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# **Efficient Algorithms and Data Structures**

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   Chintan
- Tuesday 14-16 (MI 00.08.038) Richard
- Thursday 10-12 (MI 00.08.038) Richard
- Friday 12-14 (MI 00.13.009A) Chintan



## **Assignment sheets**

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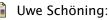
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# Part II

# **Foundations**



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- a · b "a times b"
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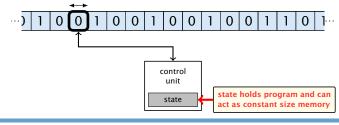
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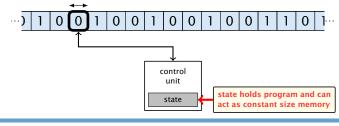


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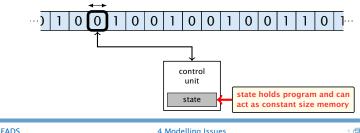
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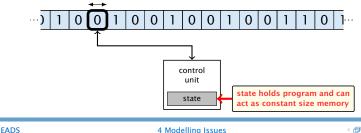
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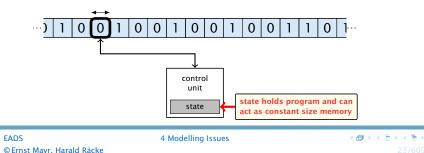


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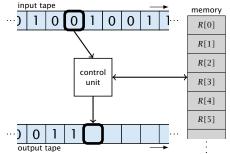
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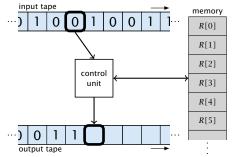
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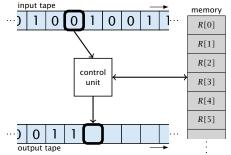




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Guess the right solution and prove that it is correct via induction. It needs experience to make the right guess.

#### 2. Master Theorem

For a lot of recurrences that appear in the analysis of algorithms this theorem can be used to obtain tight asymptotic bounds. It does not provide exact solutions.

#### 3. Characteristic Polynomial

Linear homogenous recurrences can be solved via this method.



# **Methods for Solving Recurrences**

#### 4. Generating Functions

A more general technique that allows to solve certain types of linear inhomogenous relations and also sometimes non-linear recurrence relations.

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## 6.2 Master Theorem

#### Lemma 4

Let  $a \ge 1, b \ge 1$  and  $\epsilon > 0$  denote constants. Consider the recurrence

$$T(n) = aT\left(\frac{n}{b}\right) + f(n) \ .$$

Case 1.

If 
$$f(n) = O(n^{\log_b(a)-\epsilon})$$
 then  $T(n) = O(n^{\log_b a})$ .

#### Case 2.

If  $f(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b(a)} \log^k n)$  then  $T(n) = \Theta(n^{\log_b a} \log^{k+1} n)$ ,  $k \ge 0$ .

#### Case 3.

If  $f(n) = \Omega(n^{\log_b(a)+\epsilon})$  and for sufficiently large n $af(\frac{n}{b}) \le cf(n)$  for some constant c < 1 then  $T(n) = \Theta(f(n))$ . We prove the Master Theorem for the case that n is of the form  $b^{\ell}$ , and we assume that the non-recursive case occurs for problem size 1 and incurs cost 1.

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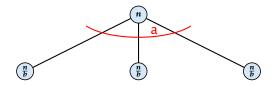
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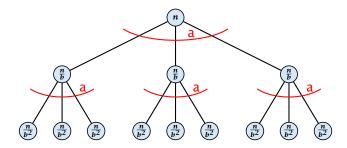




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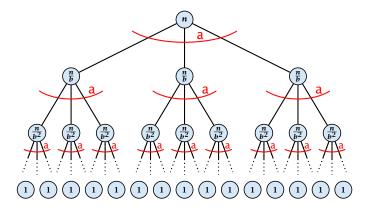




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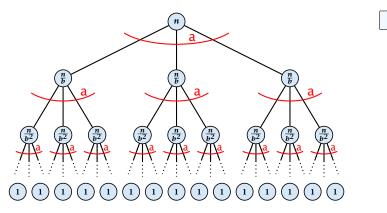




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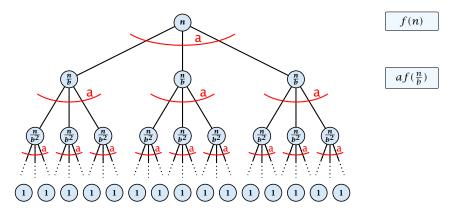
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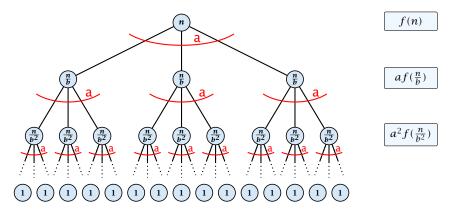


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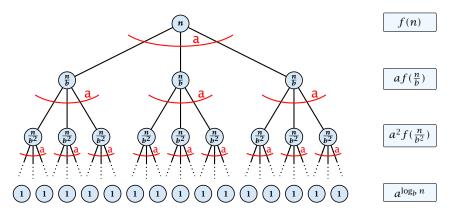


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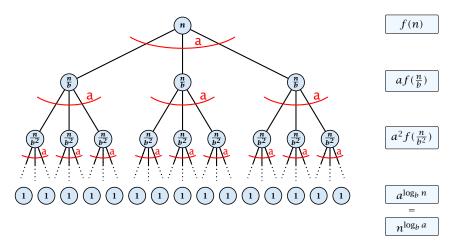


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This gives

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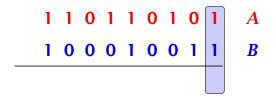
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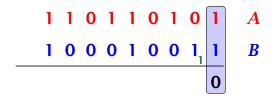
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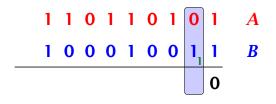






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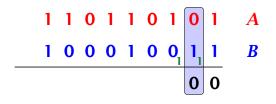






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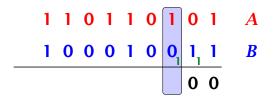






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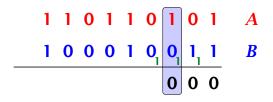






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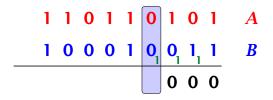






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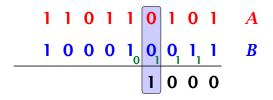






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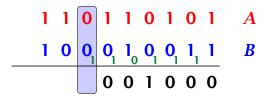
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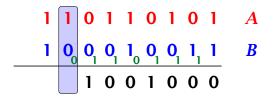
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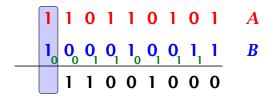
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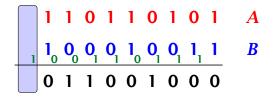
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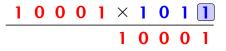


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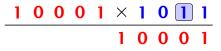




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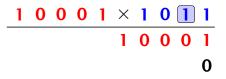
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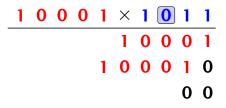
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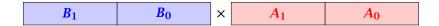
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We show that the column vectors are linearly independent. Then the above equation has a solution.



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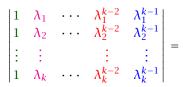
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Repeating the above steps gives:

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Hence, if all  $\lambda_i$ 's are different, then the determinant is non-zero.



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#### Lemma 6

Let  $P[\lambda]$  denote the characteristic polynomial to the recurrence

$$c_0T[n] + c_1T[n-1] + \cdots + c_kT[n-k] = 0$$

Let  $\lambda_i$ , i = 1, ..., m be the (complex) roots of  $P[\lambda]$  with multiplicities  $\ell_i$ . Then the general solution to the recurrence is given by

$$T[n] = \sum_{i=1}^{m} \sum_{j=0}^{\ell_i-1} \alpha_{ij} \cdot (n^j \lambda_i^n) .$$

The full proof is omitted. We have only shown that any choice of  $\alpha_{ij}$ 's is a solution to the recurrence.

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Consider the recurrence relation:

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which gives

$$A = \frac{7}{4}$$
  $B = -\frac{1}{4}$   $C = -\frac{1}{2}$ 



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# Part III

## **Data Structures**



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## **Abstract Data Type**

An abstract data type (ADT) is defined by an interface of operations or methods that can be performed and that have a defined behavior.

The data types in this lecture all operate on objects that are represented by a [key, value] pair.

- The key comes from a totally ordered set, and we assume that there is an efficient comparison function.
- The value can be anything; it usually carries satellite information important for the application that uses the ADT.

- S. search(k): Returns pointer to object x from S with key[x] = k or null.
- S. insert(x): Inserts object x into set S. key[x] must not currently exist in the data-structure.
- S. delete(x): Given pointer to object x from S, delete x from the set.
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- S. successor(x): Return pointer to the next larger element in S or null if x is maximum.
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Queue:

- ► *S.*enqueue(*x*): Insert an element.
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**Priority-Queue**:

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- S.delete-min(): Return the element with lowest key-value; delete it from S.

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## **Examples of ADTs**

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## 7 Dictionary

Dictionary:

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- ► *S*.delete(*x*): Delete the element pointed to by *x*.
- S.search(k): Return a pointer to an element e with key[e] = k in S if it exists; otherwise return null.

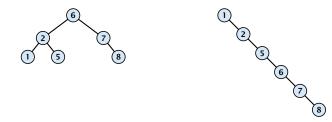
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### 7.1 Binary Search Trees

An (internal) binary search tree stores the elements in a binary tree. Each tree-node corresponds to an element. All elements in the left sub-tree of a node v have a smaller key-value than key[v] and elements in the right sub-tree have a larger-key value. We assume that all key-values are different.

(External Search Trees store objects only at leaf-vertices)

Examples:





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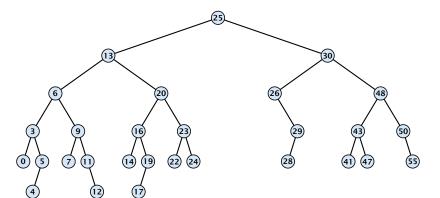
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We consider the following operations on binary search trees. Note that this is a super-set of the dictionary-operations.

- T. insert(x)
- ► T. delete(x)
- ► T. search(k)
- ► T. successor(x)
- T. predecessor(x)
- T. minimum()
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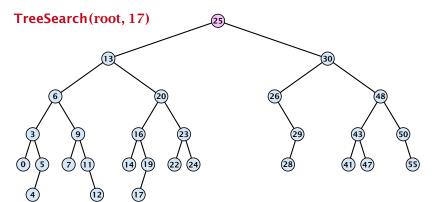
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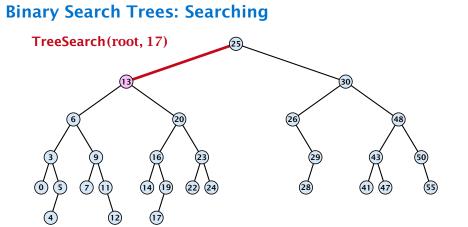
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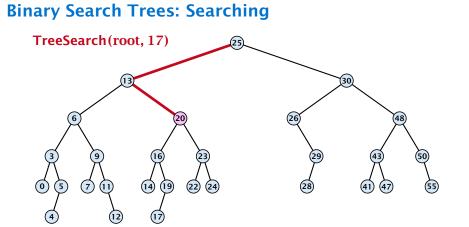
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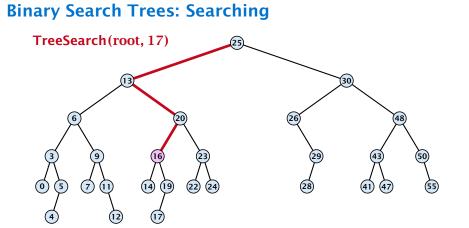
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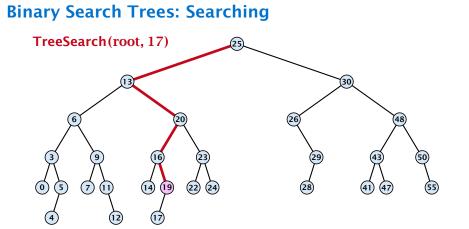
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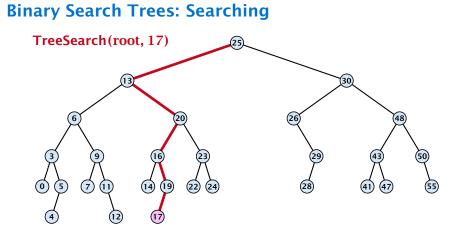
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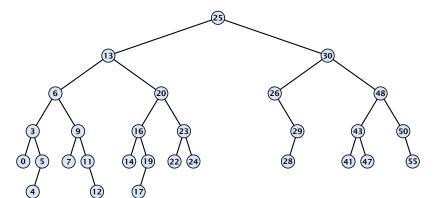




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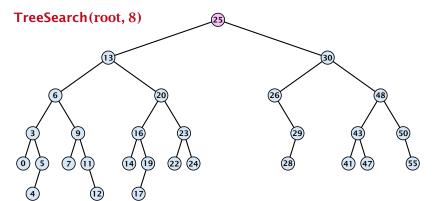
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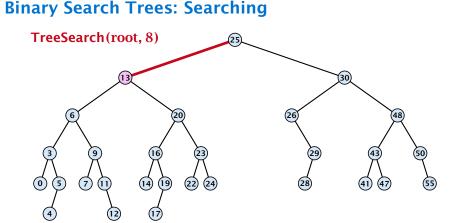


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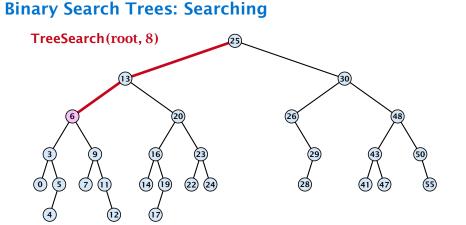
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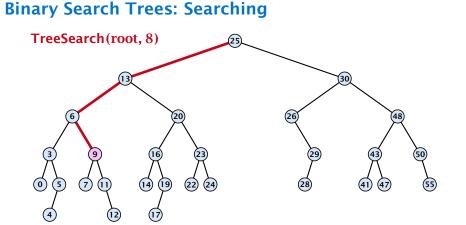
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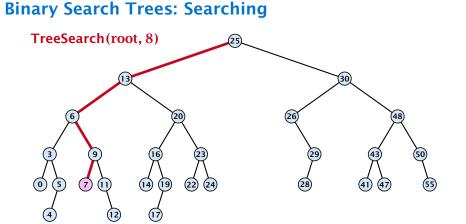
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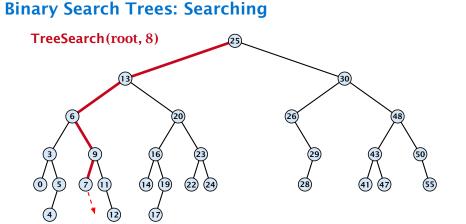
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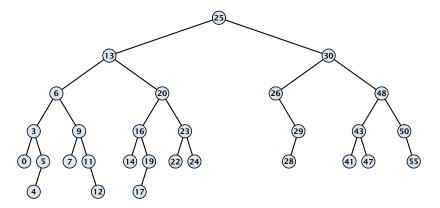




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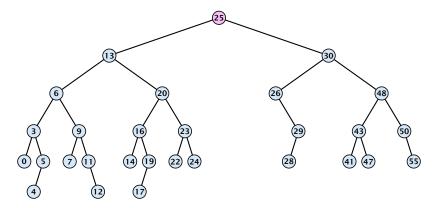


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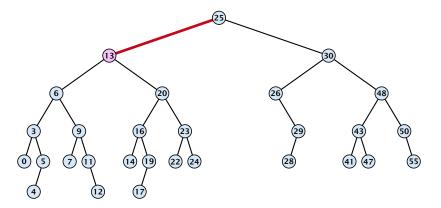


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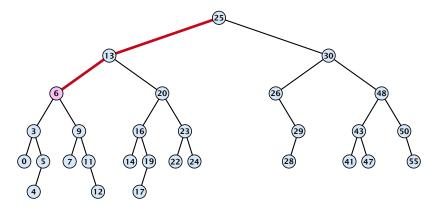


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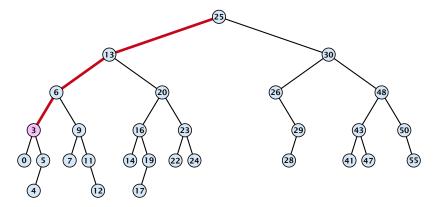


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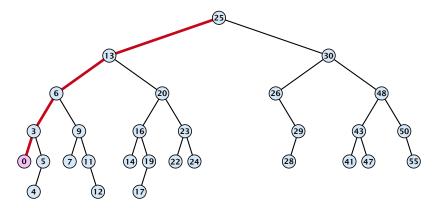


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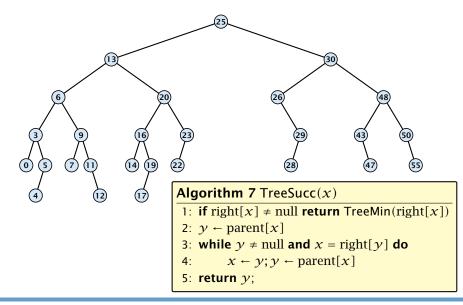
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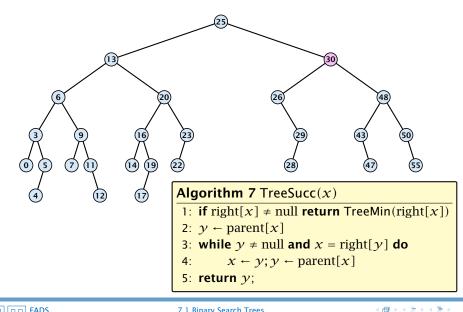
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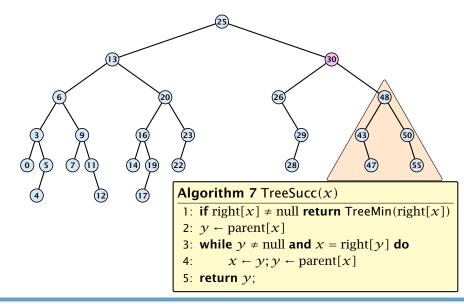


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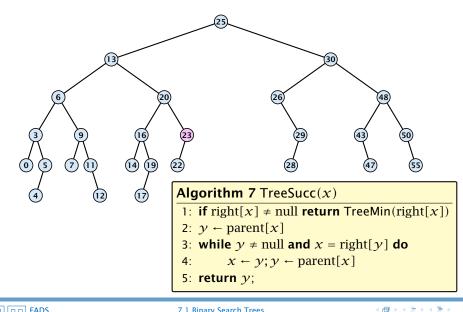


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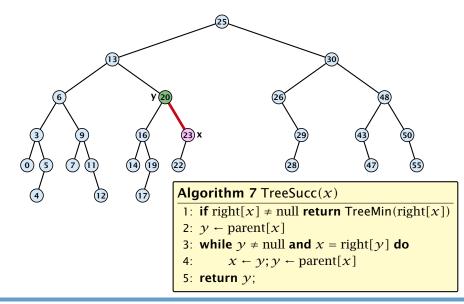


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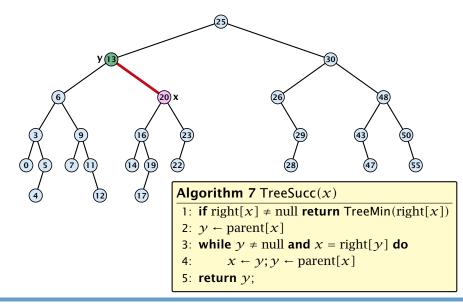
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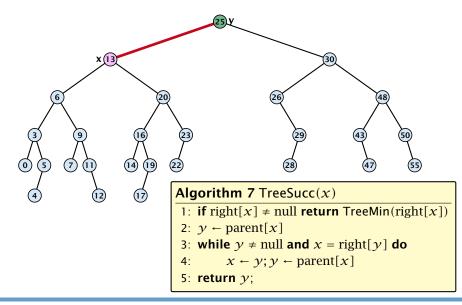
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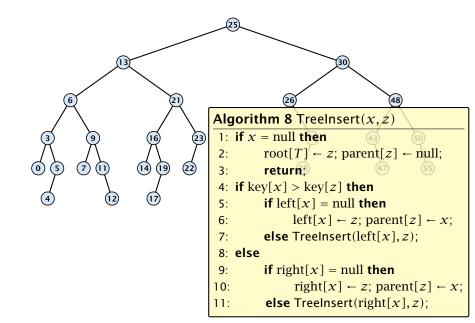


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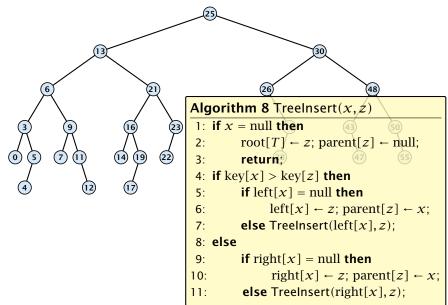


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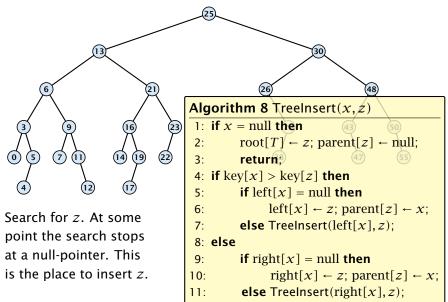
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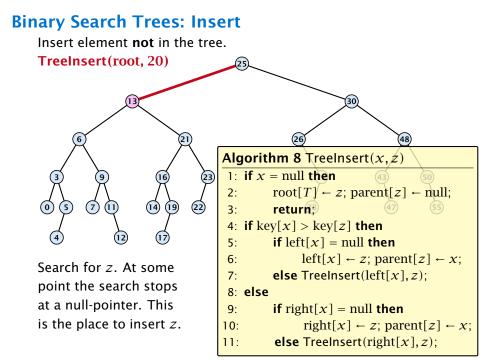


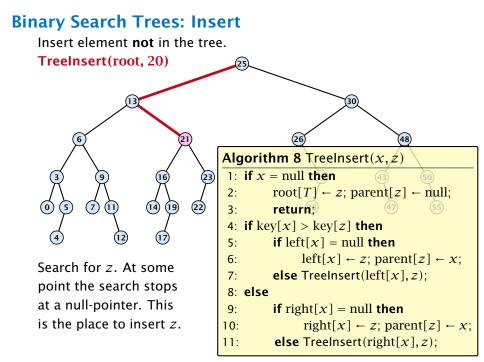
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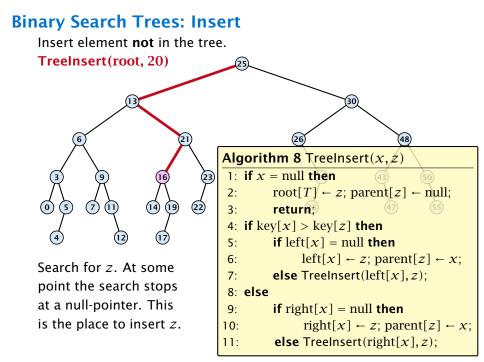
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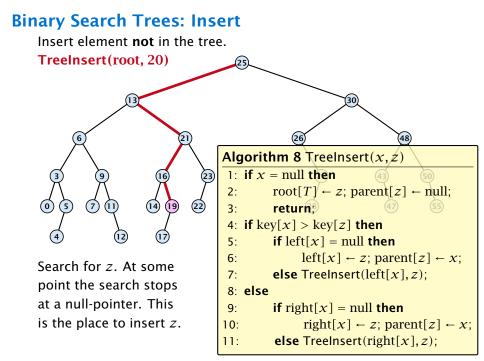


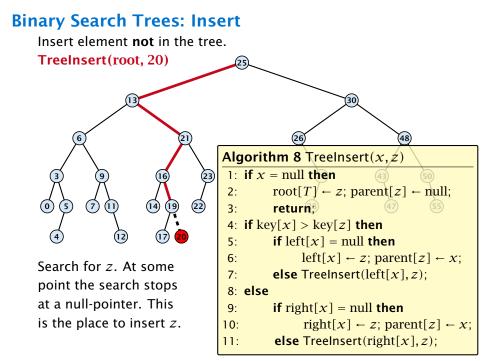
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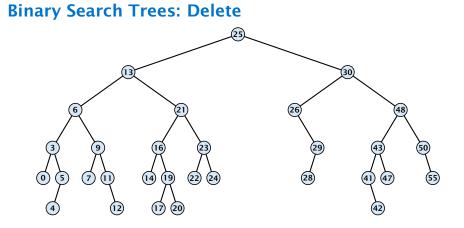


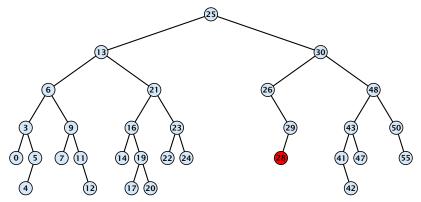








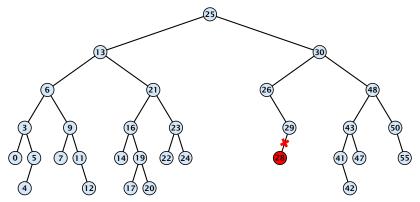




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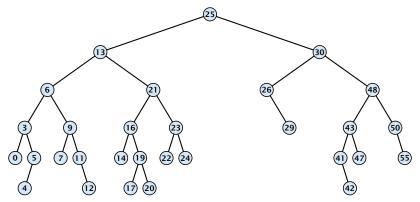
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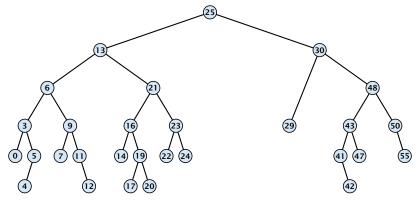
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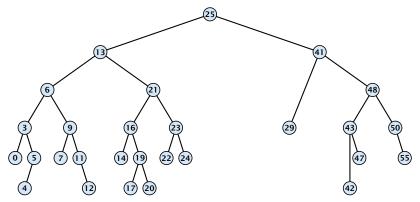
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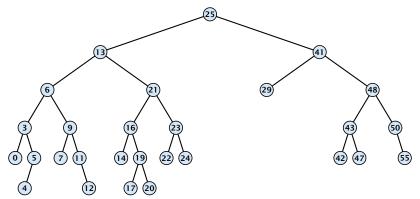
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 3: if left[\gamma] \neq null
          then x \leftarrow \text{left}[y] else x \leftarrow \text{right}[y]; x is child of y (or null)
 4:
 5: if x \neq \text{null then parent}[x] \leftarrow \text{parent}[y]; parent[x] is correct
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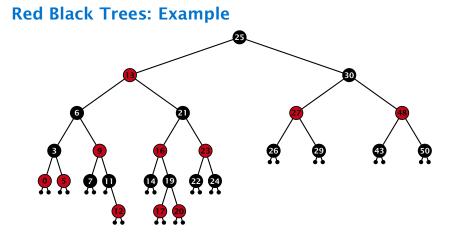
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The black height bh(v) of a node v in a red black tree is the number of black nodes on a path from v to a leaf vertex (not counting v).

We first show:

#### Lemma 14

A sub-tree of black height bh(v) in a red black tree contains at least  $2^{bh(v)} - 1$  internal vertices.



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- 2. All leaf nodes are black.
- **3.** For each node, all paths to descendant leaves contain the same number of black nodes.
- 4. If a node is red then both its children are black.

The null-pointers in a binary search tree are replaced by pointers to special null-vertices, that do not carry any object-data.

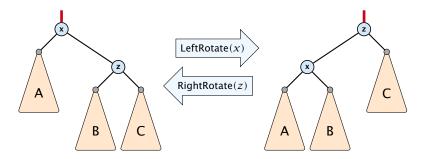


We need to adapt the insert and delete operations so that the red black properties are maintained.



