

Test 2 review

- Topics covered:
 - Inheritance
 - What does a derived class inherit from the base class, what does the derived class not inherit from the base class.
 - The 3 data access types in a class: public, private, protected
 - The 3 kinds of inheritance: public inheritance, protected inheritance and private inheritance
 - Override member function
 - What happens when a derived class object is created and destroyed
 - Be able to write code to implement member functions in a derived class
 - Be able to trace program involving base and derived classes
 - Early vs late binding (dynamic binding)
 - When is early binding performed?
 - When is late binding performed?
 - Virtual function
 - What is Polymorphism in C++? How is it achieved?
 - Be able to trace program involving polymorphism
 - Understand the rules for declaring virtual functions
 - Algorithm Analysis
 - Time efficiency and memory efficiency
 - How do we determine the size of a problem N?
 - Best time, worst time, and average time complexity of an algorithm
 - Be able to analyze a code segment and derive the growth rate function $f(N)$
 - Be able to derive the Big O function given a growth rate function
 - Understand the order of growth of the functions
$$O(1) < O(\log N) < O(N) < O(N \log N) < O(N^2) < O(N^{2 \log N}) < O(N^3) < \dots < O(2^N) < O(3^N) < \dots < O(e^N)$$
 - Recursion
 - Be able to trace a recursive function
 - Be able to write recursive function given recurrence relation
 - Sorting Algorithms
 - Understand each of the sorting algorithms discussed
 - Know step by step how each sorting algorithm put data into sorted order
 - Understand how to analyze each sorting algorithm in terms of growth rate function and big O function
 - Heap
 - Heap Up and Heap Down operations
 - Understand the time complexity of the Heap Up and Down operations
 - Build a heap from an array of values
 - Perform Heap sort on an array of values
 - Understand the time complexity of Heap Sort

- Binary Tree
 - Tree height, level of nodes, parent node, ancestor nodes, leaf nodes, etc.
 - Full binary tree, complete binary tree, perfect binary tree
 - Balanced binary tree
 - Binary tree traversal : inorder, postorder, preorder.
- Binary Search Tree
 - Understand how each operation is performed and be able to write code for each operation:
 - Search for records or retrieve data from BST based on key value
 - Insertion new records into BST
 - Deletion records from a BST
 - Deallocate all nodes in a tree
 - Create a copy of an existing tree
 - Save the BST and rebuild the tree with minimum height
 - Compute the height of a BST
 - Assign levels for each node in a BST
- Study the homework problems
- Study the lecture notes
- Come to office hours to ask questions about any concepts or topics you are not clear about