

Sets and maps

Lecture outline

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Call the roll. Preliminary questions?

1 Introduction

- Sets, maps
- Corresponding data structures in Python, C++, Java
- Simple implementation: array; size and space complexity

2 Hash tables (11)

- Hashing space of size m , hash function
- Hash table: buckets, chaining for collisions
- Get, Insert, Delete
- Complexity in the worst case; complexity under uniformity assumption in terms of load factor $\alpha = \frac{n}{m}$
- Designing hash functions
 - Using modulo arithmetics (careful of patterns)
 - Universal hashing (the number of functions in H s.t. $h(k) = h(l)$ for any distinct k, l is $\leq \frac{|H|}{m}$); complexity
 - Choosing a set of universal functions: $h_{a,b} = ((ak + b) \bmod p) \bmod m$ for $p > m$ prime number, $a \in \mathbb{F}_p \neq 0, b \in \mathbb{F}_p$
- Open addressing:
 - linear probing $h(k, i) = (h'(k) + i) \bmod m$; disadvantages
 - double hashing $h(k, i) = (h_1(k) + i \times h_2(k)) \bmod m$ with $(h_2(k), m)$ relatively prime; number of distinct hashing sequences
- Dynamic hash tables:
 - Size doubling
 - Linear hashing, only mentioned

3 Red–black binary trees (13)

- Reminder on (balanced) binary search trees
- Red–black trees. Properties of red–black trees:
 - The root is black.
 - If a node is red, its children are black.
 - Same number of black nodes on every path from one node to its descendants with 0 or 1 child.
- Example 13.4 (without the z node)
- Bound: $n \geq 2^{\text{bh}(x)}$ and $\text{bh}(x) \geq \frac{h-1}{2}$
- Left rotation, right rotation
- Insertion in a red–black tree:
 - Insertion of z at its natural position, red colored
 - Correction of red–black violation between z and its parent:
 - * If z is the root, we color it in black.
 - * If z 's parent is black, nothing to do.
 - * If z 's parent is red (and thus its grandparent is black):
 - Deal with the case where z 's parent is a left child, the other case is symmetric
 - If the uncle of z is red, it is colored in black together with z 's parent, and the grandparent is colored in red. Recursively process the grandparent.
 - Else, if z is a right child, we left-rotate z and its parent and consider the new left child of z and move to the following case.
 - z is a left child, we color its parent in black and its grandparent in red, then right-rotate z 's parent and z 's grandparent. Done.
 - Complexity
- A word on deletion, no detail
- Balanced binary search trees vs hash tables