## Linked Lists

#### Advantages of Linked Lists over Arrays

- 1. Efficient Memory Utilization: The memory of a linked list is not pre-allocated. Memory is allocated whenever required and de-allocated when it is no longer required.
- 2. Insertion and deletion operations are easier and efficient.
- 3. Extensive manipulations: Without any prior idea of memory space available we can perform the computations. Example, there is no "overflow condition" while implementing stacks or queues.
- 4. Data can be stored in non-contiguous blocks of memory which exhibits logical adjacency i.e. they are linked by pointers.

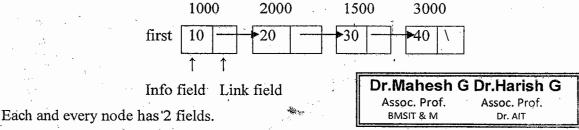
## Disadvantages of Linked Lists

- 1. It requires extra space because each node requires to hold the address of the next node within it (i.e. a pointer field).
- 2. Accessing a particular node in the list may take more time compared with arrays because the list needs to be traversed from the beginning.

#### Singly Linked Lists and Chains

Linked list is a linear collection of data elements called nodes and there exists a logical relationship between nodes (i.e. given the address of first node, any node in that list can be obtained)

The pictorial representation of a singly linked list is as shown below.



- ✓ Info field Here some useful information can be stored.
- ✓ Link field This field contains address of the next node. So this field should be of type pointer.

Note: A chain is a singly linked list that is compromised of zero or more nodes. When the number of nodes is zero, the chain is empty. The nodes of a chain are ordered so that the first node links to the second, second to the third and so on. The last node of a chain has a zero link (NULL).

#### Representing Chains in C

The following capabilities are needed to make linked representation possible

- ✓ A mechanism to define the nodes structure. This is done using self-referential structures.
- ✓ A way to create new nodes when we need them. This is done using malloc() function.
- ✓ A way to remove nodes that we no longer need. This is done using free() function.

The following is the structure definition for each in the list. struct node

int info;
struct node \*link;

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In the above structure definition the type of field or member (link) is same as the structure name and therefore known as self referential structure.

#### Note:

**}**;

- ✓ The variable 'first' contains the address of first node (initially NULL)
- ✓ All functions require first
- ✓ Functions that manipulate the linked list should return the address of the first node.
- ✓ first = NULL => List is empty.
- ✓ first ->link = NULL => There is one element in the List
- ✓ first ->link! = NULL => There is more than one element in the List

# **Fundamental Operations of a Linked List**

In the following functions we use the structure definition as shown below.

```
struct node
{
      int info;
      struct node *link;
};
typedef struct node * NODE;
Function to create a 2-node list
NODE create2()
      NODE first, second;
      first = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       second = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       first->info = 10;
       first->link = second;
       second->info = 20;
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       second->link = NULL;
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       return first;
}
Function to insert an element at the front end
NODE insert front(int item, NODE first)
       NODE temp;
       temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->info = item;
       temp->link = first;
       return temp;
Function to delete an element at the front end
NODE delete front(NODE first)
       NODE temp;
       if(first = = NULL) // no node
             printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
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temp = first;
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      first = first->link;
      printf("the deleted item is %d", temp->info);
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      free(temp);
      return(first);
Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insert rear(int item, NODE first)
      NODE temp, cur;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      if(first = = NULL) //no node
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             return temp;
      cur = first;
                          // node exists
                                            cusitiont node = cur.
      while(cur->link != NULL)
             cur = cur->link;
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      cur->link = temp;
      return first;
Function to delete an element at the rear end
NODE delete rear(NODE first)
      NODE prev, cur;
      if(first = = NULL) // no node
             printf("list is empty\n");
             return first;
      if(first ->link = = NULL) // only one node
             printf("the deleted item is %d", first->info);
             free(first);
             return( NULL );
                          // more than one node
      prev = NULL;
      cur = first;
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while(cur->link != NULL)
             prev = cur;
              cur = cur->link;
       printf("the deleted item is %d", cur->info);
       free(cur);
       prev->link = NULL;
       return(first); '
Function to display the contents of the list
void display(NODE first)
       NODE cur;
       if(first = = NULL)
              printf("the list is empty\n");
              return;
       cur = first;
       printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
       while(cur != NULL)
              printf("%d\n",cur->info);
              cur = cur->link;
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}
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Note:
    1. To implement stacks using linked lists the functions required are
           ✓ Insert_front(), Delete_front and Display()
           ✓ Insert rear(), Delete rear and Display()
    2. To implement queues using linked lists the function required are
           ✓ Insert front(), Delete rear and Display()
           ✓ Insert rear(), Delete front and Display()
    3. To implement De-queues using linked lists the function required are
           ✓ Insert front(), Delete front, Insert rear(), Delete rear and Display()
// Main function for Stacks using Linked Lists
void main()
       int choice, item;
       NODE first = NULL;
       clrscr();
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for(;;)
              printf("\n1:push\n2:pop\n3:display\n4:exit\n");
              printf("enter your choice");
              scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
                     case 1: printf("enter the item to be pushed\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             first = insert front(item, first);
                             break;
                     case 2: first = delete from (first);
                             break;
                     case 3: display(first);
                            break;
                     default : exit(0);
              getch();
// Main function for queues using linked lists
void main()
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       int choice, item;
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       NODE first = NULL;
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       clrscr();
       for(;;)
              printf("\n1:insert\n2:delete\n3:display\n4:exit\n");
              printf("enter your choice");
              scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
                     case 1: printf("enter the item to be pushed\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             first = insert rear(item, first);
                             break;
                     case 2: first = delete front(first);
                             break;
                     case 3: display(first);
                             break:
                     default : exit(0);
              getch():
}
```

