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**CS29003 ALGORITHMS LABORATORY****Assignment No: 5****Last Date of Submission: 26–August–2015**

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The Jovian Institute of Technology (JIT) is building a complex of classrooms for staging several events like classes, labs, quizzes, conferences, and so on. It has a complete list of events before it starts its design process. Each event is specified by an interval  $(a, b)$ , where  $a$  is the start time of the event, and  $b$  its finish time. We assume that the events have an hourly schedule, that is,  $a$  and  $b$  are integers. We also assume that  $a < b$  for each event. The intervals are assumed to be open, that is, two intervals like  $(a, b)$  and  $(b, c)$  are considered non-overlapping. For example, you can schedule the events  $(1, 3)$  and  $(3, 6)$  in the same classroom. Moreover, multiple events with the same start and finish times may be present. For instance, you may have multiple classes running during the same period  $(5, 6)$ . The JIT administration plans to design a complex such that all the events can be scheduled with as few classrooms as possible.

**Part 1:** We use a binary search tree in order to store the events. Each node in the tree consists of the following fields: an interval (its two endpoints), a *count* (storing the number of times the interval is duplicated), and a *max* value (storing the maximum finish time of all nodes in the subtree rooted at that node), and two child pointers. Do not use parent pointers.

**Part 2:** Let  $I = (a, b)$  and  $J = (c, d)$  be two intervals. We say that  $I = J$  if both  $a = c$  and  $b = d$  hold. We say  $I < J$  if either (i)  $a < c$ , or (ii)  $a = c$  and  $b < d$ . Finally, we say  $I > J$  if  $J < I$ . Write a function *intervalcmp()* that, given two intervals  $I$  and  $J$  as input, returns whether  $I < J$  (a negative value),  $I = J$  (zero), or  $I > J$  (a positive value). Your BST will be ordered with respect to this relation  $<$  (this is a total order on the set of integer pairs).

**Part 3:** Write a function *insert()* to insert an interval  $I$  to an event tree  $T$ . Follow the standard BST-insertion procedure with two modifications: (i) if  $I$  already exists in  $T$ , increment its *count*, and (ii) the insertion may cause the *max* fields to change at some nodes on the insertion path—take care of that. The function should return a pointer to the root node of the tree. You do not have to balance the height of the tree.

**Part 4:** Two intervals  $I$  and  $J$  are said to be overlapping if they share a common real value. Here, we are considering open intervals, that is, bands of real numbers without the endpoints. Two intervals sharing an endpoint may be non-overlapping. For example, the intervals  $(3, 5)$  and  $(5, 6)$  do not overlap, whereas the interval  $(3, 5)$  overlaps with the intervals  $(2, 4)$ ,  $(2, 5)$ ,  $(3, 4)$ ,  $(3, 5)$ ,  $(4, 5)$  and  $(4, 6)$  (sharing respectively the common real values  $e + 1$ ,  $\sqrt{10}$ ,  $\pi$ , 4, 4.5, and  $14/3$ , for instance). Write a function *overlapcnt()* that, given an event tree  $T$  and a query interval  $I$ , returns the number of events that overlap with  $I$ . The function should take into account the event *counts* stored in the nodes of  $T$ . The running time of your function should be  $O(h + t)$ , where  $h$  is the height of the tree  $T$ , and  $t$  is the number of overlapping events returned by the function.

**Part 5:** Write a function *minclassroomcnt()* to solve the JIT problem, that is, a function to return the minimum possible number of classrooms needed so that all the events can be scheduled. This function should run in  $O(n(h + t))$  time (or better), where  $n$  is the number of events, and  $t$  is the count returned by the function.

**Part 6:** Write a *main()* function to do the following:

- Initialize an event tree  $T$  to empty. Read the number  $n$  of events from the user. One by one, read  $n$  events from the user, and insert in  $T$  (Part 3). Print the preorder and inorder listings of the event tree produced. Write  $[(a,b),count,max]$  for each node.
- Read the number  $q$  of overlap queries from the user. One by one, read  $q$  queries, and print the overlap counts (using the function of Part 4). Additionally, print the events that overlap with the query interval. The printing format will be  $[(a,b),count]$ .
- Invoke the function of Part 5 to compute and print the minimum requirement of classrooms.

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**Sample Output**

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n = 8
+++ Insert   : (14,24) (3,11) (8,12) (7,10) (8,11) (15,20) (8,12) (19,26)

+++ Preorder : [(14,24),1,26] [( 3,11),1,12] [( 8,12),2,12] [( 7,10),1,11] [( 8,11),1,11]
               [(15,20),1,26] [(19,26),1,26]
+++ Inorder  : [( 3,11),1,12] [( 7,10),1,11] [( 8,11),1,11] [( 8,12),2,12] [(14,24),1,26]
               [(15,20),1,26] [(19,26),1,26]

q = 2
+++ Overlap (11,21) : [(14,24),1] [( 8,12),2] [(15,20),1] [(19,26),1]
                    Overlap count = 5
+++ Overlap ( 7,16) : [(14,24),1] [( 3,11),1] [( 8,12),2] [( 7,10),1] [( 8,11),1]
                    [(15,20),1]
                    Overlap count = 7

+++ Minimum class count is 5
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