

2-3-tree insertion

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template <typename T> struct node
{ T d1, d2;
  node * L, * M, * R;
  int num; //          if num is 1, d2 and M are not used.

  node(node * nL, T nD, node * nR): L(nL), d1(nD), R(nR), num(1) { } };

bool insert(node * ptr, T value, node * & upL, T & upD, node * & upR)
{ if (ptr == NULL)
  { upL = NULL;
    upD = value;
    upR = NULL;
    return true; }

  else if (value < ptr->d1)
  { bool split = insert(ptr->L, value, upL, upD, upR);
    if (! split)
      return false; // not split means insertion process is complete
                    // split means immediate child broke apart, fragments in last 3
                    // parameters must be reincorporated into the tree.

    if (ptr->num == 1)
    { ptr->d2 = ptr->d1;
      ptr->L = upL;
      ptr->d1 = upD;
      ptr->M = upR;
      ptr->num = 2;
      return false; }

    else
    { upL = new node(upL, upD, upR);
      upD = ptr->d1;
      ptr->d1 = ptr->d2;
      ptr->L = ptr->M;
      ptr->num = 1;
      upR = ptr;
      return true; } }

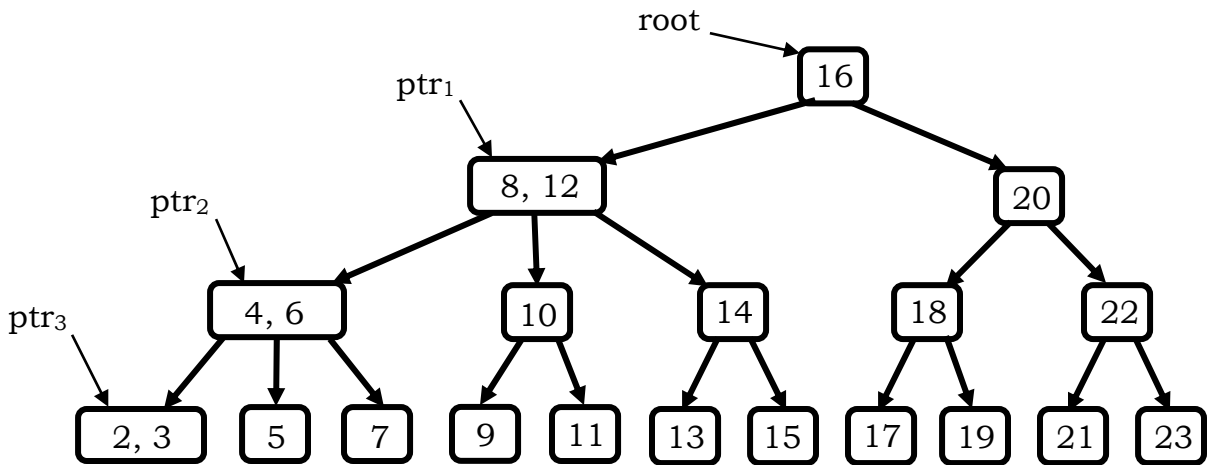
  else if (ptr->num == 1 || value > ptr->d2)
  { bool split = insert(ptr->R, value, upL, upD, upR);
    if (! split)
      return false;
    /* similar to insertion in left */ }

  else
  { bool split = insert(ptr->M, value, upL, upD, upR);
    if (! split)
      return false;
    /* similar to insertion in left */ } }
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void insert(node * & root, T value)
{ node * fL, * fR;
  T fD;
  bool spilt = insert(root, value, fL, fD, fR);
  if (split)
    root = new node(fL, rD, fR); }

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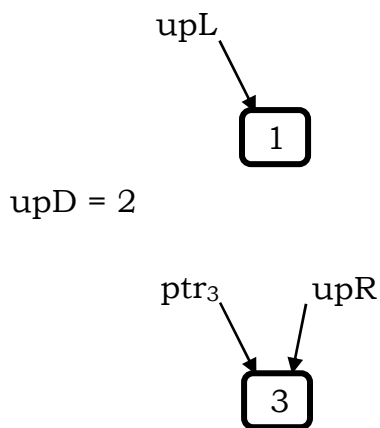
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causes call 3: insert(ptr2, 1)

causes call 4: insert(ptr3, 1)

