

dynamic BALANCED SEARCH TREES (NON-RANDOM)

Objectives : search , insert, delete in $O(\log n)$ time

↳ always maintain $\Theta(\log n)$ height & update in $O(\log n)$ time

RED-BLACK trees

Structure: 1) nodes are colored red or black.

2) root is always black.

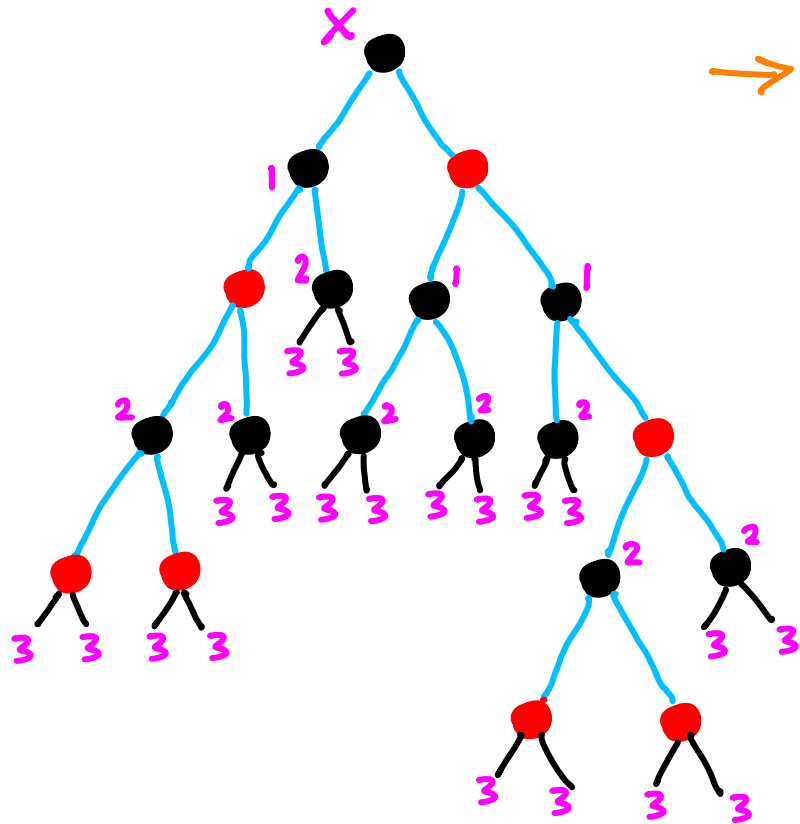
3) add black "dummy" leaves so every "real" node has 2 children.

the important rules { 4) every red node has a black parent.

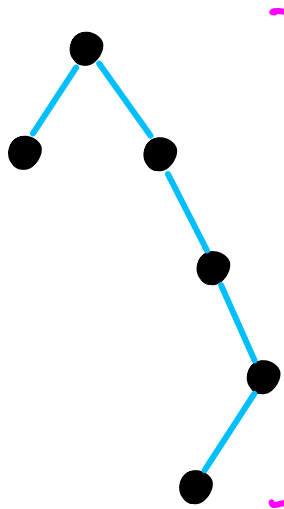
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→ Fails rule 5 $\Rightarrow$ fix by making some nodes red.



No hope
to recolor

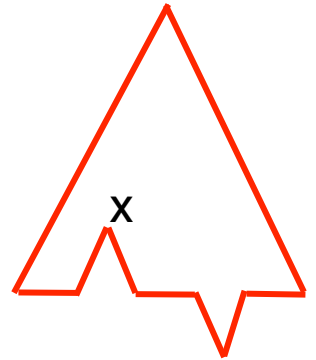
...
too
unbalanced

Any root $\rightarrow$ leaf path of size k
must have $\geq \frac{k}{2}$ black nodes. } Rule 4

So if any path is > 2 times longer
than another, we can't make it **RB**.