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Lecture Notes
                                                Data Structures and Applications [17CS33]
Design, Develop and Implement a menu driven Program in C for the following
operations on Singly Linked List (SLL) of Student Data with the fields: USN,
Name, Branch, Sem, PhNo
a. Create a SLL of N Students Data by using front insertion.
b. Display the status of SLL and count the number of nodes in it
c. Perform Insertion / Deletion at End of SLL
d. Perform Insertion / Deletion at Front of SLL(Demonstration of stack)
e. Exit
#include<stdio.h>
struct node
       char usn[10];
       char name[20];
       char branch[20];
       int sem;
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       char phno[20];
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       struct node *link;
};
typedef struct node * NODE;
Function to insert at the front end
NODE insert_front(char usn[], char name[], char branch[], int sem, char phno[], NODE first)
       NODE temp;
       temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       strcpy(temp->usn, usn);
       strcpy(temp->name, name);
       strcpy(temp->branch, branch);
       temp->sem = sem;
       strcpy(temp->phno, phno);
       temp->link = first;
       return temp;
Function to delete at the front end
NODE delete front(NODE first)
       NODE temp;
       if(first = = NULL) // no node
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
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temp = first;
       first = first->link;
       printf("Student with following details is deleted\n");
       printf("usn : %s\n", temp->usn);
       printf("name : %s\n", temp->name);
      printf("branch : %s\n", temp->branch);
       printf("sem : %d\n", temp->sem);
       printf("phone no : %s\n", temp->phno);
      free(temp);
       return(first);
Function to insert at the rear end
NODE insert_rear(char usn[], char name[], char branch[], int sem, char phno[], NODE first)
      NODE temp, cur;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       strcpy(temp->usn, usn);
       strcpy(temp->name, name);
       strcpy(temp->branch, branch);
       temp->sem = sem;
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       strcpy(temp->phno, phno);
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       temp->link = NULL;
       if(first = = NULL) //no node
              return temp;
       cur = first;
                           // node exists
       while(cur->link != NULL)
              cur = cur - link;
       cur->link = temp;
       return first;
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```
Function to delete at the rear end
NODE delete rear(NODE first)
      NODE prev, cur;
      if(first = = NULL) // no node
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
       if(first ->link = = NULL) // only one node
              printf("Student with following details is deleted\n");
              printf("usn : %s\n", first->usn);
              printf("name : %s\n", first ->name);
              printf("branch : %s\n", first ->branch);
              printf("sem : %d\n", first ->sem);
              printf("phone no : %s\n", first ->phno);
              free(first);
              return( NULL);
                           // more than one node
       prev = NULL;
       cur = first;
       while(cur->link != NULL)
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              prev = cur;
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              cur = cur->link;
       printf("Student with following details is deleted\n");
       printf("usn : %s\n", cur->usn);
       printf("name : %s\n", cur ->name);
       printf("branch': %s\n", cur ->branch);
       printf("sem : %d\n", cur ->sem);
       printf("phone no : %s\n", cur ->phno);
       free(cur);
       prev->link = NULL;
       return(first);
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Function to display the contents of the list and count the number of nodes
void display(NODE first)
       NODE cur;
       int count = 0:
       if(first = = NULL)
             printf("the list is empty\n");
             printf("the number of nodes in the list is |%d\n", count);
             return;
       cur = first:
       printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
       printf("usn\t name\t branch\t sem\t phoneno\n");
       while(cur != NULL)
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             count = count + 1
             printf("usn : %s\t", cur->usn);
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             printf("name : %s\t", cur ->name);
             printf("branch : %s\t", cur ->branch);
             printf("sem : %d\t", cur ->sem);
             printf("phone no : %s\n", cur ->phno);
             cur = cur->link;
       printf("the number of nodes in the list is %d\n", count);
void main()
       int choice, sem, n,i;
       char usn[20], name[20], branch[20], phno[20];
       NODE first = NULL;
       clrscr();
       // Creating a list of 'n' students using front insertion
       printf("Enter the number of students");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i=0; i<n; i++)
             printf("Enter usn\n");
             gets(usn);
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printf("Enter name\n");
      gets(name);
      printf("Enter branch\n");
      gets(branch);
      printf("Enter sem\n");
      scanf("%d", &sem);
      printf("Enter phone no\n");
      gets(phno);
       first = insert front(usn, name, branch, sem, phno, first);
for(;;)
      printf("1:Insert front\n2:Insert rear\n");
      printf("3:Delete front\n4:Delete rear\n");
      printf("5:display\n6:exit\n");
      printf("enter your choice");
      scanf("%d",&choice);
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      switch(choice)
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             case 1: printf("Enter usn\n");
                    gets(usn);
                    printf("Enter name\n");
                    gets(name);
                    printf("Enter branch\n");
                    gets(branch);
                    printf("Enter sem\n");
                    scanf("%d", &sem);
                    printf("Enter phone no\n");
                    gets(phno);
                     first = insert_front(usn, name, branch, sem, phno, first);
                     break;
             case 2: printf("Enter usn\n");
                    gets(usn);
                    printf("Enter name\n");
                    gets(name);
                    printf("Enter branch\n");
                    gets(branch);
                    printf("Enter sem\n");
                    scanf("%d", &sem);
                    printf("Enter phone no\n");
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gets(phno);
               first = insert_rear( usn, name, branch, sem, phno, first);
               break;
       case 3: first = delete_front(first);
               break;
       case 4: first = delete_rear(first);
               break;
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       case 5: display(first);
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               break;
       default : exit(0);
getch();
```

#### Implementation of-multiple stacks using linked lists

```
#include<stdio.h>
struct node
      int info;
       struct node *link;
typedef struct node * NODE;
// Function to insert an element at the front end
// Function to delete an element from the front end
// Function to display the contents of the list
// Main function for Multiple Stacks using Linked Lists
void main()
       int choice, item, i;
       NODE first[100];
                            // number of stacks;
       int n;
       printf("enter the number of stacks\n");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i=0; i<n; i++)
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              first[i] = NULL;
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       for(;;)
              printf("\n1:push\n2:pop\n3:display\n4:exit\n");
              printf("enter your choice");
              scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
                     case 1: printf("enter the stack number to push\n");
                             scanf("%d",&i);
                             printf("enter the item to be pushed\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             first[i] = insert front(item, first[i]);
                             break; .
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case 2: printf("enter the stack number to pop\n");
                             scanf("%d",&i);
                             first[i] = delete front(first[i]);
                             break;
                     case 3: printf("enter the stack number to display\n");
                             scanf("%d",&i);
                            display(first[i]);
                            break;
                     default : exit(0);
Implementation of multiple queues using linked lists
#include<stdio.h>
struct node
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       int info;
       struct node *link;
typedef struct node * NODE;
// Function to insert an element at the rear end
// Function to delete an element from the front end
// Function to display the contents of the list
// Main function for Multiple Queues using Linked Lists
void main()
       int choice, item, i;
       NODE first[100];
                            // number of queues;
       printf("enter the number of queues\n");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i=0; i< n; i++)
              first[i] = NULL;
```

```
for(;;)
              printf("\n1:insert \n2:delete \n3:display\n4:exit\n");
              printf("enter your choice");
             scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
              {· .
                     case 1: printf("enter the queue number to insert\n");
                            scanf("%d",&i);
                            printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                            scanf("%d",&item);
                            first[i] = insert rear(item, first[i]);
                            break;
                     case 2: printf("enter the queue number to delete\n");
                            scanf("%d",&i);
                            first[i] = delete front(first[i]);
                            break;
                     case 3: printf("enter the queue number to display\n");
                            scanf("%d",&i);
                            display(first[i]);
                            break;
                     default : exit(0);
              }
}
```

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Other operations of a linked list
Function to count the number of nodes in a list
int count nodes(NODE first)
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      int count = 0;
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      NODE cur;
      cur = first;
      while(cur != NULL)
             count = count + 1;
             cur = cur->link;
      return count;
Function to concatenate 2 lists
NODE concatenate(NODE first, NODE second)
                                                           ank
      NODE cur;
      if(first = = NULL)
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             return second;
      if(second = = NULL)
             return first;
      cur = first;
      while(cur ->link!= NULL)
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             cur = cur->link;
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      cur->link = second;
      return first;
Function to reverse a singly linked list without creating a new node
NODE reverse(NODE first)
      NODE temp, cur;
      if(first = = NULL)
             return first;
      temp = NULL;
      while(first!= NULL)
              cur = first;
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            \ first = first->link;
                                                     temp
              cur->link = temp;
             temp = cur;
      return temp;
}
```

Note: At first or beginning, first contains address of the list to be reversed, later temp contains address of the reversed list.

```
Function to delete a node whose information field is given
NODE delete info(int item, NODE first)
      NODE cur, temp, prev, next;
      if(first = = NULL)
                                   // empty list
              printf("the list is empty\n");
              return first;
      }
      if(item = = first->info)
                                  // if it is the first node .
              temp=first;
              first = first->link;
             printf("item deleted is %d",temp->info);
              free(temp);
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              return first;
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      }
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      prev = NULL;
                           // other than first node
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      cur = first;
      while(cur != NULL && item != cur->info)
              prev = cur;
              cur = cur->link;
      if(cur = = NULL)
              printf("item not found\n");
              return first;
      next = cur->link
      prev->link = next;
      printf("item deleted is %d",cur->info);
      free(cur);
      return first;
```

#### Function to insert an item at a specified position

```
NODE insert pos(int item, int pos, NODE first)
      NODE temp, cur, prev;
      int count;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      temp->link = NULL;
      if(first = = NULL &\& pos = = 1) // no elements in the list
              return temp;
                           // insert at the beginning
      if(pos = = 1)
             temp->link = first;
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              return temp;
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      prev = NULL;
                           // find appropriate position
      cur = first;
      count = 1;
      while(cur != NULL && count != pos)
             prev = cur;
              cur = cur->link;
              count++;
      if(count != pos)
              printf("invalid position\n");
             free(temp);
              return first;
      prev->link = temp;
      temp->link = cur;
       return first;
```

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Function to insert an element into the list such that after insertion the list remains
sorted.
NODE insert order(int item, NODE first)
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      NODE temp, cur, prev;
                                                                          temp
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      temp->link = NULL;
      if(first = = NULL) // no elements in the list
             return temp;
      if(item <= first-≯info)
                                        // insert at the beginning
                                          often = C
             temp->link = first;
             return temp;
                                           5 < 10
      prev = NULL;
                           // insert at middle or end
      cur = first;
      while(cur != NULL && item > cur->info)
             prev = cur;
             cur = cur->link;
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      prev->link = temp;
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      temp->link = cur;
      return first;
Function to merge 2 sorted lists into a single sorted list
NODE merge(NODE a, NODE b)
      NODE k, c, temp;
      c = (NODE)  malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      k = c;
      while(a!= NULL && b!= NULL)
             if(a->info < b->info)
                    k->link = a;
                    a = a - \lambda link;
                    k = k->link;
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else
                       k->link \equiv b;
                       b = b > link;
                       k = k - link;
       if(b!=NULL)
               k->link = b;
        else
               k->link = a;
        temp = c;
        c = c > link;
        free(temp);
        return c;
Function to search for an item in the list and display the position if found
void search item(int item, NODE first)
       int pos;
       if(first = = NULL)
               printf("list is empty\n");
               return;
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        cur = first;
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        pos = 1;
        while(cur != NULL && item != cur->info)
               cur = cur - link;
               pos = pos + 1;
        if(cur = = NULL)
               printf("Unsuccessful search\n");
               return;
        printf("Successful search and item found at position %d\n", pos);
```

## Function to delete an element at the specified position

