

# Problem 1382: Balance a Binary Search Tree

## Problem Information

Difficulty: Medium

Acceptance Rate: 0.00%

Paid Only: No

## Problem Description

Given the

root

of a binary search tree, return

a

balanced

binary search tree with the same node values

. If there is more than one answer, return

any of them

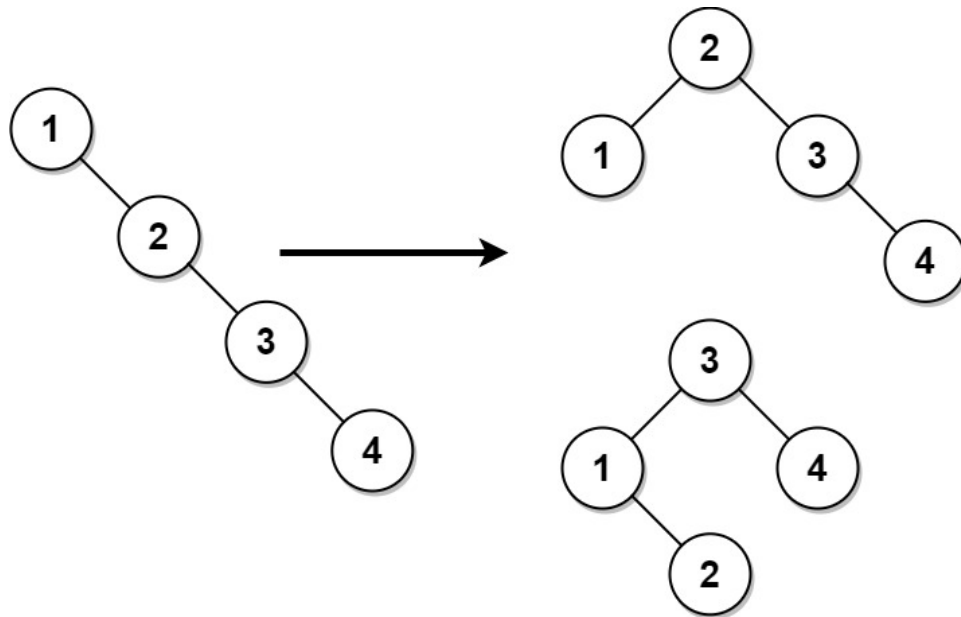
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A binary search tree is

balanced

if the depth of the two subtrees of every node never differs by more than

Example 1:



Input:

root = [1,null,2,null,3,null,4,null,null]

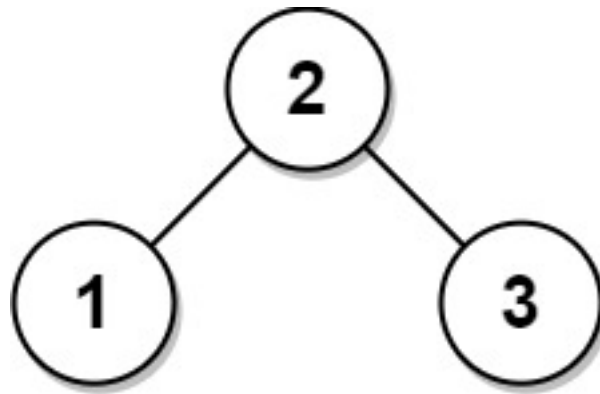
Output:

[2,1,3,null,null,null,4]

Explanation:

This is not the only correct answer, [3,1,4,null,2] is also correct.

Example 2:



Input:

root = [2,1,3]

Output:

[2,1,3]

Constraints:

The number of nodes in the tree is in the range

[1, 10

4

]

.

1 <= Node.val <= 10

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## Code Snippets

C++:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode *left;
 *   TreeNode *right;
 *   TreeNode() : val(0), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 *   TreeNode(int x) : val(x), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 *   TreeNode(int x, TreeNode *left, TreeNode *right) : val(x), left(left),
right(right) {}
 * };
 */
class Solution {
public:
    TreeNode* balanceBST(TreeNode* root) {

    }
};

```

## Java:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode left;
 *   TreeNode right;
 *   TreeNode() {}
 *   TreeNode(int val) { this.val = val; }
 *   TreeNode(int val, TreeNode left, TreeNode right) {
 *     this.val = val;
 *     this.left = left;
 *     this.right = right;
 *   }
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    public TreeNode balanceBST(TreeNode root) {

    }
}

