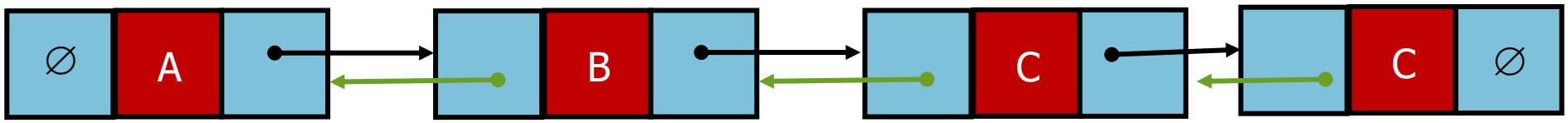
Doubly Linked Lists

Why ?

In singly link list the nodes contain only pointers to the successors; therefore, there is no immediate access to the predecessors

DL List NODE

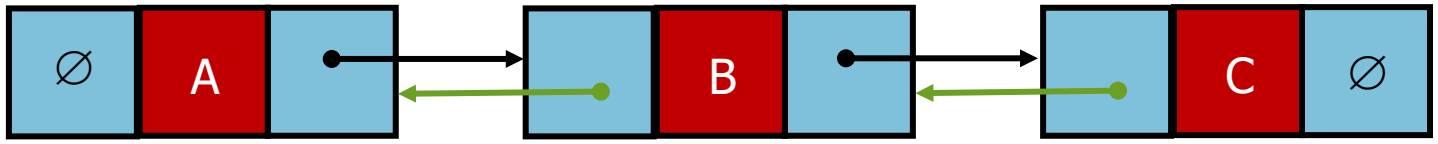


Each node points to not only successor but also to the predecessor

DL List NODE

```
template<class T>
struct DLList<T>::DLLNode {
public:
    DLLNode() {
        next = prev = 0;
    }
    DLLNode(const T & el, DLLNode *p = 0, DLLNode *n = 0) {
        info = el; prev = p; next = n;
    }

    T info;
    DLLNode *prev, *next;
};
```



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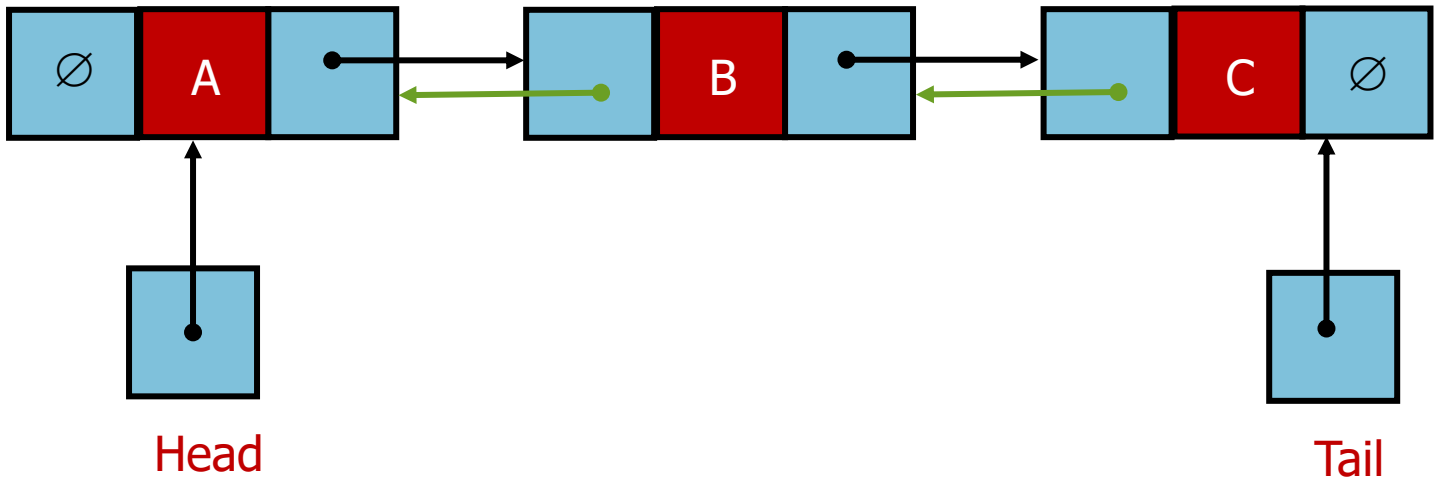
- **There are two `NULL`:**
  - At the first and
  - At the last node