Proof that RB trees have height $< 2\log n$

- 1) Fact: If a tree is perfectly balanced the height is $\log n$
- 2) If a tree is not perfectly balanced, there is a node, x , at depth $d < \log n$
- 3) By our claim above there can't be any other node at depth $> 2d$

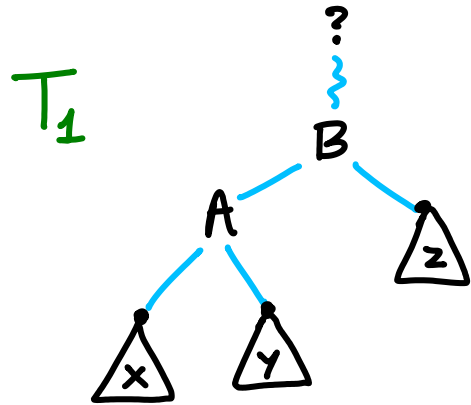


We have seen that **RB** trees are reasonably balanced : $\sim 2\log n$

↳ search, min, max, next, prev : $O(\log n)$ time.

Next: how to update **RB** trees (insert, delete)

ROTATIONS in arbitrary BSTs

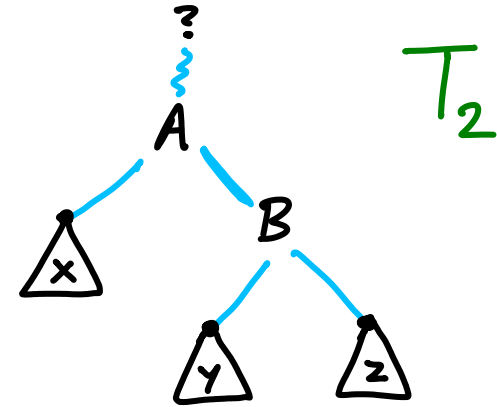


right-rotate(T_1, B)



left-rotate(T_2, A)

