Project CS163 APCS24: Data Structure Visualization

Introduction

Data Structure Visualization is a program that allows users to visualize the behavior of common data structures such as linked lists, hash table, tree and graph. This program is written in C++ and uses the Raylib library for graphics rendering.

Features

Supported Data Structures

This program currently supports the following data structures:

- Singly Linked List
- Chaining Hash Table
- AVL Tree
- Minimum Spanning Tree (Graph)

Main Features Included

Main features included:

- Smooth animations of the algorithms responsible for inserting, deleting, searching, and updating values in the data structure.
- Control the speed of the animations and play, pause or reverse the animations.
- Step-by-step code highlight.
- Create random, user defined or load-from-file list.

Installation

Prerequisites

- C++ compiler: **q++**
- RayLib library installation instructions available on the RayLib Website.
- Tinyfiledialogs library installation instructions avaliabe on the Tinyfiledialogs Website.

Building RayLib

- 1. Download or clone the repository to your local machine.
- 2. Install Raylib library by following the instructions in Raylib's official website.
- 3. Navigate to the project directory and open a terminal.
- 4. Compile the code using the following command:
 - gcc your program.c -o your program -lraylib -lGL -lm -lpthread -ldl -lrt -lX11

Integrating tinyfiledialogs

- 1. Download or clone the tinyfiledialogs source code to your machine (e.g., from SourceForge). Extract if necessary.
- 2. Copy the two files tinyfiledialogs.c and tinyfiledialogs.h into your project's directory structure. For example, place them alongside your own source code files, or in dedicated subdirectories like $\mathrm{src}/$, include/.
- 3. Navigate to your project's root directory and open a terminal (or command prompt).
- 4. Compile your application's source code together with the tinyfiledialogs.c file. You will need to link against the system libraries required by tinyfiledialogs on your platform. Below is a **general** illustrative example using g++:

Compile your application source code (.cpp) together with tinyfiledialogs.c. Also, link against the necessary system libraries for your platform (e.g., -lcomdlg32 -lole32 -luuid on Windows).

Demo Video

Here is the demo video.

Credits

This program was created by Group 1 - 24A02 as a project for CS163 - Introduction to Computer Science 2 at VNU - University of Science.

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