CIS 5520 Advanced Programming

Fall 2023



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Today: Mon Oct 9th

- HW #3 due one week from Thursday (Sat, Queue & AVL)
- Today: discussion on RedBlack module & Hughes video
 Watch Hughes' video if you have not already done so
- Wednesday: Optional class
- Next week: GADTs discussion
 - Code in github repo (07-GADTs), notes on website, don't forget about the quiz

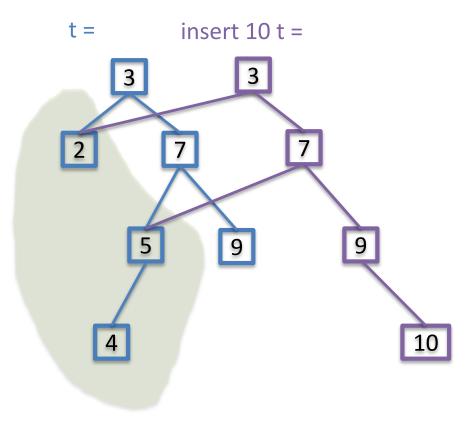
Project Proposal

- Due: Thursday October 26th
- Be creative! This is just a rough draft
 - See write up for project topics to avoid
- Teams of two
 - If you propose a more significant project, you may form a group of three, but your proposal should describe how to divide the work

Q&A

- What do you mean by a 'persistent' data structure?
- How efficient is this implementation compared to a mutable data structure?
- What is model-based testing? What does it mean for it to be "complete"?
- How do RedBlack trees really work?

Persistent Binary-Search Tree



- insertion returns new tree
- Recreates the path from new leaf to root
- In a *balanced* tree, this path has at most length O(log n)
- Rule of thumb: persistent structures cost at most O(log n) more than mutable structures

Where do properties come from?

- Hughes' talk gives several kinds of properties that we can define for QuickCheck
 - Validity make sure that representation invariants are maintained
 - Postcondition make sure that operations do what they should
 - Metamorphic think about all combinations of operations
 - Model-based compare this implementation with a less buggy one
- All code is a source of potential bugs, including *testing* code
 - Buggy test: finds a bug that doesn't exist
 - Buggy test: misses a bug that it should catch

Model-based testing

- Where do we get another implementation?
 - Existing implementations: Data.Set for RBTs
 - Simpler implementations: ordered lists w/o duplicates for RBTs
 - Other examples? Really depends on the situation...
- When is model-based testing not appropriate
 - No model available, or existing models are buggy
 - Model over-specifies desired properties
- Model-based testing is not always practical, that's why other kinds of properties are important

RED BLACK TREES

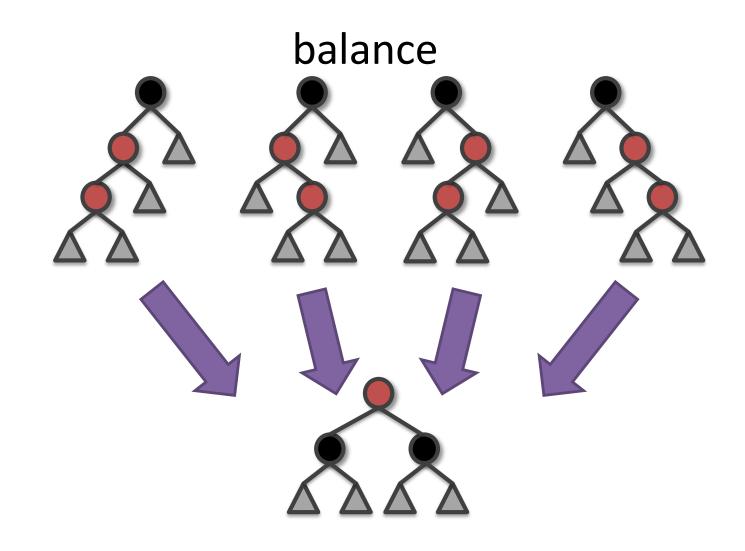
Insertion

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data Color = R | B
data T a = E | N Color (T a) a (T a)
newtype RBT a = Root (T a)
insert :: Ord a => a -> RBT a -> RBT a
insert s (Root x) = Root (ins s)
  where ins E = N R E \times E
        ins s@(N color a y b)
             | x < y = N color (ins a) y b
             | x > y = N \text{ color a } y \text{ (ins b)}
             otherwise = s
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insert :: Ord a => a -> RBT a -> RBT a
insert s (Root x) = blacken (ins s)
   where ins E = N R E x E
         ins s@(N color a y b)
              | x < y = balance (N color (ins a) y b)
              | x > y = balance (N color a y (ins b))
              otherwise = s
                                                       Two fixes:
         blacken (N \_ a x b) = Root (N B a x b)
                                                       - blacken if root is red at
                                                       the end
                                                       - rebalance two internal
                                                       reds
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balance

