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**ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET**

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**Subject Code:** COS30008  
**Subject Title:** Data Structures & Patterns  
**Assignment number and title:** 7 – NTree Tree Traversal  
**Due date:** May 28, 2019, 10:30  
**Lecturer:** Dr. Markus Lumpe

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Marker's comments:

Problem	Marks	Obtained
1 – depth-first traversal	24	
2 – breath-first traversal	38	
3 – left linear representation (optional)	30	
Total	62(92)	

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**Extension certification:**

This assignment has been given an extension and is now due on \_\_\_\_\_

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## Problem Set 7: NTree Tree Traversal

Using the template class `NTree` studied in tutorial 10 and the template class `Queue` defined in problem set 6, add tree traversal to class `NTree`:

```
#pragma once

#include <stdexcept>

#include "TreeVisitor.h"

template<class T, int N>
class NTree
{
private:
    T fKey; // T() for empty NTree
    NTree<T,N>* fNodes[N]; // N subtrees of degree N

    NTree(); // sentinel constructor

public:
    static NTree<T,N> NIL; // sentinel

    NTree( const T& aKey ); // a simple NTree with key and N subtrees

    NTree( const NTree& aOtherNTree ); // copy constructor
    virtual ~NTree(); // destructor
    NTree& operator=( const NTree& aOtherNTree ); // assignment operator

    virtual NTree* clone(); // clone a tree

    bool isEmpty() const; // is tree empty
    const T& key() const; // get key (node value)

    // indexer (allow for result modification by client - no const in result)
    NTree& operator[]( unsigned int aIndex ) const;

    // tree manipulators (using constant references)
    void attachNTree( unsigned int aIndex, const NTree<T,N>& aNTree );
    const NTree& detachNTree( unsigned int aIndex );

    // depth-first traversal
    void traverseDepthFirst( const TreeVisitor<T>& aVisitor ) const;

    // breadth-first traversal
    void traverseBreadthFirst( const TreeVisitor<T>& aVisitor ) const;
};
```

Use "TreeVisitor.h" available on Canvas as a start to implement the tree traversal.

**Problem 1**

Implement "depth-first traversal". You can follow the approach shown in class. Please note that there is no in-order traversal for NTree.

Test harness:

```
void testDepthFirstTraversal()
{
    string A( "A" );
    string A1( "AA" );
    string A2( "AB" );
    string A3( "AC" );
    string AA1( "AAA" );
    string AB1( "ABA" );
    string AB2( "ABB" );

    typedef NTree<string,3> NS3Tree;

    NS3Tree lTree( A );

    lTree.attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( A1 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( A2 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 2, *(new NS3Tree( A3 )) );

    lTree[0].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AA1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AB1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( AB2 )) );

    cout << "Depth-first traversal:" << endl;

    lTree.traverseDepthFirst( PreOrderVisitor<string>() );

    cout << endl << "Success." << endl;
}
```

**Result:**

```
Depth-first traversal:
A AA AAA AB ABA ABB AC
Success.
```

## Problem 2

Implement "breadth-first traversal". You can follow the approach shown in class. You need a local queue variable in `traverseBreadthFirst`. To avoid unwanted copying, use a pointer to **const** `NTree<T,N>` as type for the required `Queue` value object. That is, specify `Queue<const NTree<T,N>*>` `lQueue`, if `lQueue` is the local queue object in `traverseBreadthFirst`.

Test harness:

```
void testBreadthFirstTraversal()
{
    string A( "A" );
    string A1( "AA" );
    string A2( "AB" );
    string A3( "AC" );
    string AA1( "AAA" );
    string AB1( "ABA" );
    string AB2( "ABB" );

    typedef NTree<string,3> NS3Tree;

    NS3Tree lTree( A );

    lTree.attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( A1 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( A2 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 2, *(new NS3Tree( A3 )) );

    lTree[0].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AA1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AB1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( AB2 )) );

    cout << "Breadth-first traversal:" << endl;

    lTree.traverseBreadthFirst( TreeVisitor<string>() );

    cout << endl << "Success." << endl;
}
```

Result:

```
Breadth-first traversal:
A AA AB AC AAA ABA ABB
Success.
```

**Problem 3**

Implement "left linear representation". This can be achieved by using a depth-first tree traversal using a visitor that responds to both the `preVisit()` and the `postVisit()` methods. More precisely, you need to define a new visitor, called `LeftLinearVisitor`, that is a subclass of `TreeVisitor`, which overrides the corresponding virtual methods to obtain a left-linear representation of `NTree`.

Test harness:

```
void testLinearRepresentation()
{
    string A( "A" );
    string A1( "AA" );
    string A2( "AB" );
    string A3( "AC" );
    string AA1( "AAA" );
    string AB1( "ABA" );
    string AB2( "ABB" );

    typedef NTree<string,3> NS3Tree;

    NS3Tree lTree( A );

    lTree.attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( A1 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( A2 )) );
    lTree.attachNTree( 2, *(new NS3Tree( A3 )) );

    lTree[0].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AA1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 0, *(new NS3Tree( AB1 )) );
    lTree[1].attachNTree( 1, *(new NS3Tree( AB2 )) );

    cout << "Linear representation:" << endl;

    lTree.traverseDepthFirst( LeftLinearVisitor<string>() );

    cout << endl << "Success." << endl;
}
```

Result:

```
Linear representation:
[A[AA[AAA]] [AB[ABA] [ABB]] [AC]]
Success.
```

**Submission deadline: Tuesday, May 28, 2019, 10:30.**

**Submission procedure: on paper (NTree traversal, LinearTreeVisitor).**