- **Advantage:**
  - It is easy to visit a predecessor.
  - Convenient to traverse lists backwards

```
template<class T>
class DLList {
public:
    DLList() {head = tail = 0;}
    void addToDLLTail(const T&);
    T deleteFromDLLTail();
private:
    //forward-declaration
    struct DLLNode ;

    DLLNode *head, *tail;
};
```



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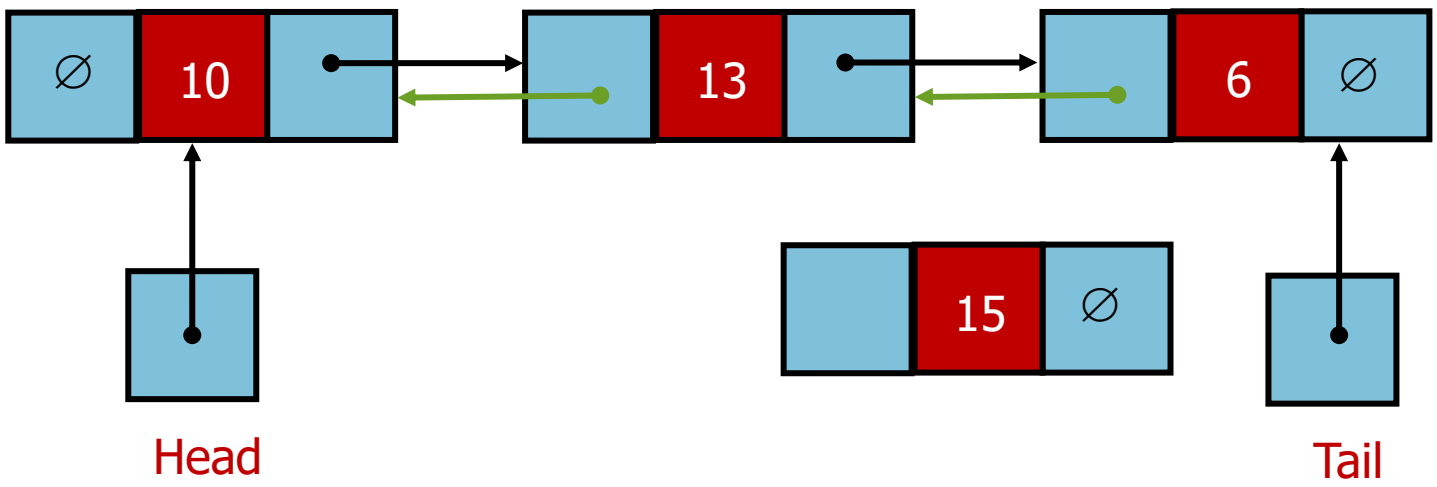

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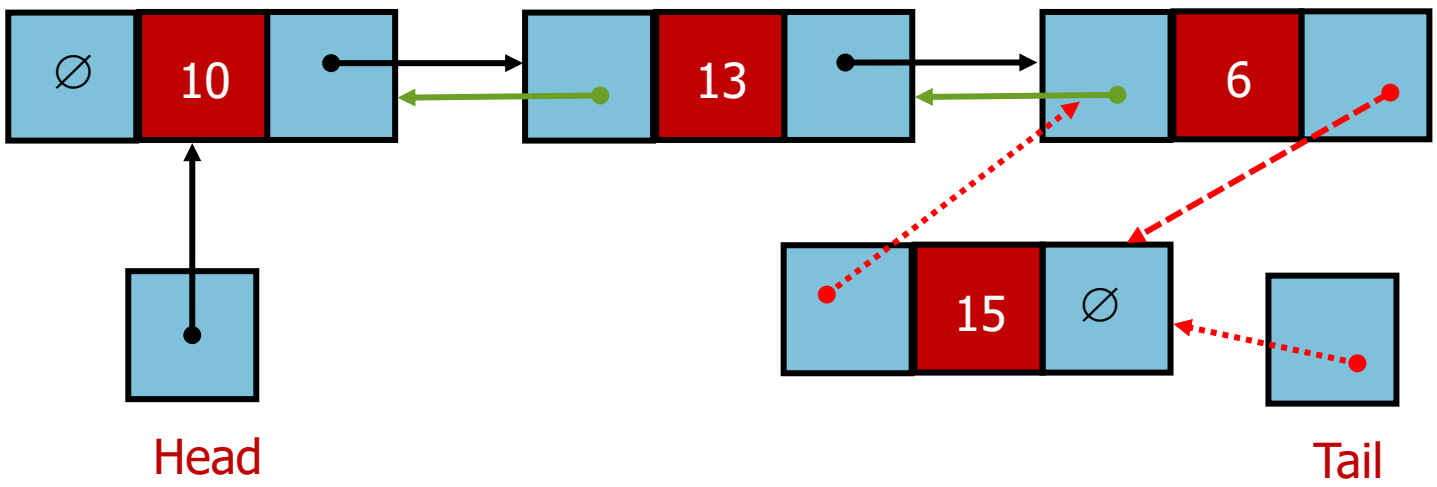

