IIT Ropar CSL201 Data Structures Semester 1, AY 2016/17

Lab Assignment 2 - 50 marks Due on 12th September, 11:59 PM

Objective

To understand and implement stacks, queues, and binary trees.

Instructions

- 1. There are four programming questions; you have to do all four questions.
- 2. You are to use C++ programming language to complete the assignment.
- 3. Provide a Makefile to compile your final code.
- 4. This is an individual assignment. You can have high level discussions with other students, though.
- 5. Include a "Readme.txt" file on how to compile and run the code.
- 6. Upload your submission to moodle by the due date and time. After due date, your submission will be evaluated with 10% penalty per day for next two days. After that, your submission will not be evaluated.

Questions

1. [10 marks] In a correct C++ program, each opening group symbol should have a matching closing group symbol. For example a possible correct order of grouping symbols is $\{()\{()\}\}\}$, while an incorrect order is $\{()\{()\}\}\}$. In addition to the traditional symbols, the C++ version we are using has one more delimiting symbol, \$, which is used to print value of an expression. We call this version EC++. For example, int main(){

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//some code
$5*(6+4/(3+2))$
//some code
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Note that the grouping symbol should be balanced between two delimiting symbols.

Write a program that takes input a EC++ file and returns true if all grouping and delimiting symbols are matching otherwise returns false. [Hint: can use two stacks].

2. [10 marks] Consider the following problem: Given an input sequence a_0, \dots, a_{n-1} of n positive numbers, output a sequence b_0, \dots, b_{n-1} where for any $i \in \{0, \dots, n-1\}$, b_i is the rightmost number to the left of a_i that is bigger than a_i in the given sequence. If no number to the left of a_i is bigger than a_i , then b_i is defined to be -1. Thus b_0 is always -1 because there is no number to the left of a_0 . For instance, if n=7 and the input sequence is 7, 2, 5, 3, 6, 9, 1, then the output sequence is -1, 7, 7, 5, 7, -1, 9.

Give an algorithm for computing the output sequence from the input sequence in linear (i.e., O(n)) time. [Hint: Use a Stack].

3. [10 marks] We define range of an integer array as the tuple of minimum and maximum elements. For example, the range of array [2, 5, 7, 3, 6, 4, 8] is (2, 8). Given a large array of size n, find range of each contiguous subarray of size k and store in a vector. For example, the subarray range vector for k = 3 and given array would be: Subarray range vector = (2, 7), (3, 7), (3, 7), (3, 6), (4, 8).

Design and implement an algorithm to obtain subarray range vector for given k in O(n) time. [Hint: use queue/deque].

4. [20 marks] Read a randomly ordered sequence of integers and store them in a doubly linked list. Use in-place insertion sort to sort the elements of the linked list. Now convert this list into a binary search tree with minimum height possible. Write another program to test whether a given tree is BST or not. Use this program to test the correctness of your previous program, i.e., whether or not the binary tree you have constructed is a BST.

Assessment

- You will be assessed individually in the lab session (you must attend your assigned lab!). You'll have approximately 4-5 minute Q&A session with Dr. Mukesh or one of the TAs (Raghu, Neeraj, or Shreya).
- You will have to run the code directly from your Moodle submission, you won't be allowed to bring an updated version to the lab.
- After you run the code, we will ask you anything about your code we want. Be prepared to answer the questions.