

Introduction to Algorithms

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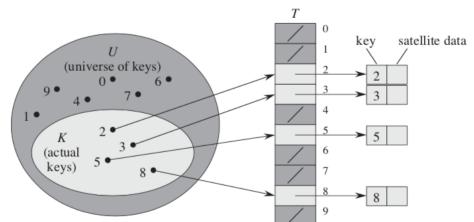
Direct-address tables

Introduction

- > A hash table is an effective data structure for implementing dictionaries
- > The average time to search for an element in a hash table is O(1)
 - ✓ In worst case, searching for an element in a hash table equals to linked list : $\theta(n)$

Definition of direct-address tables

- ➤ Works well when the universe *U* of keys is reasonably small
- \triangleright Each element has a key from the universe $U = \{0,1,...,m-1\} \rightarrow$ no two elements have the same key



- \triangleright Use a direct-address table denoted by T[0,...,m-1]
- > Each slot corresponds to a key in the universe U
- Slot k points to an element in the set with the key k
- If the set contains no element with key k, then T[k] = NIL



Direct-address tables

The operation of table

```
DIRECT-ADDRESS-SEARCH(T, k) DIRECT-ADDRESS-DELETE(T, x) DIRECT-ADDRESS-INSERT(T, x)
1 return T[k] 1 T[x.key] = NIL 1 T[x.key] = x
```

 \triangleright Each of the operations takes only O(1) time

Hash tables

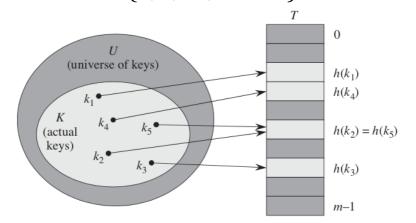
- introduction
 - > The disadvantages of direct addressing table
 - ✓ If the universe U is large, a table T of size |U| may be impossible in given memory
 - ✓ The set k of keys actually stored may be small relative to $U \rightarrow$ most of the space allocated for T would be wasted



Hash tables

definition

- > The hash table requires much less storage than a direct address table
- \triangleright Reduce the storage requirement to $\theta(|k|)$, maintaining the benefit that searching for an element in only O(1) time
- \triangleright With hashing, the element k is stored in slot h(k)
 - \checkmark In direct address table, stored in slot k
 - \checkmark Use hash function h to compute the slot from the key k
 - ✓ h maps the universe U of keys into slots of a hash table T[0,...,m-1]
 - $\checkmark h: U \to \{0, 1, ..., m-1\}$

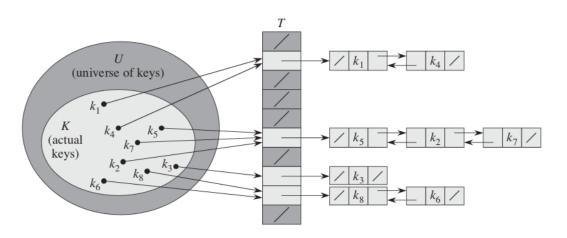


- Reduces the range of array indices and the size of array T
- \triangleright there is a collision problem like $h(k_2) = h(k_5)$
- Introduce effective techniques for resolving the conflict created by collision

Hash tables

- problems
 - > The ideal solution would be to avoid collision
 - $\checkmark |U| > m$, must be at least two keys that have the same hash value
 - ✓ Avoiding collisions altogether is impossible
 - ✓ Present the simplest collision resolution technique called chaning

Collision resolution by chaning



- Place all elements that hash to the same slot into the same linked-list
- ➤ Slot *j* contains a pointer to the head of the list all stored elements that hash to *j*
- ➤ If there are no elements, slot *j* contains *NIL*



Hash tables

- The operations on hash table T
 - > Easy to implement when collisions are resolved by chaning
 - \triangleright Worst case running time for *INSERT* & *DELETE* : O(1)

```
CHAINED-HASH-INSERT (T, x) CHAINED-HASH-SEARCH (T, k) CHAINED-HASH-DELETE (T, x) 1 insert x at the head of list T[h(x.key)] 1 search for an element with key k in list T[h(k)] 1 delete x from the list T[h(x.key)]
```

Hash functions

- Introduction
 - > In this chapter, we discuss some issues regarding the design of good hash functions
 - > Present three methods for their creation
 - > A good hash function satisfies the assumption of simple uniform hashing
 - ✓ Each key is equally likely to hash to any of the m slots, independently, evenly.



