

## Unit-2:-

## Trees Part-1

### Trees:-

A tree is a very useful data structure and it is a non-linear data structure.

A tree is a finite set of one or more nodes, such that

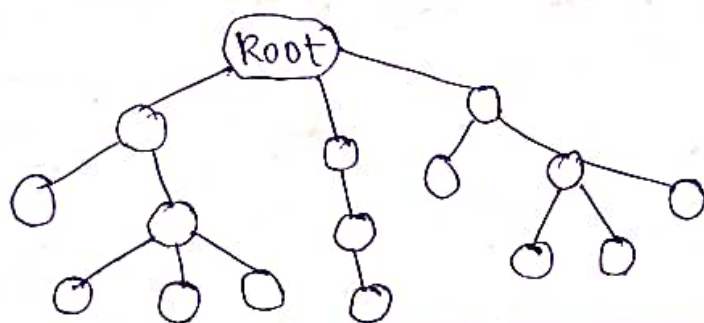
(i) There is a specially designed node called the root.

(ii) The remaining nodes are positioned into 'n' disjoint sets ( $n > 0$ )

i.e.,  $T_1, T_2, T_3, \dots, T_n$ .

where, each  $T_i$  ( $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$ ).

$T_1, T_2, T_3, \dots, T_n$  are called sub trees of the root.



### Binary Tree:-

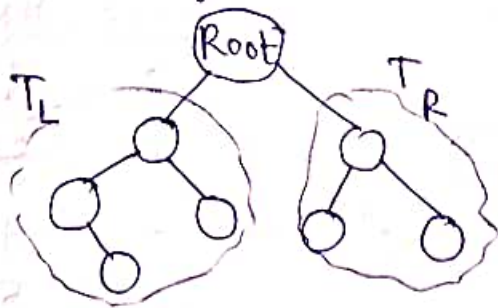
① A binary tree is a special form of a tree. A binary tree is more important and frequently used in various applications of computer science.

A binary tree can also be defined as a finite set of nodes, such that  $\text{Tree}(T)$  is empty. 'T' contain a specially designed node called the root of 'T' and the remaining nodes of 'T' forms two disjoint sets of binary tree.

i.e.,  $T_L$  and  $T_R$  which are called the left sub tree and the right sub tree.

Ex:-

## Binary Tree

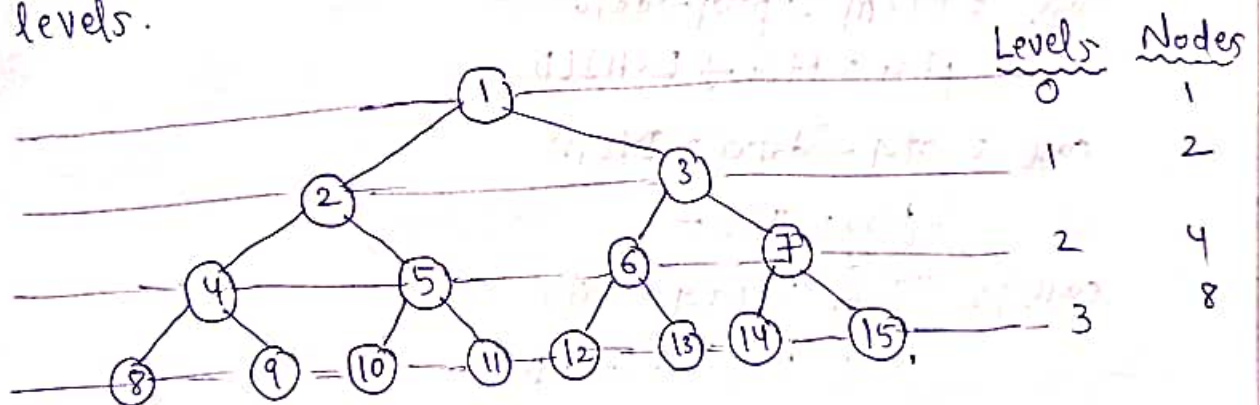


There are 2 major differences b/w a tree and a binary tree.

- (i) A tree can never be empty, but a binary tree may be empty.
- (ii) A binary tree may have at most two children. Where a tree can have many number of children.
- (iii) Two special situations of a binary tree.  
i.e., Fully Binary tree, and Complete Binary Tree.

### Fully Binary Tree:-

A binary tree, is a fully binary tree, if it contains the maximum possible number of nodes at all levels.

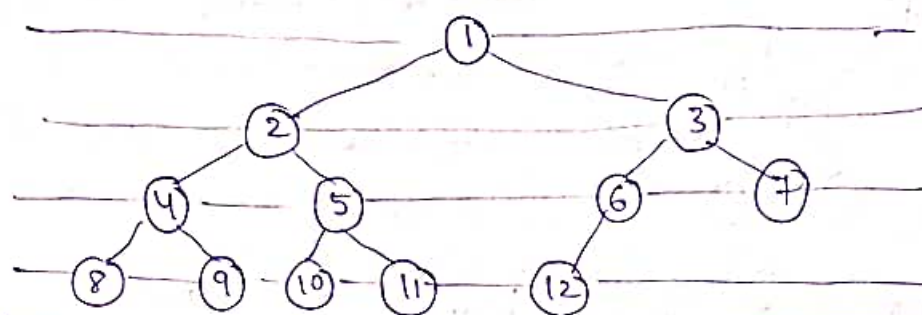


### Complete Binary Tree:-

A binary tree is said to be complete binary tree if all its levels except possibly the last level have the maximum number of possible nodes and all the nodes in the last level appears as far



left as possible.



Level	nodes
0	1
1	2
2	4
3	5

## ✓ Searching a Binary Search Tree:-

② Searching a data in a BST is much faster than searching data in array or linked list. So, many applications which are used to perform searching operation. This data structure is used to store data. Suppose, in a BST, ITEM is the item of search and we will assume that the tree is represented using a linked structure.

Algorithm Search-BST

1). ptr = ROOT, flag = FALSE

2) while (ptr ≠ NULL) and (flag = FALSE) do,

case : ITEM < ptr → data  
ptr = ptr → LCHILD

case : ptr → data = ITEM  
flag = TRUE

case : ITEM > ptr → data  
ptr = ptr → RCHILD

end case

end while

if (flag = TRUE) then

print "ITEM has found at the node", ptr

else

print "ITEM doesn't exist search is unsuccessful"

end if

stop.

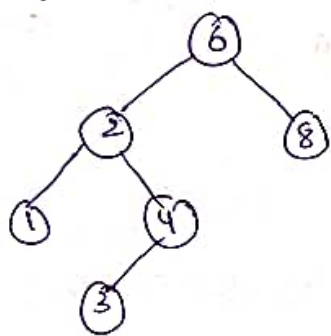
Here, we start from root(R) then - If ITEM is lesser than the value in the root node - R we proceed to its left child.

