

**Lab Goal :** This lab was designed to teach you more about binary trees.

**Lab Description :** Write a program that uses nodes to store letters and letter counts. The data structure created for this program is similar to a Map. Each tree node will store a ThingCount and references to the left and right tree nodes that also store ThingCounts. Each ThingCount with its Object and count will occur at most once in the tree.

**TreeNode** – stores an Object and a reference to the next TreeNode

```
public class TreeNode implements Treeable
{
    private Comparable treeNodeValue;
    private TreeNode leftTreeNode;
    private TreeNode rightTreeNode;

    //default constructor

    public TreeNode(Comparable value){
        treeNodeValue = value;
        leftTreeNode = null;
        rightTreeNode = null;
    }

    public TreeNode(Comparable value, TreeNode left, TreeNode right){
        treeNodeValue = value;
        leftTreeNode = left;
        rightTreeNode = right;
    }

    public Comparable getValue(){
        return treeNodeValue;
    }

    public TreeNode getLeft(){
        return leftTreeNode;
    }

    public TreeNode getRight(){
        return rightTreeNode;
    }

    public void setValue(Comparable value){
        treeNodeValue = value;
    }

    public void setLeft(Treeable left){
        leftTreeNode = (TreeNode)left;
    }

    public void setRight(Treeable right){
        rightTreeNode = (TreeNode)right;
    }
}
```

**Sample Data :**

```
A A A A B V S E A S A A V S E A
1 2 3 11 22 32 1 22 13
abc ead xyz xyz abc ead 2342 z2y2z
```

**Sample Output :**

```
A - 8    B - 1    E - 2    S - 3    V - 2
1 - 2    2 - 1    3 - 1    11 - 1    13 - 1    22 - 2    32 - 1
2342 - 1    abc - 3    ead - 2    x2y2z - 1    xyz - 2
```