DL Lists addToDLLTail

```
template<class T>
void DLList<T>::addToDLLTail(const T& val) {
    if (tail != 0) {
        DLLNode * newnode = new DLLNode(val,tail, 0);        \\ set
        prev =tail, next=0
        tail->next = newnode;
        tail = newnode;
    }
    else
        head = tail = new DLLNode(val);
}
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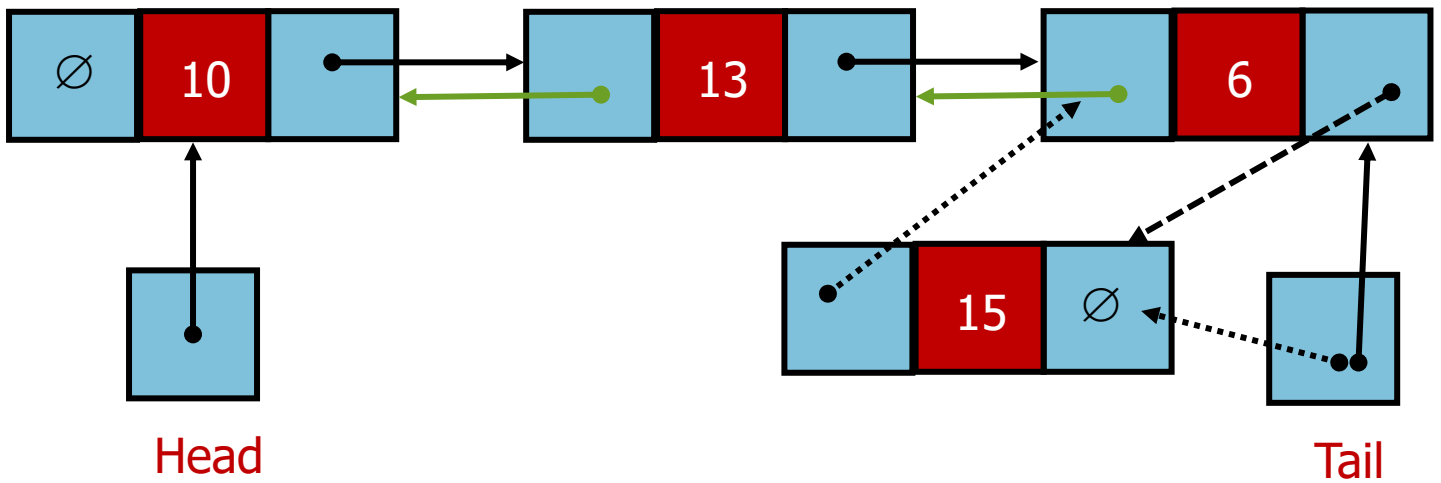

DL List deleteFromTail

```
template<class T>
void DLList<T>::deleteFromDLLTail() {
    if (head != NULL) {//not empty
        if (head == tail) { // if only one node in the list;
            delete head;
            head = tail = 0;
        }
        else { // if more than one node in the list;