If ITEM is greater than the value in the root - R we proceed to its right child. The process will be continued till the ITEM is not found (on we search a dead end).

### ⑤ Insertion in BST:-

The insertion operation on a BST is conceptually very simple. It is just one step more than the search operation. To insert a node with data that is ITEM - into a tree. The tree is requested to be searched starting from the root node. If ITEM is found no insertion, If ITEM is not found then it is to be inserted at the end.

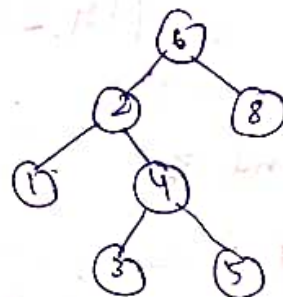
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⇒ ITEM = 4

ITEM = root  
no insertion

⇒ ITEM = 5



Algorithm Insert-BST

ptr = root, flag = FALSE

while (ptr ≠ NULL) and (flag = FALSE) do

case : ITEM < ptr → Data

ptr ← ptr

ptr = ptr → LCHILD



Case : ITEM  $\rightarrow$  ptr  $\rightarrow$  data

ptr1 = ptr

ptr = ptr  $\rightarrow$  RCHILD

ptr  $\rightarrow$  data = ITEM

flag = TRUE

print ("ITEM already exist")

~~end case~~

exit

end case

end while

If (ptr = NULL) Then

new = Getnode (NODE)

new  $\rightarrow$  data = ITEM

new  $\rightarrow$  LCHILD = NULL

new  $\rightarrow$  RCHILD = NULL

if (ptr1  $\rightarrow$  data < ITEM) then

ptr1  $\rightarrow$  RCHILD = new

else

ptr1  $\rightarrow$  LCHILD = new

end if

end if

stop

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Deleting a node in BST :-

This operation is slightly more complicated than the previous two operations. "T" is a BST and ITEM is the information which has to be deleted from "T". If that existed in the tree.

Suppose  $N$  be the node which contains the information item & assume that  $PARENT$  of  $N$  denotes the parent node of  $N$  &  $SUCC(N)$  denoted the in order successor of the node  $N$ .

nodes comes after  $N$ . Then the deletion of node  $N$  depends on the number of children. There are 3 cases of situations.

Case-i:  $N$  is the leaf node

Case-ii:  $N$  has exactly one child.

Case-iii:  $N$  has two child.

Case-i:  $N$  is deleted from the  $T$  by simply setting the pointer of  $N$  in the parent node.

i.e,  $PARENT(N)$  by null value.

Case-ii:  $N$  is deleted from the  $T$  by simply replacing the pointer of  $N$  in parent node.

i.e,  $PARENT(N)$  by the pointer of the only child of  $N$ .

Case-iii:  $N$  is deleted from the  $T$  by first deleting success  $SUCC(N)$  from  $T$  and then replacing the data content in node  $N$  by the data content in node  $SUCC(N)$ . Reset the left child of the parent of  $SUCC(N)$  by the right child of  $SUCC(N)$ .

### Algorithm

Algorithm Delete-BST

$ptr = \text{ROOT}$ ,  $\text{flag} = \text{FALSE}$

while ( $ptr \neq \text{NULL}$ ) and ( $\text{flag} = \text{FALSE}$ ) do

Case:  $\text{ITEM} < ptr \rightarrow \text{Data}$

$ptr \leftarrow ptr \rightarrow \text{LCHILD}$

$ptr = ptr \rightarrow \text{RCHILD}$

case :  $ITEM \geq p \rightarrow Data$

$p \leftarrow p \rightarrow$

$p \rightarrow RCHILD$

case :  $p \rightarrow Data = ITEM$

flag = TRUE

print "ITEM already exist"

exit

end case

end while

If (flag = FALSE) then

print ("ITEM does not exist : No deletion")

exit

end if

if ( $p \rightarrow LCHILD = NULL$ ) and ( $p \rightarrow RCHILD = NULL$ ) then

case = 1

else

if ( $p \rightarrow LCHILD \neq NULL$ ) and ( $p \rightarrow RCHILD \neq NULL$ ) then

case = 3

else

case = 2

end if

end if

if (case = 1) then

if ( $parent \rightarrow LCHILD = p$ ) then

$parent \rightarrow LCHILD = NULL$

else

$parent \rightarrow RCHILD = NULL$

end if

Return Node (p)

if (case = 2) then

if ( $parent \rightarrow LCHILD = p$ ) then



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if (ptr → LCHILD = NULL) then
    parent → LCHILD = ptr → RCHILD
else
    parent → LCHILD = ptr → LCHILD
else
    if (ptr → RCHILD = ptr) then
        if (ptr → RCHILD = NULL) then
            parent → RCHILD = ptr → RCHILD
        else
            parent → RCHILD = ptr → LCHILD
        end if
    end if
end if
Return Node (ptr)
end if
if (case = 3) then
    ptr = succ (ptr)
    item = ptr → Data
    Delete-BST (item)
    ptr → Data = item
end if
Stop

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### ⑤ Traversal on Binary Search Tree (BST):—

The traversal operation is a frequently used operation on a BST. By this operation we can visit each node in the tree exactly once. A fully traversal on a binary tree gives a linear ordering of data in the tree.

For example, if the binary tree contains an arithmetic expression, then its traversal may give up the expression.



in infix notation, postfix notation, and prefix notation.  
There are 6 possible ways:

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|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| (i) $R \quad T_L \quad T_R$   | (iv) $T_R \quad T_L \quad R$ |
| (ii) $T_L \quad R \quad T_R$  | (v) $T_R \quad R \quad T_L$  |
| (iii) $T_L \quad T_R \quad R$ | (vi) $R \quad T_R \quad T_L$ |

Here,  $T_L$  and  $T_R$  denotes the left and right sub trees of the root ' $R$ '. It may notice that visit-1 and visit-4 are mirror symmetric and similarly remaining also from out of 6 possible traversals only 3 are fundamental they are preorder, inorder, postorder.

### Pre Order Traversal:

In this traversal the root is visited first, then the left sub tree in pre order fashion such traversal can be defined as follows.

- (i) Visit the root node -  $R$
- (ii) Traverse the left sub tree of  $R$  in pre order.
- (iii) Traverse the right sub tree of  $R$  in pre order.

### Algorithm preorder

ptr = Root

If (ptr  $\neq$  NULL) then

visit(ptr)

preorder(ptr  $\rightarrow$  Lc)

preorder(ptr  $\rightarrow$  Rc)

end if.