```
NODE delete pos(int pos, NODE first)
       NODE cur, prev, next, temp;
       if(first = = NULL)
                                   // empty list
              printf("the list is empty\n");
              return first;
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       if (pos = = 1) // if it is the first position
              temp=first;
              first = first->link;
              printf("item deleted is %d",temp->info);
              free(temp);
              return first;
      prev = NULL;
                            // other than first position
      cur = first;
       count = 1;
      while(cur != NULL && count != pos)
              prev = cur;
              cur = cur->link;
              count = count + 1;
      if(cur = = NULL)
             printf("invalid position\n");
              return first;
      next = cur->link
      prev->link = next;
      printf("item deleted is %d",cur->info);
      free(cur);
      return first;
```

## Function to delete all the nodes whose info field is same as the item specified

```
NODE delete_all_specified_items(int item, NODE first)
       int flag;
       NODE prev, cur;
       flag = 0;
       prev = NULL;
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       cur = first;
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       while( cur != NULL )
              if(item = = cur->info)
                      flag = flag + 1;
                      if(prev != NULL)
                                           // other than first
                             prev->link = cur->link;
                             free(cur);
                             cur = prev->link;
                                                         // update cur
                      else
                             // if it is the first node
                             first = first->link;
                             free(cur);
                             cur = first;
              else
                      prev = cur;
                      cur = cur->link;
       if(flag = = 0)
              printf("item not found\n");
       else
              printf("%d number of nodes are deleted\n", flag);
       return first;
```

Write a 'C' function to remove DUPLICATE elements in a singly linked list. NODE remove\_duplicate(NODE first)

```
if(first = = NULL)
                            // empty list
       printf("the list is empty\n");
       return first;
temp = first;
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while(temp != NULL)
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       item = temp->info;
       prev = temp;
       cur = temp->link;
       while( cur != NULL )
              if(item = = cur->info)
                     prev->link = cur->link;
                     free(cur);
                     cur = prev->link;
                                                 // update cur
              else
                     prev = cur;
                     cur = cur->link;
       temp = temp->link;
return first;
```

Write a 'C' function to find UNION of two singly linked lists. Assumption: No duplicate elements in the list

```
int search(int item, NODE first) // return 1 if item found else return 0
       if(first = NULL)
              return 0;
       cur = first;
       while(cur != NULL && item != cur->info)
              cur = cur->link;
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       if(cur = = NULL)
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              return 0;
       return 1;
NODE union(NODE a, NODE b)
       NODE c=NULL, cur;
       int flag;
       if(a = = NULL)
              return b;
       if(b = = NULL)
              return a;
       cur = a;
       while(cur != NULL)
              c = insert rear(cur->info, c);
              cur = cur - link;
       cur = b:
       while(cur != NULL)
               flag = search(cur->info, a);
               if(flag == 0)
                      c = insert_rear(cur->info, c);
               cur = cur->link;
       return c;
```

```
int search(int item, NODE first) // return 1 if item found else return 0
       if(first = = NULL)
              return 0;
       cur = first;
       while(cur!= NULL && item!= cur->info)
              cur = cur->link;
       if(cur = = NULL)
              return 0;
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       return 1;
}
NODE intersection(NODE a, NODE b)
       NODE c=NULL, cur;
       int flag;
       if(a = = NULL).
              return NULL;
       if(b = = NULL)'
              return NULL;
       cur = a;
       while(cur != NULL)
              flag = search(cur->info, b);
              if(flag == 1)
                    c = insert rear(cur->info, c);
              cur = cur - link;
       return c;
```

Write a 'C' function to find INTERSECTION of two singly linked lists.

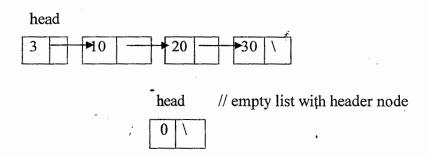
Assumption: No duplicate elements in the list

#### **Header Nodes**

Some times it is desirable to keep an extra node at the front of a list which simplifies the deign process of some list operations. Such a node does not represent an item in the list and is called a header node or a list header.

The info field of such a header node generally contains the global information of the entire list, like the number of nodes in the list.

Ex:



In both the cases the info field of head contains the total number of nodes in the list. Each time a node is added or deleted, the count in this field (i.e info field of the header) must be readjusted so as to contain actual number of nodes currently present which is certainly a overhead.

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#### Note:

✓ If the list is empty, link field of the header node points to NULL. Otherwise, link field of the header node contains the address of the first node of the list and the link field of the last node contains NULL.

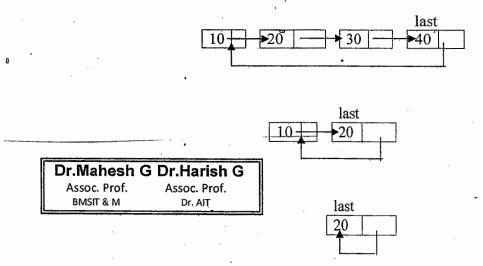
Given a list with header node, any node in the list can be accessed without the need for a pointer variable (first, which points to the first node as in before examples).

## Circular Singly Linked List

In normal singly linked list,

- ✓ The link part of the last node has NULL value, specifying that it is the last node.
- Given the address of any node 'x', it is only possible to reach the nodes which follow 'x' and it is not possible to reach the nodes that precedes 'x' (previous nodes). To reach the nodes that precedes 'x', it is required to preserve a pointer variable first, which contains the address of the first node in the list and use this for traversing.
- ✓ Also, given the address of the first node to get the address of the last node, the list has to be traversed from the beginning till the last node is reached.

These disadvantages can be overcome using circular singly linked list. In a circular singly linked list the link field of the last node points to the first node in the list, which makes the list a circular one. The pictorial representation is as shown below.



#### Note:

- ✓ Here the link field of the last node contains address of the first node.
- ✓ In the following functions we use the structure definition as shown below.

```
struct node
{
     int info;
     struct node *link;
};
typedef struct node * NODE;
```

```
Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insert rear(int item, NODE last)
      NODE temp;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      temp->link = temp;
      if(last = = NULL) //no node
             return temp;
      temp->link = last->link;
      last->link = temp;
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      return temp;
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Function to insert an element at the front end
NODE insert_front(int item, NODE last)
      NODE temp;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      temp->link = temp;
      if(last = = NULL) //no node
             return temp;
      temp->link = last->link;
      last->link = temp;
      return last;
Function to delete an element at the front end
NODE delete front(NODE last)
      NODE first:
      if(last = = NULL) // no node
             printf("list is empty\n");
             return last;
      if(last -> link = = last)
                                 // only one node
             printf("the deleted item is %d", last->info);
             free(last);
             return( NULL );
```

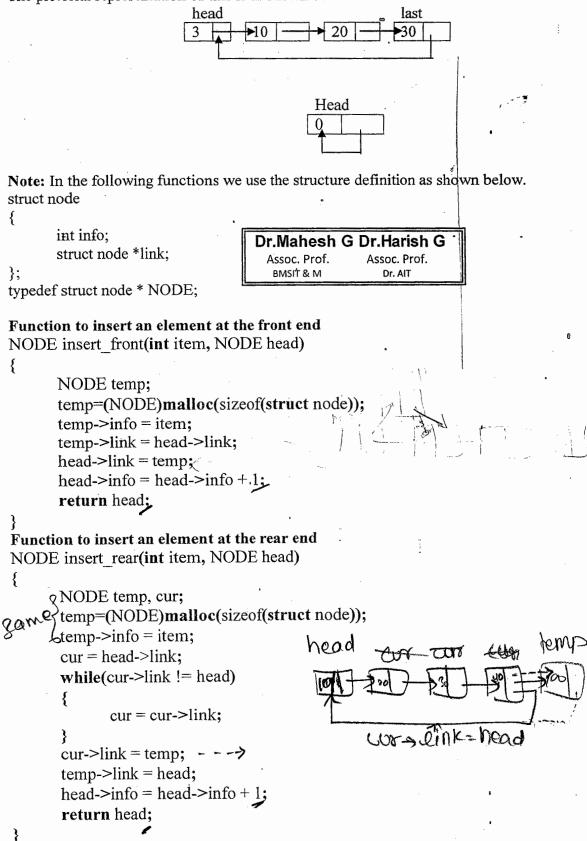
```
first = last->link;
                           // more than one node
       last->link = first->link;
      printf("the deleted item is %d", first->info);
       free(first);
       return(last);
Function to delete an element at the rear end
NODE delete rear(NODE last)
       NODE cur;
       if(last = = NULL) // no node
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return last;
       if(last -> link = = last)
                                   // only one node
              printf("the deleted item is %d", last->info);
              free(last);
              return(NULL);
       cur = last->link;
                           // more than one node
       while(cur->link != last)
              cur = cur->link;
       cur->link = last->link;
       printf("the deleted item is %d", last->info);
       free(last);
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       return(cur);
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Function to display the contents of the list
void display(NODE last)
{
       NODE cur;
       if(last = = NULL)
              printf("the list is empty\n");
              return;
       cur = last-> link;
```

