

# Trees 3 -- balancing

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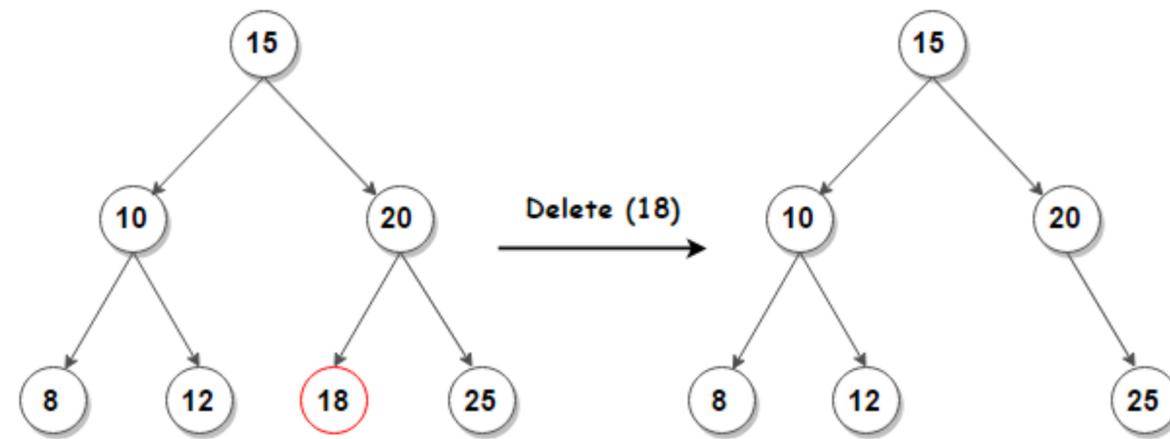
# Remove

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- `boolean remove (Element);`
- returns true if element existed and was removed and false otherwise
- Cases
  - element not in tree
  - element is a leaf
  - element has one child
  - element has two children

