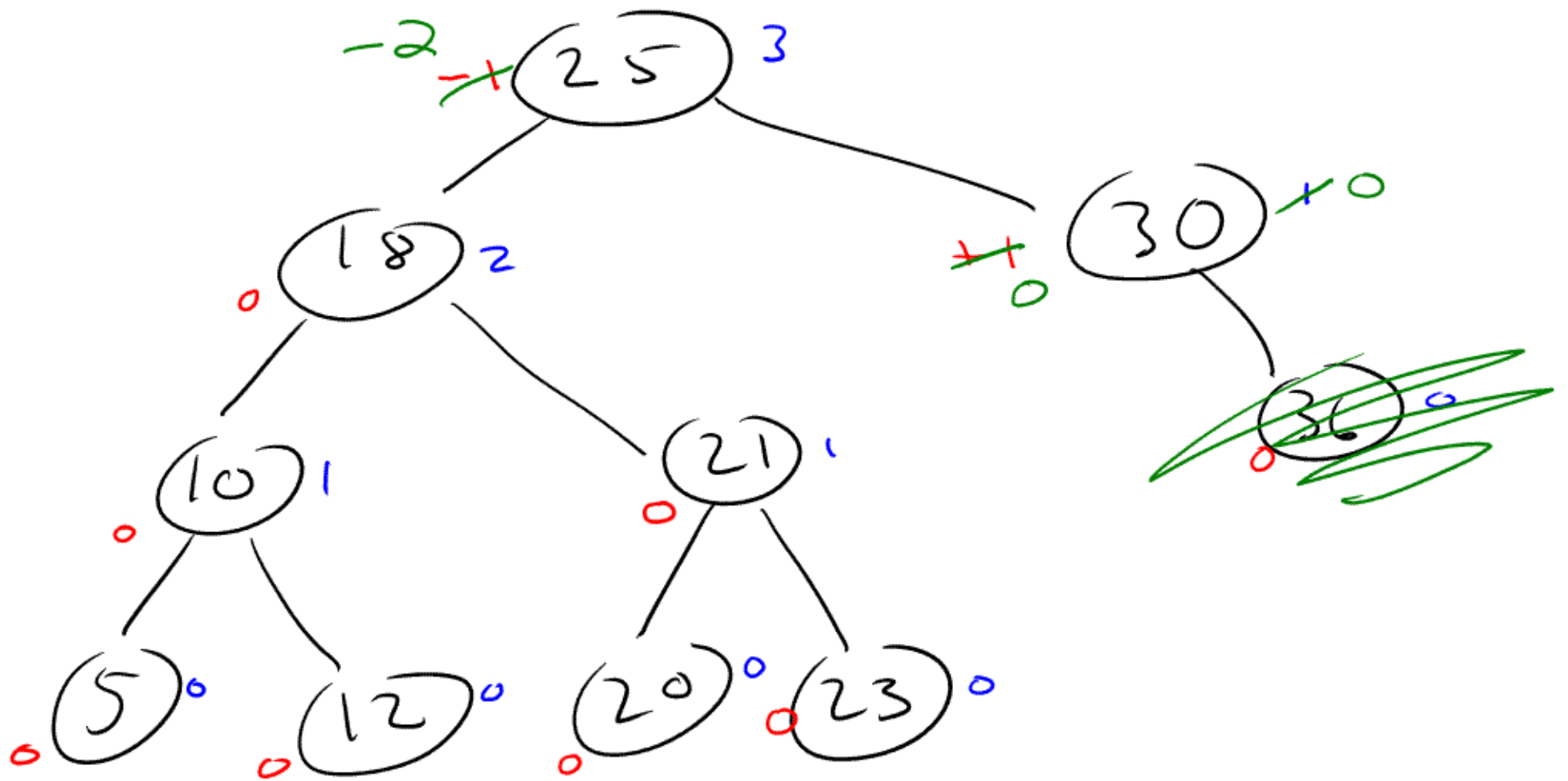
DOUBLE

SINGLE

RIGHT

LEFT

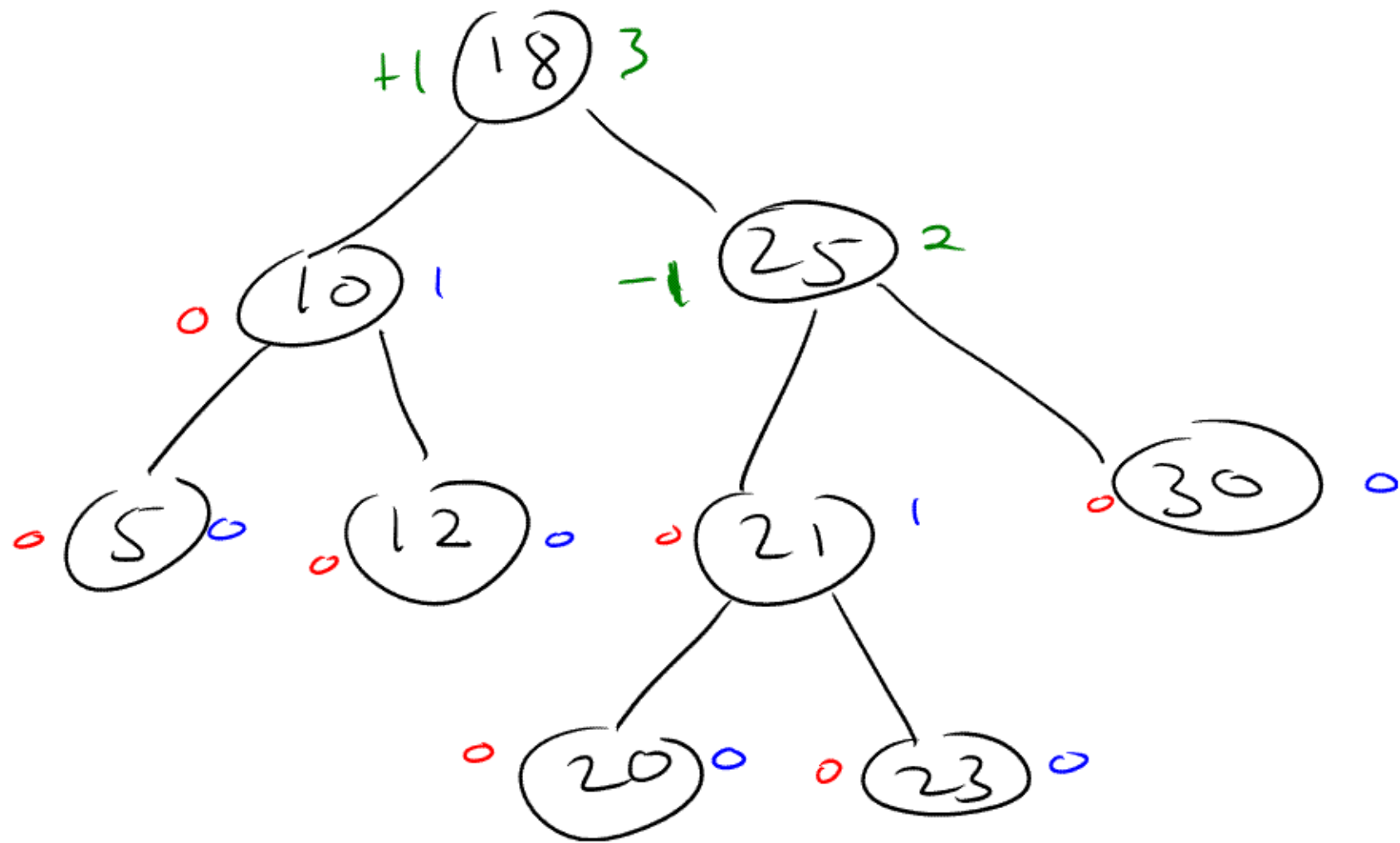
inner (left \rightarrow right or right \rightarrow left)
 \Rightarrow DOUBLE



