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## B+ Tree (Backward from stvincent's explanation)

- External nodes have pointers too.
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- Internal key's data in predecessor's rightmost rightmost empty val.



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