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ASSIGNMENT NO. 1

TITLE Binary Tree Implementation, traversals and operations

PROBLEM STATEMENT Create binary tree with n nodes, perform following operations on it:

- Perform inorder/preorder and post order traversal
- Create a mirror image of it
- Find the height of tree
- Copy this tree to another [operator=]
- Count number of leaves, number of internal nodes.
- Erase all nodes in a binary tree. (implement both recursive and non-recursive methods)

OBJECTIVE To understand construction of binary tree and its traversal

techniques.

OUTCOME At the end of this assignment students will able to construct a

Binary tree and perform basic operations on Binary tree.

S/W PACKAGES AND

HARDWARE

APPARATUS USED

1. (64-bit)64-BIT Fedora 17 or latest 64-BIT Update of

Equivalent Open source OS

2. Programming Tools (64-Bit) Latest Open source update of

Eclipse Programming frame work, TC++, GTK

Concepts related Theory:

Binary tree is specific type of tree in which each node can have atmost(zero,one,two) two children namely left child and right child. Empty tree also a valid binary tree.

In computer science, tree traversal is a form of <u>graph traversal</u> and refers to the process of visiting each node in a <u>tree data structure</u>, exactly once. Such traversals are classified by the order in which the nodes are visited.

Data structures for tree traversal:

Traversing a tree involves iterating over all nodes in some manner. Because from a given node there is more than one possible next node then, assuming sequential computation, some nodes must be deferred—stored in some way for later visiting. This is often done via a stack (LIFO) or queue (FIFO). As a tree is a self-referential (recursively defined) data structure, traversal can be defined by recursion

Depth-first search is easily implemented via a stack, including recursively, while breadth-first search is easily implemented via a queue, including corecursively.

Depth-first search:

These searches are referred to as *depth-first search* (DFS), as the search tree is deepened as much as possible on each child before going to the next sibling. For a binary tree, they are defined as display operations recursively at each node, starting with the root.

Operations of binary tree:

- Traversal
- Creation
- Deletion
- Compare
- Merge

Traversing: Traversal refers to the process of visiting all the nodes of binary tree once. There are three ways for traversing binary tree.

1.Pre-order:

- Check if the current node is empty /null
- Display the data part of the root (or current node).
- Traverse the left subtree by recursively calling the pre-order function.
- Traverse the right subtree by recursively calling the pre-order function.

2.In-order:

- Check if the current node is empty/null
- Traverse the left subtree by recursively calling the in-order function.
- Display the data part of the root (or current node).
- Traverse the right subtree by recursively calling the in-order function.

3.Post-order:

- Check if the current node is empty/null
- Traverse the left subtree by recursively calling the post-order function.
- Traverse the right subtree by recursively calling the post-order function.
- Display the data part of the root (or current node).

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Algorithm:
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ALGORITHM INORDERTRAVERSE()
{
 1. set top=0, stack[top]=NULL, ptr = root
 2. Repeat while ptr!=NULL
    2.1 \text{ set top=top+1}
    2.2 set stack[top]=ptr
    2.3 set ptr=ptr->left
 3. Set ptr=stack[top], top=top-1
 4. Repeat while ptr!=NULL
    4.1 print ptr->info
    4.2 if ptr->right!=NULL then
         4.2.1set ptr=ptr->right
         4.2.2 goto step 2
    4.3 Set ptr=stack[top], top=top-1
}
ALGORITHM PREORDERTRAVERSE()
{
 1. set top=0, stack[top]=NULL, ptr = root
 2. Repeat while ptr!=NULL
      2.1 print ptr -> info
      2.2 if (ptr -> right != NULL)
          2.2.1 \text{ top} = \text{top} + 1
          2.2.2 \text{ set stack [top]} = \text{ptr} -> \text{right}
      2.3 if (ptr -> left != NULL)
          2.3.1 \text{ ptr=ptr} \rightarrow \text{left}
else
       2.3.1 ptr=stack[top], top=top-1
}
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 1. set top = 0, stack [top] = NULL, ptr = root
 2. Repeat while ptr!=NULL
       2.1 \text{ top} = \text{top} + 1, stack [top] = ptr
       2.2 if (ptr -> right != NULL)
            2.2.1 \text{ top} = \text{top} + 1
            2.2.2 \text{ set stack [top]} = - (ptr -> right)
       2.3 \text{ ptr} = \text{ptr} \rightarrow \text{left}
 3. ptr = stack [top], top = top-1
 4. Repeat while ( ptr > 0 )
       4.1 print ptr -> info
       4.2 \text{ ptr} = \text{stack [top]}, \text{ top} = \text{top-1}
 5. if (ptr < 0)
       5.1 \text{ set ptr} = - \text{ ptr}
       5.2 Go to step 2
}
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Test-Cases

Description	Input	Output	Result
Create Tree (Enter -1 if no node)	6 5 7 -1 8 2-1 - 1 -1 -1 -1	-	Pass
Preorder traversal	-	65782	Pass
Postorder traversal	-	28756	Pass
Inorder Traversal	-	72856	Pass
Height of tree	-	5	Pass

Conclusion: After successfully completing this assignment, Students will be able create an Expression tree and performs various operations on Binary tree