

Problem 6: Serialize and deserialize Binary Tree

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class TreeNode:
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    def __init__(self, value):
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        self.val = value
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        self.left = None
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        self.right = None
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def serialize(root):
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    if not root:
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        return 'None'
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    left_serialized = serialize(root.left)
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    right_serialized = serialize(root.right)
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    return str(root.val) + ',' + left_serialized + ',' + right_serialized
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def deserialize(data):
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    def helper(nodes):
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        if nodes[0] == 'None':
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            nodes.pop(0)
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            return None
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    root = TreeNode(int(nodes[0]))
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nodes.pop(0)

root.left = helper(nodes)

root.right = helper(nodes)
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return root
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nodes = data.split(',')

return helper(nodes)
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root = TreeNode(1)

root.left = TreeNode(2)

root.right = TreeNode(3)

root.right.left = TreeNode(4)

root.right.right = TreeNode(5)
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serialized_tree = serialize(root)

print('Serialized tree:', serialized_tree)
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deserialized_tree = deserialize(serialized_tree)

print('Deserialized tree:', deserialized_tree)
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input
Serialized tree: 1,2,None,None,3,4,None,None,5,None,None
Deserialized tree: <__main__.TreeNode object at 0x7fa4a9a43d00>

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