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Assignment - 4

- ① Show how to implement a stack using two queues. Analyze the running time of the stack operations.

Sol: To construct a stack using two queues (q_1, q_2) we need to simulate the stack operations by using queue operations

→ Push (insert at top)
→ Pop (remove from top)

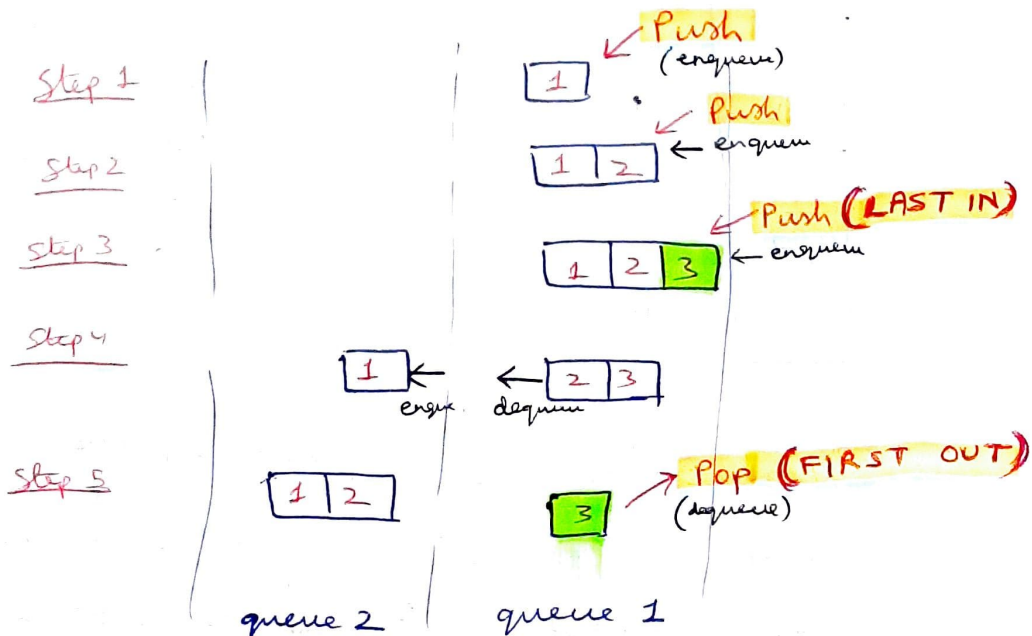
→ Enqueue (insert at rear)
→ Dequeue (remove from front)

② Push : $O(1)$

Enqueue each element in queue 1, as we push it.

③ Pop : $O(n)$

Then to do a pop, we dequeue each element from queue 1 and place it in queue 2, but stop before the last element. Then return the single element left in the original queue (queue 1)



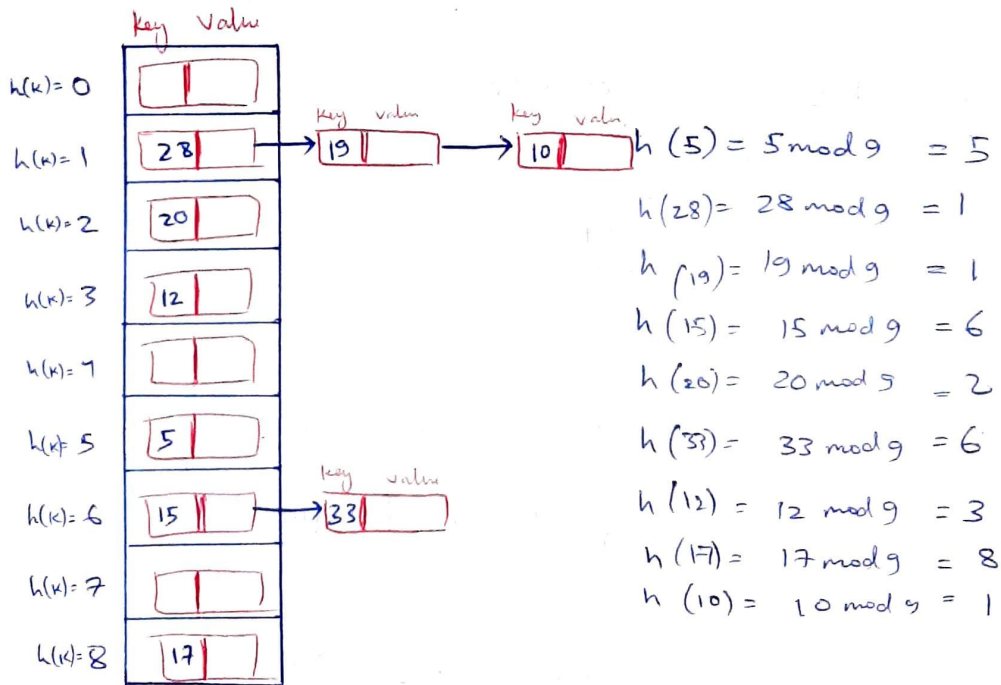
Running time:

Push operation is $O(1)$

but Pop operation is $O(n)$ since we need to dequeue each element from queue 1 to queue 2

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Demonstrate what happens when we insert the keys 5, 28, 19, 15, 20, 33, 12, 17, 10 into a hash table with collisions resolved by chaining. Let the table have 9 slots, and let the hash function be $h(k) = k \bmod 9$.

