

Solution for Problem Set 5

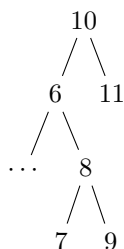
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1 Problem 1

(a) The third and the last could not be the sequence because they violate the *BST property*. (In the third sequence $912 > 911$ and in the last one $299 < 347$)

(b) This claim is false apparently, we just need to show a counter-example:



Suppose key k is 9, then $B = \{10, 6, 8, 9\}$, $A = \{7\}$, $C = \{11\}$. However, $7 > 6$.

2 Problem 2

SEARCH operation doesn't change

Algorithm 1 SEARCH(T, k)

```
1:  $x = T.root$ 
2: while  $x \neq NIL$  and  $x.key \neq k$  do
3:   if  $x.key > k$  then
4:      $x = x.left$ 
5:   else
6:      $x = x.right$ 
7:   end if
8: end while
9: return  $x$ 
```

We need to record the successor of the new inserted node compared with the origin *TREE-INSERT*. Besides the inserted node, the only node needing update *succ* is its predecessor.

Algorithm 2 INSERT(T, z)

```
1:  $x = T.root$ 
2:  $y = NIL, s = NIL, pred = NIL$ 
3: while  $x \neq NIL$  do
4:    $y = x$ 
5:   if  $x.key > z.key$  then
6:      $s = x$ 
7:      $x = x.left$ 
8:   else
9:      $pred = x$ 
10:     $x = x.right$ 
11:   end if
12: end while
13:  $z.succ = s$ 
14: if  $y == NIL$  then
15:    $T.root = z$ 
16: else if  $z.key < y.key$  then
17:    $y.left = z$ 
18:    $pred.succ = z$ 
19: else
20:    $y.right = z$ 
21:    $y.succ = z$ 
22: end if
```

To implement *DELETE*, we should implement *PARENT*(T, z) to find the parent of a given node z :

Algorithm 3 PARENT(T, z)

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1:  $x = T.root$ 
2:  $y = NIL$ 
3: while  $x \neq NIL$  and  $x.key \neq z.key$  do
4:    $y = x$ 
5:   if  $x.key > z.key$  then
6:      $x = x.left$ 
7:   else
8:      $x = x.right$ 
9:   end if
10: end while
11: return  $y$ 
```

Then we modify *TRANSPLANT*

Algorithm 4 TRANSPLANT(T, u, v)

```
1:  $p = PARENT(T, u)$ 
2: if  $p == NIL$  then
3:    $T.root = v$ 
4: else if  $u == p.left$  then
5:    $p.left = v$ 
6: else
7:    $p.right = v$ 
8: end if
```

Notice the only change *DELETE* do to the in-order sequence is removing the target number, node which need update *succ* is just the predecessor of the target node. So we first implement *TREE – PREDECESSOR*.

Algorithm 5 TREE-PREDECESSOR(x)

```
1: if  $x.left \neq NIL$  then
2:   return  $TREE - MAXIMUM(x.left)$ 
3: else
4:    $y = PARENT(x)$ 
5:   while  $y \neq NIL$  and  $x == y.left$  do
6:      $x = y$ 
7:      $y = PARENT(y)$ 
8:   end while
9: end if
10: return  $y$ 
```

Algorithm 6 DELETE(T, z)

```
1:  $pred = TREE - PREDECESSOR(z)$ 
2:  $pred.succ = z.succ$ 
3: if  $z.left == NIL$  then
4:    $TRANSPLANT(T, z, z.right)$ 
5: else if  $z.right == NIL$  then
6:    $TRANSPLANT(T, z, z.left)$ 
7: else
8:    $y = TREE - MINIMUM(z.right)$ 
9:   if  $PARENT(T, y) \neq z$  then
10:     $TRANSPLANT(T, y, y.right)$ 
11:     $y.right = z.right$ 
12:   end if
13:    $TRANSPLANT(T, z, y)$ 
14:    $y.left = z.left$ 
15: end if
```

3 Problem 3

(a) $O(n^2)$

(b) Notice all n nodes with same value will fill the binary search tree level by level. Total runtime is $T = 0 + 1 \times 2^1 + 2 \times 2^2 + \dots + lgn \times 2^{lgn}$. We can easily find time complexity is $O(nlgn)$.

(c) For n nodes with identical keys, we just need to insert the node into a list every time except the first time, so the time complexity is $O(n)$.

4 Problem 4

(a) The largest ratio is 2. (Every black node has two red nodes).

The smallest is 0. (All nodes are black and the tree is perfect).

(b) First we prove that at most $n - 1$ right rotations are needed to transform the tree into a right-going chain.

Suppose set R contains all nodes from the tree's root to its right-most children, and L contains the rest nodes. Every time we do right rotation, we will extract a node from L and put it into R . Notice there are at most $n - 1$ nodes in L , the statement is proved.

Then we can do left rotation on an arbitrary node from R , which consists of all n nodes. Therefore we can construct any other arbitrary n -node binary search tree with a particular rotation operation sequence. Notice this process needs at most $n - 1$ rotations as well, the total time complexity is $O(n)$.

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