

Method remove(K key)

Set this → root to removeInSubtree(key, this → root)

End Method

Method removeInSubtree(K key, Node* node)

If node == nullptr:

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Else If key < node → key:

Set node → left to removeInSubtree(key, node → left)

Else If key > node → key:

Set node → right to removeInSubtree(key, node → right)

Else:

// We've found it!

If node has no children:

Return nullptr

Else If node has one child:

Return node's child

Else If node has two children:

Set bigkey to findMinKey(node → right)

Set bigval to get(bigkey, node → right)

Set node → right to removeInSubtree(bigkey, node → right)

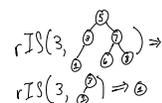
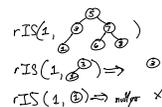
Set node → key to bigkey

Set node → value to bigval

Return node

End If

End If



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