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    }
}
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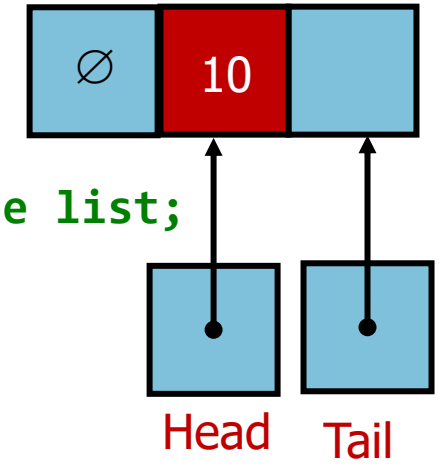

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        else { // if more than one node in the list;
            tail = tail->prev;
            delete tail->next;
            tail->next = 0;
        }
    }
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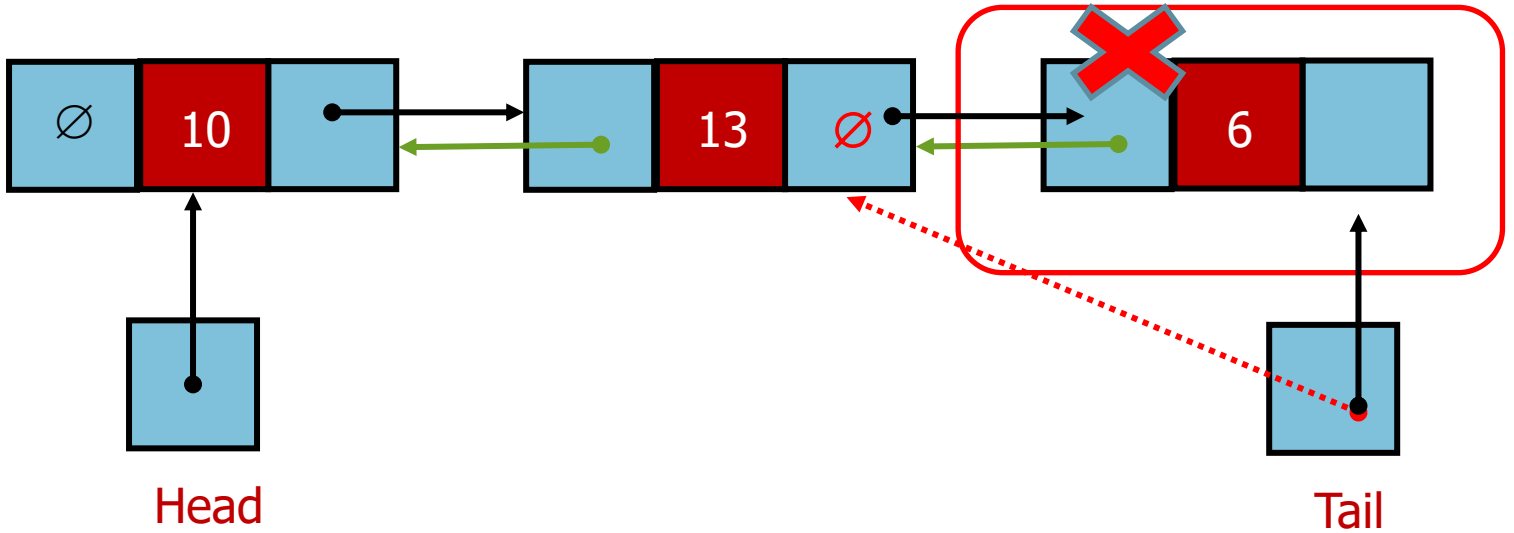

