

DATA STRUCTURES

THOERY ASSIGNMENT # 1

{ Task Management System }

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QUESTION :

Implement the code for the assignment in a single C++ file (linked_list_operations.cpp). Ensure the code is well-documented with comments explaining the logic and functionality of each function.

SOLUTION :

Task Management System using Linked List:

Overview:

This system manages tasks using a singly linked list. Each task has an ID, description, and priority. Tasks are inserted in order of priority, with higher priority tasks at the beginning.

Key Operations:

1. **Create Task:** Creates a new task node with the given ID, description, and priority.

- 2.**Insert Task:** Inserts the new task into the list based on its priority. Higher priority tasks go first.
- 3.**Remove Highest Priority Task:** Removes the task at the beginning of the list (highest priority).
- 4.**Remove Task by ID:** Finds and removes a specific task based on its ID.
- 5.**View Tasks:** Displays all tasks in the list.

Code Structure:

- **Task Structure:** Defines the properties of a task (ID, description, priority, and a pointer to the next task).
- **Functions:**
 - createTask: Creates a new task node.
 - insertTask: Inserts a task into the list based on priority.
 - removeHighestPriorityTask: Removes the first node (highest priority).
 - removeTaskById: Searches for and removes a task by ID.
 - viewTasks: Displays all tasks in the list.
- **Main Function:** Handles user input and calls the appropriate functions.

Example Usage:

- 1.User adds a task with a high priority.
- 2.User adds another task with a lower priority.
- 3.System displays all tasks, showing the higher priority task first.
- 4.User removes the highest priority task.
- 5.System displays the remaining task.

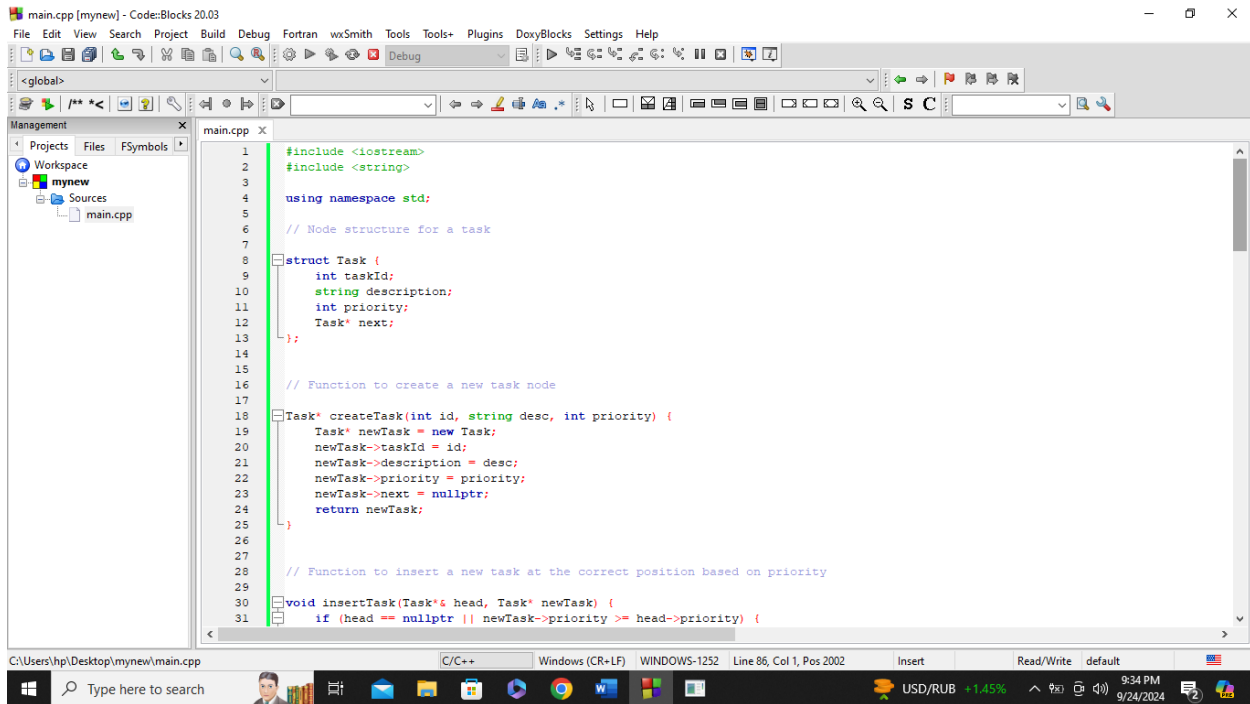
Benefits of Linked Lists:

- Efficient insertion and deletion at any position.

