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Aim	AVL Tree: Perform the following operations on AVL tree data structures: 1. Create 2. Insert (LL , LR , RL , RR rule) 3. Display
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## Theory

In computer science, an **AVL tree** (named after inventors **A**delson-**V**elsky and **L**andis) is a self-balancing binary search tree. It is a special type of Binary Search Tree. In an AVL tree, the heights of the two child subtrees of any node differ by at most one; if at any time they differ by more than one, rebalancing is done to restore this property. Lookup, insertion, and deletion all take  $O(\log n)$  time in both the average and worst cases, where n is the number of nodes in the tree prior to the operation. Insertions and deletions may require the tree to be rebalanced by one or more tree rotations.

In a binary tree the *balance factor* of a node X is defined to be the height difference

BF(node) = Height(Left Subtree) – Height(Right Subtree) of its two child sub-trees rooted by node X.

In an AVL tree, The balance factor of a node must always be between 1 and -1. If it goes beyond that, We must apply a rotation.

There are many types of rotations

The basic operations performed on the AVL Tree structures include all the operations performed on a binary search tree, since the AVL Tree at its core is actually just a binary search tree holding all its properties. Therefore, basic operations performed on an AVL Tree are — **Insertion** and **Deletion** and traversal.

To traverse an AVL tree is same as a binary tree (preorder, postorder,inorder)

In the Implementation of an AVL tree, we will have an int height of node along with the data.

#### **Advantages of AVL Tree:**

1. AVL trees can self-balance themselves and therefore provides time complexity as O(Log n) for search, insert and delete.

- 2. It is a BST only (with balancing), so items can be traversed in sorted order.
- 3. Since the balancing rules are strict AVL trees in general have relatively less height and hence the search is faster.

## **Disadvantages of AVL Tree:**

- 1. It is difficult to implement compared to normal BST
- 3. Due to its rather strict balance, AVL trees provide complicated insertion and removal operations as more rotations are performed.

## **Applications of AVL Tree:**

- 1. AVL Tree is used as a first example self balancing BST in teaching DSA as it is easier to understand and implement
- 2. Applications, where insertions and deletions are less common but frequent data lookups along with other operations of BST like sorted traversal, floor, ceil, min and max.
- 1. Red Black tree is more commonly implemented in language libraries like map in C++, set in C++, TreeMap in Java and TreeSet in Java.
- 4. AVL Trees can be used in a real time environment where predictable and consistent performance is required.

## Algorithm

#### 1. Insertion Algorithm:

- The insertion follows the typical binary search tree (BST) insertion, where we insert the new node in the correct position by recursively comparing it with the root and traversing left or right accordingly.
- After insertion, the height of each node along the path from the inserted node to the root is updated.

#### 2. Balancing the Tree:

After inserting the node, we check the balance factor of each ancestor node and apply rotations if necessary to restore the AVL property.

#### 3. Balance Factor Calculation:

- After updating the heights of nodes, the balance factor is recalculated as: get height(n->left) - get height(n->right)
- Depending on the balance factor, one of the four rotation cases is triggered:
  - bf > 1 (Left Heavy)  $\rightarrow$  Either LL or LR rotation is needed. Depending on the node value
  - bf < -1 (Right Heavy)  $\rightarrow$  Either RR or RL rotation is needed. Depending on the node value

#### 4. Handling Four Rotation Cases:

#### Left-Left (LL) Rotation:

This occurs when a node is inserted into the left subtree of the left child of the unbalanced node (i.e., when the balance factor of the left child is positive, and the newly inserted node is also on the left).

• To fix this, we perform a **right rotation**.

### o Right-Right (RR) Rotation:

- This occurs when a node is inserted into the right subtree of the right child of the unbalanced node (i.e., when the balance factor of the right child is negative, and the newly inserted node is also on the right).
- To fix this, we perform a **left rotation**.

#### o Left-Right (LR) Rotation:

- This occurs when a node is inserted into the right subtree of the left child of the unbalanced node (i.e., when the balance factor of the left child is positive, but the newly inserted node is on the right).
- This requires two rotations: first a **left rotation** on the left child, followed by a **right rotation** on the unbalanced node.

# o Right-Left (RL) Rotation:

- This occurs when a node is inserted into the left subtree of the right child of the unbalanced node (i.e., when the balance factor of the right child is negative, but the newly inserted node is on the left).
- This requires two rotations: first a right rotation on the right child, followed by a left rotation on the unbalanced node.

