





## ALGORITHMS AND DATA STRUCTURES

ASSIGNMENT 2: Operations on Binary Search Trees. PART II: Recursion, Binary Search Trees.

## 1. Background.

The Abstract Data Type (ADT) myBinarySearchTrees<T1, T2> allows to store nodes with the format (T1 key, T2 value). Whereas T2 can be any datatype (e.g., an Integer, a String, a myPlayer, etc.), the datatype T1 is constrained to have a total order relationship  $\le$  (i.e., two elements T1 elem\_i and T1 elem\_j can be compared and sorted).

The ADT myBinarySearchTrees<T1, T2> supports the set of operations we have seen in the lectures, and it is specified in the interface myBinarySearchTree.java.

- 1. //public myBinarySearchTree<T1, T2> create\_from\_binary\_search\_node( myBinarySearchNode<T1, T2> n);
- 2. public boolean my is empty();
- 3. public myBinarySearchNode<T1, T2> my\_root();
- 4. public myBinarySearchTree<T1, T2> my left tree() throws myException;
- 5. public myBinarySearchTree<T1, T2> my\_right\_tree() throws myException;
- 6. public myBinarySearchNode<T1,T2> my find(T1 key);
- 7. public myBinarySearchTree<T1, T2> my insert(T1 key, T2 info);
- 8. public myBinarySearchTree<T1, T2> my remove(T1 key);
- 9. public int my length();
- 10. public int my node count();
- 11. public int my leaf count();
- 12. public myList<T2> my inorder();
- 13. public myList<T2> my preorder();
- 14. public myList<T2> my postorder();
- 15. public myBinarySearchNode<T1, T2> my maximum() throws myException;
- 16. public myBinarySearchNode<T1, T2> my minimum() throws myException;

All the operations are implemented in the class <u>myBinarySearchTreeImpl.java</u>.

## 2. Goal of the Assignment.

In this assignment the ADT myBinarySearchTrees<T1, T2> has been extended with 3 new operations:

- 17. public int my count at level(int level);
  - This operation receives as an input the level of the tree we are looking for, and returns the amount of nodes placed on that level.
- 18. public boolean my is balanced();

A binary tree is balanced when the length of its two subtrees (left subtree and right subtree) do not differ in more than 1 unit, and the proper left subtree and right subtree are balanced trees as well).

This operation returns if the tree is balanced or not.

- 19. public int my\_count\_smaller\_nodes(T1 key);
  This operation receives as an input a key, and returns the amount of nodes in the tree
  - This operation receives as an input a key, and returns the amount of nodes in the tree with smaller key values.
- 20. public int my\_find\_node\_at\_level(T1 key);
  This operation receives as an input a key, and returns the level were the node is located.

**Exercise:** Implement the 4 methods in the class <u>myBinarySearchTreeImpl.java</u> using recursion. *Note: You can reuse any of the other 16 defined operations if you want.* 

## 3. Marking Scheme and Submission Date.

- **Total marks:** 10 (2.5 for each operation).
- **Submission instructions:** Submit to Blackboard the file <u>myBinarySearchTreeImpl.java!</u>
- **Submission deadline:** Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May, 11:59pm.