```

### Python3:

```
# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode:
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution:
def balanceBST(self, root: Optional[TreeNode]) -> Optional[TreeNode]:
```

### Python:

```
# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode(object):
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution(object):
def balanceBST(self, root):
    """
    :type root: Optional[TreeNode]
    :rtype: Optional[TreeNode]
    """
```

### JavaScript:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * function TreeNode(val, left, right) {
 *   this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *   this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *   this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 * }
 */
/**
 * @param {TreeNode} root
 * @return {TreeNode}
 */
var balanceBST = function(root) {

};
```

## TypeScript:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   val: number
 *   left: TreeNode | null
 *   right: TreeNode | null
 *   constructor(val?: number, left?: TreeNode | null, right?: TreeNode | null)
 *   {
 *     this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *     this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *     this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 *   }
 * }
 */

function balanceBST(root: TreeNode | null): TreeNode | null {

};
```

## C#:

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *   public int val;
 *   public TreeNode left;
 *   public TreeNode right;
 *   public TreeNode(int val=0, TreeNode left=null, TreeNode right=null) {
 *     this.val = val;
 *     this.left = left;
 *     this.right = right;
 *   }
 * }
 */

public class Solution {
    public TreeNode BalanceBST(TreeNode root) {

    }
}
```

**C:**

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   struct TreeNode *left;
 *   struct TreeNode *right;
 * };
 */
struct TreeNode* balanceBST(struct TreeNode* root) {

}
```

**Go:**

```
/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * type TreeNode struct {
 *   Val int
 *   Left *TreeNode
 *   Right *TreeNode
 * }
 */
func balanceBST(root *TreeNode) *TreeNode {

}
```

**Kotlin:**

```
/**
 * Example:
 * var ti = TreeNode(5)
 * var v = ti.`val`
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode(var `val`: Int) {
 *   var left: TreeNode? = null
 *   var right: TreeNode? = null
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    fun balanceBST(root: TreeNode?): TreeNode? {
```

```
}  
}
```

## Swift:

```
/**  
 * Definition for a binary tree node.  
 * public class TreeNode {  
 * public var val: Int  
 * public var left: TreeNode?  
 * public var right: TreeNode?  
 * public init() { self.val = 0; self.left = nil; self.right = nil; }  
 * public init(_ val: Int) { self.val = val; self.left = nil; self.right =  
 nil; }  
 * public init(_ val: Int, _ left: TreeNode?, _ right: TreeNode?) {  
 * self.val = val  
 * self.left = left  
 * self.right = right  
 * }  
 * }  
 */  
class Solution {  
 func balanceBST(_ root: TreeNode?) -> TreeNode? {  
  
 }  
}
```

## Rust:

```
// Definition for a binary tree node.  
// #[derive(Debug, PartialEq, Eq)]  
// pub struct TreeNode {  
// pub val: i32,  
// pub left: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>,  
// pub right: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>,  
// }  
//  
// impl TreeNode {  
// #[inline]  
// pub fn new(val: i32) -> Self {  
//     TreeNode {  
//         val,  

```



```

// left: None,
// right: None
// }
// }
// }
use std::rc::Rc;
use std::cell::RefCell;
impl Solution {
pub fn balance_bst(root: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>) ->
Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>> {

}
}

```

## Ruby:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode
# attr_accessor :val, :left, :right
# def initialize(val = 0, left = nil, right = nil)
# @val = val
# @left = left
# @right = right
# end
# end
# @param {TreeNode} root
# @return {TreeNode}
def balance_bst(root)

end

```

## PHP:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 * public $val = null;
 * public $left = null;
 * public $right = null;
 * function __construct($val = 0, $left = null, $right = null) {
 * $this->val = $val;
 * $this->left = $left;

```

```

* $this->right = $right;
* }
* }
*/
class Solution {

/**
 * @param TreeNode $root
 * @return TreeNode
 */
function balanceBST($root) {

}

}

```

### Dart:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode? left;
 *   TreeNode? right;
 *   TreeNode([this.val = 0, this.left, this.right]);
 * }
 */
class Solution {
  TreeNode? balanceBST(TreeNode? root) {

  }

}

```

### Scala:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode(_value: Int = 0, _left: TreeNode = null, _right: TreeNode =
null) {
 *   var value: Int = _value
 *   var left: TreeNode = _left
 *   var right: TreeNode = _right
 * }

```

```

*/
object Solution {
def balanceBST(root: TreeNode): TreeNode = {

}
}

```

## Elixir:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
#
# defmodule TreeNode do
# @type t :: %__MODULE__{
#   val: integer,
#   left: TreeNode.t() | nil,
#   right: TreeNode.t() | nil
# }
# defstruct val: 0, left: nil, right: nil
# end

defmodule Solution do
@spec balance_bst(root :: TreeNode.t | nil) :: TreeNode.t | nil
def balance_bst(root) do

end
end

```

## Erlang:

```

%% Definition for a binary tree node.
%%
%% -record(tree_node, {val = 0 :: integer(),
%%   left = null :: 'null' | #tree_node{},
%%   right = null :: 'null' | #tree_node{}}).

