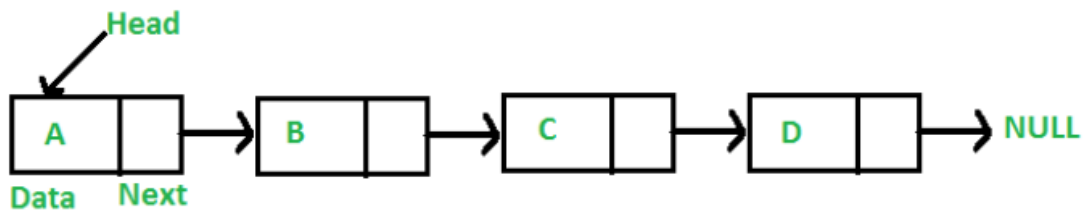


Linked List

Each element is called Node and that stores two things one is the data and one the reference to next node



Head stores the reference to the very first node, after knowing that we can travel through the complete linkedList

Every **node** will have a data and a next by default we are keeping the next none.

```
In [1]: 1  ## Node will contain two things data and the next reference
        2  class Node:
        3      def __init__(self,data):
        4          self.data = data
        5          self.next = None
```

```
In [2]: 1  a = Node(12)
        2  b = Node(13)
        3
        4  a.next = b
        5  print(a.data)
        6  print(b.data)
        7  print(a.next.data)
        8  print(a)
        9  print(a.next)
        10 print(b)

12
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<__main__.Node object at 0x000001DFF1D84280>
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<__main__.Node object at 0x000001DFF1D84220>
```

```
In [3]: 1  # if we try this
        2  print(b.next.data)
        3  ## b.next is None and None has no data
```

```
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AttributeError                                Traceback (most recent call last)
~\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_2700\125603010.py in <module>
      1 # if we try this
----> 2 print(b.next.data)
      3 ## b.next is None and None has no data

AttributeError: 'NoneType' object has no attribute 'data'
```

Making a Linked List with User Input

Approach 1 : Complexity $O(n^2)$

In this approach we are traversing in the complete Linked List each time

```
In [4]: 1 class Node:
2         def __init__(self,data):
3             self.data = data
4             self.next = None
5
6     def take_input():
7         inputList = list(map(int,input().split()))
8         head = None
9         for curr_data in inputList:
10             if curr_data == -1:
11                 break
12             newNode = Node(curr_data)
13
14             if head is None: # we keep the head constant, we don't change the head
15                 head = newNode
16             else:
17                 curr = head
18                 while curr.next is not None: # using curr to reach to the end of L
19                     curr = curr.next
20                 curr.next = newNode
21         return head
22
23 head = take_input()
```

1 2 3 4 5

Print Linked List

```
In [5]: 1 ## Print Function
2
3     def printLL(head):
4         while head is not None:
5             print(str(head.data) + "-->" , end = "")
6             head = head.next
7         print(None)
8         return
9
10    head = take_input()
11    printLL(head)
```

1 2 3 4 5

1-->2-->3-->4-->5-->None

Taking Input of Linked List (Optimised)

Approach 2 : Complexity $O(n)$

The only thing time taking the traversing in the Linked List again and again. We can avoid this by maintaing the tail of the linked List

```
In [6]: 1 def take_input():
2         inputList = list(map(int, input().split()))
3         head = None
4         for curr_data in inputList:
5             if curr_data == -1:
6                 break
7             newNode = Node(curr_data)
8             if head is None:
9                 head = newNode # assign head one time only
10                last = head # keep the reference of tail, which is head at this p
11            else:
12                last.next = newNode # connect new node to the tail.
13                last = newNode # update the tail
14        return head
15
16 head = take_input()
17 printLL(head)
```

```
1 2 3 4 5
1-->2-->3-->4-->5-->None
```

Print the length of LinkedList (Iterative)

Complexity $O(n)$

```
In [7]: 1 def lengthLL(head):
2         l = 0 # maintain a counter
3         while head is not None:
4             l += 1
5             head = head.next
6         return l
7
8
9 print(lengthLL(head))
```

```
5
```

