

Assignment 3

1. Swap two adjacent elements by adjusting only the links (and not the data) using
 - a. Singly linked list
 - b. Doubly linked list

For singly linked lists:

```
// beforeP is the cell before the two adjacent cells that are to be
swapped.
// Error checks are omitted for clarity.

public static void swapWithNext( Node beforep )
{
    Node p, afterp;

    p = beforep.next;
    afterp = p.next;    // Both p and afterp assumed not null.

    p.next = afterp.next;
    beforep.next = afterp;
    afterp.next = p;
}
```

(b) For doubly linked lists:

```
// p and afterp are cells to be switched.  Error checks as before.

public static void swapWithNext( Node p )
{
    Node beforep, afterp;

    beforep = p.prev;
    afterp = p.next;

    p.next = afterp.next;
    beforep.next = afterp;
    afterp.next = p;
    p.next.prev = p;
    p.prev = afterp;
    afterp.prev = beforep;
}
```

2. Implement the contains routine for MyLinkedList

```
public boolean contains( AnyType x )
{
    Node<AnyType> p = beginMarker.next;
    while( p != endMarker && !(p.data.equals(x) ) )
    {
        p = p.next;
    }

    return (p != endMarker);
}
```

3. What is the running time of the following code?

```
public static List<Integer> makeList( int N)
{
    ArrayList<Integer> lst = new ArrayList<>();
    for( inti =0; i < N; i++)
    {
        lst.add(i);
        lst.trimToSize();
    }
}
```

$O(N^2)$. The trim method reduces the size of the array, requiring each add to resize it. The resize takes $O(N)$ time, and there are $O(N)$ calls.

4. The following routine removes the first half of the list passed as a parameter:

```
public static void removeFirstHalf(List<?> lst)
{
    int theSize = lst.size() /2
    for( inti =0; i < theSize; i++ )
        lst.remove(0);
}
```

- a. Why is theSize saved prior to entering the for loop?
- b. What is the running time of removeFirstHalf if lst is an ArrayList?
- c. What is the running time of removeFirstHalf if lst is a LinkedList?
- d. Does using an iterator make removeFirstHalf faster for either type of List

(a) Because the remove call changes the size, which would affect the loop.

(b) $O(N^2)$. Each remove from the beginning requires moving all elements forward, which takes $O(N)$ time.

(c) $O(N)$. Each remove can be done in $O(1)$ time.

(d) No. Since it is always the first element being removed, finding the position does not take time, thus an iterator would not help.