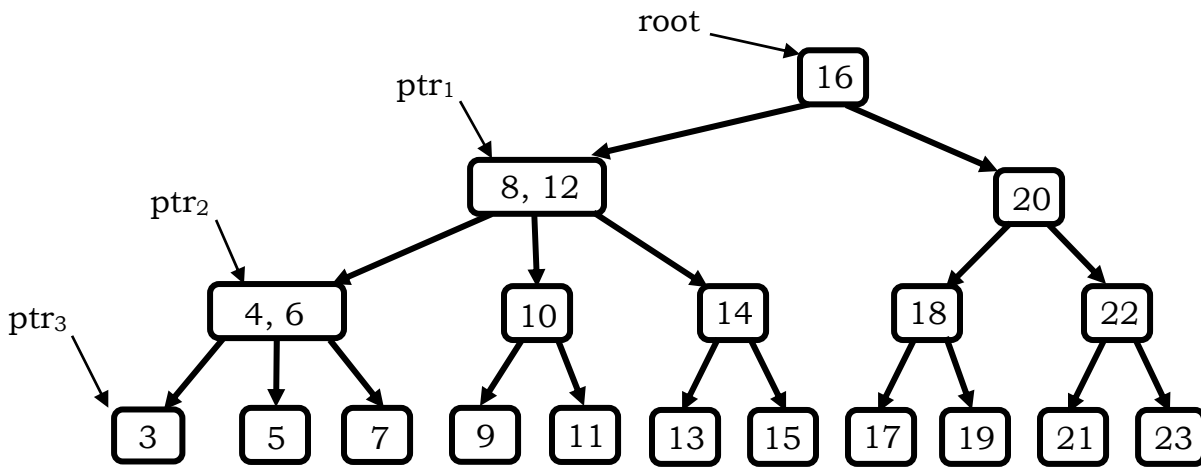
causes call 5: insert(NULL, 1)
 upL = NULL, upD = 1, upR = NULL
 return true



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upL = new node(upL, upD, upR)
      = new node(NULL, 1, NULL)
upD = 2
ptr3 ->d1 = ptr3 ->d2
          = 3
ptr3 ->L = ptr3 ->M
          = NULL
ptr3 ->num = 1
upR = ptr3
return true

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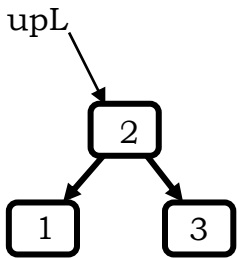
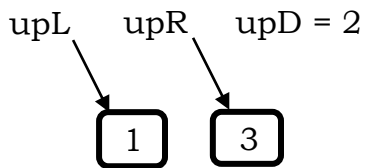


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caused call 3: insert(ptr2, 1)

caused call 4: (all done)



upL = new node(upL, upD, upR)

upD = ptr2 ->d1

= 4

ptr2 ->d1 = ptr2 ->d2

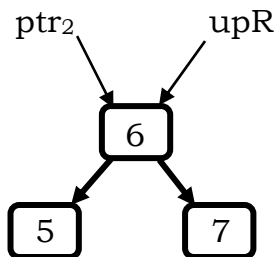
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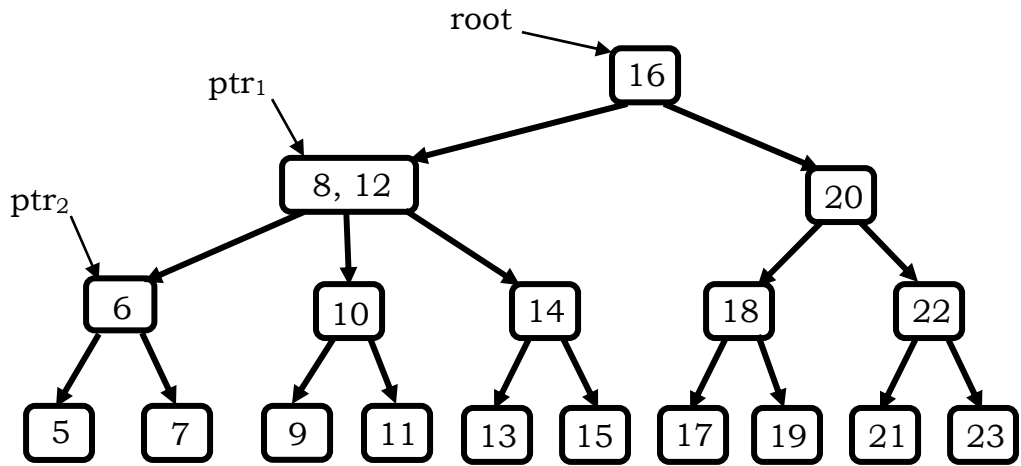
ptr2 ->L = ptr2 ->M

