# Unit III

Linear list representation, operations insertion, deletion and searching, hash table representation, hash

functions, collision, resolution-separate chaining, open addressing-linear probing, quadratic probing,

double hashing.

Priority Queues: Definition, ADT, Realizing a Priority Queue using Heaps, Definition, insertion,

Deletion, External Sorting-Model for external sorting. Search Trees: Binary Search Trees, Definition,

ADT, Implementation, Operations-Searching, Insertion and Deletion

# Linear List Representation

- 1. **Operations on Linear Lists**:
  - Insertion: Adding elements at different positions in the list.
  - **Deletion**: Removing elements from different positions.
  - **Searching**: Finding elements within the list.

### Hash Table Representation

### 1. Hash Functions:

- **Mapping Keys to Buckets**: Techniques to convert keys into indices in a hash table.
- **Uniform Distribution**: Aim for even distribution to minimize collisions.
- 2. Collision Resolution:
  - **Separate Chaining**: Each bucket contains a linked list of elements hashing to the same index.
  - Open Addressing:
    - **Linear Probing**: Checking the next location in case of collision.
    - **Quadratic Probing**: Using a quadratic function to find the next available slot.
    - **Double Hashing**: Using two hash functions to resolve collisions.

## **Priority Queues**

- 1. **Definition and ADT**:
  - **Abstract Data Type**: Allows insertion and deletion based on priority.
  - **Heaps**: Commonly used to implement priority queues, particularly binary heaps.

- 2. Realizing a Priority Queue using Heaps:
  - **Heap Structure**: Maintaining a binary heap to prioritize elements.
  - **Operations**: Insertion, deletion according to their priority level.

### **External Sorting**

- 1. Model for External Sorting:
  - Handling Large Data Sets: Sorting data that doesn't fit into memory.
  - **Disk Access Optimization**: Minimizing disk I/O operations.

# Search Trees

- 1. Binary Search Trees (BST):
  - Ordered Data Structure: Left child < Parent < Right child.
  - **Operations**: Searching, Insertion, Deletion maintaining the BST property.

### 1. Linear List Representation and Operations

Linear List Representation:

Linear lists represent a sequence of elements where each element has a successor and a predecessor (except for the first and last elements).

// Example: Linear list representation using arrays

const int MAX\_SIZE = 100;

int myList[MAX\_SIZE];

int listSize = 0;

Operations: Insertion, Deletion, Searching

Insertion: Adding elements to the list at a specified position.

Deletion: Removing elements from the list at a specified position.

Searching: Finding elements within the list.

// Example: Insertion, Deletion, Searching in a linear list

void insertElement(int value, int position) { /\* ... \*/ }

void deleteElement(int position) { /\* ... \*/ }

int searchElement(int value) { /\* ... \*/ }

#### 2. Hash Table Representation, Hash Functions, Collision, Resolution

Hash Table Representation:

A hash table is a data structure that maps keys to values using a hash function.

// Example: Hash table representation using arrays

const int TABLE\_SIZE = 100;

int hashTable[TABLE\_SIZE];

Hash Functions and Collision Resolution:

Hash Function: Maps keys to indices in the hash table.

Collision: Occurs when two keys hash to the same index.

Collision Resolution: Methods like separate chaining, linear probing, quadratic probing, and double hashing resolve collisions.

#### 3. Priority Queues

Definition and ADT:

A priority queue is a data structure where each element has an associated priority.

Realizing a Priority Queue using Heaps:

A heap is a tree-based data structure where the parent node has a higher priority than its children.

// Example: Realizing a Priority Queue using Heaps

#include <queue>

using namespace std;

priority\_queue<int> myPriorityQueue;

myPriorityQueue.push(5);

#### myPriorityQueue.push(10);

### int topElement = myPriorityQueue.top(); // topElement = 10

### myPriorityQueue.pop();

#### 4. External Sorting

Model for External Sorting:

External sorting involves sorting large datasets that don't fit entirely in memory.

#### 5. Search Trees: Binary Search Trees

Definition and ADT:

A binary search tree (BST) is a tree-based data structure where the left child is smaller and the right child is greater than the parent.

Operations: Searching, Insertion, and Deletion:

Searching: Finding elements within the tree.

Insertion: Adding elements to the tree while maintaining its properties.

Deletion: Removing elements from the tree while preserving its structure.

// Example: Binary Search Tree operations

struct Node {

int key;

Node\* left;

Node\* right;

};

Node\* search(Node\* root, int key) { /\* ... \*/ }

Node\* insert(Node\* root, int key) { /\* ... \*/ }

Node\* deleteNode(Node\* root, int key) { /\* ... \*/ }