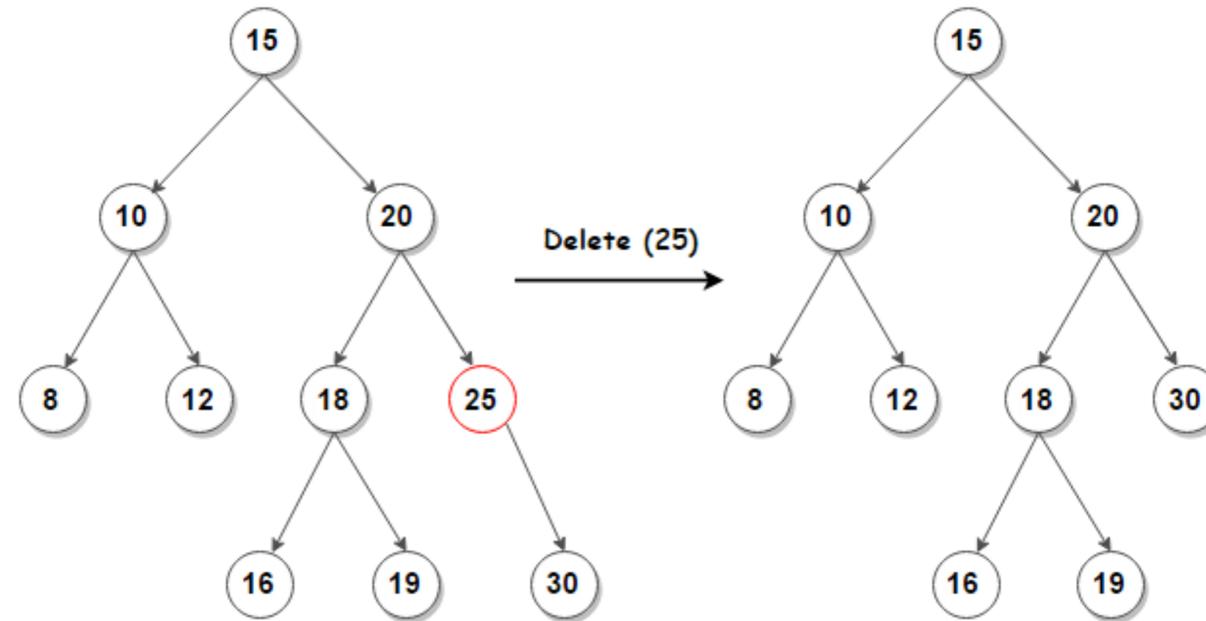
# Leaf

- Just delete

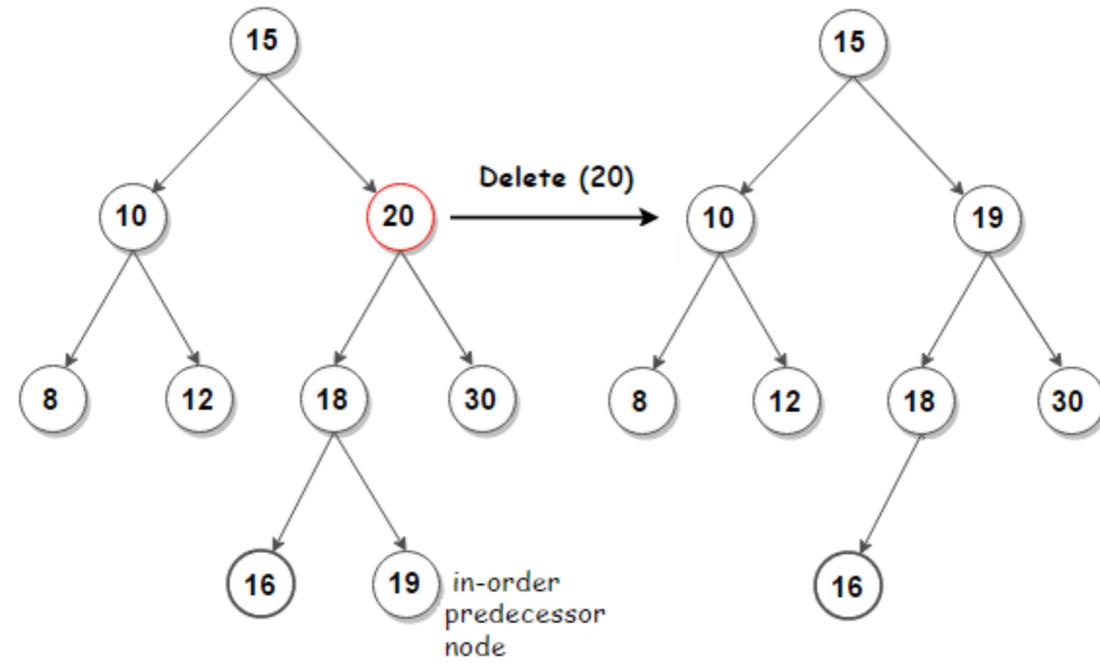


# One child

- Replace with child – skip over like in linked list



# 2 Children Replace with Predecessor



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# remove pseudocode

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```
boolean remove(element)
    return removeUtil(element, root, null);

boolean removeUtil(element, node, parent)
    if (node==null) return false;
    if (node.payload>element)
        removeUtil(element, node.left, node);
    else if (node.payload<element)
        removeUtil(element, node.right, node);
    else
```

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# remove pseudocode 2

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```
// found the node to delete
if (node.right==null && node.left==null) // at a leaf
    if node==parent.right
        parent.right <- null
    else
        parent.left <- null
return true
```

```
if (node.right==null) // one child on left
    if node==parent.right
        parent.right <- node.left
    else
        parent.left <- node.left
return true
```

```
if (node.left==null) // one child on right
    if node==parent.right
        parent.right <- node.right
    else
        parent.left <- node.right
return true
```