Hash functions

- The division method
 - \triangleright Map a key k into one of m slots by taking the remainder of k divided by m
 - $> h(k) = k \mod m$
 - ✓ Hash table size m = 12, key k = 100
 - $\checkmark h(k) = 4$
 - > Requires only a single division operation, hashing by division is quite fast

The multiplication method

- \triangleright Multiply the key k by a constant A in the range 0 < A < 1 and extract the fractional part of kA
- > Multiply this value by m and take the floor of the result
- $\triangleright h(k) = \lfloor m(kA \mod 1) \rfloor$

Represent the fractional part of kA, that is $kA - \lfloor kA \rfloor$



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NIL

NIL

Hash Tables

Hash functions

- Universal hashing
 - ➤ In worst-case, n elements are hashed to the same slot
 - ✓ Retreival time is $\theta(n)$
 - ✓ Fixed hash function is vulnerable to such worst-case
 - Choose the hash function randomly in a way that is independent of the keys that are actually going to be stored

Open addressing

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- > All elements occupy the hash table itself
 - ✓ Each table entry contains either the element or NIL value
- > no elements are stored outside the table unlike in chaining
- The advantage of open addressing is that it avoids pointers altogether
 - ✓ Instead of following pointers, compute the sequence of slots

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NIL

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Hash Tables

Open addressing

- Insertion
 - > Probe the hash table until we find an empty slot
 - > Require that for every key k, there is a prob sequence

```
\checkmark \langle h(k,0), h(k,1), \dots, h(k,m-1) \rangle probe number
```

✓ Every hash table slots are considered as a slot for a new key as the table fills up

HASH-INSERT(T, k)

- > Each slot contains key or NIL
- \triangleright Input : table T, key k
- Output: inserted index number or error message
- ➤ line 3 : get index number which is hashed
- ➤ line 4~6: if it finds an empty slot, insert element
- ➤ line 7: if it is not empty slot, examine the next slot
- ➤ Line 8~9: if it examine all slots → hash overflow



Open addressing

Search

The algorithm for searching key k probes the same sequence of slots that the insertion algorithm examined when key k was inserted

- > Search can terminate unsuccessfully when it finds an empty slot
 - ✓ Since k would has been inserted there
 - ✓ Not later in its probe sequence

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HASH-SEARCH(T, k)

1  i = 0

2  repeat

3   j = h(k, i)

4   if T[j] == k

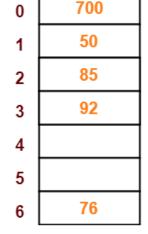
5   return j

6   i = i + 1

7  until T[j] == NIL or i == m

8  return NIL
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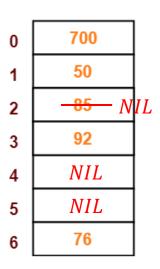
- \triangleright Input: table T, key k
- Output
 - ✓ j if it finds slot contains key k
 - ✓ NIL if it doesn't find the element
- ➤ line 3 : get index number
- > line 4~5 find the element
- ➤ line 7~8: if there is no element, return NIL





Open addressing

- Deletion
 - > Deletion from an open-address hash table is difficult
 - \triangleright When we delete a key from slot i, we cannot simply mark that slot as NIL
 - \checkmark If we did, we might be unable to retrieve any key k
 - \triangleright By marking the slot as *DELETED*, we solve this problem
 - ✓ Modify the procedure HASH INSERT to treat such slot as empty





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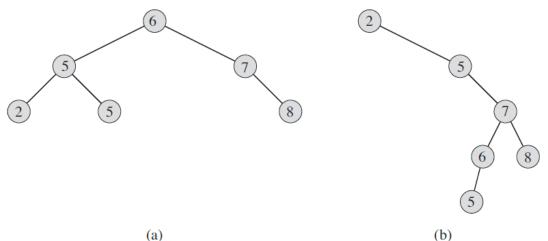
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What is a binary search tree?

