

QUESTION #10

AVL TREE
How to insert a value in an AVL Tree.

TREES

Solution

Function to insert key => insert(self, root, key):

1. Perform normal BST.
2. Update the height of the ancestor node,
 $\text{height} = 1 + \max(\text{Height}(\text{root.left}), \text{Height}(\text{root.right}))$
3. Get the balance_factor(root),
 $\text{bf} = \text{Height}(\text{root.left}) - \text{Height}(\text{root.right})$
4. If the node is unbalanced($\text{bf} \neq 1$), then try out the 4 cases,
 - 4.1. Left Left (if $\text{bf} > 1 \ \&\& \ \text{key} < \text{root.left.val}$) => RotateRight(root)
 - 4.1. Right Right (if $\text{bf} < -1 \ \&\& \ \text{key} > \text{root.right.val}$) => RotateLeft(root)
 - 4.1. Left Right (if $\text{bf} > 1 \ \&\& \ \text{key} > \text{root.left.val}$),
 LeftRotate(root.left) => RotateRight(root)
 - 4.1. Right Left (if $\text{bf} < -1 \ \&\& \ \text{key} < \text{root.right.val}$),
 RightRotate(root.right) => RotateLeft(root)

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