

Algorithms and Data Structures

EADS 2025Z (LAB-104)

Task #3 (term 2025Z)

Task #3 deadline is Wednesday, January 14th, 2026, 2 pm.

There are several steps to complete:

- Design `avl_tree` class according to a very limited specification below.
- When Implementing your class write unit tests in parallel (try writing the test before actually implementing the behaviour of your tree).
- You should implement your class template in the `avl_tree.hpp` file, and provide tests of your container (i.e. the tree) in `avl_tree_test.hpp` and `main.cpp` files.
- Implement one external function template: `maxinfo_selector` (neither a method nor a friend in the `avl_tree` class).
- Implement one external function: `count_words` (neither a method nor a friend in the `avl_tree` class).
- Be prepared to modify fragments of your solution or write additional function/template during the lab class on January 14th.

1 PART1 - CLASS DESIGN

Design a class to represent AVL tree. Write unit tests for the designed class, at least one test per method.

```
template <typename Key, typename Info>
class avl_tree
{
public:
    avl_tree();
    avl_tree (const avl_tree& src);
    ~avl_tree();
    avl_tree& operator=(const avl_tree& src);

    // insert (key, info) pair

    // remove the element by given key

    // check if given key is present

    // print nicely formatted tree structure as diagram resembling the tree

    Info& operator[](const Key& key); // indexing operator permitting update
    const Info& operator[](const Key& key) const; // indexing operator

    // define and implement, what else can be useful in such a container?
};
```

2 PART 2 – ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS

Implement one additional function template and one additional function (neither methods nor friends in the `avl_tree` class):

Function #1

- The function template `maxinfo_selector` selects a couple of the highest value elements from the `avl_tree` with respect to `Info` (`Info` must have comparison operators defined)

```
template <typename Key, typename Info>
std::vector<std::pair<Key, Info>>
    maxinfo_selector(const avl_tree<Key, Info>& tree, unsigned cnt);
```

`maxinfo_selector` returns `cnt` elements of the `tree` with the highest values of the `info` member.

Function #2

- The function `count_words` counts word occurrences in the input stream by collecting them in a specific type of the `avl_tree<string, int>`

```
avl_tree<string, int> count_words(istream& is);
```

`count_words` creates a dictionary, stored in the `avl_tree<string, int>`, mapping words found in the `is` stream to number of occurrences of each word in this stream. You can use Academic_Regulations.txt or any text file published on the Gutenberg Project page - <https://www.gutenberg.org/> as a test for your `count_words` function.