#### CS151 Intro to Data Structures

AVL Trees Splay Trees

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# Announcements

April 29: No lab. Extra credit opportunity instead

HW7 due Sunday HW8 released tonight - due May 9th

## Outline

Review: Tree Rotation and AVL Trees Splay Trees Red-Black Trees

## **Runtime Complexity**

Runtime Complexity of rotation?

- O(1)

Constant time... we're just updating links

## **Balanced Binary Trees**

- Difference of heights of left and right subtrees at any node is at most 1
- Add an operation to BSTs to maintain balance:
  - Rotation

### Rotations

Right rotation:

- Performed when left side is heavier
- left child becomes root

Left rotation:

- Performed when right side is heavier
- right child becomes root



### RotateRight Algorithm



1. a.left =
 Pivot.right

# 2. Pivot.right = a

#### RotateLeft Algorithm



1. Root.right =
 Pivot.left

2. Pivot.left =
root

Sometimes a single rotation is not enough to restore balance





**Right** child of a is too heavy.. because **Right subtree** of b is too heavy.. Single Left rotation on the root needed **Right** child of a is too heavy... because **Left subtree** of c is too heavy **Is a single rotation enough?** 



- 1. **Rotate Right** at c because right subtree of root is too heavy
- 2. Rotate Left at the root (a)

### **Double Rotation Example 2:**



- 1. Rotate Left at a because right subtree of root is too heavy
- 2. Rotate right at the root (c)







**Right** subtree is too heavy because of **left** subtree of c

- 1. Rotate Right about c
- 2. Rotate Left about a

Left subtree is too heavy because of right subtree of a

- 1. Rotate Left about a
- 2. Rotate Right about c

When do we need a double rotation vs a single rotation?



**Double rotation** 

Single rotation Do

**Double rotation** 

Look for zig-zag pattern!

When do we need a double rotation?

Left subtree is too heavy on the right side rotateLeftRight

OR

**Right subtree is too heavy on the left side** rotateRightLeft



### **Double Rotation Code**

```
def rotateLeftRight(n)
 n.left = rotateLeft(n.left);
 n = rotateRight(n);
```

```
def rotateRightLeft(n)
 n.right = rotateRight(n.right);
 n = rotateLeft(n);
```

#### Examples - which way should I rotate?



rotateLeft rotateRightLeft rotateRight rotateLeftRight

# **AVL Trees**

#### **AVL** Trees

- "self balancing binary search tree"
- For every internal node, the heights of the two children differ by at most 1
- does rotations upon insert/removal if necessary

## **AVL** Height

- We keep track of the height of each node as a field for quick access
- The height of an AVL tree is logn
  - Always balanced

# Insertion

#### AVL Tree Example

leaves are sentinels and have height 0



#### Insert 54



## Insertion (54)





#### New node always has height 1

Parent may change height

#### Which node do we "rebalance over"?



lowest subtree with diff(heights) > 1

### Exercise

- Create an AVL tree by inserting the nodes in this order:
  - M, N, O, L, K, Q, P, H, I, A

#### **AVL** Animation

## **Rebalance Algorithm**

```
If left.height > right.height + 1:
 if (left.right.height > left.left.height) //double rotate
     rotateLeftRight(n)
 else:
     rotateDight(n)
```

rotateRight(n)

```
else if right.height > left.height + 1:
 if (right.left.height > right.right.height) //double rotate
     rotateRightLeft(n)
 else:
```

```
rotateLeft(n)
```

## **Runtime Complexity:**

Insertion (plus rotation)

- a. search + find node to rebalance + rotate
- b. O(logn) + O(logn) + O(1) = O(logn)

# Deletion

#### Delete Example 1: 32



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### Delete Example 2:88



### Delete Example 2:88

#### rotateLeftRight



#### Delete Example 3: 20



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- Deletion can cause more than one rotation
- Worst case requires O(logn) rotations
  - deleting from a deepest leaf node and rotating each subtree up to the root

#### Removal

#### Runtime Complexity?

- a. search + find node to rebalance + rotate
- b. O(logn) + O(logn) + O(1) = O(logn)

#### Still O(logn) even though we may need multiple rotations? Why?

-> Even though we may need to find multiple nodes to rebalance we only traverse the height of the tree once

### Performance of BSTs

Runtime complexity:

search? BST: O(n) AVL: O(logn)

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Runtime complexity:

insert? BST: O(n) AVL: O(logn)

### Performance of BSTs

Runtime complexity:

remove? BST: O(n) AVL: O(logn)

# Splay Trees

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- No enforcement on height
- Instead, exploits *principle of locality* 
  - items that have been recently accessed are more likely to be accessed again in the near future
- "Move to root" operation
  - When a node is accessed (searched, inserted, or deleted), it becomes the root of the tree by performing a series of rotations called "splays"



# Splaying

Move to root operation requires a zig / zag restructuring

#### • zig

- a. accessed node becomes root of subtree
- b. parent becomes child



before

after

# Splaying - Zig

#### • zig

- a. accessed node becomes root of subtree
- b. parent becomes child





# Splaying: Zig-Zig

#### zig-zig:

- step 1: zig
  - a. accessed node's parent (y) becomes root

10

 $T_2$ 

 $T_1$ 

20

 $T_3$ 

before

30

 $T_4$ 

 $T_1$ 

- b. parent becomes child
- step 2: **zig** 
  - a. accessed node (x) becomes root
  - b. parent becomes child

 $T_3$ 

 $T_4$ 

20

 $T_2$ 

after

#### zig-zig:

- step 1: **zig** 
  - a. accessed node's parent (4) becomes root
  - b. parent becomes child
- step 2: **zig** 
  - a. accessed node (3) becomes root
  - b. parent becomes child



# Splaying: Zig-Zag

#### zig-zag:

- step 1: zig
  - a. accessed node (x) becomes root of subtree
  - b. parent becomes child
- step 2: zag
  - a. accessed node (x) becomes root of tree
  - b. parent becomes child

Called zig-zag because the second step is a rotation in the **opposite direction** 







Splaying: Zig-Zag



# Splaying: Zig-Zag and Zig-Zig

- Analogous to a double rotation in AVLs
- Zig-Zag
  - Two rotations in opposite directions
- Zig-Zig
  - Two rotations in the same direction

## Which Transformation to Perform

- 1. **Zig:** accessed node does not have a grandparent. Only one rotation required
- 2. **Zig-Zig:** accessed node and its parent are both children on the same side
  - a. x is the left child of y and y is the left child of z OR
  - b. x is the right child of y and y is the right child of z
- 3. Zig-Zag: one of x and y is a right child and the other is a left child
  - a. Analogous to double rotations in AVLs

# Splaying

Repeating restructurings until the accessed node x is at the root of the tree.

Series of zig, zig-zig, and zig-zag rotations

#### Example - insert(14)







# When/what to Splay

on search for x: if x is found, splay x. else splay x's parent

on insert x: splay x after insertion



#### on remove x: splay parent of removed leaf node

## Deletion: remove(8)



Runtime of restructuring operations:

- 1. **zig** 
  - a. O(1)
- 2. **zig-zig** a. O(1)
- 3. zig-zag
  - a. O(1)

Splay trees do rotations after every operation (including search)

Each rotation is constant time..

What is the max number of rotations we may need to perform?



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O(n)

Worst case:

- Search:
  - O(n)
- Remove:
  - O(n)
- Insert:
  - O(n)

High cost operations often balance the tree Amortized: O(logn)