- Introduction
 - > Search tree data structure supports many operations, including SEARCH, MINIMUM, MAXIMUM, PREDECESSOR, SUCCESSOR, INSERT, DELETE
 - > Basic operations on a binary search tree take time proportional to the height of the tree $\theta(\lg n) = \theta(h)$

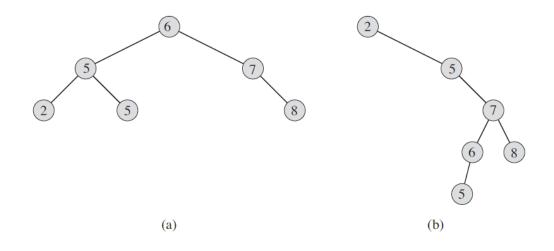
Definition of binary search tree



- > Represent such a tree by a linked data structure in which each node is an object
- > Each node contains a key, satellite data, attributes left, right, and p

What is a binary search tree?

Definition of binary search tree



- > Attributes *left*, *right*
 - ✓ Point to the notes corresponding to its left and right child
- > Attributes P
 - ✓ Point to its parent nodes
- ➤ If child or parents is missing, the attribute contains the value *NIL*

➤ Binary search tree property

Let x be a node in a binary search tree. If y is a node in the left subtree of x, then $y.key \le x.key$. If y is a node in the right subtree of x, then $y.key \ge x.key$.

✓ This property holds for every node in tree



What is a binary search tree?

- Inorder-tree-walk
 - > BST property allows us to print out all the key in a BST in sorted order
 - > Print the root of a subtree between printing the left and right subtree (inorder)
 - ✓ Preorder: print the root before the values in either subtree
 - ✓ Postorder: print the root after the values in either subtree

```
INORDER-TREE-WALK(x)

1 if x \neq \text{NIL}

2 INORDER-TREE-WALK(x.left)

3 print x.key

4 INORDER-TREE-WALK(x.right)

8
6
```

- ✓ Takes $\theta(n)$ time to walk an n-node BST
 - ✓ After the initial call, the procedure calls itself recursively exactly twice for each node



What is a binary search tree?

Inorder-tree-walk

Theorem 12.1

If x is the root of an n-node subtree, then the call INORDER-TREE-WALK (x) takes $\Theta(n)$ time.

> Proof of the theorem

- $\checkmark T(n)$: the time taken by INORDER TREE WALK
- ✓ If n = 0, T(0) = c
- ✓ For n>0, left subtree has k nodes, right subtree has n-k-1 nodes
- $\checkmark T(n) \le T(k) + T(n-k-1) + d$ for some constant d > 0
- ✓ Using substitution method, $T(n) \le (c+d)n + c$
- ✓ For n = 0, T(0) = (c + d) * 0 + c = c
- ✓ For n > 0, $T(n) \le T(k) + T(n k 1) + d$ = ((c + d)k + c) + ((c + d)(n - k - 1) + c) + d = (c + d)n + c - (c + d) + c + d = (c + d)n + c



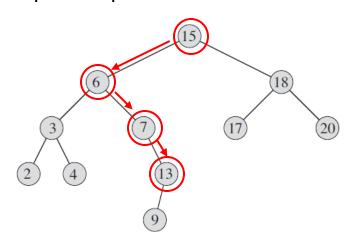
Querying a BST

Introduction

- ➤ In this section, introduce SEARCH, MINIMUM, MAXIMUM, SUCCESSOR, PREDESSESSOR
- \triangleright Show how to support each one in time $O(h) \rightarrow$ height of BST is h