## **Rotations**

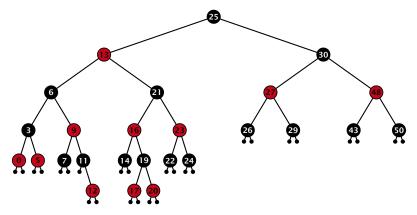
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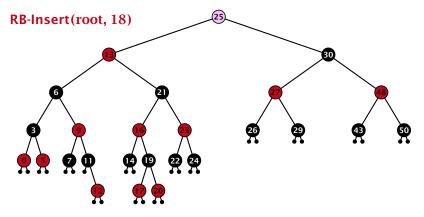
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#### Insert:

- first make a normal insert into a binary search tree
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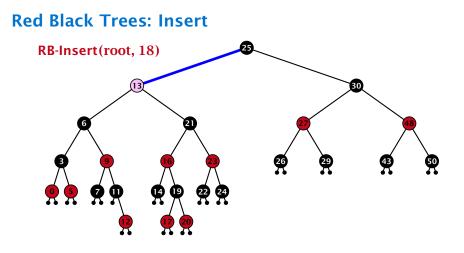
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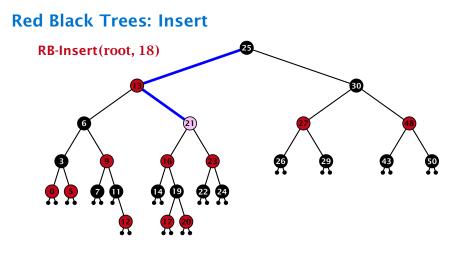
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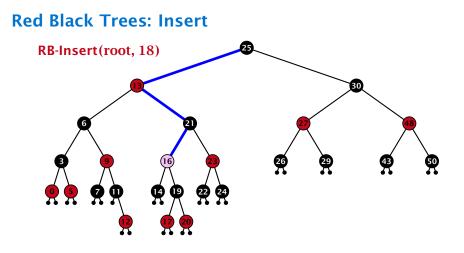
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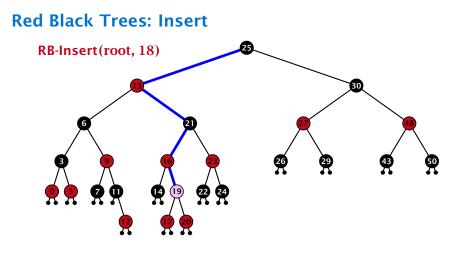
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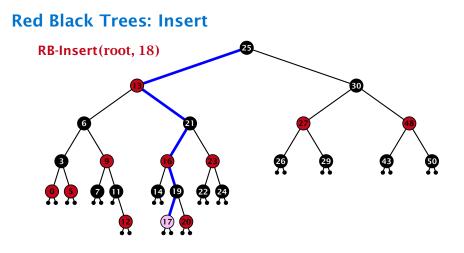
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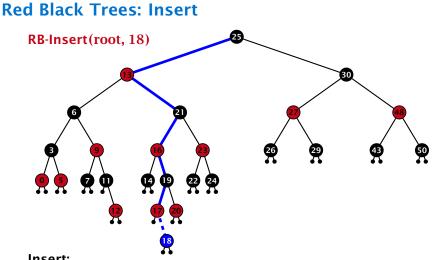
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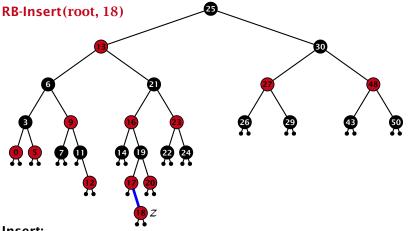


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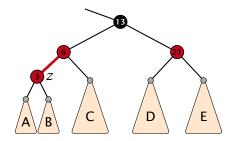
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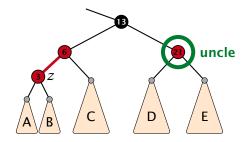
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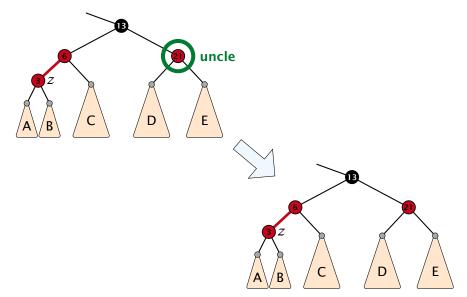


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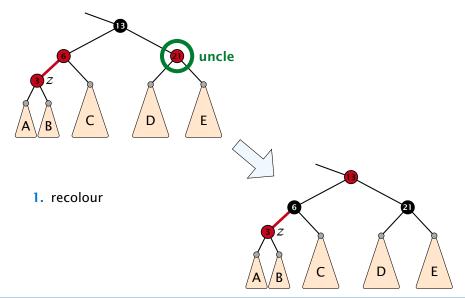
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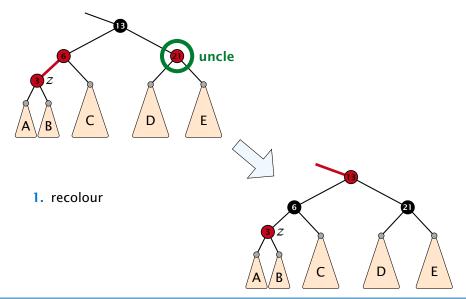
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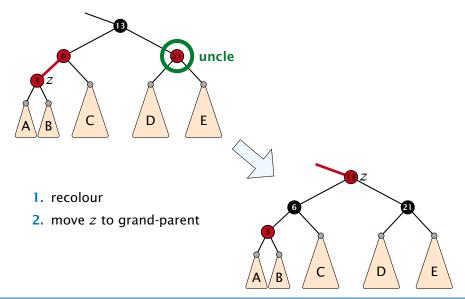
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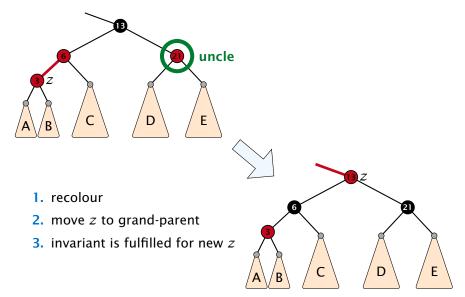


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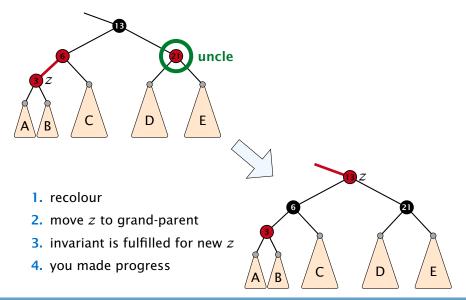
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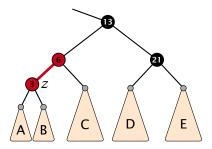








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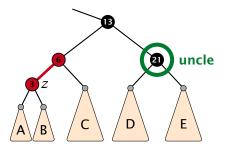




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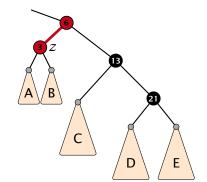


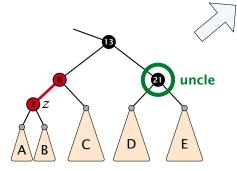


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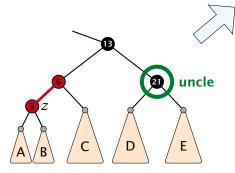


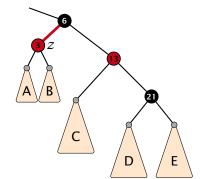


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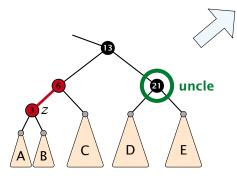


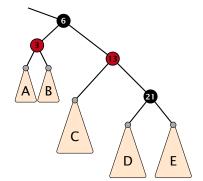


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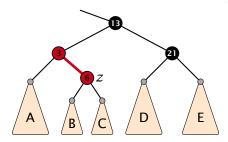
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- 3. you have Case 2b.









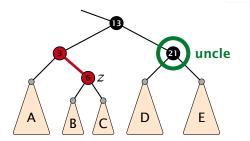


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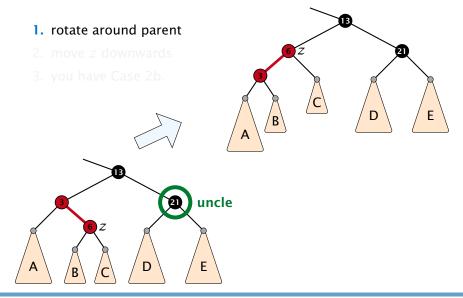
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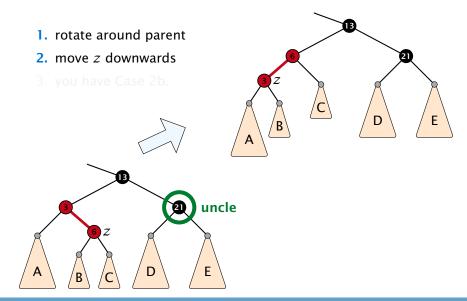




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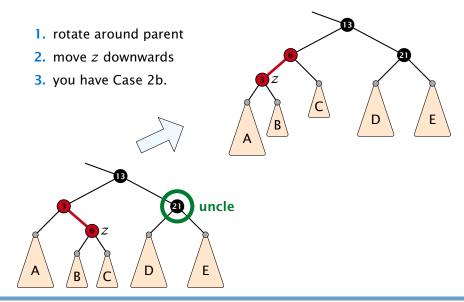




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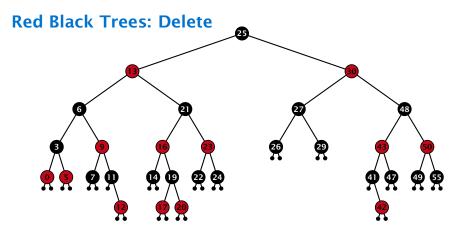
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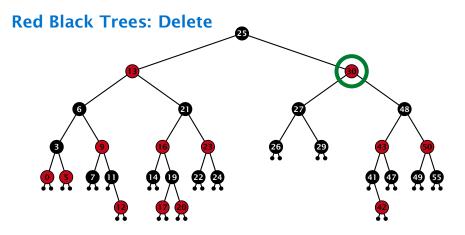
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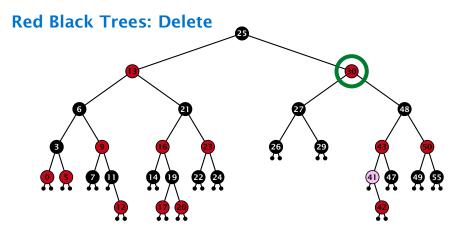
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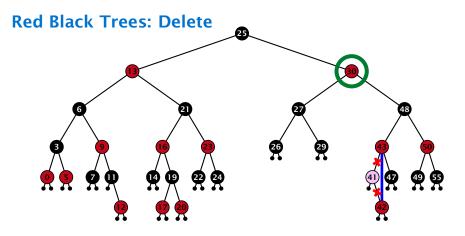




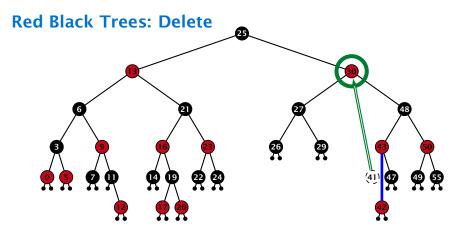
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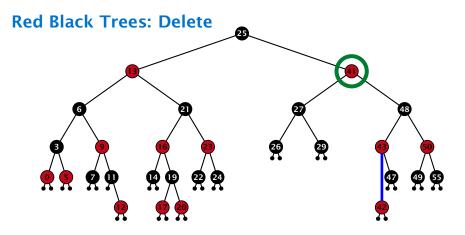
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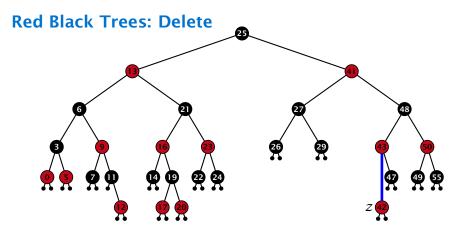
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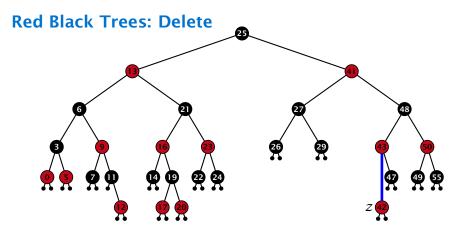


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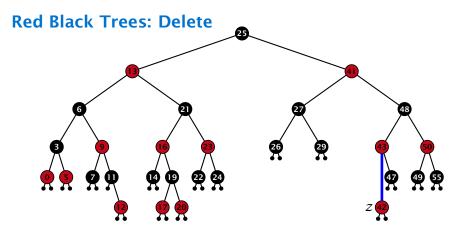
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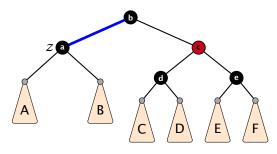


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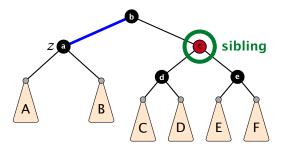




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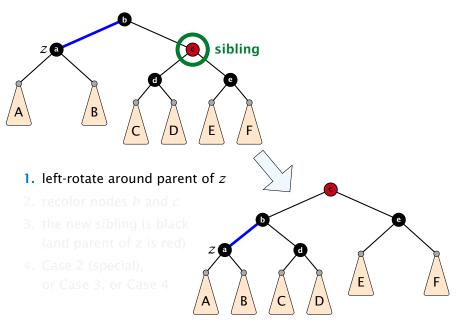


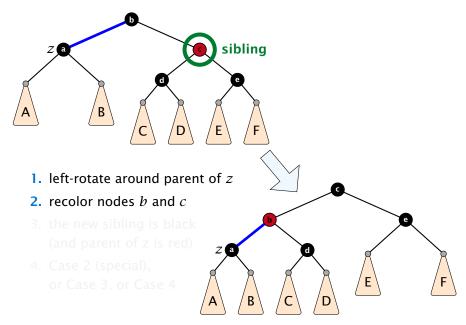


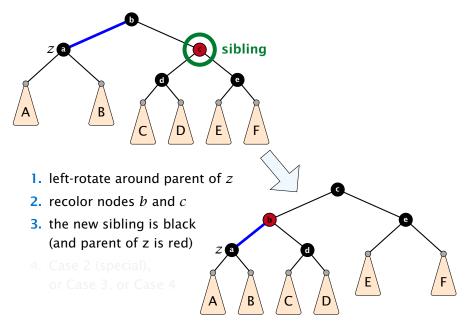
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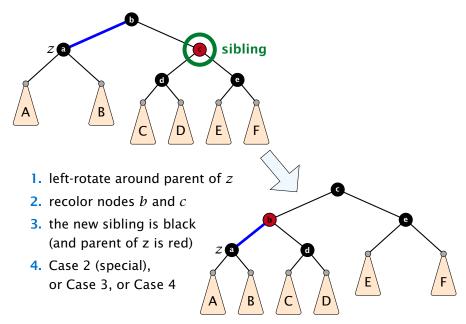


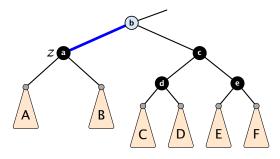




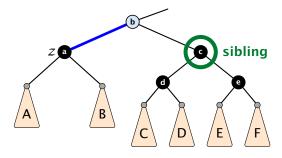




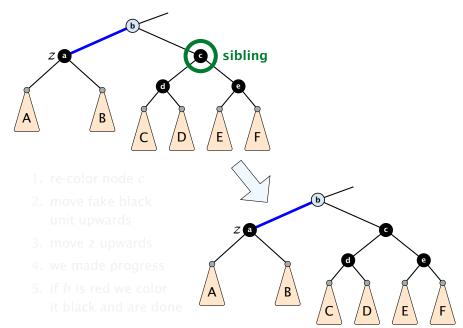


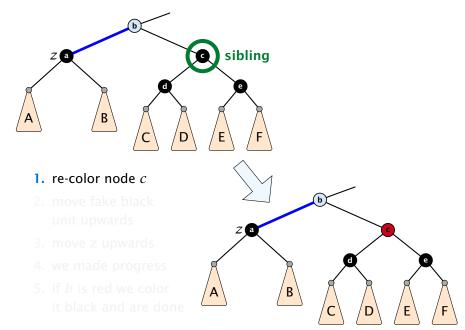


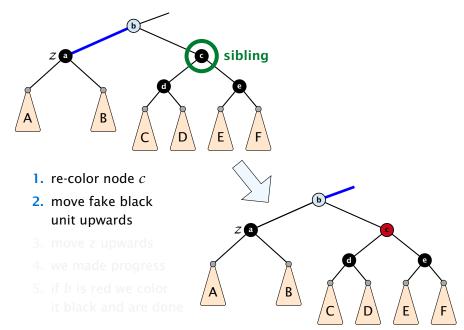
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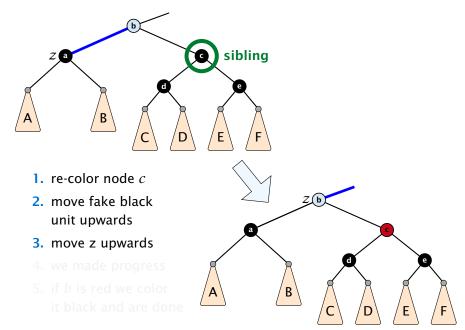


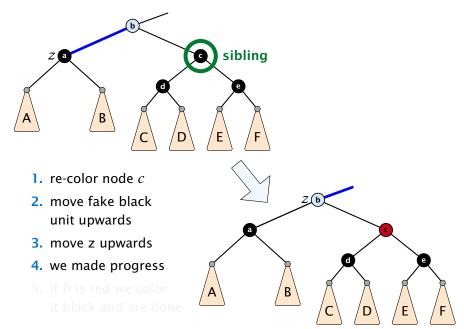
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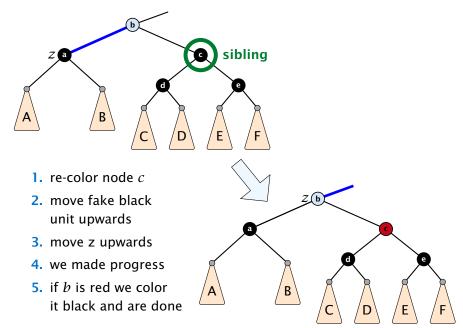




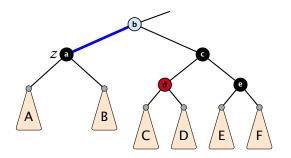




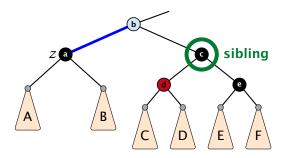




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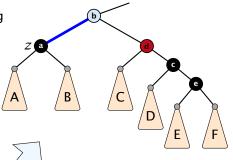


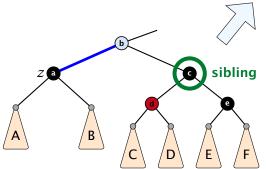
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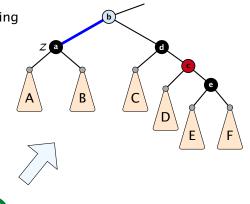


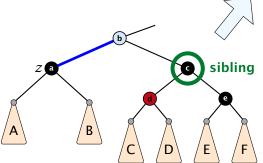
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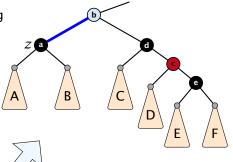


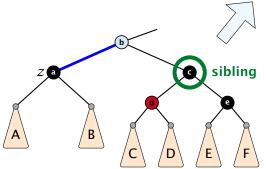
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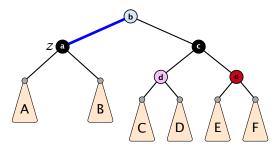




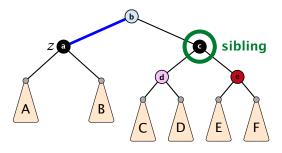
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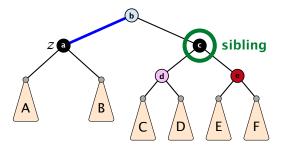




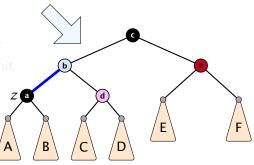
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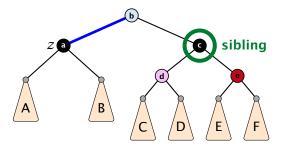


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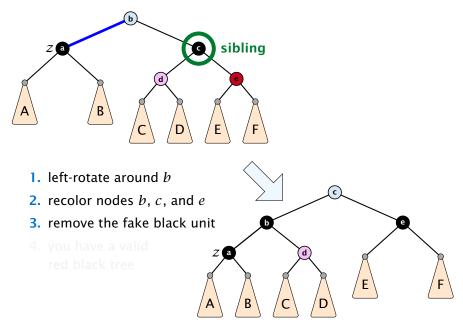


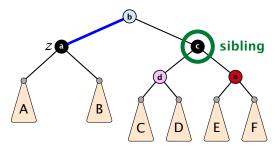
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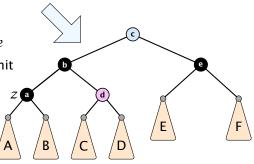


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#### 7.3 AVL-Trees

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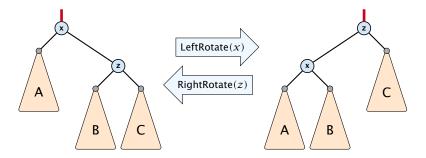
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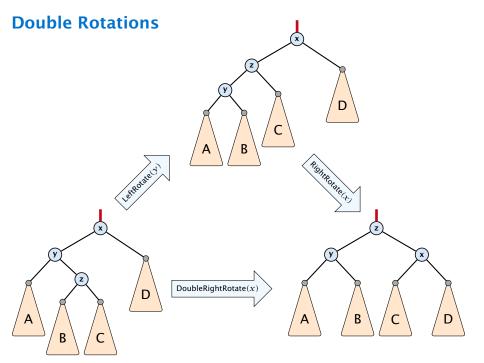
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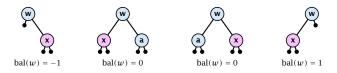




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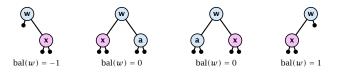


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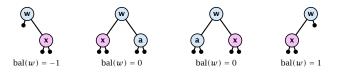


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#### Algorithm 11 AVL-fix-up-insert(v)

- 1: **if** balance[v]  $\in$  {-2, 2} **then** DoRotationInsert(v);
- 2: if balance[v]  $\in$  {0} return;
- 3: AVL-fix-up-insert(parent[v]);

We will show that the above procedure is correct, and that it will do at most one rotation.



Algorithm 12 DoRotationInsert $(v)$	
1:	<b>if</b> balance[ $v$ ] = $-2$ <b>then</b> // insert in right sub-tree
2:	if balance[right[ $v$ ]] = $-1$ then
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4:	else
5:	DoubleLeftRotate( $v$ );
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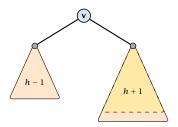
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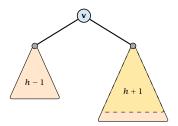


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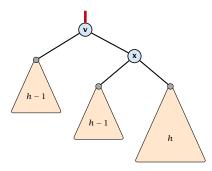
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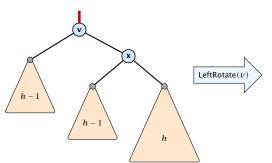
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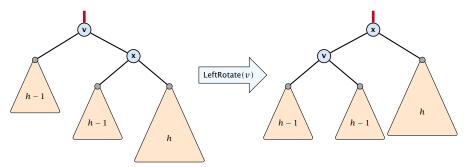


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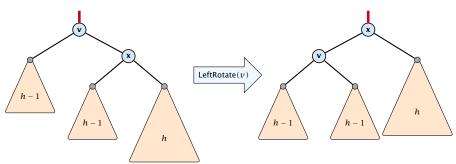


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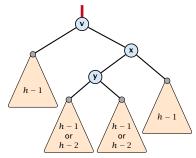
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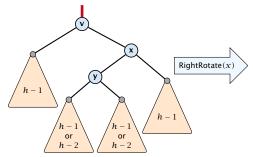
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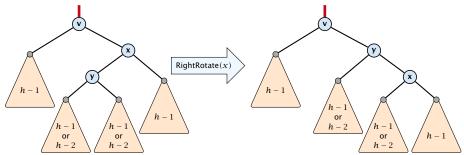
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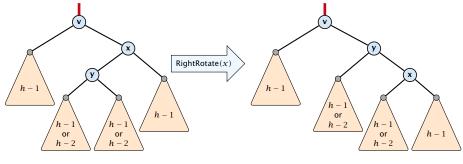




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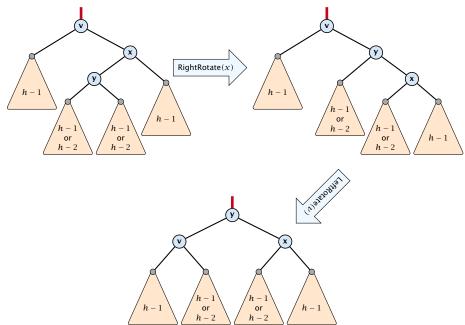


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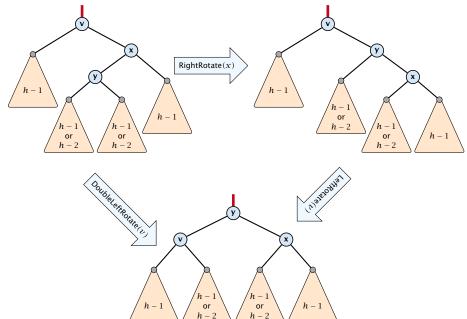




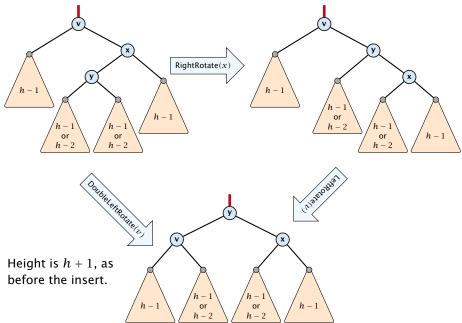
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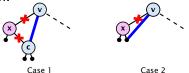
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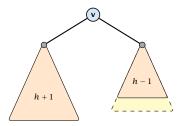
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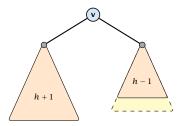


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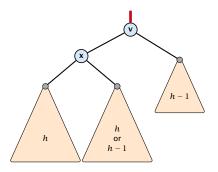


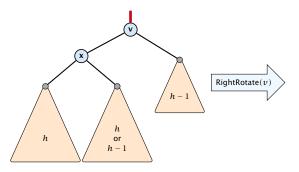
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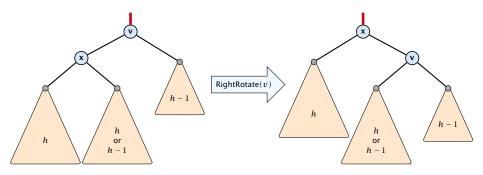


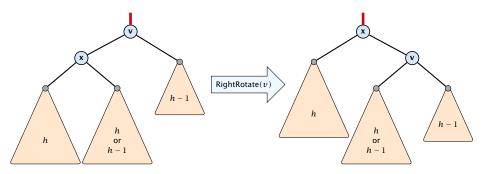
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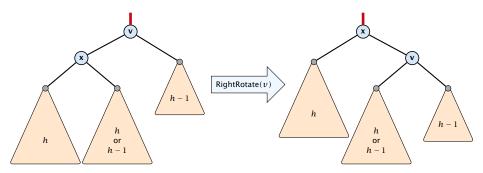






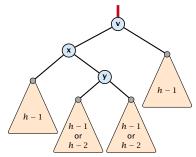


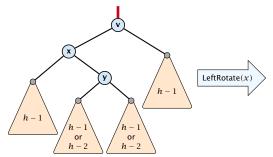
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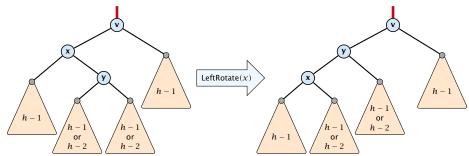


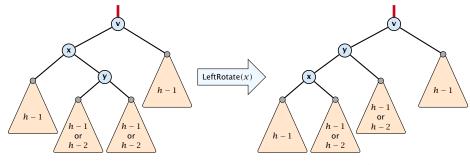
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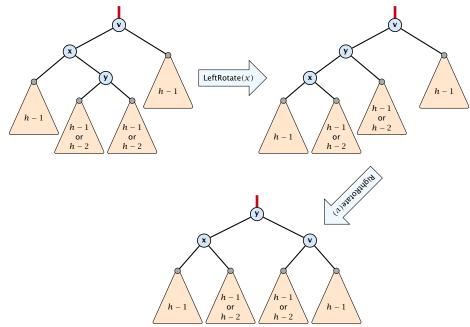


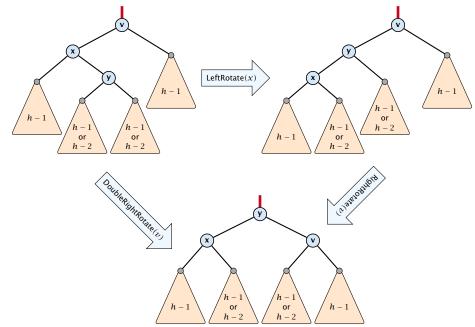


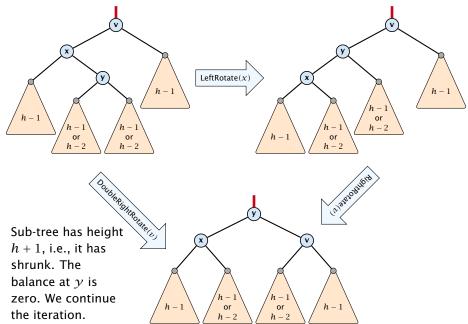




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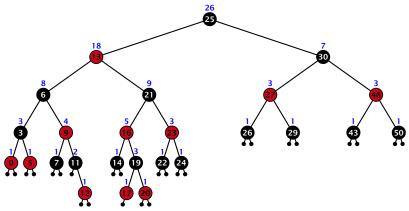
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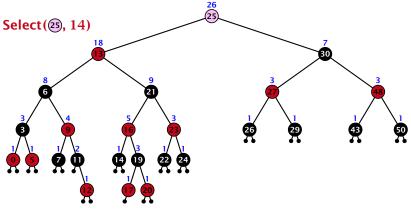


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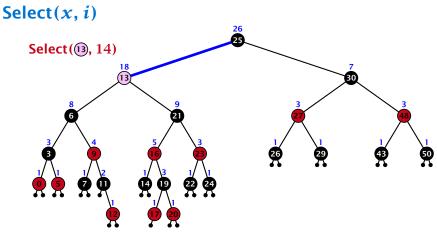
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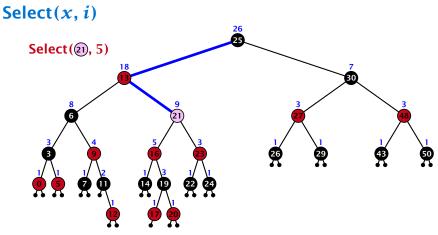
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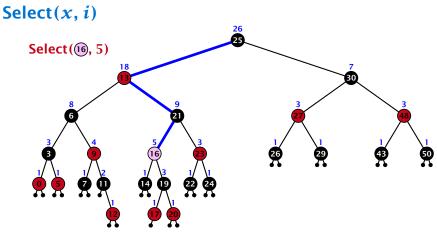
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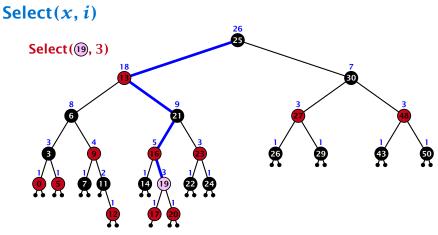
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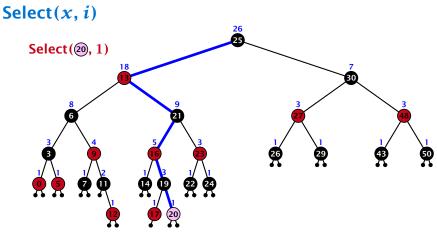
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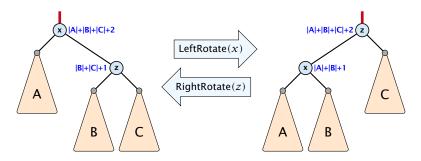
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The new size-fields can be computed locally from the size-fields of the children.