Stop.

## Inorder Traversal

In this traversal before visiting the root node the left sub tree of root node is visited and then the root node and after visiting the root node the right sub tree of the root node is visited.

Visiting both the sub trees in the same manner as the tree itself such a traversal can be served as follows.

- (i) Traverse the left sub tree of the root node in inorder.
- (ii) Visit the root node R.
- (iii) Traverse the right sub tree of the root node in inorder.

### Algorithm Inorder

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ptr = Root
if (ptr != NULL) then
    Inorder (ptr → LC)
    visit (ptr)
    Inorder (ptr → RC)
end if
stop
```

## Post Order Traversal

In this traversal the root node is visited in the end that is first visit the left sub tree and then right sub tree and lastly the root. A definition of this type of traversal is defined as follows

- (i) Traverse the left sub tree of the root node in post order.



(ii) Traverse the right sub tree of the root node are in post order.

(iii) Visit the root node - R.

Algorithm Postorder

ptr = root

if (ptr  $\neq$  NULL) then

postorder(ptr  $\rightarrow$  LC)

postorder(ptr  $\rightarrow$  RC)

visit(ptr)

end if

stop.

### Height Balanced Binary Tree:-

A binary search tree is said to be height balanced binary search tree if all its nodes having a balance factor of  $\pm 1$  or  $-1$ .

that is  $|bf| = |h_L - h_R| \leq 1$ .

$\downarrow$  bf = balance factor.

The balance factor (bf) of a binary tree is defined as

$bf = \text{Height of the left subtree}(h_L) - \text{Height of the right subtree}(h_R)$ .

It may be noted that a height balanced binary tree is always be a binary search tree and a complete binary search tree is always height balanced. But the reverse may not be true.

The basic objective of the height balanced BST is to perform searching, Insertion and deletion operations effectively. These operations may not be with the minimum time. But the time involved is less than that of in an unbalanced BST. It may be realize that the searching time in the case of complete binary tree is minimum. But, Insertion and deletion may not be with the minimum time always.