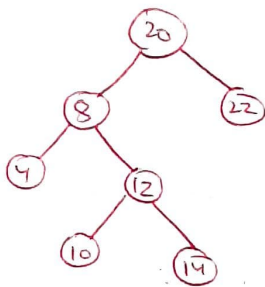


Here collision is resolved by chaining, that is each cell of hash table points to a linked list of records that have the same hash function value.

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Consider a binary search tree T whose keys are distinct. show that if the right subtree of a node x in T is empty and x has a successor y , then y is the lowest ancestor of x whose left child is also an ancestor of x .

Successor → Node with smallest key greater than given node. To find Successor of a node →



Leftmost node in the right subtree of the given node, is its successor
e.g. successor of 8 is 10

" " 20 is 22
" " 12 is 14

If the node don't have right subtree, then Successor is the lowest ancestor whose left child is also an ancestor.

To prove

e.g. To find success of 14

Step 1: lowest ancestor = 12
but its left child = 10
which is not ancestor of 14
⇒ 12 is not successor

Step 2: lowest ancestor = 8
but its left child = 4
which is not ancestor of 14
⇒ 8 is not successor

Step 3: lowest ancestor = 20
& its left child = 8
is also ancestor of 14
⇒ 20 is successor of 14

Ancestor → In above tree ancestor of the nodes are given →

4 is 4, 8, 20

but not 12, 22, 10, 14

10 is 10, 12, 8, 20

but not 4, 22, 14

14 is 14, 12, 8, 20

but not 10, 4, 22

Note: Every node is both ancestor & descendant of itself.

if y is ancestor of x
then x is descendant of y

Proof:

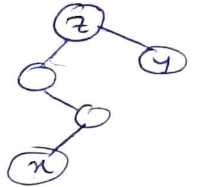
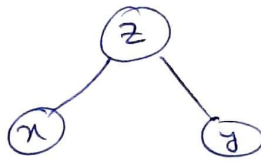
①

First we prove that y must be ancestor of x .

Let y is not an ancestor of x

z denote common ancestor of x and y

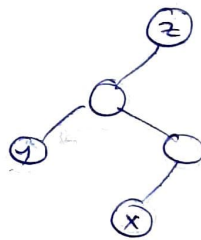
(a)



So by BST property, $x < z < y$,
so y cannot be successor as it is
not the smallest key ~~smaller~~ greater
than x

$\Rightarrow y$ must be ancestor of x

(b)

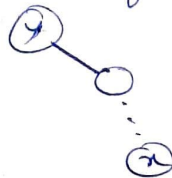


In this case
 $y < x$ so
 y cannot
be successor

$\Rightarrow y$ must be ancestor of x

②

Now y 's left must be ancestor of x
because if it weren't, then y 's right
would be ancestor of $x \Rightarrow x > y$



\Downarrow
 y cannot
be successor
of x

③

suppose y is not the lowest of x
whose left child is also an ancestor of x .

Let z denotes this lowest ancestor, then

z must be in the left subtree of y ,
which implies $z < y$

also x must be in z 's left

$\Rightarrow x < z$

$x < z < y$

So y won't
be successor
as it is not
the smallest key greater than x

To prove
 y must be
ancestor of x

To prove
left child
of y must
also be
ancestor of x

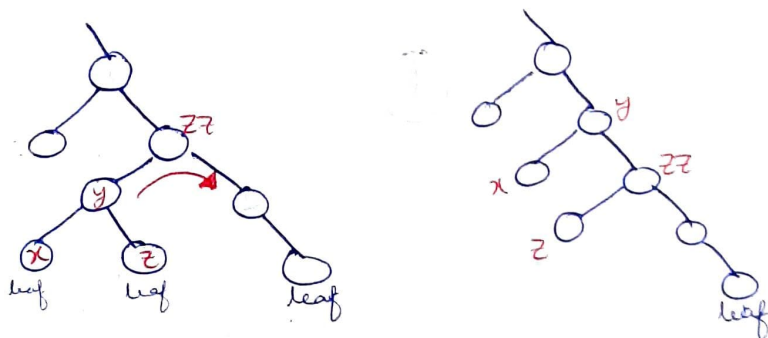
To prove
 y is the
lowest
ancestor
whose left
child is also
ancestor

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Show that any n -node binary tree can be converted to any other n -node binary tree using $O(n)$ rotations

(a) Step-1: Binary search tree to right-going chain

It takes $O(n)$ rotations to turn an arbitrary binary search tree into a right-going chain (for all nodes in the tree they only have right child)



