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**Paper # 1
Today MIDTERM EXAMINATION
Spring 2011
CS301- Data Structures**

Question No:1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following calling methods does not change the original value of the argument in the calling function?

- None of the given options
- Call by passing the value of the argument**
- Call by passing reference of the argument

Call by passing the address of the argument

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one is a self- referential data type?

Stack

Queue

Link list

All of these

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

AVL Tree is,

Non Linear data structure

Linear data structure

Hybrid data structure (Mixture of Linear and Non Linear)

None of the given options.

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

We access elements in AVL Tree in,

Linear way only

Non Linear way only

Both linear and non linear ways

None of the given options.

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

“+” is a _____ *operator*.

Unary

Binary

Ternary

None of the above

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

“--” is a _____ *operator*.

Unary

Binary

Ternary

None of the above

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The data of the problem is of 2GB and the hard disk is of 1GB capacity, to solve this problem we should

Use better data structures

Increase the hard disk space

Use the better algorithm

Use as much data as we can store on the hard disk

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

What is the maximum depth of recursive calls a function may make?

1

2

n (where n is the argument)

There is no fixed maximum

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose n is the number of nodes in a complete Binary Tree then maximum steps required for a search operation are,

$\log_2 (n+1) - 1$

$\log_2 (n+1)$

⌚ $\log_2(n) - 1$

⌚ $\log_2(n)$

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

_____ is a binary tree where every node has a value, every node's left sub tree contains only values less than or equal to the node's value, and every node's right subtree contains only values that are greater then or equal?

⌚ **Strictly Binary Tree**

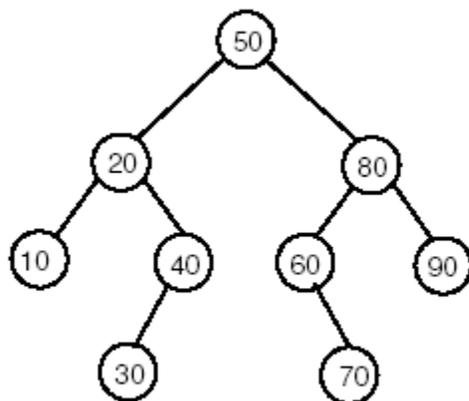
⌚ Binary Search tree

⌚ AVL tree

⌚ All of these

Question No: 11 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Below is a binary search tree. If we delete the value 50 using the algorithm we discussed, what value will be in the root of the remaining tree?



⌚ 50

⌚ 60

⌚ 70

Question No: 12 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Four statements about trees are below. Three of them are correct. Which one is INCORRECT?

🕒 **Trees are recursively defined multi-dimensional data structures**

🕒 The order of a tree indicates a maximum number of children allowed at each node of the tree

🕒 A search tree is a special type of tree where all values (i.e. keys) are ordered

🕒 If Tree1's size is greater than Tree2's size, then the height of Tree1 must also be greater than Tree2's height.

Question No: 21 (Marks: 2)

Define Complete Binary tree

Answer:

"A complete binary tree is a binary tree with the additional property that every node must have exactly two children if an internal node, and zero children if a leaf node."

Question No: (Marks: 2)

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Answer:

Binary tree is useful structure when two-way decisions are made at each point. Suppose we want to find all duplicates in a list of the following numbers: 14, 15, 4, 9, 7, 18, 3, 5, 16, 4, 20, 17, 9, 14, 5 This list may comprise numbers of any nature. For example, roll numbers, telephone numbers or voter's list. In addition to the presence of duplicate number, we

may also require the frequency of numbers in the list. As it is a small list, so only a cursory view may reveal that there are some duplicate numbers present in this list. Practically, this list can be of very huge size ranging to thousands or millions.

Question No: (Marks: 3)

What normally is the sequence of operations while constructing an AVL tree?

Answer:

Basic operations of an AVL tree involve carrying out the same actions as would be carried out on an unbalanced binary search tree, but modifications are preceded or followed by one or more operations called tree rotations, which help to restore the height balance of the subtrees.

Question No: (Marks: 3)

Define the following

The Height of the Tree:

The definition of height of a tree is:

The height of a binary tree is the maximum level of its leaves (also called the depth).

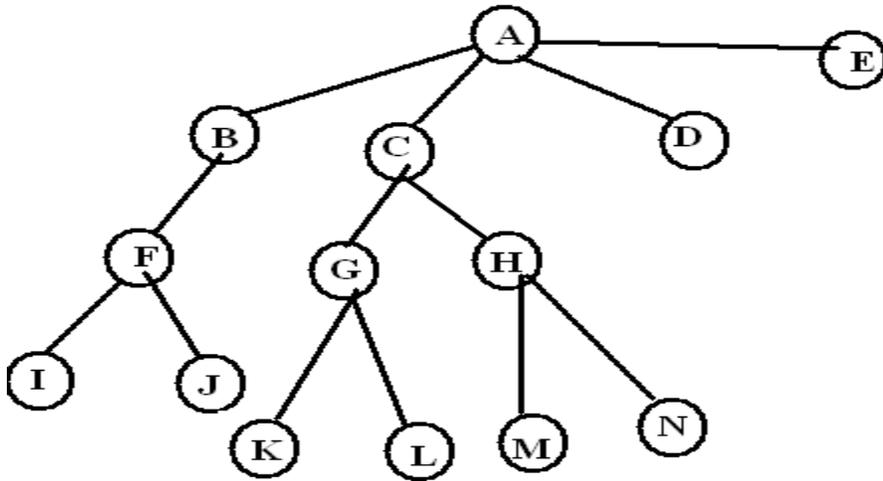
The balance of a node:

The balance of a node is defined as:

The balance of a node in a binary tree is defined as the height of its left subtree minus height of its right subtree.