Ex:  $bf(6) = 3 - 2 = 1$

$bf(2) = 1 - 2 = -1$

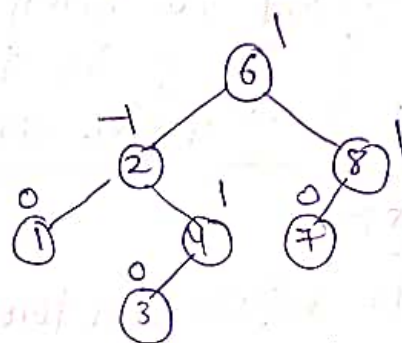
$bf(8) = 1 - 0 = 1$

$bf(1) = 0$

$bf(4) = 1 - 0 = 1$  ← It is height balanced tree

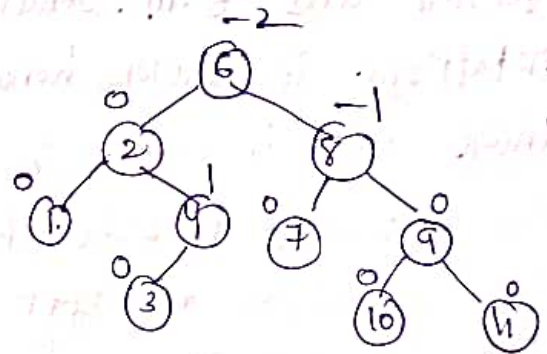
$bf(3) = 0$

$bf(7) = 0$



~~delete node 4 then~~

It is not height balanced tree  $\Rightarrow$



The following steps need to be adapted.

(i) Insert node in to a binary search tree:-

Insert the node in to its proper position following the properties of BST.

(ii) Compute the balance factor:-

On the path starting from the root node to the node newly inserted, compute the balance factor of each node.



(iii) Decide the pivot node:

On the path as traced in step-2 determine whether the absolute value of any nodes balance factor is shifted from 1 to 2. If so the tree become unbalanced. The node which shifted from 1 to 2 mark as a special node called pivot node.

(iv) Balance the unbalance tree:

It is necessary to manipulate pointers created at the pivot node to bring the tree back in to height balance. This pointer manipulation is well known as AVL rotations.

AVL Rotations:

In order to balance a tree there was a method devised in 1962 by two Russian mathematicians G.M. Adelson Velskii and G.M. Landis and the method named as AVL rotations in their honour.

There are 4 cases of rotation possible these are

Case 1: Left to Left Rotation

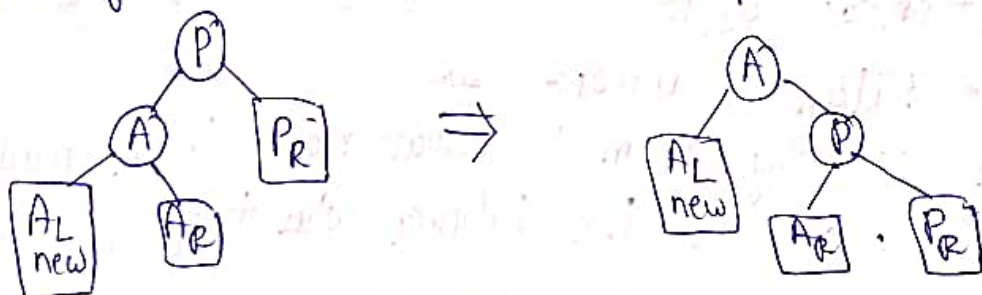
Case 2: Right to Right Rotation

Case 3: Left to Right Rotation

Case 4: Right to Left Rotation.

Case-1: LL Rotation:

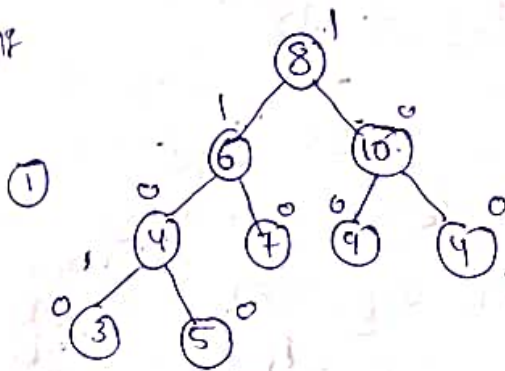
Unbalance occur due to insertion in the left sub tree of the left child of the pivot.



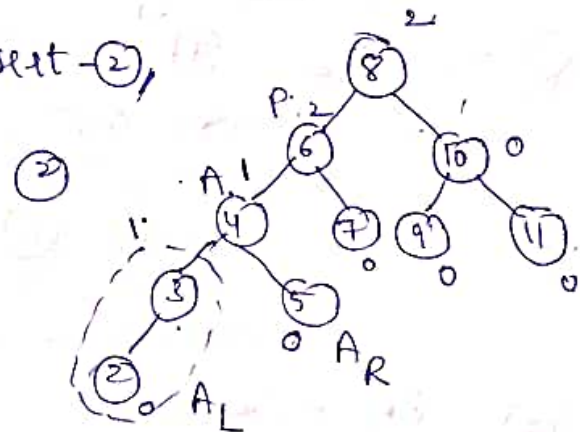
Here, the following manipulation in the pointer takes place.

- (i) Right sub tree ( $A_R$ ) of the left child 'A' of pivot node (P) becomes the left child of 'P'.
- (ii) 'P' becomes right child of 'A'.
- (iii) Left sub tree ( $A_L$ ) of 'A' remains as same.

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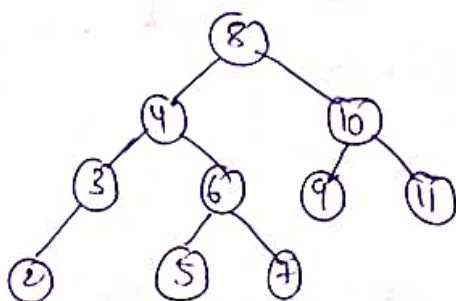


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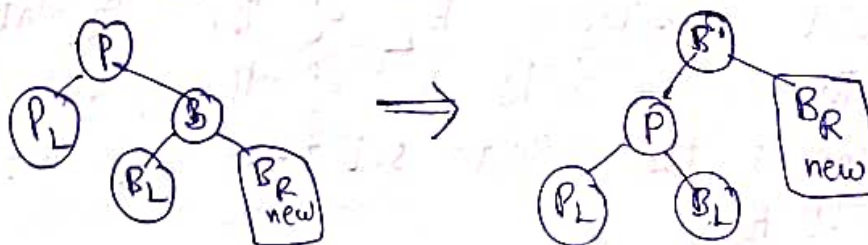
