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Implement Binary Search Tree ADT using Linked List.
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Experiment No. 9: Binary Search Tree Operations

Aim : Implementation of Binary Search Tree ADT using Linked List.

Objective:

- 1) Understand how to implement a BST using a predefined BST ADT.
- 2) Understand the method of counting the number of nodes of a binary tree.

Theory:

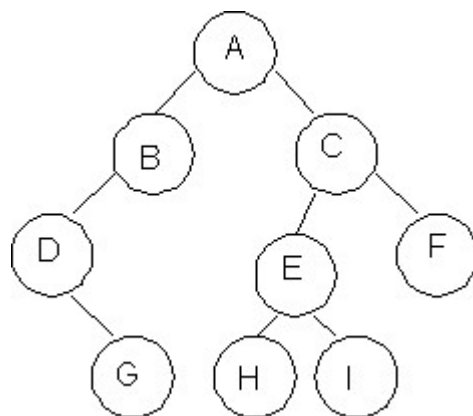
A binary tree is a finite set of elements that is either empty or partitioned into disjoint subsets. In other words nodes in a binary tree have at most two children and each child node is referred to as left or right child.

Traversals in trees can be in one of the three ways: preorder, postorder, inorder.

Preorder Traversal

Here the following strategy is followed in sequence

1. Visit the root node R
2. Traverse the left subtree of R
3. Traverse the right subtree of R



Description	Output
Visit Root	A
Traverse left sub tree – step to B then D	ABD
Traverse right subtree – step to G	ABDG
As left subtree is over. Visit root , which is already visited so go for right subtree	ABDGC
Traverse the left subtree	ABDGCEH
Traverse the right sub tree	ABDGCEHIF

Inorder Traversal



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Here the following strategy is followed in sequence

1. Traverse the left subtree of R
2. Visit the root node R
3. Traverse the right sub tree of R

Description	Output
Start with root and traverse left sub tree from A-B-D	D
As D doesn't have left child visit D and go for right subtree of D which is G so visit this.	DG
Backtrack to D and then to B and visit it.	DGB
Backtrack to A and visit it	DGBA
Start with right sub tree from C-E-H and visit H	DGBAH
Now traverse through parent of H which is E and then I	DGBAHEI
Backtrack to C and visit it and then right subtree of E which is F	DGBAHEICF

Postorder Traversal

Here the following strategy is followed in sequence

1. Traverse the left subtree of R
2. Traverse the right sub tree of R
3. Visit the root node R

Description	Output
Start with left sub tree from A-B-D and then traverse right sub tree to get G	G
Now Backtrack to D and visit it then to B and visit it.	GD
Now as the left sub tree is over go for right sub tree	GDB
In right sub tree start with leftmost child to visit H followed by I	GDBHI
Visit its root as E and then go for right sibling of C as F	GDBHIEF
Traverse its root as C	GDBHIEFC
Finally a root of tree as A	GDBHIEFCA



Algorithm

Algorithm: PREORDER(ROOT)

Algorithm :

Function Pre-order(root)

- Start
- If root is not null then

Display the data in root

Call pre order with left pointer of root(root -> left)

Call pre order with right pointer of root(root -> right)

- Stop

Algorithm: INORDER(ROOT)

Algorithm :

Function in-order(root)

- Start
- If root is not null then

Call in order with left pointer of root (root -> left)

Display the data in root

Call in order with right pointer of root(root -> right)

- Stop

Algorithm: POSTORDER(ROOT)

Algorithm :

Function post-order (root)

- Start
- If root is not null then

Call post order with left pointer of root (root -> left)

Call post order with right pointer of root (root -> right)

Display the data in root

- Stop



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Code:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

// Define the structure for the Binary Search Tree node
struct Node {
    int data;
    struct Node* left;
    struct Node* right;
};

// Function to create a new node
struct Node* createNode(int data) {
    struct Node* newNode = (struct Node*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));
    newNode->data = data;
    newNode->left = NULL;
    newNode->right = NULL;
    return newNode;
}

// Function to insert a node in the Binary Search Tree
struct Node* insert(struct Node* root, int data) {
    if (root == NULL) {
        return createNode(data);
    }
    if (data < root->data) {
        root->left = insert(root->left, data);
    } else if (data > root->data) {
        root->right = insert(root->right, data);
    }
    return root;
}

// Preorder Traversal (Root -> Left -> Right)
void preorder(struct Node* root) {
    if (root != NULL) {
        printf("%d ", root->data);
        preorder(root->left);
        preorder(root->right);
    }
}

// Inorder Traversal (Left -> Root -> Right)
void inorder(struct Node* root) {
    if (root != NULL) {
        inorder(root->left);
        printf("%d ", root->data);
        inorder(root->right);
    }
}

// Postorder Traversal (Left -> Right -> Root)
void postorder(struct Node* root) {
    if (root != NULL) {
        postorder(root->left);
        postorder(root->right);
        printf("%d ", root->data);
    }
}
```



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```
}  
}
```

```
// Function to count the number of nodes in the BST  
int countNodes(struct Node* root) {  
    if (root == NULL) {  
        return 0;  
    }  
    return 1 + countNodes(root->left) + countNodes(root->right);  
}
```

```
// Main Function  
int main() {  
    struct Node* root = NULL;  
    root = insert(root, 50);  
    insert(root, 30);  
    insert(root, 70);  
    insert(root, 20);  
    insert(root, 40);  
    insert(root, 60);  
    insert(root, 80);  
  
    printf("Preorder Traversal: ");  
    preorder(root);  
    printf("\n");  
  
    printf("Inorder Traversal: ");  
    inorder(root);  
    printf("\n");  
  
    printf("Postorder Traversal: ");  
    postorder(root);  
    printf("\n");  
  
    printf("Total number of nodes: %d\n", countNodes(root));  
  
    return 0;  
}
```



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Output:

```
Preorder Traversal: 50 30 20 40 70 60 80
Inorder Traversal: 20 30 40 50 60 70 80
Postorder Traversal: 20 40 30 60 80 70 50
Total number of nodes: 7
```

Conclusion:

1) Write a function in C program to count the number of nodes in a binary search tree?

To count the number of nodes in a Binary Search Tree (BST) in C, you can use a recursive function that traverses the tree and counts each node as it visits.

```
// Function to count the number of nodes in the BST
```

```
int countNodes(struct Node* root)
{
    if (root == NULL)
    {
        return 0;
    }
    return 1 + countNodes(root->left) + countNodes(root->right);
}
```