Print the ith element of the Linked List

complexity $O(n)$

```

In [8]: 1 def printithLL(head, i):
        2     t = 0
        3     while head is not None and t < i:
        4         t += 1
        5         head = head.next
        6     print(head.data)
        7     return
        8
        9
       10
       11
       12 """
       13 def printithLL(head,i):
       14     t = 0
       15     while head is not None:
       16         if t == i:
       17             print(head.data)
       18             break
       19         else:
       20             t += 1
       21             head = head.next
       22     return
       23 """
       24 printithLL(head, 3)

```

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Insert data at ith position of LinkedList (Iteratively)

example: 1 --> 2 --> 3 --> 4 --> 5

head at 1.

Insert data = 10 at i = 2.

We need to point 2 to 10 and 10 to 3.

1 --> 2 --> 10 --> 3 --> 4 --> 5

we need to keep two pointers prev and curr

In [19]:

```
1 def insertatI(head, i, data):
2     if i < 0 or i > lengthLL(head):
3         return head
4
5     count = 0
6     prev = None
7     curr = head
8     while count < i:
9         prev = curr
10        curr = curr.next
11
12        count += 1
13    newNode = Node(data)
14    if prev is not None:
15        prev.next = newNode
16    else:
17        head = newNode
18    newNode.next = curr
19
20    return head
21
22 head = insertatI(head, 2, 10)
23 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->10-->10-->10-->3-->4-->None

Delete element at position i in Linked List (Iteratively)

we just need to do .next to .next.next

In [24]:

```
1 def deleteatI(head, i):
2     if i < 0 or i > lengthLL(head)-1:
3         return head
4     count = 0 # starting at 0
5     prev = None
6     curr = head
7     while count < i: # reach one before the desired position
8         prev = curr
9         curr = curr.next
10
11        count += 1
12    if prev is not None:
13        prev.next = curr.next
14    else:
15        head = head.next
16    return head
17
18 head = deleteatI(head, 2)
19 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->3-->4-->None

Length of Linked List (Recursively)

```
In [25]: 1 # find the length recursively
2
3 def lengthLLR(head):
4     c = 0
5     if head == None:
6         return 0
7     return 1+lengthLLR(head.next)
8
9 lengthLLR(head)
```

Out[25]: 4

Insert data into LinkedList at ith Position (Recursively)

```
In [29]: 1 def InsertR(head, i, data):
2     if i < 0:
3         return head
4
5     if i == 0:
6         newNode = Node(data)
7         newNode.next = head
8         return newNode
9
10    if head == None:
11        return None
12
13    smallhead = InsertR(head.next, i-1, data)
14    head.next = smallhead
15    return head
16
17 head = InsertR(head, 2,13)
18 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->13-->13-->3-->3-->4-->None

Delete Node of position i Recursively in LinkedList

```
In [34]: 1 def deleteR(head, i):
2     if i == 0:
3         return head.next
4     if head == None:
5         return None
6     head.next = deleteR(head.next, i-1)
7     return head
8
9 head = deleteR(head,3)
10 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->13-->3-->4-->None

Reverse a Linked List Recursively

Complexity is $O(n^2)$

We divide the linked list in two parts first the head itself and 2nd the rest of LL, head is already sorted (as it single element is always sorted) and we suppose that rest of LL is sorted by Recursion. We just need to connect the head to the smallhead(head of 2nd part of sorted LL)

In [36]:

```
1 def reverseLL(head):
2     ## Base Case
3     if head == None or head.next == None:
4         return head
5
6     smallHead = reverseLL(head.next)
7     curr = smallHead
8     while curr.next is not None:
9         curr = curr.next
10    curr.next = head
11    head.next = None
12
13    return smallHead
14
15 head = reverseLL(head)
16 printLL(head)
```