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# remove pseudocode 3

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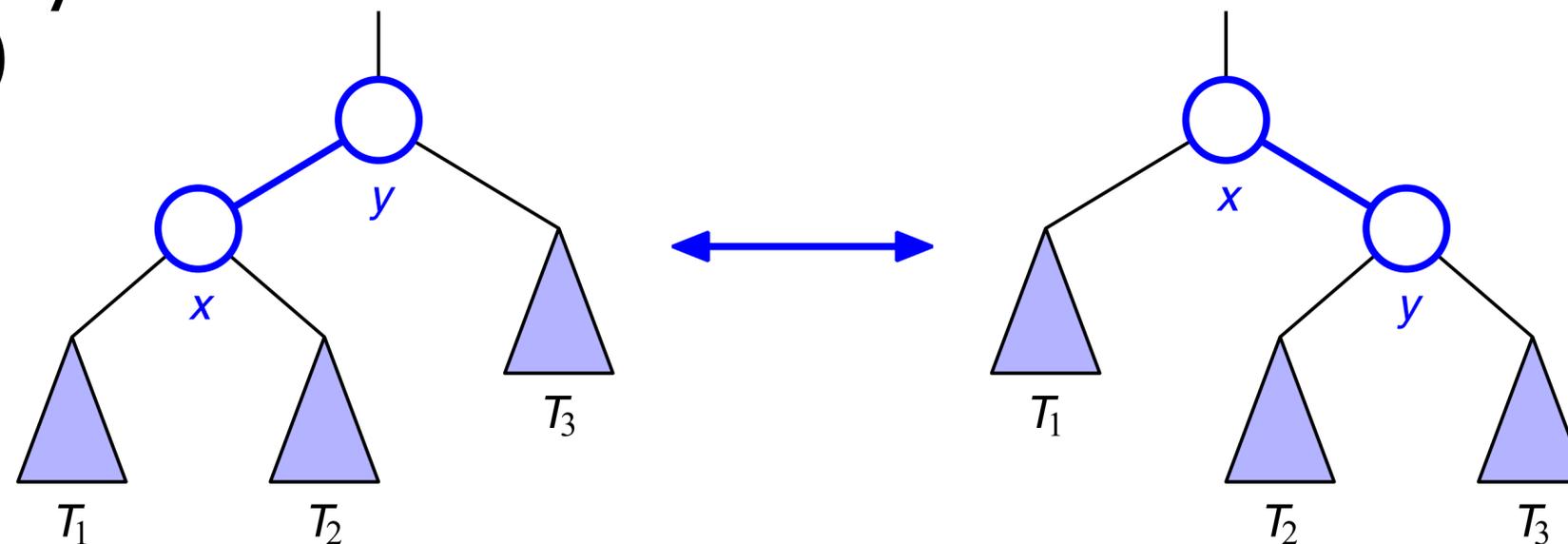
```
// two children
successorNode = inorderSucessor(node.right)
node.payload <- successorNode.payload
removeUtil(successorNode.payload,
node.right, node);
return true;
```

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# Balanced Search Trees

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- A variety of algorithms augment a standard BST with occasional operations to reshape, reduce height and maintain balance.
- General approach: Rotation — moves a child to be above its parent,
  - ideally  $O(1)$
  - certainly no worse than  $O(\lg n)$