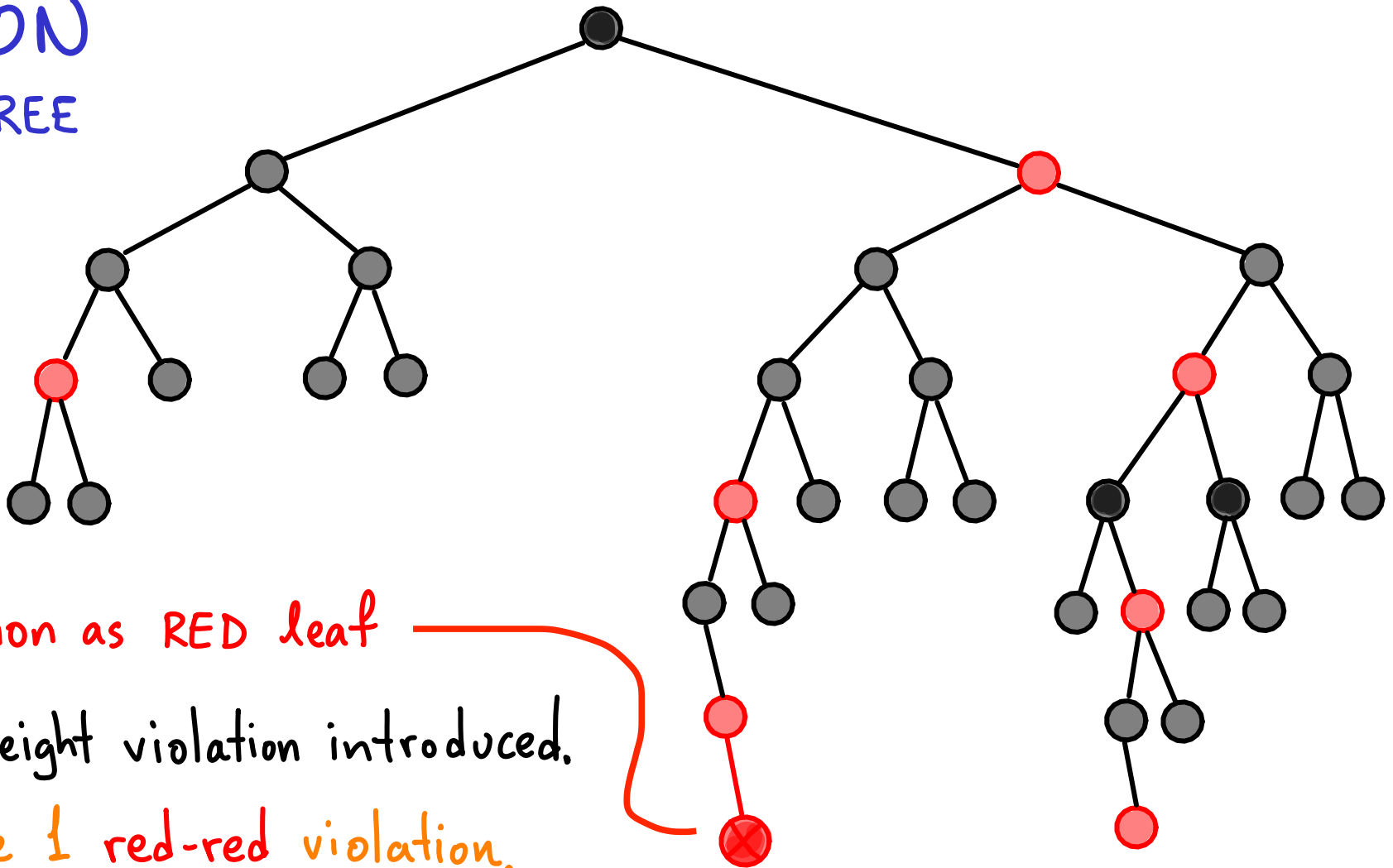
$O(1)$ time



$x \leq A \leq y \leq B \leq z$

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INSERTION IN A R-B TREE



Regular insertion as RED leaf ———

- ↳ No black height violation introduced.
- ↳ Might have 1 red-red violation.

↳ If so, start fixing: locally & upward

x & p : both red if we needed to continue loop

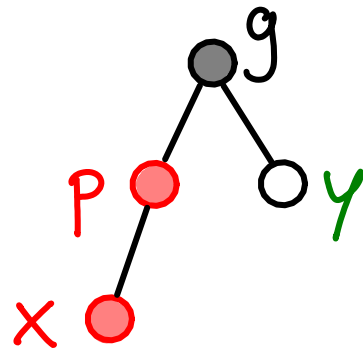
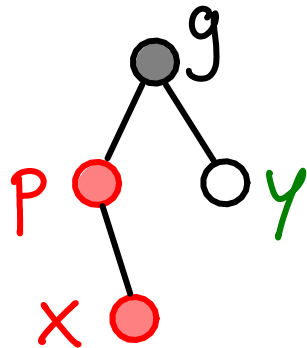
g : grandparent of x

y : "uncle" of x

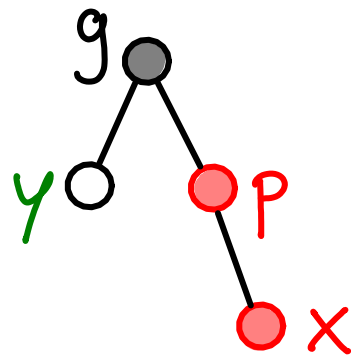
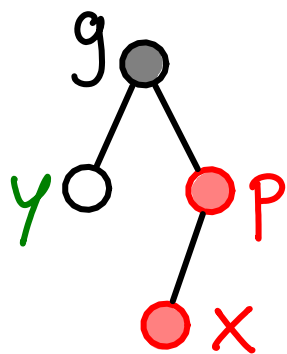
g must exist: must be black
because p can't be root

y must exist
(could be a fake leaf)

2 possible shapes...