Question No: (Marks: 5)

Define



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Fall 2009
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Ref No: 885482
Time: 60 min
Marks: 38

Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following is a valid postfix expression?

- ▶ **ab+c*d-**
- ▶ **abc*+d-**
- ▶ abc+*d-
- ▶ (abc*)+d-

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The tree data structure is a

- ▶ Linear data structure
- ▶ **Non-linear data structure**
- ▶ Graphical data structure
- ▶ Data structure like queue

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A **Compound Data Structure** is the data structure which can have multiple data items of same type or of different types. Which of the following can be considered compound data structure?

- ▶ Arrays
- ▶ LinkLists
- ▶ **Binary Search Trees**
- ▶ All of the given options

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose a pointer has been declared in main but has not assigned any variable address then

- ▶ That pointer points to First byte in main function
- ▶ **That pointer contains a NULL value**

- ▶ None of these
- ▶ That pointer points to any memory address

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Here is the start of a C++ class declaration:

```
class foo
{
public:
void x(foo f);
void y(const foo f);
void z(foo f) const;
...
}
```

Which of the three member functions can alter the PRIVATE member variables of the foo object that activates the function?

▶ Only x can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

- ▶ Only y can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.
- ▶ Only z can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.
- ▶ Two of the functions can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The operation for removing an entry from a stack is traditionally called:

- ▶ delete
- ▶ peek
- ▶ pop
- ▶ remove

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Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which statement of the following statements is incorrect?

- ▶ Lists can be implemented by using arrays or linked lists
- ▶ A list is a sequence of one or more data items
- ▶ Stack is a special kind of list in which all insertions and deletions take place at one end
- ▶ Stacks are easier to implement than lists

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Parameters in function call are passed using,

▶ **Stack**

▶ Queue

▶ Binary Search Tree

▶ AVL Tree

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following sequence of push operations in a stack:

```
stack.push('7');
stack.push('8');
stack.push('9');
stack.push('10');
stack.push('11');
stack.push('12');
```

▶ **7 8 9 10 11 12**

▶ 9 8 11 10 7 12

▶ 9 10 8 11 12 7

▶ 9 10 8 12 7 11

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

What is the maximum depth of recursive calls a function may make?

▶ 1

▶ 2

▶ **n (where n is the argument)**

▶ there is no fixed maximum

Question No: 11 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following function:

```
void test_a(int n)
{
    cout << n << " ";
    if (n>0)
        test_a(n-2);
}
```

What is printed by the call test_a(4)?

- ▶ 4 2
- ▶ 0 2 4
- ▶ 0 2
- ▶ **2 4**

Question No: 12 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Queue follows,

- ▶ Last in First out
- ▶ First in Last out
- ▶ **First in First out**
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

_____ is a binary tree where every node has a value, every node's left subtree contains only values less than or equal to the node's value, and every node's right subtree contains only values that are greater than or equal?

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- ▶ Binary Search tree
- ▶ AVL tree
- ▶ All of these

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

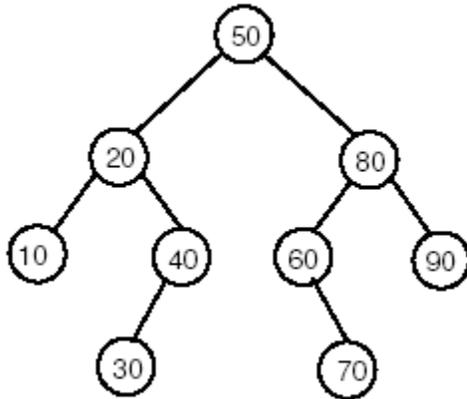
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- ▶ If Tree1's size is greater than Tree2's size, then the height of Tree1 must also be greater than Tree2's height.

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Below is a binary search tree. If we delete the value 50 using the algorithm we discussed, what value will be in the root of the remaining tree?



- ▶ 50
- ▶ 60
- ▶ 70
- ▶ 80

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

_____ is a data structure that can grow easily dynamically at run time without having to copy existing elements.

- ▶ Array
- ▶ List
- ▶ Both of these
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 17 (Marks: 1)

Give the names of basic Queue Operations

Ans:

Definition: A collection of items in which only the earliest added item may be accessed.

Basic operations are add (to the *tail*) or enqueue and delete (from the *head*) or dequeue.

Delete returns the item removed. Also known as "first-in, first-out" or FIFO.

Question No: 18 (Marks: 1)

Give one benefit of using Stack.

In computer science, a stack is a last in, first out (LIFO) abstract data type and data

structure. A stack can have any abstract data type as an element, but is characterized by only two fundamental operations: push and pop. the data structure itself enforces the proper order of calls.

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

Let's call the node as a that requires re-balancing. Consider the two cases given below:

- 1) An insertion into left subtree of the left child of a
- 2) An insertion into right subtree of the right child of a.

Which of the following statement is correct about these two cases.

- 1) The insertion occurs outside (i.e., left-left or right-right) in cases 1 and 2. single rotation can fix the balance in these two cases.
- 2) The insertion occurs inside ((i.e., left-left or right-right) in cases 1 and 2. single rotation cannot fix the balance in these two cases

Question No: 20 (Marks: 3)

Consider the following sequence of push operations in a stack:

```
stack.push('1');  
stack.push('2');  
stack.push('3');  
stack.push('4');  
stack.push('5');  
stack.push('6');
```

You can insert as many stack.pop()'s as you like in the above sequence of stack.push's to get a desired output. Which of the following cannot be an output?

- A. 123456
- B. 325416
- C. 342561
- D. 342615
- E. 342165

Question No: 21 (Marks: 5)

Give short answers of the following questions:

1. Why List wastes less memory as compared to Arrays.

Ans:

1. Linked lists do not need contiguous blocks of memory; extremely large data sets

stored in an array might not be able to fit in memory.

