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You need to traverse a singly-linked list in reverse. What's the best worst-case performance you can achieve?

- a. $O(1)$
- b. $O(\log N)$
- *c. $O(N)$
- d. $O(N \log N)$
- e. $O(N^2)$
- f. "
- g. "
- h. "
- i. "
- j. "

General Feedback:

Iterate through the list in the forward direction, but prepend each node on a second list as you do. Then iterate through the second list, which will be in the desired reverse order and traversable in $O(N)$ time.

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Which data structure can be used to implement an abstract datatype such as the StackADT or QueueADT?

- a. an array
- b. a linked list
- *c. both
- d. neither
- e. "
- f. "
- g. "
- h. "
- i. "

General Feedback:

StackADT and QueueADT can both be implemented with either an array or a stack. Either may be the better choice, depending on the purpose of the program and the nature of the data being stored.

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Which data structure uses space more efficiently if the program is storing substantially less data than expected?

- a. An array

- *b. A linked list
- c. They are both the same
- d.
- e.
- f. "
- g. "
- h. "

General Feedback:

For an array, you must set aside a block of memory in advance. A linked list only creates nodes for those elements that are actually contained in the list.