

2019 B+ tree implementation assignment

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1. Assignment Title

- Implementation of a B+ tree index

2. Environment

- OS: Windows
- Language: Java or Python (any version is ok)

3. Constraints – Overall

- The B+ tree index should be stored in a single file (index file)
- The file contains all the meta information for the index and also the index nodes
- The internal organization of the file is not considered in grading
- The program should provide following functions:
 - **Search**
 - ✓ A single key search AND a range search
 - **Insertion of a key**
 - **Deletion of a key**
 - ✓ The deleted entry should be completely removed from the index and the file
- Assumption
 - Keys and values are all in the integer type
 - Duplicated keys are not allowed for insertions
 - The keys in a node are stored in an ASCENDING order
- **POLICY on COPY • DO NOT COPY someone else's program**
 - DO NOT USE functions/methods/routines from existing code/library/programs in pre-implemented B+ tree indexes or any other similar tree-based indexes
 - All these actions are regarded as COPY and so will be handled accordingly

4. Constraints – Internal Structure

- Each node of a B+ tree index should contain the following data inside:
 - Non-leaf node
 - ✓ m : # of keys
 - ✓ p : an array of b $\langle key, left_child_node \rangle$ pairs
 - ✓ r : a pointer to the rightmost child node
 - Leaf node
 - ✓ m : # of keys

- ✓ p : an array of b $\langle \text{key}, \text{value}(\text{or pointer to the value}) \rangle$ pairs
- ✓ r : a pointer to the right sibling node

5. Constraints – Interface

- The program *should support **command–line interface***
- The following commands should be implemented:
 - **Data File Creation**
 - ✓ Command: `program -c index_file b`
 - *program*: name of the program (bptree)
 - *index_file*: name of a new index file
 - *b*: size of each node (max. # of child nodes)
 - ✓ This command creates a new index file containing an empty index with node size b
 - If the file already exists, it is overwritten
 - ✓ Example
 - `java bptree -c index.dat 8`
 - **Insertion**
 - ✓ Command: `program -i index_file data_file`
 - *data_file*: name of the input data file that has a number of key–value pairs to be inserted
 - ✓ This command inserts all the key–value pairs inside the *data_file* into the index in the *index_file*
 - The insertion causes the modification of the index file
 - Insertions are performed in the same order of key–value pairs in the data file
 - ✓ The data file is provided as a .csv file (Comma Separated Values)
 - Each line of the data file contains a key–value pair
 - $\langle \text{key} \rangle, \langle \text{value} \rangle \backslash \text{n}$
 - Data file example (input.csv)


```
26,1290832
10,84382
87,984796
86,67945
20,57455
9,87632
86,579952
68,97321
84,431142
37,2132
```
 - ✓ Example
 - `java bptree -i index.dat input.csv`
 - **Deletion**
 - ✓ Command: `program -d index_file data_file`
 - *data_file*: name of the input data file that has a number of keys to be deleted

- ✓ This command deletes all the key–value pairs inside the input data file from the index
 - The deletion causes the modification of the index file
 - Deletions are performed in the same order of keys in the data file
- ✓ The input data file is provided as a .csv file (Comma Separated Values)
 - Each line of the data file contains only a key value
 - <key>\n
- ✓ Example
 - `java bptree -d index.dat delete.csv`

● Single Key Search

- Command: `program -s index_file key`
 - ✓ *key*: key value to be searched
- This command returns a value of a pointer to a record with the key
- Output format
 - ✓ Print output to the *stdout*
 - ✓ While searching, the program prints each non–leaf node in the path that the search passes through
 - Print all the keys in the node in a single line
 - <key1>,<key2>,<keym>\n
 - ✓ When the search reaches the leaf node having the search key, print the value matched with the search key
 - <value>\n
 - If not found, print □NOT FOUND□
- ✓ Example
 - `java bptree -s index.dat 125`

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>java bptree -s index.dat 125
54,356
67,98
65462

```

● Ranged Search

- Command: `program -r index_file start_key end_key`
 - ✓ *start_key*: lower bound of the range search
 - ✓ *end_key*: upper bound of the ranged search
- This command returns the values of pointers to records having the keys within the range provided
- Output format
 - ✓ Print output to the *stdout*
 - ✓ Print all the key–value pairs with the key between *start_key* and *end_key* (including *start_key* and *end_key*)
 - <key1>,<value1>\n<key2>,<value2>\n□
 - ✓ Note that *start_key* and *end_key* may not be in the index
 - The program prints only the key–value pairs between them
- Example

```
✓ java bptree -r index.dat 100 200
    >java bptree -r index.dat 100 200
    125,65462
    169,3728
    193,98732
    200,164260
```

6. How to turn in

- (1) Write your program
- (2) Write a document (.doc, .docx, or .pdf) that contains:
 - Summary of your algorithm
 - Detailed description of your codes (for each function)
 - Instructions for compiling your source codes at TA's computer (e.g. screenshot) (Important!!)
 - You MUST SUBMIT instructions for compiling your source codes. If TAs read your instructions but cannot compile your program, you will get a penalty
Please, write the instructions carefully
 - Any other specification of your implementation and testing
- (3) Zip the codes and the document
 - The filename should follow the format
 - B-tree_Assignment_<YOUR_STUDENT_NUMBER>.zip
 - Ex.) B-tree_Assignment_2010051924.zip
 - The zip file should contain a executable file, all source files, and the document
- (4) Submit it to gitlab (<http://hconnect.hanyang.ac.kr/>)
 - Due date
 - Completed before 25 September: 100%
 - Completed before 2 October: 70%
 - After 2 October: 0%

You can ask questions about the assignment via class community and/or e-mail
YOU WILL GET SERIOUS PENALTIES IF YOU DO COPY OR CHEAT

Good luck!