Searching

- > Search for a node with a given key in a BST
- ➤ Input: a pointer to the root node & key k
- \triangleright Output: a pointer to a node with key k or NIL

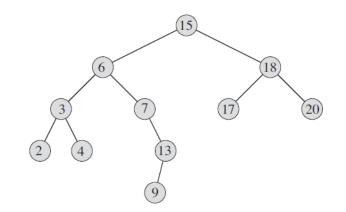


- > To search for the key 13
 - ✓ Follow the path $15 \rightarrow 6 \rightarrow 7 \rightarrow 13$
- For each node *x* it encounters, it compares the key *k* with *x*. *key*



Querying a BST

- Searching
 - ➤ Input: a pointer to the root node & key k
 - \triangleright Output: a pointer to a node with key k or NIL



```
TREE-SEARCH(x, k)
```

```
1  if x == NIL or k == x.key
2   return x
3  if k < x.key
4  return TREE-SEARCH(x.left, k)
5  else return TREE-SEARCH(x.right, k)</pre>
```

- \triangleright Line 1~2: if it finds key k or there are no elements, return x (NIL or x. key)
- \triangleright Line 3~4: if k is smaller than x. key, the search continues in the left subtree of x
 - ✓ The BST property implies that k could not be stored in the right subtree
- ✓ Line 5: symmetrically with the line 3~4



Querying a BST

- Searching
 - > Can rewrite this procedure in a iterative fashion

```
TREE-SEARCH(x,k)

1 if x == \text{NIL or } k == x.key

2 return x

3 if k < x.key

4 return Tree-Search(x.left,k)

5 else return Tree-Search(x.right,k)

ITERATIVE-Tree-Search(x,k)

1 while x \neq \text{NIL and } k \neq x.key

2 if k < x.key

3 x = x.left

4 else x = x.right

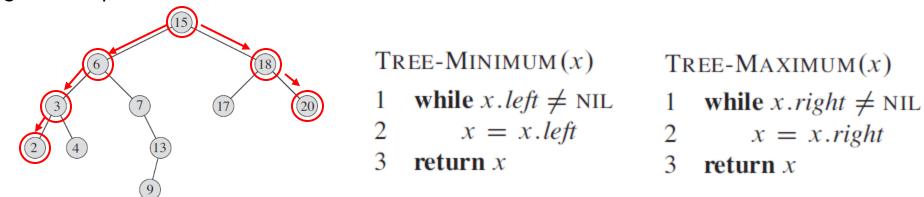
5 return x
```

- \triangleright The running time of TREE SEARCH is O(h)
 - $\checkmark h$ is the height of tree
 - ✓ Encounter nodes from the root of the tree to the finding key in a simple path downward.



Querying a BST

- Minimum and Maximum
 - ➤ Can always find an element in a BST whose key is a minimum or maximum by following left or right child pointers from the root until we encounter a NIL

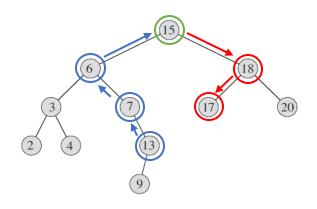


- \triangleright Input : pointer to the root node x
- ➤ Output: pointer to the minimum or maximum element
- \triangleright The running time of these procedure is O(h)
 - ✓ The sequence of nodes encountered forms a simple path downward from the root



Querying a BST

- Successor and predecessor
 - > Find node x's successor in the sorted order determined by an inorder tree walk



- \triangleright The successor of a node x is the node with the smallest key greater than x. key
- ➤ BST allows us to determine the successor without ever comparing keys

TREE-SUCCESSOR (x)

