

# Software engineering practices

## HW1 : Debug an AVL implementation

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A. Bug 1：在 AVL Tree rotation 的 旋轉邏輯(1) 及 傳入參數(2) 有誤，造成產生循環引用的樹狀結構，因此在 `postorder()` 遍歷整個樹的節點時，會不斷沿著這個循環遞迴，最終造成 `StackOverflowError`

✓ Sample test case：insert elements 10 -> 9 -> 8

因為 旋轉邏輯(1) 及 傳入參數(2) 有誤，在執行此函數後會造成循環引用的樹狀結構 8 -> 9 -> 8 -> 9 -> 8 -> 9 .....

```
class AVLTree {
    private int max(int lhs, int rhs) {
        return lhs > rhs ? lhs : rhs;
    }

    private AVLNode insert(int x, AVLNode t) {
        if (t == null) {
            t = new AVLNode(x);
        } else if (x < t.data) {
            t.left = insert(x, t.left);
            if (height(t.left) - height(t.right) == 2) {
                if (x < t.left.data) {
                    t = rotateWithLeftChild(t.left);
                } else {
                    t = doubleWithLeftChild(t);
                }
            }
        } else if (x > t.data) {
            t.right = insert(x, t.right);
            if (height(t.right) - height(t.left) == 2) {
                if (x > t.right.data) {
                    t = rotateWithRightChild(t.right);
                } else {
                    t = doubleWithRightChild(t);
                }
            }
        }
        t.height = max(height(t.left), height(t.right)) + 1;
        return t;
    }

    private AVLNode rotateWithLeftChild(AVLNode k2) {
        AVLNode k1 = k2.left;
        k2.left = k1.left;
        k1.left = k2;
        k2.height = max(height(k2.left), height(k2.right)) + 1;
        k1.height = max(height(k1.left), k2.height) + 1;
        return k1;
    }
}
```

```
class AVLTree {
    private AVLNode insert(int x, AVLNode t) {
        if (x > t.data) {
            t.right = insert(x, t.right);
            if (height(t.right) - height(t.left) == 2) {
                if (x > t.right.data) {
                    t = rotateWithLeftChild(t.right);
                } else {
                    t = doubleWithRightChild(t);
                }
            }
        } else {
            // Duplicate, do nothing
        }
        t.height = max(height(t.left), height(t.right)) + 1;
        return t;
    }

    private AVLNode rotateWithLeftChild(AVLNode k2) {
        AVLNode k1 = k2.left;
        k2.left = k1.left;
        k1.left = k2;
        k2.height = max(height(k2.left), height(k2.right)) + 1;
        k1.height = max(height(k1.left), k2.height) + 1;
        return k1;
    }
}
```

- ✓ 旋轉邏輯(1) 錯誤解釋：以 LL 旋轉為例，正確的右旋轉應該是讓 k2 (BF > 1 的 node) 的左子指向 k1 的右子，再讓 k1 的右子指向 k2，而這裡卻將 k2 的右子指向 k1 的左子，再讓 k1 的左子指向 k2，而 RR 的旋轉邏輯亦同樣有相似於上方例子的邏輯錯誤。

\*/ BF : Balance Factor

- ✓ 錯誤處及改正後的程式碼：Red means the bug / Green means the corrections

/\* Function to insert data recursively \*/

private AVLNode insert(int x, AVLNode t)

{

if (t == null)

t = new AVLNode(x);

else if (x < t.data)

{

t.left = insert( x, t.left );

if( height( t.left ) - height( t.right ) == 2 )

if( x < t.left.data ) // means the situation of "LL"

// t = rotateWithLeftChild( t.left ); // It causes the

BUGGGGG!!!

t = rotateWithLeftChild( t ); // SINGLE ROTATION

// Before debugging, "t" here is the root node.

//But only pass the t.left, you can't get the root node when you do the LL rotation

// changed t.left to t --> To get the whole tree from root node

else

t = doubleWithLeftChild( t );

}

else if( x > t.data )

{

t.right = insert( x, t.right );

if( height( t.right ) - height( t.left ) == 2 )

if( x > t.right.data)

// t = rotateWithLeftChild( t.right ); // It causes the

BUGGGGG!!!

t = rotateWithRightChild( t );

```

        else
            t = doubleWithRightChild( t );
    }
    else
        ; // Duplicate; do nothing
    t.height = max( height( t.left ), height( t.right ) ) + 1;
    return t;
}

```

/\* Rotate binary tree node with left child \*/

```

private AVLNode rotateWithLeftChild(AVLNode k2) // LL pattern
{

```

```

    // Following codes are incorrect for the LL right rotation

```

```

    AVLNode k1 = k2.left;