2. Linked list storage does not need to be preallocated (again, due to arrays needing contiguous memory blocks).

3. Inserting or removing an element into a linked list requires one data update, inserting or removing an element into an array requires n (all elements after the modified index need to be shifted).

Array is a collection of same data type. In linked list there are two fields one is address and other is pointer. In array elements are arranged in a specific order

2. Why we can change the size of list after its creation when we can not do that in simple arrays.

Some how the answer will be same as part 1 because Inserting or removing an element into a linked list requires one data update, inserting or removing an element into an array requires n (all elements after the modified index need to be shifted).

Array is a collection of same data type. The size of array is mentioned with its declaration. In arrays the elements are in contiguous position. One must follow another. While in linked list we gave the address of next element in the next part of node.

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Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following statement is NOT correct?

- ▶ In linked list the elements are necessarily to be contiguous
- ▶ **In linked list the elements may locate at far positions in the memory**
- ▶ In linked list each element also has the next to it
- ▶ In an array the elements are contiguous

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Each operator in a postfix expression refers to the previous _____ operand(s).

- ▶ One
- ▶ **Two**
- ▶ Three
- ▶ Four

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following calling methods does not change the original value of the argument in the calling function?

- ▶ None of the given options
- ▶ **Call by passing the value of the argument**
- ▶ Call by passing reference of the argument
- ▶ Call by passing the address of the argument

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A tree is an AVL tree if

- ▶ Any one node fulfills the AVL condition
- ▶ At least half of the nodes fulfill the AVL condition
- ▶ All the nodes fulfill the AVL condition
- ▶ **None of the given options**

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose `currentNode` refers to a node in a linked list (using the `Node` class with member variables called `data` and `nextNode`). What statement changes `currentNode` so that it refers to the next node?

- ▶ `currentNode ++;`
- ▶ `currentNode = nextNode;`
- ▶ `currentNode += nextNode;`
- ▶ **`currentNode = currentNode->nextNode;`**

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A queue where the de-queue operation depends not on FIFO, is called a priority queue

- ▶ False

▶ **True** page #101

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one is a self-referential data type?

▶ Stack

▶ Queue

▶ **Link list**

▶ All of these

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Each node in doubly link list has,

▶ 1 pointer

▶ **2 pointers** page39

▶ 3 pointers

▶ 4 pointers

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

I have implemented the queue with a linked list, keeping track of a front pointer and a rear pointer. Which of these pointers will change during an insertion into an *EMPTY* queue?

▶ Neither changes

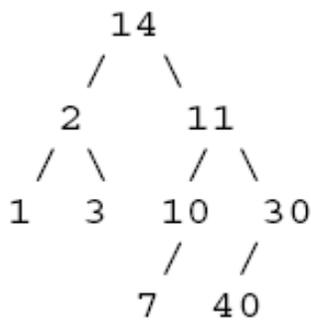
▶ Only front pointer changes.

▶ Only rear pointer changes.

▶ Both change.

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following tree.



How many of the nodes have at least one sibling?

▶ 8

▶ 7

▶ 5

▶ 6

Question No: 11 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The nodes with no successor are called _____

▶ Root Nodes

▶ Leaf Nodes

▶ Both of these

- ▶ None of these

Question No: 12 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

AVL Tree is,

▶ **Non Linear data structure** page112

- ▶ Linear data structure
- ▶ Hybrid data structure (Mixture of Linear and Non Linear)
- ▶ None of the given options.

Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

We access elements in AVL Tree in,

- ▶ Linear way only

▶ **Non Linear way only**

- ▶ Both linear and non linear ways
- ▶ None of the given options.

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A binary search tree should have minimum of one _____ node/s at each level,

▶ One

▶ **Two**

▶ Three

▶ Four

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following statements.

- (i) A binary tree can contain at least 2^L Nodes at level L.
- (ii) A complete binary tree of depth d is a binary tree that contains 2^L Nodes at each level L between 0 and d, both inclusive.
- (iii) The total number of nodes (T_n) in a complete binary tree of depth d is $2^{d+1} - 1$.
- (iv) The height of the complete binary tree can be written as $h = \log_2 (T_n + 1) - 1$ where T_n is Total number of Nodes.

Which one of the following is correct in respect of the above statements regarding the Binary trees?

▶ (i) and (iii) only

▶ (i), (ii) and (iii) only

▶ (ii) and (iii) only

▶ (ii), (iii) and (iv) only

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

“+” is a _____ operator.

▶ Unary

▶ Binary

▶ Ternary

▶ None of the above

Question No: 17 (Marks: 2)

What would the state of a stack be after the following operations?

create stack
push A onto stack
push F onto stack
push X onto stack
pop item from stack
push B onto stack
pop item from stack
pop item from stack

A Remening On The Stack

Question No: 18 (Marks: 2)

What are the applications of Binary Tree.

Answer:

Binary tree is useful structure when two-way decisions are made at each point.

Suppose we want to find all duplicates in a list of the following numbers: 14, 15, 4, 9, 7, 18, 3, 5, 16, 4, 20, 17, 9, 14, 5

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

What is difference between call by reference and call by value?

Answer:

One application is to find duplicates in a list of numbers.

Let a given list be " 12 34 56 89 33 11 89

the first number in the list is placed in a node that is established as the root of a binary tree. Each number is compared with the node in the root, if the number is larger, we search the right sub-tree else we search the left sub-tree. If the sub-tree is empty, the number is not a duplicate and this will be added as a new node.

2. Binary trees can be used for sorting a given list such that, if we take the first number as root, the numbers less than that number will be transferred to left sub-tree and the greater numbers to right sub-tree.

