Assignment 5 - Part 2

(may be done by a team of at most two students)
Assigned: Monday, November 12
Due: Tuesday, November 20 (11:59 pm)

Part 2: Design by Contract

Posted on Piazza:Resources → Assignments is a zip file CFJ_BST_Iter.zip. Unzip this file to obtain a directory CFJ_BST_Iter which you may import into Eclipse by doing: File → Import → Existing Projects into Workspace. This directory contains a fully configured Java project; the added configurations permit the inclusion of CoFoJa contract annotations in the Java source.

The Java source file is called BST_Contract.java and it has the familiar Tree and DupTree classes as well as a class BST_Iterator which works on both trees and duptrees. The class DupTree extends Tree and the values in both types of trees are integers. Also included is an @Invariant(ordered()) clause for class Tree.

Your task in this part of the assignment is to write CoFoJa contracts (@Requires and @Ensures annotations) for the constructor of BST_Iterator and the two methods that modify its state, namely, next() and stack_left_spine().

Writing Contracts. The contracts should capture the basic requirements and properties of the iterator. That is, the @Requires and @Ensures clauses should effectively state that:

- 1. the iterator only works on binary search trees;
- 2. the values are returned in ascending order; and
- 3. the stack invariant (described in Lecture 9) is maintained.

Your contracts may refer to the fields count, value and stack of BST_Iterator and may also refer to functions that do not modify the state of any object, such as Tree.min(), Tree.max(), Tree.ordered(), BST_Iterator.hasNext(), Stack.isEmpty(), Stack.peek(), etc.

Running the Program. In order to run your program, you need to give the name of the .jar file in the VM Arguments of the Run Configuration, as follows:

-javaagent:lib/cofoja+asm-1.3.1-20170424.jar

Run BST_Contract.java augmented with contracts and ensure that the program works correctly.

What to Submit. Prepare a top-level directory named A5_Part2_UBITId1_UBITId2 if the assignment is done by a team of two students; otherwise, name it as A5_Part2_UBITId if the assignment is done solo. (Order the UBITIds in alphabetic order, in the former case.) In this directory, place the directory BST_CFJ containing the revised BST_Contract.java augmented with contracts. Compress the top-level directory and submit the compressed file using the submit_cse522 command. Only one submission per team is required.