

1 Binary search tree implementation of a dictionary

Variables

tree: binary tree

inv: *tree* is a binary search tree containing the items of the dictionary

Algorithms

size()

out: size of dictionary

return (size of tree)

isEmpty()

out: dictionary is empty?

return (tree is empty?)

findElement(key)

in: key to be searched for

out: element of item with key in dictionary; NO-SUCH-KEY if no such item exists

if tree is empty

 return NO-SUCH-KEY

else

 return *findElement*(key, root of tree)

findElement(key, node)

in: key to be searched for; root of subtree to be searched

out: element of item with key in subtree rooted at node; NO-SUCH-KEY if no such item exists

if node is leaf

 if key of node = key

 return element of node

 else

 return NO-SUCH-KEY

else

 if key of node = key

 return element of node

 else if key of node > key

 if node has left child

 return *findElement*(key, left child of node)

 else

 return NO-SUCH-KEY

 else (key of node < key)

 if node has right child

 return *findElement*(key, right child of node)

 else

 return NO-SUCH-KEY

insertItem(key, element)

in: item to be inserted

post: item (key, element) has been inserted into dictionary

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if tree is empty
    let node containing (key, element) be the root of tree
else
    return insertItem(key, element, root of tree)

insertItem(key, element, node)
in: item to be inserted; root of subtree to be inserted in
post: item (key, element) has been inserted into subtree rooted at node
if node is leaf
    if key of node  $\geq$  key
        add node containing (key, element) as left child of node
    else
        add node containing (key, element) as right child of node
else
    if key of node  $\geq$  key
        if node has left child
            insertItem(key, element, left child of node)
        else
            add node containing (key, element) as left child of node
    else (key of node  $<$  key)
        if node has right child
            insertItem(key, element, right child of node)
        else
            add node containing (key, element) as right child of node

remove(key)
in: key to be searched for
out: element of item with key in dictionary; NO-SUCH-KEY if no such item exists
post: item has been removed from dictionary
if tree is empty
    return NO-SUCH-KEY
else
    return remove(key, root of tree)

remove(key, node)
in: key to be searched for; root of subtree to be searched
out: element of item with key in subtree rooted at node; NO-SUCH-KEY if no such item exists
post: item has been removed from subtree rooted at node
if node is leaf
    if key of node = key
        return element of node
        remove node
    else
        return NO-SUCH-KEY
else
    if key of node  $>$  key
        if node has left child
            return remove(key, left child of node)
        else

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        return NO-SUCH-KEY
    else if key of node < key
        if node has right child
            return remove(key, right child of node)
        else
            return NO-SUCH-KEY
    else (key of node = key)
        if node has only one child
            return element of node
            replace node by its child
        else
            let item = removeMin(right child of node)
            return element of node
            store item in node

removeMin(node)
in: root of subtree
out: item with minimal key in subtree rooted at node
post: node of item with minimal key has been removed from subtree rooted at node
if node is leaf
    return item of node
    remove node
else
    if node has left child
        removeMin(left child of node)
    else
        return item of node
        replace node by its right child

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