```
printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
     -while(cur != last)
              printf("%d\n",cur->info);
              cur = cur->link;
       printf("%d\n",last->info);
// Main function for circular singly linked lists
void main()
      int choice, item;
      NODE last = NULL:
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      for(;;)
              printf("\n1:insert-front\n 2:insert-rear\n");
              printf("\n3:delete-front\n 4:delete-rear\n ");
              printf("\n5:display\n 6:exit\n ");
              printf("enter your choice");
              scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
                     case 1: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             last = insert front(item, last);
                             break;
                     case 2: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             last = insert rear(item, last);
                             break;
                     case 3: last = delete front(last); ·
                             break;
                     case 4: last = delete_rear(last);
                             break;
                     case 5: display(last);
                             break;
                     default : exit(0);
              getch():
```

```
Function to find the length of a circular list
void length(NODE last)
      NODE cur;
       int count;
      if(last = = NULL)
              printf("the length of the list is 0 \n");
              return;
       cur = last->link;
       count = 1:
       while(cur != last)
              count = count + 1;
              cur = cur->link;
       printf("the length of the list is %d \n", count);
Function to search for an item in the list. The function should return a pointer to the
node containing the item if found and NULL otherwise
NODE search item(int item, NODE last)
       NODE cur;
       if(last = = NULL)
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return NULL;
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       if(item = = last->info)
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              printf("Successful search\n");
              return last;
       cur = last->link:
       while(cur != last && item != cur->info)
              cur = cur->link;
       if(cur = = last)
              printf("Unsuccessful search\n");
              return NULL;
       printf("Successful search \n");
       return cur;
```

#### Circular Singly Linked List with header node

Here if the list is empty, link of head contains head, otherwise link field of header node contains address of the first node. The link field of last node contains address of header node. The pictorial representation of this is as shown below.



```
In insut = head = info+1
In delete = "
Function to delete an element at the front end
NODE delete front(NODE head)
      NODE cur;
      if(head->link = = head)
                                  // no node
                                                  head
             printf("list is empty\n");
             return head;
      cur = head->link;
      head->link = cur->link; link blw hoad & 30 node
      printf("the deleted item is %d", cur->info); cur (20) deleted.
      free(cur); physically deleted.
      head->info = head->info - 1
       return(head)
}
Function to delete an element at the rear end
NODE delete rear(NODE head)
      NODE prev, cur;
      if(head->link = = head)
                                  // no node /
             printf("list is empty\n");
             return head;
       prev = head;
       cur = head->link;
       while(cur->link != head)
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             prev = cur;
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             cur = cur->link;
                                                      head
      prev->link = head;
       printf("the deleted item is %d", cur->info);
       free(cur);
      head->info = head->info - 1;
       return(head);
Function to display the contents of the list
void display(NODE head)
      NODE cur;
      if(head->link = = head)
             printf("the list is empty\n");
```

```
return;
       cur = head->link:
       printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
       while(cur != head)
              printf("%d\n",cur->info);
             _{-}cur = cur->link;
// Main function for circular singly linked lists with header node
void main()
       int choice, item; NODE head;
       head = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       head->info = 0;
       head->link = head;
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       clrscr();
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       for(;;)
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              printf("\n1:insert-front\n 2:insert-rear\n");
              printf("\n3:delete-front\n 4:delete-rear\n");
              printf("\n5:display\n 6:exit\n ");
              printf("enter your choice");
              scanf("%d",&choice);
              switch(choice)
                     case 1: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             head = insert front(item, head);
                             break:
                     case 2: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             head = insert rear(item, head);
                             break;
                     case 3: head = delete front(head);
                             break;
                     case 4: head = delete rear(head);
                             break;
                     case 5: display(head);
                             break;
                     default : exit(0);
       }
```

Design, Develop and Implement a Program in C for the following operations on Singly Circular Linked List (SCLL) with header nodes

a. Represent and Evaluate a Polynomial P(x,y,z) = 6x2y2z-4yz5+3x3yz+2xy5z-2xyz3

b. Find the sum of two polynomials POLY1(x,y,z) and POLY2(x,y,z) and store the result in POLYSUM(x,y,z)

Support the program with appropriate functions for each of the above operations

```
#include<stdio.h>
struct node
       int cf;
      int px;
       int py;
       int pz;
       struct node *link;
typedef struct node* NODE;
// Function to display the polynomial
void display(NODE head)
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       NODE cur:
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       if(head->link = = head)
              printf("Polynomial does not exist\n");
              return;
       cur = head->link;
       while(cur != head)
              if(cur-cf>0)
                            printf("+");
              printf("%d ",cur->cf);
              printf("x^ %d", cur->px);
              printf("y^ %d", cur->py);
              printf("z^ %d", cur->pz);
              cur = cur->link;
// Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insert rear(int cf, int px, int py, int pz, NODE head)
       NODE temp, cur;
       temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
```

```
temp->cf=cf;
       temp->px = px;
       temp->py = py;
       temp->pz = pz;
       temp->link = NULL;
       cur = head->link;
       while(cur->link != head)
              cur = cur - link;
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       cur->link = temp;
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       temp->link = head;
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       return head;
// Function to read a polynomial
Assumption: The terms in P(x,y,z) will be lexicographically ordered i.e. first we order the
terms according to decreasing degrees in x; those with the same degree in x we order
according to decreasing degrees in y; those with the same degrees in x and y we order
according to decreasing degrees in z.
Example: The polynomial P(x,y,z) = 8x^2y^2z - 6yz^8 + 3x^3yz + 2xy^7z - 5x^2y^3 - 4xy^7z^3
needs to be read in the order P(x,y,z) = 3x^3yz - 5x^2y^3 + 8x^2y^2z - 4xy^7z^3 + 2xy^7z - 6yz^8
NODE readpoly(NODE head)
       int n, i, cf, px;
       printf("Enter the number of terms \n");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i = 1; i \le n; i++)
               printf("Enter the coefficient of %d term\n",i);
               scanf("%d",&cf);
               printf("Enter the power of x of %d termn",i);
               scanf("%d", &px);
               printf("Enter the power of y of %d term\n",i);
               scanf("%d", &py);
               printf("Enter the power of z of %d term\n",i);
               scanf("%d", &pz);
```

head insert rear(cf, px, py, pz, head);

return head;