3. Binary trees are also used for developing the huffman codes.

Question No: 20 (Marks: 3)

What is the functionality of the following method of BST class

```
TreeNode<int>* function(TreeNode<int>* tree)
{
    if( tree == NULL )
        return NULL;
    if( tree->getLeft() == NULL )
        return tree; // this is it.
    return function( tree->getLeft() );
}
```

Question No: 21 (Marks: 3)

- Write a C++ statement that declares a valid reference of int i;
- What is the benefit of reference and where can we use it?

In the last lecture we were discussing about reference variables, we saw three examples; call by value, call by reference and call by pointer. We saw the use of stack when a function is

called by value, by reference or by pointer. The arguments passed to the function and local variables are pushed on to the stack. There is one important point to note that in this course, we are using C/C++ but the usage of stack is similar in most of the computer languages like FORTRAN and Java . The syntax we are using here is C++ specific, like we are sending a parameter by pointer using & sign. In Java, the native data types like *int*, *float* are passed by value and the objects are passed by reference. In FORTRAN, every parameter is passed by reference. In PASCAL, you can pass a parameter by value or by reference like C++. You might have heard of ALGOL, this language had provided another way of passing parameter called *call by name*. These kinds of topics are covered in subjects like

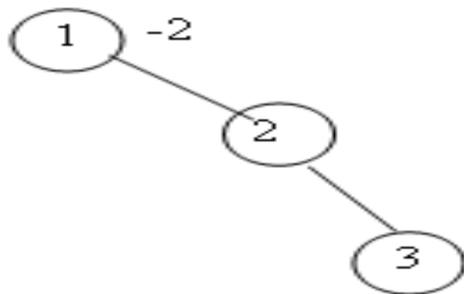
Question No: 22 (Marks: 5)

Determine what the following recursive “mystery” function computes when given a pointer to the root node of a binary tree.

```
struct bt_s { int key; struct bt_s *left, *right; } bt_t;
int MFunc (bt_t *T) {
int N1, N2;
if (T == NULL) return -1;
N1 = MFunc(T->left);
N2 = MFunc(T->right);
return (N1 > N2 ? N1 : N2) + 1;
}
```

Question No: 23 (Marks: 5)

Is the given tree is an AVL tree? If Not then redraw is so that it becomes AVL



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Ref No: 1128537

Time: 60 min

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Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In the statement `int x[6];`, we cannot assign any value to `x` because `x` is not an value.

▶ True

▶ False

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

What will be postfix expression of the following infix expression?

Infix Expression : `a+b*c-d`

▶ `ab+c*d-`

▶ `abc*+d-`

▶ `abc+*d-`

▶ `abcd+*-`

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

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Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In a program a reference variable, say x, can be declared as

- ▶ **int &x ;**
- ▶ int *x ;
- ▶ int x ;
- ▶ None of the given options

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

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- ▶ None of the given options

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following pseudo code

```
declare a stack of characters
while ( there are more characters in the word to read )
{
```

```
    read a character
    push the character on the stack
}
while ( the stack is not empty )
{
    pop a character off the stack
    write the character to the screen
}
```

What is written to the screen for the input "apples"?

▶ selpa

▶ **selppa**

▶ apples

▶ aaappppplleess

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In the following C++ code, how many function calls are made?

```
int x, y, z;
x = 2;
y = 3 + x;
z = foobar(x,y);
```

▶ 1

▶ 4

▶ 7

▶ **8**

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

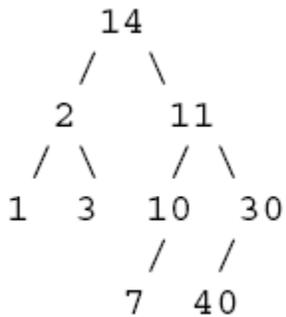
We can add elements in QUEUE From _____

▶ **Front**

- ▶ Rear
- ▶ From Both Rare and Front
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following tree.

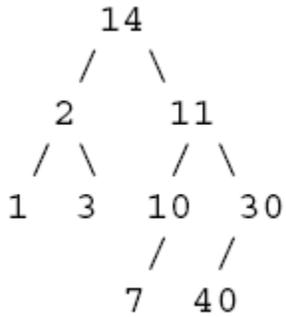


How many of the nodes have at least one sibling?

- ▶ 8
- ▶ 7
- ▶ 5
- ▶ 6

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

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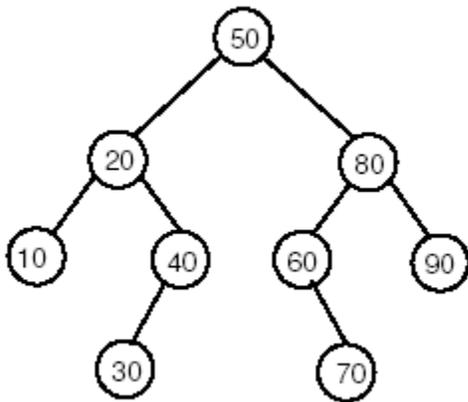


How many descendants does the root have?

- ▶ 5
- ▶ 6
- ▶ 7
- ▶ 8

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▶ 70

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Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which of the following statement regarding binary tree is NOT correct.

▶ A binary tree can contain at least 2^L Nodes at level L.

▶ A complete binary tree of depth d is a binary tree that contains 2^L Nodes at each level L between 0 and d, both inclusive.

▶ The total number of nodes (T_n) in a complete binary tree of depth d is $2^{d+1} - 1$.

▶ The height of the complete binary tree can be written as $h = \log_2 (T_n + 1) - 1$ where T_n is Total number of Nodes.

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The following are statements related to queues.

1. The last item to be added to a queue is the first item to be removed
2. A queue is a structure in which both ends are not used
3. The last element hasn't to wait until all elements preceding it on the queue are removed
4. A queue is said to be a last-in-first-out list or LIFO data structure.