LL Rotation.

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Case-2 :- RR Rotation :-

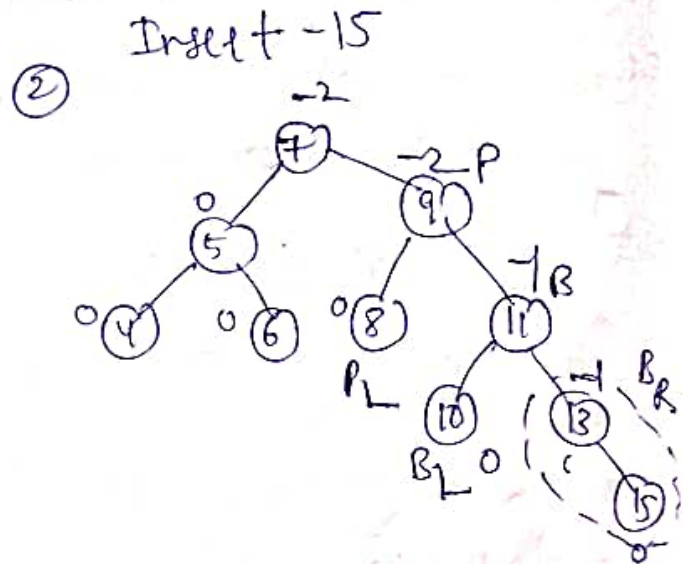
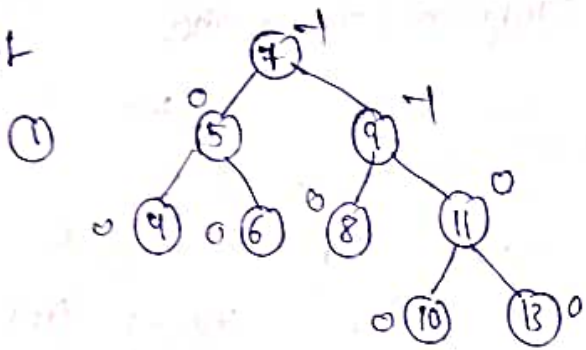
Unbalance occurs due to insertion in the right sub tree of the right child of the pivot node this case is the reverse and symmetric to case 1



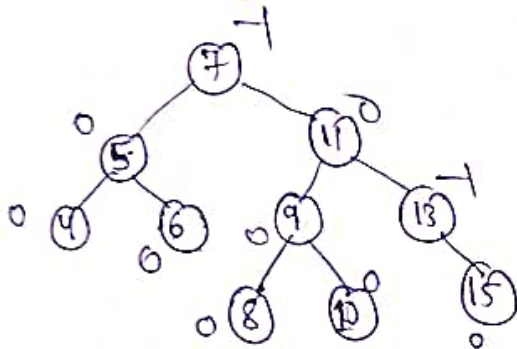


- The following manipulation in pointers takes place.
- (i) A left sub tree  $B_L$  of right child 'B' of pivot node (P) becomes the right sub tree of P.
  - (ii) P becomes the left child of 'B'.
  - (iii) Right subtree  $B_R$  of B remains the same.

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③ RR Rotation



Case-3: LR Rotation:

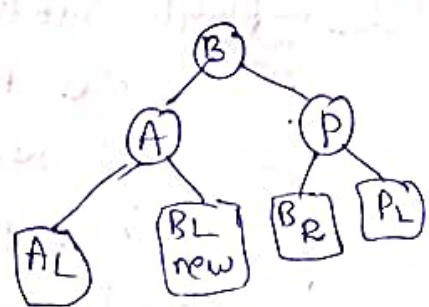
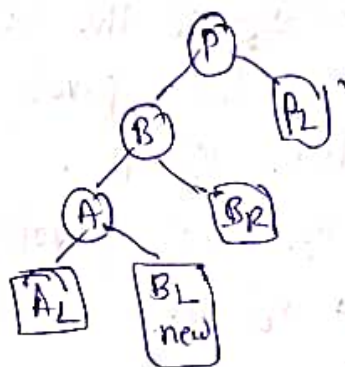
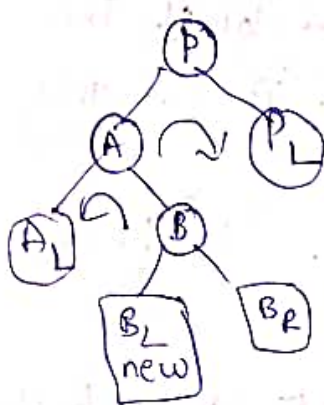
Unbalance occurs due to the insertion in the right subtree of the left child of the pivot node. This rotation involves two rotations of manipulation in pointers.

Rotation-1: (i) Left subtree  $B_L$  of the right child B of the left child A of the pivot node P becomes the right subtree of the left child A.

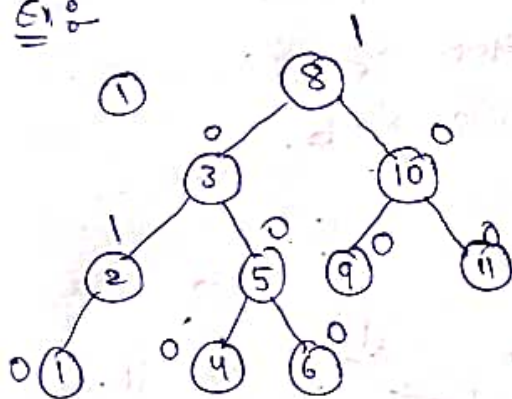
(ii) Left child A of the pivot node 'P' becomes the left child of B.

Rotation-2: (i) Right subtree  $B_R$  of the right child B of the left child A of the pivot node 'P' becomes the left subtree of P.

(ii) P becomes the right child of B.

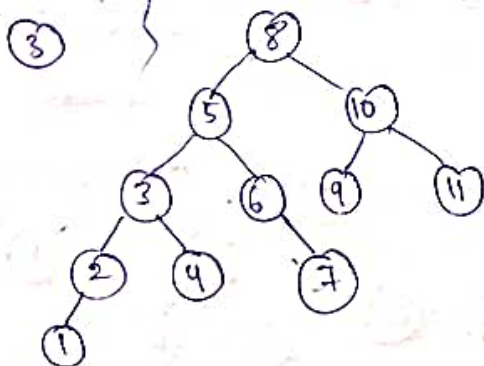
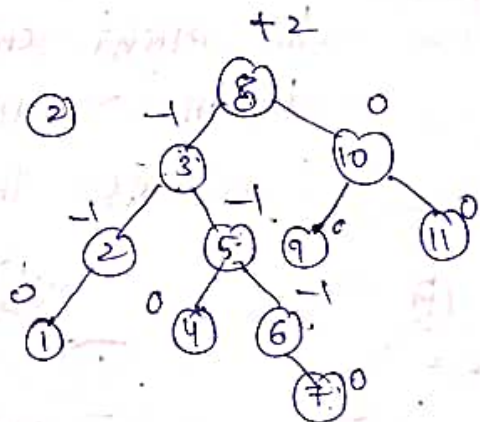


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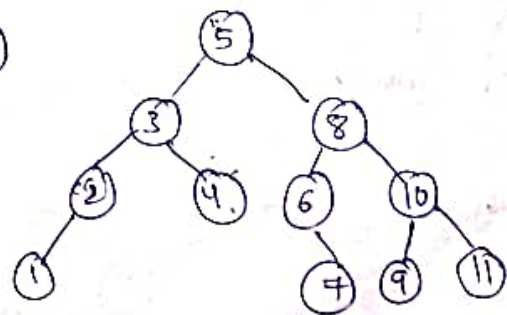


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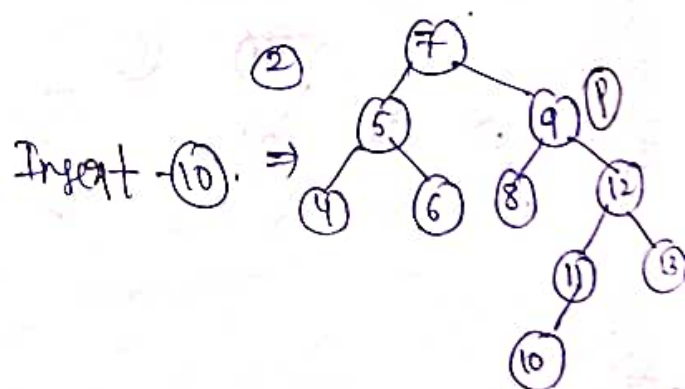
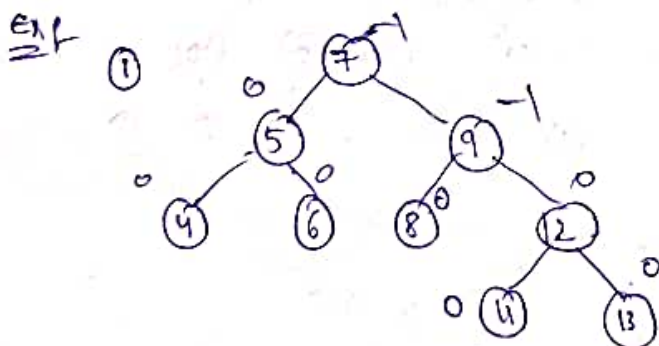
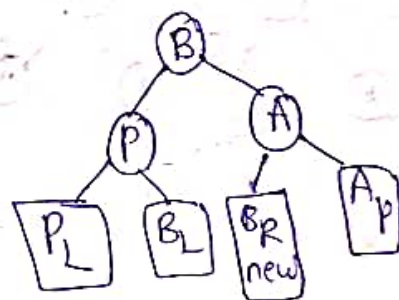
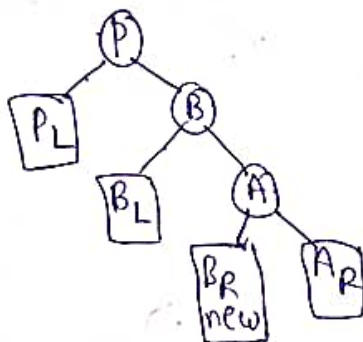
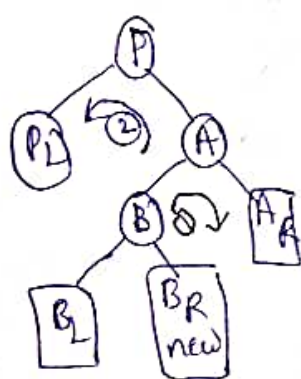
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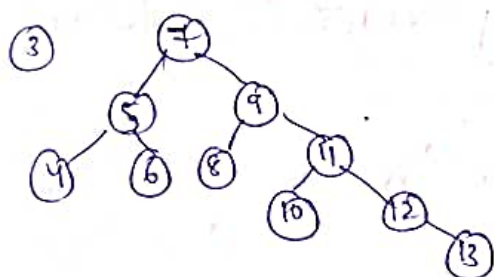
Rotation-1:- (i) Right sub tree  $B_R$  of the left child  $B$  of the right child  $A$  of the pivot node  $P$  becomes the left sub tree of  $A$ .

(ii) Right child  $A$  of the pivot node  $P$  becomes the right child of  $B$ .

