

Data Structures and Algorithms

Assignment 3: Binary Trees and Binary Search Trees

Program templates for questions 1-4 are given as separated files (Q1_template_BT.c, Q2_template_BST.c, and Q3_template_BST.c). You **must use** them to implement your functions. The program contains a main() function, which includes a switch statement to execute different functions that you should implement. You need to submit your code to the <https://www.hackerearth.com> (Email invitation will be sent to your school account). You need to submit your code to the NTULearn (State your name and your lab group in your submission). Deadline for program submission: **March 03rd, 2024 (Sunday) 11.59 pm**.

1. **(identical)** Write a recursive C function `identical()` to determine whether two binary trees are structurally identical, assuming the two binary trees as `tree1` and `tree2`. This function returns 1 if two binary trees are structurally identical; otherwise, it returns 0. Note that two binary trees are structurally identical if they are both empty or if they are both non-empty and the left and the right subtrees are similar (**they are made of nodes with the same values and arranged in the same way**).

The function prototype is given as follows:

```
int identical(BTNode *tree1, BTNode *tree2);
```

For example, if the given two trees are tree 1 (1, 3, 2, 5, 4, 7, 8) and tree 2 (1, 3, 2, 5, 4, 7, 8), as shown in Figure 1, then, tree 1 and tree 2 are **structurally identical**.

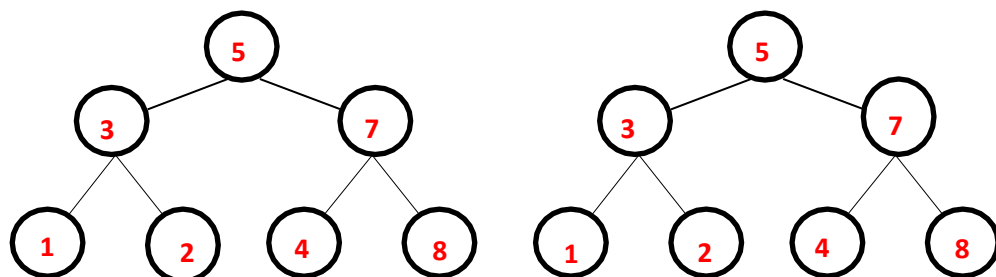


Figure 1: tree1 (left) and tree 2 (right)

A sample input and output session is given below:

```
1: Create a binary tree1.
2: Create a binary tree2.
3: Check whether two trees are structurally identical.
0: Quit;
```

```
Please input your choice(1/2/3/0): 1
```

```
Creating tree1:
```

```
Input an integer that you want to add to the binary tree. Any Alpha value
will be treated as NULL.
```

```
Enter an integer value for the root: 5
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 5: 3
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 5: 7
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 3: 1
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 3: 2
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 1: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 1: a
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 2: a
```

```

Enter an integer value for the Right child of 2: a
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 7: 4
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 7: 8
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 4: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 4: a

```

```

Enter an integer value for the Left child of 8: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 8: a
The resulting tree1 is: 1 3 2 5 4 7 8
Please input your choice(1/2/3/0): 2

```

```

Creating tree2:
Input an integer that you want to add to the binary tree. Any Alpha value
will be treated as NULL.

```

```

Enter an integer value for the root: 5
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 5: 3
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 5: 7
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 3: 1
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 3: 2
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 1: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 1: a
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 2: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 2: a
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 7: 4
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 7: 8
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 4: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 4: a
Enter an integer value for the Left child of 8: a
Enter an integer value for the Right child of 8: a
The resulting tree2 is: 1 3 2 5 4 7 8

```

```

Please input your choice(1/2/3/0): 3
Both trees are structurally identical.

```

```

Please input your choice(1/2/3/0): 0

```

2. **(inOrderIterative)** Write an iterative C function `inOrderIterative()` that prints the in-order traversal of a binary search tree using **a stack**. Note that you should **only** use `push()` or `pop()` operations when you add or remove integers from the stack. Remember to empty the stack at the beginning, if the stack is not empty.

The function prototype is given as follows:

```
void inOrderIterative(BSTNode *root);
```

Let us consider the below tree for example.

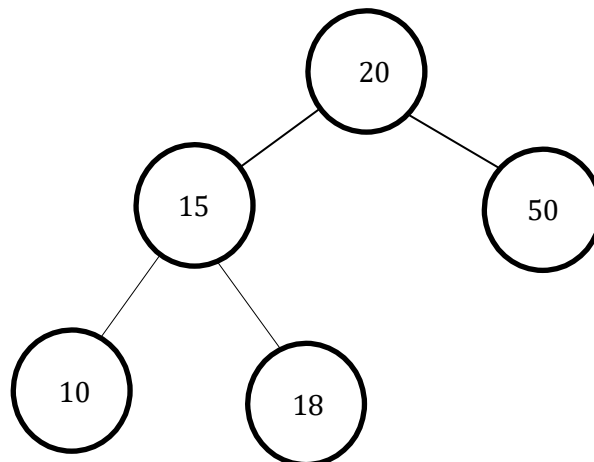


Figure 2: Iterative Inoder Tree Traversal: 10 15 18 20 50

Following is the detailed algorithm:

- 1) Create an empty stack S.
- 2) Initialize current node as root
- 3) Push the current node to S and set current = current->left until current is NULL
- 4) If current is NULL and stack is not empty then
 - a) Pop the top item from stack
 - b) Print the popped item, set current = popped_item->right
 - c) Go to step 3.
- 5) If current is NULL and stack is empty then you are done

Some sample inputs and outputs are given as follows:

```
1: Insert an integer into the binary search tree;
2: Print the in-order traversal of the binary search tree;
0: Quit;

Please input your choice(1/2/0): 1
Input an integer that you want to insert into the Binary Search Tree: 20
Please input your choice(1/2/0): 1
Input an integer that you want to insert into the Binary Search Tree: 15
Please input your choice(1/2/0): 1
Input an integer that you want to insert into the Binary Search Tree: 50
Please input your choice(1/2/0): 1
Input an integer that you want to insert into the Binary Search Tree: 10
Please input your choice(1/2/0): 1
Input an integer that you want to insert into the Binary Search Tree: 18

Please input your choice(1/2/0): 2
The resulting in-order traversal of the binary search tree is: 10 15 18 20 50

Please input your choice(1/2/0): 0
```

3. **(postOrderIterativeS1)** Write an iterative C function `postOrderIterativeS1()` that prints the post-order traversal of a binary search tree using a **stack**. Note that you should **only** use `push()` or `pop()` operations when you add or remove integers from the stack. Remember to empty the stack at the beginning, if the stack is not empty.

The function prototype is given as follows:

```
void postOrderIterativeS1(BSTNode *node);
```

Let us consider the below tree for example

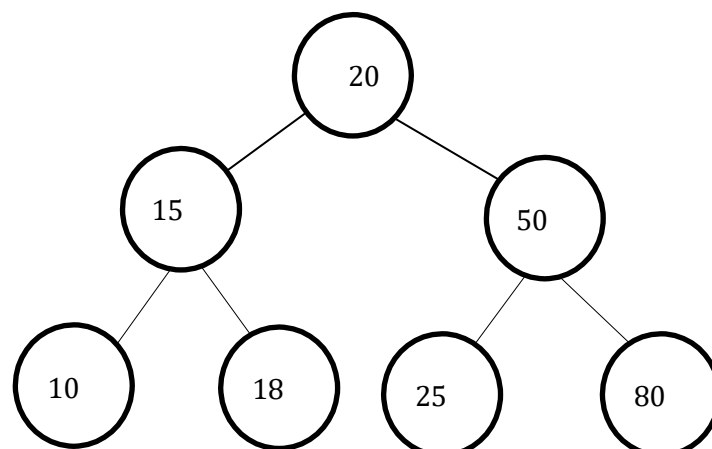


Figure 3: Iterative Postorder Traversal: 10 18 15 25 80 50 20

Following is the detailed algorithm:

- 1.1 Create an empty stack
- 2.1 Do following while root is not NULL
 - a) Push root's right child and then root to stack. b) Set root as root's left child.
- 2.2 Pop an item from stack and set it as root.
 - a) If the popped item has a right child and the right child is at top of stack, then remove the right child from stack, push the root back and set root as root's right child.
 - b) Else print root's data and set root as NULL.
- 2.3 Repeat steps 2.1 and 2.2 while stack is not empty.

4. (**postOrderIterativeS2**) Write an iterative C function `postOrderIterativeS2()` that prints the post-order traversal of a binary search tree using **two stacks**. Note that you should **only** use `push()` or `pop()` operations when you add or remove integers from the stacks. Remember to empty the stacks at the beginning, if the stacks are not empty.

The function prototype is given as follows:

```
void postOrderIterativeS2(BSTNode *root);
```

Following is the detailed algorithm:

- 1) Push root to first stack.
- 2) Loop while first stack is not empty
 - 2.1) Pop a node from first stack and push it to second stack
 - 2.2) Push left and right children of the popped node to first stack
- 3) Print contents of second stack

Let us consider the below tree for example

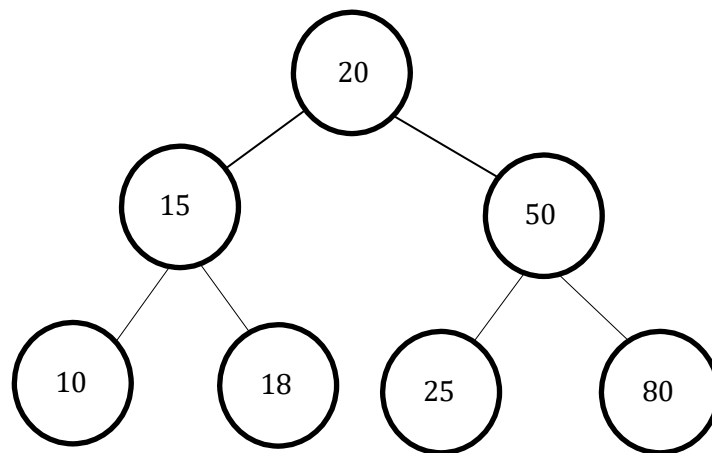


Figure 4: Iterative Postorder Tree Traversal: **10 18 15 25 80 50**