2020-07-18 - Handout - Linked Lists

Q1. Reverse Linked List ii

Link: https://leetcode.com/problems/reverse-linked-list-ii/

Reverse a linked list from position m to n. Do it in one-pass.

Note: $1 \le m \le n \le length of list.$

Example:

Input: 1->2->3->4->5->NULL, m = 2, n = 4

Output: 1->4->3->2->5->NULL

Q2. Reorder List

Link: https://leetcode.com/problems/reorder-list/

Given a singly linked list L: $L_0 \rightarrow L_1 \rightarrow ... \rightarrow L_{n-1} \rightarrow L_n$,

reorder it to: $L_0 \rightarrow L_n \rightarrow L_1 \rightarrow L_{n-1} \rightarrow L_2 \rightarrow L_{n-2} \rightarrow ...$

You may not modify the values in the list's nodes, only nodes itself may be changed.

Example 1:

Given 1->2->3->4, reorder it to 1->4->2->3.

Example 2:

Given 1->2->3->4->5, reorder it to 1->5->2->4->3.

Q3. Linked List Cycle ii

Link: https://leetcode.com/problems/linked-list-cycle-ii/

Given a linked list, return the node where the cycle begins. If there is no cycle, return null.

To represent a cycle in the given linked list, we use an integer pos which represents the position (0-indexed) in the linked list where tail connects to. If pos is -1, then there is no cycle in the linked list.

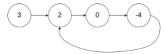
Note: Do not modify the linked list.

Example 1:

Input: head = [3,2,0,-4], pos = 1

Output: tail connects to node index 1

Explanation: There is a cycle in the linked list, where tail connects to the second node.

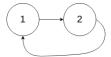


Example 2:

Input: head = [1,2], pos = 0

Output: tail connects to node index 0

Explanation: There is a cycle in the linked list, where tail connects to the first node.



Example 3:

Input: head = [1], pos = -1

Output: no cycle

Explanation: There is no cycle in the linked list.

1