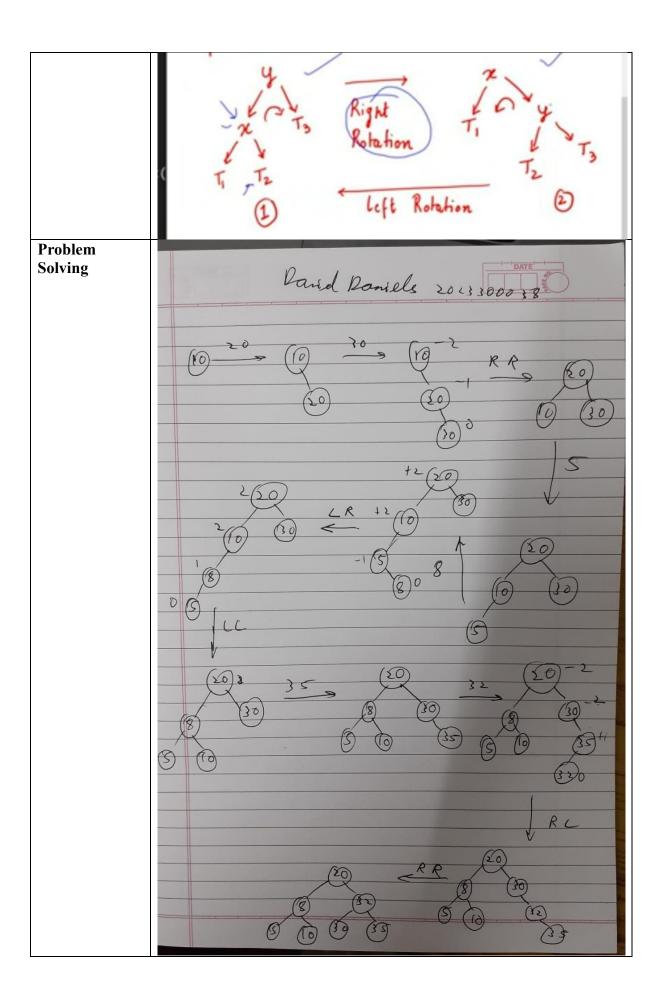
#### 5. Rotation Functions:

#### • Right Rotation (LL Case):

 It performs a rightward rotation around a node that has become left-heavy (LL case). The left child of the node becomes the new root, and the node itself becomes the right child of the new root.

#### Left Rotation (RR Case):

• It performs a leftward rotation around a node that has become right-heavy (RR case). The right child of the node becomes the new root, and the node itself becomes the left child of the new root.