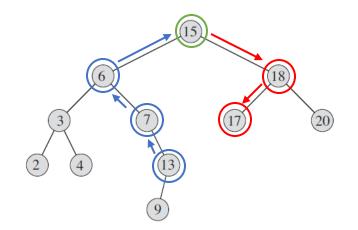
- 1 **if** $x.right \neq NIL$
- 2 **return** TREE-MINIMUM (x.right)
- y = x.p
- 4 while $y \neq NIL$ and x == y.right
- $5 \qquad x = y$
- 6 y = y.p
- 7 **return** y

- ➤ Input : pointer of node *x*
- Output : pointer of node x's successor in sorted order
- Divide the pseudocode in two steps
- First step: node x has right subtree
 - ✓ Line 1~2: find the minimum value on right subtree



Querying a BST

Successor and predecessor



```
TREE-SUCCESSOR (x)

1 if x.right \neq NIL

2 return TREE-MINIMUM (x.right)

3 y = x.p

4 while y \neq NIL and x == y.right

5 x = y

6 y = y.p

7 return y
```

- > Second step: node x has no right subtree
 - ✓ Find the parents node which is larger than child
 - ✓ Line 3~7: simply go up the tree from x until encounter a node that is the left child of its parent
- \triangleright The running time of tree successor on a tree of height h is O(h)
 - ✓ Either follow a simple path up the tree or down the tree



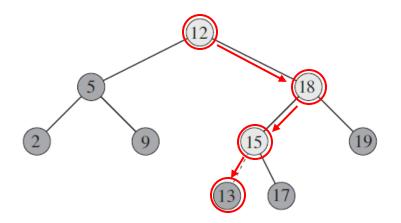
Insertion and deletion

Definition

- > The operation of insertion and deletion cause the dynamic set represented by a BST to change
 - ✓ The BST property continues to hold

Insertion

- \triangleright To insert the new value v into a BST T, we use the procedure TREE INSERT(T,z)
- \triangleright Initialize the node z for which z. key = v, z. left = NIL, z. right = NIL



- > TREE-INSERT begins at the root of the tree
- pointer x traces a simple path downward looking for a NIL
- replace *NIL* with the input item z



Insertion and deletion

Insertion

```
Tree-Insert (T, z)
    y = NIL
   x = T.root
    while x \neq NIL
        y = x
      if z.key < x.key
            x = x.left
        else x = x.right
    z.p = y
    if y == NIL
        T.root = z
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                    // tree T was empty
    elseif z.key < y.key
12
        y.left = z
    else y.right = z
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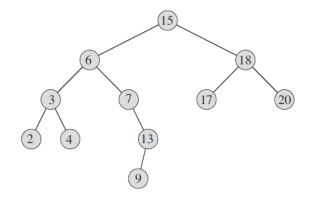
- \rightarrow Line 1~2: initialize x, y
 - $\checkmark x$: current node
 - \checkmark y: parent node of x
- ➤ Line 3~7
 - ✓ While loop causes two pointers to move down
 - ✓ Going left or right depending on the comparison of *z. key* with *x. key* until *x* becomes *NIL*
- ➤ Line 8~13
 - ✓ Set the pointer that cause z to be inserted.
- \triangleright The running time is O(h)
 - ✓ Start from root to NIL



Insertion and deletion

Deletion

> The overall strategy for deleting a node z from a BST T has three basic cases



> First case

- ✓ z has no children
- ✓ Simply remove it by modifying its parent to replace *z* with *NIL* as its child
- ✓ Delete 9 \rightarrow 13. left = NIL

> Second case

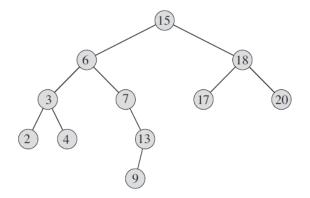
- ✓ z has just one child
- ✓ Elevate that child to take z's position by modifying z's parent to replace z by z's child
- ✓ Delete 13 \rightarrow 7. right = 9 \rightarrow 9. p = 7



Insertion and deletion

Deletion

 \triangleright The overall strategy for deleting a node z from a BST T has three basic cases



> Third case

- ✓ z has two children
- ✓ Find z's successor y
- ✓ Rest of z's original right & left subtree becomes y's new right
 & left subtree
- ✓ Delete 15 \rightarrow find successor 17 \rightarrow 17. left = 6 & 17. right = 18
- \triangleright In order to move subtree around within the BST, we define a subroutine TRANSPLANT(T, u, v)
 - ✓ Replace the subtree rooted at node *u* with the subtree rooted at node *v*
 - ✓ Node u's parent becomes node v's parent



Insertion and deletion

- Deletion
 - ➤ Pseudocode for *TRANSPLANT*