Which of the above is/are related to normal queues?

- ▶ **(iii) and (ii) only**
- ▶ **(i), (ii) and (iv) only**
- ▶ **(ii) and (iv) only**
- ▶ **None of the given options**

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The _____ method of list data structure removes the element residing at the current position.

▶ Add

▶ next

▶ **remove**

▶ *find*

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

It will be efficient to place stack elements at the start of the list because insertion and removal take _____ time.

▶ Variable

▶ **Constant**

▶ Inconsistent

▶ None of the above

Question No: 17 (Marks: 2)

Assume that numbers 1, 312, 8, 34, 11 are pushed on a stack, three numbers are popped, then numbers 12, 44 are pushed on the stack, and one number is popped. What are the final contents of the stack?

Ans:

11,34,8,44,12,312,1

Question No: 18 (Marks: 2)

How we can avoid the problem of Dangling reference

Ans:

To avoid dangling reference, don't return the reference of a local variable

(Transient) from a function.

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

Traverse the following tree in inorder and postorder

15

/ \

2 11

Ans:

Post order traversal:

Traversal order will be LEFT,RIGHT,ROOT

IN THIS CASE IS,

11.2.15

In-order traversal:

Traversal order will be LEFT,ROOT,RIGHT

IN THIS CASE we got data in sorted form.....

11.15.2

Question No: 20 (Marks: 3)

The nodes of a binary tree have data 1, 2, 3, 4. The in-order traversal of the tree yields 2,1,4,3. The postorder traversal is 2, 4, 3, 1. The root of the tree is at level 0.

Q3: Which value is in the right child of the root? (1 Pt)

(A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4 (E) none

Ans:

C(3)

Question No: 21 (Marks: 3)

In which cases of insertion we require double rotations to make tree balance?

Ans:

Question No: 22 (Marks: 5)

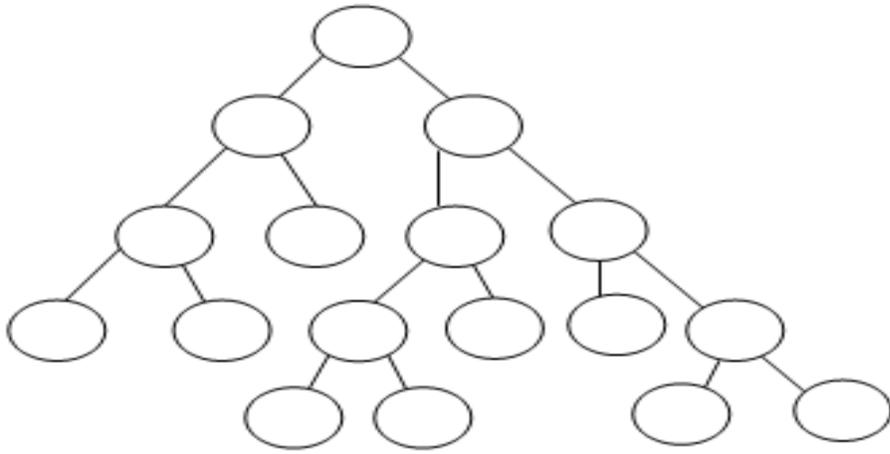
Write a recursive function that given a Binary Search Tree and a low and a high value, prints all records (data values) in that Binary Search Tree that fall between the two values (Our function will print all those values which are between the low and high value we will pass to that function).

For full credit, the function PrintRange should visit as few nodes as possible.

It's prototype is given below,

```
int PrintRange(Node* root, int low, int high);
```

Suppose that the following is a balanced AVL tree. Insert a new node p into the tree. Then the resulting tree may or may not remain balanced.



Ans:

```
int PrintRange(Node* root, int low, int high);
```

```
BinarySearch(A[0..N-1], value, low, high) {  
    if (high < low)  
        return -1 // not found  
    mid = low + ((high - low) / 2)  
    if (A[mid] > value)  
        return BinarySearch(A, value, low, mid-1)  
    else if (A[mid] < value)  
        return BinarySearch(A, value, mid+1, high)  
    else  
        return mid // found  
}
```

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CS301 DATA STRUCTURE

Mid Term Examination - May 2010

16 MCQs of one number each. All MCQs less one & long Questions

1. Addition of new items in stack make the pointer ----- by 2 :-
 - a. Increment, bits
 - b. Increment, bytes
 - c. Decrement, bits
 - d. Decrement, bytes**
2. Next item in a linked list is known as:-
 - a. Index
 - b. Item
 - c. Node**
 - d. Child
3. What will be the postfix notation of $5+6/2$.
 - a. $56+/2$
 - b. $562+ /$
 - c. $562/+$**
 - d. $5+62/$
4. In an AVL tree to delete a parent with two childs in a straight line following rotations will be required:-
 - a. Single
 - b. Double**
 - c. Triple
 - d. None.
5. To check the depth of an AVL tree following time will be taken:-
 - a. $1.66 \log_2 n$

b. $1.44 \log_2 n$

c. $\log_2 (n+1) - 1$

d. $1.66 \log_2 n (n+1)$

6. BST is a _____ Structure:-

a. Linear

b. Non Linear

c. Circular

d. None of Above

7. After creation of an array:-

a. Size can be increase but can not be decreased.

b. Size can be decreased but can not be increased.

c. Size can neither be increased nor be decreased.

d. Size can be increased and can also be decreased.