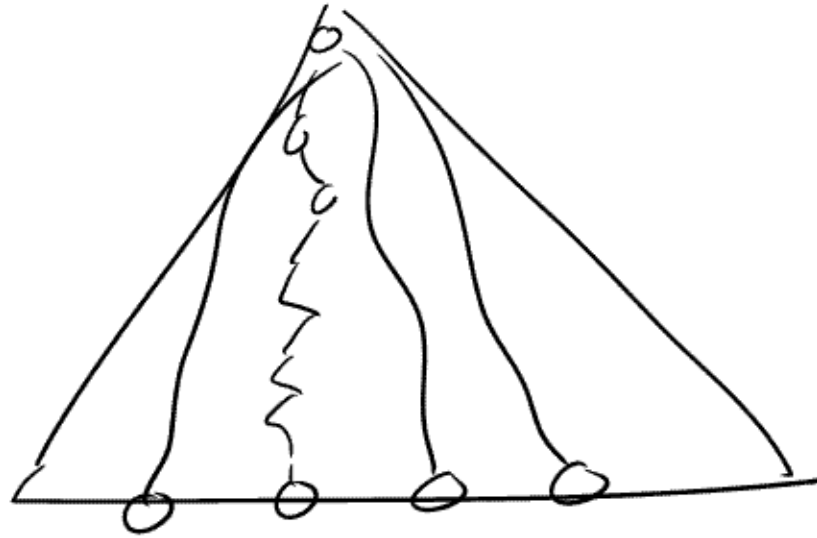
Q 2 ends in tie \rightarrow SINGLE

1) "left" \rightarrow RIGHT

2) "tie" \rightarrow SINGLE

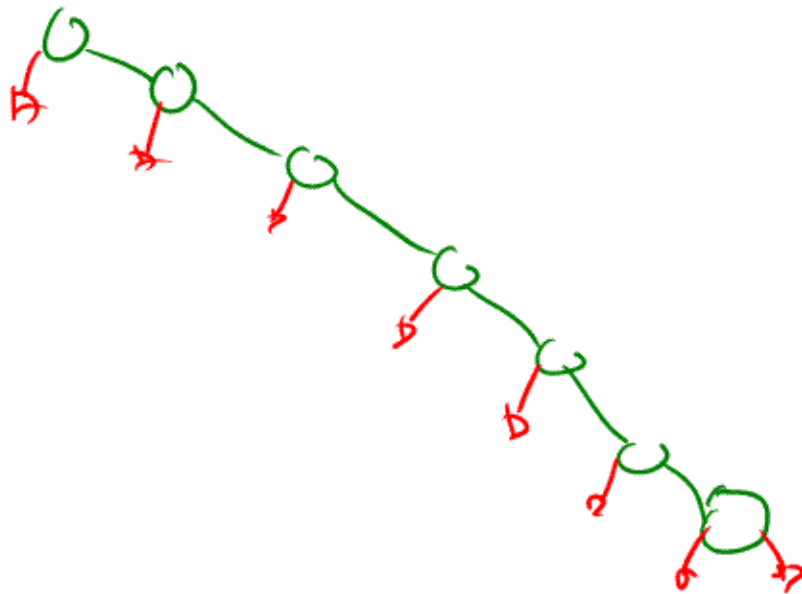


Red-Black Trees



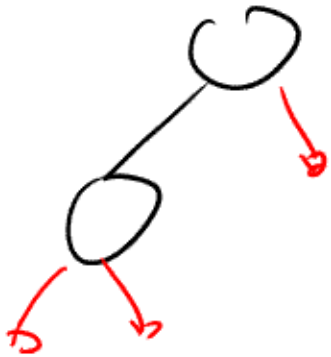
attempt #1

every path
from root
to leaf is
same length



attempt #2

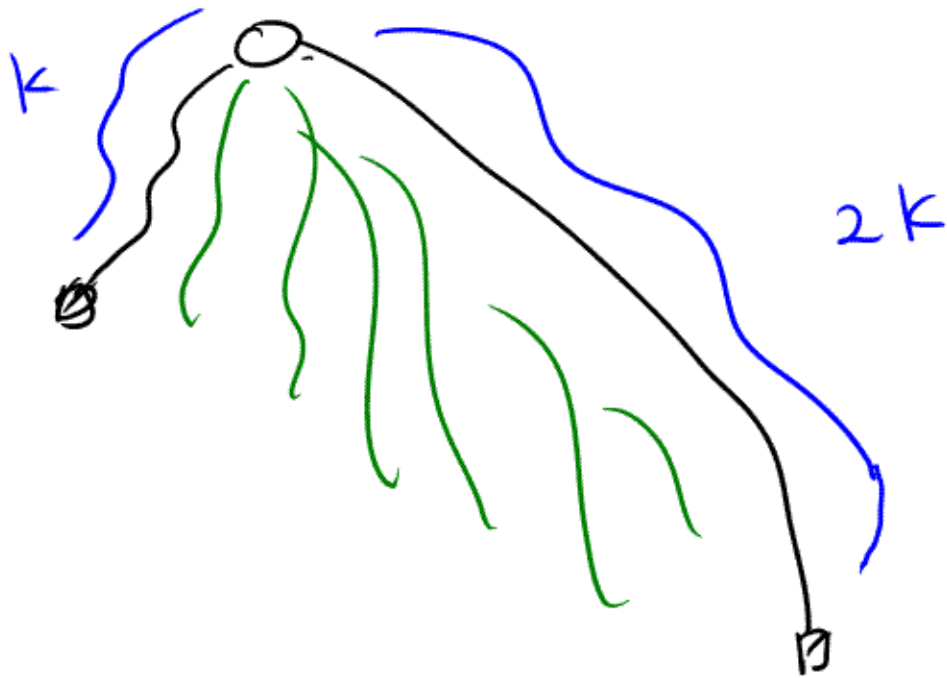
every path from root
to a NULL is same length

