## COMS3134 Data Structures and Algorithms Spring 2017 Section 1 Midterm Solutions

1.

Let k be the height of the perfect binary tree.

Base case: if k = 0, N = 1. So the hypothesis holds true for our base case.

Hypothesis: assume the claim holds true for some k0.

Inductive step: we need to show that the claim holds for tree with height k = k0+1

To increase the height of a tree by 1, we need to add two children to each leaf node of the old tree to make it a perfect binary tree.

If m is the number of leaf nodes in the old tree, we add 2m nodes, which is even, to the old tree.

Since the number of nodes in a tree of height k is odd according to the hypothesis, adding 2m nodes to the old tree makes the total number of nodes in the new tree odd (QED).

## Fast, mathematical way:

We note that for a perfect tree of height h, # nodes =  $2^{h}(h+1)-1$ .

Assume it holds for a perfect tree of height h, i.e.  $(2^{h+1}-1)$  is odd.

Then for a tree of height h+1, # nodes =  $2^{(h+1+1)} - 1 = 2(2^{(h+1)}) - 1$ , and since  $2^{(h+1)}$  is an integer, 2(2h+1) - 1 must be odd.

2.

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a)
1. O(N)
2. O(logN)
3. O(2<sup>N</sup>)
4. O(1)

b) O(2<sup>N</sup>), O(N), O(logN), O(1)
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3.

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a)

push(R),
push(E),
push(S), pop()-> S,
pop()-> E,
push(C), pop()-> C,
push(U), pop()-> U,
pop()-> R,
push(E), pop()-> E,
push(D), pop()-> D
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b) This sequence is impossible. To print R we must push(R), pop()->R. Next we need to print one of the two Es.

Assume we decide to use the first E, so push(E), pop()->E. We need to print the D next, so we must push SCUE out of the way: push(S), push(C), push(U), push(E), push(D), pop()->D. Next we would need to pop U, but it is blocked by E on the stack. If we decide to use the second E, then we need to push ESCU out of the way: push(E), push(S), push(C), push(U), push(E), pop()->E. Then push(D), pop()->D. Next pop()->U, pop()->C, then we should pop E but it is blocked by S on the stack. (Only one of the two E cases was required for full credit).

4.

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B / \
A D / \
C E F
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Post order traversal: CEAFDB

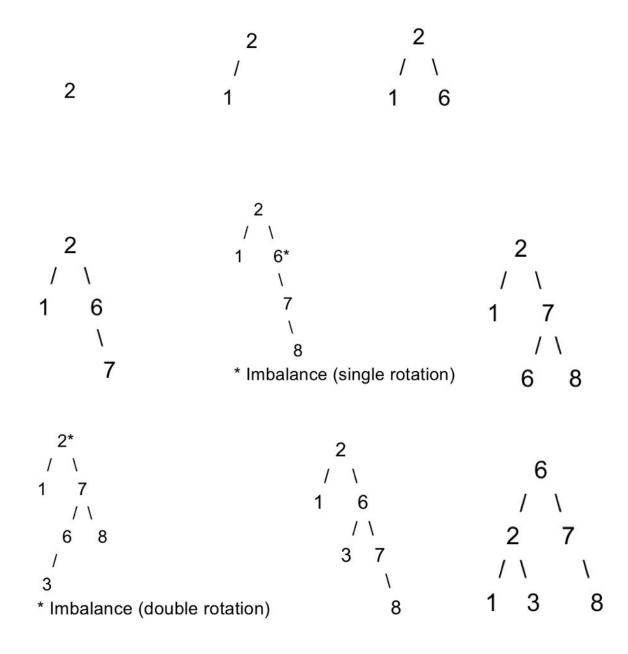
5.
boolean isFull(TreeNode root) {

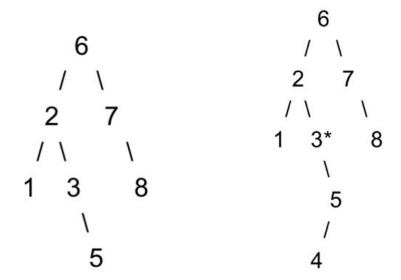
 if (root == null) {
 return true;
 }
 if (root.left != null && root.right == null){
 return false;
 }
 If (root.left == null && root.right != null){
 return false;
 }
 return (isFull(root.left) && isFull(root.right));
}

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6.
  public enqueue(int x) {
    Node n = new Node();
    n.data = x;
    n.prev = head;
    n.next = head.next;
    head.next.prev = n;
    head.next = n;
}
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public int dequeue() {
    if (tail.prev == head) {
        throw new EmptyQueueException();
    }

int result = tail.prev.data;
    tail.prev.prev.next = tail;
    tail.prev = tail.prev.prev;
    return result;
}
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\* Imbalance (double rotation)

