

**PROBLEM SET 6**  
**Due: Thursday, April 12**

**Reading:** Red-Black Tree notes (Handout #22) Chapter 14; Sections 15.1 & 15.2; Chapter 19

**Suggested Problems:** 14.1-4, 14.1-5, 14.3-1, 14.3-2, 14.3-5, 14.4-1; 19.1-3, 19-2.

**Problem 1 [25]**

- a. Draw the sequence of 2-3 trees  $T_0, T_1, \dots, T_{12}$  that results from inserting the following letters one-by-one (from left to right) into an empty tree:

T H E Q U I C K Y A M S

- b. Draw the sequence of 2-3 trees  $T_{12}, T_{13}, \dots, T_{24}$  that results from deleting the following letters one-by-one (from left to right) from the tree from part a.

T H E Q U I C K Y A M S

**Problem 2 [25]**

- a. Draw the sequence of red-black trees  $T_0, T_1, \dots, T_{12}$  that results from inserting the following letters one-by-one (from left to right) into an empty tree:

T H E Q U I C K Y A M S

For eliminating red-red violations, use the simple algorithm presented in Handout #22, not the CLR version.

- b. Draw the sequence of red-black trees  $T_{12}, T_{13}, \dots, T_{24}$  that results from deleting the following letters one-by-one (from left to right) from the tree from part a.

T H E Q U I C K Y A M S

**Problem 3 [30]** CLR Problem 14-2 (p. 278)

**Problem 4 [20]**

a. Describe how to augment each node of a red-black tree with extra fields so that calculating the predecessor and successor of any given node can be performed in constant time. (See Section 15.1 -- 15.2 on augmenting red-black trees.) You show that the new fields can be maintained efficiently during `Insert` and `Delete`. This requires showing two things: (1) maintaining the field after BST insertion or deletion takes time  $O(\lg(n))$  and (2) the fields can be updated in  $O(1)$  for each rotation during the fixup phase.

b. Describe how to augment each node of a red-black tree with extra fields so that calculating the minimum and maximum of any given node can be performed in constant time.

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