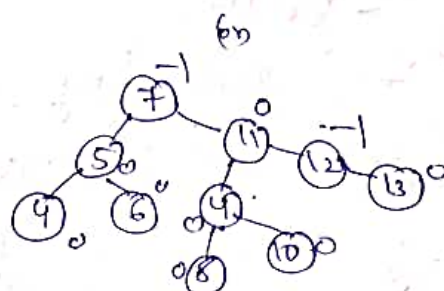
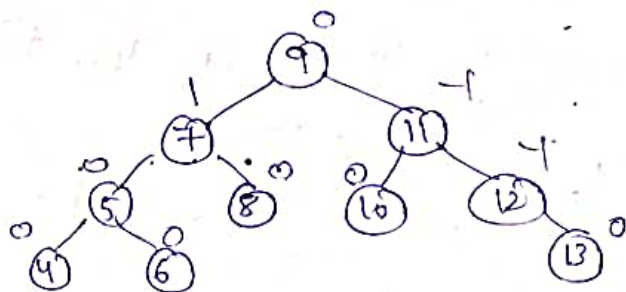
Rotation-2:- (i) Left sub tree  $B_L$  of the left child  $B$  of the right child  $A$  of the pivot node  $P$  becomes right sub tree of  $P$ .

(ii)  $P$  becomes the left child of  $B$ .





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### B-Trees:-

B-Trees is an extension of the m-way search tree. In order to improve the search efficiency, the tree should be balanced and if the m-way search tree is height balanced then it is called B-tree. This structure is best suitable for maintaining the indexing of elements in it.

The main purpose of this indexing is to accelerate the search procedure. Binary Search Tree uses the concept of tree indexing, where each node contains a key value, pointers to the left sub tree and right sub tree.

BST is in fact a 2-way search tree and this concept of tree indexing can be generalized for an m-way search tree ( $m \geq 2$ ).

i.e., (i) An m-way search tree T is a tree in which all the nodes of degree ( $m \geq 2$ ).



(ii) Each node in the tree may contain following attributes.

$P_0$	$K_1$	$P_1$	$K_2$	$P_2$	$K_3$	-----	$K_n$	$P_n$
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where,  $1 \leq n < m$

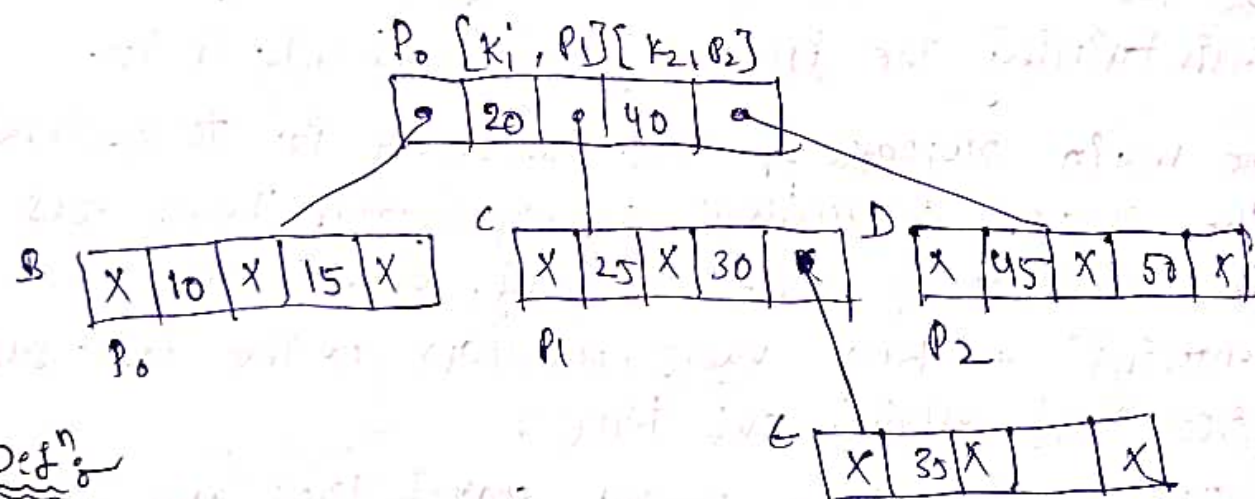
$K_i$  ( $1 \leq i \leq n$ ) are key values in the node ( $1 \leq i \leq n$ )

$P_i$  ( $0 \leq i \leq n$ ) are pointers to the sub trees of tree (i)

All the key values in the sub tree pointed by  $P_i$  are less than the values  $K_{i+1}$  ( $i = 0 \leq i < n$ ).

All the key values in the sub tree pointed by  $P_n$  is greater than  $K_n$ .

All the sub trees pointed by  $P_i$  are also the m-way search tree.



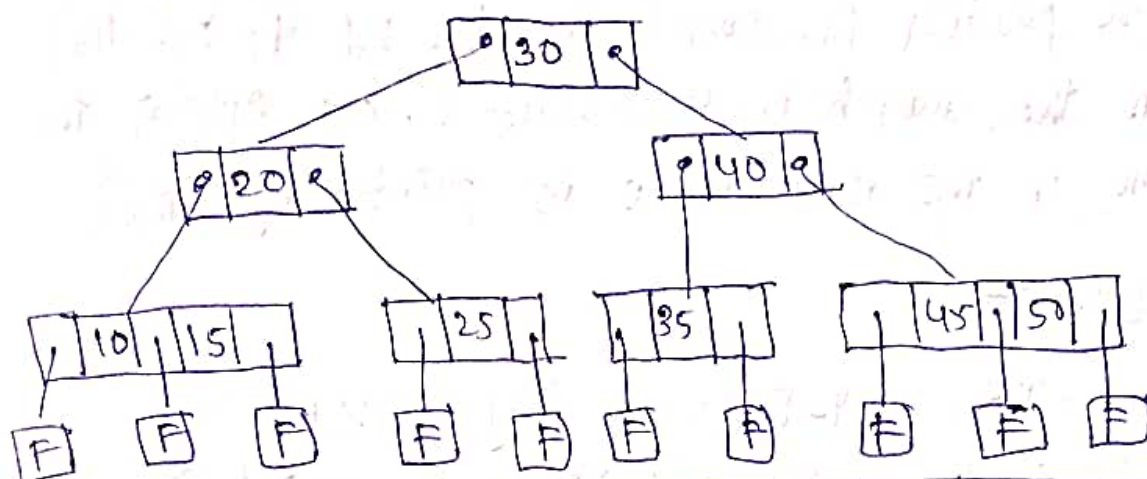
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A B-Tree (T) of order 'm' is an m-way search tree. i.e, either it is empty or it satisfies the following properties.

- (i) the root node has at least two children.
- (ii) All the nodes other than the root node have at least  $m/2$  children.

(iii) All failure nodes are at the same level.

A failure node is a node which can be reached during a search only if the value is not in the tree.



