CPS 130 Homework 13 Augmented Search Trees

Write and justify your answers in the space provided.¹

1. (CLRS 14.1-5) Given an element x in an n-node order-statistic tree and a natural number i, how can the *i*th successor of x in the linear order of the tree be determined in $O(\log n)$ time?

 $^{^{1}}$ Collaboration is allowed, even encouraged, provided that the names of the collaborators are listed along with the solutions. Students must write up the solutions on their own.

- 2. In this problem we consider a data structure for maintaining a multi-set M. We want to support the following operations:
 - Init(M): create an empty data structure M.
 - Insert(M, i): insert (one copy of) i in M.
 - Remove(M, i): remove (one copy of) i from M.
 - Frequency(M, i): return the number of copies of i in M.
 - Select(M, k): return the k'th element in the sorted order of elements in M.

If for example M consists of the elements

< 0, 3, 3, 4, 4, 7, 8, 8, 8, 9, 11, 11, 11, 11, 13 >

then Frequency(M, 4) will return 2 and Select(M, 6) will return 7.

Let |M| and ||M|| denote the number of elements and the number of *different* elements in M, respectively.

a) Describe an implementation of the data structure such that Init(M) takes O(1) time and all other operations take $O(\log ||M||)$ time.

b) Design an algorithm for sorting a list L in $O(|L| \log ||L||)$ time using this data structure.