

FindMax

// Algorithm FindMax

// Max. element can be found at rightmost node of the tree.

FindMax(root):

 while root.right != null do

 root = root.right

 end while

 return root

end

↳ Running time of Findmax is $T(n)$.

Hence, we visit a path from root to a leaf this path requires
 n (height of the tree) comparisons. in worst case.

$T(n) \in O(n)$

Insert a New Element

//Algorithm Insert BST
 //The given item is inserted to the appropriate position by adding it from
 //root and placing it down in the tree.

InsertBST(Tree, item):

npos position = Tree.root

npar parent = null

while npos != null do

 npar = npos

 if item.value < npos.value do

 npos = npos.left

 else do

 npos = npos.right

end while

item.parent = npar

if npar == null do

 Tree.root = item

else if item.value < npar.value do

 npar.left = item

else do

 npar.right = item

\uparrow newpos

// npos is the position that item will be inserted

// npar is parent node of the item

} // After the first line, we find the by
 // null (leaf node) and parent node of the
 // inserted item.

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|| // If the parent that we have found is null
 || then, it means that we added the item to empty
 || tree.

} // If the tree is not empty we place
 // item as the right or left child of the
 // its parent(npar) according to its value.

→ Running time of InsertBST is $T(n)$

→ Assume that assignment and comparison operations take $O(1)$ time.

Basic operation of the InsertBST is comparison in the while loop.

→ Hence, we go down through the tree in one direction (left or right) for each iteration, we have number of n (height of the tree) comparisons.

Thus, $T(n) \in O(n)$

Delete a Leaf Node

- For deleting a leaf node, we just need to traverse to the proper position and simply remove the node from the tree.
 - Operations such as replacing the deleted node with its child are not required for this case of deletion.
 - We need to make n (height of the tree) comparisons to go from the root to a leaf node.
- If the deletion operation and comparisons take $O(1)$ time, the total running time of deleting a leaf node $T(n) \in O(n)$.

Printing BST using the inorder traversal

- When we perform a inorder traversal we need to visit all the nodes in the tree. So, we need to find maximum number of nodes.
- The maximum number of nodes in a binary tree of height n is $2^{n+1}-1$. This tree must be a perfect binary tree. Thus, we need to visit $2^{n+1}-1$ nodes to print BST using the inorder traversal.

→ If printing operation takes $O(1)$ time, total running time of inorder traversal for this tree is $\underline{O(2^n)}$.

$$2^{n+1}-1 = 2^n(2-1)$$

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eliminate the constants.

$T(n) \in O(2^n)$