

Studying

Do many questions on Practice-It! **First, write your solution down on paper. Then, debug it by hand. Finally, type it into Practice-It! to see what you got wrong.**

Question Types

The following types of questions *might* appear on the exam

Binary Search Trees

- Given a set of values, add them to a binary search tree.
- Perform traversals in the three standard orders on a tree.

Polymorphism Mystery

Given a set of classes with inheritance relationships, a set of variables declared using those classes, and a set of method calls made on those variables, determine the output.

Just like the lecture/section.

Comparable Programming

Write a complete class and make it Comparable based on a given set of comparison criteria.

No inheritance in this question.

Collections Programming

Write a method that uses one or more class from the Java Collections Framework.

Like the midterm, but harder by a bit

(Easier) Binary Tree Programming

Add a method to the IntTree class from lecture.

This would be *using* the tree

(Harder) Binary Tree Programming

Add a method to the IntTree class from lecture

Modifying or *Building* a tree

Linked List Programming

Add a method to the LinkedList class from lecture.

Make sure you are comfortable with `LinkedLists`!

Recursive Programming

Write a method that uses recursion.

This would be like the question on the midterm

Untested Topics

The following topics will *definitely* not appear on the exam

2-D arrays	Detailed Knowledge of Big-Oh	Running/Re-writing Searching and Sorting Algorithms
Recursive Backtracking	Catching Exceptions	Priority Queues
Huffman Coding	IO Streams	Abstract/Inner Classes
Hashing	Implementing Iterators	Implementing a “generic” class

Linked Lists

Write a method called `moveSecondToLastToFront` that rearranges the order of a list of integers so that the *second to last* element of the list appears at the front. For example, if a variable called `list` stores these values:

[0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]

and you make the call `list.moveSecondToLastToFront()`, the list should be the following:

[8, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9]

If the list has fewer than two elements, it should be unchanged by a call to `moveSecondToLastToFront`. You are writing a public method for a linked list class defined as follows:

```
1 public class ListNode {
2     public int data; // data stored in this node
3     public ListNode next; // link to next node in the list
4     <constructors>
5 }
6 public class LinkedList {
7     private ListNode front;
8     <methods>
9 }
```

You are writing a method that will become part of the `LinkedList` class. You may define private helper methods to solve this problem, but, otherwise, you may not assume that any particular methods are available. You are allowed to define your own variables of type `ListNode`, but you may not construct any new nodes, and you may not use any auxiliary data structure to solve this problem (no array, `ArrayList`, stack, queue, `String`, etc). You also may not change any data fields of the nodes. You **MUST** solve this problem by rearranging the links of the list. Your solution must run in $\mathcal{O}(n)$ time where n is the length of the list.

Don't forget to read the damn question...

and to put it in the class.
NO STATIC

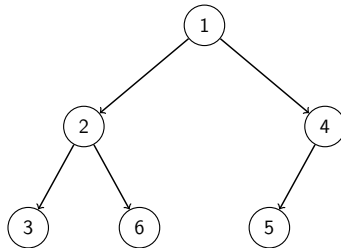
Most questions will disallow extra structures. Pay attention to this!

Binary Trees

Write a method called `makeEvenTree` for a binary tree of integers. The method should return the sum of all the integers in the tree augmented in the following way:

- Even numbers should be counted normally
- Odd numbers should be counted twice

For example, if a variable `tree` stores a reference to the following tree:



then the call `tree.makeEvenTree()` should return $1 + 1 + 2 + 3 + 3 + 6 + 4 + 5 + 5 = 30$.

You are writing a public method for a binary tree class defined as follows:

```
1 public class IntTreeNode {
2     public int data; // data stored in this node
3     public IntTreeNode left; // reference to left subtree
4     public IntTreeNode right; // reference to right subtree
5     <constructors>
6 }
7 public class IntTree {
8     private IntTreeNode overallRoot;
9     <methods>
10 }
```

You may define private helper methods to solve this problem, but, otherwise, you may not call any other methods of the class. You may not define any auxiliary data structures to solve this problem.

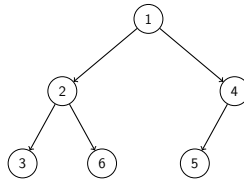
Figure out the return type. And make a private method. And... read the question

Did you draw any pictures on the last question? If not, you're doing it wrong. :(

Did you draw pictures for **THIS** question yet? C'mon...

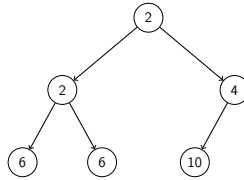
Binary Trees

Write a method called `makeEvenTree` for a binary tree of integers. The method should replace all the odd values in the tree with their twice their value. For example, if a variable `tree` stores a reference to the following tree:



When we draw you a picture, make sure you understand it.

then, after the call `tree.makeEvenTree()`, `tree` should store a reference to the following tree:



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Be lazy. Use simple examples. Empty tree? Tree with ONE node... Maybe three nodes if you're feeling adventurous.

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and by "may", we mean, you probably should...