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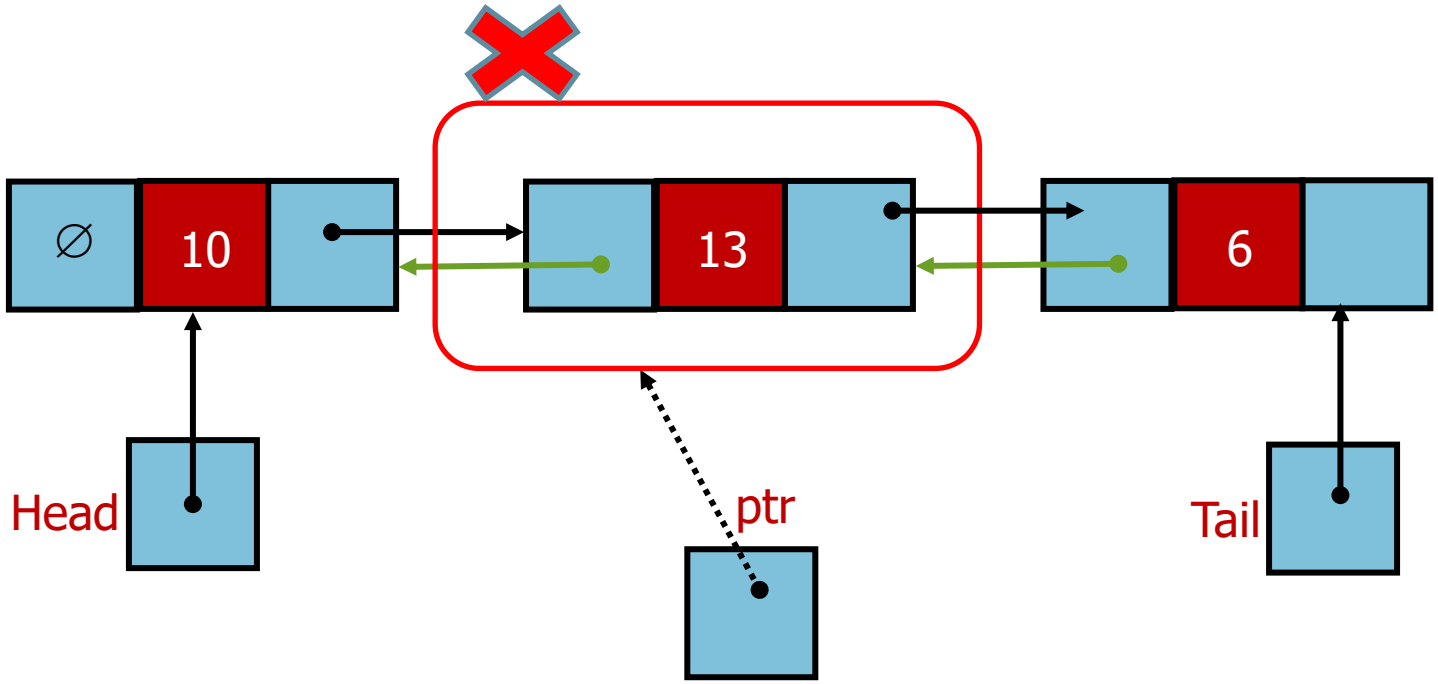

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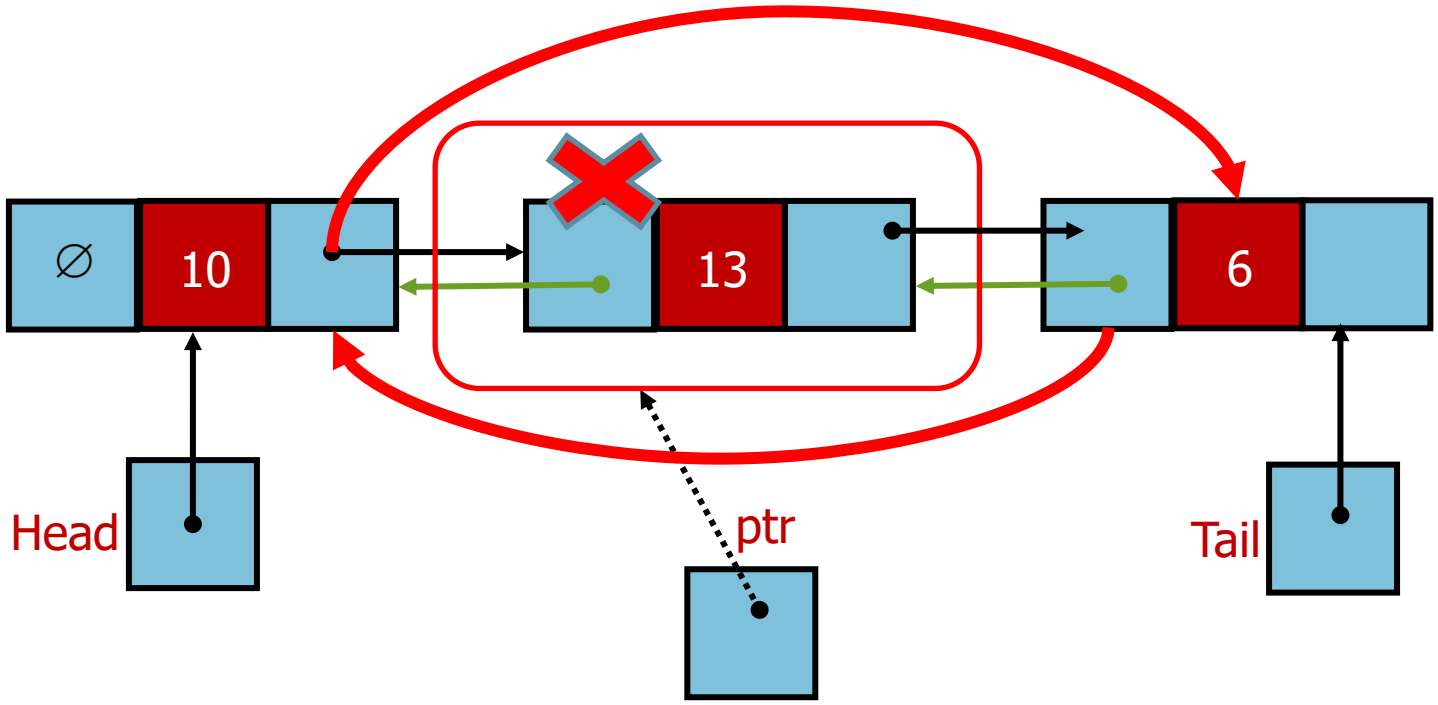