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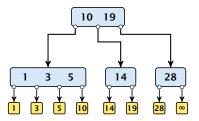


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 $k_{i-1} < ext{ key in } i ext{-th sub-tree } \leq k_i$  ,

where we use  $k_0 = -\infty$  and  $k_d = \infty$ .

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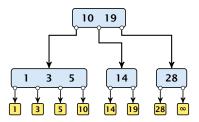
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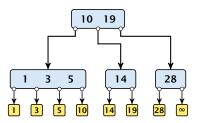




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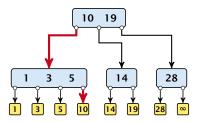


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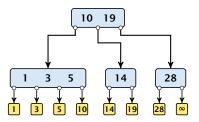




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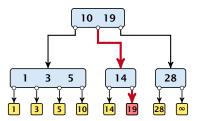




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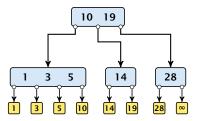
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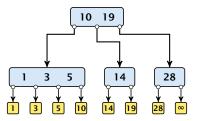
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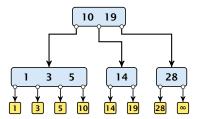
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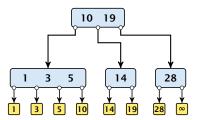




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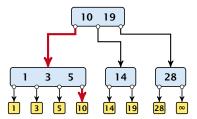
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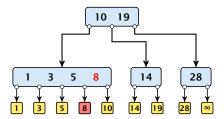




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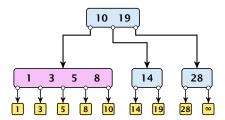
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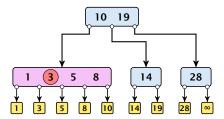




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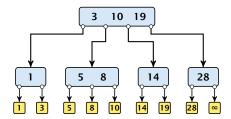


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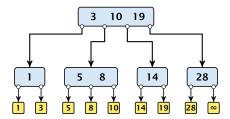




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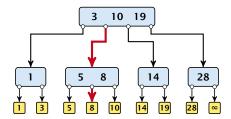






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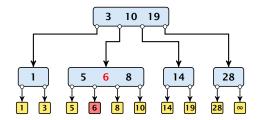






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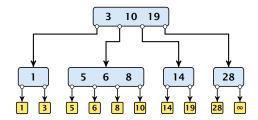






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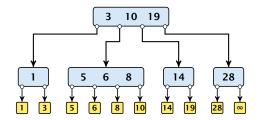






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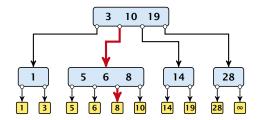
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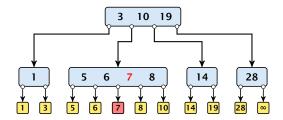
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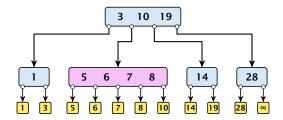
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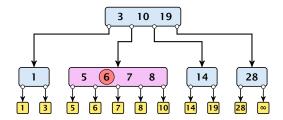
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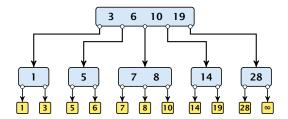
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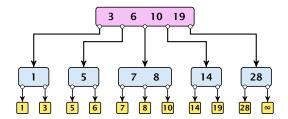
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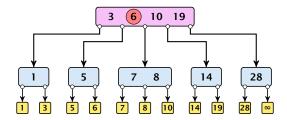
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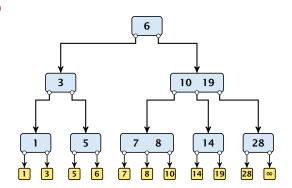
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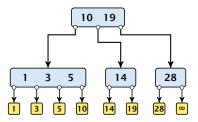
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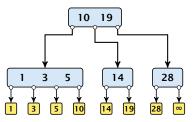




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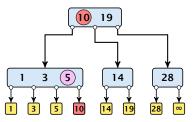
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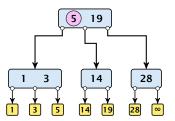




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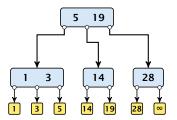
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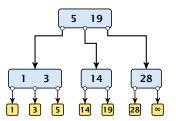
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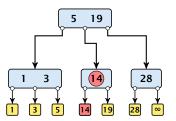
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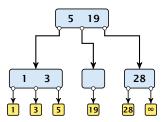




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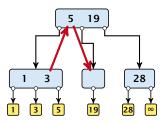
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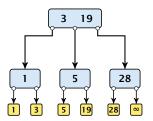
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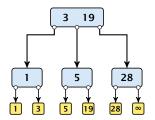
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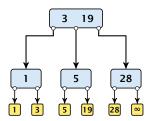
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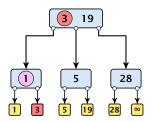




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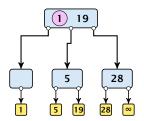
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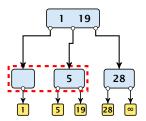
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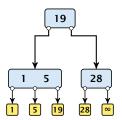
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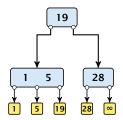
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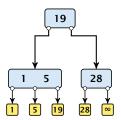
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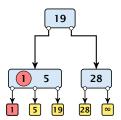
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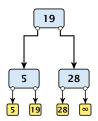
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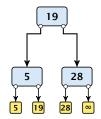
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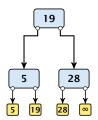
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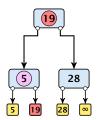
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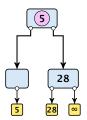
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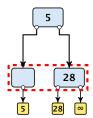




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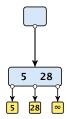




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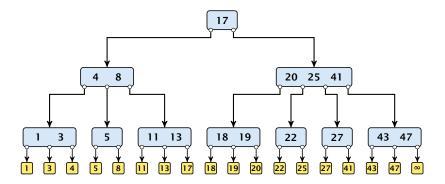




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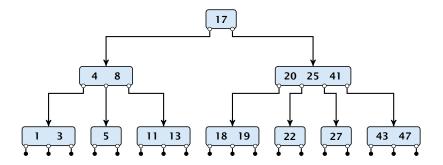
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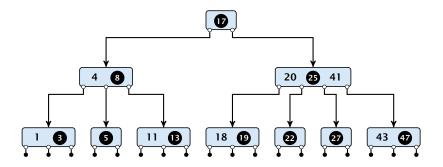
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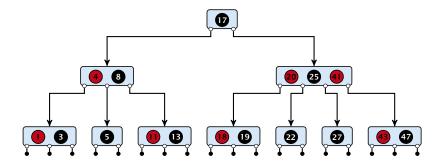




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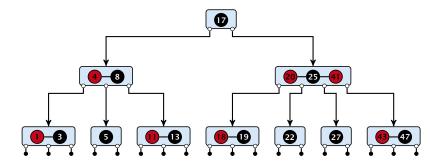




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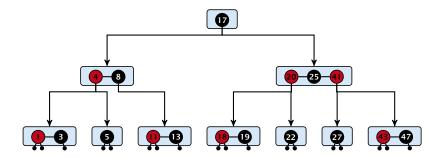
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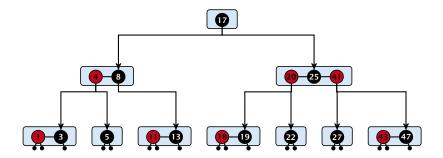
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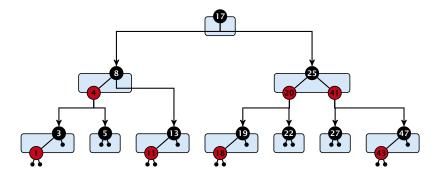
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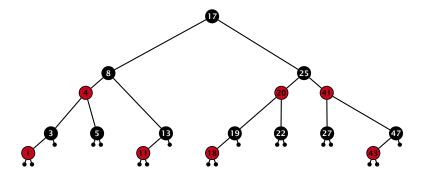
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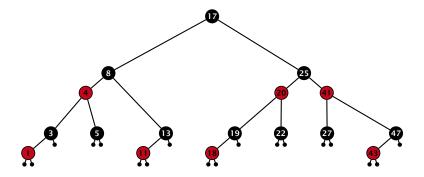




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Note that this correspondence is not unique. In particular, there are different red-black trees that correspond to the same (2, 4)-tree.

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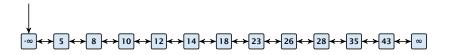


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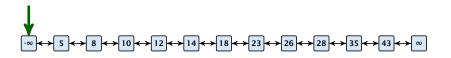
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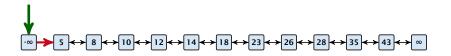
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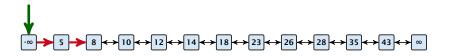
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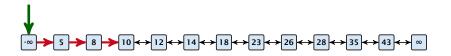
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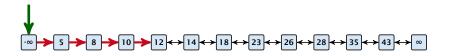




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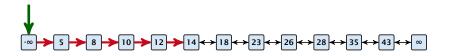




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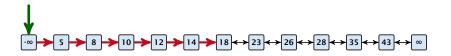




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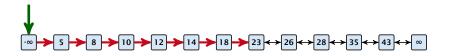
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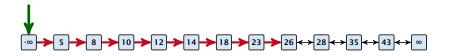
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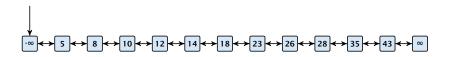
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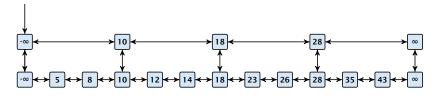


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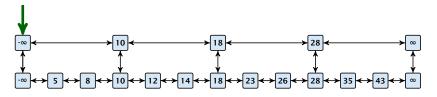




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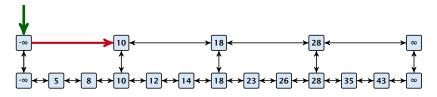


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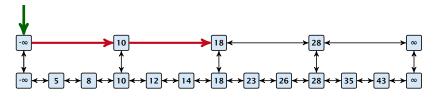




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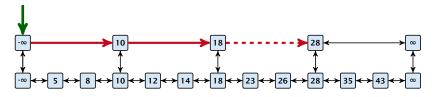


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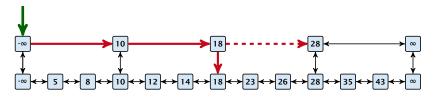


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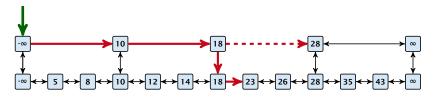




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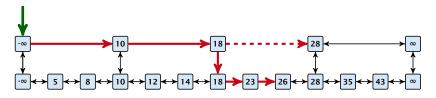




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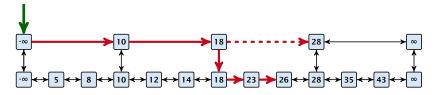


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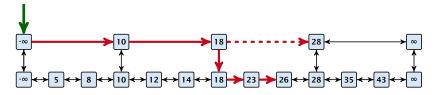


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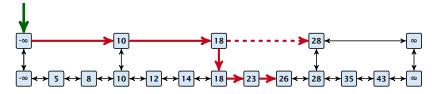


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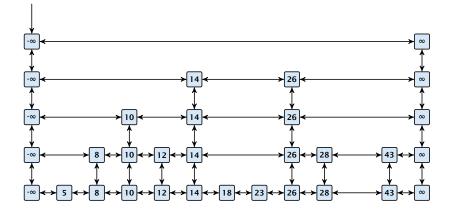
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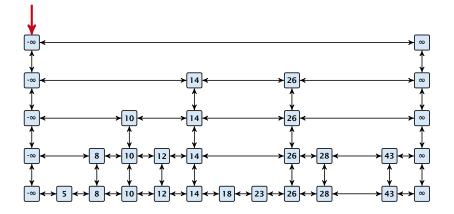


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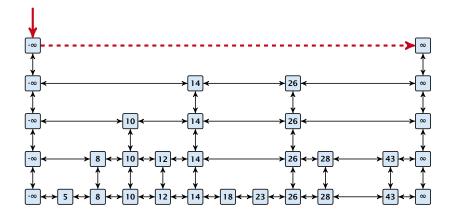
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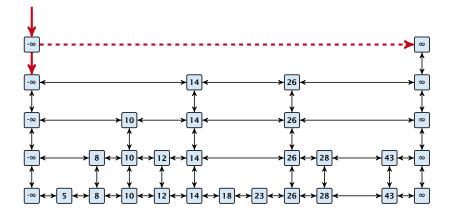
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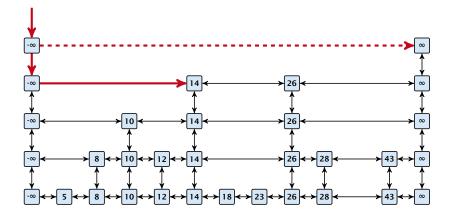
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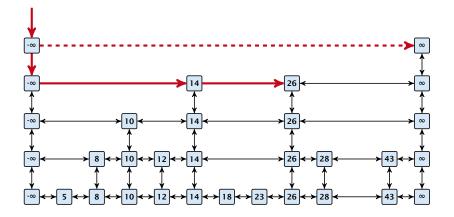
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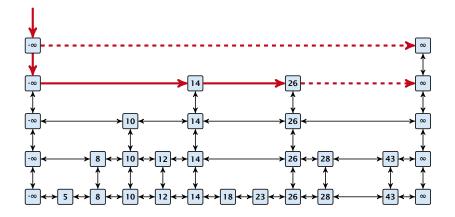
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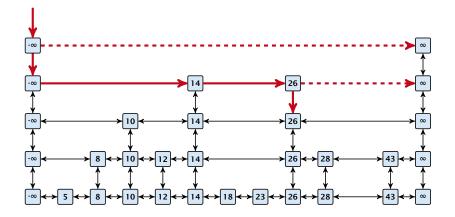
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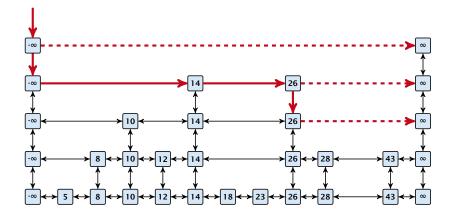
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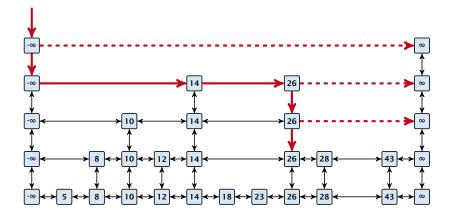
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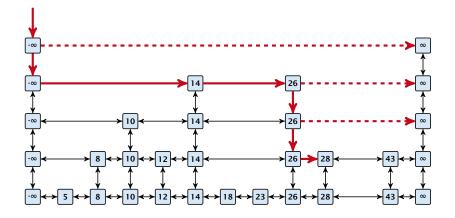




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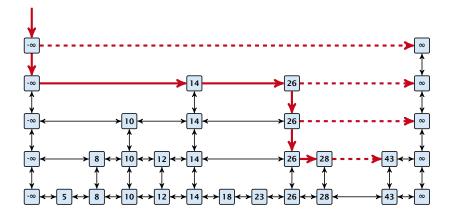
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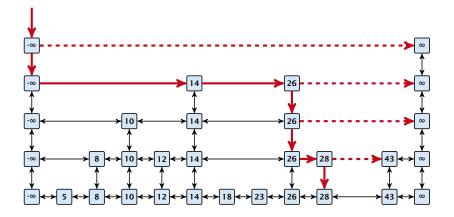




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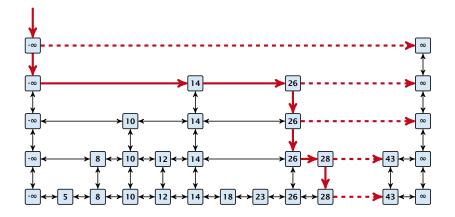




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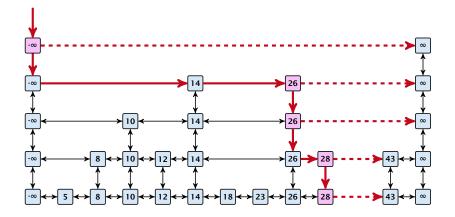




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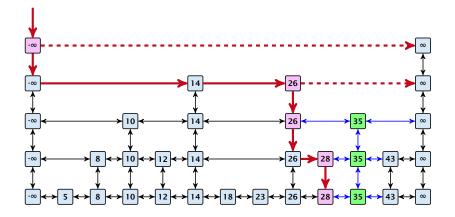




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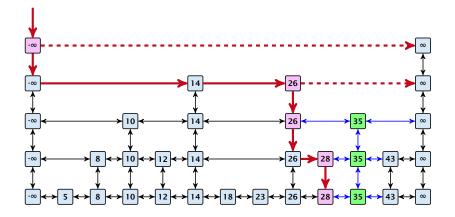




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This means  $Pr[E_1 \land \cdots \land E_\ell]$  holds with high probability.

#### Lemma 21

A search (and, hence, also insert and delete) in a skip list with n elements takes time O(logn) with high probability (w. h. p.).



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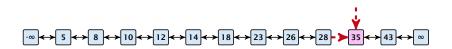
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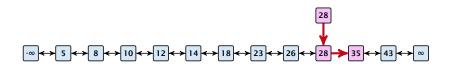
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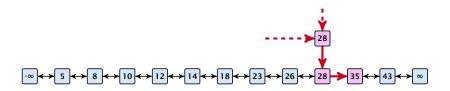
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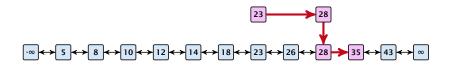
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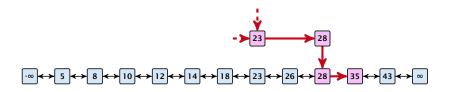




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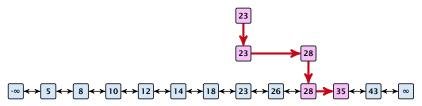




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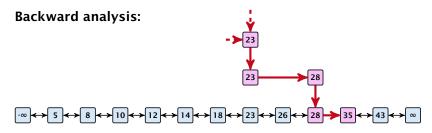
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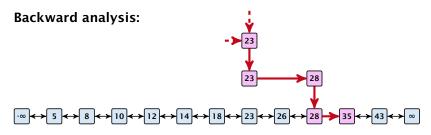
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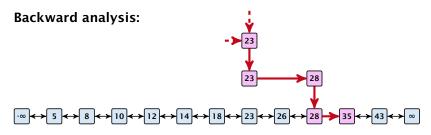


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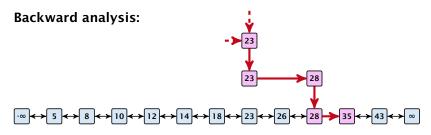


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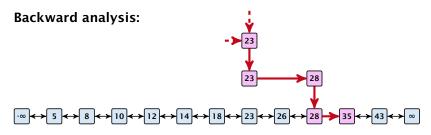


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This means, the search requires at most *z* steps, w. h. p.

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# 7.7 Hashing

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Hashing tries to directly compute the memory location from the given key. The goal is to have constant search time.



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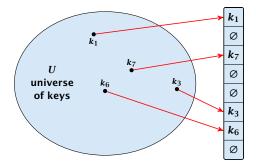
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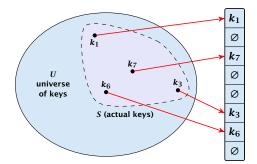
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This special case is known as Direct Addressing. It is usually very unrealistic as the universe of keys typically is quite large, and in particular larger than the available memory.

## **Perfect Hashing**

Suppose that we know the set S of actual keys (no insert/no delete). Then we may want to design a simple hash-function that maps all these keys to different memory locations.



Such a hash function *h* is called a perfect hash function for set *S*.

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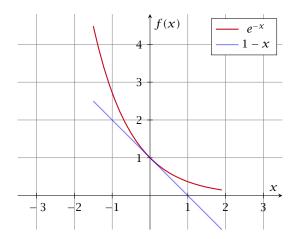
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The inequality  $1 - x \le e^{-x}$  is derived by stopping the Taylor-expansion of  $e^{-x}$  after the second term.

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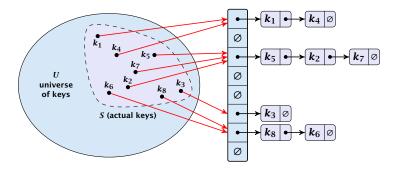
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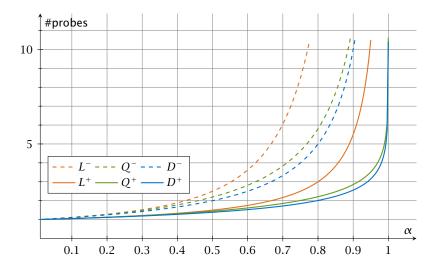
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We analyze the time for a search in a very idealized Open Addressing scheme.

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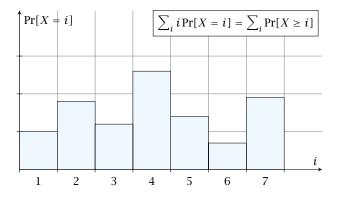
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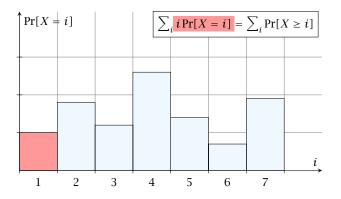
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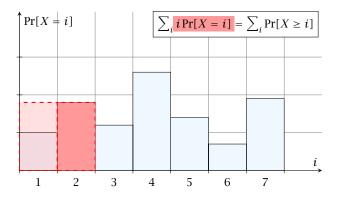




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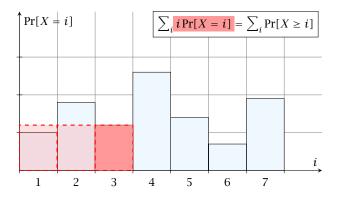
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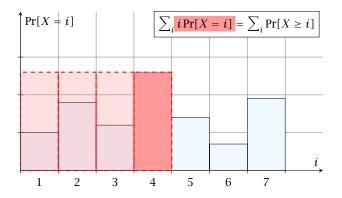
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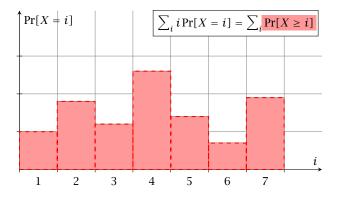
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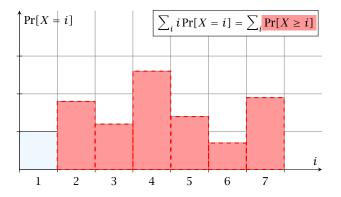
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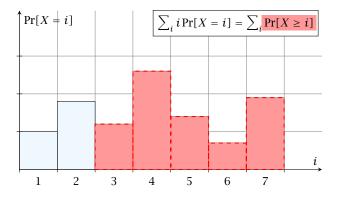
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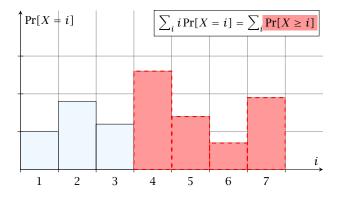
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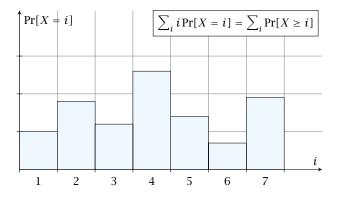
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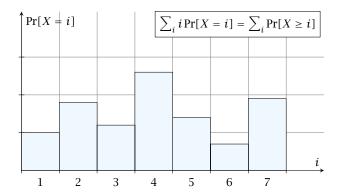


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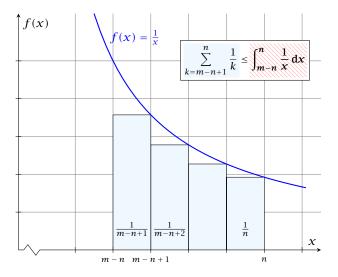


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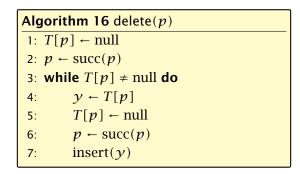


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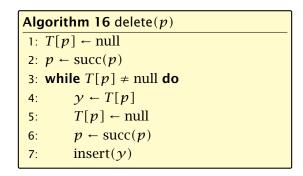


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#### Definition 31

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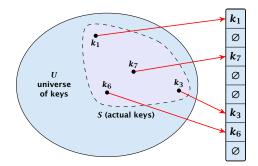
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This shows that the  $\mathcal{H}$  is (e, d + 1)-universal.

The last step followed from  $q \ge (d+1)n$ , and  $\ell \le d+1$ .



Suppose that we **know** the set S of actual keys (no insert/no delete). Then we may want to design a **simple** hash-function that maps all these keys to different memory locations.





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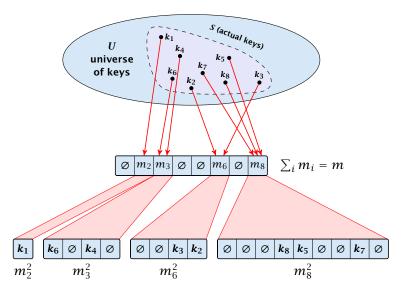
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Then we construct a hash-table  $h_j$  for every bucket. This takes expected time  $\mathcal{O}(m_j)$  for every bucket. A random function  $h_j$  is collision-free with probability at least 1/2. We need  $\mathcal{O}(m_j)$  to test this.