...and their mirror images

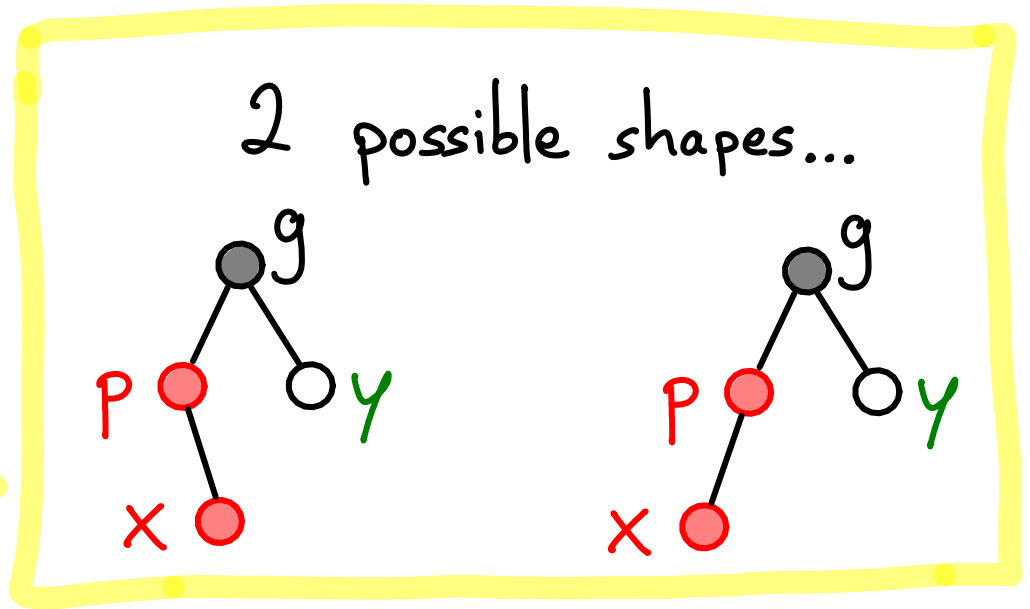


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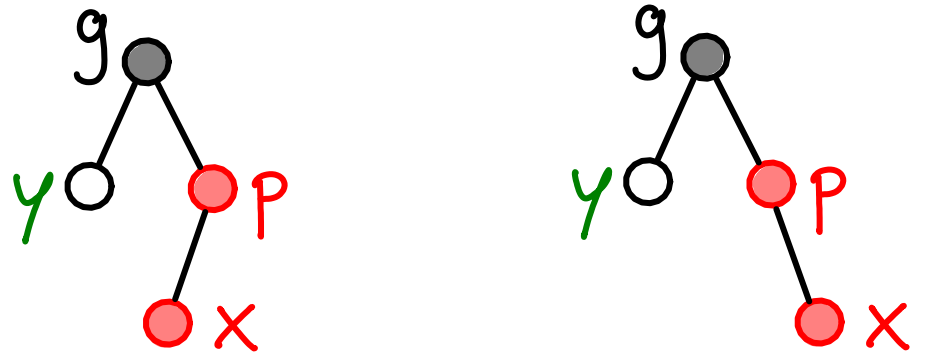
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We will handle the 2 main shapes:



...and their mirror images

The others can be done by symmetry:

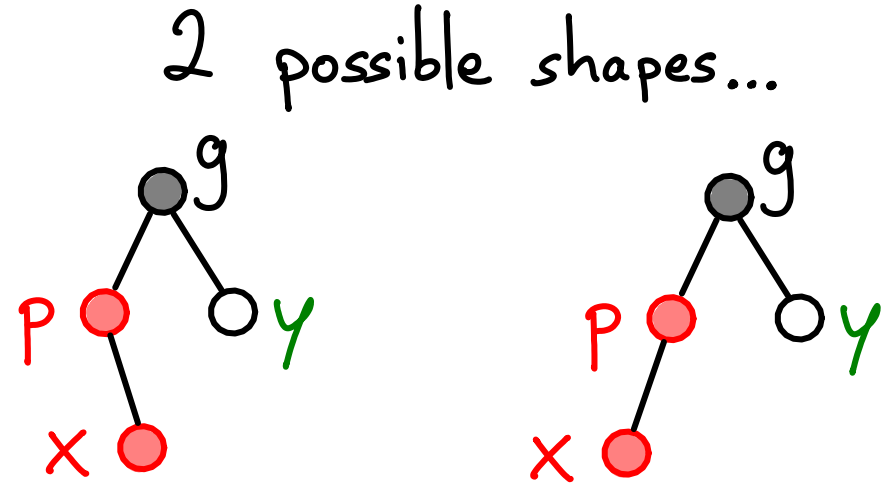


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Cases 2 & 3 : y is black

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↳ Recolor p, g, y

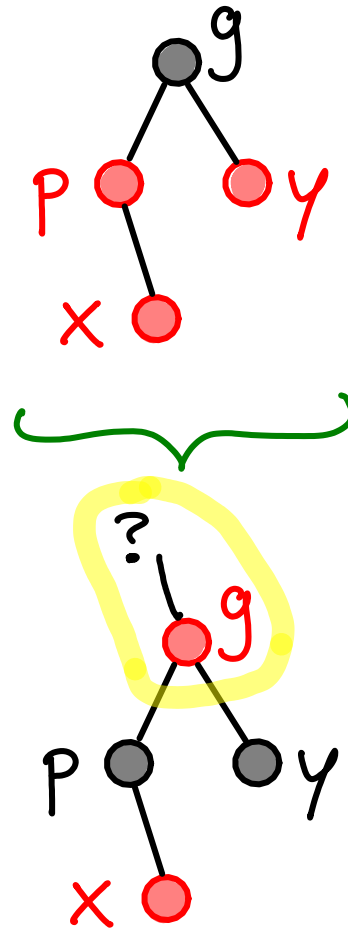
- Preserve black-height invariant.