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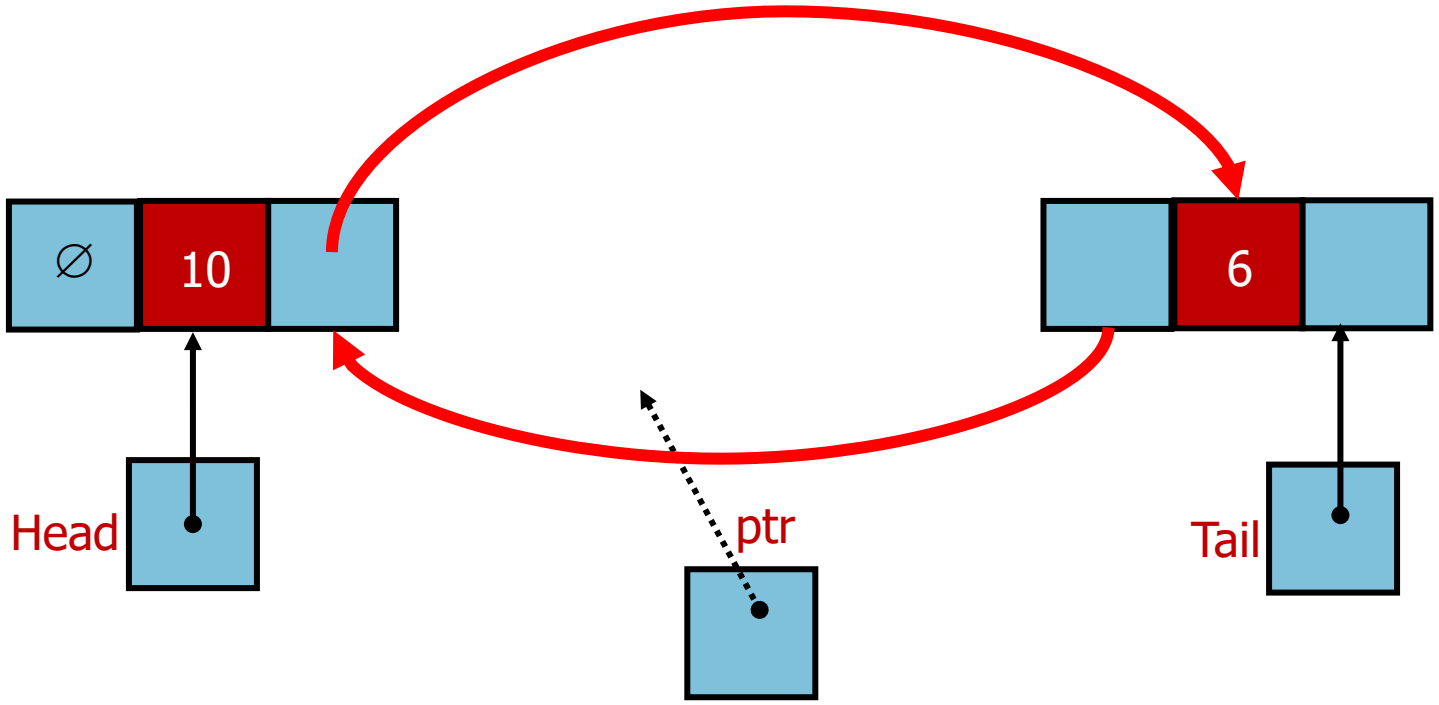