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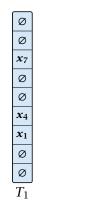
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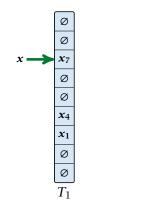
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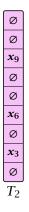






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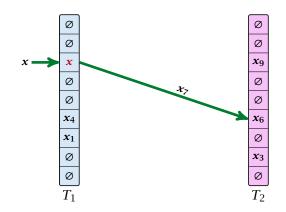




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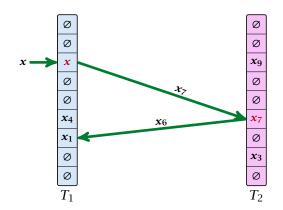




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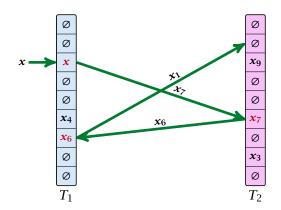




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3: while steps \leq maxsteps do
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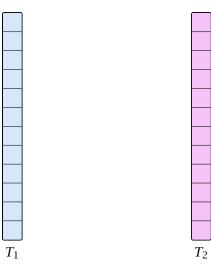


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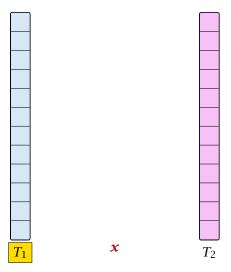
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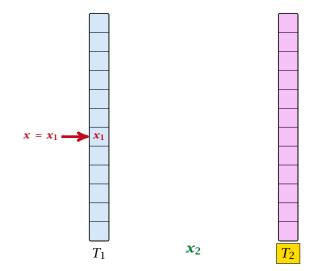








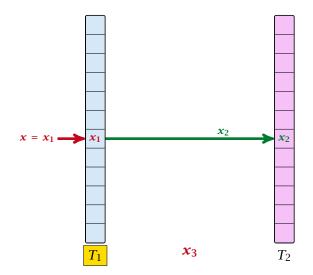






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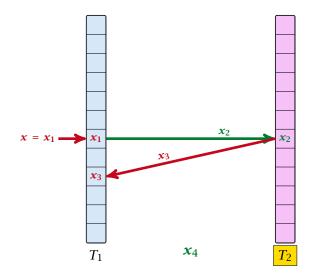
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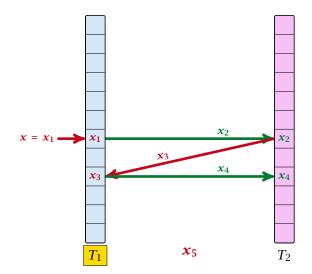
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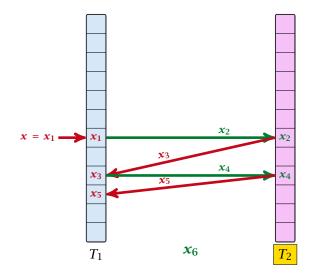
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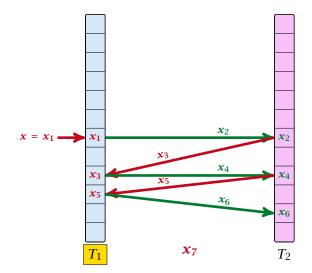
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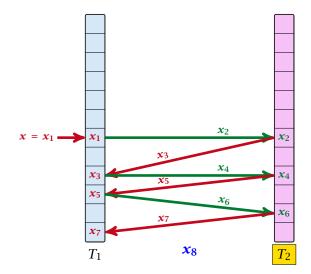
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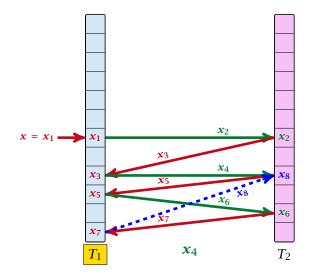
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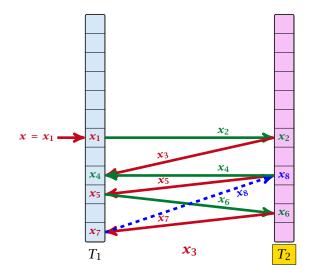
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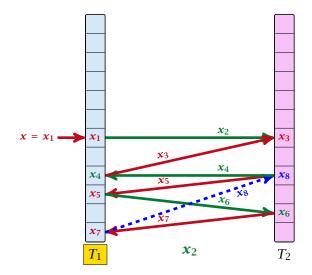
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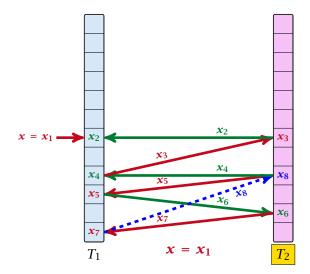
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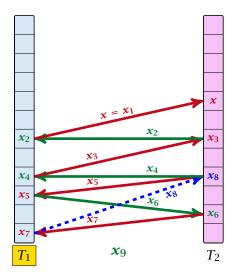
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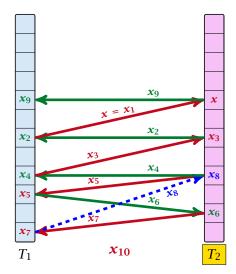


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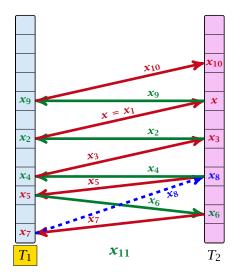




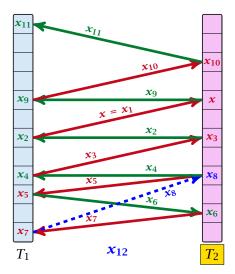


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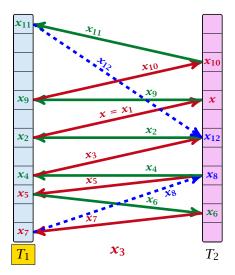
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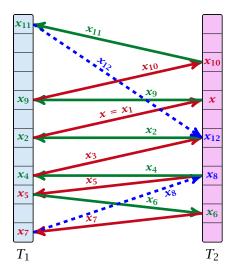




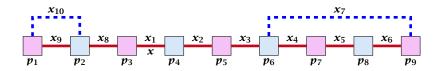












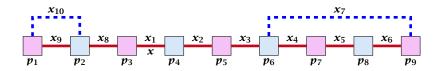
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- $\sim s$  distinct keys  $x = x_0, x_2, \dots, x_n$  linking the cells.
- The leftmost cell is "linked forward" to some cell on the right.
- The rightmost cell is "linked backward" to a cell on the left.
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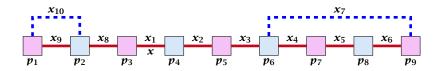
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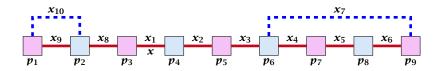




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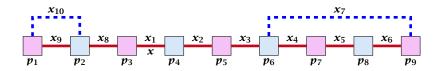




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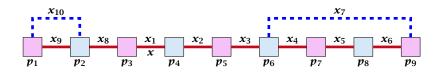




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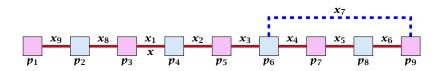
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Now, we analyze the probability that a phase is not successful without running into a closed cycle.





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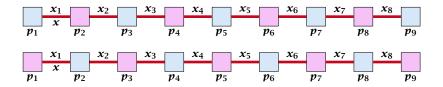
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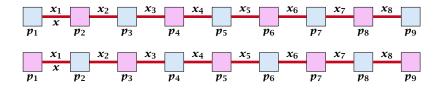




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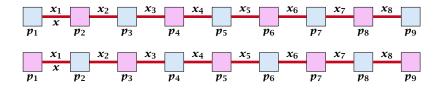




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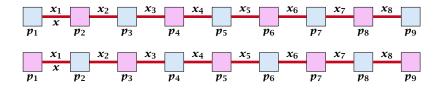




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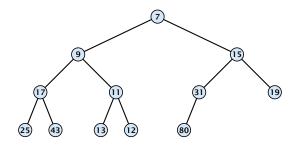
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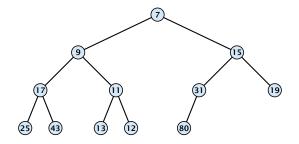




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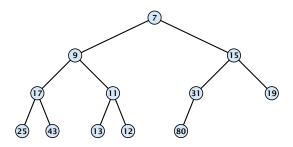




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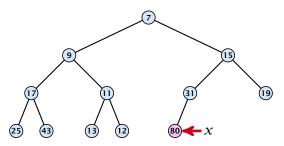
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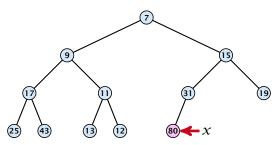




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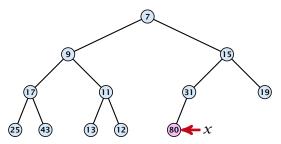


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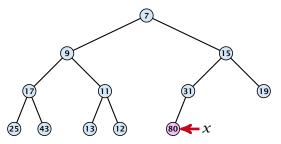


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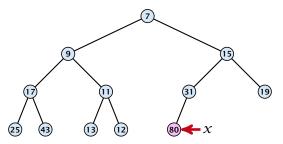


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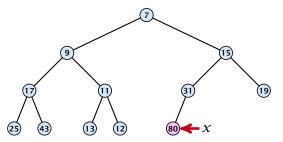
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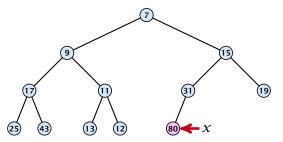
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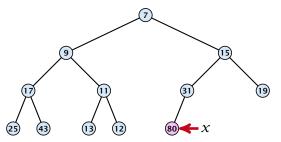


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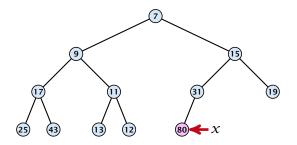
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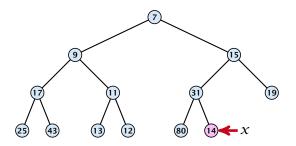
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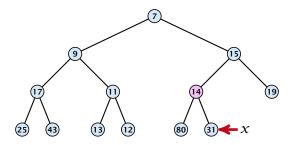
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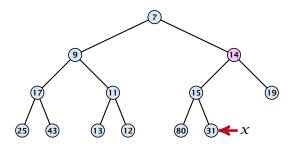
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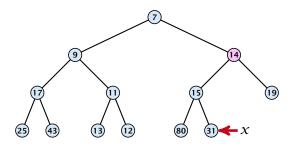


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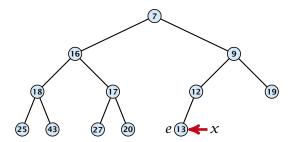
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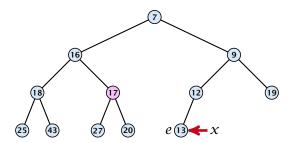
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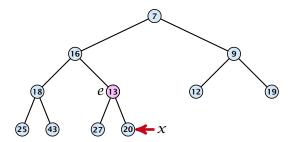
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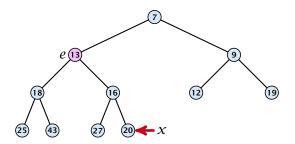
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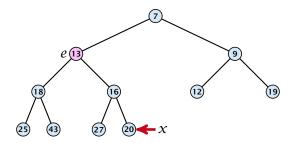
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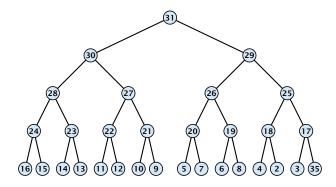
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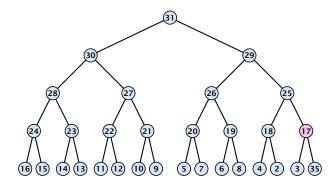


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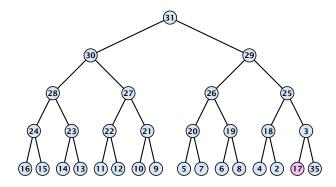
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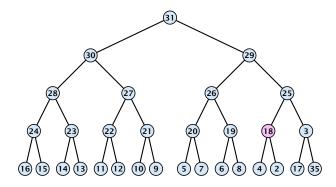
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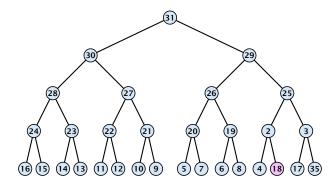
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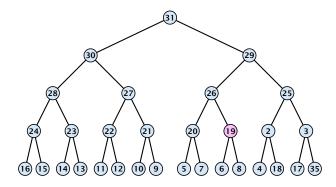


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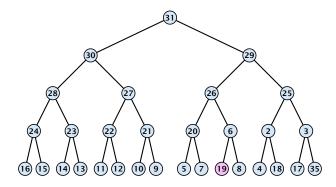


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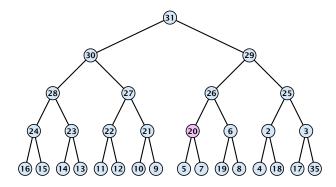
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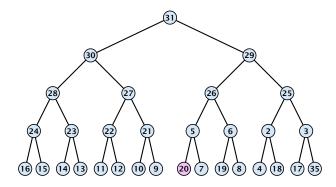
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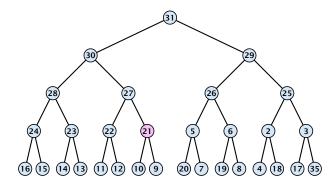
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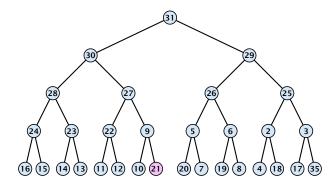


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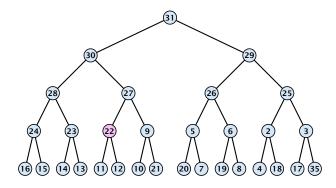


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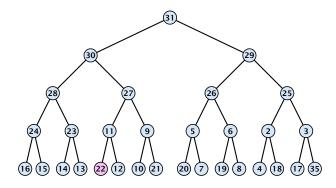
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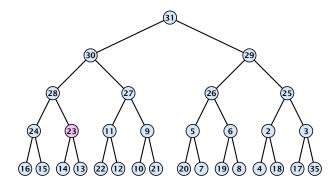


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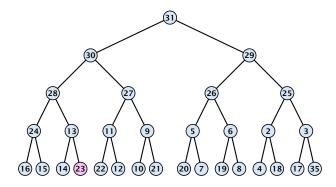


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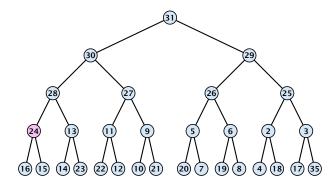


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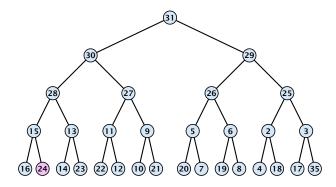
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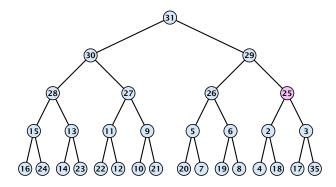


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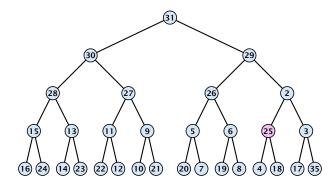


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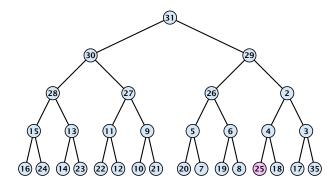
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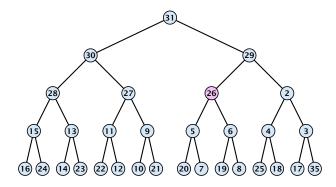
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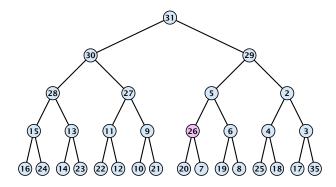


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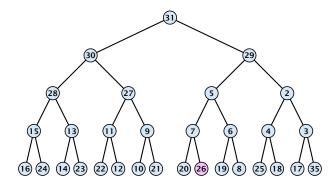


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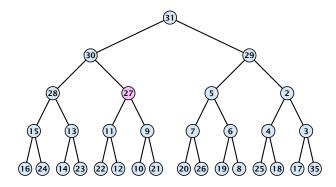




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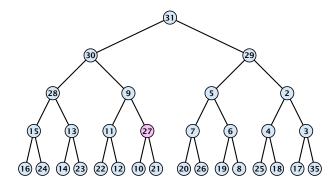


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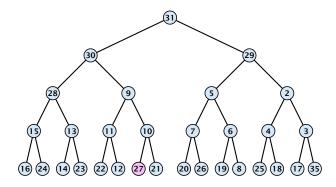
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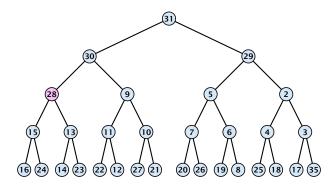
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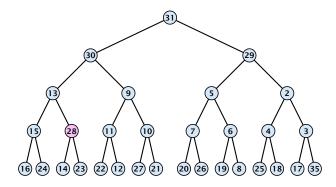


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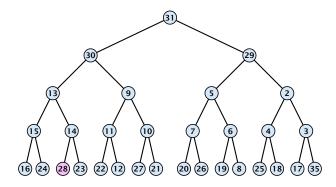




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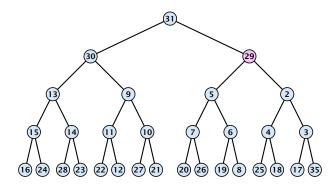


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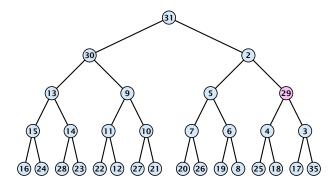
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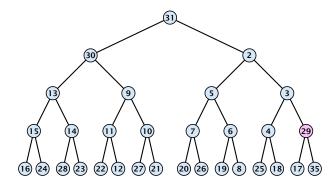




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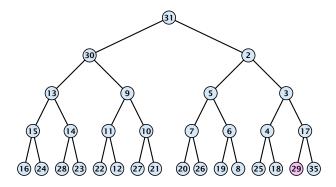
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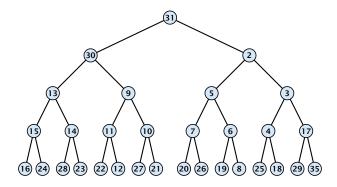
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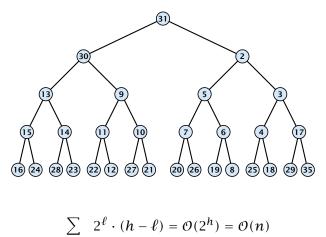
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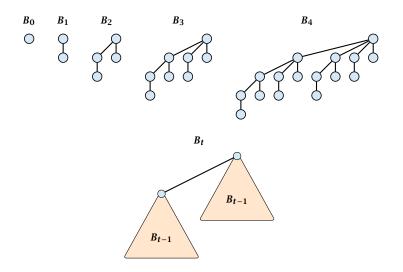
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delete	$\log n^{**}$	$\log n$	$\log n$	$\log n$
delete-min	$\log n$	$\log n$	$\log n$	$\log n$
decrease-key	$\log n$	$\log n$	$\log n$	1
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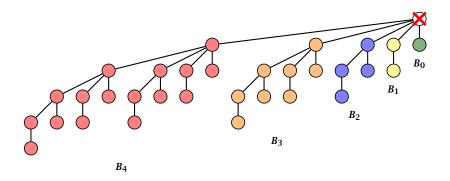
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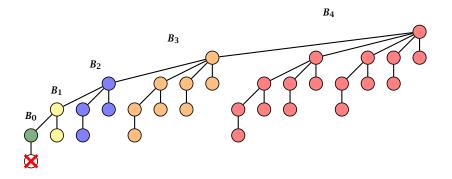


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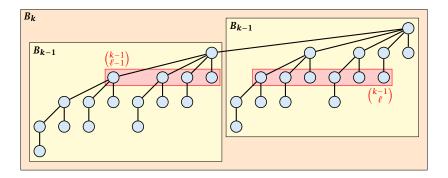
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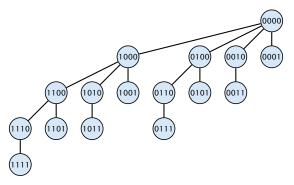
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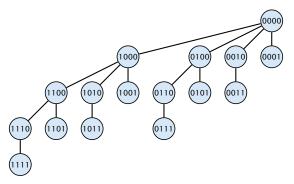
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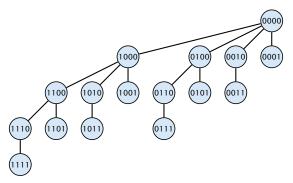
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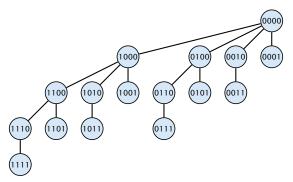


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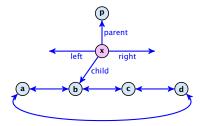
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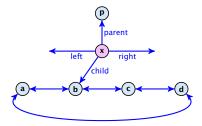


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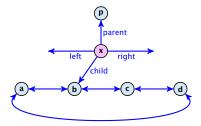


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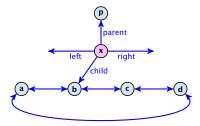


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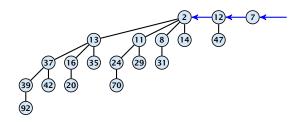


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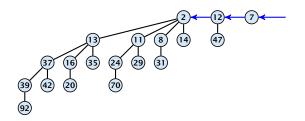
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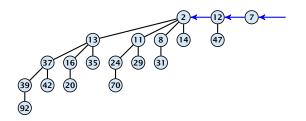
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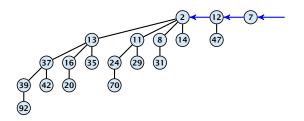
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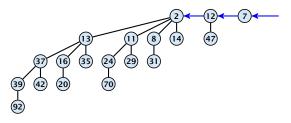
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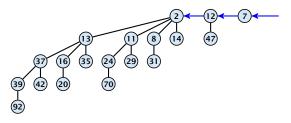


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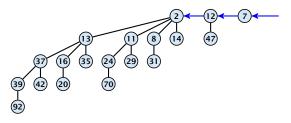


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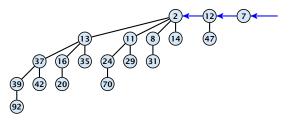


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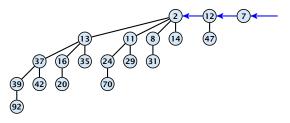


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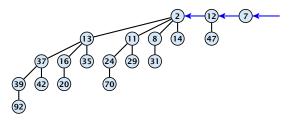


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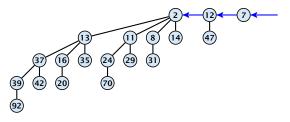


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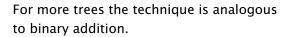
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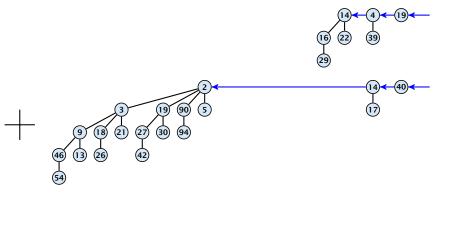
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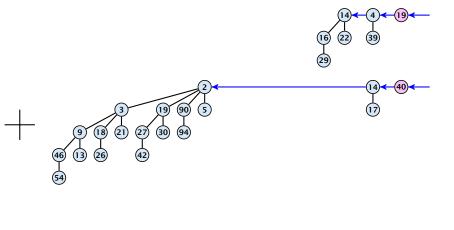
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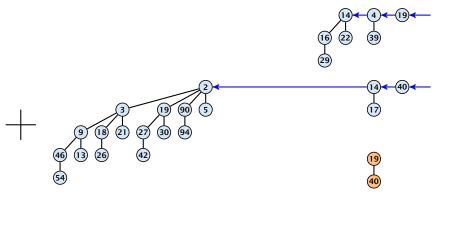




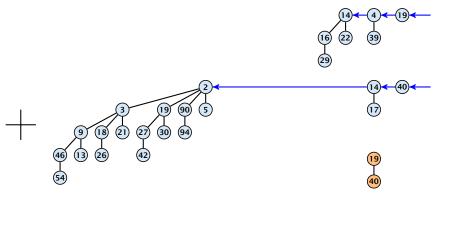
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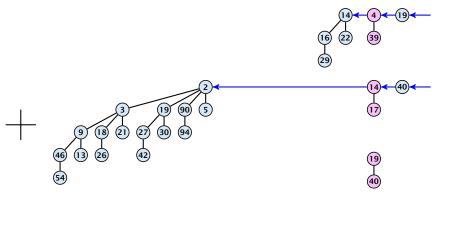
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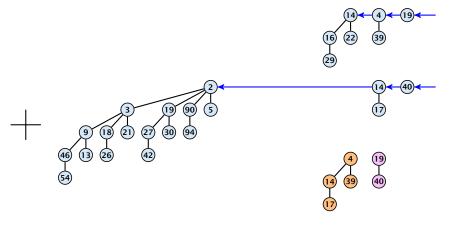
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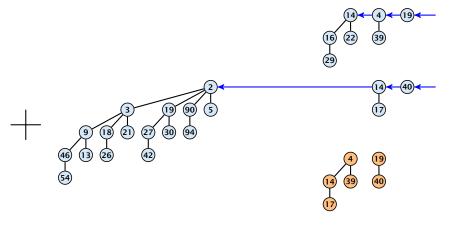




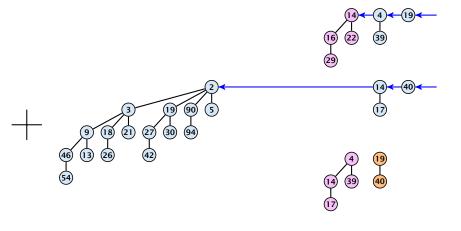




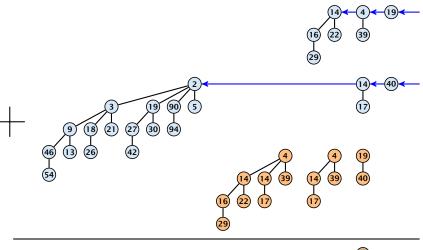




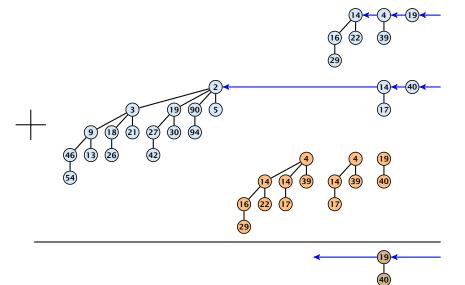


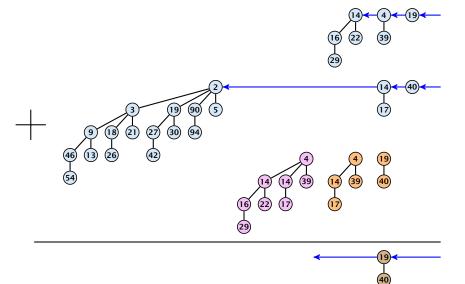


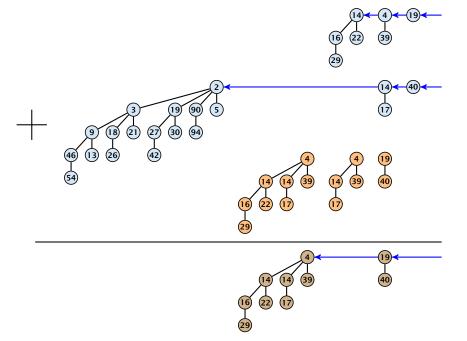


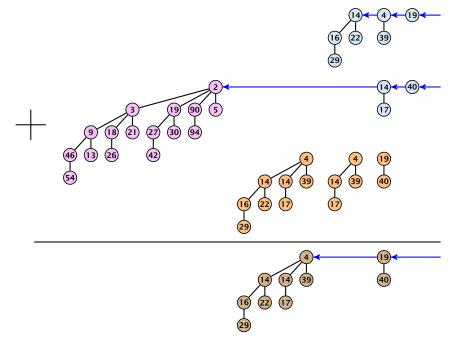


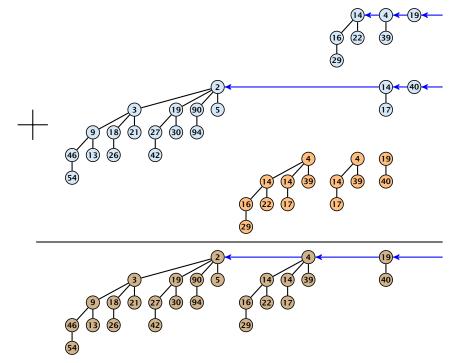


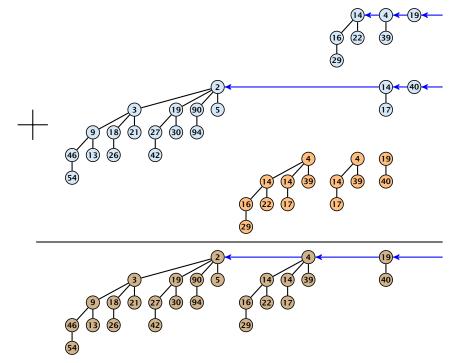












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# **Amortized Analysis**

### **Definition 34**

A data structure with operations  $op_1(), \ldots, op_k()$  has amortized running times  $t_1, \ldots, t_k$  for these operations if the following holds.

Suppose you are given a sequence of operations (starting with an empty data-structure) that operate on at most n elements, and let  $k_i$  denote the number of occurences of  $op_i()$  within this sequence. Then the actual running time must be at most  $\sum_i k_i \cdot t_i(n)$ .



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This means the amortized costs can be used to derive a bound on the total cost.



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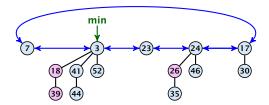
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Collection of trees that fulfill the heap property.

Structure is much more relaxed than binomial heaps.





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#### Additional implementation details:

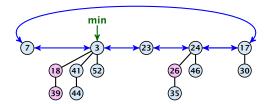
- Every node x stores its degree in a field x. degree. Note that this can be updated in constant time when adding a child to x.
- Every node stores a boolean value x.marked that specifies whether x is marked or not.



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#### The potential function:

- t(S) denotes the number of trees in the heap.
- m(S) denotes the number of marked nodes.
- We use the potential function  $\Phi(S) = t(S) + 2m(S)$ .



The potential is  $\Phi(S) = 5 + 2 \cdot 3 = 11$ .



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To make this more explicit we use *c* to denote the amount of work that a unit of potential can pay for.



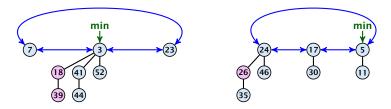
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#### S. minimum()

- Access through the min-pointer.
- ▶ Actual cost O(1).
- No change in potential.
- Amortized cost  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ .



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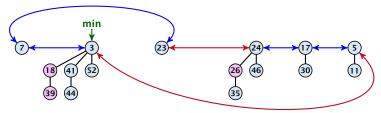




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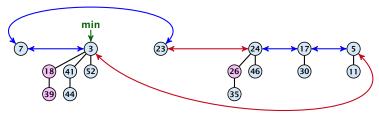
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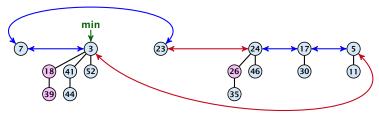


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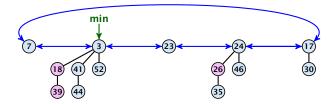
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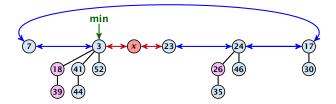




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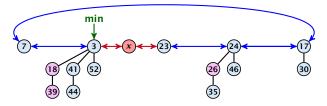




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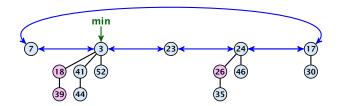
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- Amortized cost is c + O(1) = O(1).