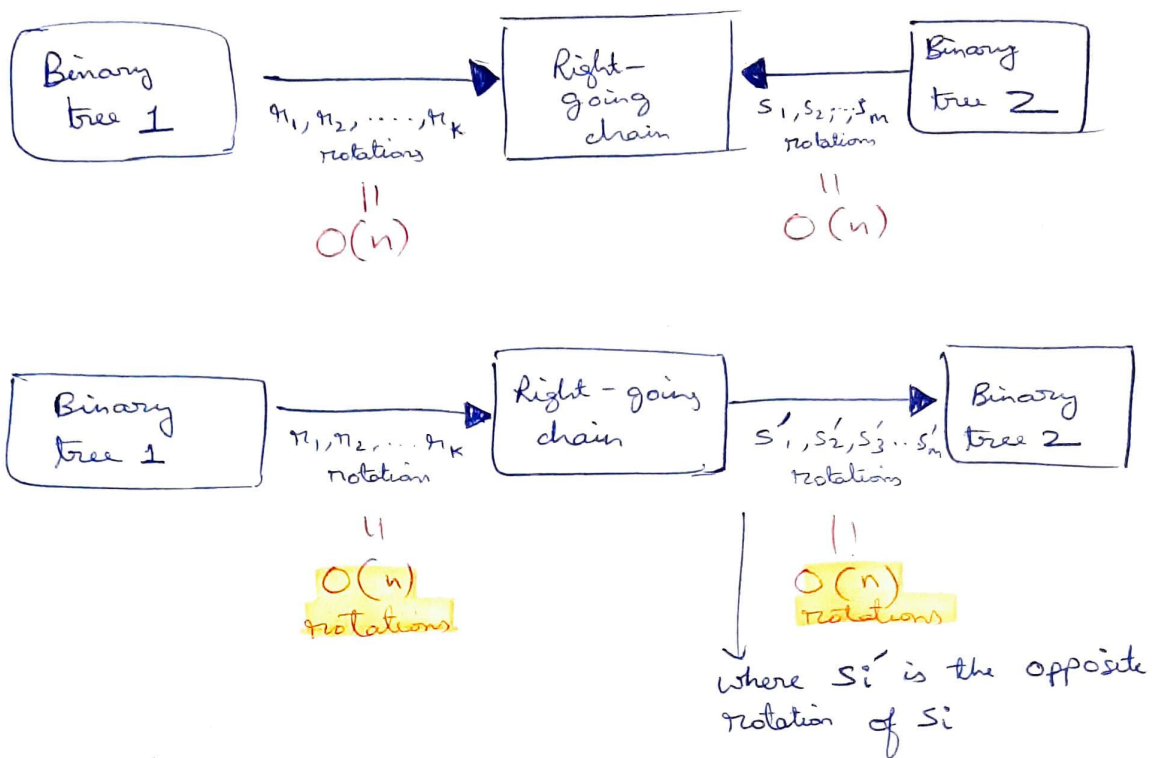
From the level above leaf to root, we check if the node have a left child, if yes, then we perform right rotation so the node only have right child, we basically have to check all the nodes except leaves, so it is $(n-k)$ steps, where k is the number of leaves.

In worst case there will be only 1 leaf, so it will take $(n-1)$ rotations to convert the BST into right-going chain. $O(n)$ rotations

in above e.g. it will be node zz
in above e.g. it will be node y

In other words, start by picking the lowest node on the rightmost chain which has a left ancestor, then perform right rotation to add the node to the right most chain. Now since initially the rightmost chain ^{can} contain at least 1 leaf, so we need to perform atmost $(n-1)$ rotations to convert BST to right chain.

⑥ Step-2 : Right-going chain to any arbitrary BST



$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{Total time complexity} &= O(n) + O(n) \\ &= O(n) \text{ rotations} \end{aligned}$$

Q4 Describe a non-recursive algorithm for enumerating all permutations of the numbers $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ using an explicit stack.

Solⁿ Concept used :

We can use a stack to reduce the problem to that of enumerating all permutations of the numbers $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$.

Since if we have ~~per~~ all permutations of $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$ in one stack, we can produce all the permutations of $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ in another stack. **Code in next page** →

Q.4 Describe a non-recursive algorithm for enumerating all permutations of the numbers {1, 2, ...,n} using an explicit stack

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In [1]: """
Concept: If you have all the permutations of {1,2,...,n-1} in one
stack, then we can produce all the permutations
of {1, 2, . . . , n - 1, n} in another stack

We start with the given list {1,2,...,n}, then pop one element fr
om it, so our list will have n-1 numbers.

Base case is when no number is left in the list

"""

def permutations_using_stack(nums):
    stack = []

    for num in nums:
        stack.append([num], nums-set([num]))

    while len(stack) != 0:

        """step1"""
        list1, remaining = stack.pop()

        """base-case"""
        if len(remaining) == 0:
            print(list1)

        else:
            """step2"""
            for n in remaining:
                list2 = list1.copy()
                list2.append(n)
                stack.append([list2, nums-set(list2)])
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In [2]: """code verification"""
n = 3

nums = {x for x in range(1, n+1)}

permutations_using_stack(nums)

[3, 2, 1]
[3, 1, 2]
[2, 3, 1]
[2, 1, 3]
[1, 3, 2]
[1, 2, 3]
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