8. Each node in a BST has _____ Pointers:-

a. 1

b. 2

c. 3

d. 4

9. Highest Operators Precedence is of the following operator:-

a. Plus

b. Minus

c. Multiply

d. Exponentiation

10. Following are the linear data structures:-

a. Stacks

b. Queues

c. Both a & b

d. None of the above

11. Each entry which points to a null value in a Singly Linked List is known as:-

a. Node

b. First Node

c. Last Node

d. Head Node

12. Non recursive calls are faster than the Recursive calls.

a. True

b. False

13. Tree data structure is a _____

a. Linear

b. Non Linear

c. Circular

d. None of Above

14. What will be the valid postfix notation of $A+B*C-D$

- a. $ABC+*D-$
- b. $ABC*+D-$**
- c. $ABCD+-*$
- d. $AB+D*C$

15. When an operator is used in between two operands this is which type of notation

- a. Prefix
- b. Postfix
- c. Infix**
- d. None of the Above

16. Give two uses of Queues?

2 Marks

17. Define Reference Variable, Dangling Reference & Const

Answer:

In the C++ programming language, a **reference** is a simple reference datatype that is less powerful but safer than the pointer type inherited from C. The name *C++ reference* may cause confusion, as in computer science a reference is a general concept datatype, with *pointers* and *C++ references* being specific reference datatype implementations

Dangling Reference & Const

Dangling pointers and **wild pointers** in computer encoding are pointers that do not point to a valid object of the suitable type. These are special cases of violations of memory safety

3 Marks

18. What is the use of Reference Variable, Give example? 3 Marks

Answer:

A reference variable is used to refer a particular object Location which resides on a garbage collectable heap.

c++ supports one more type of variable called reference variable. In addition to pointer variable and value variable of reference variable behaves similar to both vaule variable and pointer variable. Reference variable has all access that variable has.

19. Write does the following instruction do?

5 Marks

- a. `Int x;`
- `Int* y = &x;`
- b. `Int x;`
- `Int &y = &x;`
- c. `Int x;`
- `Int y = x;`

20. See the following BST and give its in order traversal. 5 Marsk

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In Order Traversal: 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20

Paper # 2

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Time: 60 min
Marks: 38

Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

_____ A
queue where the de-queue operation depends not on FIFO, is called a priority queue

▶ False

▶ **True**

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

_____ The
data of the problem is of 2GB and the hard disk is of 1GB capacity, to solve this problem we should

▶ Use better data structures

▶ **Increase the hard disk space**

▶ Use the better algorithm

▶ Use as much data as we can store on the hard disk

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the function X as under
int X (int& Value)

```
{  
return Value;  
}
```

Now a and b are integers in a calling function. Which one of the following is a valid call to the above function X.

- ▶ a = X (b) ;
- ▶ a = X (&b) ;
- ▶ a = X (*b) ;
- ▶ None of the given options

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In the call by value methodology, a copy of the object is passed to the called function.

- ▶ False
- ▶ True

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The tree data structure is a

- ▶ Linear data structure
- ▶ **Non-linear data structure**
- ▶ Graphical data structure
- ▶ Data structure like queue

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

When should you use a **const reference** parameter?

- ▶ Whenever the parameter has huge size.
- ▶ Whenever the parameter has huge size, the function changes the parameter within its body, and you do NOT want these changes to alter the actual argument.
- ▶ Whenever the parameter has huge size, the function changes the parameter within its body, and you DO want these changes to alter the actual argument.

▶ Whenever the parameter has huge size, and the function does not change the parameter within its body.

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Here is the start of a C++ class declaration:

```
class foo
{
public:
void x(foo f);
void y(const foo f);
void z(foo f) const;
...
}
```

Which of the three member functions can alter the PRIVATE member variables of the foo object that activates the function?

▶ Only x can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

▶ Only y can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

▶ Only z can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

▶ Two of the functions can alter the private member variables of the object that activates the function.

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

What is the maximum depth of recursive calls a function may make?

▶ 1

▶ 2

▶ n (where n is the argument)

▶ There is no fixed maximum

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose n is the number of nodes in a complete Binary Tree then maximum steps required for a search operation are,

▶ $\log_2(n+1) - 1$

▶ $\log_2(n+1)$

▶ $\log_2(n) - 1$

▶ $\log_2(n)$

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In the linked list implementation of the stack class, where does the push member function place the new entry on the linked list?

▶ At the head

▶ At the tail

▶ After all other entries that are greater than the new entry.

▶ After all other entries that are smaller than the new entry.

Question No: 11 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose we have a *circular* array implementation of the queue class, with ten items in the queue stored at `data[2]` through `data[11]`. The `CAPACITY` is 42, i.e., the array has been declared to be of size 42. Where does the push member function place the new entry in the array?

▶ `data[1]`

▶ `data[2]`

▶ `data[11]`

▶ `data[12]`

Question No: 12 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The expression $AB+C^*$ is called ?

▶ Prefix expression

▶ **Postfix expression** page70

▶ Infix expression

▶ None of these

Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

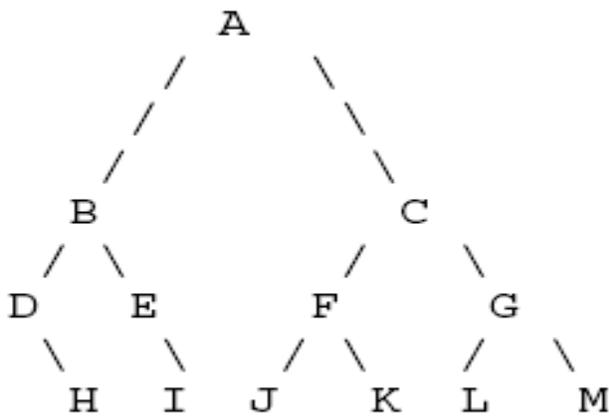
_____ is a binary tree where every node has a value, every node's left subtree contains only values less than or equal to the node's value, and every node's right subtree contains only values that are greater than or equal ?