S. delete-min(x)

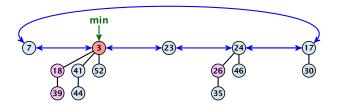




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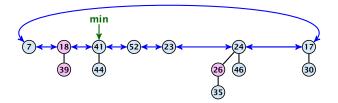




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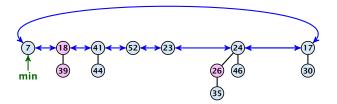




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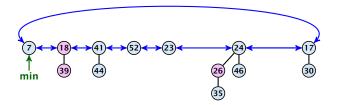




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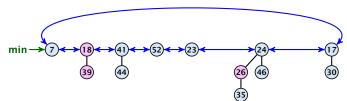
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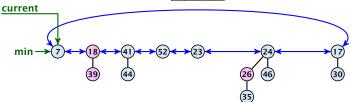




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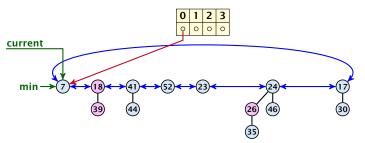




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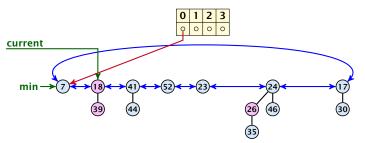
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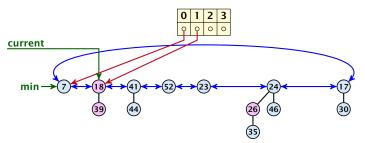
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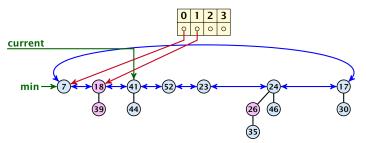
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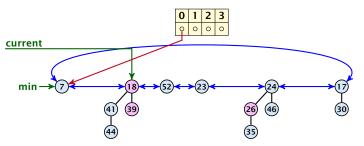
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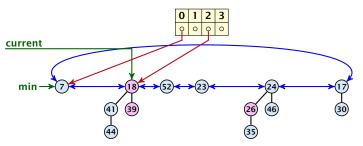
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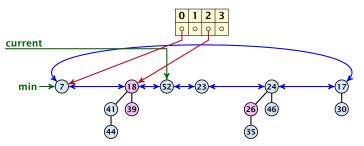
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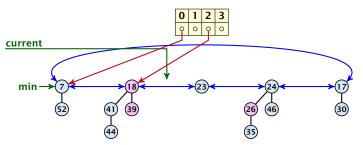
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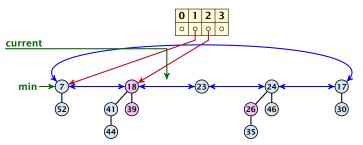




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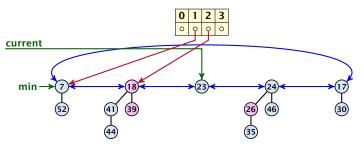




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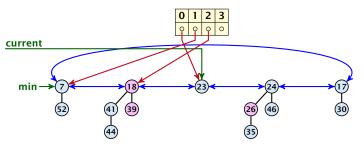
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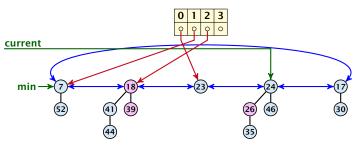




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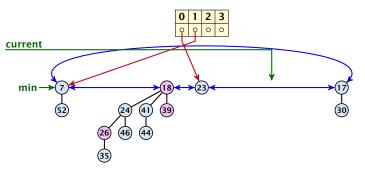




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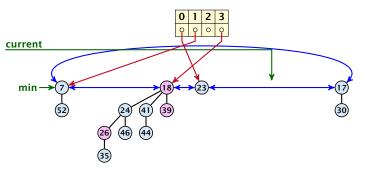




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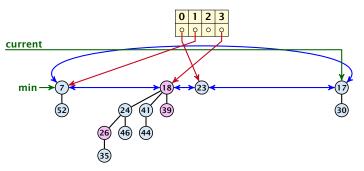
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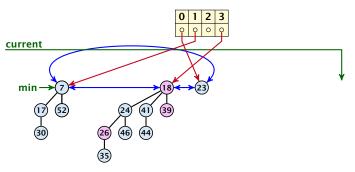




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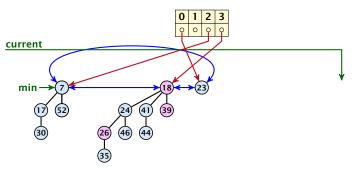




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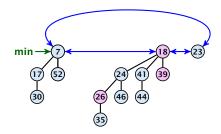
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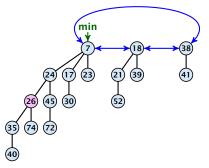
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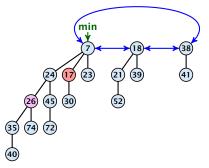




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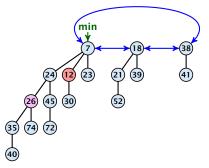




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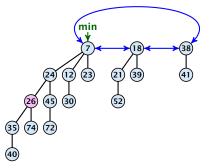




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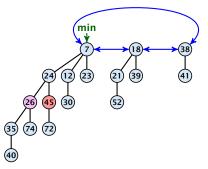




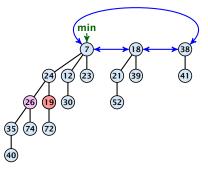
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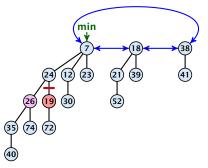




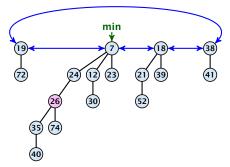
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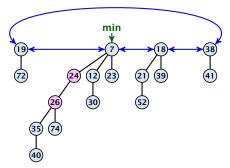
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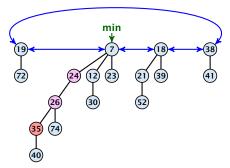
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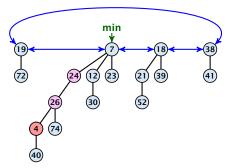
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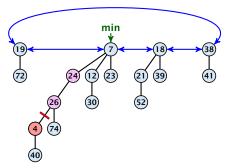
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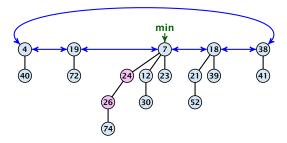
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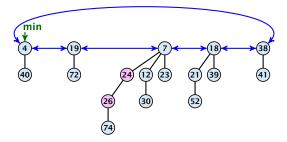
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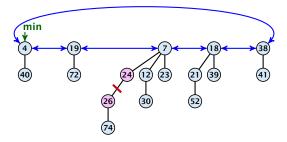
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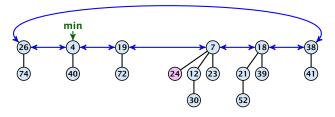
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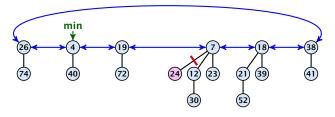
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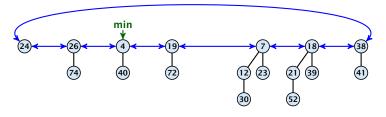
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## *H*.delete(*x*):

- decrease value of x to  $-\infty$ .
- delete-min.

## Amortized cost: $\mathcal{O}(D_n)$

- $\mathcal{O}(1)$  for decrease-key.
- $\mathcal{O}(Dn)$  for delete-min.



#### Lemma 35

Let x be a node with degree k and let  $y_1, \ldots, y_k$  denote the children of x in the order that they were linked to x. Then

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$$F_k = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } k = 0\\ 2 & \text{if } k = 1\\ F_{k-1} + F_{k-2} & \text{if } k \ge 2 \end{cases}$$

#### Facts:

1.  $F_k \ge \phi^k$ . 2. For  $k \ge 2$ :  $F_k = 2 + \sum_{i=0}^{k-2} F_i$ .

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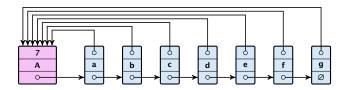


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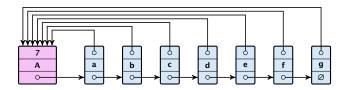
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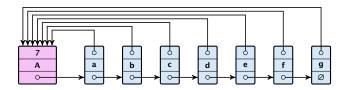


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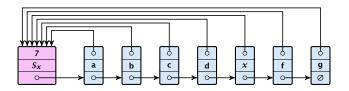
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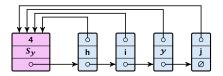
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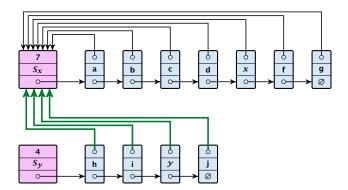






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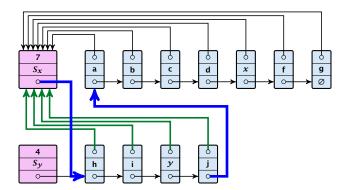
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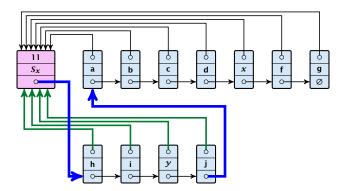
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#### **Running times:**

- ▶ find(*x*): constant
- makeset(x): constant
- union(x, y): O(n), where n denotes the number of elements contained in the set system.



#### Lemma 37

The list implementation for the ADT union find fulfills the following amortized time bounds:

- find(x):  $\mathcal{O}(1)$ .
- makeset(x):  $O(\log n)$ .
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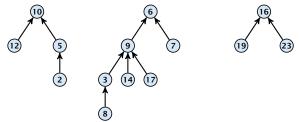
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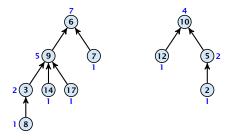
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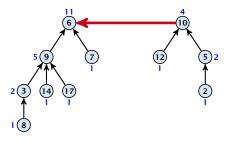




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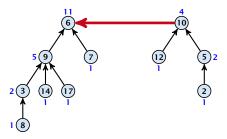




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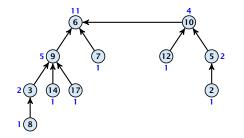


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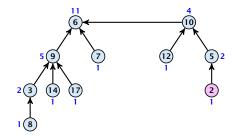


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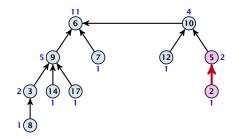


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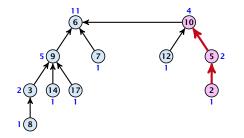


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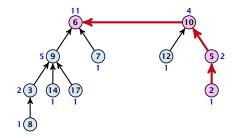


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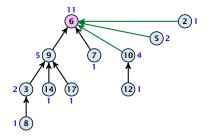


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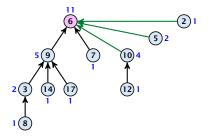


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#### **Dynamic Set Data Structure** *S*:

- S.insert(x)
- ► S.delete(x)
- $S.\operatorname{search}(x)$
- ► *S*.min()
- ► *S*.max()
- $S.\operatorname{succ}(x)$
- S.pred(x)



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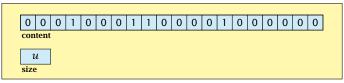
For this chapter we ignore the problem of storing satellite data:

- S. insert(x): Inserts x into S.
- ▶ *S*. delete(x): Deletes x from S. Usually assumes that  $x \in S$ .
- S. member(x): Returns 1 if  $x \in S$  and 0 otw.
- **S. min()**: Returns the value of the minimum element in *S*.
- **S. max():** Returns the value of the maximum element in *S*.
- S. succ(x): Returns successor of x in S. Returns null if x is maximum or larger than any element in S. Note that x needs not to be in S.
- S. pred(x): Returns the predecessor of x in S. Returns null if x is minimum or smaller than any element in S. Note that x needs not to be in S.

Can we improve the existing algorithms when the keys are from a restricted set?

In the following we assume that the keys are from  $\{0, 1, \ldots, u-1\}$ , where u denotes the size of the universe.





#### one array of u bits

Use an array that encodes the indicator function of the dynamic set.



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**Algorithm 21** array.insert(*x*)

1: content[x]  $\leftarrow$  1:

Algorithm 22 array.delete(x) 1: content[x]  $\leftarrow$  0;

**Algorithm 23** array.member(*x*)

1: **return** content[*x*];

- Note that we assume that x is valid, i.e., it falls within the array boundaries.
- Obviously(?) the running time is constant. ►

#### Algorithm 24 array.max()

- 1: for  $(i = size 1; i \ge 0; i--)$  do
- 2: **if** content[i] = 1 **then return** i;
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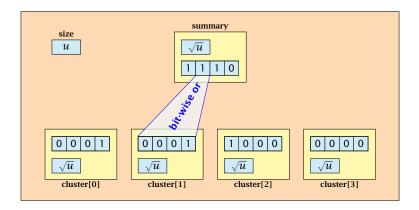


**Algorithm 26** array.succ(*x*)

- for (i = x + 1; i < size; i++) do</li>
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- Algorithm 27 array.pred(x)1: for  $(i = x 1; i \ge 0; i -)$  do2: if content[i] = 1 then return i;3: return null;
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- $\sqrt{u}$  cluster-arrays of  $\sqrt{u}$  bits.
- One summary-array of  $\sqrt{u}$  bits. The *i*-th bit in the summary array stores the bit-wise or of the bits in the *i*-th cluster.

The bit for a key x is contained in cluster number  $\left\lfloor \frac{x}{\sqrt{u}} \right\rfloor$ .

Within the cluster-array the bit is at position  $x \mod \sqrt{u}$ .

For simplicity we assume that  $u = 2^{2k}$  for some  $k \ge 1$ . Then we can compute the cluster-number for an entry x as high(x) (the upper half of the dual representation of x) and the position of x within its cluster as low(x) (the lower half of the dual representation).



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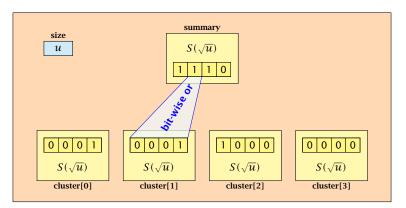
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Instead of using sub-arrays, we build a recursive data-structure.

S(u) is a dynamic set data-structure representing u bits:





We assume that  $u = 2^{2^k}$  for some k.

The data-structure S(2) is defined as an array of 2-bits (end of the recursion).



The code from Implementation 2 can be used unchanged. We only need to redo the analysis of the running time.

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#### **Algorithm 36** insert(x)

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Algorithm 37 delete(x)

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- 2: **if** cluster[high(x)].min() = null **then**
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• 
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#### Algorithm 38 min()

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Using Master theorem gives  $X(\ell) = O(\log \ell)$ , and hence  $T_{\text{mem}}(u) = O(\log \log u)$ .

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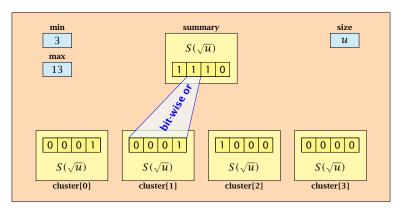


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Algorithm 40 max()

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Algorithm 41 min()

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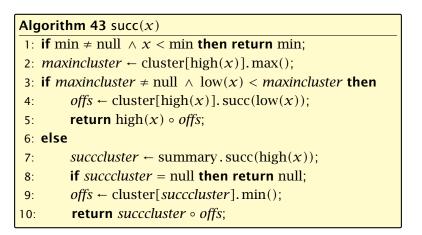
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#### Algorithm 42 member(*x*)

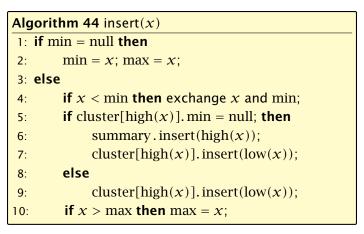
- 1: **if**  $x = \min$  **then return** 1; // TRUE
- 2: return cluster[high(x)].member(low(x));

• 
$$T_{\text{mem}}(u) = T_{\text{mem}}(\sqrt{u}) + 1 \Longrightarrow T(u) = \mathcal{O}(\log \log u).$$





•  $T_{\text{succ}}(u) = T_{\text{succ}}(\sqrt{u}) + 1 \Longrightarrow T_{\text{succ}}(u) = \mathcal{O}(\log \log u).$ 



•  $T_{\text{ins}}(u) = T_{\text{ins}}(\sqrt{u}) + 1 \Longrightarrow T_{\text{ins}}(u) = \mathcal{O}(\log \log u).$ 

Note that the recusive call in Line 7 takes constant time as the if-condition in Line 5 ensures that we are inserting in an empty sub-tree.

The only non-constant recursive calls are the call in Line 6 and in Line 9. These are mutually exclusive, i.e., only one of these calls will actually occur.

From this we get that  $T_{ins}(u) = T_{ins}(\sqrt{u}) + 1$ .



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Algorithm 45 delete( <i>x</i> )		
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2: $\min = \operatorname{null}; \max = \operatorname{null};$		
3: else		
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14:	if $summax = null$ then max $\leftarrow min$ ;	
15:	else	
16:	offs $\leftarrow$ cluster[summax].max();	
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Note that only one of the possible recusive calls in Line 9 and Line 11 in the deletion-algorithm may take non-constant time.

To see this observe that the call in Line 11 only occurs if the cluster where x was deleted is now empty. But this means that the call in Line 9 deleted the last element in cluster[high(x)]. Such a call only takes constant time.

Hence, we get a recurrence of the form

$$T_{\text{del}}(u) = T_{\text{del}}(\sqrt{u}) + c$$
.

This gives  $T_{del}(u) = O(\log \log u)$ .

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#### Space requirements:

The space requirement fulfills the recurrence

$$S(u) = (\sqrt{u} + 1)S(\sqrt{u}) + \mathcal{O}(\sqrt{u}) .$$

- Note that we cannot solve this recurrence by the Master theorem as the branching factor is not constant.
- One can show by induction that the space requirement is S(u) = O(u). Exercise.

Let the "real" recurrence relation be

$$S(k^2) = (k+1)S(k) + c_1 \cdot k; S(4) = c_2$$

• Replacing S(k) by  $R(k) := S(k)/c_2$  gives the recurrence

$$R(k^2) = (k+1)R(k) + ck; R(4) = 1$$

where  $c = c_1/c_2 < 1$ .

- Now, we show  $R(k) \le k 2$  for squares  $k \ge 4$ .
  - Obviously, this holds for k = 4.
  - For  $k = \ell^2 > 4$  with  $\ell$  integral we have

$$R(k) = (1 + \ell)R(\ell) + c\ell$$
  
$$\leq (1 + \ell)(\ell - 2) + \ell \leq k - 2$$

• This shows that R(k) and, hence, S(k) grows linearly.

## Part IV

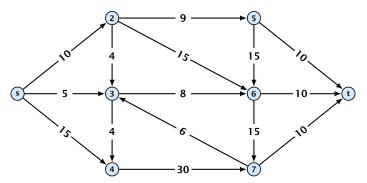
## **Flows and Cuts**



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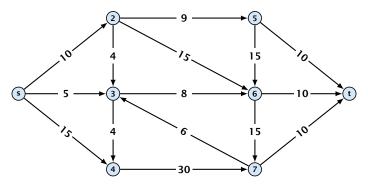
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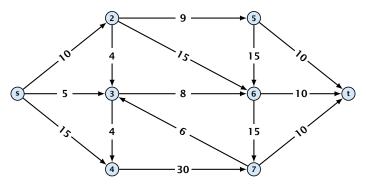
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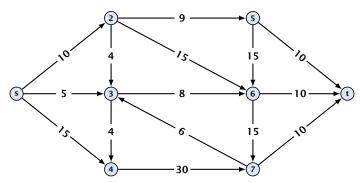
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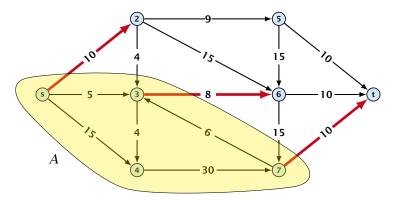
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# **Minimum Cut Problem:** Find an (s, t)-cut with minimum capacity.



#### Example 45



The capacity of the cut is  $cap(A, V \setminus A) = 28$ .



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#### **Definition 46**

An (s, t)-flow is a function  $f : E \mapsto \mathbb{R}^+$  that satisfies

1. For each edge *e* 

 $0 \leq f(e) \leq c(e)$  .

#### (capacity constraints)

**2.** For each  $v \in V \setminus \{s, t\}$ 



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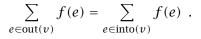
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$$\operatorname{val}(f) = \sum_{e \in \operatorname{out}(s)} f(e)$$
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**Maximum Flow Problem:** Find an (*s*, *t*)-flow with maximum value.



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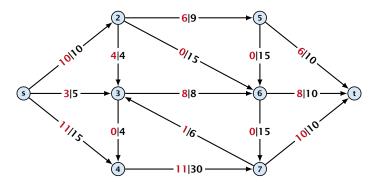
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#### Example 48



The value of the flow is val(f) = 24.



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#### Lemma 49 (Flow value lemma)

Let f a flow, and let  $A \subseteq V$  be an (s,t)-cut. Then the net-flow across the cut is equal to the amount of flow leaving s, i.e.,

$$\operatorname{val}(f) = \sum_{e \in \operatorname{out}(A)} f(e) - \sum_{e \in \operatorname{into}(A)} f(e)$$
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## $\operatorname{val}(f)$



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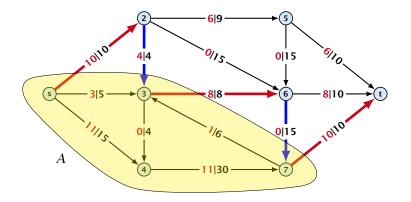
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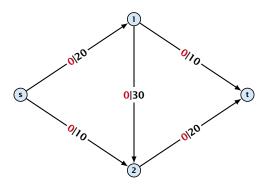
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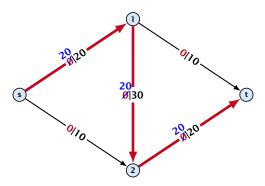


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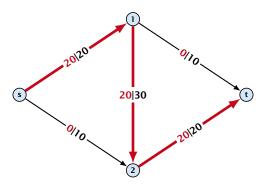




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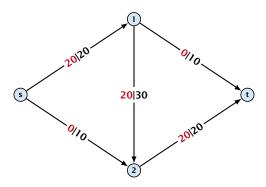


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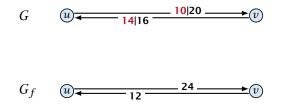
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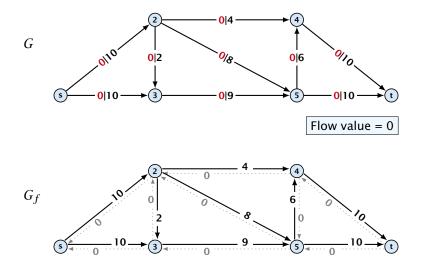
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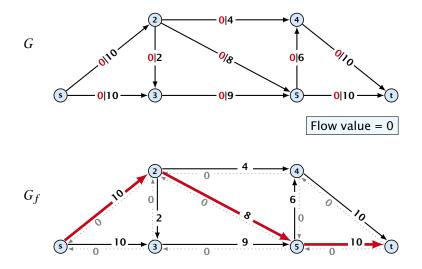


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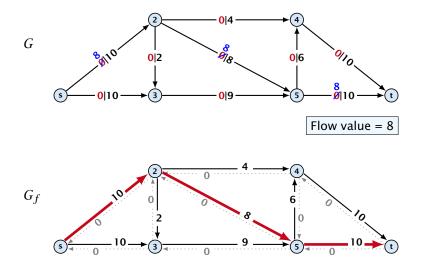
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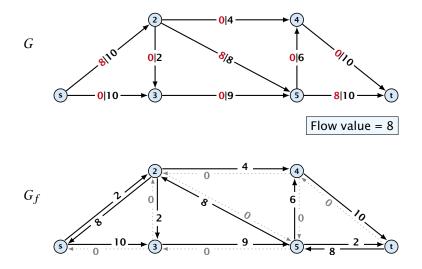
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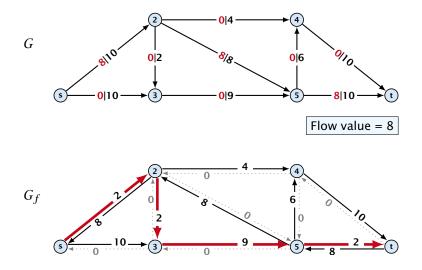
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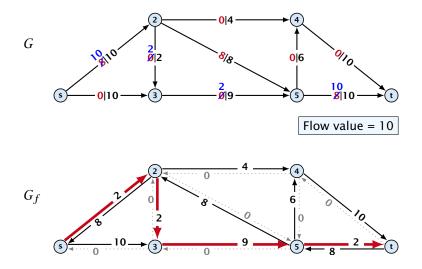
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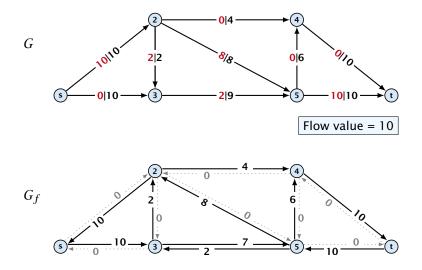
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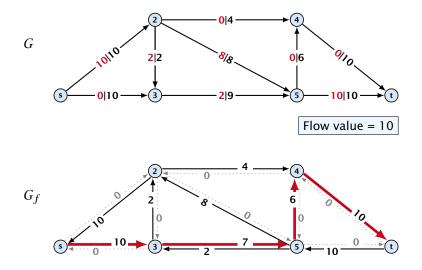
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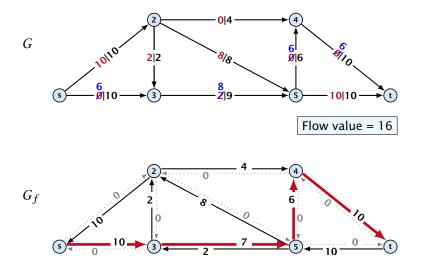
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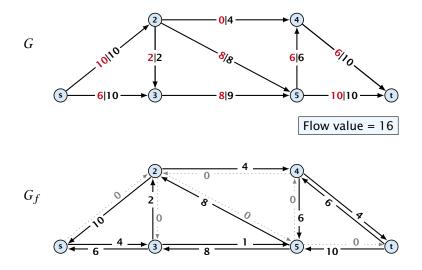
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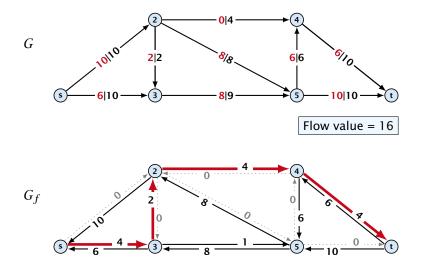
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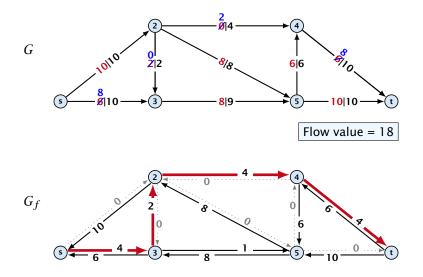
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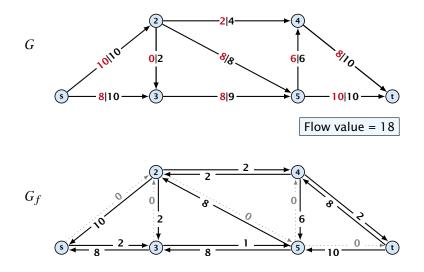
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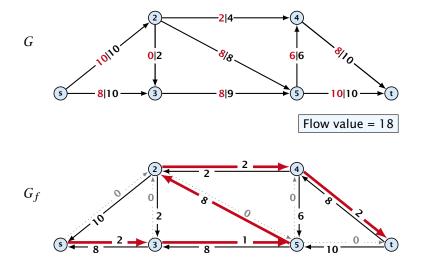


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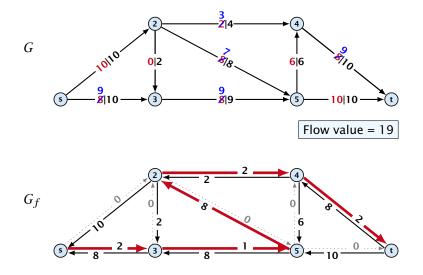
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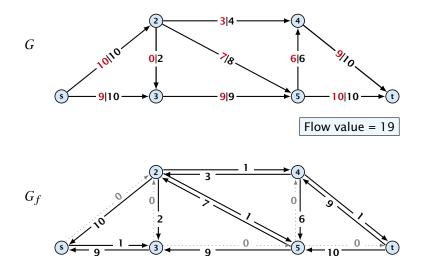
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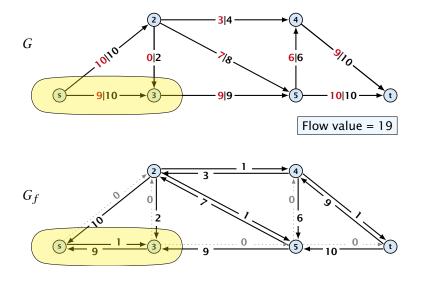
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Here the first equality uses the flow value lemma, and the second exploits the fact that the flow along incoming edges must be 0 as the residual graph does not have edges leaving A.

