

Exercises 9.4

For Exercises 1-11, assume that the following declarations have been made:

```
vector<int> number,  
           v(10,20),  
           w(10);  
int num;
```

Assume also that, for exercises that involve input, the following values are entered:

99 33 44 88 22 11 55 66 77 -1

Describe the contents of the given vector after the statements are executed.

```
3.      for (;;) {  
          cin >> num;  
          if (num < 0) break;  
          number.push_back(num);  
      }
```

Solution:

```
number[0] = 99;  
number[1] = 33;  
number[2] = 44;  
number[3] = 88;  
number[4] = 22;  
number[5] = 11;  
number[6] = 55;  
number[7] = 66;  
number[8] = 77;
```

For Exercises 5-11, assume that the loop in Exercise 3 has been executed.

```
10.      vector<int>::iterator iter = number.begin();
        while (*iter > 25) {
            number.erase(iter);
            iter++;
        }
```

Solution:

```
number[0] = 22;
number[1] = 11;
number[2] = 55;
number[3] = 66;
number[4] = 77;
```

```
11.      for (vector<int>::iterator iter = number.begin();
              iter != number.end();
              iter++)
          w.push_back(*iter+1);
```

Solution:

```
w[0] = 0;
w[1] = 0;
w[2] = 0;
w[3] = 0;
w[4] = 0;
w[5] = 0;
w[6] = 0;
w[7] = 0;
w[8] = 0;
w[9] = 0;
w[10] = 100;
w[11] = 34;
w[12] = 45;
w[13] = 89;
w[14] = 23;
w[15] = 12;
w[16] = 56;
w[17] = 67;
w[18] = 78;
```

Exercises 11.1

2. Write an algorithm or code segment for searching a circular linked list for a given item.

Solution:

```
template <class T>
Node * List<T>::search(T item) {
    if (_first==0) {
        return 0;
    }

    if (_first->data==item) {
        return _first;
    }

    Node * ptr = _first->next;

    while (ptr != _first) {
        if (ptr->data == item) {
            return ptr;
        } else {
            ptr = ptr->next;
        }
    }

    return NULL;
}
```

3. Proceed as in Exercise 2, but assume that the list is ordered so that the elements are in ascending order.

Solution:

```
template <class T>
Node * List<T>::search(T item) {
    if (_first==0) {
        return 0;
    }

    if (_first->data==item) {
        return _first;
    }

    Node * ptr = _first->next;

    while (ptr != _first && ptr->data <= item) {
        if (ptr->data == item) {
            return ptr;
        } else {
            ptr = ptr->next;
        }
    }

    return NULL;
}
```

4. Write an algorithm or code segment for locating the n th successor of an item in a circular linked list (the n th item that follows the given item in the list).

Solution:

```
template <class T>
Node * List<T>::getSuccessor(T item) {
    Node * itemLocation = search(item);

    if (_first==0 || itemLocation == 0) {
        return NULL;
    }

    if (itemLocation->next != _first) {
        return itemLocation->next;
    } else {
        return NULL;
    }
}
```

6. The *shuffle-merge* operation on two lists was defined in Exercise 9 of Section 6.4. Write an algorithm to shuffle-merge two circular-linked lists. The items in the lists are to be copied to produce the new circular-linked lists; the original lists are not to be destroyed.

Solution: Assume that the linked lists have head nodes. If there are no head nodes, then you can supply temporary ones.

```
template <class T>
Node * List<T>::shuffleMerge(Node * list1, Node * list2) {
    // keep track of the head node of each circular linked list
    Node * head1 = list1;
    Node * head2 = list2;

    // to walk over each linked list
    Node * ptr1 = list1->next;
    Node * ptr2 = list2->next;

    // for the new list
    Node * newListHead = new Node();
    Node * newListPtr = newListHead;

    while (ptr1!=head1 && ptr2!=head2) {
        // create a new node for the current list1 node
        Node * newNode1 = new Node(ptr1->data);
        // add the new node to the merged list
        newListPtr->next = newNode1;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
        // advance ptr1
        ptr1=ptr1->next;

        // create a new node for the current list2 node
        Node * newNode2 = new Node(ptr2->data);
        // add the new node to the merged list
        newListPtr->next = newNode2;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
        // advance ptr2
        ptr2 = ptr2->next;
    }

    while (ptr1!=head1) {
        // create a new node for the current list1 node
        Node * newNode1 = new Node(ptr1->data);
        // add the new node to the merged list
        newListPtr->next = newNode1;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
        // advance ptr1
        ptr1=ptr1->next;
    }
}
```

```
while (ptr2!=head2) {
    // create a new node for the current list2 node
    Node * newNode2 = new Node(ptr2->data);
    // add the new node to the merged list
    newListPtr->next = newNode2;
    newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
    // advance ptr2
    ptr2 = ptr2->next;
}

newListPtr->next = newListHead;

// free memory - code omitted for posted solutions

return newListHead;
}
```

7. Proceed as in Exercise 6, but do not copy the items. Just change links in the two lists (thus destroying the original lists) to produce the merged list.

Solution: Assume that the linked lists have head nodes. If there are no head nodes, then you can supply temporary ones.

```
template <class T>
Node * List<T>::shuffleMerge(Node * list1, Node * list2) {
    // keep track of the head node of each circular linked list
    Node * head1 = list1;
    Node * head2 = list2;

    // to walk over each linked list
    Node * ptr1 = list1->next;
    Node * ptr2 = list2->next;

    // check if either list is empty
    if (ptr1 == head1) {
        return head2;
    }
    if (ptr2 == head2) {
        return head1;
    }

    // for the new list
    Node * newListHead = new Node();
    Node * newListPtr = newListHead;

    // shuffle-merge the two lists
    while (ptr1!=head1 && ptr2!=head2) {
        // add the new node to the merged list
        newListPtr->next = ptr1;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
        // advance ptr1
        ptr1=ptr1->next;

        // add the new node to the merged list
        newListPtr->next = ptr2;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
        // advance ptr2
        ptr2 = ptr2->next;
    }

    if (ptr1!=head1) {
        newListPtr->next = ptr1;
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
    }

    while ((newListPtr->next != head1) || (newListPtr->next !=head2)) {
```



```
        newListPtr = newListPtr->next;
    }

    newListPtr->next = newListHead;

    // free memory - code omitted for posted solutions

    return newListHead;
}
```