4-->3-->13-->2-->1-->None

Reverse the Linked List in O(n) complexity

In [37]:

```
1 def reverseLL2(head):
2     if head == None or head.next == None:
3         return head, head
4     smallhead, smalltail = reverseLL2(head.next) # we store the smallhead and
5     smalltail.next = head
6     head.next = None
7     return smallhead, head
8
9 head, tail = reverseLL2(head)
10 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->13-->3-->4-->None

Reverse Linked List without storing the tail of the Linked List

We dont need to store the small tail bcoz head.next = tail, i.e we already have the reference to tail

e.g. 1 => 2 => 3 => 4 => 5

two parts are 1 => None and 2 => 3 => 4 => 5

Before moving to 2 we 1 has reference of 2 and 2 is going to be tail in the reversed LL.

In [38]:

```
1 def reverseLL3(head):
2     if head == None or head.next == None:
3         return head
4     smallhead = reverseLL3(head.next)
5     tail = head.next
6     tail.next = head
7     head.next = None
8     return smallhead
9
10 head = reverseLL3(head)
11 printLL(head)
```

4-->3-->13-->2-->1-->None

Reverse Iterative

we need to point **current** to **previous** and maintain two things **prev** and **curr**

In [39]:

```
1 def reverseR1(head):
2     prev = None
3     curr = head
4     while curr is not None:
5         next = curr.next
6         curr.next = prev
7         prev = curr
8         curr = next
9     head = prev
10    return head
11
12 head = reverseR1(head)
13 printLL(head)
```

1-->2-->13-->3-->4-->None

Finding Mid Point of a Linked List (Iteratively)

In [40]:

```
1 def findMid(head):
2     l = lengthLL(head)
3     target = l // 2
4     while target -1:
5         head = head.next
6         target -=1
7     if l % 2 == 0:
8         print(head.data)
9     else:
10        print(head.next.data)
11
12 mid = findMid(head)
13 print(mid)
```

13
None

Find Mid Point of Linked List (in One Pass)

we initialize two pointers **slow** and **fast** at the head of the Linked List. **slow** will take one step while **fast** will take 2 steps. when fast will reach at the end of the LL slow will be at the mid of Linked List.

Odd case 1 => 2 => 3 => 4 => 5 => None

stop when fast.next == None

even case 1 => 2 => 3 => 4 => 5 => 6 => None

stop when fast.next.next == None

```
In [41]: 1 def findMid1(head):
2         slow = head
3         fast = head
4         while fast.next != None and fast.next.next != None:
5             slow = slow.next
6             fast = fast.next.next
7         return slow
8
9 mid = findMid1(head)
10 print(mid.data)
```

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Merge two Sorted Linked Lists

```
In [43]: 1 def mergeLL(h1, h2):
2         head = None
3
4         while h1 != None and h2 != None:
5             if h1.data < h2.data:
6                 if head == None:
7                     head = h1
8                     last = head
9                 else:
10                    last.next = h1
11                    last = h1
12                    h1 = h1.next
13            else:
14                if head == None:
15                    head = h2
16                    last = head
17                else:
18                    last.next = h2
19                    last = h2
20                    h2 = h2.next
21            if h1 != None:
22                last.next = h1
23            if h2 != None:
24                last.next = h2
25        return head
```

```
In [44]: 1 h1 = take_input()
2 h2 = take_input()
3 head = mergeLL(h1,h2)
4 printLL(head)
```

```
1 3 5 7
2 4 6 8
1-->2-->3-->4-->5-->6-->7-->8-->None
```

Merge Sort on Linked List

Steps:

1. Break the LL in two halves
2. Call Recursion on two halves
3. Merge the two halves h1 and h2

```
In [45]: 1 def merge_sort(head):
2         ## base case
3         if head.next is None:
4             return head
5         mp = findMid1(head)
6         h1 = head
7         h2 = mp.next
8         mp.next = None
9         merge_sort(h1)
10        merge_sort(h2)
11
12        mergeLL(h1,h2)
```

