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Data Structures and Algorithms

Midterm Examination

Length of Examination: 2 hours
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Closed Book.

Please answer in the space provided (in this questionnaire).

No calculators or electronic devices are allowed.

At the end of the exam, when time is up:

- Stop working and turn your exam upside down.
- Remain silent.
- Do not move or speak until *all* exams have been picked up, and a TA or a Professor gives the go-ahead.

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NOTE: Where a big-Oh characterization is asked, give the best possible one.

Question 1 [2 points] What is the worst case running time of the following algorithms (in big-Oh notation) as a function of the size n of the array a ?

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public static int myCode1(int[] a) {    // note that a.length is always larger than 200
    int n=a.length;
    int total=0;
    for (int i=0; i<n; i++) {
        for (int j=0; j<200; j++) {
            for (int k=0; k<j; k++) {
                total += a[k]+i*j;
            }
        }
    }
    return total;
}
```

- a) $O(\log n)$ b) $O(n)$ c) $O(n^2)$ d) $O(n^3)$

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public static int myCode2(int[] a) {
    int n=a.length;
    int total=0;
    for (int i=0; i<n; i++) {
        for (int j=0; j<200; j++) {
            for (int k=0; k<i; k++) {
                total += a[k]+i*j;
            }
        }
    }
    return total;
}
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Question 2 [3 points] Fill the blanks below:

- $900 + 100n^2 + 3n^5$ is $O(\quad)$
- $\sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{2^i}$ is $O(\quad)$
- $n + \log n^n$ is $O(\quad)$

Question 3 [2 points]

- (A) Consider elements with the following keys 50, 10, 2, 90, 3 that are inserted in this order into a **priority queue** where **maximum** keys have higher priorities. After that the elements are, one by one, removed from the priority queue with the appropriate operation and inserted into a **stack**. What will be the contents of the stack? (please list from bottom to top).

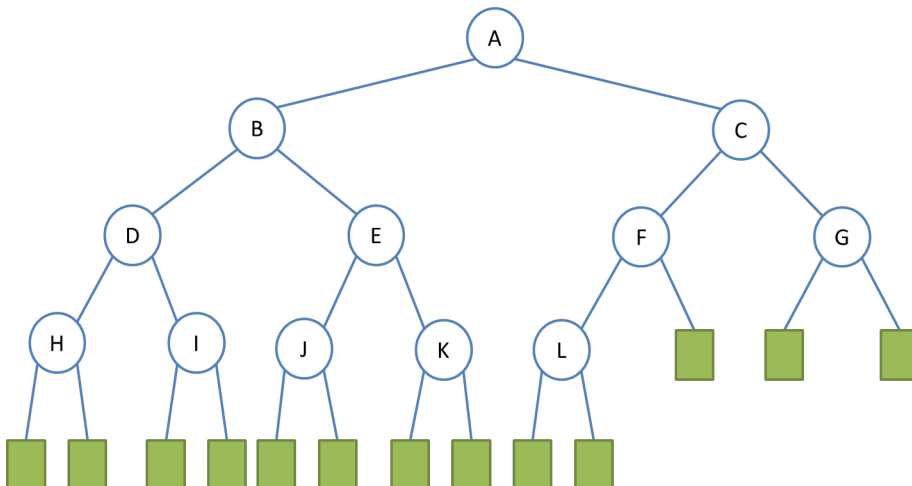
Final answer: (bottom) _____ (top)

- (B) Considering your answer in part (A) the key returned by the first pop operation is:

a) 50 b) 10 c) 2 d) 90 e) 3

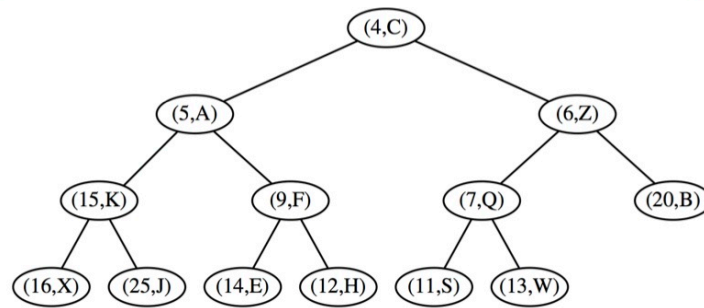
Question 4 [3 points] List the nodes (by specifying the contained character) in the order they are visited for the binary tree shown below during:

- A Pre-order traversal: _____
- A Post-order traversal: _____
- An In-order traversal: _____



Question 5 [3 points]

Consider the following **min-heap** where the key is the integer displayed.



a) Show the heap after the operation **removeMin**

b) Starting from the original heap given in the question (do not use your heap obtained in part a), show the heap after inserting (1,L).

Question 6 [3 points] Below you are given an array with 6 keys which needs to be transformed into a **max-heap** via the **in-place** bottom-up heap construction algorithm seen in class. Show the steps of this method, by showing at each step:

- the position/node we need to apply the next **downHeap** operation.
- the array after each **downHeap** operation.

3	9	5	1	12	21
