

Design In-Memory File System

Design an in-memory file system to simulate the following functions:

ls : Given a path in string format. If it is a file path, return a list that only contains this file's name. If it is a directory path, return the list of file and directory names **in this directory**. Your output (file and directory names together) should in **lexicographic order**.

mkdir : Given a **directory path** that does not exist, you should make a new directory according to the path. If the middle directories in the path don't exist either, you should create them as well. This function has void return type.

addContentToFile : Given a **file path** and **file content** in string format. If the file doesn't exist, you need to create that file containing given content. If the file already exists, you need to **append** given content to original content. This function has void return type.

readContentFromFile : Given a **file path**, return its **content** in string format.

Example:

Input:

```
["FileSystem","ls","mkdir","addContentToFile","ls","readContentFromFile"]  
[[],["/"],["/a/b/c"],["/a/b/c/d","hello"],["/"],["/a/b/c/d"]]
```

Output:

```
[null,[],null,null,["a"],"hello"]
```

Explanation:

Operation	Output	Explanation
FileSystem fs = new FileSystem()	null	The constructor returns nothing.
fs.ls("/")	[]	Initially, directory <code>/</code> has nothing. So return empty list.
fs.mkdir("/a/b/c")	null	Create directory <code>a</code> in directory <code>/</code> . Then create directory <code>b</code> in directory <code>a</code> . Finally, create directory <code>c</code> in directory <code>b</code> .
fs.addContentToFile("/a/b/c/d","hello")	null	Create a file named <code>d</code> with content <code>"hello"</code> in directory <code>/a/b/c</code> .
fs.ls("/")	["a"]	Only directory <code>a</code> is in directory <code>/</code> .
fs.readContentFromFile("/a/b/c/d")	"hello"	Output the file content.

Note:

1. You can assume all file or directory paths are absolute paths which begin with `/` and do not end with `/` except that the path is just `/`.
2. You can assume that all operations will be passed valid parameters and users will not attempt to retrieve file content or list a directory or file that does not exist.
3. You can assume that all directory names and file names only contain lower-case letters, and same names won't exist in the same directory.

Solution 1

```
public class FileSystem {
    class File {
        boolean isFile = false;
        Map<String, File> children = new HashMap<>();
        String content = "";
    }

    File root = null;

    public FileSystem() {
        root = new File();
    }

    public List<String> ls(String path) {
        String[] dirs = path.split("/");
        File node = root;
        List<String> result = new ArrayList<>();
        String name = "";
        for (String dir : dirs) {
            if (dir.length() == 0) continue;
            if (!node.children.containsKey(dir)) {
                return result;
            }
            node = node.children.get(dir);
            name = dir;
        }

        if (node.isFile) {
            result.add(name);
        }
        else {
            for (String key : node.children.keySet()) {
                result.add(key);
            }
        }

        Collections.sort(result);

        return result;
    }

    public void mkdir(String path) {
        String[] dirs = path.split("/");
        File node = root;
        for (String dir : dirs) {
            if (dir.length() == 0) continue;
            if (!node.children.containsKey(dir)) {
                File file = new File();
                node.children.put(dir, file);
            }
            node = node.children.get(dir);
        }
    }

    public void addContentToFile(String filePath, String content) {
```

```

public void addContentFromFile(String filePath, String content) {
    String[] dirs = filePath.split("/");
    File node = root;
    for (String dir : dirs) {
        if (dir.length() == 0) continue;
        if (!node.children.containsKey(dir)) {
            File file = new File();
            node.children.put(dir, file);
        }
        node = node.children.get(dir);
    }
    node.isFile = true;
    node.content += content;
}

public String readContentFromFile(String filePath) {
    String[] dirs = filePath.split("/");
    File node = root;
    for (String dir : dirs) {
        if (dir.length() == 0) continue;
        if (!node.children.containsKey(dir)) {
            File file = new File();
            node.children.put(dir, file);
        }
        node = node.children.get(dir);
    }

    return node.content;
}
}