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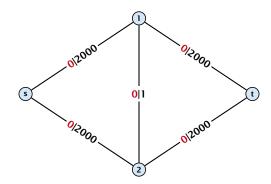
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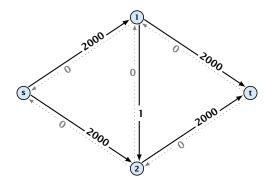




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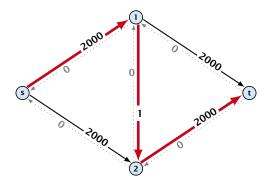
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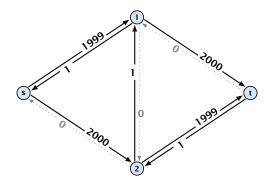
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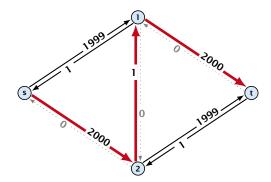
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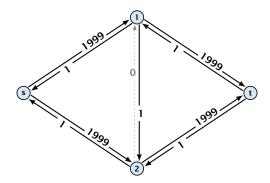
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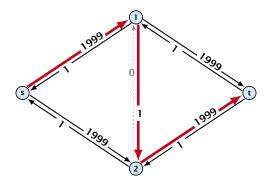
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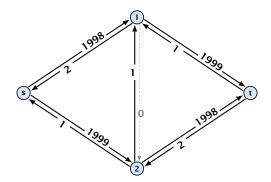
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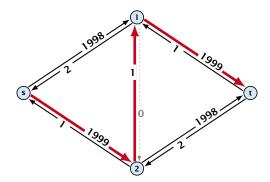
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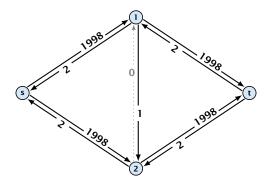
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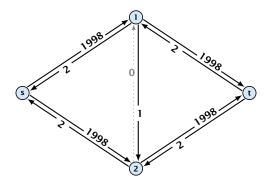
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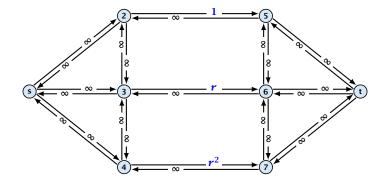
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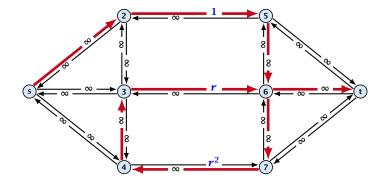




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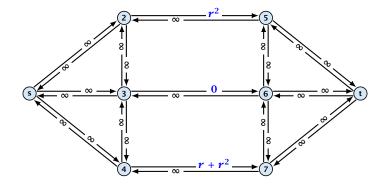




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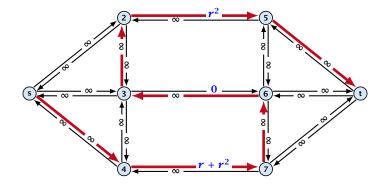




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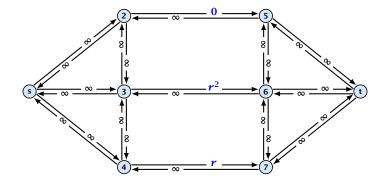




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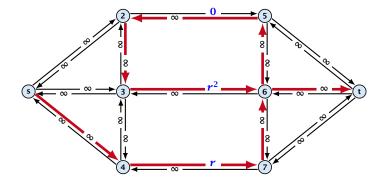




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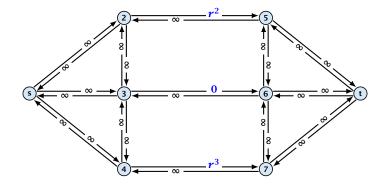




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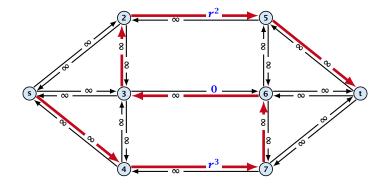




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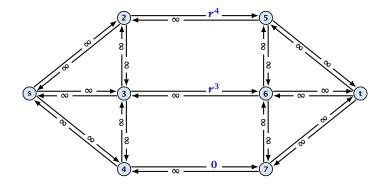




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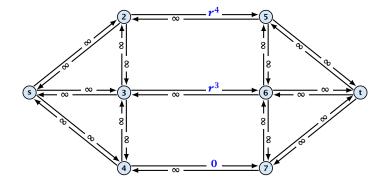




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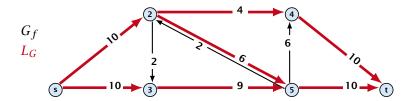
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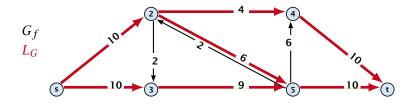
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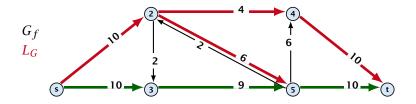


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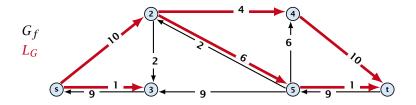


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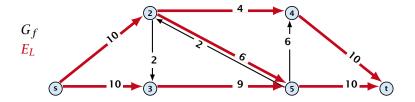
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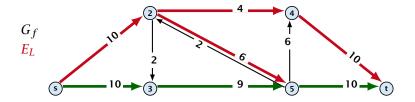


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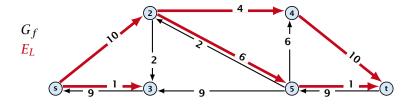


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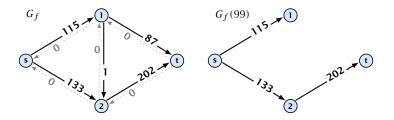


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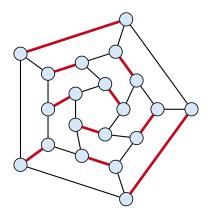
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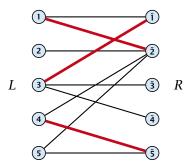
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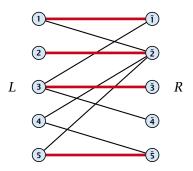
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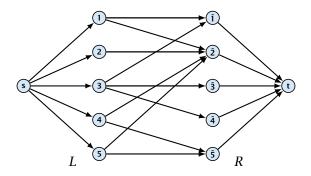
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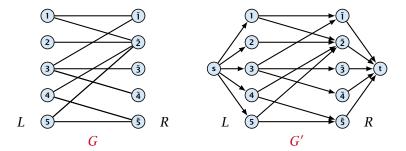
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- Add source *s* and connect it to all nodes on the left.
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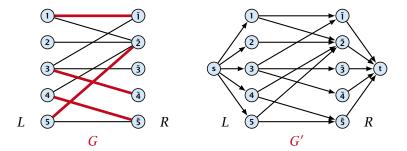
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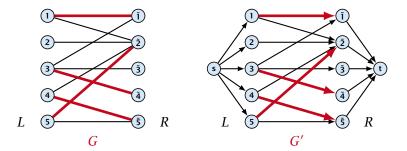
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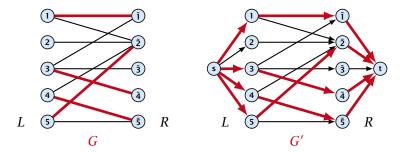
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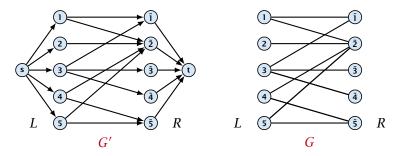
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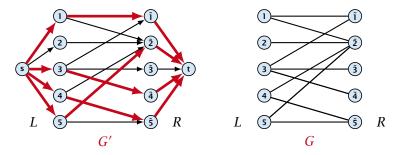
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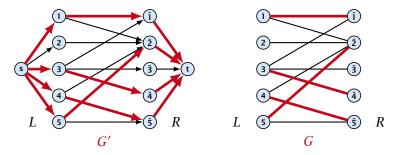


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#### Which flow algorithm to use?

- Generic augmenting path:  $\mathcal{O}(m \operatorname{val}(f^*)) = \mathcal{O}(mn)$ .
- Capacity scaling:  $\mathcal{O}(m^2 \log C) = \mathcal{O}(m^2)$ .



# **Baseball Elimination**

team	wins	losses	remaining games			
i	$w_i$	$\ell_i$	Atl	Phi	NY	Mon
Atlanta	83	71	-	1	6	1
Philadelphia	80	79	1	-	0	2
New York	78	78	6	0	_	0
Montreal	77	82	1	2	0	-

#### Which team can end the season with most wins?

- Montreal is eliminated, since even after winning all remaining games there are only 80 wins.
- But also Philadelphia is eliminated. Why?



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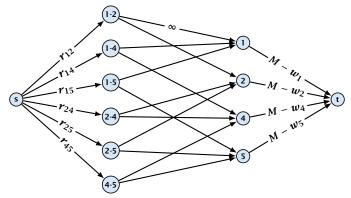
#### Formal definition of the problem:

- Given a set S of teams, and one specific team  $z \in S$ .
- Team x has already won  $w_x$  games.
- Team x still has to play team y,  $r_{xy}$  times.
- Does team z still have a chance to finish with the most number of wins.



### **Baseball Elimination**

Flow network for z = 3. *M* is number of wins Team 3 can still obtain.



**Idea.** Distribute the results of remaining games in such a way that no team gets too many wins.

13.2 Baseball Elimination

## **Certificate of Elimination**

Let  $T \subseteq S$  be a subset of teams. Define

$$w(T) := \sum_{i \in T} w_i, \qquad r(T) := \sum_{i,j \in T, i < j} r_{ij}$$
  
wins of  
teams in T remaining games  
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If  $\frac{w(T)+r(T)}{|T|} > M$  then one of the teams in T will have more than M wins in the end. A team that can win at most M games is therefore eliminated.



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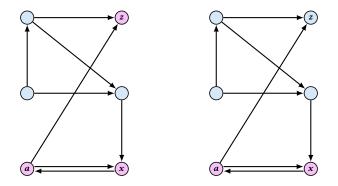
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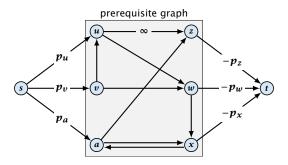


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## Mincut formulation:

- Edges in the prerequisite graph get infinite capacity.
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- Create edge (v, t) with capacity -pv for nodes v with negative profit.





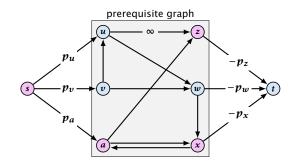
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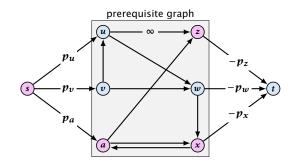
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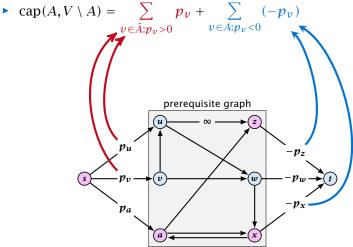
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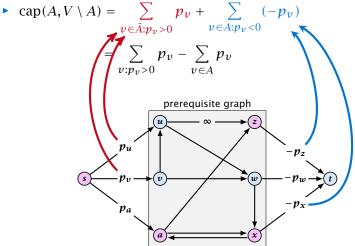
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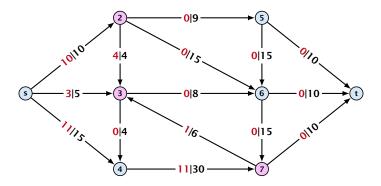
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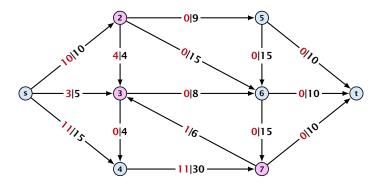




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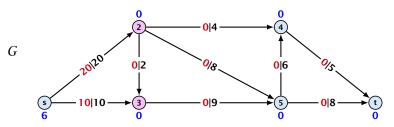
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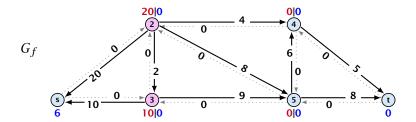
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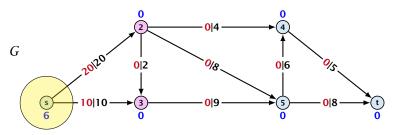


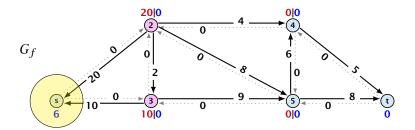




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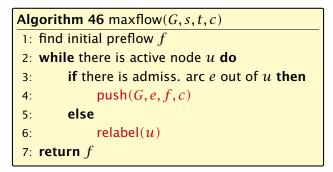
We want to send flow downwards, since the source has a height/label of n and the target a height/label of 0. If we see an active node u with an admissible arc we push the flow at u towards the other end-point that has a lower height/label. If we do not have an admissible arc but excess flow into u it should roughly mean that the level/height/label of u should rise. (If we consider the flow to be water than this would be natural).

Note that the above intuition is very incorrect as the labels are integral, i.e., they cannot really be seen as the height of a node.

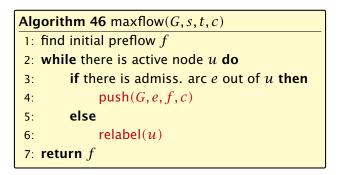


# Reminder

- In a preflow nodes may not fulfill conserveration constraints but a node may have more incoming flow than outgoing flow.
- Such a node is called active.
- ► A labelling is valid if for every edge (u, v) in the residual graph  $\ell(u) \leq \ell(v) + 1$ .
- An arc (u, v) in residual graph is admissable if  $\ell(u) = \ell(v) + 1$ .
- A saturation push along e pushes an amount of c(e) flow along the edge, thereby saturating the edge (and making it dissappear from the residual graph).
- A non-saturating push along e = (u, v) pushes a flow of f(u), where f(u) is the excess flow of u. This makes u inactive.

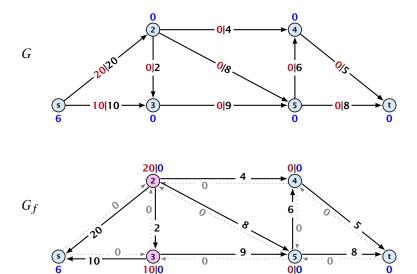






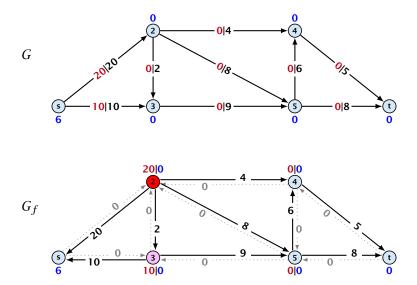
In the following example we always stick to the same active node u until it becomes inactive but this is not required.







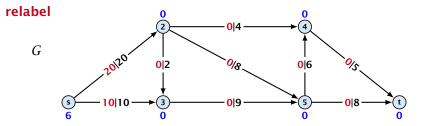
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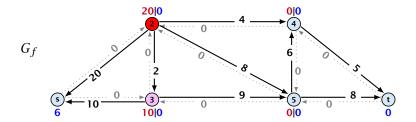




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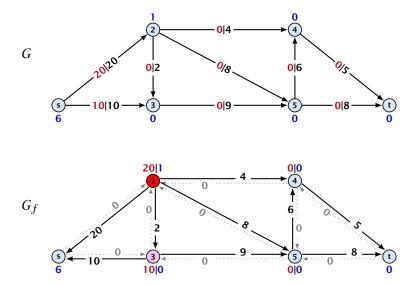






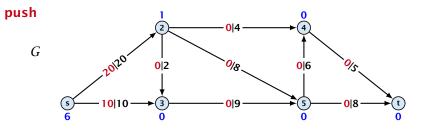
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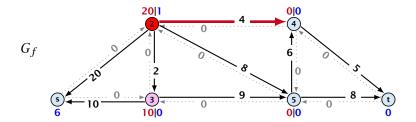
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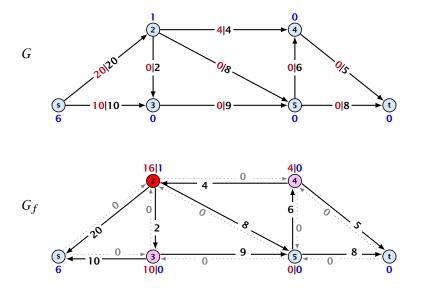
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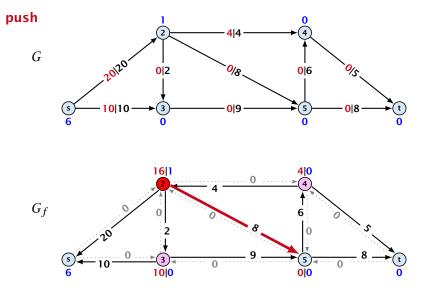


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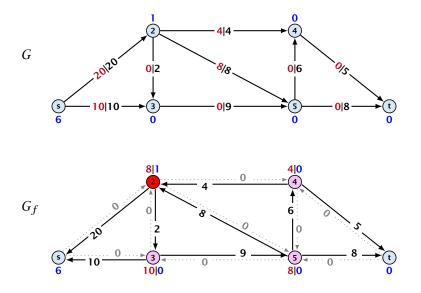


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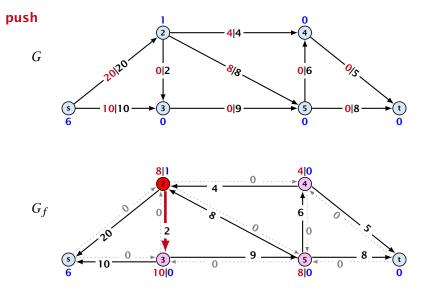
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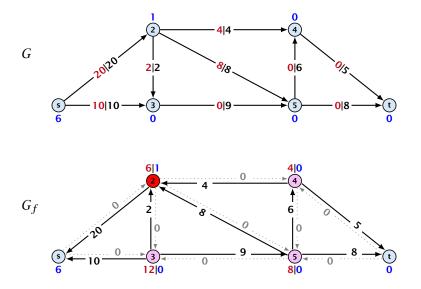
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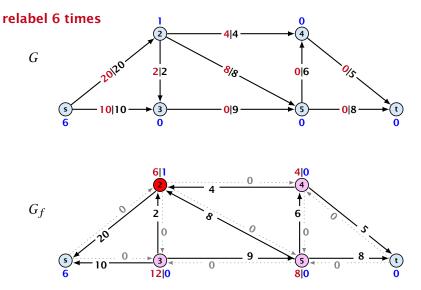
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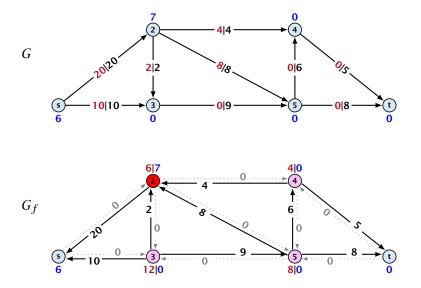


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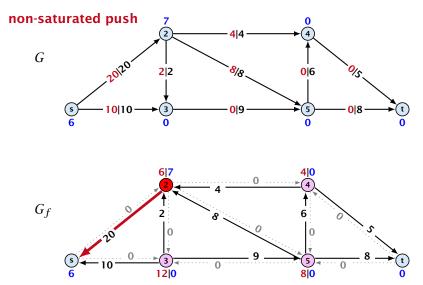


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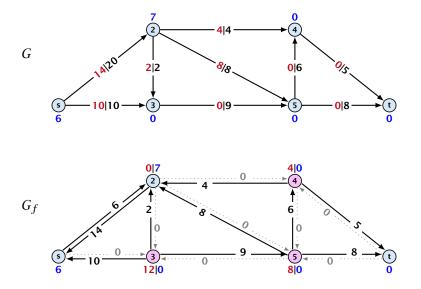
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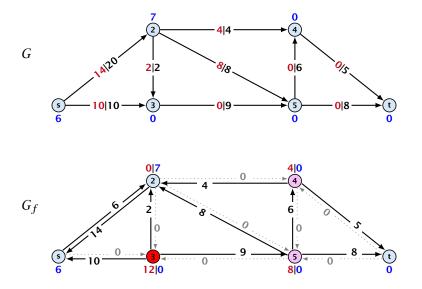
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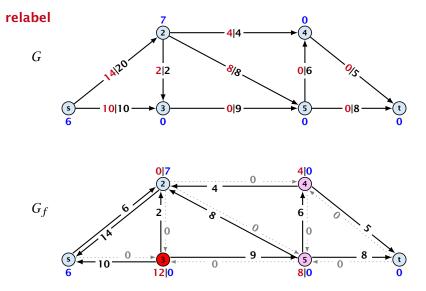
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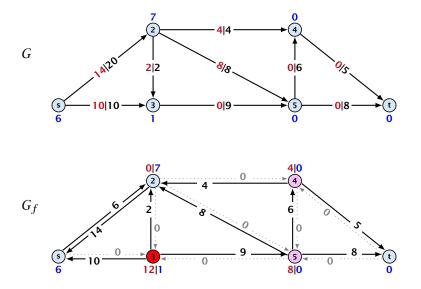
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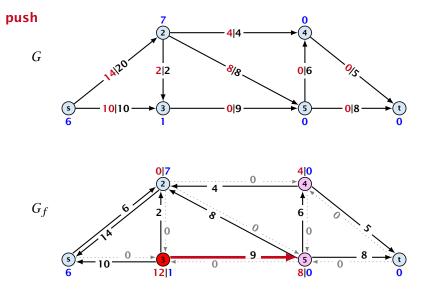
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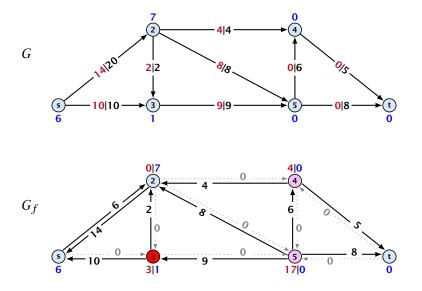
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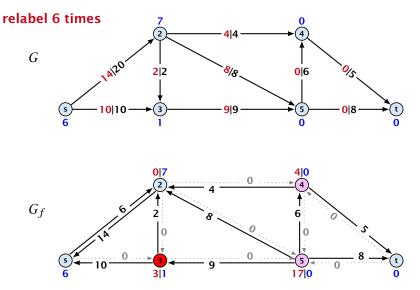
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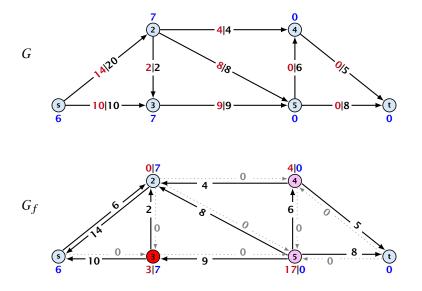


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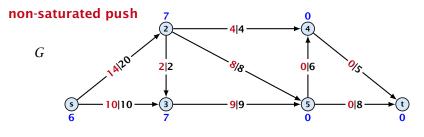


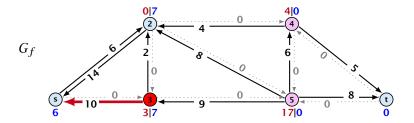
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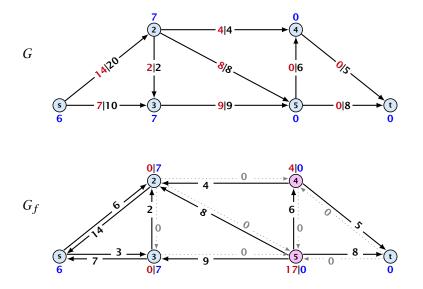






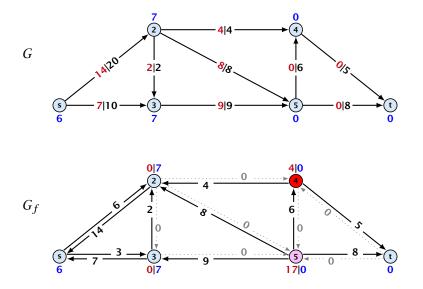
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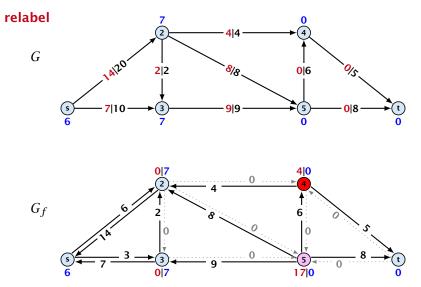


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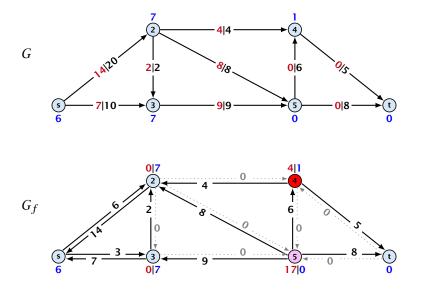


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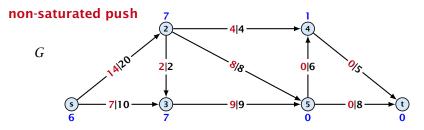


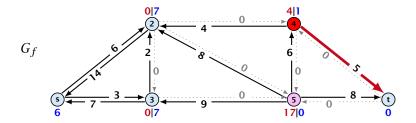
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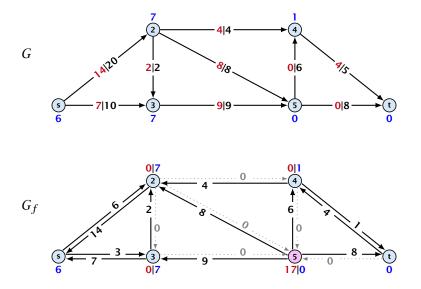






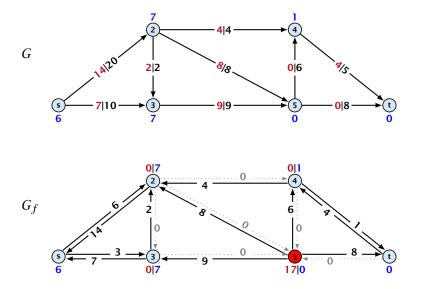
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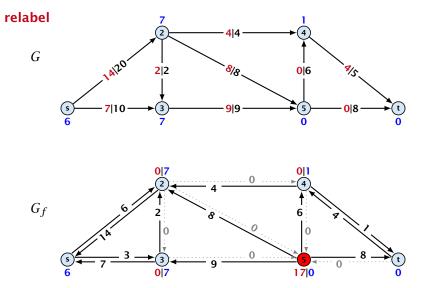


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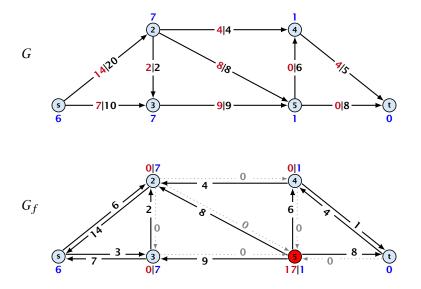


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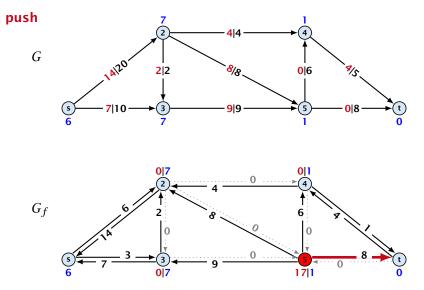


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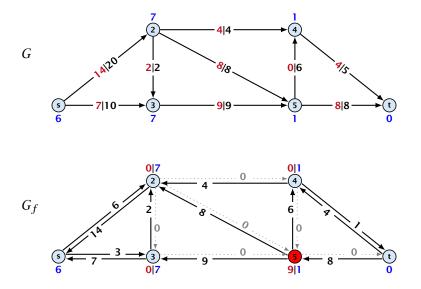


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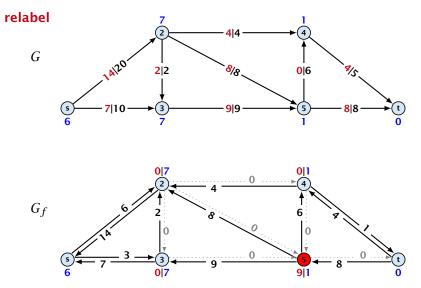
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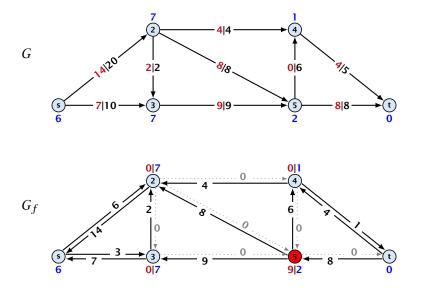
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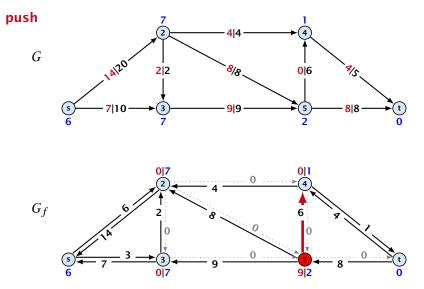
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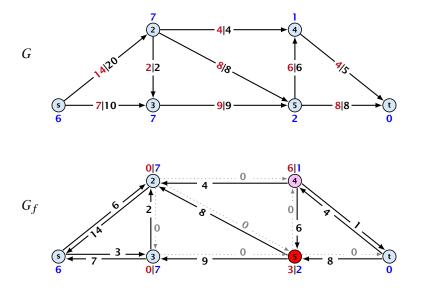


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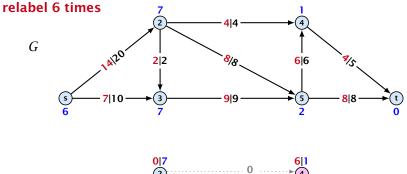
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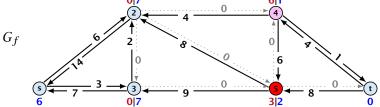




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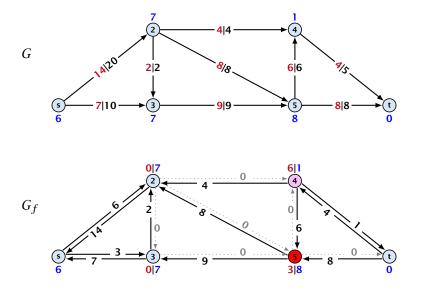






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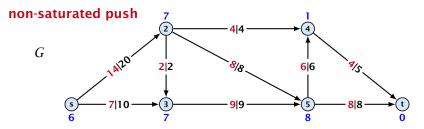
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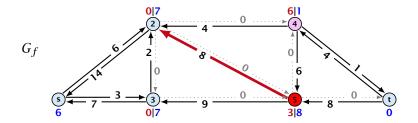