(total B nodes on any path
from global root down to leaves)

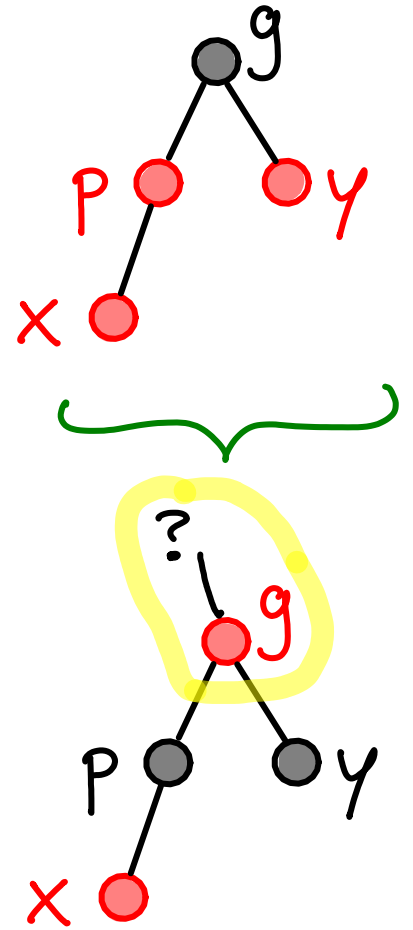
- Eliminate P_x violation.

• If no new violation then DONE

↪ (note: if $g = \text{root}$
color g black)



or



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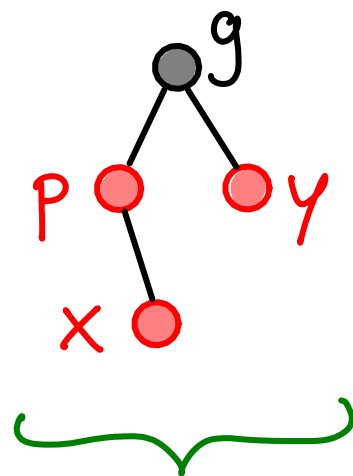
- Might cause violation

otherwise DONE

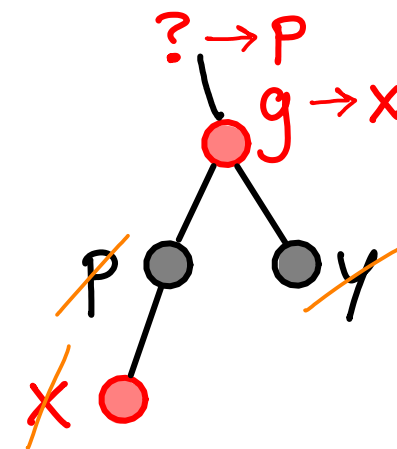
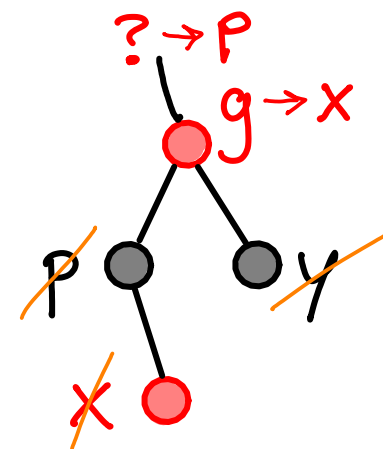
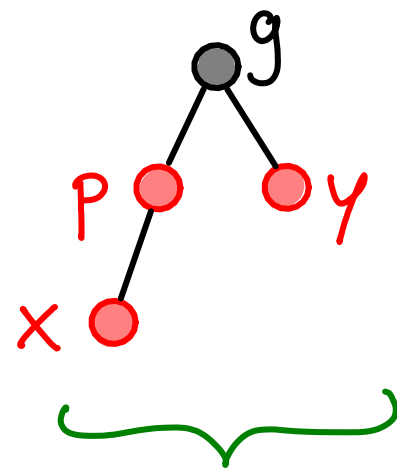
fix upward