```

```

    k2.right = k1.left;

```

```

    k1.left = k2;

```

```

    k2.height = max( height( k2.left ), height( k2.right ) ) + 1;

```

```

    k1.height = max( height( k1.left ), k2.height ) + 1;

```

```

    // Correct version of the LL right rotation

```

```

    // AVLNode k1 = k2.left;

```

```

    // k2.left = k1.right;

```

```

    // k1.right = k2;

```

```

    // k2.height = max( height( k2.left ), height( k2.right ) ) + 1;

```

```

    // k1.height = max(height(k1.left), height(k1.right)) + 1;

```

```

    return k1;

```

```

}

```

/\* Rotate binary tree node with right child \*/

```

private AVLNode rotateWithRightChild(AVLNode k1) // RR pattern
{

```

```

    // Following codes are incorrect for the RR left rotation

```

```

    AVLNode k2 = k1.right;

```

```

    k1.left = k2.right;

```

```

    k2.right = k1;

```

```

    k1.height = max( height( k1.left ), height( k1.right ) ) + 1;

```

```

    k2.height = max( height( k2.right ), k1.height ) + 1;

```

```

    // Correct version of the RR left rotation5

```

```

    // AVLNode k2 = k1.right;

```

```

    // k1.right = k2.left;

```

```

        // k2.left = k1;
        // k1.height = max( height( k1.left ), height( k1.right ) ) + 1;
        // k2.height = max(height(k2.left), height(k2.right)) + 1;

    return k2;
}

```

- ✓ 傳入參數(2) 錯誤解釋：以下圖為例，t 在此時指向原 root node (data=10)，而傳入參數為 t.left(data=9)，因此造成在 LL 旋轉 function 內，是讀不到原 root node(data=10) 這個節點的，因此在 function return 後，AVL Tree 失去了 AVLnode(data=10)

The screenshot shows a debugger's variable window on the left and the source code of an AVL tree insertion function on the right.

**VARIABLES**

- Local
  - x = 8
  - t = AVLNode@12
    - data = 10
    - height = 1
    - left = AVLNode@18
      - data = 9
      - height = 1
      - left = AVLNode@19
        - data = 8
        - height = 0
        - left = null
        - right = null
      - right = null
    - right = null
- > this = AVLTree@10

**src > AVLTree.java > AVLTree > insert(int, AVLNode)**

```

2   class AVLTree
31  // Function to max of left/right node
32  private int max(int lhs, int rhs)
33  {
34      return lhs > rhs ? lhs : rhs;
35  }
36
37  /* Function to insert data recursively */
38  private AVLNode insert(int x, AVLNode t)
39  {
40      if (t == null) // When confirming that t is null
41          t = new AVLNode(x); // Create a new node with data x
42      else if (x < t.data)
43      {
44          t.left = insert(x, t.left);
45          if( height( t.left ) - height( t.right ) == 2 )
46              if( x < t.left.data ) // means the situation of LL
47                  t = rotateWithLeftChild( t.left ); // It causes
48                  // t = rotateWithLeftChild( t ); // SINGLE
49                  // Before debugging, "t" here is the root node
50                  // (But after debugging, the t is the root node)

```

B. Bug 2 : search function 混用 迴圈與遞迴操作，而因為使用不必要的遞迴操作，容易造成堆疊深度過大，而 StackOverflowError

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(單獨使用 loop or recursion operation for traversal searching to the tree)

```
private boolean search(AVLNode r, int val)
{
```

```
    // Mixed use the operation of recursion and loop
```

```
    // --> the recursion operation is not necessary because we can only
    traverse the tree by loops
```

```
    // boolean found = false;
```

```
    // while ((r != null) && !found)
```

```
    // {
```

```
        // int rval = r.data;
```

```
        // if (val < rval)
```

```
            // r = r.left;
```

```
        // else if (val > rval)
```

```
            // r = r.right;
```

```
        // else
```

```
            // {
```

```
                // found = true;
```

```
                // break;
```

```
            // }
```

```
        // found = search(r, val);
```

```
    // }
```

```
    // return found;
```

```
    // Correct version by only using the loop operation
```

```
    // while (r != null) {
```

```
        // if (val < r.data)
```

```
            // r = r.left;
```

```
        // else if (val > r.data)
```

```
            // r = r.right;
```

```
        // else
```

```
            // return true;
```

```
// }
```

```
// return false;
```

```
// Correct version by only using the recursion operation
```

```
if (r == null)
```

```
    return false;
```

```
if (val == r.data)
```

```
    return true;
```

```
else if (val < r.data)
```

```
    return search(r.left, val);
```

```
else // val > r.data
```

```
    return search(r.right, val);
```

```
}
```