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Program(Code
                  #include <stdio.h>
                  #include <stdlib.h>
                  #include <stdbool.h>
                  typedef struct node
                     int data;
                     struct node * left;
                     struct node * right;
                     int height;
                  }node;
                  int max(int a, int b)
                     return a>b?a:b;
                  void preorder(node * root)
                     if (root!=NULL)
                       printf("%d \n",root->data);
                       preorder(root->left);
                       preorder(root->right);
                  void postorder(node * root)
                     if (root!=NULL)
                       postorder(root->left);
                       postorder(root->right);
                       printf("%d \n",root->data);
                   }
                  void inorder(node * root)
                     if (root!=NULL)
                       inorder(root->left);
                       printf("%d \n",root->data);
                       inorder(root->right);
                  int get height(node * n)
                     return n?n->height:0;
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}
int get bal f(node * n)
  return n?get_height(n->left) - get_height(n->right):0;
node * create node(int d)
  node * ptr = (node * ) malloc(sizeof(node));
  ptr->left=NULL;
  ptr->right=NULL;
  ptr->data=d;
  ptr->height=1;
  return ptr;
void preorder with bal(node * root)
  if (root!=NULL)
    printf("%d (%d),", root->data, get bal f(root));
    preorder with bal(root->left);
    preorder_with_bal(root->right);
node * right rotate(node * y)
  struct node x = y- left;
  struct node T2 = x- right;
  x->right = y;
  y->left = T2;
  y->height = max(get height(y->left),get height(y->right)) + 1;
  x->height = max(get height(x->left),get height(x->right)) + 1;
  return x;
}
node * left rotate(node * x)
  struct node *y = x - ight;
  struct node T2 = y->left;
  y->left = x;
  x->right = T2;
  x->height = max(get height(x->left),get height(x->right)) + 1;
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y->height = max(get height(y->left),get height(y->right)) + 1;
  return y;
}
node * insert(node * root, int data)
  if (root==NULL)
     return create node(data);
  if (data <root->data)
     root->left=insert(root->left,data);
  else if (data>root->data)
     root->right=insert(root->right,data);
  //we are using recursion
  //dont worry the height will be updated from leaf node onwards (on
the path we are on)
  root->height= 1+ max( get height(root->left), get height(root-
>right));
  int bf = get bal f(root);
  printf("Before Impending Rotation After Insertion: \n");
  preorder(root);
  printf("\n");
  //recursion always gives the lowest unbalanced node
  //LL
  if (bf>1 && root->left!=NULL && data < root->left->data)
     printf("Appying LL Rotation \n");
     return right rotate(root);
  //RR
  if (bf<-1 && root->right!=NULL && data > root->right->data)
     printf("Appying RR Rotation \n");
     return left rotate(root);
  //LR
  if (bf>1 && data > root->left->data)
     printf("Appying LR Rotation \n");
     root->left = left rotate(root->left);
     return right rotate(root);
  }
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//RL
  if (bf < -1 \&\& data < root->right->data)
  printf("Applying RL Rotation \n");
  root->right = right_rotate(root->right);
  return left rotate(root);
  return root;
void free_tree (node * root)
  if (root==NULL)
    return;
  free_tree(root->left);
  free tree(root->right);
  free(root);
void choice(node * root)
  int choice=0,num=0;
  printf(" Enter 1 for Preorder \n Enter 2 for Inorder \n Enter 3 for
Postorder \n Enter 4 to Insert \n Enter 0 to Exit \n");
  while (true)
  printf("Enter choice \n");
     scanf("%d",&choice);
     if (choice==0)
       printf("\nGoodbye\n");
       break;
  switch (choice)
  case 1:
       printf("Preorder Is: \n");
       preorder(root);
       printf("\n\n");
       break;
  case 2:
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printf("Inorder Is: \n");
       inorder(root);
       printf("\n\n");
       break;
  case 3:
       printf("Postorder Is: \n");
       postorder(root);
       printf("\n\n");
       break;
  case 4:
       printf("Enter number to Insert \n");
       scanf("%d", &num);
       root=insert(root,num);
       printf("After Insertion is complete: \n");
       preorder_with_bal(root);
       printf("\n");
       break;
  default:
       printf("ERROR");
       break;
int main(int argc, char const *argv[])
  node * root =NULL;
  choice(root);
  free tree(root);
  return 0;
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Output
              Enter 1 for Preorder
              Enter 2 for Inorder
              Enter 3 for Postorder
              Enter 4 to Insert
              Enter 0 to Exit
             Enter choice
             4
             Enter number to Insert
             40
             After Insertion is complete:
             40 (0),
             Enter choice
             Enter number to Insert
             Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
             40
             50
             After Insertion is complete:
             40 (-1) ,50 (0) ,
             Enter choice
             Enter number to Insert
             60
             Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
             50
             60
```

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Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
40
50
60
Appying RR Rotation
After Insertion is complete:
50 (0) ,40 (0) ,60 (0) ,
Enter choice
Enter number to Insert
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
60
70
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
50
40
60
70
After Insertion is complete:
50 (-1) ,40 (0) ,60 (-1) ,70 (0) ,
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Enter choice
Enter number to Insert
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
60
70
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
50
40
60
70
After Insertion is complete:
50 (-1) ,40 (0) ,60 (-1) ,70 (0) ,
Enter choice
Enter number to Insert
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
70
65
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
70
65
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Applying RL Rotation
Before Impending Rotation After Insertion:
50
40
65
60
70
After Insertion is complete:
50 (-1) ,40 (0) ,65 (0) ,60 (0) ,70 (0) ,
Enter choice
2
Inorder Is:
40
50
60
65
70
Enter choice
0
Goodbye
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Conclusion

Thus, we have seen the operations of creating, inserting, and displaying elements in an AVL tree, while adhering to the balancing rules of LL, LR, RL, and RR. These rotations ensure that the tree remains balanced after each insertion, maintaining optimal search, insert, and delete operations in logarithmic time. By implementing and testing various insertion scenarios, we gained a deeper understanding of how AVL trees dynamically balance themselves to avoid skewed structures, which can lead to inefficient performance. Thus we have understood how to maintain balance in a binary search tree using avl tree.