-spec balance_bst(Root :: #tree_node{} | null) -> #tree_node{} | null.
balance_bst(Root) ->
.

```

## Racket:

```

; Definition for a binary tree node.
#|

; val : integer?
; left : (or/c tree-node? #f)
; right : (or/c tree-node? #f)
(struct tree-node
  (val left right) #:mutable #:transparent)

; constructor
(define (make-tree-node [val 0])
  (tree-node val #f #f))

|#

(define/contract (balance-bst root)
  (-> (or/c tree-node? #f) (or/c tree-node? #f))
  )

```

## Solutions

### C++ Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode *left;
 *   TreeNode *right;
 *   TreeNode() : val(0), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 *   TreeNode(int x) : val(x), left(nullptr), right(nullptr) {}
 */

```

```

* TreeNode(int x, TreeNode *left, TreeNode *right) : val(x), left(left),
right(right) {}
* };
*/
class Solution {
public:
TreeNode* balanceBST(TreeNode* root) {

}
};

```

## Java Solution:

```

/**
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 * int val;
 * TreeNode left;
 * TreeNode right;
 * TreeNode() {
 // TODO: Implement optimized solution
 return 0;
 }
 * TreeNode(int val) { this.val = val; }
 * TreeNode(int val, TreeNode left, TreeNode right) {
 * this.val = val;
 * this.left = left;
 * this.right = right;
 * }
 * }
 */

```

```

class Solution {
public TreeNode balanceBST(TreeNode root) {

}

}

```

### Python3 Solution:

```

"""
Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
Difficulty: Medium
Tags: tree, greedy, search

Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
"""

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode:
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution:
def balanceBST(self, root: Optional[TreeNode]) -> Optional[TreeNode]:
# TODO: Implement optimized solution
pass

```

### Python Solution:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode(object):
# def __init__(self, val=0, left=None, right=None):
# self.val = val
# self.left = left
# self.right = right
class Solution(object):
def balanceBST(self, root):
"""
:type root: Optional[TreeNode]

```

```
:rtype: Optional[TreeNode]
"""
```

## JavaScript Solution:

```
/**
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * function TreeNode(val, left, right) {
 *   this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *   this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *   this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 * }
 */
/**
 * @param {TreeNode} root
 * @return {TreeNode}
 */
var balanceBST = function(root) {

};
```

## TypeScript Solution:

```
/**
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
```

```

*/

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   val: number
 *   left: TreeNode | null
 *   right: TreeNode | null
 *   constructor(val?: number, left?: TreeNode | null, right?: TreeNode | null)
 *   {
 *     this.val = (val===undefined ? 0 : val)
 *     this.left = (left===undefined ? null : left)
 *     this.right = (right===undefined ? null : right)
 *   }
 * }
 */

function balanceBST(root: TreeNode | null): TreeNode | null {

};

```

## C# Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *   public int val;
 *   public TreeNode left;
 *   public TreeNode right;
 *   public TreeNode(int val=0, TreeNode left=null, TreeNode right=null) {
 *     this.val = val;

```



```

    * this.left = left;
    * this.right = right;
    * }
    * }
    */
    public class Solution {
    public TreeNode BalanceBST(TreeNode root) {

    }

    }

```

### C Solution:

```

/*
 * Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
 * Difficulty: Medium
 * Tags: tree, greedy, search
 *
 * Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
 * Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
 * Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height
 */

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * struct TreeNode {
 *     int val;
 *     struct TreeNode *left;
 *     struct TreeNode *right;
 * };
 */
struct TreeNode* balanceBST(struct TreeNode* root) {

}

```

### Go Solution:

```

// Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
// Difficulty: Medium
// Tags: tree, greedy, search
//

```

```

// Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
// Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
// Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * type TreeNode struct {
 *     Val int
 *     Left *TreeNode
 *     Right *TreeNode
 * }
 */
func balanceBST(root *TreeNode) *TreeNode {

}