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# AVL Trees

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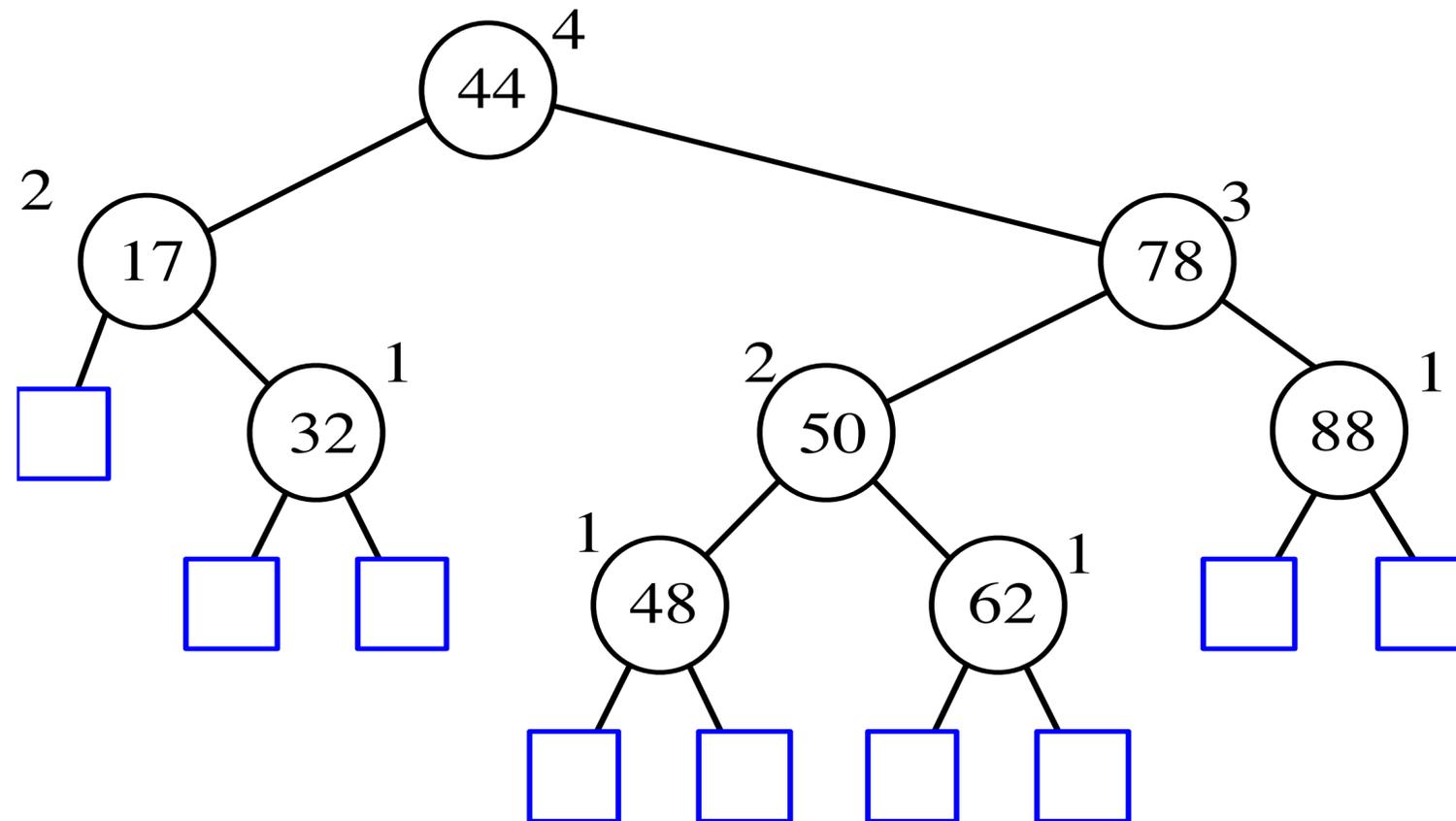
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- Height-balance property
  - as opposed to "weight" balanced
  - For every parent node, the `avlHeight` of the two children differ by at most 1
  - `avlHeight` = max distance from null endpoint
- Any binary tree satisfying the height-balance property is an AVL tree
- A height-balanced tree has height  $O(\lg n)$ 
  - max height is provably  $1.44 * \lg(n)$

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# AVL Tree Example

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# Insertion

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- Maintain with each node the avlHeight.
- On insertion, first recur down through tree to insert.
- Then as you unwind recursion, update the avlHeight of each node.
- If height changes, check the height of other child
  - if not in balance then fix

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# Insertion code to maintain height

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```
private class Node {
    Comparable<E> element;
    int avlHight;
    Node right;
    Node left;

    public Node(Comparable<E> e) {
        avlHight = 1; // WHY??
        element=e;
        right=null;
        left=null;
    }
}
```

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# More insertion (pseudo)code

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```
int insertUtil(node, element):  
    if element==node.payload  
        return node.avlLevel  
  
    avlD=0  
  
    if node.payload > element:  
        if node.left==null  
            node.left=new Node(payload)  
            avlD = 2  
        else  
            avlD = 1+insertUtil(node.left,element);  
    else  
        // same but for right  
  
    node.avlHeight = greater of avlD and  
                    node.avlHeight  
  
    return node.avlHeight
```

