

## Programming 2 Exam Paper

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LLNode appendIfNotPresent (LLNode head, int data) {

if (isEmpty) {

    this.head = head;

    head.data = data;

    return

}

else {

    while (current.next != null) {

        if (current.data == data) {

            return

}

}

current.next = head;

head.data = data;

}

=  $2N + 6$ .

2 a It is possible to implement a stack structure using either a linked list or a resizing array implement. That we want to know which implementation is more efficient

Asymptotic cost is calculated by firstly dropping coefficient of  $N$ 's. Take the highest order of  $N$  this is cost.

Amortised cost is Asymptotic cost /  $N$ , it is the cost of  $N$  operations over time, not just one operation, this time is a difference

Asymptotic gives us a long run cost of the algorithm but is not precise.

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Amortized gives the cost of running algorithm means,  
which accounts for all difference in operations

- b Resizing array implementation of a stack
  - push/pop operation takes  $O(1)$  amortized time.
  - push/pop operation takes  $O(n)$  in worst case.

Over period of time the resizing will not occur at each move,  
thus it will tend towards  $O(1)$

c) Must satisfy:

- No node has two red links connect to it.
- Every path from root to null link has same number of black links
- Red links always in left
- links go red-black-red etc

d) This is the actual height of the tree if it were a simple  
binary search tree;

6. Node Key Ceiling (Key key) {  
Node x = ceiling(root, key);  
if (x == null) return null;  
else return x.key;  
}

private Node ceiling(Node x, Key key) {  
if (x == null) return null;  
int cmp = key.compareTo(x.key);  
if (cmp == 0) return x;  
if (cmp > 0) return ceiling(x.right, key);  
Node t = ceiling(x.left, key);  
if (t != null) return t;  
else return x;  
}

## 5. Forming 2 Even Pair Sub

- property: A cut in a graph is a partition of its vertices into two (nonempty) sets.

property - Given any cut, the crossing edges are of a min weight and in the MST.

3 cutting strings at (6)

- 4 → 7 0.2
- 7 → 5 0.3
- 7 → 6 0.4
- 4 → 3 0.2
- 3 → 2 0.1
- 4 → 1 0.2

Rank of edges 1 to 7 in ascending order of weight.  
 Add the next edge to the tree T until doing so would create a cycle.  
 Continue until all nodes are covered.

- 1 → 2 0.1 ✓
- 1 → 4 0.2 ✓
- 3 → 6 0.2 ✓
- 4 → 7 0.2
- 2 → 1 0.3
- 2 → 4 0.3

Solution is the tree

cycle  
 ✓  
 X



Di: Start at start point

- pick next neighbour arbitrarily and mark or check
- put other neighbours on stack
- Get neighbours of neighbour
- select or add itself to list, continue

ii  $0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 7 \rightarrow 9 \rightarrow 6, 8 \rightarrow 2$

iii This is the shortest path from a vertex  $s$  to every other vertex.

Initially  $\text{distTo}[s] = 0$  and  $\text{distTo}[v] = \infty$  for all other vertices

Repeat until optimally concluded or satisfied

- non negative weights

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3 a. Cut-property: A cut in a graph is a partition of all vertices into two (nonempty) sets.

Cut property - Given any cut, the crossing edges must be of a min weight and in the MST.

b. By cutting starting at (4)

4  $\rightarrow$  7 0.2

7  $\rightarrow$  5 0.3

7  $\rightarrow$  6 0.4

4  $\rightarrow$  3 0.2

3  $\rightarrow$  2 0.1

4  $\rightarrow$  1 0.2

c. Rank the edges  $i$  to  $j$  in ascending order of weight.  
Add the next edge to the tree  $T$  unless doing so would create a cycle.  
Continue until all nodes are connected.

ii. 2 $\rightarrow$ 3	0.1	✓
1 $\rightarrow$ 4	0.2	✓
3 $\rightarrow$ 4	0.2	✓
4 $\rightarrow$ 7	0.2	✓
2 $\rightarrow$ 1	0.3	X cycle
2 $\rightarrow$ 4	0.3	X cycle
5 $\rightarrow$ 7	0.3	✓
4 $\rightarrow$ 5	0.4	X cycle
5 $\rightarrow$ 6	0.4	✓
6 $\rightarrow$ 7	0.4	X

Solution is the tree