- Dynamic size.
- No need to know the size in advance.

SCREENSHOTS:

CODE;



```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <string>
3
4  using namespace std;
5
6  // Node structure for a task
7
8  struct Task {
9      int taskId;
10     string description;
11     int priority;
12     Task* next;
13 };
14
15 // Function to create a new task node
16
17 Task* createTask(int id, string desc, int priority) {
18     Task* newTask = new Task;
19     newTask->taskId = id;
20     newTask->description = desc;
21     newTask->priority = priority;
22     newTask->next = nullptr;
23     return newTask;
24 }
25
26 // Function to insert a new task at the correct position based on priority
27
28 void insertTask(Task*& head, Task* newTask) {
29     if (head == nullptr || newTask->priority >= head->priority) {
```

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23 newTask->next = nullptr;
24 return newTask;
25 }
26
27
28
29
30 // Function to insert a new task at the correct position based on priority
31 void insertTask(Task*& head, Task* newTask) {
32     if (head == nullptr || newTask->priority >= head->priority) {
33         newTask->next = head;
34         head = newTask;
35     } else {
36         Task* current = head;
37         while (current->next != nullptr && current->next->priority > newTask->priority) {
38             current = current->next;
39         }
40         newTask->next = current->next;
41         current->next = newTask;
42     }
43 }
44
45 // Function to remove the task with the highest priority
46
47 void removeHighestPriorityTask(Task*& head) {
48     if (head == nullptr) {
49         cout << "List is empty." << endl;
50         return;
51     }
52     Task* temp = head;
53     head = head->next;
```

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42 }
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44 // Function to remove the task with the highest priority
45
46 void removeHighestPriorityTask(Task*& head) {
47     if (head == nullptr) {
48         cout << "List is empty." << endl;
49         return;
50     }
51     Task* temp = head;
52     head = head->next;
53     delete temp;
54 }
55
56 // Function to remove a task by its ID
57
58 void removeTaskById(Task*& head, int taskId) {
59     if (head == nullptr) {
60         cout << "List is empty." << endl;
61         return;
62     }
63     if (head->taskId == taskId) {
64         Task* temp = head;
65         head = head->next;
66         delete temp;
67         return;
68     }
69     Task* current = head;
```

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63     return;
64 }
65 if (head->taskId == taskId) {
66     Task* temp = head;
67     head = head->next;
68     delete temp;
69     return;
70 }
71 Task* current = head;
72 while (current->next != nullptr && current->next->taskId != taskId) {
73     current = current->next;
74 }
75 if (current->next != nullptr) {
76     Task* temp = current->next;
77     current->next = temp->next;
78     delete temp;
79 } else {
80     cout << "Task with ID " << taskId << " not found." << endl;
81 }
82 }
83
84 // Function to view all tasks
85
86 void viewTasks(Task* head) {
87     if (head == nullptr) {
88         cout << "List is empty." << endl;
89         return;
90     }
91     Task* current = head;
92     while (current != nullptr) {
```

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81     }
82 }
83
84 // Function to view all tasks
85
86 void viewTasks(Task* head) {
87     if (head == nullptr) {
88         cout << "List is empty." << endl;
89         return;
90     }
91     Task* current = head;
92     while (current != nullptr) {
93         cout << "Task ID: " << current->taskId << endl;
94         cout << "Description: " << current->description << endl;
95         cout << "Priority: " << current->priority << endl;
96         cout << endl;
97         current = current->next;
98     }
99 }
100
101
102 int main() {
103     Task* head = nullptr;
104     int choice;
105
106     while (true) {
107         cout << "1. Add a new task" << endl;
108         cout << "2. View all tasks" << endl;
109         cout << "3. Remove the highest priority task" << endl;
110         cout << "4. Remove a task by ID" << endl;
111         cout << "5. Exit" << endl;
```