```
// Function to evaluate a polynomial
void evaluate(NODE head)
       NODE cur;
       int x,y,z,result=0;
       if(head->link = = head)
               printf("Polynomial does not exist\n");
               return;
       }.
       printf("Enter the value of x \in ");
       scanf("%d",&x);
       printf("Enter the value of y\n");
       scanf("%d",&y);
       printf("Enter the value of z \setminus n^n);
       scanf("%d",&z);
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       cur = head->link;
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       while(cur != head)
               result = result + cur->cf * pow(x, cur->px)* pow(y, cur->py)* pow(z, cur->pz);
               cur = cur->link;
       printf("The result of evaluation is %d\n", result);
}
// Function to add 2 polynomials
NODE addpoly(NODE h1, NODE h2, NODE h3)
       NODE p1, p2;
       p1 = h1 - \sinh;
       p2 = h2 - link;
       int sumcf;
       while(p1 != h1 && p2 != h2)
               if(p1->px > p2->px) \mathcal{N} // Compare power of x
                      h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, p1->py, p1->pz, h3);
                      p1' = p1 - \lambda ink;
               else if(p1-px < p2-px)
                      h3 = insert_rear(p2->cf, p2->px, p2->py, p2->pz, h3);
                      p2 = p2 - link;
```

else

```
if(p1->py>p2->py)
                                                 // Compare power of y
                        h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, p1->py, p1->pz, h3);
                        p1 = p1 -> link;
                else if(p1-py < p2-py)
                        h3 = insert_rear(p2->cf, p2->px, p2->py, p2->pz, h3);
                        p2 = p2 - link;
                else
                        if(p1->pz>pz)
                                                        // Compare power of z
                                h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, p1->py, p1->pz, h3);
                                p1 = p1 - link;
                        else if(p1-pz < p2-pz)
                                h3 = insert_rear(p2->cf, p2->px, p2->py, p2->pz, h3);
                                p2 = p2->link;
                        else
                                // All powers are equal
                                sumcf = p1 - > cf + p2 - > cf;
                                if(sumcf!=0)
                                        h3 = insert\_rear(sumcf, p1->px, p1->py, p1->pz, h3);
                                p1 = p1 - link;
                                p2 = p2 - link;
                }
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// Add remaining terms of Polynomial 1
while(p1 != h1)
        h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, h3);
        p1 = p1 - link;
// Add remaining terms of Polynomial 2
while(p2 != h2)
        h3 = insert_rear(p2 -> cf, p2 -> px, h3);
       p2 = p2 - link;
                                      Py (PZ
<sup>}</sup>return h3;
```

```
void main()
       NODE h1, h2, h3;-
       h1 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h2 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h3 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h1 - > link = h1;
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       h2 - link = h2;
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       h3->link = h3;
       printf("enter the first polynomial\n");
       h1 = readpoly(h1);
       printf("enter the second polynomial\n");
       h2 = readpoly(h2);
       h3 = addpoly(h1, h2, h3)
       printf("The first polynomial is\n");
       display(h1);
        evalupe(ny)
       printf("The second polynomial is\n");
       display(h2);
        evaluate (h2);
       printf("Their sum is\n");
       display(h3);
```

# Doubly Linked List

# Disadvantages of Singly Linked List

- ✓ Given the address of a node in the list, it is difficult to find the address of previous node.
- ✓ Traversing of list is possible only in the forward direction and hence singly linked list is also termed as one-way list....

# **Doubly Linked List Representation**

To increase the performance and efficiency of algorithms, it is required to traverse the list in either forward or backward direction. Therefore a two-way list called as doubly linked list can be made use of, so that traversing from left to right (forward) or right to left (backward) is possible.

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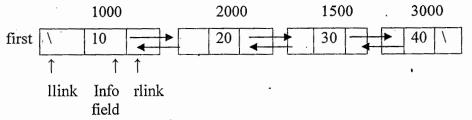
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#### **Definition**

A list where each node has 2 links

- ✓ Left link (llink) Contains the address of the left node
- ✓ Right link (rlink) Contains the address of the right node

So that both forward and backward traversal is possible is called doubly linked list.



Each node in the list consists of

- ✓ llink Contains the address of the left node or previous node
- $\checkmark$  info It is the data to be processed.
- ✓ rlink Contains the address of the right node or next node

The structure declaration for each node is as shown below struct node

int info; struct node \*llink; struct node \*rlink;

typedef struct node \* NODE;

#### Disadvantages of Doubly Linked List

- ✓ Each node in the list requires an extra link and hence more memory is consumed.
- ✓ If a node is inserted or deleted both llink and rlink should be manipulated

```
Fundamental Operations of a Doubly Linked List
Function to insert an element at the front end
NODE insertfront(int item, NODE first)
       NODE temp;
       temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->info = item;
       temp->llink = NULL;
       temp->rlink = NULL;
       if(first = = NULL)
             return temp;
       temp->rlink = first;
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       first->llink = temp;
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       return temp;
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Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insertrear(int item, NODE first)
       NODE temp, cur;
       temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->info = item;
       temp->llink = NULL;
       temp->rlink = NULL;
       if(first = = NULL)
              return temp;
       cur = first;
       while(eur->rlink != NULL)
              cur = cur->rlink;
       cur->rlink = temp;
       temp->llink = cur;
       return first;
Function to delete an element at the front end
NODE deletefront (NODE first)
{
       NODE cur;
       if(first = = NULL)
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
       if(first->rlink = = NULL)
              printf("item deleted is %d\n", first->info);
              free(first)
              return NULL;
       cur = first;
```

```
first =first->rlink;
       printf("item deleted is %d\n", cur->info);
       free(cur)
       frist->llink = NULL;
       return first;
Function to delete an element at the rear end
NODE deleterear( NODE first)
       NODE prev, cur;
       if(first = = NULL)
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
       if(first->rlink == NULL)
              printf("item deleted is %d\n", first->info);
              free(first)
              return NULL;
       cur = first;
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       while(cur->rlink != NULL)
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              cur = cur->rlink;
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       prev =cur->llink;
       printf("item deleted is %d\n", cur->info);
       free(cur);
       prev->rlink = NULL;
       return first;
Function to display the contents of the list
void display(NODE first)
{
       NODE cur;
       if(first = = NULL)
               printf("the list is empty\n");
               return;
       printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
       cur = first;
       while(cur != NULL)
               printf("%d\n",cur->info);
               cur = cur->rlink;
```

Other Operations of a Doubly Linked List

```
Function to insert a new node to the left of a node whose key value is read as input
NODE insert left(int key, int item, NODE first)
      NODE cur, prev, temp;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->info = item;
      temp->llink = temp->rlink = NULL;
      if(first = = NULL)
              printf("the list is empty!cannot insert");
             -free(temp);
              return first;
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      if(key = = first->info)
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              temp->rlink = first;
              first->llink = temp;
              return temp;
       cur = first;
       while(cur != NULL && key != cur->info)
              cur = cur->rlink;
      if(cur = = NULL)
              printf("the node with key value not present!cannot insert\n");
              free(temp);
              return first;
      prev = cur->llink;
      prev->rlink = temp;
      temp->llink = prev;
      temp->rlink = cur;
       cur->llink = temp;
      return first;
```

```
Function to delete a node whose info field is specified
NODE delete_info(int item, NODE first)
       NODE cur, prev, next;
       if(first = = NULL)
              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
       if(item = = first->info)
              cur = first;
              first = first->rlink;
              if(first != NULL)
                     first->llink = NULL;
              printf("item deleted is %d",cur->info);
              free(cur);
               return first;
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       cur = first;
       while(cur != NULL && item != cur->info)
               cur = cur->rlink;
       if(cur = = NULL)
               printf("item not found\n");
               return first;
       prev = cur->llink;
       next = cur->rlink;
       prev->rlink = next;
       if(next != NULL)
               next->llink = prev;
       printf("deleted item is %d",cur->info);
       free (cur);
       return first;
```

NODE insert\_front(char ssn[], char name[], char dept[], char desg[], float sal, char phno[], NODE first NODE temp;

```
temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
strcpy(temp->ssn, ssn);
strcpy(temp->name, name);
strcpy(temp->dept, dept);
strcpy(temp->desg, desg);
temp->sal = sal;
strcpy(temp->phno, phno);
```

temp > info = item

temp->rlink = NULL; if(first = = NULL)return temp; temp->rlink = first; first->llink = temp;return temp;

temp->llink = NULL;

