Algorithms I (CS21003)

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Assignment 3

A3. (August 10, 2010)

(a) Use the code of A2 to dynamically allocate a list L of n positive integers and randomly assign the elements in L such that each element lies in the closed interval [a, b]. Print the input list L. [User input: n, a, b]

Output: File "roll number_a30.txt"

(b) Construct a BST (binary search tree) T_1 using the elements of L one by one.

Each node of T_1 should contain its key and level (= 0 implies root).

Report the keys of T_1 in two forms:

i) nodes are reported level-wise, from left to right along each level.

Suggestion: Queue as a data structure.

Output: File "roll number_a31.txt" (with '-1' at the start and 'new line' at the end of each level)

ii) by in-order traversal.

Output: File "roll number_a32.txt" (append max level)

(c) Write a procedure to search a key in T_1 .

Hence compute the average number of comparisons for searching all elements of L in T_1 , one at a time.

Append this figure in "roll number_a32.txt".

(d) Compute the average number of comparisons for searching all elements of $[a, b] \setminus L$ in T_1 , one at a time.

Append this figure in "roll number_a32.txt".

- (e) Write a procedure to search all elements in T_1 lying the user-specified interval, [c, d]. Append this figure in "roll number_a32.txt".
- (f) Find recursively the median (using A2) of L and reconstruct a BST, T_2 , such that its height is $\lceil \log_2 n \rceil$.

Perform the above operations (b–e) on T_2 and report the output data in "roll number_a33.txt" and "roll number_a34.txt", in the same fashion as mentioned above.

(g) Construct a height-balanced BST (AVL tree), T₃, from L.
Perform the above operations (b-e) on T₃ and report the output data in "roll number_a34.txt" and "roll number_a35.txt", again in the above-mentioned fashion.