### Operations on B-Trees:-

The required operations are performed on B-Trees. i.e, Searching, Inserting, Deleting and Traversing.

#### Searching:-

Searching for a key value in a B-Tree is almost same as searching a key value in a BST, except in a BST we have to consider node which contain one key value, where as B-Tree of order-m contains atmost  $m-1$  key values ( $m$ -childrens).

Suppose  $x$  be the item of search and there be a set of key values.

i.e,  $k_1, k_2, \dots, k_n$  and  $n < m$ .

First we have to perform a search over it for some  $i$ , such that  $k_i \leq x \leq k_{i+1}$ . The following two cases may occur.



Case-i  $x = k_i$ , then the search is successful and complete.  
Case-ii  $k_i \leq x < k_{i+1}$ , Here no match is found then the search has to be proceeds in the sub tree whose pointer is stored in  $P_i$ . If  $P_i$  is null then the search is unsuccessful, else repeat the same in the node which is pointed by  $P_i$ .

Algorithm:-

ptr = BTR, KEYS[0] =  $-\infty$ , flag = FALSE  
 While (ptr  $\neq$  NULL) And (flag = FALSE) do  
   For  $i = 0$  to  $(m-1)$  do

    PTRS[i] = ptr  $\rightarrow$   $P_i$

  End For

$i = 1$ , number = 0

  While (ptr.k<sub>i</sub>  $\neq$  NULL) do

    KEYS[i] = ptr  $\rightarrow$   $k_i$

    number = number + 1,  $i = i + 1$

  End While

  KEYS[number + 1] =  $+\infty$ ,  $i = 0$

  While ( $x >$  KEYS[i+1])

$i = i + 1$

  End While

  If  $x = \text{KEYS}[i+1]$

    flag = TRUE

  Return (flag, ptr  $\rightarrow$   $P_i$ ,  $i+1$ )

End

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Else
    ptr = PTRS[i]
EndIf
EndWhile
Stop

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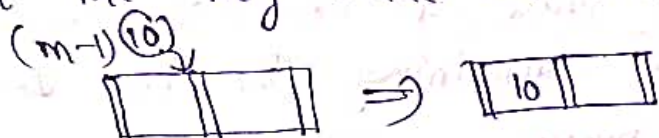
### Insertion:-

To understand the insertion operation in B-Tree, it is better to construct a tree by successively inserting nodes starting from an empty B-Tree, with this construction we will be able to highlight the various cases of insertion.

Assume that order of B-Tree is 3 and consider the elements are 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90.

