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COMP 203 DATA STRUCTURES AND ALGORITHMS

QUIZ 2 Date: 09.01.2024 10:30 am

Total: 100 points

1. Stack and SLL (Total: 55 points)

a. class Node: //2pt

char data

Node next

constructor(data): //3pt

this.data = data

this.next = null

//end of node class

class SinglyLinkedList: //2pt

Node head

constructor(): //3pt

this.head = null

//end of sll

class SSLStack: //2pt

SinglyLinkedList stack

constructor(): //3pt

this.stack = new SinglyLinkedList()

//end of sslstack

b. method SSLStack.push(addedValue): //Total= 10pt

newNode = new Node(addedValue) // creating the new node to push 1 pt

if this.stack.head is null: //check if it is null and adding at the head as the first node 2pt

this.stack.head = newNode

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else:

current = this.stack.head

while current.next is not null: *//traversing the stack 6pt*

current = current.next

current.next = newNode

return this.stack.head *//return in the head node 1pt*

//if adds at the head only 2pt

c. Explanation of the Big-O complexity for the "Node push(char addedValue)" method: *//5pt if there is no explanation only 2pt*

- The time complexity of the push operation is $O(n)$, where n is the number of elements in the stack. This is because it involves traversing the linked list to find the end before appending the new node.

d. method SSLStack.pop(): *//total= 10pt*

if this.stack.head is null: *//check if Stack is empty 1pt*

return null

else:

if this.stack.head.next is null: *//check if Stack is has only one node and remove it 2pt*

poppedValue = this.stack.head.data

this.stack.head = null

else:

current = this.stack.head

while current.next.next is not null: *//traverse the stack 4pt*

current = current.next

poppedValue = current.next.data *//remove from at the end 2pt*

current.next = null

return poppedValue *//returning the deleted value 1pt*

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e. Explanation of the Big-O complexity for the "char pop()" method: *//5pt if there is no explanation only 2pt*

- The time complexity of the pop operation is $O(n)$, where n is the number of elements in the stack. This is because it involves traversing the linked list to find the second-to-last node before removing the last node.

f. function testPushPop():*//total=10pt*

stack = new SSLStack() *//creating a new stack 1pt*

// Push elements onto the stack 3pt

stack.push('A')

stack.push('B')

stack.push('C')

stack.push('D') *//testing push 3pt*

// Print the stack after push operations

printStack(stack)

// Pop an element from the stack

poppedValue = stack.pop() *//testing pop 3pt*

// Print the stack after pop operation

printStack(stack)

// Print the popped value

print("Popped Value: " + poppedValue)

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2. Binary Search Tree and Node (Total: 45pt)

1. class Node: //2pt

int data

Node left

Node right

constructor(data): //3pt

this.data = data

this.left = null

this.right = null

//end of Node class

2. class BinarySearchTree: //2pt

Node root

constructor(): //3pt

this.root = null

3. method BinarySearchTree.insert(Node root, int value): //total=10pt

if root is null: //check if it is null and create the first one 2pt

return new Node(value)

if value < root.data: //recursive part 7pt

root.left = insert(root.left, value)

else if value > root.data:

root.right = insert(root.right, value)

return root //returning root 1pt

3.1 Time Complexity of insert method: The time complexity of the insert method is $O(h)$, where h is the height of the tree. In the worst case, for an unbalanced tree, the height can be n (the number of nodes), resulting in $O(n)$ time complexity. However, for a balanced tree, the height is $\log(n)$, leading to $O(\log n)$ time complexity. //2pt

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4. method BinarySearchTree.inOrderTraversal(Node root): *//Total: 10pt*

if root is not null: *// base case 2pt*

inOrderTraversal(root.left) *// recursive part 8 pt*

print(root.data)

inOrderTraversal(root.right)

4.1 Time Complexity of inOrderTraversal method: The time complexity of the inOrderTraversal method is $O(n)$, where n is the number of nodes in the tree. This is because every node needs to be visited once. *//2pt*

5. function main(): *// creating the tree and testing the methods 5+6=11 pt*

bst = new BinarySearchTree() *// creating the bst 1pt*

// Create the binary search tree 4pt

bst.root = insert(bst.root, 4)

insert(bst.root, 2)

insert(bst.root, 6)

insert(bst.root, 1)

insert(bst.root, 3)

insert(bst.root, 5)

insert(bst.root, 7) *//testing insert 3pt*

// Print the tree using in-order traversal

print("In-order Traversal:")

inOrderTraversal(bst.root) *//testing inOrderTraversal 3pt*