$?$ becomes P
 g becomes x

Invariants restored

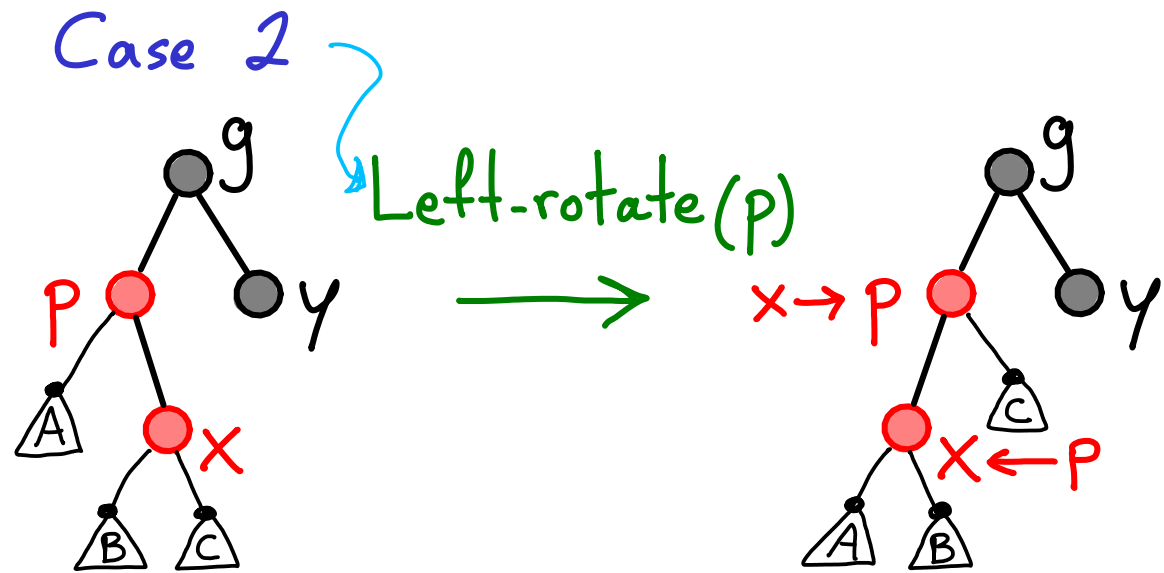


or



Cases 2 & 3 : y is black

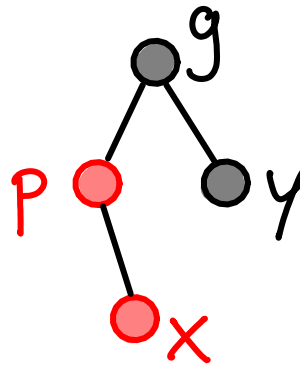
- Preserve black-height invariant.
- Swap labels $x \leftrightarrow p$
- No new violation



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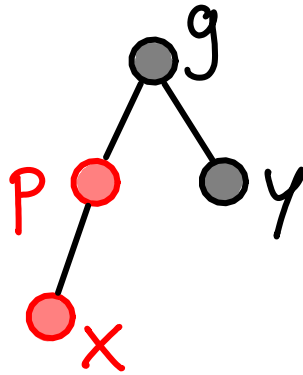
- ~~Preserve~~ black-height invariant.