### Insertion of 10:-

Initially the B-tree is empty. Get a node & insert the key value 10 in to it.



### Insertion of 20:-

Before insertion remember that a node in a B-Tree of order 'm' can have almost 'm-1' key values. So, in this case the root node can hold the key value 20 after 10.

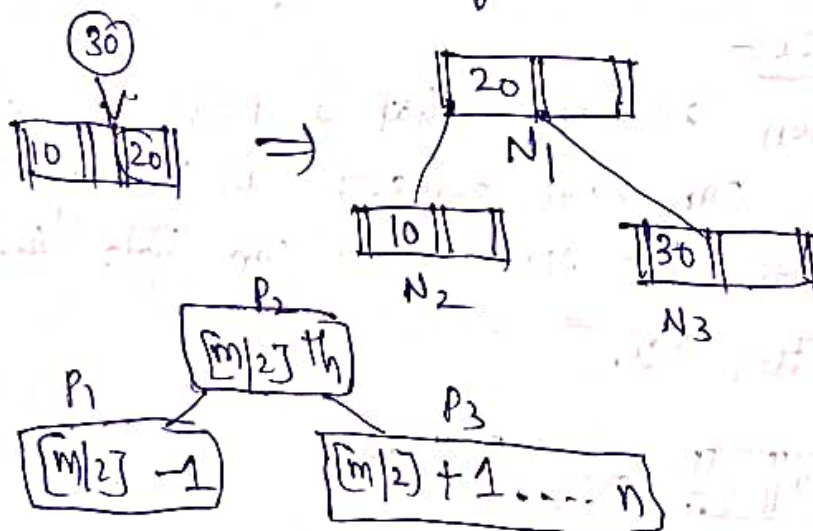




### Insertion of 30:

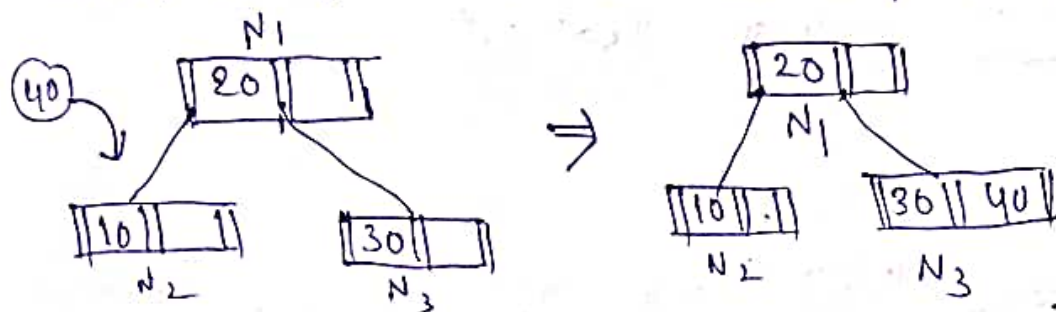
Before inserting 30 we should follow the steps. When a key value is to be inserted into a node which already has the maximum number of key values then the following steps need to be followed.

- (i) Insert the value  $x$  into the list of value in node in ascending order.
- (ii) Split the list of values into 3 parts  $P_1, P_2, \& P_3$ .  
 $P_1 \Rightarrow$  contains the first  $\lfloor m/2 \rfloor - 1$  key values.  
 $P_2 \Rightarrow$  contains  $\lfloor m/2 \rfloor^{\text{th}}$  key value.  
 $P_3 \Rightarrow$  contains  $\lfloor m/2 \rfloor + 1$  up to 'n' key values.
- (iii) With this splitting,  $\frac{m}{2}$ th value is to be inserted into the parent node of the current node if, the parent node is null then create a new node, in the place of current. Two nodes are to be allocated containing the key value in  $P_1$  and  $P_3$  respectively.



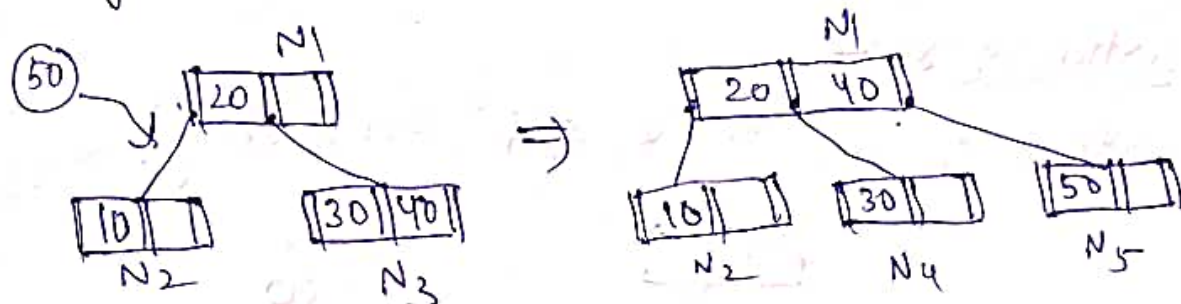
### Insertion of 40:-

Insertion of 40 is the self explanatory.



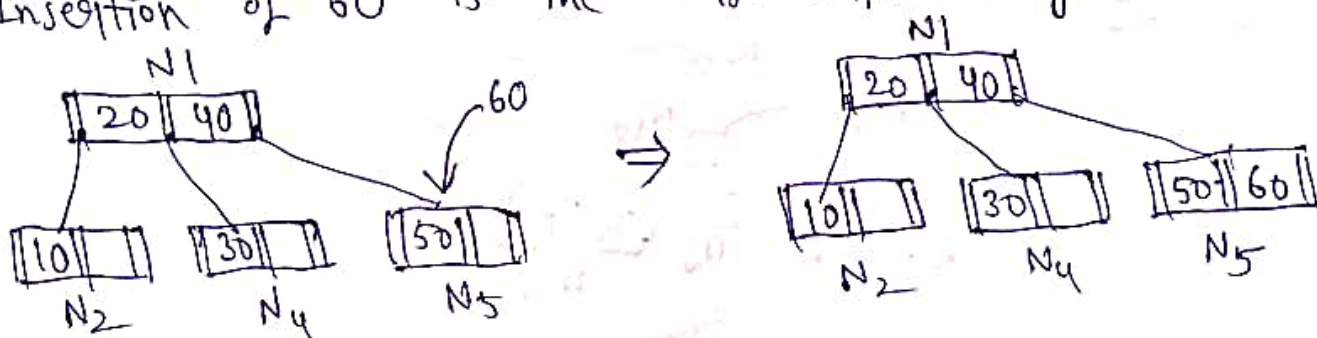
### Insertion of 50:-

Insertion of 50 should go to node-3 ( $N_3$ ). But it is already full, so it will be split.



### Insertion of 60:-

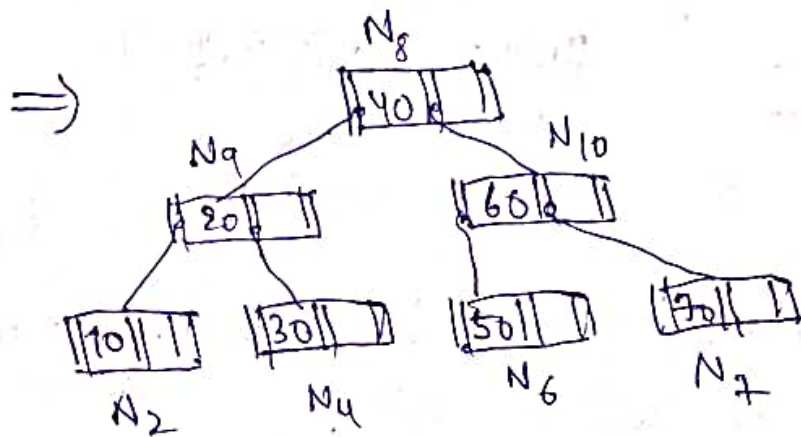
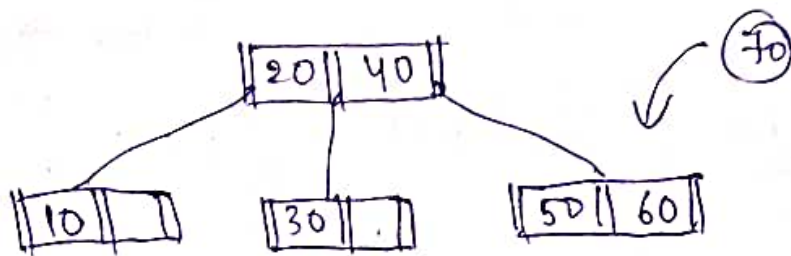
Insertion of 60 is the self explanatory;



### Insertion of 70:-

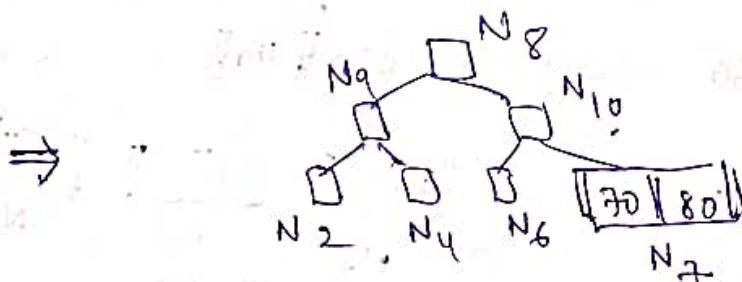
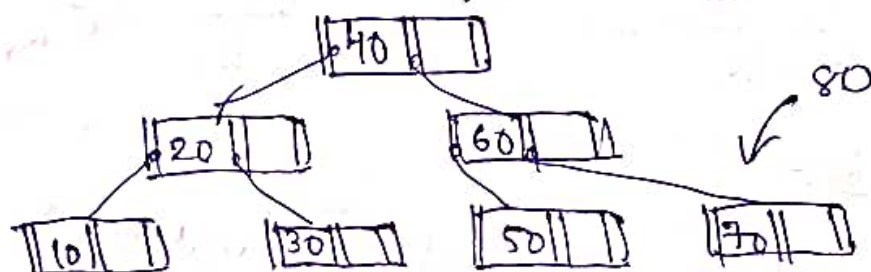
Insertion of 70 should go to node-5 ( $N_5$ ). Which is already full. So, it requires to split  $N_5$  into  $N_6, N_7$ . This process requires to insert 60 into  $N_1$ , which requires another splitting of  $N_1$  into  $N_8, N_9, N_{10}$ .





Insertion of 80:

Insertion of 80 is a self explanatory,



Insertion of 90:

Insertion of 90 should go to node 7. But it is already full. So it will be split into  $N_{11}$  and  $N_{12}$ .