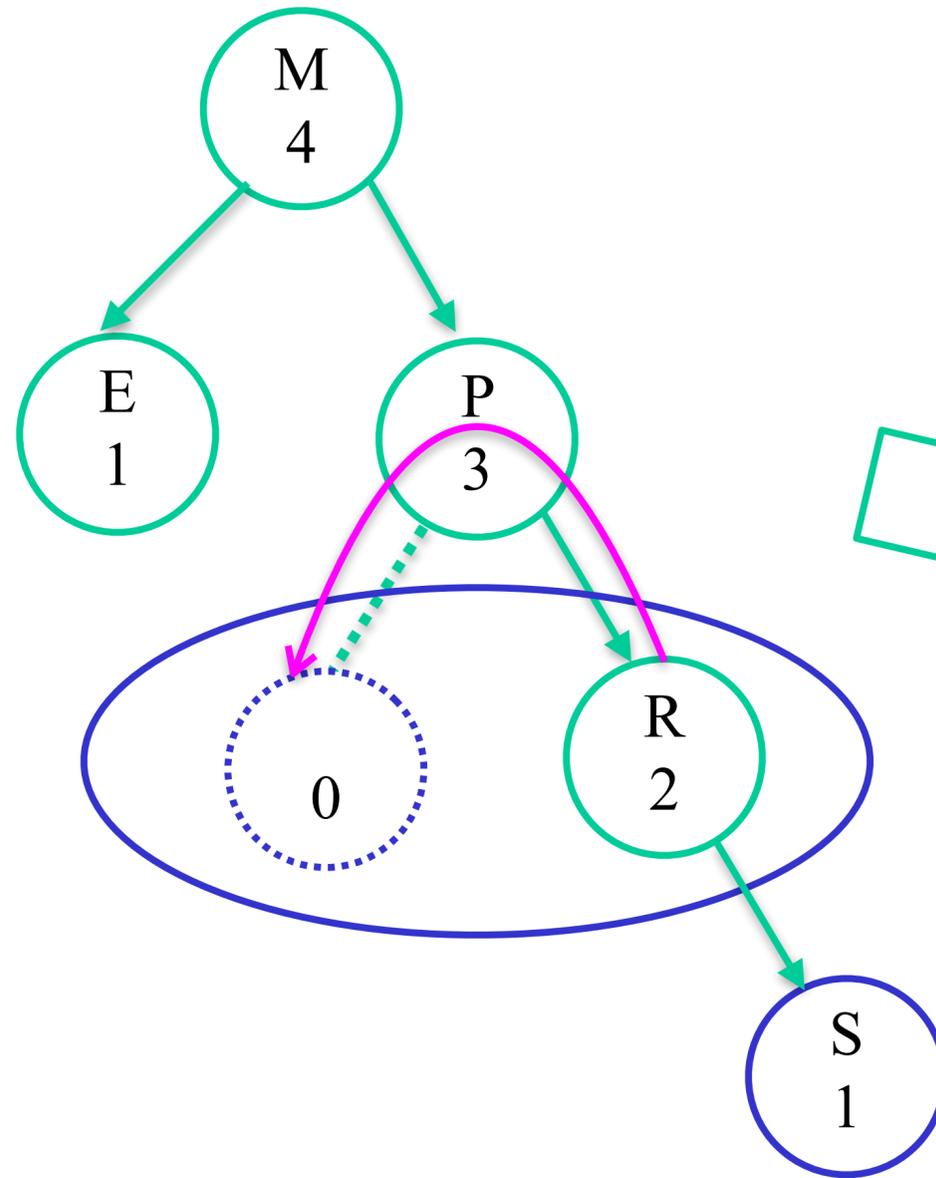
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## Fixing height imbalances Rotation!!

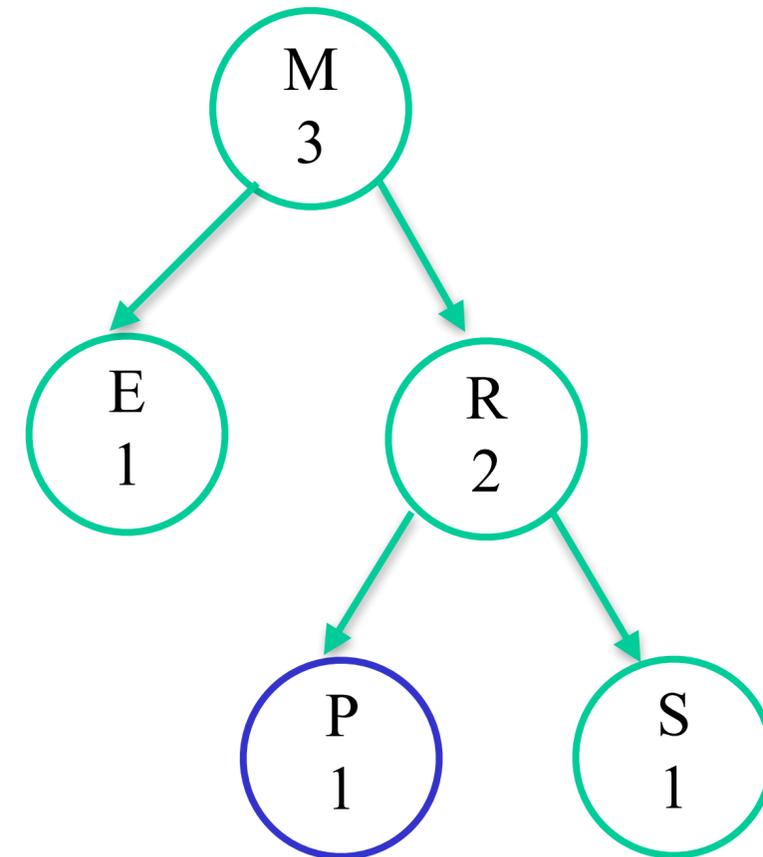
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- Two types of rotation
- Single
  - left subtree of left node causes imbalance
  - right subtree of right node causes imbalance
- Double
  - right subtree of left node causes imbalance
  - left subtree of right node causes imbalance
    - The first rotation of a double puts the tree into position for a single rotation!

