

Exercise 6.1-1

For a binary tree of height h :

Minimum and maximum number of nodes are respectively: $2^h, 2^{h+1} - 1$

Exercise 6.1-2

For a given height h , the number of nodes is $n = 2^h$, this means the depth $h = \log_2(n)$

Exercise 6.1-3

By definition of the data structure

Exercise 6.1-4

As corollary, the smallest nodes for each subtree reside on the leafs

Exercise 6.2-2

Notations:

lg designates log base 2

$E[x]$ designates floor value i.e. $E[2.3] = 2$

We want to show that: $E[n/2^{h+1}] + 1 \geq 1/2, \forall 0 \leq h \leq E[lg(n)]$

Equivalent to showing: $E[n/2^{h+1}] \geq -1/2, \forall 0 \leq h \leq E[lg(n)]$

Proof:

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

$$\text{Given: } 0 \leq h \leq E[lg(n)] \Rightarrow -1 + lg(n) - E[lg(n)] \leq lg(n) - h - 1$$

$$\text{However: } lg(n) - E[lg(n)] \geq 0$$

$$\text{This means that: } -1 \leq lg(n) - h - 1 \Rightarrow -1 \leq E[lg(n) - h - 1]$$

$$\text{On the other side: } -1 = lg(-1/2)$$

$$\text{So: } lg(-1/2) \leq E[lg(n/2^{h+1})]$$

Since log is monotonous we have the result

Exercise 6.2-3

Starting from 1 means that all subtrees below 1 are ordered which is not the case.