```
TRANSPLANT(T, u, v) \checkmark Line 1~2: handle the case v is root of T

1 if u.p == \text{NIL}

2 T.root = v

3 elseif u == u.p.left

4 u.p.left = v

5 else u.p.right = v

6 if v \neq \text{NIL}

7 v.p = u.p

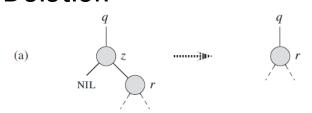
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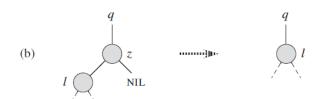
Line 3~5: examine v is left child or right child, updating u.p.left or u.p.right
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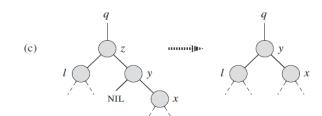


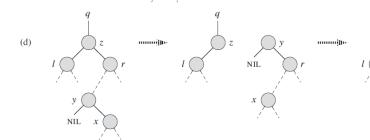
Insertion and deletion

Deletion









- \triangleright (a) : z has no left child
 - ✓ Replace z with its right child
- \triangleright (b) : z has no right child
 - ✓ Replace z with its left child
- \triangleright (c): z has both left & right child \rightarrow successor y is z's right child
 - \checkmark Replace z with its right child y
 - (d): z has both left & right child → successor y is not z's right child
 - ✓ Replace y by its own right child x
 - \checkmark Replace z with y

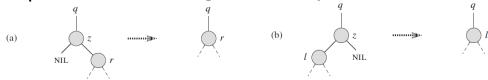


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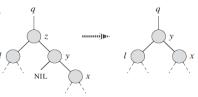
- Deletion
 - ➤ Pseudocode for TREE DELETE
 - ➤ Delete node z from BST T

```
Tree-Delete (T, z)
    if z. left == NIL
         TRANSPLANT(T, z, z.right)
    elseif z.right == NIL
         TRANSPLANT(T, z, z. left)
    else y = \text{Tree-Minimum}(z.right)
        if y.p \neq z
 6
             TRANSPLANT(T, y, y.right)
             y.right = z.right
 9
             y.right.p = y
10
         TRANSPLANT(T, z, y)
        y.left = z.left
         y.left.p = y
```

- ➤ Line 1~2 or line 3~4
 - ✓ Only have right or left child
 - ✓ Replace z with z. right or z. left



- ➤ Line 5
 - \checkmark Find the minimum key in right subtree (successor y)
- ✓ Line 10~12
 - ✓ If $y.p == z \rightarrow y$ is right child of z
 - ✓ Replace z with y
 - \checkmark Connect z. left with y

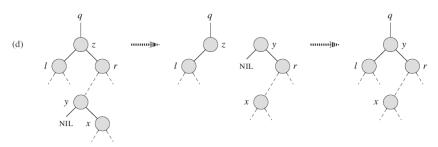


Insertion and deletion

- Deletion
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             y.right.p = y
        TRANSPLANT(T, z, y)
10
        y.left = z.left
12
        y.left.p = y
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- ➤ Line 6~9
 - ✓ Successor y is not a right child of z
 - \checkmark Replace y with y. right



- The running time of TREE DELETE and TRANSPLANT takes constant time O(1)
- ightharpoonup TREE MINIMUM takes <math>O(h)



Thank You!