▶ **Strictly Binary Tree**

- ▶ Binary Search tree
- ▶ AVL tree
- ▶ All of these

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following binary search tree (BST):



If node A in the BST is deleted, which two nodes are the candidates to take its place?

- ▶ J and I
- ▶ H and E
- ▶ D and E
- ▶ L and M

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Let's call the node as a that requires re-balancing. Consider the two cases given below:

- 1) An insertion into left subtree of the left child of a
- 2) An insertion into right subtree of the right child of a.

Which of the following statement is correct about these two cases?

1) The insertion occurs outside (i.e., left-left or right-right) in cases 1 and 2. single rotation can fix the balance in these two cases.

2) The insertion occurs inside ((i.e., left-left or right-right) in cases 1 and 2. single rotation cannot fix the balance in these two cases

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

We access elements in AVL Tree in,

▶ Linear way only

▶ **Non Linear way only**

▶ Both linear and non linear ways

▶ None of the given options.

Question No: 17 (Marks: 2)

AVL Tree is,

▶ **Non Linear data structure**

▶ Linear data structure

▶ Hybrid data structure (Mixture of Linear and Non Linear)

▶ None of the given options.

Question No: 18 (Marks: 2)

How we can delete a node with two Childs in a binary search tree using its right sub tree.

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

What is Function Call Stack Give short answer.

Answer:

We know the functionality of the function calls. Whenever a programmer calls a function, he or she passes some arguments or parameters to the function. The function does work on these arguments and returns a value to the calling function or program. This value is known as the return value of the function. We declare some variables inside the function which are local variables of the function.

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Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A subscript of an array may be an integer or an integer expression.

- ▶ True
- ▶ False

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Doubly Linked List always has one NULL pointer.

- ▶ True
- ▶ False

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In which of the traversal method, the recursive calls can be used to traverse a binary tree ?

- ▶ In preorder traversal only
- ▶ In inorder traversal only
- ▶ In postorder traversal only
- ▶ All of the given options

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A tree is an AVL tree if

- ▶ Any one node fulfills the AVL condition
- ▶ At least half of the nodes fulfill the AVL condition
- ▶ **All the nodes fulfill the AVL condition**
- ▶ None of the given options

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose currentNode refers to a node in a linked list (using the Node class with member variables called data and nextNode). What boolean expression will be true when cursor refers to the tail node of the list?

- ▶ (currentNode == null)
- ▶ (currentNode->nextNode == null)
- ▶ (nextNode.data == null)
- ▶ (currentNode.data == 0.0)

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose that the class declaration of SomeClass includes the following function prototype.
bool LessThan(SomeClass anotherObject);

Which of the following tests in the client code correctly compares two class objects alpha

and beta?

- ▶ if (alpha < beta)
- ▶ **if (alpha.LessThan(beta))**
- ▶ if (LessThan(alpha, beta))
- ▶ if (LessThan(alpha).beta)

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In C what is the operation that you can not do with primitive types?

- ▶ Assign a value to primitive type using a literal
- ▶ Declare primitive types to be constant using the Const keyword
- ▶ Create a new instance of primitive type with New keyword
- ▶ None of these

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The operation for adding an entry to a stack is traditionally called :

- ▶ add
- ▶ append
- ▶ **insert**
- ▶ Push

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The operation for removing an entry from a stack is traditionally called:

- ▶ delete
- ▶ peek
- ▶ **pop**
- ▶ remove

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following sequence of push operations in a stack:

```
stack.push('7');  
stack.push('8');  
stack.push('9');  
stack.push('10');  
stack.push('11');  
stack.push('12');
```

- ▶ **7 8 9 10 11 12**
- ▶ 9 8 11 10 7 12
- ▶ 9 10 8 11 12 7
- ▶ 9 10 8 12 7 11

How many leaves does it have?

- ▶ 2
- ▶ 4
- ▶ **6 not conform**
- ▶ 9

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

AVL Tree is,

▶ **Non Linear data structure**

- ▶ Linear data structure
- ▶ Hybrid data structure (Mixture of Linear and Non Linear)
- ▶ None of the given options.

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

The following are statements related to queues.

- (i) The last item to be added to a queue is the first item to be removed

- (ii) A queue is a structure in which both ends are not used
- (iii) The last element hasn't to wait until all elements preceding it on the queue are removed
- (iv) A queue is said to be a last-in-first-out list or LIFO data structure.

Which of the above is/are related to normal queues?

▶ (iii) and (ii) only

- ▶ (i), (ii) and (iv) only
- ▶ (ii) and (iv) only
- ▶ None of the given options

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

An array is a group of consecutive related memory locations.

- ▶ True
- ▶ False

Question No: 17 (Marks: 1)

In which of traversal method, recursion can not be applied.?

Question No: 18 (Marks: 1)

What is meant by an empty stack?

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

Is the following statement correct? If your answer is No, then correct it.

“A tree is an AVL tree if at least half of the nodes fulfill the AVL condition”

Question No: 20 (Marks: 3)

The following function is performing some operation on the elements of a singly link list please tell what this functions is doing,

```
void LinkList::mystery(){
Node * temp = headNode;
int result = 0;
while( temp->getNext() != NULL ){
temp = temp->getNext();
int value = temp->get();
if(value % 2 == 0)
{
value ++;
temp->set(value);
}
}
}
```

Question No: 21 (Marks: 5)

See the code below , give comments against each line and identify which line will result in error?

1. void main(void)
2. {
3. int actual = 123;
4. int &other = actual;
- 5.
6. int natural = 456;
7. other = ♮
8. }

Question No: 22 (Marks: 10)

Draw AVL Tree by following digits 78, 21, 25, 28, 38, 36, 75 and also perform necessary rotation, while showing all the intermediate trees being created in the process. In each stage, the AVL transformation should be conducted at a discrepancy that is farthest from the root.