```
Function to insert at the rear end
NODE insert rear(char ssn[], char name[], char dept[], char desg[], float sal, char phno[], NODE first)
                 NODE temp, cur;
                 temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
                 strcpy(temp->ssn, ssn);
                 strcpy(temp->name, name);
                 strcpy(temp->dept, dept);
                 strcpy(temp->desg, desg);
                 temp->sal = sal;
                 strcpy(temp->phno, phno);
                 temp->llink = NULL;
                 temp->rlink = NULL;
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                 if(first = = NULL)
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                        return temp;
                 cur = first;
                 while(cur->rlink != NULL)
                        cur = cur->rlink;
                 cur->rlink = temp;
                 temp->llink = cur;
                 return first;
          }
          Function to delete at the front end
          NODE delete front (NODE first)
                 NODE cur;
                 if(first = = NULL)
                         printf("list is empty\n");
                        return first;
                 if(first->rlink = = NULL)
                         printf("Employee with following details is deleted\n");
                         printf("ssn : %s\n", first->ssn);
                         printf("name : %s\n", first ->name);
                         printf("dept : %s\n", first ->dept);
                         printf("desg : %s\n", first ->desg);
                         printf("sal : %f\n", first ->sal);
                         printf("phone no: %s\n", first->phno);
                         free(first)
                        return NULL;
```

cur = first;

```
first =first->rlink;
       printf("Employee with following details is deleted\n");
       printf("ssn:%s\n", cur->ssn);
       printf("name : %s\n", cur->name);
       printf("dept : %s\n", cur->dept);
       printf("desg : %s\n", cur->desg);
       printf("sal: %f\n", cur->sal);
       printf("phone no : %s\n", cur->phno);
       free(cur);
       frist->llink = NULL;
       return first;
Function to delete at the rear end
NODE delete rear( NODE first)
       NODE prev, cur;
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       if(first = = NULL)
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              printf("list is empty\n");
              return first;
       if(first->rlink = = NULL)
              printf("Employee with following details is deleted\n");
              printf("ssn : %s\n", first->ssn);
              printf("name : %s\n", first ->name);
              printf("dept : %s\n", first ->dept);
              printf("desg : %s\n", first ->desg);
              printf("sal : %f\n", first ->sal);
              printf("phone no : %s\n", first->phno);
              free(first)
              return NULL;
      cur = first;
       while(cur->rlink != NULL)
              cur = cur->rlink;
       prev =cur->llink;
       printf("Employee with following details is deleted\n");
       printf("ssn:%s\n", cur->ssn);
       printf("name : %s\n", cur->name);
       printf("dept : %s\n", cur->dept);
       printf("desg : %s\n", cur->desg);
       printf("sal : %f\n", cur->sal);
```

```
printf("phone no : %s\n", cur->phno);
      free(cur);
      prev->rlink = NULL;
      return first;
Function to display the contents of the list and count the number of nodes
void display(NODE first)
      NODE cur;
      int count = 0;
      if(first = = NULL)
             printf("the list is empty\n");
             printf("the number of nodes in the list is %d\n", count);
             return;
       cur = first;
      printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
      printf("ssn\t name\t dept\t desg\t sal\t phoneno\n");
      while(cur != NULL)
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              count = count + 1;
                                                          point ( cur > info)
              printf("ssn : %s\n", cur->ssn);
              printf("name : %s\n", cur->name);
              printf("dept : %s\n", cur->dept);
              printf("desg : %s\n", cur->desg);
              printf("sal : %f\n", cur->sal);
              printf("phone no: %s\n", cur->phno);
              cur = cur->rlink;
       printf("the number of nodes in the list is %d\n", count);
void main()
       int choice, n, i;
       char ssn[20], name[20], dept[20], desg[20], phno[20];
       float sal;
       NODE first = NULL;
       clrscr();
```

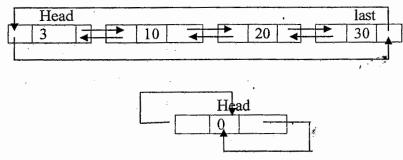
```
// Creating a list of 'n' employees using end (rear) insertion
printf("Enter the number of employees");
scanf("%d", &n);
for(i=0; i<n; i++)
       printf("Enter ssn\n");
       gets(ssn);
       printf("Enter name\n");
       gets(name);
       printf("Enter dept\n");
       gets(dept);
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       printf("Enter desg\n");
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       gets(desg);
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       printf("Enter sal\n");
       scanf("%f", &sal);
       printf("Enter phone no\n");
       gets(phho);
       first = insert rear(ssn, name, dept, desg, sal, phno, first);
              In singly in we have present front
for(;;)
       printf("1:Insert front\n2:Insert rear\n");
       printf("3:Delete front\n4:Delete rear\n");
       printf("5:display\n6:exit\n");
       printf("enter your choice");
       scanf("%d",&choice);
       switch(choice)
              case 1: printf("Enter ssn\n");
                     gets(ssn);
                     printf("Enter name\n");
                     gets(name);
                     printf("Enter dept\n");
                     gets(dept);
                     printf("Enter desg\n");
                     gets(desg);
                     printf("Enter sal\n");
                     scanf("%f", &sal);
                     printf("Enter phone no\n");
                     gets(phno);
```

first = insert front(ssn, name, dept, desg, sal, phno, first);

```
break;
       case 2: printf("Enter ssn\n");
              gets(ssn);
              printf("Enter name\n");
              gets(name);
              printf("Enter dept\n");
              gets(dept);
              printf("Enter desg\n");
              gets(desg);
              printf("Enter sal\n");
              scanf("%f", &sal);
              printf("Enter phone no\n");
              gets(phno);
               first = insert rear(ssn, name, dept, desg, sal, phno, first);
               break;
       case 3: first = delete_front(first);
               break;
       case 4: first = delete rear(first);
               break;
       case 5: display(first);
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               break;
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       default : exit(0);
getch();
```

Circular Doubly Linked List with header

Here if the list is empty, llink of head contains head and rlink of head also contains head, otherwise llink of header node contains address of the last node and rlink of header node contains address of the first node. The link field of last node contains address of header node. The pictorial representation of this is as shown below.

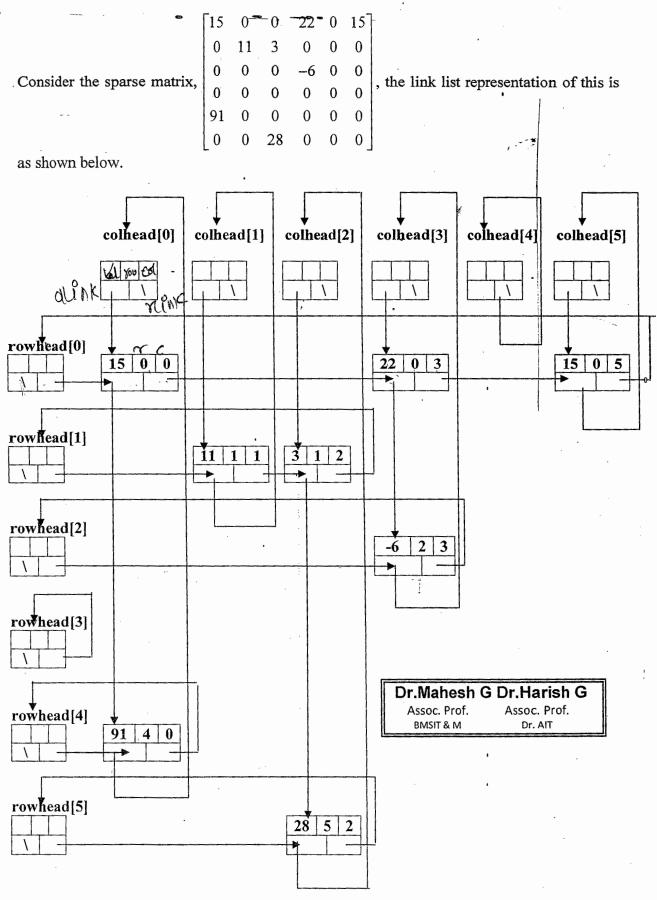


```
Note: In the following functions we use the structure definition as shown below.
struct node
       int info;
       struct node *llink;
       struct node *rlink;
typedef struct node * NODE;
Function to insert an element at the front end
NODE insertfront(int item, NODE head)
       NODE temp, cur;
       temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->info = item;
       cur = head->rlink;
       head > rlink = temp;
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       temp->llink = head;
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       temp->rlink = cur:
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       cur->llink = temp;
       return head:
Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insertrear(int item, NODE head)
       NODE temp, last;
       temp = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->info = item;
       last = head -> llink:
       temp->llink = last;
       last->rlink = temp;
       temp->rlink = head;
       head->llink = temp;
       return head;
```