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101
102 int main() {
103     Task* head = nullptr;
104     int choice;
105
106     while (true) {
107         cout << "1. Add a new task" << endl;
108         cout << "2. View all tasks" << endl;
109         cout << "3. Remove the highest priority task" << endl;
110         cout << "4. Remove a task by ID" << endl;
111         cout << "5. Exit" << endl;
112         cout << "Enter your choice: ";
113         cin >> choice;
114
115         switch (choice) {
116             case 1: {
117                 int id, priority;
118                 string description;
119                 cout << "Enter task ID: ";
120                 cin >> id;
121                 cout << "Enter description: ";
122                 cin.ignore();
123                 getline(cin, description);
124                 cout << "Enter priority: ";
125                 cin >> priority;
126                 Task* newTask = createTask(id, description, priority);
127                 insertTask(head, newTask);
128                 break;
129             }
130             case 2:
131                 viewTasks(head);
```

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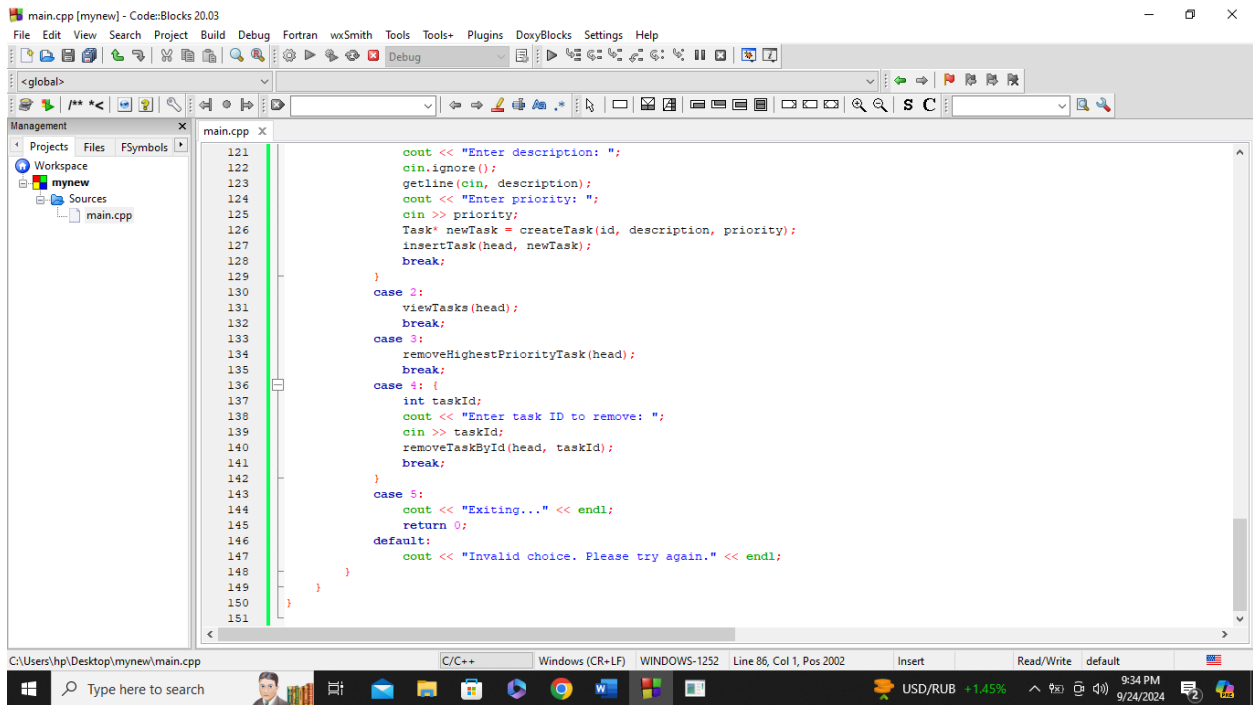
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115
116     switch (choice) {
117         case 1: {
118             int id, priority;
119             string description;
120             cout << "Enter task ID: ";
121             cin >> id;
122             cout << "Enter description: ";
123             cin.ignore();
124             getline(cin, description);
125             cout << "Enter priority: ";
126             cin >> priority;
127             Task* newTask = createTask(id, description, priority);
128             insertTask(head, newTask);
129             break;
130         }
131         case 2:
132             viewTasks(head);
133             break;
134         case 3:
135             removeHighestPriorityTask(head);
136             break;
137         case 4: {
138             int taskId;
139             cout << "Enter task ID to remove: ";
140             cin >> taskId;
141             removeTaskById(head, taskId);
142             break;
143         }
144         case 5:
145             cout << "Exiting..." << endl;
146             return 0;
```

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OUTPUT;

```
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1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 1
Enter task ID: 111
Enter description: 2222
Enter priority: 1
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 2
Task ID: 111
Description: 2222
Priority: 1
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
List is empty.
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 4
Enter task ID to remove: 3
List is empty.
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 5
Exiting...
```

```
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3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 3
List is empty.
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 4
Enter task ID to remove: 3
List is empty.
1. Add a new task
2. View all tasks
3. Remove the highest priority task
4. Remove a task by ID
5. Exit
Enter your choice: 5
Exiting...

Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 58.259 s
Press any key to continue.
```


Conclusion:

This task management system effectively utilizes a singly linked list to store and manipulate tasks. The system allows users to add, view, and remove tasks based on their priority, providing a flexible and efficient solution for organizing and managing tasks.

