UECS2083 Past Year 2016 Answer

1(a)

Tail recursion is a special kind of recursion where the recursive call is the *very last* thing in the function (means there is no pending operation to computed). It's a function that does not do anything *at all* after recursing.

1(b)(i) f2

1(b)(ii) 9 times

1(b)(iii) 36

1(c)(i) No. No.

1(c)(ii)

According to <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/12359660/difference-between-complete-binary-tree-strict-binary-tree-full-binary-tre>

Full binary is a tree where every node have 2 children, except for leaves (which are nodes that don’t have children).

In another words, no node can have only 1 children.

public static boolean isFullBST(BinaryTree tree){

return isFullNode(tree.root);

}

public static boolean isFullNode(TreeNode node) {

if(node == null) {

return true;

} else {

if(node.left == null && node.right == null) {

// no children

return true;

} else if(node.left != null && node.right != null) {

// recursion

return isFullNode(node.left) && isFullNode(node.right);

} else {

// only 1 children

return false;

}

}

}

2(a)(i)

First, using Array.

Secondly, using LinkedList.

2(a)(ii)

Refer <https://eddmann.com/posts/implementing-a-queue-in-java-using-arrays-and-linked-lists/>

LinkedList, because LinkedList has unlimited size (excepted bounded by physical constraint such as RAM size). For Array, you need to constantly resize it, thus is less efficient.