```

### Kotlin Solution:

```

/**
 * Example:
 * var ti = TreeNode(5)
 * var v = ti.`val`
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode(var `val`: Int) {
 *     var left: TreeNode? = null
 *     var right: TreeNode? = null
 * }
 */
class Solution {
    fun balanceBST(root: TreeNode?): TreeNode? {

    }
}

```

### Swift Solution:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * public class TreeNode {
 *     public var val: Int
 *     public var left: TreeNode?

```

```

* public var right: TreeNode?
* public init() { self.val = 0; self.left = nil; self.right = nil; }
* public init(_ val: Int) { self.val = val; self.left = nil; self.right =
nil; }
* public init(_ val: Int, _ left: TreeNode?, _ right: TreeNode?) {
* self.val = val
* self.left = left
* self.right = right
* }
* }
*/
class Solution {
func balanceBST(_ root: TreeNode?) -> TreeNode? {

}

}

```

## Rust Solution:

```

// Problem: Balance a Binary Search Tree
// Difficulty: Medium
// Tags: tree, greedy, search
//
// Approach: DFS or BFS traversal
// Time Complexity: O(n) where n is number of nodes
// Space Complexity: O(h) for recursion stack where h is height

// Definition for a binary tree node.
// #[derive(Debug, PartialEq, Eq)]
// pub struct TreeNode {
//     pub val: i32,
//     pub left: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>,
//     pub right: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>,
// }
//
// impl TreeNode {
//     #[inline]
//     pub fn new(val: i32) -> Self {
//         TreeNode {
//             val,
//             left: None,

```

```

// right: None
// }
// }
// }

use std::rc::Rc;
use std::cell::RefCell;

impl Solution {
    pub fn balance_bst(root: Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>>) ->
    Option<Rc<RefCell<TreeNode>>> {

    }
}

```

### Ruby Solution:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
# class TreeNode
#   attr_accessor :val, :left, :right
#   def initialize(val = 0, left = nil, right = nil)
#     @val = val
#     @left = left
#     @right = right
#   end
# end

# @param {TreeNode} root
# @return {TreeNode}
def balance_bst(root)

end

```

### PHP Solution:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   public $val = null;
 *   public $left = null;
 *   public $right = null;
 *   function __construct($val = 0, $left = null, $right = null) {
 *     $this->val = $val;
 *     $this->left = $left;

```

```

* $this->right = $right;
* }
* }
*/
class Solution {

/**
 * @param TreeNode $root
 * @return TreeNode
 */
function balanceBST($root) {

}

}

```

### Dart Solution:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode {
 *   int val;
 *   TreeNode? left;
 *   TreeNode? right;
 *   TreeNode([this.val = 0, this.left, this.right]);
 * }
 */
class Solution {
  TreeNode? balanceBST(TreeNode? root) {

  }

}

```

### Scala Solution:

```

/**
 * Definition for a binary tree node.
 * class TreeNode(_value: Int = 0, _left: TreeNode = null, _right: TreeNode =
 * null) {
 *   var value: Int = _value
 *   var left: TreeNode = _left
 *   var right: TreeNode = _right

```

```

* }
*/
object Solution {
  def balanceBST(root: TreeNode): TreeNode = {

  }
}

```

### Elixir Solution:

```

# Definition for a binary tree node.
#
# defmodule TreeNode do
#   @type t :: %__MODULE__{
#     val: integer,
#     left: TreeNode.t() | nil,
#     right: TreeNode.t() | nil
#   }
#   defstruct val: 0, left: nil, right: nil
# end

defmodule Solution do
  @spec balance_bst(root :: TreeNode.t | nil) :: TreeNode.t | nil
  def balance_bst(root) do

  end
end

```

### Erlang Solution:

```

%% Definition for a binary tree node.
%%
%% -record(tree_node, {val = 0 :: integer(),
%%   left = null :: 'null' | #tree_node{},
%%   right = null :: 'null' | #tree_node{}}).

-spec balance_bst(Root :: #tree_node{} | null) -> #tree_node{} | null.
balance_bst(Root) ->
.

```

### Racket Solution:

```
; Definition for a binary tree node.
#|

; val : integer?
; left : (or/c tree-node? #f)
; right : (or/c tree-node? #f)
(struct tree-node
  (val left right) #:mutable #:transparent)

; constructor
(define (make-tree-node [val 0])
  (tree-node val #f #f))

|#

(define/contract (balance-bst root)
  (-> (or/c tree-node? #f) (or/c tree-node? #f))
  )
```