Case 2

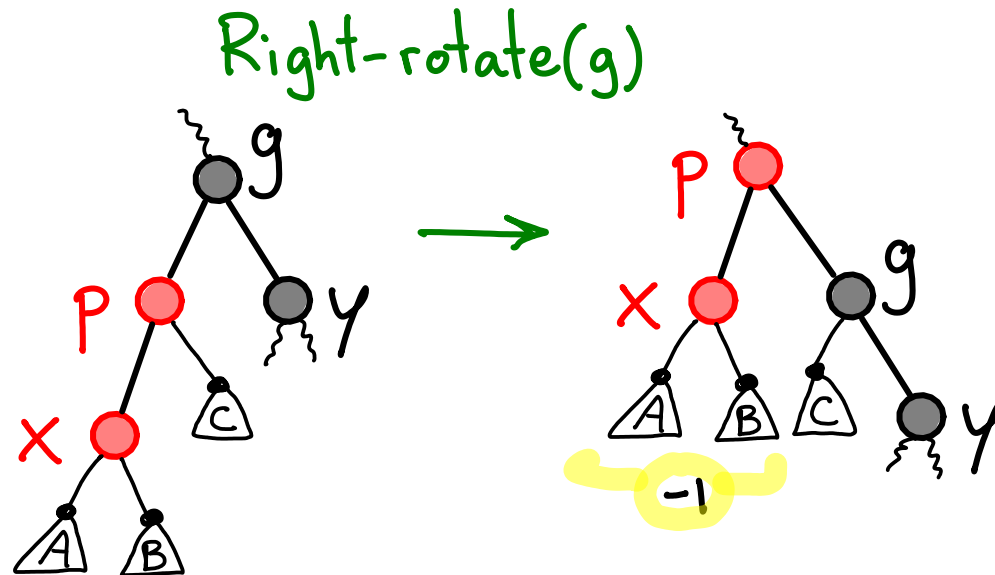


Left-rotate(p)
→
& swap(p, x)

Case 3



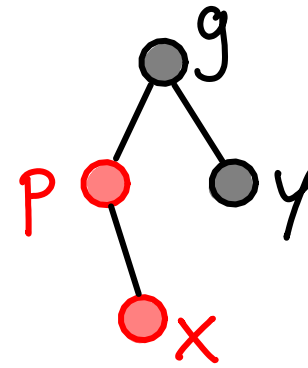
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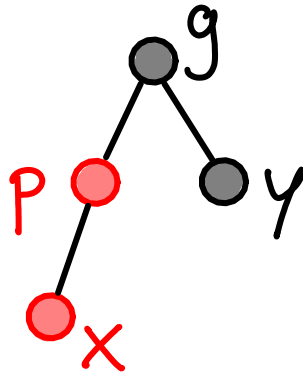
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- Preserve black-height invariant.
- Eliminate P_x violation in case 3.
- No new violation

Case 2

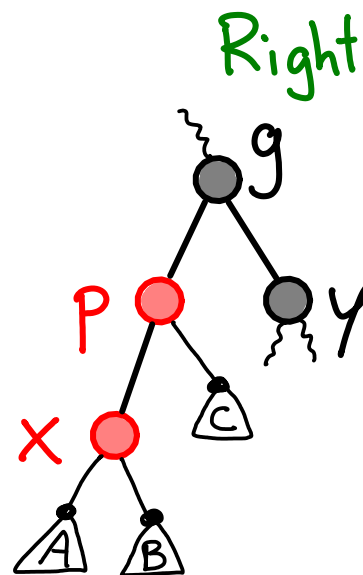


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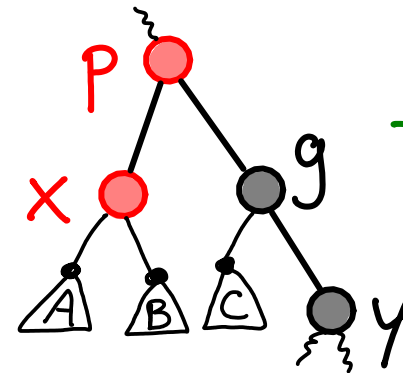


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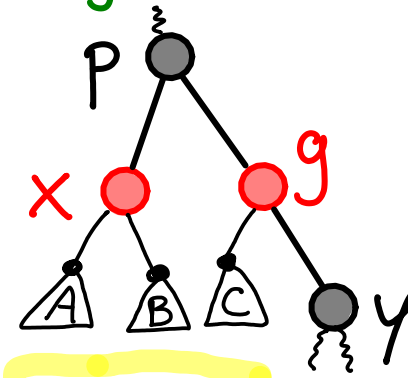
Handling Case 3:



Right-rotate(g)



Recolor p & g



DONE

Each case takes $O(1)$ time

All together $O(\log n)$ time

Possibly lots of recoloring (Case 1)

followed by Case 3 OR Case 2 $\rightarrow$ 3

(1 or 2 rotations, total)

* useful property