```
Function to delete an element at the front end
NODE deletefront(NODE head)
       NODE cur, next;
       if(head->rlink = = head)
               printf("list is empty\n");
               return head;
       cur = head->rlink;
       next = cur->rlink;
       head->rlink = next;
       next->llink = head;
       printf("element deleted is %d\n"; cur->info);
       free(cur);
       return head;
Function to delete an element at the rear end
NODE deleterear(NODE head)
       NODE cur, last;
       if(head -> rlink == head)
               printf("list is empty\n");
              return head;
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       cur = head->llink:
       last = cur->llink;
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       last->rlink = head;
       head->llink = last;
       printf("element deleted is %d\n", cur->info);
       free(cur);
       return head;
Function to display the contents of the list
void display(NODE head)
       NODE cur;
       if(head->rlink = = head)
               printf("the list is empty\n");
               return;
       printf("the contents of the list are:\n");
       cur = head->rlink;
```

```
while(cur != head)
              printf("%d\n",cur->info);
              cur = cur->rlink;
}
Note: Updating head->info is optional.
// Main function for circular doubly linked lists with header node
void main()
      int choice, item;
       NODE head;
       head = (NODE) malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       head->llink = head->rlink=head;
       clrscr();
       for(;;)
              printf("\n1:insert-front\n 2:insert-rear\n");
              printf("\n3:delete-front\n 4:delete-rear\n ");
              printf("\n5:display\n 6:exit\n ");
              printf("enter your choice");
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              scanf("%d",&choice);
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              switch(choice)
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                     case 1: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             head = insert front(item, head);
                     case 2: printf("enter the item to be inserted\n");
                             scanf("%d",&item);
                             head = insert rear(item, head);
                             break:
                     case 3: head = delete front(head);
                             break:
                     case 4: head = delete rear(head);
                             break;
                     case 5: display(head);
                             break:
                     default : exit(0);
              getch():
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# Sparse Matrix Representation using linked lists



```
Sparse Matrix Using Linked Lists
#include<stdio.h>
struct node
{
       int value;
       int row;
       int col;
       struct node *rlink;
       struct node *dlink;
typedef struct node* NODE;
void insert_matrix(NODE rowhead[], NODE colhead[], int value, int row, int col)
       NODE temp, cur, prev, head;
       temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->value = value;
       temp->row = row;
       temp->col = col;
       // Insert into appropriate column
       head = rowhead[row];
       prev = head;
       cur = head->rlink;
       while(cur!=head && cur->col < col)
              prev = cur;
              cur = cur->rlink;
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       prev->rlink = temp;
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       temp->rlink = cur;
       // Insert into appropriate row
       head = colhead[col];
       prev = head;
       cur = head->dlink;
       while(cur!=head && cur->row < row)
              prev = cur;
              cur = cur->dlink;
       prev->dlink = temp;
       temp->dlink = cur;
```

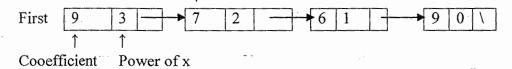
```
void read_matrix(NODE rowhead[], NODE colhead[], int m, int n)
       int value, i, j;
       printf("\n\nEnter the elements of the matrix");
       for(i=0;i \le m;i++)
              for(j=0;j< n;j++)
                      scanf("%d",&value);
                      if(value!=0)
                             insert_matrix(rowhead, colhead, value, i, j);
void display(NODE rowhead[],int m).
       int i:
       NODE head, cur;
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       for(i=0; i < m; i++)
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              head = rowhead[i];
               cur = head->rlink;
               while(cur != head)
                      printf("(%d, %d) = %d\n", cur->row, cur->col, cur->value);
                      cur = cur->rlink;
void search(int key, NODE rowhead[],int m)
       int i;
       NODE head, cur;
       for(i=0; i < m; i++)
               head = rowhead[i];
               cur = head->rlink;
               while(cur != head)
                      if(key == cur->value)
                              printf("Successful Search\n");
                              printf(" Element found at row %d and column %d\n"), cur->row, cur->col);
                              return;
                      cur = cur->rlink;
```

```
printf("Unsuccessful Search Element not Found\n");
void main()
       int m, n
      NODE rowhead[20], colhead[20], temp,
       printf("Enter the number of rows");
       scanf("%d",&m);
       printf("Enter the number of columns");
       scanf("%d",&n);
       // Initialize row headers
       for(i=0; i<m; i++)
              temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
              temp->rlink = temp;
              temp->dlink = NULL;
              rowhead[i] = temp;
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       // Initialize column headers
       for(i=0; i<n; i++)
              temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
              temp->rlink = NULL;
              temp->dlink = temp;
              colhead[i] = temp;
       // Read the matrix elements
       read matrix(rowhead, colhead, m, n);
       // Print the matrix
       display(rowhead, m);
       // Read the key element to be searched
       printf("Enter the element to be searched \n");
      scanf("%d",&key);
      // Search for the key in the matrix
      search(key, rowhead, m);
      getch();
```

### Polynomial - Using Singly Linked List

#### Representation

Consider the polynomial  $9x^3 + 7x^2 + 6x + 9$ . This polynomial can be represented using a singly linked list as shown below.



Every node has 3 fields

- ✓ cf coefficient field
- $\checkmark$  px power of x
- ✓ link contains the address of next node.

Therefore, the structure declaration to represent this node will be struct node

```
int cf;
int px;
struct node *link;
```

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typedef struct node\* NODE;

Program to add two Polynomials using Singly Linked List #include<stdio.h>

```
// Function to display the polynomial
void display(NODE first)
{
    NODE cur;
    if(first == NULL)
    {
        printf("Polynomial does not exist\n");
        return;
    }
    cur = first;
    while(cur!= NULL)
    {
        if(cur->cf > 0)
            printf("+");
        printf("%d x^ %d",cur->cf, cur->px); - q x^ 3
        cur = cur->link;
    }
}
```

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// Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insert—rear(int cf, int-px, NODE-first) --
{
      NODE temp, cur;
      temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
      temp->cf=cf;
       temp->px = px;
      temp->link = NULL;
      if(first = = NULL) //no node
              return temp;
       cur = first;
                         // node exists
       while(cur->link != NULL)
              cur = cur->link;
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       cur->link = temp;
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       return first;
// Function to read a polynomial
NODE readpoly(NODE first)
       int n, i, cf, px;
       printf("Enter the number of terms \n");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i = 1; i \le n; i++)
              printf("Enter the coefficient and power of x of %d term\n",i);
              scanf("%d%d",&cf, &px);
              first = insert rear(cf, px, first);
      return first;
// Function to compare 2 numbers
int compare(int x, int y)
      if(x < y)
              return -1;
      else if(x = =y)
              return 0; '
           else
```

```
P3 % Sum of 19,892
               return 1;
// Function to add 2 polynomials
NODE addpoly(NODE p1, NODE p2, NODE p3)
       int sumcf;
       while(p1 != NULL && p2 != NULL)
               switch(compare(p1->px, p2->px))
                       case 0 : // p1's exponent = p2's exponent
                               sumcf = p1->cf + p2->cf;
if(sumcf!= 0) y_1y_1^2 - y_1y_1^2
                               p3 = insert_rear(sumcf, p1->px, p3);
                               p1 = p1 - link;
                               p2 = p2->link;
                               break;
                       case 1: // p1's exponent > p2's exponent
                               p3 = insert rear(p1->cf, p1->px, p3);
                               p1 = p1 - \sinh;
                               break;
                       case -1: // p1's exponent < p2's exponent
                               p3 = insert rear(p2->cf, p2->px, p3);
                                                                        2x < 3x
                               p2 = p2 - link;
                               break:
        }
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       // Add remaining terms of Polynomial 1
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        while(p1 != NULL).
                p3 = insert rear(p1->cf, p1->px, p3);
                p1 = p1 -> link;
        // Add remaining terms of Polynomial 2
        while(p2 != NULL)
                p3 = insert rear(p2->cf, p2->px, p3);
                p2 = p2 - link;
        return p3;
void main( )
        NODE p1 = NULL, p2 = NULL, p3 = NULL;
        printf("enter the first polynomial\n");
        p1 = readpoly(p1);
```

```
printf("enter the second polynomial\n");

p2 = readpoly(p2);

p3 = addpoly(p1, p2, p3)

printf("The first polynomial is\n");
display(p1);

printf("The second polynomial is\n");
display(p2);

printf("Their sum' is\n");
display(p3);

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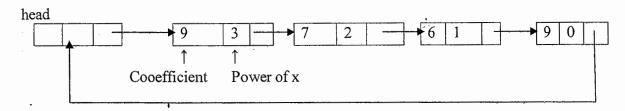
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## Polynomial - Using Circular Singly Linked List with header node

Representation

Consider the polynomial  $9x^3 + 7x^2 + 6x + 9$ . This polynomial can be represented using a circular singly linked list with header node as shown below.