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DL List deleteNode

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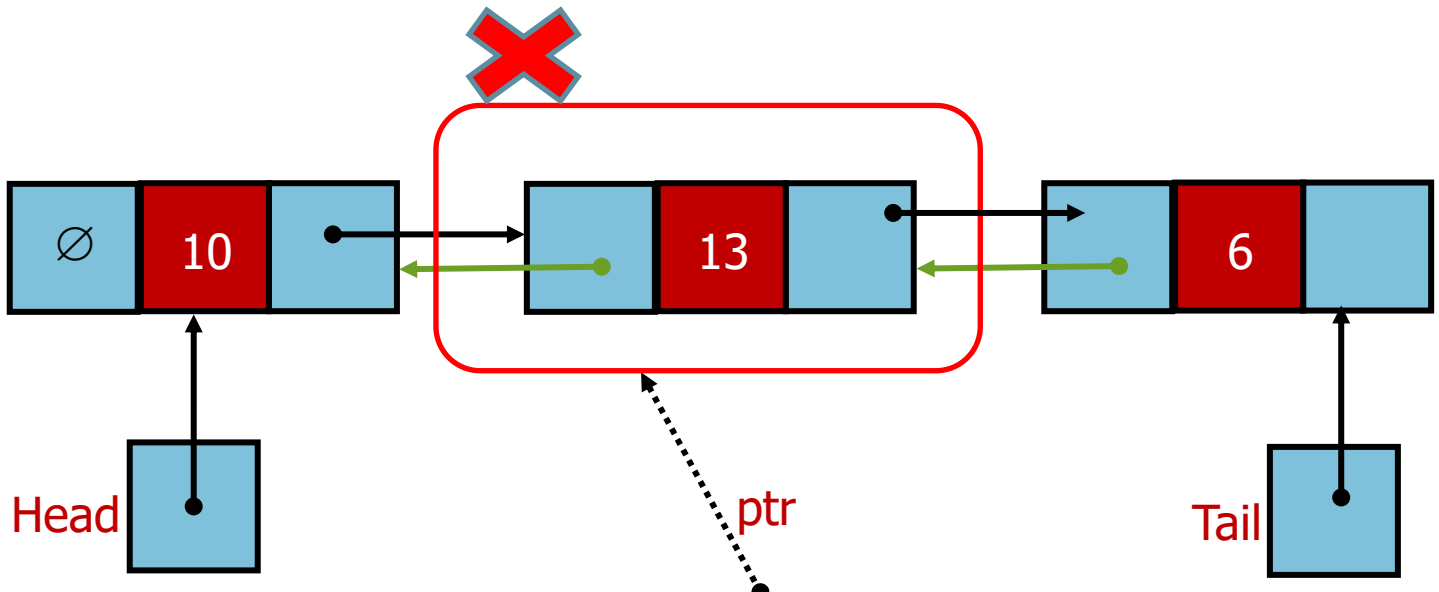
void DLList<T>::deleteNode(DLLNode * ptr) {
    if (head != NULL) {//not empty
        if (head == tail && head ==ptr){//if only one node in the list
            delete head;
            head = tail = 0;
        }
        else { // if more than one node in the list;



        }
    }
}
```



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template<class T>
void DLList<T>::deleteNode(DLLNode * ptr) {
    if (head != NULL && ptr != NULL) {//not empty
        if (head == tail && head ==ptr){//if only one node in the list and delete it
            delete head;
            head = tail = 0;
        }
        else { // if more than one node in the list;
            if(ptr->prev != NULL)
                ptr->prev->next = ptr->next; // not the first element
            else head = ptr->next; // the first element
            if(ptr->next != NULL)
                ptr->next->prev = ptr->prev; // not the last element
            else tail = ptr->prev; // the last element
            delete ptr;
        }
    }
}
```