# Single Rotation



Rotate across parent at the lowest imbalance



right-right => counter-clockwise rotation

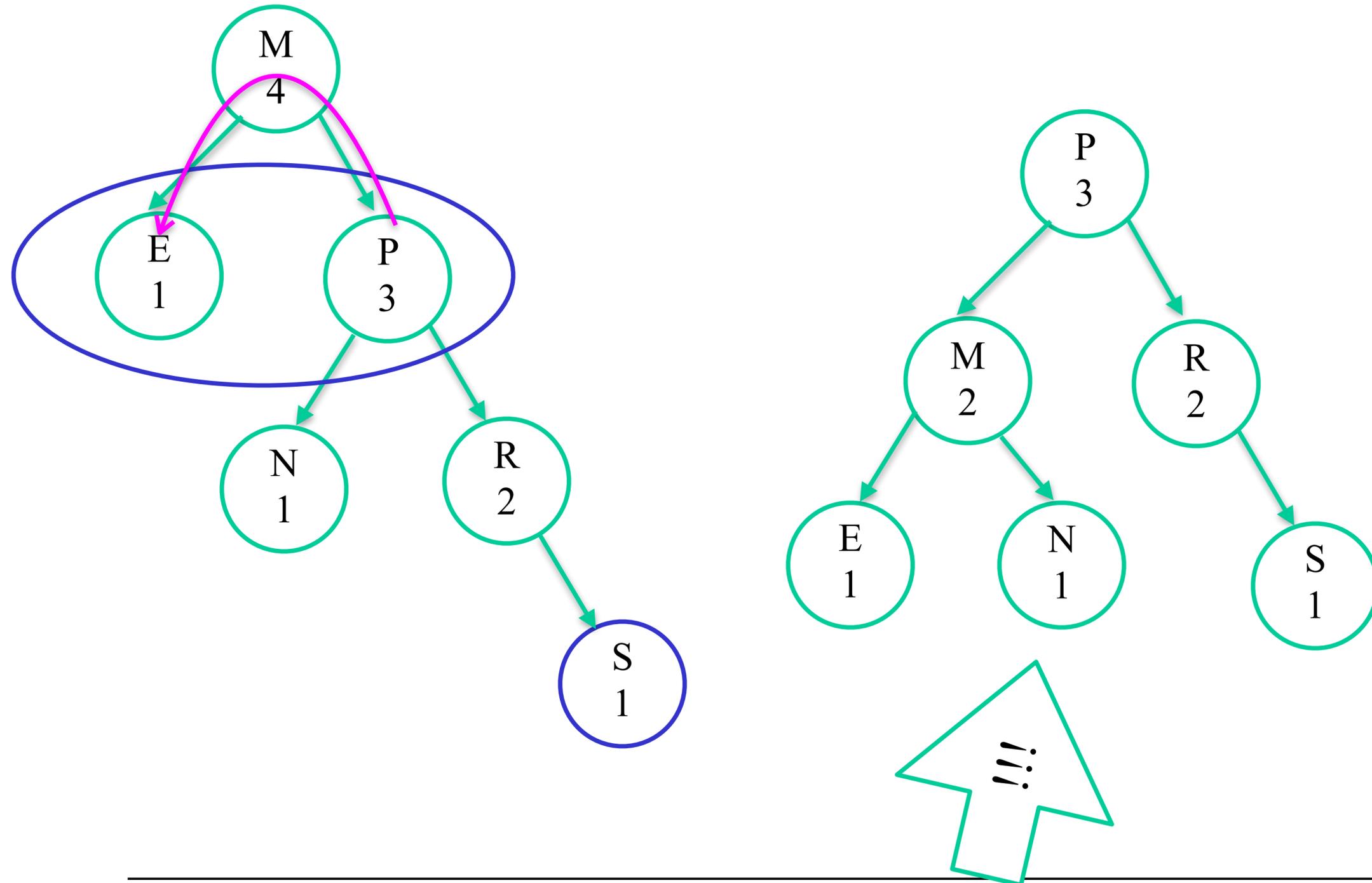
left-left => cw rotation

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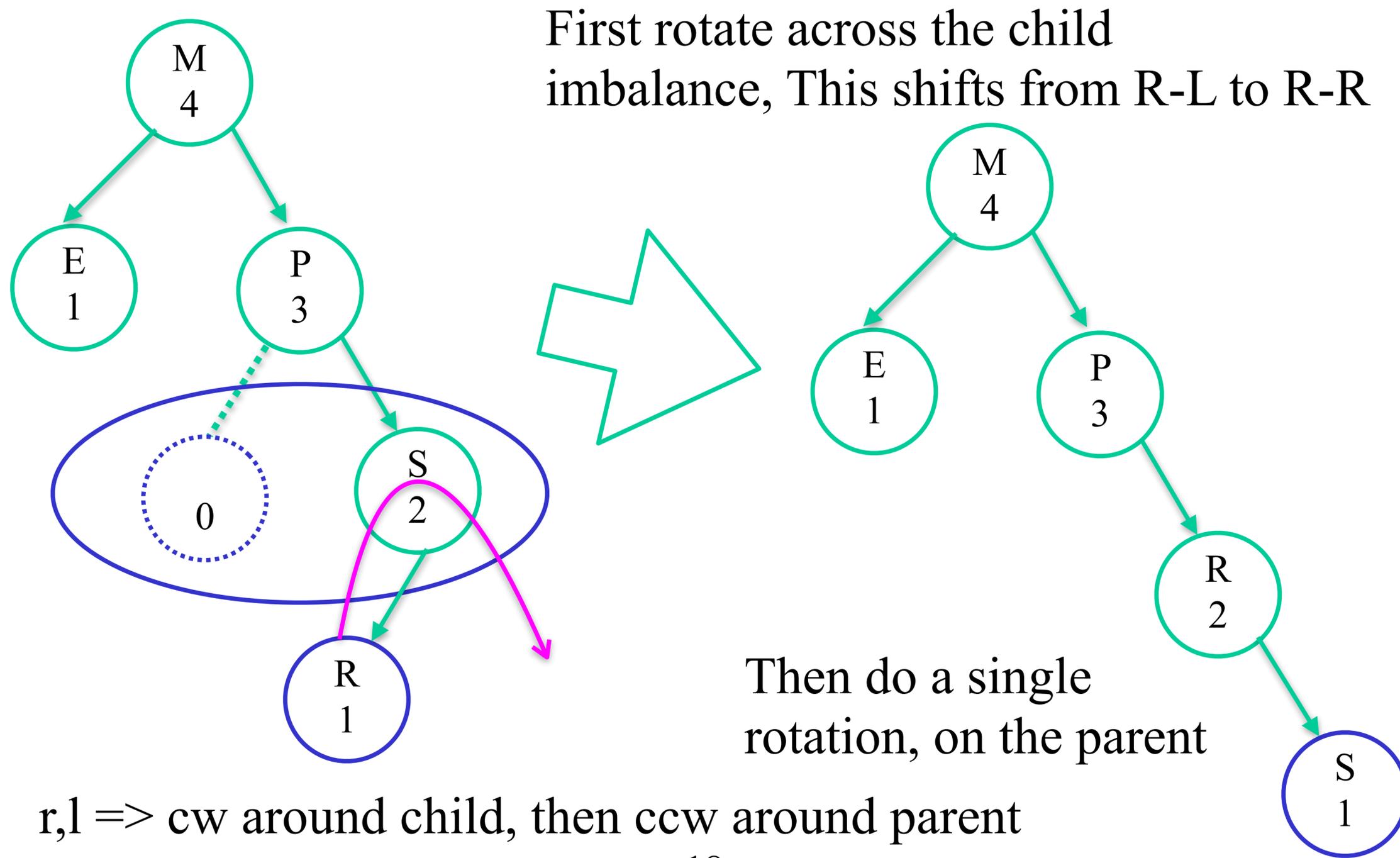
# Single Rotation

## "Detachment Syndrome"

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# Double Rotation



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# Groups

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insert	100
insert	200
insert	300
insert	400
insert	500
insert	600
insert	700
insert	800
insert	900
insert	750
insert	1000
insert	850
delete	400
delete	300
delete	200
delete	700
delete	500