CSSE 230 Day 8

Binary Tree Iterators

Reminders

- Exam 1 Day 1, evening
 - Coverage:
 - Everything from reading and lectures, Sessions 1–10
 - Programs through BinaryTrees
 - Homeworks 1–3
 - Allowed resources:
 - Written part: One side of one 8.5 x 11 sheet of paper
 - Programming part:
 - Textbook
 - Eclipse (including programs you wrote in your repos)
 - Course web pages and materials on Moodle
 - Java API documentation
 - A previous 230 Exam 1 is available in Moodle

Exam 1 Possible Topics

- ▶ Sessions 1–10
 - Growable Arrays
 - Big-Oh, Big-Omega, and Big-Theta
 - Limits and asymptotic behavior
 - MCSS
 - ADT/Collections
 - Binary search
 - Binary trees
 - Binary tree traversals

Agenda

- Binary Tree Lazy Iterators
- BinarySearchTree (BST) insertion

Binary Tree Iterators

What if we want to iterate over the elements in the nodes of the tree one-at-a-time instead of just printing all of them?

Recall the four types of traversals

- What are they?
- How would you make a lazy pre-order iterator? (brainstorm an algorithm now)
- What do you need to add to create the other recursive iterators?
- What about the last iterator?

Very different alternative to a stack

- Each node can store pointer to the next node in an in-order traversal
- Must update extra info in constant time as tree changes

An upcoming homework set will include programming these "threaded binary trees"

Work time