3 Methods for Complex Class Hierarchies; Libraries

Etudes

3.1 Etude

Work out the problems 14.5, 14.6, and 15.10 in the textbook.

Main Assignment — Part 1

3.2 Problem

Here is an HtDP data definition:

`; A BST is one of
`; — empty
`; — Node

`; A Node is (make-node Number BST BST)
(define-struct node (value left right))

`; we expect the value to be a whole number

The BST (also known as the binary search tree) has the property that all values in the left sub-tree are smaller than the value of the node, and all values of the right subtree are larger than the value of the node. (We will not allow the same number to be a value of more than one node in the tree.)

1. Define the Java class hierarchy that represents a BST.
2. Design the method that counts the number of Nodes in a BST.
3. Design the method that adds the values of all nodes in the BST.
4. Design the method that determines whether a given number is one of the node values in the BST.
5. Design the method that inserts a new node with the given value into the right place in the BST. If there already exists a node with the given value, the method produces the BST that looks the same as the original one.
6. Design the method that produces the smallest number recorded in the BST.
7. Design the method that removes the node with the smallest value from the BST. The method produces a new BST.

Figure 1: Representing arithmetic expressions.
3.3 Problem

You want to write a program that will evaluate arithmetic expressions, such as $(3 + 5)$, $(3 + (7 \times 2))$.

Here is the description of some data you may use:

- An expression is either a value expression or an operation.
- An value expression represents a number (integer) value.
- Each operation is given by three pieces of data: the operator and two operands, each of which is again an expression.

The class diagram in figure 1 represents arithmetic expressions that can be evaluated in the Interactions window.

1. Design the classes that correspond to this class diagram. Include in your examples the following expressions:

   
   $$(3 + (4 \times 5))$$
   $$((3 + 4) \times 5)$$
   $$(1 + (2 + (3 \times 4)))$$

2. Design the method eval that produces an instance of IntVal that represents the integer value of the arithmetic expression.

Main Assignment — Part 2

We continue designing classes that help us draw the city map and its attractions. For this problem you do not need any of the classes from the previous assignment, other than the class Place that represents a location on the map.

3.4 Problem

Develop the data definition to represent a route through the city. We are especially interested in being able to locate specific intersections of streets, or named squares, plazas, etc. and to deal with city streets.
1. Design the class \texttt{Xing} that represents an intersection on a city map. It should include a name and the location information.

2. Next we need to define the class that represents a segment of the street that connects two intersections. For each street segment we need to know the name of the street and its starting and ending intersection. Design the class \texttt{Road} to represent one street segment.

3. Finally, we need a list of street segments that may represent either a routing in the directions generated by a map program, or the list may represent one street in the city. Design the classes to represent a list of \texttt{Roads} — call it a \texttt{Route}.

4. Design the method that determines the distance each \texttt{Road} covers.

5. Design the method that computes the length of a \texttt{Route}.

6. A \texttt{Route} provided by a map program must have the street segments connected to each other — i.e. next segment must start where the previous one ended. Design the method \texttt{isRoute} that determines whether a \texttt{Route} represents valid map directions.

7. A street in a city not only consists of adjacent street segments, but additionally, every segment has the same street name. Design the method \texttt{isStreet} that determines whether a \texttt{Route} represents a city street.

8. \textbf{Optional} \\
Design the methods and classes that will draw each of the intersections as a black dot and will draw the streets as well. You do not need to add the names to the map — simple dots and black lines are fine. \textit{Note: If you do this part, make it a separate program. You should still use the Beginner ProfessorJ language here.}

\section*{Main Assignment — Part 3}
During the communist regime in the former USSR the censorship prevented people from having access to many books. It led to the development of an underground publishing chain known as \textit{samizdat}. A person who would
acquire a forbidden book would make several copies (typing on a type-
writer with a copying paper) and distribute them to the trusted friends. 
Each person could only make a certain number of copies - depending on 
the typewriter they owned (capacity). That person would distribute the 
copies to his trusted friends, saving the excess capacity for possible future 
distribution. The friends who received the copies would, in turn, make 
more copies (up to their capacity) and distribute some of the copies to their 
trusted friends. Our program will manage such samizdat dissemination 
chain.

3.5 Problem
Design the data representation for the samizdat chain. Make sure you in-
clude the person’s name and the capacity (the number of copies the person 
can produce). Some of the chain members do not own typewriters, so they 
are not able to generate new copies of the book.

1. Design the classes needed to represent the information about the samiz-
dat distribution. Include a class diagram. Make examples that cor-
respond to the samizdat organization shown in the figure 2 — the 
capacity for each member is shown below the name, as is the list of 
people who receive copies from that member.

2. Design the method count that counts the number of members of the 
samizdat chain.

3. Design the method totalCapacity that determines the number of copies 
that can be produced by the chain. Include in the count the copies that 
the members of the chain receive.

4. Design the method excessCapacity that determines how many books 
can be produced by the chain that are not already slated for distribu-
tion to existing members.

5. KGB arrests one of the samizdat members. There is a danger that he 
will reveal the names of his trusted friends, who then may be also 
arrested and reveal the names of their friends as well.

Design the method friends that produces a list of the names of all peo-
ple who get the book from this chain, including the person at the head 
of the chain.
Figure 2: A sample Samizdat distribution system.