ptr2 ->num = 1

upR = ptr2

return true

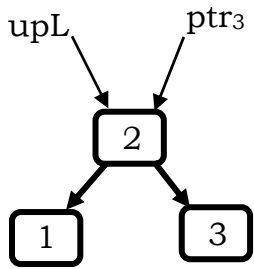




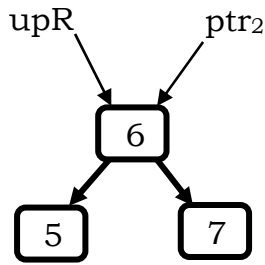
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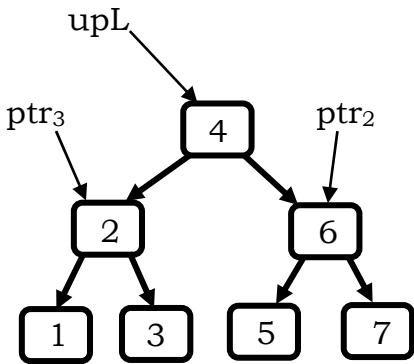
caused call 3: (all done)



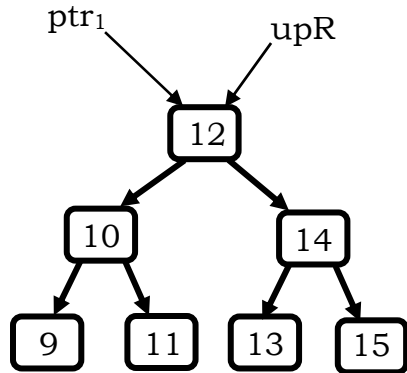
upD = 4

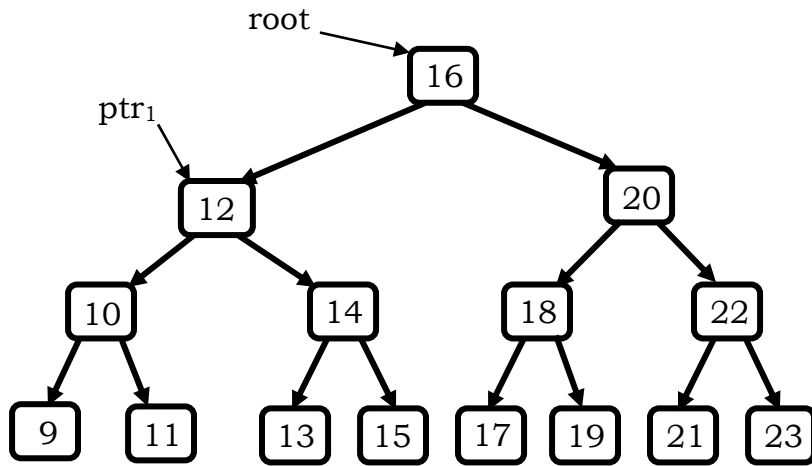


upL = new node(upL, upD, upR)
 upD = ptr1 ->d1
 = 8
 ptr1 ->d1 = ptr1 ->d2
 = 12
 ptr1 ->L = ptr1 ->M
 ptr1 ->num = 1
 upR = ptr1
 return true



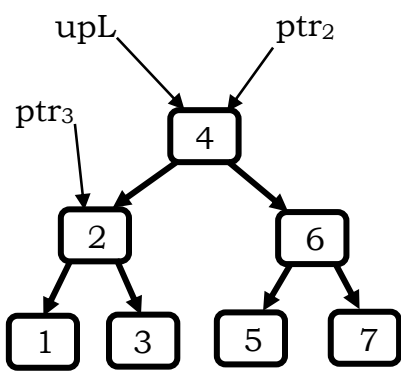
upD = 8



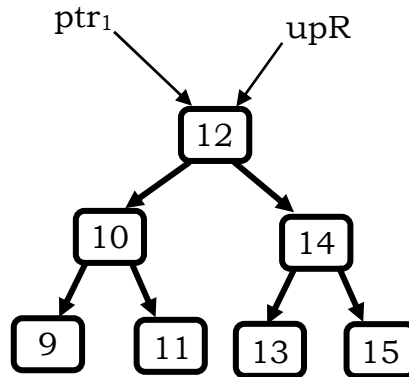


call 1: insert(root, 1);

causes call 2: (all done)



upD = 8



root ->d2 = root ->d1
 root ->L = upL
 root ->d1 = upD
 root ->M = upR
 root ->num = 2
 return false