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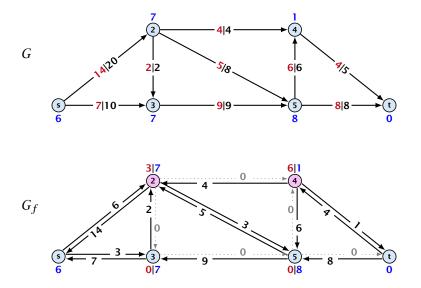






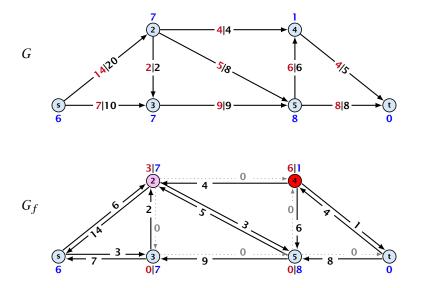
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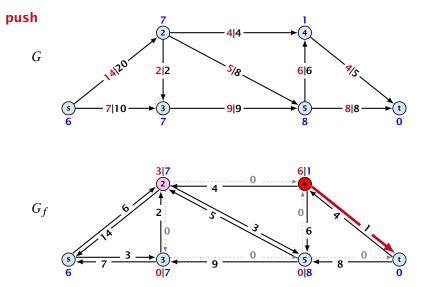


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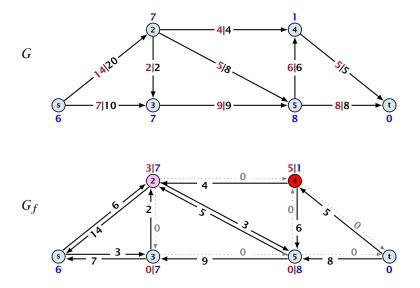


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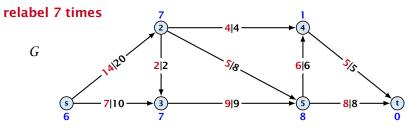


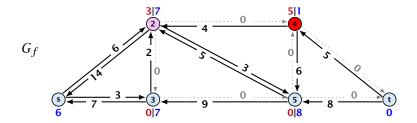
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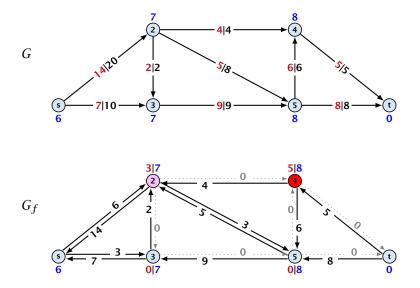






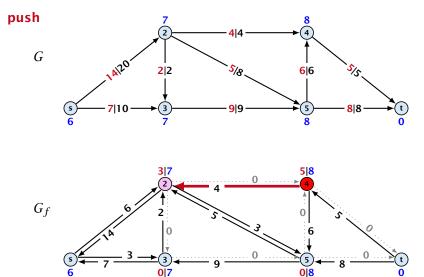
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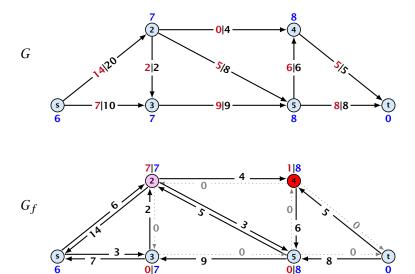


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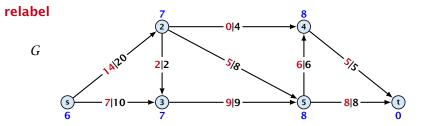
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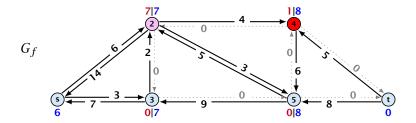




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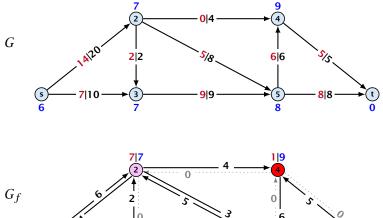


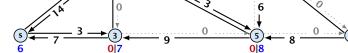




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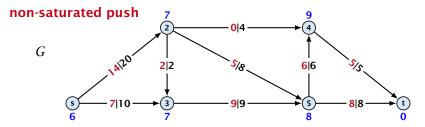


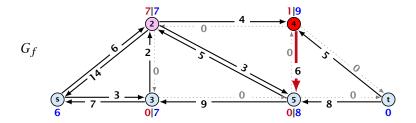




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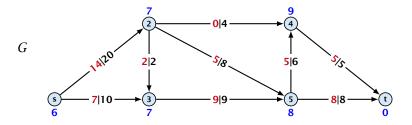


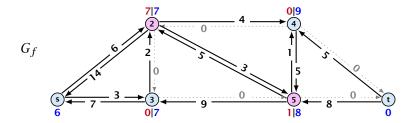




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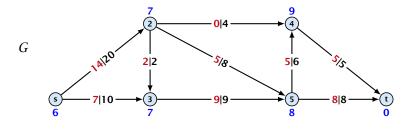


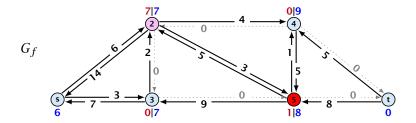




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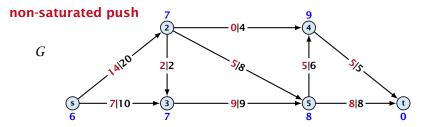


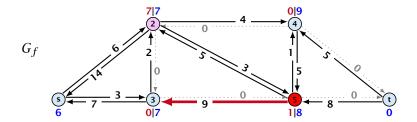




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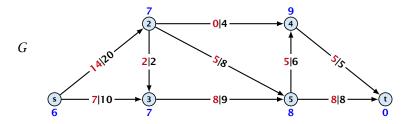


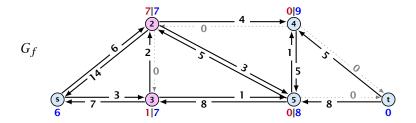




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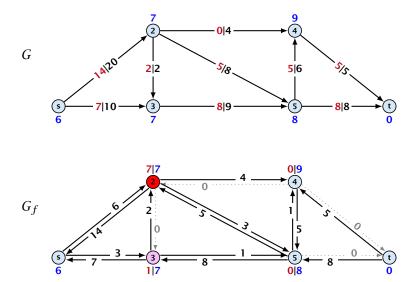






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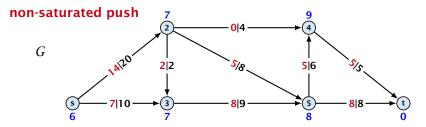
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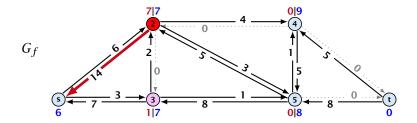




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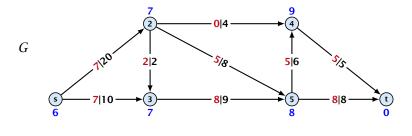


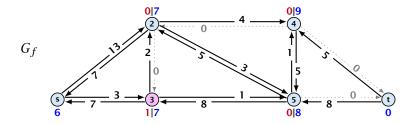




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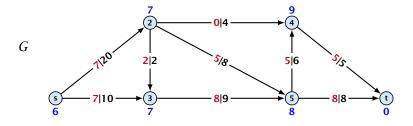


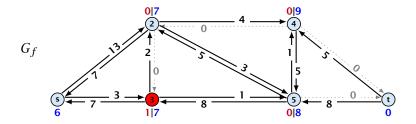




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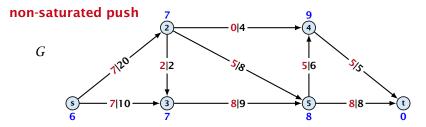


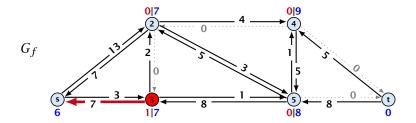




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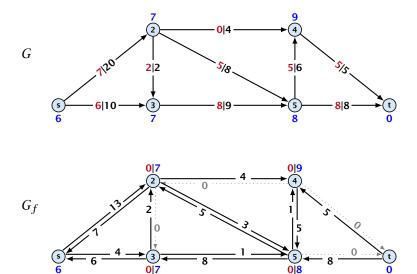






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Hence, the excess flow f(b) must be 0 for every node  $b \in B$ .

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- Hence,

#non-saturating\_pushes  $\leq$  #relabels +  $2n \cdot$  #saturating\_pushes  $\leq O(n^2m)$ .

#### Theorem 77

# There is an implementation of the generic push relabel algorithm with running time $O(n^2m)$ .



14.1 Generic Push Relabel

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For special variants of push relabel algorithms we organize the neighbours of a node into a linked list (possible neighbours in the residual graph  $G_f$ ). Then we use the discharge-operation:

<b>Igorithm 47</b> discharge( <i>u</i> )
: <b>while</b> <i>u</i> is active <b>do</b>
$v \leftarrow u.current-neighbour$
if $v = \text{null then}$
t: relabel(u)
$u.current-neighbour \leftarrow u.neighbour-list-head$
5: else
if $(u, v)$ admissable then push $(u, v)$
else u.current-neighbour $\leftarrow v.next-in-list$

Note that *u.current-neighbour* is a global variable. It is only changed within the discharge routine, but keeps its value between consecutive calls to discharge.

If v = null in Line 3, then there is no outgoing admissable edge from u.

#### Proof.

- While pushing from u the current-neighbour pointer is only advanced if the current edge is not admissable.
- The only thing that could make the edge admissable again would be a relabel at u.
- If we reach the end of the list (v = null) all edges are not admissable.

This shows that discharge(u) is correct, and that we can perform a relabel in line 4.