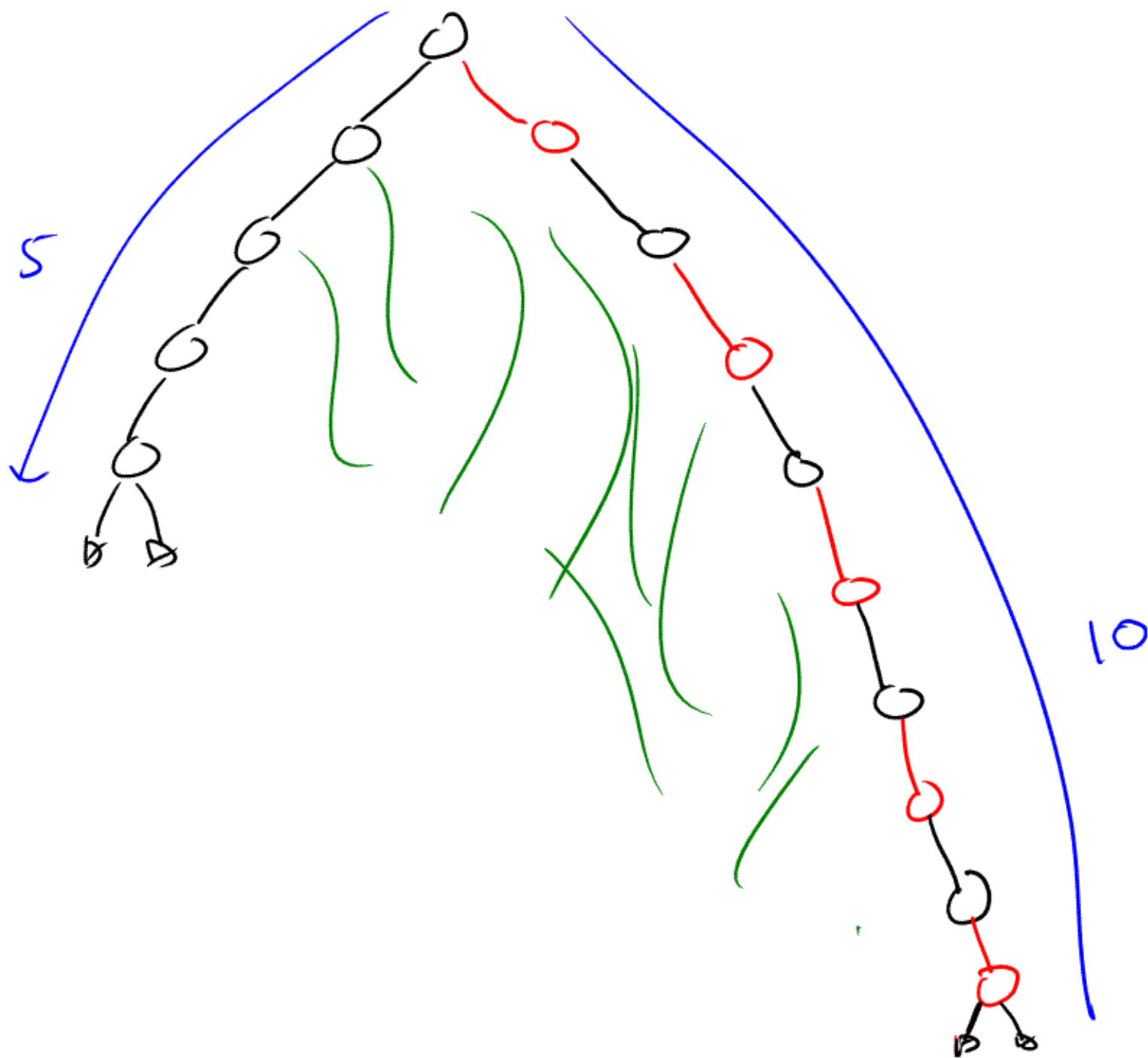


No!

attempt 1-3

largest path from root
to NULL is no more than
twice length of shortest
path from root to NULL





Red - Black tree (BST where:)

definition

1) every node colored red or black

2) ptrs to NULL treated like ptrs to black nodes

balance properties

3) every path from root to NULL has same # of black nodes (black height)

4) no red node has red parent

5) root is black

