

# CS 112: Fall 2016

BST/AVL

Review

1. The worst case search time in a BST with  $n$  nodes is:

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A.  $O(n)$

B.  $O(1)$

C.  $O(n^2)$

D.  $O(\log n)$

2. The best case search time in a BST with  $n$  nodes is:

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A.  $O(n)$

B.  $O(1)$

C.  $O(n^2)$

D.  $O(\log n)$

3. A BST holds  $n$  integers. The running time to print all the items from the BST in reverse sorted order is:

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A.  $O(1)$

B.  $O(n)$

C.  $O(n^2)$

D.  $O(\log n)$

4. The following integers are added to a BST one at a time:

5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35

Which of the following SEQUENCE of inserts into the BST will result in a tree of height greater than 3? (At least 4 branches from root to farthest leaf):

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A. 20, 10, 5, 15, 30, 25, 35

B. 25, 35, 30, 15, 10, 5, 20

C. 15, 5, 10, 35, 20, 25, 30

D. None of the above

5. The following SEQUENCE of integers are added to an AVL tree one at a time:

5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35

What is the height of the resulting AVL tree (height is number of branches from root to farthest leaf):

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A. 2

B. 3

C. 4

D. 5

6. A BST starts out with  $n$  items. The items are then deleted from the BST, one at a time, until the BST is empty. What is the worst case running time of this process?

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A.  $O(n)$

B.  $O(n \log n)$

C.  $O(n^2)$

D.  $O(\log n)$

7. An item is inserted into an AVL tree. Going back toward the root, a node X is encountered with balance factor '-' (equal high). Is there a situation in which this node could be unbalanced, and would need to be fixed with one or two rotations?

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A. Yes

B. No

C. Depends

D. None of the above



8. A BST is to be built out of a sorted array of  $n$  items. What would be the running time of the fastest algorithm that can do this?

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A.  $O(1)$

B.  $O(\log n)$

C.  $O(n)$

D.  $O(n \log n)$