findClosestSharedManager Code

Time Complexity for Worst Case

vector<Employee*> ances

e1 ancestorList,

Employee *Orgtree::findClosestSharedManager(Employee *e1, Employee *e2, vector<Employee*> e1 ancestorList, vector<Employee*> e2 ancestorList) {

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bool e1AtHead = false
  bool e2AtHead = false
 if(e1 == nullptr) {
    e1AtHead = true
  if(e2 == nullptr) {
    e2AtHead = true
 if(e1AtHead && e2AtHead) {
   if(e1 ancestorList.size() >= e2 ancestorList.size() {
     vector<Employee*> maxList = e1_ancestorList
     vector<Employee*> minList = e2_ancestorList
   } else
     vector<Employee*> maxList = e2 ancestorList
     vector<Employee*> minList = e1 ancestorList
// compare lists using a data structure to find the lowest
matching employee_id between the two lists
return matchingEmployee
   }
  if(!e1AtHead){
  for (Employee *e: e1->getParentNode()) {
     return findClosestSharedManager(e, e2,
e1 ancestorList,
     e2 ancestorList)
     e1_ancestorList.push_back(e->getEmployeeID)
if(!e2AtHead){
  for (Employee *e: e2->getParentNode()) {
     return findClosestSharedManager(e1, e,
```

The worst case scenario for the findClosestSharedManger function would be two leaf nodes that are not in the same subtree after the head node and are both at the height of the tree. Therefore, their closest shared manager would be the head of the tree, making the size of the lists of the ancestors equal to the height of tree. This would make the time complexity for a leaf search O(h), where h is the height of the tree.

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e2_ancestorList)
e2_ancestorList.push_back(e->getEmployeeID)
}
return NULL
}
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