Note: link field of last node contains the address of head and link field of header node points to the first node of the list.

```
Every node has 3 fields
```

- ✓ cf coefficient field
- $\checkmark$  px power of x
- ✓ link contains the address of next node.

Therefore, the structure declaration to represent this node will be struct node

```
{
    int cf;
    int px;
    struct node *link;
};
typedef struct node* NODE;
```

Program to add two Polynomials using Circular Singly Linked List header node #include<stdio.h>.

// Function to display the polynomial

```
void display(NODE head)
       NODE cur;
       if(head->link = = head)
              printf("Polynomial does not exist\n");
              return;
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       cur = head->link;
       while(cur != head)
              if(cur-cf>0)
                            printf("+");
              printf("%d x^{\wedge} %d",cur->cf, cur->px);
              cur = cur->link;
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// Function to insert an element at the rear end
NODE insert rear(int cf, int px, NODE head)
       NODE temp, cur;
       temp=(NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       temp->cf=cf;
                                       nead
       temp->px = px;
       temp->link = NULL;
       cur = head->link;
       while(cur->link != head)
              cur = cur->link;
       cur->link = temp;
       temp->link = head;
       return head;
 }
// Function to read a polynomial
NODE readpoly(NODE head)
       int n, i, cf, px;
       printf("Enter the number of terms \n");
       scanf("%d", &n);
       for(i = 1; i \le n; i++)
```

```
printf("Enter the coefficient and power of x of %d term\n",i);
               scanf("%d%d",&cf, &px);"
               head = insert rear(cf, px, head);
       return head;
// Function to compare 2 numbers
int compare(int x, int y)
       if(x < y)
               return -1;
       else if(x = =y)
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               return 0;
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             else
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               return 1;
// Function to add 2 polynomials
NODE addpoly(NODE h1, NODE h2, NODE h3)
       NODE p1, p2;
       p1 = h1 - \sinh;
       p2 = h2 - link;
       int sumcf; rive
        while(p1 != h1 && p2 != h2)
               switch( compare(p1->px, p2->px ))
                       case 0: // p1's exponent = p2's exponent
                               sumcf = p1->cf + p2->cf;
                               if(sumcf!=0)
                               h3 = insert rear(sumcf, p1->px, h3);
                               p1 = p1 - link;
                               p2 = p2 - link;
                               break;
                       case 1: // p1's exponent > p2's exponent
                               h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, h3);
                               p1 = p1 - link;
                               break;
                       case -1: // p1's exponent < p2's exponent
                              h3 = insert_rear(p2->cf, p2->px, h3);
                               p2 = p2->link;
                               break;
       // Add remaining terms of Polynomial 1
       while(p1 != h1).
```

```
{
               h3 = insert_rear(p1->cf, p1->px, h3);
               p1 = p1 - link;
       //-Add remaining terms of Polynomial 2
       while(p2 != h2)
       {
               h3 = insert_rear(p2->cf, p2->px, h3);
               p2 = p2 - link;
       return h3;
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void main( )
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       NODE h1, h2, h3;
       h1 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h2 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h3 = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
       h1 -> link = h1;
       h2->link = h2;
       h3 - link = h3;
       printf("enter the first polynomial\n");
       h1 = readpoly(h1);
       printf("enter the second polynomial\n");
       h2 = readpoly(h2);
       h3 = addpoly(h1, h2, h3)
       printf("The first polynomial is\n");
        display(h1);
        printf("The second polynomial is\n");
        display(h2);
        printf("Their sum is\n");
        display(h3);
```

# Miscellaneous Functions

Write a 'C' function called strcmpl(L1, L2) to compare 2 character strings represented as lists L1 and L2. This function should return '0' if L1==L2, -1 if L1 < L2 and 1 if L1 > L2.

```
int strempl(NODE L1, NODE L2)
      NODE C1, C2;
       C1 = L1;
       C2 = L2;
       while(C1 != NULL && C2 != NULL)
              if(C1->info > C2->info)
                    (return 1;
              else if(C1->info < C2->info)
                     return -1;
              else
                     C1 = C1->link;
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                     C2 = C2->link;
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       if(C1 == NULL && C2 != NULL)
              return -1;
       if(C2 == NULL && C1 != NULL)
              return 1;
       return 0;
```

Write a 'C' function to check whether a given string is a palindrome assuming that the string is stored in a circular doubly linked list with a header.

```
void palindrome(NODE head)
{
    NODE cur, last;
    cur = head->rlink;
    last=head->llink;
    while(cur!=head)
    {
        if(cur->info != last->info)
        {
            printf("string is not a palindrome\n");
            return;
        }
        cur = cur->rlink;
        last = last->llink;
    }
    printf("string is a palindrome\n");
}
```

Write a 'C' function search(P, x) that accepts a pointer 'P' to the list of integers and an integer 'x' and returns a pointer to a node containing 'x' if it exists and NULL otherwise.

```
NODE search(NODE P, int x)
       NODE cur:
       cur = P;
       while(cur != NULL && x != cur->info)
              cur=cur-link;
       return cur;
Write a 'C' function srchinst(P, x) that adds 'x' to P if it is not found and always
returns a pointer containing 'x'.
NODE srchinst(NODE P, int x)
       NODE cur, temp, prev;
       cur = P;
       prev = NULL;
       while(cur != NULL && x != cur->info)
              prev =cur;
              cur=cur->link;
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       if(cur!= NULL)
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              return cur;
       else
              temp = (NODE)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
              temp->info = x;
              temp->link = NULL;
              if(prev==NULL)
                     P=temp;
                     return temp;
              prev->link=temp;
              return temp;
}
Note: Instead of
                      temp->link = NULL;
                     if(prev==NULL)
                            P=temp;
                            return temp;
                     prev->link=temp;
                                           we can write only temp->link = P;
```

### Miscellaneous Functions

Write a 'C' function called strempl(L1, L2) to compare 2 character strings represented as lists L1 and L2. This function should return '0' if L1==L2, -1 if L1 < L2 and 1 if L1 > L2.

```
int strempl(NODE L1, NODE L2)
       NODE C1, C2;
       C1 = L1;
       C2 = L2;
       while(C1 != NULL && C2 != NULL)
              if(C1->info > C2->info)
                     return 1;
              else if(C1->info < C2->info)
                     return:-1;
              else
                     C1 = C1 -  link;
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                     C2 = C2 - link;
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       if(C1 == NULL && C2 != NULL)
              return -1;
       if(C2 == NULL && C1 != NULL)
              return 1;
       return 0;
```

Write a 'C' function to check whether a given string is a palindrome assuming that the string is stored in a circular doubly linked list with a header.

```
void palindrome(NODE head)
{
    NODE cur, last;
    cur = head->rlink;
    last=head->llink;
    while(cur!=head)
    {
        if(cur->info != last->info)
        {
            printf("string is not a palindrome\n");
            return;
        }
        cur = cur->rlink;
        last = last->llink;
    }
    printf("string is a palindrome\n");
}
```

Write a 'C' function rotate which accepts the header pointer to a circular doubly linked list and 'n' a integer value to rotate the elements to the left 'n' times.

```
NODE rotate left(int n, NODE head) "
       NODE cur, prev;
       int i;
       for(i=0; i< n; i++)
               prev = head;
               cur = head->rlink;
               while(cur!=head)
                      prev->info = cur->info;
                      prev = cur;
                      cur = cur->rlink;
               prev->info = cur->info;
       return head;
Write a 'C' function to find the minimum node in a singly linked list.
NODE minimum(NODE first)
       NODE min, cur;
       if(first==NULL)
               printf("list is empty\n");
               return NULL;
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       min=first;
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       cur=first->link;
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       while(cur!=NULL)
               if(min->info > prev->info)
                      min=cur;
                      cur = cur->link;
               else
                      cur=cur->link;
       return min;
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