

Advanced Data Structures

Lecture 09: Temporal Data Structures

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<https://pingo.scc.kit.edu/551581>

Recap: Improving Compressed Suffix Arrays

Lemma: Decoding Time Improved CSA

An SA value can be decoded in $O(\log \log n)$ time using the improved CSA

Proof (Sketch)

- on each level, odd SA values can be decoded using the recursive SA
 - there are at most $\log \log n$ levels
 - on each level, even SA values can be decoded in one step, as the next SA value is odd
- requires rank and select data structures

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>T</i>	a	b	a	b	c	a	b	c	a	b	b	a	\$
<i>SA</i>	13	12	1	9	6	3	11	2	10	7	4	8	5
Ψ	-	1	8	9	10	11	2	6	7	12	13	4	5
<i>NEW</i>	13	1	9	3	11	7	5	1	10	6	7	13	4
<i>BV</i>	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1

Temporal Data Structures

- data structure that allows updates
- queries only on the newest version
- what happens to old versions

- keep old versions around
- in a “clever” way
- lecture based on: <http://courses.csail.mit.edu/6.851/spring12/lectures/L01>

Persistence

- change in the past creates new branch
- similar to version control
- everything old/new remains the same


Retroactivity


- change in the past affects future
- make change in earlier version changes all later versions

Model of Computation

Definition: Pointer Machine

- nodes containing $d = O(1)$ fields
- one root node
- operations in $O(1)$ time
 - new node
 - $x = y.\text{field}$
 - $x.\text{field} = y$
 - $x = y+z$
- access nodes by $\text{root}.x.y\dots$

- example on the board 

- add additional functionality to existing data structures
- is this a “useful” model?  **PINGO**
- balanced binary search tree
- linked list
- ...

Persistence

- keep all versions of data structure
- never forget an old version
- updates create new versions ⓘ e.g., insert/delete
- all operations are relative to specific version

Definition: Partial Persistence

Only the latest version can be updated

- versions are linearly ordered
- old versions can still be queried

Definition: Full Persistence

Any version can be updated

- versions form a tree
- updates on old versions create branch

Definition: Confluent Persistence

Like full persistence, but two versions can be combined to a new version

Definition: Functional

Nodes cannot be modified, only new nodes can be created

Partial Persistence (1/3)

Lemma: Making DS Partially Persistent

Any pointer-machine data structure with $\leq p = O(1)$ pointers to any node can be made partially persistent with

- $O(1)$ amortized factor overhead and
- $O(1)$ additional space per update

Proof (Sketch: Idea)

- store original data and pointer (read only)
- store back pointers to latest version
- store $\leq 2p$ modifications to fields
 - modification = (*version*, *field*, *value*)
- version v : apply modification with version $\leq v$

Proof (Sketch: Functionality)

- read version v
 - look up all modifications $\leq v$
 - if old version go through old version pointer
- write version
 - if node is not full add modification
 - if node n is full
 - create new node n'
 - copy latest version to data fields
 - copy back pointers to n'
 - for every node x such that n points to x redirect its pack pointers to n'
 - for every node x pointing to n call recursive change of pointer to n'

Partial Persistence (2/3)

Proof (Sketch: Space)

- adding only constant number of back pointers
- adding only constant number of modifications
- total additional space is $O(1)$

Proof (Sketch: Time)

- read is constant time
- write requires amortized analysis

- potential function Φ
- $\text{amortizes_cost}(n) = \text{cost}(n) + \Delta\Phi$

Proof (Sketch: Time cnt.)

- potential
 $\Phi = c \cdot \sum \# \text{modifications in latest version}$
- change of potential by adding new modification
- change of potential by creating new node
- combined:

$$\text{amortized_cost} \leq c + c - 2cp + p \cdot \text{recursion}$$

- first c : constant time checking
- second c : adding new modification
- remaining part if new node is created
- total amortized time: $O(1)$

Partial Persistence (3/3)


Lemma: Making DS Partially Persistent

Any pointer-machine data structure with $\leq p = O(1)$ pointers to any node can be made partially persistent with

- $O(1)$ amortized factor overhead and
- $O(1)$ additional space per update

- possible in $O(1)$ worst case time [Bro96]




- also possible for full persistence?  **PINGO**

Full Persistence (1/4)

Differences

- versions are no longer numbers
- versions are nodes in a tree

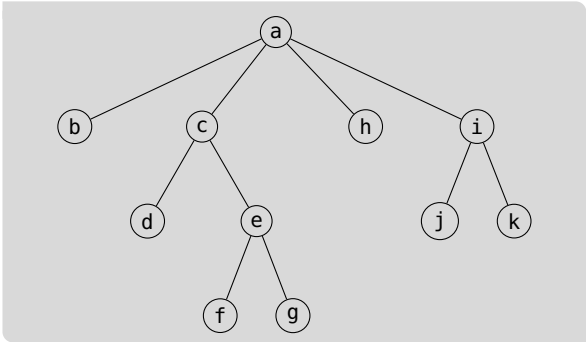
can we represent versions in a linear fashion?