```
In [48]: 1 head = take_input()
2         merge_sort(head)
3         printLL(head)
```

```
1 3 5 7 2 4 6 8
1-->2-->3-->4-->5-->6-->7-->8-->None
```

Find a Node in LL (Recursively)

Given a LL & an integer n, find the index of first occurrence of n

```
In [19]: 1 def findNode(head,n):
2         if head is None:
3             return -1
4         if head.data == n:
5             return 0
6         if head.next is not None:
7             return 1 + findNode(head.next, n)
```

Even After Odd

In a given LL, arrange all the elements such that all the even numbers are placed after the odd numbers. Relative order should not change.

In [50]:

```
1 def oddEven(head):
2     oddH = None
3     oddT = None
4     evenH = None
5     evenT = None
6
7     while head is not None:
8         if head.data %2 != 0:
9             if oddH is None:
10                oddH = head
11                oddT = oddH
12            else:
13                oddT.next = head
14                oddT = head
15        else:
16            if evenH is None:
17                evenH = head
18                evenT = evenH
19            else:
20                evenT.next = head
21                evenT = head
22        head = head.next
23    if evenT is not None:
24        evenT.next = None
25    if oddT is not None:
26        oddT.next = None
27        oddT.next = evenH
28    return oddH
29 else:
30    return evenH
```

In [51]:

```
1 printLL(oddEven(head))
```

1-->3-->5-->7-->2-->4-->6-->8-->None

Delete every N nodes

Delete every n nodes after every m nodes.

In [52]:

```
1 def deleteN(head,m,n):
2     curr = head
3     while curr:
4         for c1 in range(1,m):
5             if curr is None:
6                 break
7             curr = curr.next
8         if curr is None:
9             break
10        temp = curr.next
11        for c2 in range(1,n+1):
12            if temp is None:
13                break
14            temp = temp.next
15        curr.next = temp
16        curr = temp
17    return head
```

In [54]:

```
1 head = take_input()
2 deleteN(head, 2,3)
3 printLL(head)
```

```
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
1-->2-->6-->7-->11-->12-->None
```

Swap nodes at poistoin "i" and "j" of a LL

In [42]:

```
1  # given a Linked List head and two intergers i and j. swap the nodes of the Li
2  def swap(head, i, j):
3      p1 = head
4      p2 = head
5      if abs(i-j) == 1:
6          if i == 0 or j == 0:
7              c1 = head
8              c2 = head.next
9              c1.next = c2.next
10             c2.next = c1
11             return c2
12         else:
13             while i-1:
14                 p1 = p1.next
15                 i -= 1
16             c1 = p1.next
17             c2 = c1.next
18             p1.next = c2
19             c1.next = c2.next
20             c2.next = c1
21         return head
22     if i == 0 or j == 0:
23         c1 = head
24         print("c1")
25         printLL(c1)
26         p2 = head
27         while i>1 or j>1:
28             p2 = p2.next
29             i -= 1
30             j -= 1
31         print("p2")
32         printLL(p2)
33         t = head.next
34         print("t")
35         printLL(t)
36         c2 = p2.next
37         print("c2")
38         printLL(c2)
39         p2.next = c1
40         c1.next = c2.next
41         c2.next = t
42         return c2
43
44     else:
45
46         while i-1:
47             p1 = p1.next
48             i -= 1
49         c1 = p1.next
50         t = c1.next
51         print("p1")
52         printLL(p1)
53         print("c1")
54         printLL(c1)
55         while j-1:
56             p2 = p2.next
57             j -= 1
58         c2 = p2.next
59         print("p2")
60         printLL(p2)
61         print("c2")
62         printLL(c2)
63
```

```
64         p1.next = c2
65         p2.next = c1
66         c1.next = c2.next
67         c2.next = t
68         return head
69
70
```

In [12]:

```
1 head = makeLL()
2 # printLL(swap(head, 0, 1))
```

0=>1=>2=>3=>4=>5=>6=>7=>8=>9=>10=>11=>12=>13=>14=>None