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Question No: 1 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In an array we can store data elements of different types.

▶ True

▶ **False**

Question No: 2 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

In an array list the current element is

▶ The first element

▶ The middle element

- ▶ The last element

▶ **The element where the current pointer points to**

Question No: 3 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following calling methods does not change the original value of the argument in the calling function?

- ▶ None of the given options
- ▶ **Call by passing the value of the argument**
- ▶ Call by passing reference of the argument
- ▶ Call by passing the address of the argument

Question No: 4 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following statements is NOT correct?

- ▶ **Array size can be changed after its creation.**
- ▶ Link List size can be changed after its creation
- ▶ Binary Search Tree size can be changed after its creation
- ▶ AVL Tree size can be changed after its creation

Question No: 5 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Suppose that the class declaration of SomeClass includes the following function prototype.

```
bool LessThan( SomeClass anotherObject );
```

Which of the following tests in the client code correctly compares two class objects alpha and beta?

- ▶ if (alpha < beta)
- ▶ **if (alpha.LessThan(beta))**
- ▶ if (LessThan(alpha, beta))
- ▶ if (LessThan(alpha).beta)

Reference

<http://www.sonic.net/sarkar/quizzes/cis10/ch15qz.htm>

Question No: 6 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

A queue is a _____ data structure, whereas a stack is a _____ data structure.

▶ **FIFO, LIFO**

- ▶ LIFO,FIFO
- ▶ none of these
- ▶ both of these

Question No: 7 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which one of the following operators has higher priority than all of others ?

- ▶ Multiplication operator
- ▶ Minus operator
- ▶ Plus operator

▶ **Exponentiation operator**

Question No: 8 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Each node in Binary Search Tree has

▶ 1 pointer

▶ **2 pointers**

▶ 3 pointers

▶ 4 pointers

Question No: 9 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Four statements about trees are below. Three of them are correct. Which one is INCORRECT?

▶ **Trees are recursively defined multi-dimensional data structures**

- ▶ The order of a tree indicates a maximum number of children allowed at each node of the tree
- ▶ A search tree is a special type of tree where all values (i.e. keys) are ordered
- ▶ If Tree1's size is greater than Tree2's size, then the height of Tree1 must also be greater than

Tree's height.

Question No: 10 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which of the following is "TRUE" about arrays,

- ▶ We can increase the size of arrays after their creation.
- ▶ We can decrease the size of arrays after their creation.
- ▶ We can increase but can't decrease the size of arrays after their creation.
- ▶ We can neither increase nor decrease the array size after their creation.

Question No: 11 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Searching an element in an AVL tree take maximum _____ time (where n is no. of nodes in AVL tree),

- ▶ $\log_2(n+1)$
- ▶ $\log_2(n+1) - 1$
- ▶ **$1.44 \log_2 n$**
- ▶ $1.66 \log_2 n$

Question No: 12 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

There is/are _____ case/s for rotation in an AVL tree,

- ▶ **1**
- ▶ 3
- ▶ 2
- ▶ 4

Question No: 13 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following statements.

- (v) A binary tree can contain at least 2^L Nodes at level L.
- (vi) A complete binary tree of depth d is a binary tree that contains 2^L Nodes at each level L between 0 and d, both inclusive.

- (vii) The total number of nodes (T_n) in a complete binary tree of depth d is $2^{d+1} - 1$.
- (viii) The height of the complete binary tree can be written as $h = \log_2 (T_n + 1) - 1$ where T_n is Total number of Nodes.

Which one of the following is correct in respect of the above statements regarding the Binary trees?

- ▶ (i) and (iii) only
- ▶ (i), (ii) and (iii) only
- ▶ (ii) and (iii) only
- ▶ (ii), (iii) and (iv) only

Question No: 14 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Consider the following infix expression.

$5 + 6/2$

If one converts the above expression into postfix, what would be the resultant expression?

- ▶ $56 / + 2$
- ▶ $5 6 2 / +$
- ▶ $5 6 / 2 +$
- ▶ $/62 + 5$

Question No: 15 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

Which of the following is a non linear data structure?

- ▶ Linked List
- ▶ Stack
- ▶ Queue
- ▶ Tree

Question No: 16 (Marks: 1) - Please choose one

“+” is a _____ operator.

- ▶ Unary
- ▶ Binary
- ▶ Ternary
- ▶ None of the above

Question No: 17 (Marks: 2)

Which process places data at the back of the queue?

Question No: 18 (Marks: 2)

How we can delete a node with two Childs in a binary search tree using its right sub tree.

Question No: 19 (Marks: 2)

Why we use Reference Variables. Give one example.

Question No: 20 (Marks: 3)

The nodes of a binary tree have data 1, 2, 3, 4. The in-order traversal of the tree yields 2,1,4,3. The postorder traversal is 2, 4, 3, 1. The root of the tree is at level 0.

Q3: Which value is in the right child of the root? (1 Pt)

(A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 3 (D) 4 (E) none

Question No: 21 (Marks: 3)

What normally is the sequence of operations while constructing an AVL tree?

Question No: 22 (Marks: 5)

Here is a small binary tree:

```
    14
   /\
  2 11
 /\  /\
1 3 10 30
  /\
 7 40
```

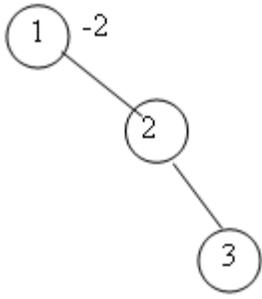
Write the order of the nodes visited in:

A. An in-order traversal:

B. A pre-order traversal:

Question No: 23 (Marks: 5)

Is the given tree is an AVL tree? If Not then redraw is so that it becomes AVL



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