PINGO

ab cd ef g h ij k
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$b_a b_b e_b b_c b_d e_d \dots$



- versions change
- update in constant time?

Order-Maintenance Data Structure


Linked List

- insert before or after element in $O(1)$ time
- check if u is predecessor of v in n time

Balanced Search Tree

- insert before or after element in $O(\log n)$ time
- check if u is predecessor of v in $O(\log n)$ time

Order-Maintenance DS [DS87]

- insert before or after element in $O(1)$ time
- check if u is predecessor of v in $O(1)$ time
- how is 

- linearized version tree in order-maintenance DS
- insert in $O(1)$ time
 - new version v of u
 - after b_u
 - before e_u
- check order of versions in $O(1)$ time
- maintain and check linearized version tree in $O(1)$ time
- important for applying modifications to fields

Full Persistence (2/4)

Lemma: Making DS Fully Persistent



Any pointer-machine data structure with $\leq p = O(1)$ pointers to any node can be made fully persistent with

- $O(1)$ amortized factor overhead and
- $O(1)$ additional space per update

Proof (Sketch: Idea)

- store original data and pointer (read only)
- store back pointers to **all versions**
- store $\leq 2(d + p + 1)$ modifications to fields
 - modification = (*version*, *field*, *value*)
- version v : look at **ancestors of v**

Proof (Sketch: Functionality)

- read version v
 - look up all modifications $\leq v$
 - if old version go through old version pointer
- write version
 - if node is not full add modification
 - the same if node is full?  **PINGO**
 - if node n is full
 - split node into two
 - each new node contains half of modifications
 - modifications are tree
 - partition tree 
 - apply all modifications to “subtree”
 - recursively update pointers

Full Persistence (3/4)

Proof (Sketch: Space)

- if no split no additional memory
- if split $O(1)$ memory

Proof (Sketch: Time)

- applying versions in $O(1)$ time
- there are $\leq 2(d + p) + 1$ recursive pointer updates
- potential

$$\Phi = -c \cdot \sum \# \text{empty modification slots}$$

Proof (Sketch: Time cnt.)

- if node is split $\Delta\Phi = -c \cdot 2(d + p + 1)$
- if node is not split $\Delta\Phi = c$
- combined:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{amortized_cost} &= c + c \\ &\quad - 2c(d + p + 1) \\ &\quad + (2(d + p) + 1) \cdot \text{recursions} \end{aligned}$$

- if node is split constants cancel each other out

Full Persistence (4/4)

Lemma: Making DS Fully Persistent

Any pointer-machine data structure with $\leq p = O(1)$ pointers to any node can be made fully persistent with

- $O(1)$ amortized factor overhead and
- $O(1)$ additional space per update

- versions are represented by tree
- tree has pointers to order-maintenance DS
- order-maintenance DS has pointers to tree

- de-amortization is open problem

Confluent Persistence

- hard because concatenation
 - linked list concatenate with itself
 - after u version length 2^u
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- more information:
[https://ocw.mit.edu/courses/
6-851-advanced-data-structures-spring-2012/
pages/calendar-and-notes/](https://ocw.mit.edu/courses/6-851-advanced-data-structures-spring-2012/pages/calendar-and-notes/)



Conclusion and Outlook

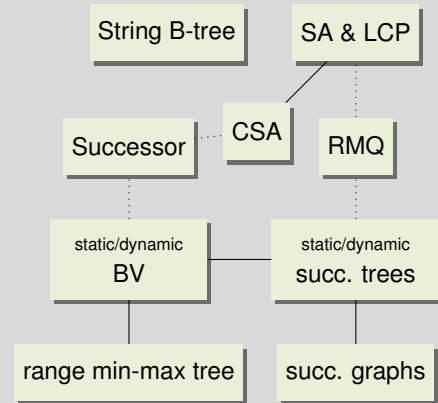
This Lecture

- partial and full persistent data structures

Next Lecture

- retroactive data structures

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