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Question 7 [5 points]

- a) What is the number of nodes in a perfect binary tree of height h ?

Answer:

Briefly justify with words or drawing.

- b) What is the **minimum** number of **leaves** in a **full binary tree** with height 3?

Answer:

Briefly justify with words or drawing.

- c) What is the big-Oh complexity of a delete operation in a binary search tree with N nodes that is perfect?

- d) What is the big-Oh complexity of a delete operation in a binary search tree with N nodes such that each internal node has exactly one child?

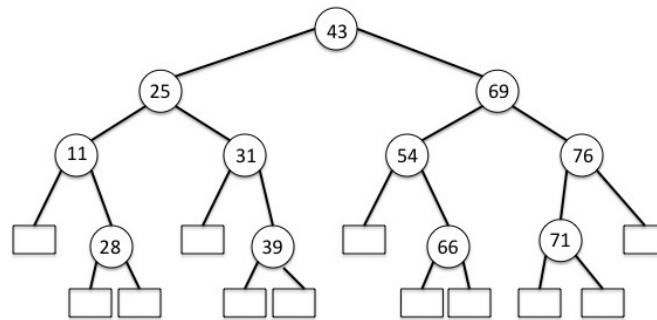
(Note: if using dummy leaves the statement above about having one child is referring to child nodes that contain keys).

- e) Consider a **min-heap** containing 7 elements and suppose we apply the **removeMin** operation.

What is the maximum number of swaps to perform this operation? _____

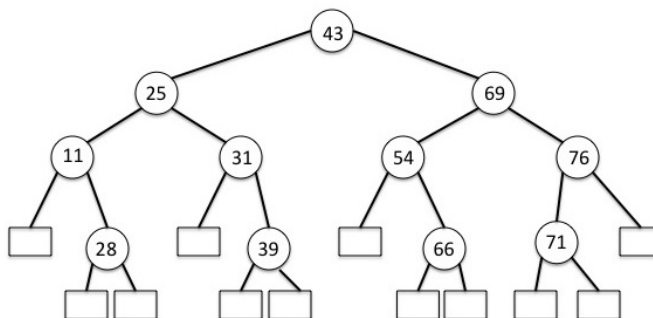
Give an example that achieves this maximum number of swaps:

Question 8 [1 points] For this question consider the following **binary search tree** and show the tree after deleting node 25.



Question 9 [3 points]

In this question you will insert key 74 in the following **AVL tree** which uses dummy leaves.



- Show the tree after the first part of the insertion, in which the insertion is done as in a regular binary search tree.
- In the tree you drew in part a), show nodes x , y , z and subtrees T_1 , T_2 , T_3 and T_4 to be used in the rebalancing step of the AVL tree insertion.
- Show the AVL tree after the rebalancing step.

Question 10 [2 points] Give a $\Theta(n)$ -time non recursive algorithm that reverses a singly linked list of n elements. The algorithm should use no more than constant storage beyond that needed for the list itself.

Note: The beginning of the linked list is pointed by variable **head** and each node in the list has fields: **element** (storing information) and **next** pointing to the next element in the list.

Example:

If before the algorithm the elements are stored in the list in the following order:

A, X, F, D, E

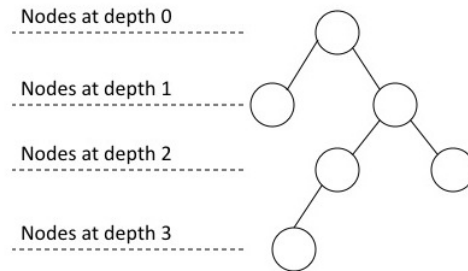
then after the algorithm is executed the elements will be stored in the following order:

E, D, F, X, A

Question 11 [3 points] Consider a **binary tree** Abstract Data Type that provides the following methods:

method	Description
root()	returns the position of the root of the tree or null if the tree is empty
parent(p)	returns the position of the node that is a parent of node p or null if p is the root
leftChild(p)	returns the position of the left child of p or null if p has no left child.
rightChild(p)	returns the position of the right child of p or null if p has no right child.
isInternal(p)	returns true if and only if p is an internal node.
isExternal(p)	returns true if and only if p is an external node.
size()	returns the number of nodes stored in the tree.

The **path length** of a binary tree T is the sum of the depths of all positions in T .
For example, the path length of the tree below is $9=0+1+1+2+2+3$



Write an $O(n)$ algorithm that computes the path length of a binary tree T with n nodes.
You may give the required algorithms in pseudocode or Java program excerpt.
You may use the methods listed above and design any auxiliary method you wish.

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