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Algorithm 50 relabel-to-front(G, s, t)
1: initialize preflow
2: initialize node list L containing V \setminus \{s, t\} in any order
3: foreach u \in V \setminus \{s, t\} do
        u.current-neighbour \leftarrow u.neighbour-list-head
4.
5: u \leftarrow L.head
6: while \mu \neq null do
         old-height \leftarrow \ell(u)
7:
8:
         discharge(u)
         if \ell(u) > old-height then // relabel happened
9:
               move u to the front of L
10:
         u \leftarrow u.next
11:
```



#### Lemma 79 (Invariant)

*In Line 6 of the relabel-to-front algorithm the following invariant holds.* 

- 1. The sequence L is topologically sorted w.r.t. the set of admissable edges; this means for an admissable edge (x, y) the node x appears before y in sequence L.
- **2.** No node before u in the list L is active.

#### **Proof:**

- Initialization:
  - 1. In the beginning s has label  $n \ge 2$ , and all other nodes have label 0. Hence, no edge is admissable, which means that any ordering L is permitted.
  - 2. We start with u being the head of the list; hence no node before u can be active
- Maintenance:
  - Pushes do no create any new admissable edges. Therefore, if discharge() does not relabel u, L is still topologically sorted.
    - After relabeling, u cannot have admissable incoming edges as such an edge (x, u) would have had a difference  $\ell(x) - \ell(u) \ge 2$  before the re-labeling (such edges do not exist in the residual graph).

Hence, moving u to the front does not violate the sorting property for any edge; however it fixes this property for all admissable edges leaving u that were generated by the relabeling.

## Proof:

- Maintenance:
  - If we do a relabel there is nothing to prove because the only node before u' (u in the next iteration) will be the current u; the discharge(u) operation only terminates when u is not active anymore.

For the case that we do not relabel, observe that the only way a predecessor could be active is that we push flow to it via an admissable arc. However, all admissable arc point to successors of u.

Note that the invariant means that for u = null we have a preflow with a valid labelling that does not have active nodes. This means we have a maximum flow.

#### Lemma 80

There are at most  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$  calls to discharge(u).

Every discharge operation without a relabel advances u (the current node within list L). Hence, if we have n discharge operations without a relabel we have u = null and the algorithm terminates.

Therefore, the number of calls to discharge is at most  $n(\#relabels + 1) = O(n^3)$ .



#### Lemma 81

The cost for all relabel-operations is only  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$ .

A relabel-operation at a node is constant time (increasing the label and resetting *u.current-neighbour*). In total we have  $O(n^2)$  relabel-operations.



Note that by definition a saturing push operation  $(\min\{c_f(e), f(u)\} = c_f(e))$  can at the same time be a non-saturating push operation  $(\min\{c_f(e), f(u)\} = f(u))$ .

#### Lemma 82

The cost for all saturating push-operations that are **not** also non-saturating push-operations is only O(mn).

Note that such a push-operation leaves the node u active but makes the edge e disappear from the residual graph. Therefore the push-operation is immediately followed by an increase of the pointer u.current-neighbour.

This pointer can traverse the neighbour-list at most O(n) times (upper bound on number of relabels) and the neighbour-list has only degree(u) + 1 many entries (+1 for null-entry).



#### Lemma 83

The cost for all non-saturating push-operations is only  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$ .

A non-saturating push-operation takes constant time and ends the current call to discharge(). Hence, there are only  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$  such operations.

#### **Theorem 84**

The push-relabel algorithm with the rule relabel-to-front takes time  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$ .



#### **Algorithm 50** highest-label(*G*, *s*, *t*)

1: initialize preflow

2: foreach 
$$u \in V \setminus \{s, t\}$$
 do

3: *u.current-neighbour* ← *u.neighbour-list-head* 

#### 4: while $\exists$ active node u do

5: select active node *u* with highest label

6: discharge(u)



14.3 Highest label

#### Lemma 85

When using highest label the number of non-saturating pushes is only  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$ .

A push from a node on level  $\ell$  can only "activate" nodes on levels strictly less than  $\ell$ .

This means, after a non-saturating push from u a relabel is required to make u active again.

Hence, after n non-saturating pushes without an intermediate relabel there are no active nodes left.

Therefore, the number of non-saturating pushes is at most  $n(\#relabels + 1) = O(n^3)$ .

Since a discharge-operation is terminated by a non-saturating push this gives an upper bound of  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$  on the number of discharge-operations.

The cost for relabels and saturating pushes can be estimated in exactly the same way as in the case of the generic push-relabel algorithm.

#### Question:

How do we find the next node for a discharge operation?



14.3 Highest label

Maintain lists  $L_i$ ,  $i \in \{0, ..., 2n\}$ , where list  $L_i$  contains active nodes with label i (maintaining these lists induces only constant additional cost for every push-operation and for every relabel-operation).

After a discharge operation terminated for a node u with label k, traverse the lists  $L_k, L_{k-1}, \ldots, L_0$ , (in that order) until you find a non-empty list.

Unless the last (non-saturating) push was to s or t the list k - 1 must be non-empty (i.e., the search takes constant time).



Hence, the total time required for searching for active nodes is at most

 $\mathcal{O}(n^3) + n(\# non-saturating-pushes-to-s-or-t)$ 

#### Lemma 86

The number of non-saturating pushes to s or t is at most  $O(n^2)$ .

With this lemma we get

### Theorem 87

The push-relabel algorithm with the rule highest-label takes time  $\mathcal{O}(n^3)$ .



14.3 Highest label

#### Proof of the Lemma.

- ► We only show that the number of pushes to the source is at most O(n<sup>2</sup>). A similar argument holds for the target.
- After a node v (which must have ℓ(v) = n + 1) made a non-saturating push to the source there needs to be another node whose label is increased from ≤ n + 1 to n + 2 before v can become active again.
- This happens for every push that v makes to the source. Since, every node can pass the threshold n + 2 at most once, v can make at most n pushes to the source.
- As this holds for every node the total number of pushes to the source is at most  $\mathcal{O}(n^2)$ .



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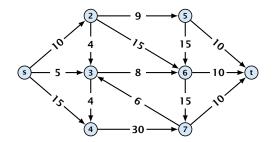
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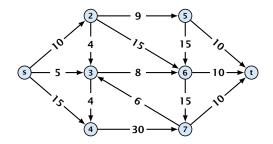
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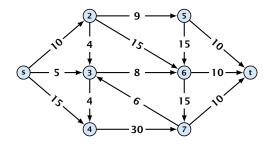


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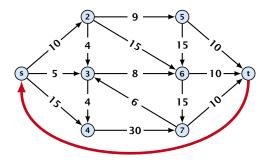
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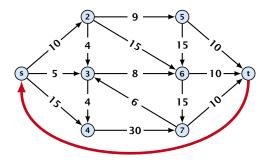


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# Generalization

### Differences

- Flow along an edge e may have non-zero lower bound  $\ell(e)$ .
- Flow along e may have negative upper bound u(e).
- The demand at a node v may have lower bound a(v) and upper bound b(v) instead of just lower bound = upper bound = b(v).

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Add new node r:

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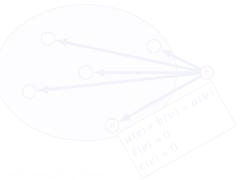
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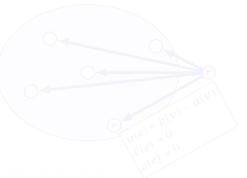
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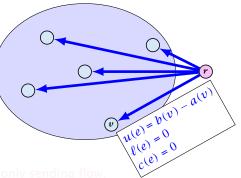
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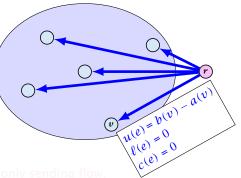
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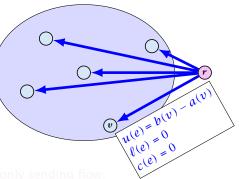
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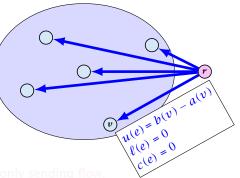
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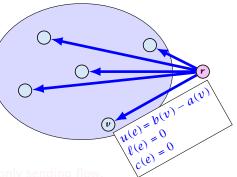
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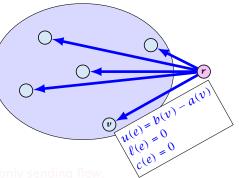
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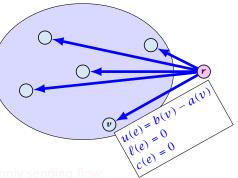
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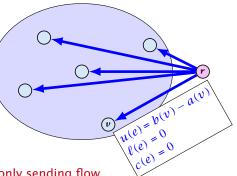
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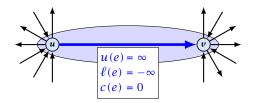
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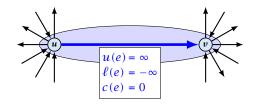
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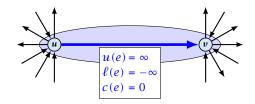
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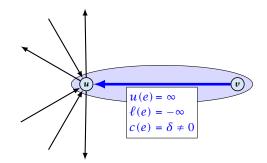


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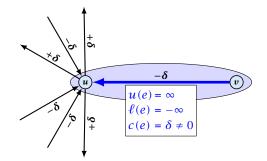
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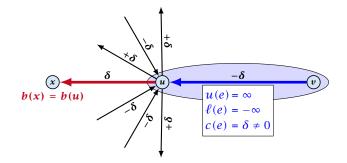
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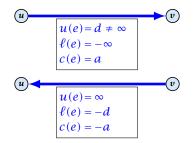


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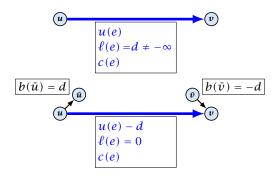


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# **Applications**

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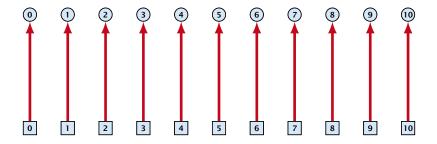
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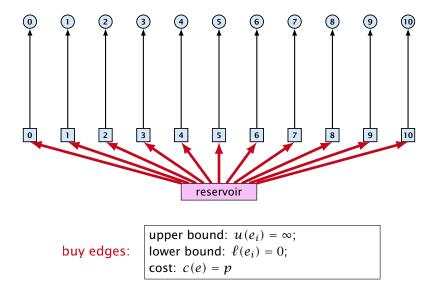
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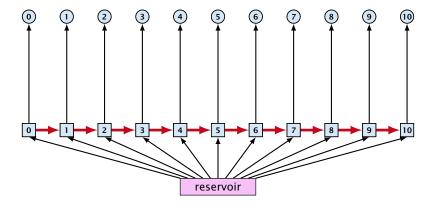
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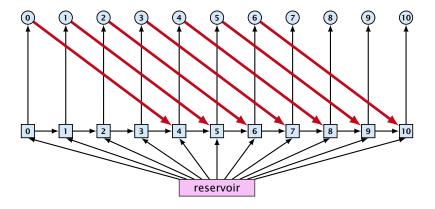
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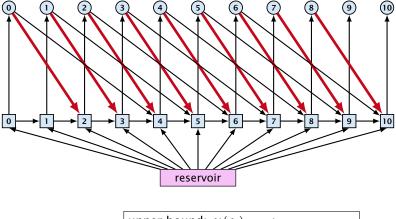
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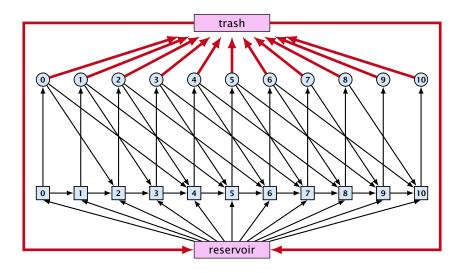
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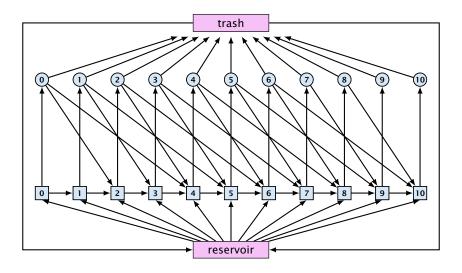
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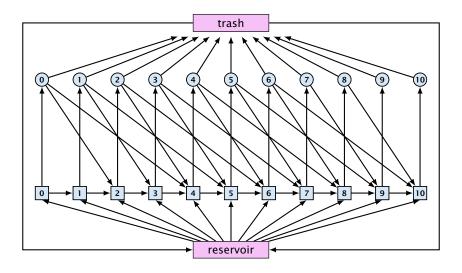
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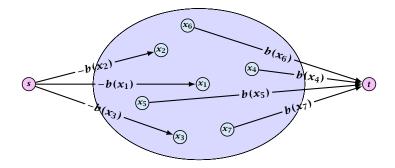
**Algorithm 51** CycleCanceling(G = (V, E), c, u, b)

- 1: establish a feasible flow f in G
- 2: while  $G_f$  contains negative cycle do
- 3: use Bellman-Ford to find a negative circuit Z

4: 
$$\delta \leftarrow \min\{u_f(e) \mid e \in Z\}$$

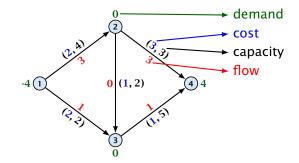
5: augment  $\delta$  units along Z and update  $G_f$ 

## How do we find the initial feasible flow?



- Connect new node s to all nodes with negative b(v)-value.
- Connect nodes with positive b(v)-value to a new node t.
- There exist a feasible flow in the original graph iff in the resulting graph there exists an *s*-*t* flow of value

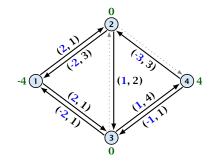
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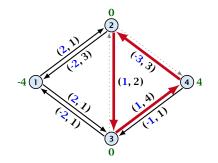
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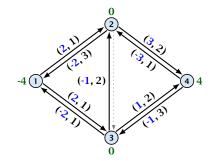


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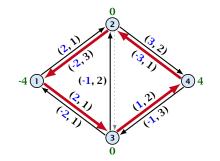
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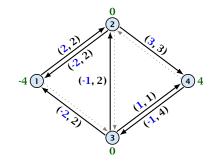
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#### Lemma 90

The improving cycle algorithm runs in time  $O(n^2m^2CU)$ , for integer capacities and costs, when for all edges e,  $|c(e)| \le C$  and  $|u(e)| \le U$ .

- Running time of Bellman-Ford is  $\mathcal{O}(mn)$ .
- Pushing flow along the cycle can be done in time O(n).
- Each iteration decreases the total cost by at least 1.
- The true optimum cost must lie in the interval [-mCU, ..., +mCU].

Note that this lemma is weak since it does not allow for edges with infinite capacity.



#### A general mincost flow problem is of the following form:

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#### Lemma 91 (without proof)

A general mincost flow problem can be solved in polynomial time.



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# Part V

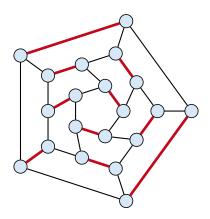
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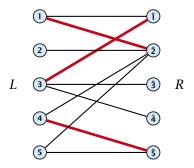
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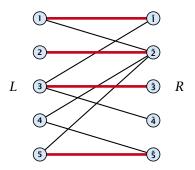




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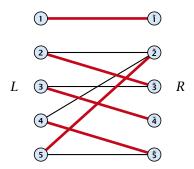




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- A matching *M* is perfect if it is of cardinality |M| = |V|/2.
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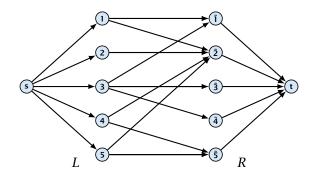




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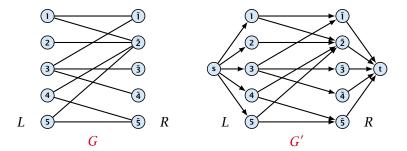
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- ▶ Input: undirected, bipartite graph  $G = (L \uplus R \uplus \{s, t\}, E')$ .
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- Add source *s* and connect it to all nodes on the left.
- Add *t* and connect all nodes on the right to *t*.
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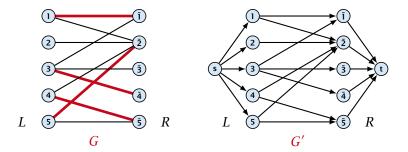


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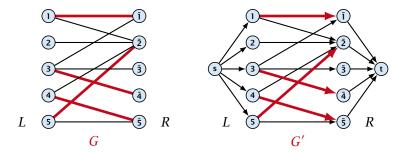


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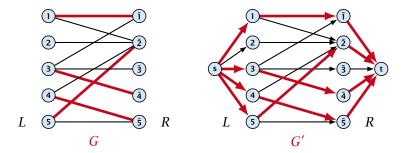


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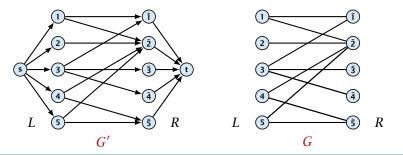




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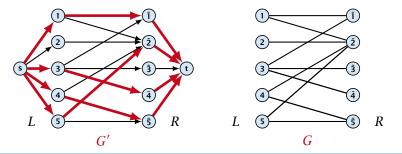


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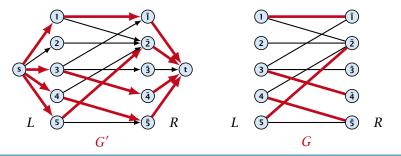


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## **17 Bipartite Matching via Flows**

#### Which flow algorithm to use?

- Generic augmenting path:  $\mathcal{O}(m \operatorname{val}(f^*)) = \mathcal{O}(mn)$ .
- Capacity scaling:  $\mathcal{O}(m^2 \log C) = \mathcal{O}(m^2)$ .



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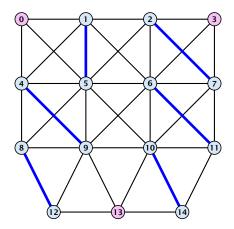
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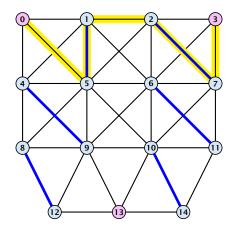
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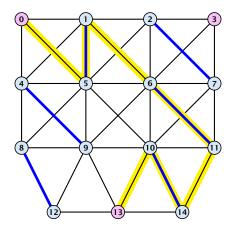
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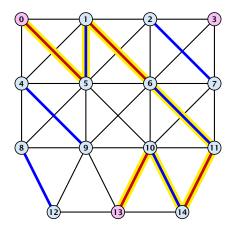
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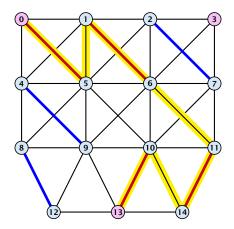


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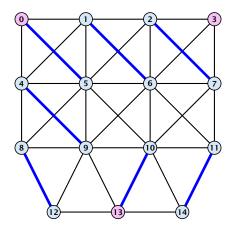


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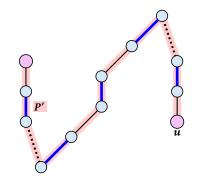


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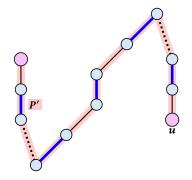


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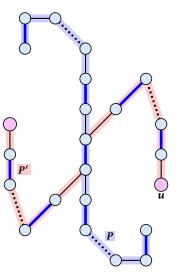




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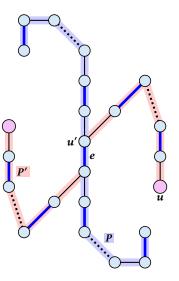


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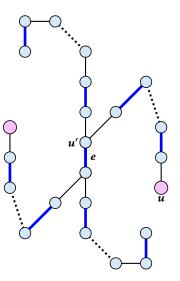




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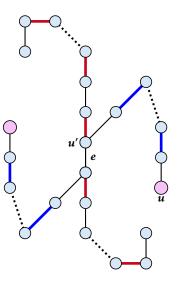


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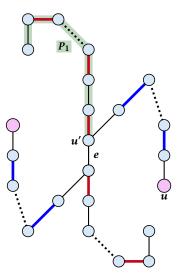


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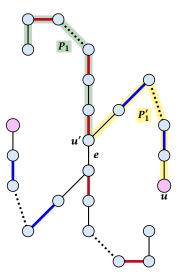
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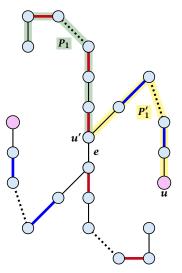
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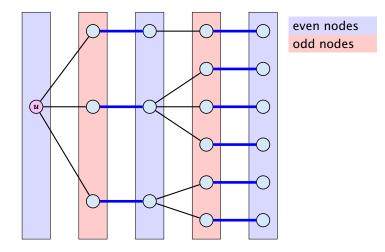


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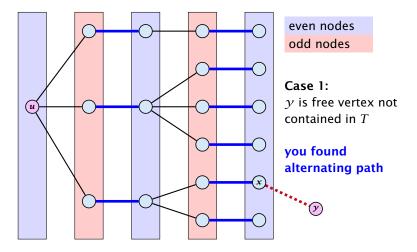




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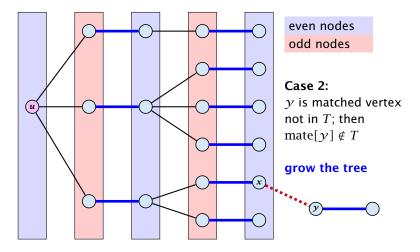




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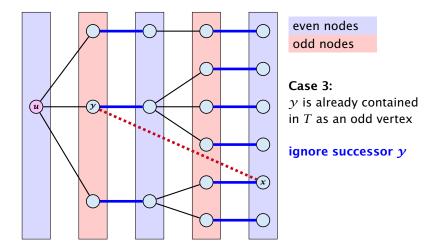




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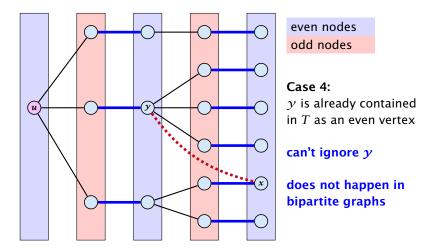




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r: root of current tree

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3:	while $free \ge 1$ and $r < n$ do
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6:	for $i = 1$ to $m$ do $parent[i'] \leftarrow 0$
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Initialize an empty tree. Note that only nodes i' have parent pointers.

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Q is a queue (BFS!!!).

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as long as we did not augment and there are still unexamined leaves continue...

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take next unexamined leaf

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if x has unmatched neighbour we found an augmenting path (note that  $y \neq r$  because we are in a bipartite graph)

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reduce number of free nodes

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#### if y is not in the tree yet

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add its buddy to the set of unexamined leaves

# **19 Weighted Bipartite Matching**

#### Weighted Bipartite Matching/Assignment

- Input: undirected, bipartite graph  $G = L \cup R, E$ .
- an edge  $e = (\ell, r)$  has weight  $w_e \ge 0$
- find a matching of maximum weight, where the weight of a matching is the sum of the weights of its edges

#### Simplifying Assumptions (wlog [why?]):

- assume that |L| = |R| = n
- ► assume that there is an edge between every pair of nodes  $(\ell, r) \in V \times V$

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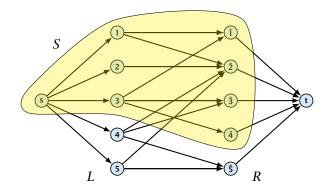
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A bipartite graph  $G = (L \cup R, E)$  has a perfect matching if and only if for all sets  $S \subseteq L$ ,  $|\Gamma(S)| \ge |S|$ , where  $\Gamma(S)$  denotes the set of nodes in R that have a neighbour in S.



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#### Reason:

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Any other matching M has

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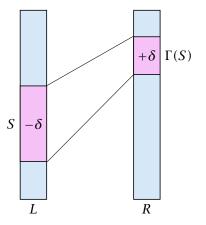
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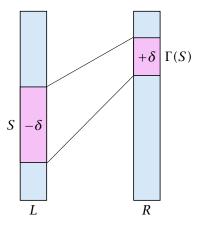
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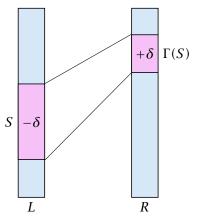
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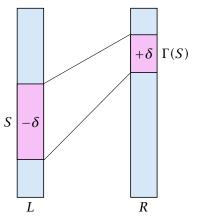
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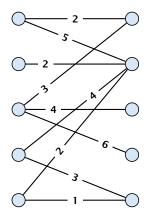
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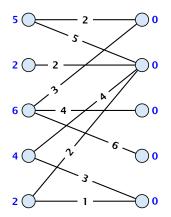
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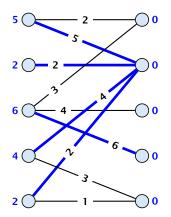
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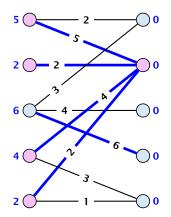
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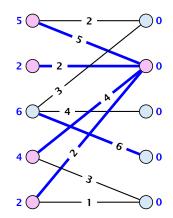




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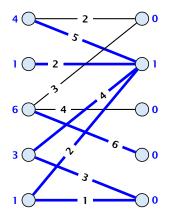


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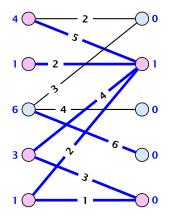
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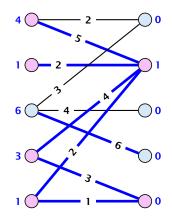




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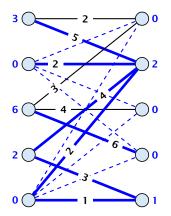
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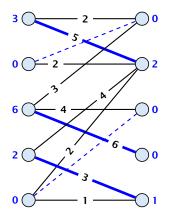
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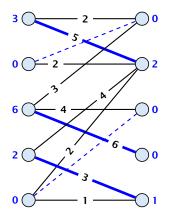




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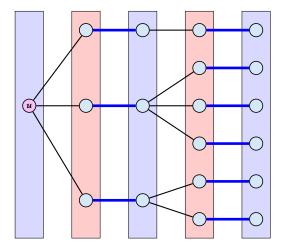


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# How to find an augmenting path?

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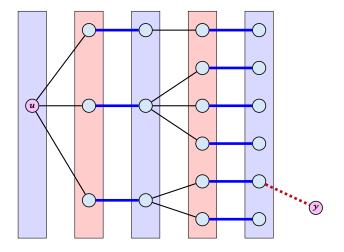




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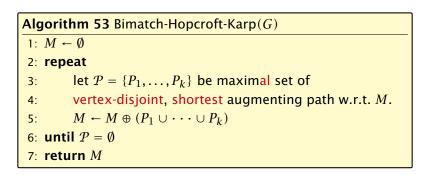
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## A Fast Matching Algorithm



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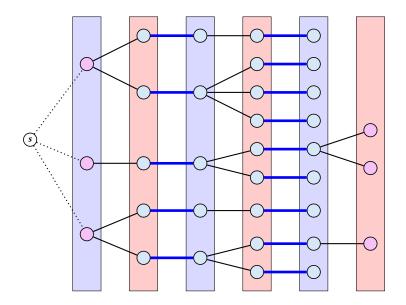
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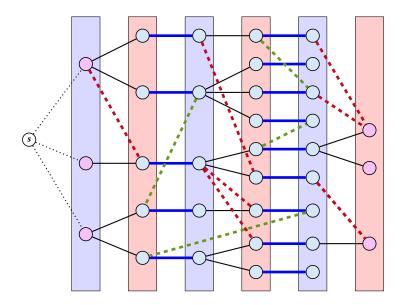
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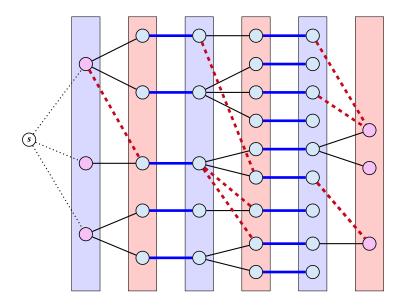
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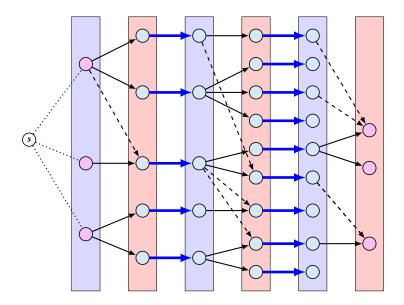


- Then a maximal set of shortest path from the leftmost layer of the tree construction to nodes in F needs to be computed.
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- We direct all edges btw. an even node in some layer  $\ell$  to an odd node in layer  $\ell + 1$  from left to right.
- A DFS search in the resulting graph gives us a maximal set of vertex disjoint path from left to right in the resulting graph.



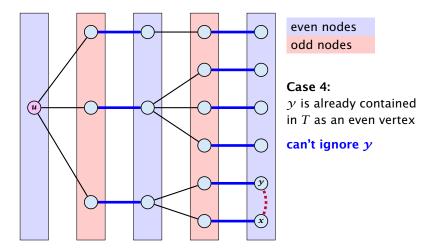






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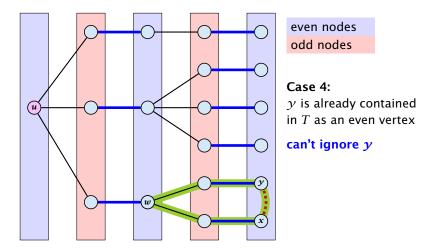


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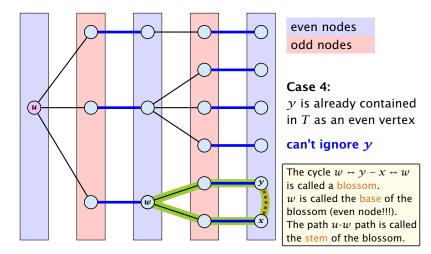


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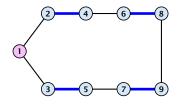
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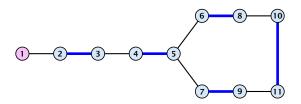
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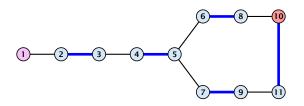
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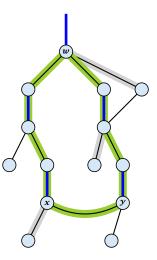
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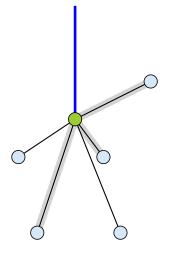
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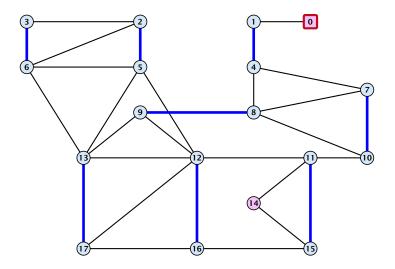
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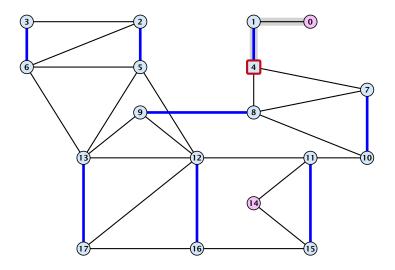
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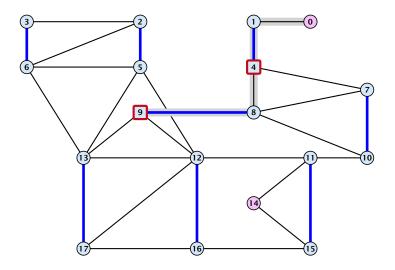


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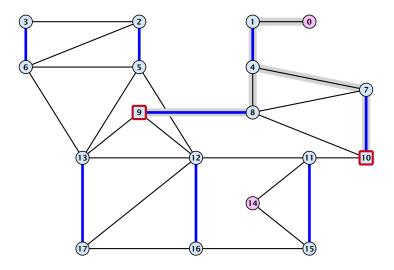
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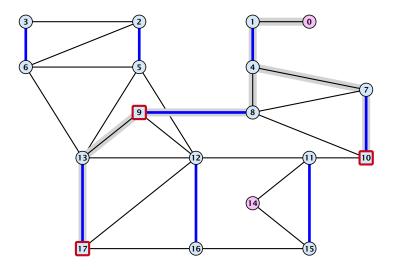
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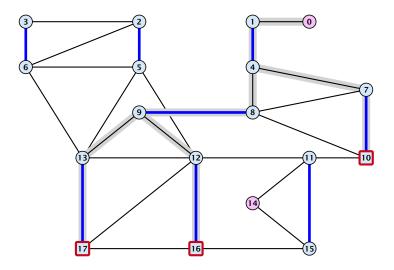
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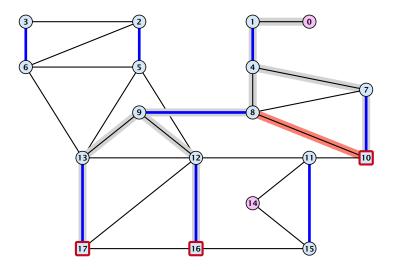


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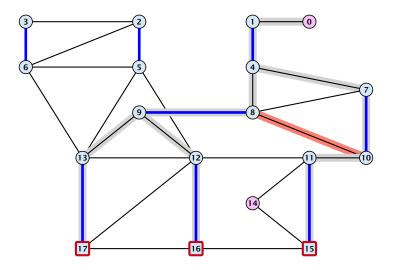


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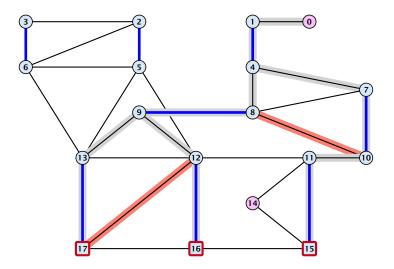
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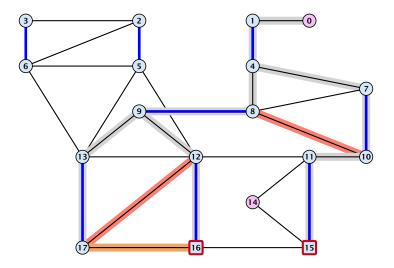
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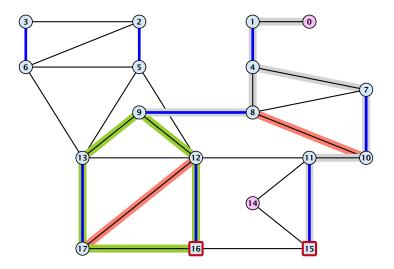
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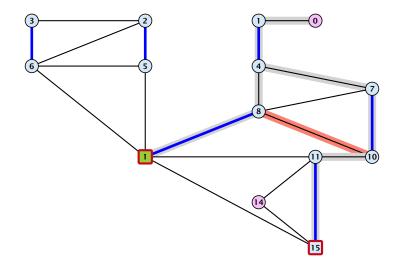
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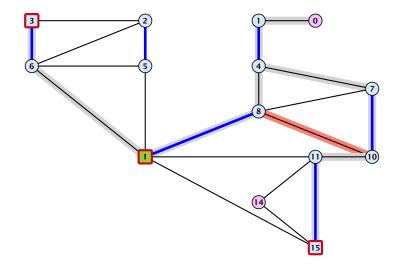
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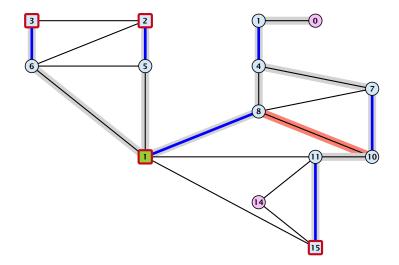
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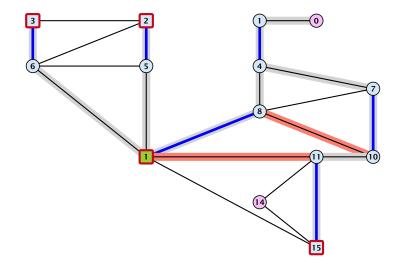
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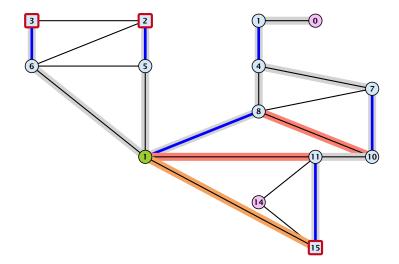
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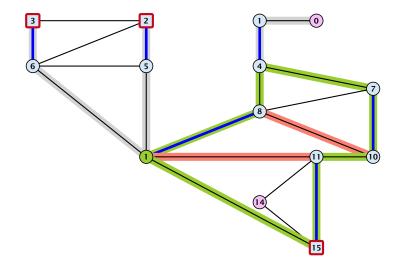
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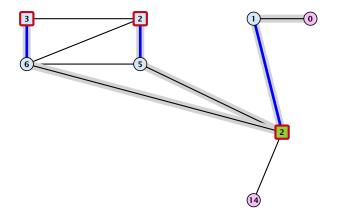
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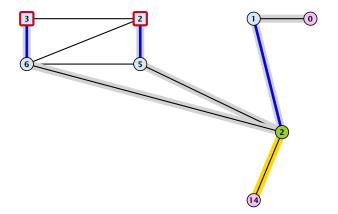
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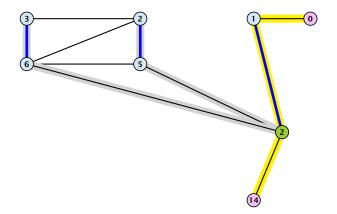
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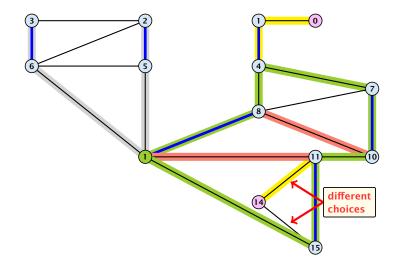
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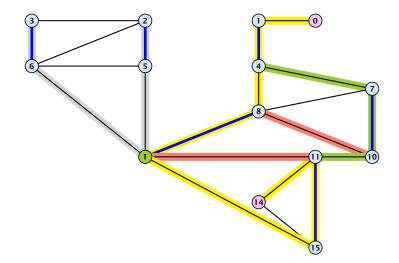
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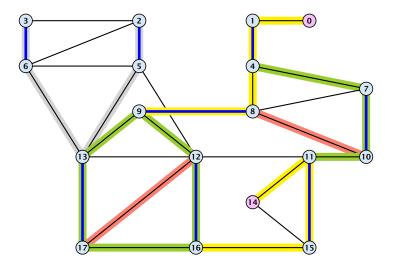
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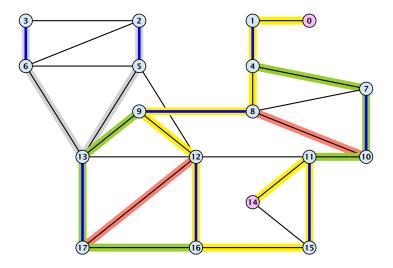
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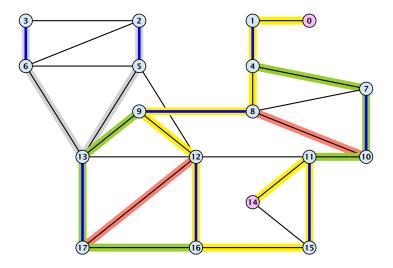
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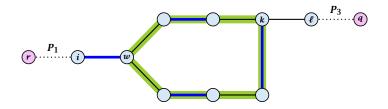
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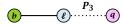


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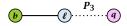


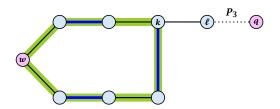
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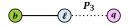
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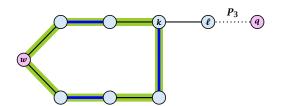
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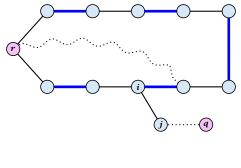
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This path must go between w and q as these are the only unmatched vertices w.r.t.  $M_+$ .

For  $M'_+$  the blossom has an empty stem. Case 1 applies.

G' has an augmenting path w.r.t.  $M'_+$ . It must also have an augmenting path w.r.t. M', as both matchings have the same cardinality.

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- 2: *found*  $\leftarrow$  false
- 3: unlabel all nodes;
- 4: give an even label to r and initialize  $list \leftarrow \{r\}$
- 5: while  $list \neq \emptyset$  do
- 6: delete a node *i* from *list*
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Search for an augmenting path starting at *r*.

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A(i) contains neighbours of node i.

We create a copy  $\bar{A}(i)$  so that we later can shrink blossoms.

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*found* is just a Boolean that allows to abort the search process...

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In the beginning no node is in the tree.

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Put the root in the tree.

*list* could also be a set or a stack.

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As long as there are nodes with unexamined neighbours...

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...examine the next one

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If you found augmenting path abort and start from next root.

#### **Algorithm 55** examine(*i*, *found*)

1:	for all $j \in \overline{A}(i)$ do
2:	if $j$ is even then contract $(i, j)$ and return
3:	<b>if</b> <i>j</i> is unmatched <b>then</b>
4:	$q \leftarrow j;$
5:	$\operatorname{pred}(q) \leftarrow i;$
6:	<i>found</i> ← true;
7:	return
8:	<b>if</b> <i>j</i> is matched and unlabeled <b>then</b>
9:	$pred(j) \leftarrow i;$
10:	$pred(mate(j)) \leftarrow j;$
11:	add mate $(j)$ to $list$

Examine the neighbours of a node *i* 

Algorithm 55 examine( <i>i</i> , <i>found</i> )		
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For all neighbours *j* do...

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You have found a blossom...

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You have found a free node which gives you an augmenting path.

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If you find a matched node that is not in the tree you grow...

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mate(j) is a new node from which you can grow further.

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- 4: update  $\bar{A}(j) \leftarrow \bar{A}(j) \cup \{b\}$  for each  $j \in \bar{A}(b)$
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Contract blossom identified by nodes i and j



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Get all nodes of the blossom.

Time:  $\mathcal{O}(m)$ 



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Identify all neighbours of *b*.

Time:  $\mathcal{O}(m)$  (how?)



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*b* will be an even node, and it has unexamined neighbours.



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Every node that was adjacent to a node in *B* is now adjacent to *b* 



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Only for making a blossom expansion easier.



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6: delete nodes in *B* from the graph

Only delete links from nodes not in *B* to *B*.

When expanding the blossom again we can recreate these links in time  $\mathcal{O}(m)$ .



- A contraction operation can be performed in time O(m).
   Note, that any graph created will have at most m edges.
- The time between two contraction-operation is basically a BFS/DFS on a graph. Hence takes time O(m).
- There are at most n contractions as each contraction reduces the number of vertices.
- The expansion can trivially be done in the same time as needed for all contractions.
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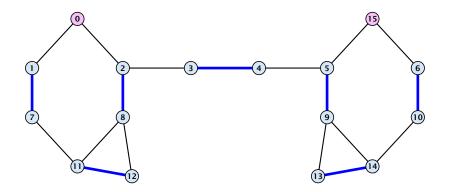
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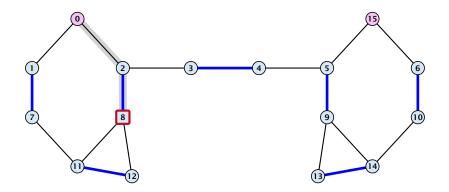
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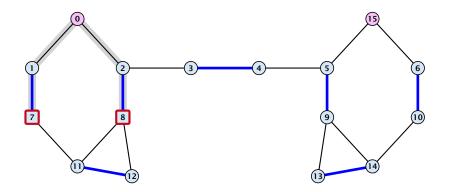
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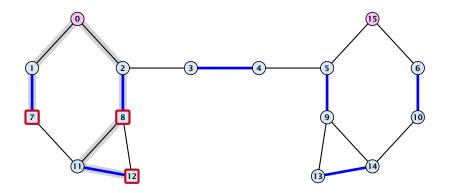
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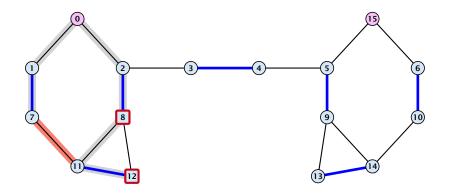
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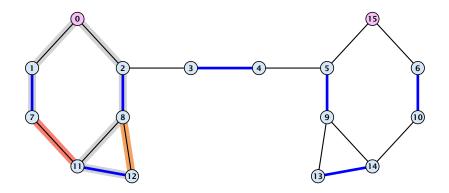
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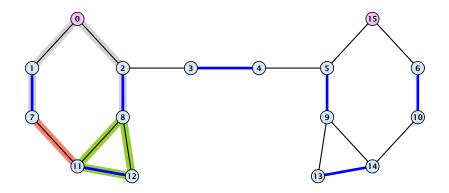
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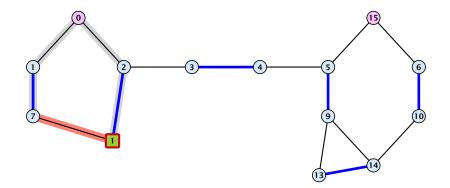
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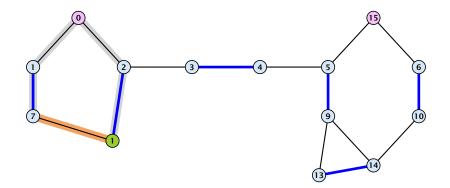
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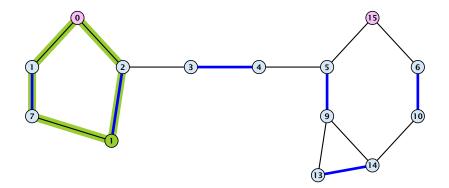
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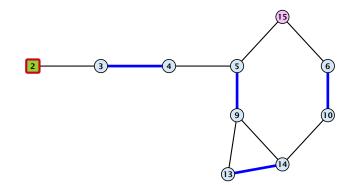
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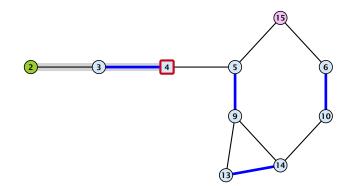


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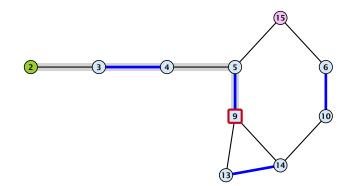


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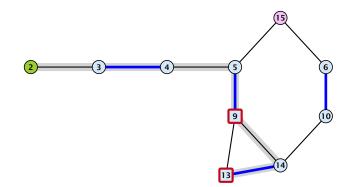


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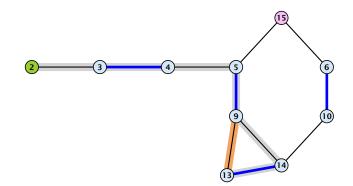


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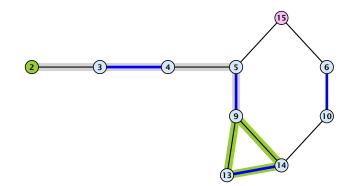


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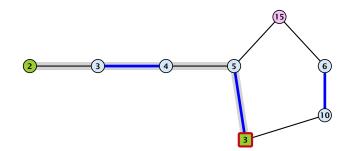


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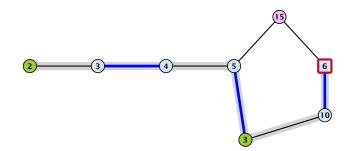
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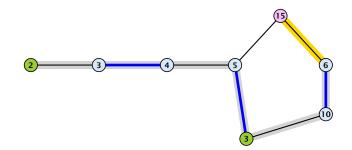
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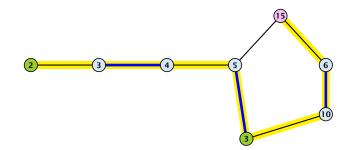
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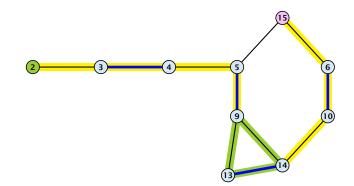


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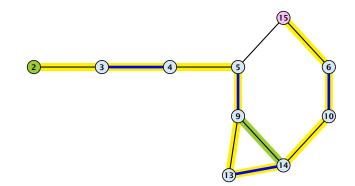


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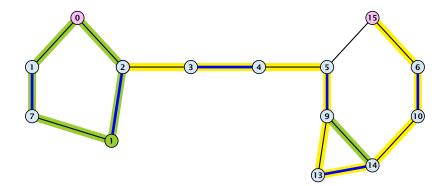


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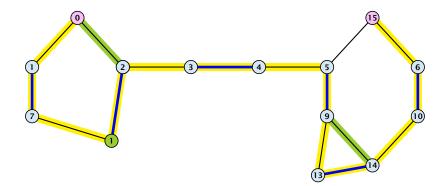


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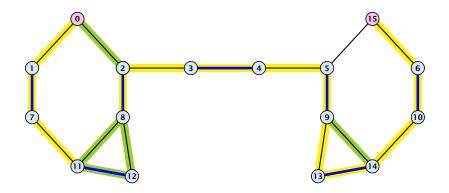
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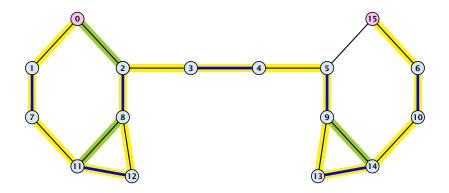
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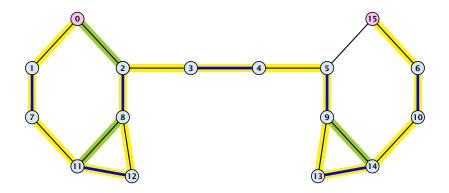
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