```

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Solution 2

```
class FileSystem {
private:
    struct TrieNode {
        bool isFile;
        string content;
        unordered_map<string, TrieNode *> children;
        TrieNode() : isFile(false) {}
    };

    TrieNode *root;

public:
    FileSystem() {
        root = new TrieNode();
    }

    vector<string> getStrs(string &path) {
        vector<string> ans;
        int i = 1, j = 1;
        while (j <= path.length()) {
            if (i != j && (j == path.length() || path[j] == '/')) {
                ans.push_back(path.substr(i, j - i));
                i = j + 1;
            }
            ++j;
        }
        return ans;
    }

    vector<string> ls(string path) {
        vector<string> strs = getStrs(path);
        TrieNode *curr = root;
        for (string &str : strs)
            curr = curr->children[str];

        if (curr->isFile)
            return {strs.back()};

        vector<string> ans;
        for (auto &p : curr->children)
            ans.push_back(p.first);
        sort(ans.begin(), ans.end());
        return ans;
    }

    void mkdir(string path) {
        vector<string> strs = getStrs(path);
        TrieNode *curr = root;
        for (string &str : strs) {
            if (!curr->children.count(str))
                curr->children[str] = new TrieNode();
            curr = curr->children[str];
        }
    }
}
```

```

void addContentToFile(string filePath, string content) {
    vector<string> strs = getStrs(filePath);
    TrieNode *curr = root;
    for (string &str : strs) {
        if (!curr->children.count(str))
            curr->children[str] = new TrieNode();
        curr = curr->children[str];
    }
    curr->isFile = true;
    curr->content += content;
}

string readContentFromFile(string filePath) {
    vector<string> strs = getStrs(filePath);
    TrieNode *curr = root;
    for (string &str : strs)
        curr = curr->children[str];
    return curr->content;
}
};

```

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Solution 3

I uses a dictionary of recursing dictionaries to model the file system tree. There's quite a bit of repetition in the code for traversing the file directories but it should still be quite straightforward.

```
def path_split(path):
    return [frag for frag in path.split('/') if frag.strip() != '']

class FileSystem(object):

    def __init__(self):
        self.fs = {}

    def ls(self, path):
        """
        :type path: str
        :rtype: List[str]
        """
        curr = self.fs
        frags = path_split(path)
        for frag in frags:
            if frag not in curr:
                curr[frag] = {}
            curr = curr[frag]
            if type(curr) == unicode:
                return [frags[-1]]
        return sorted(curr.keys())

    def mkdir(self, path):
        """
        :type path: str
        :rtype: void
        """
        curr = self.fs
        frags = path_split(path)
        for frag in frags:
            if frag not in curr:
                curr[frag] = {}
            curr = curr[frag]

    def addContentToFile(self, filePath, content):
        """
        :type filePath: str
        :type content: str
        :rtype: void
        """
        curr = self.fs
        frags = path_split(filePath)
        for frag in frags[:-1]:
            if frag not in curr:
                curr[frag] = {}
            curr = curr[frag]
        file_name = frags[-1]
        if file_name not in curr:
            curr[file_name] = ''
```

```
curr[file_name] =  
curr[file_name] += content
```

```
def readContentFromFile(self, filePath):  
    """  
    :type filePath: str  
    :rtype: str  
    """  
  
    curr = self.fs  
    frags = path_split(filePath)  
    for frag in frags[:-1]:  
        if frag not in curr:  
            curr[frag] = {}  
        curr = curr[frag]  
    file_name = frags[-1]  
    return curr[file_name]
```

```
# Your FileSystem object will be instantiated and called as such:  
# obj = FileSystem()  
# param_1 = obj.ls(path)  
# obj.mkdir(path)  
# obj.addContentToFile(filePath,content)  
# param_4 = obj.readContentFromFile(filePath)
```

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