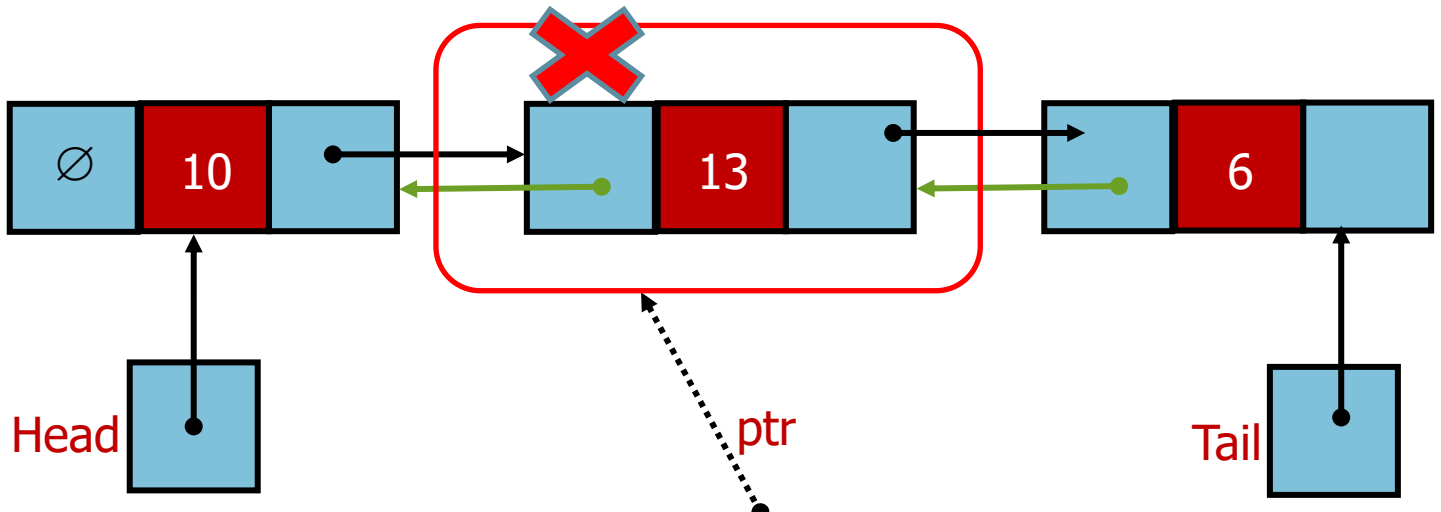

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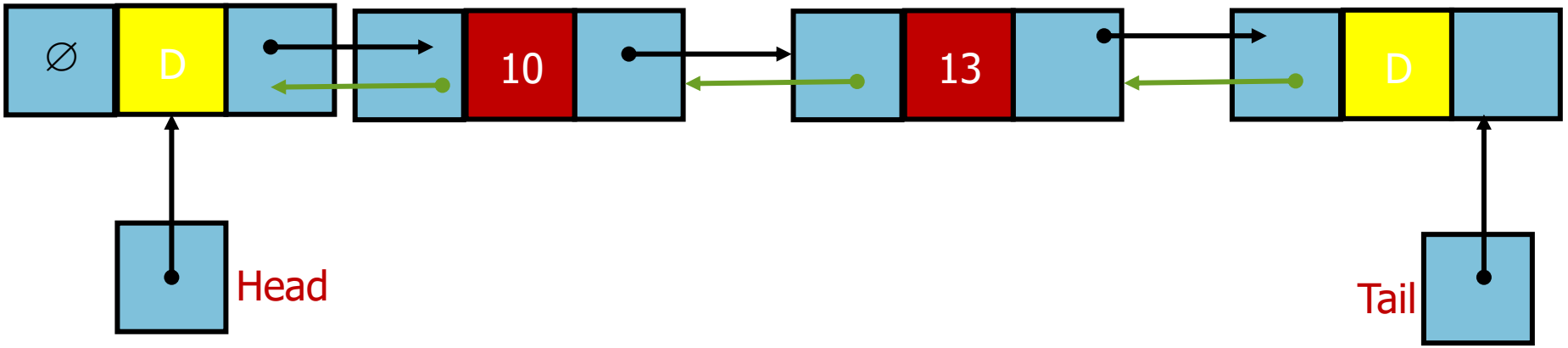
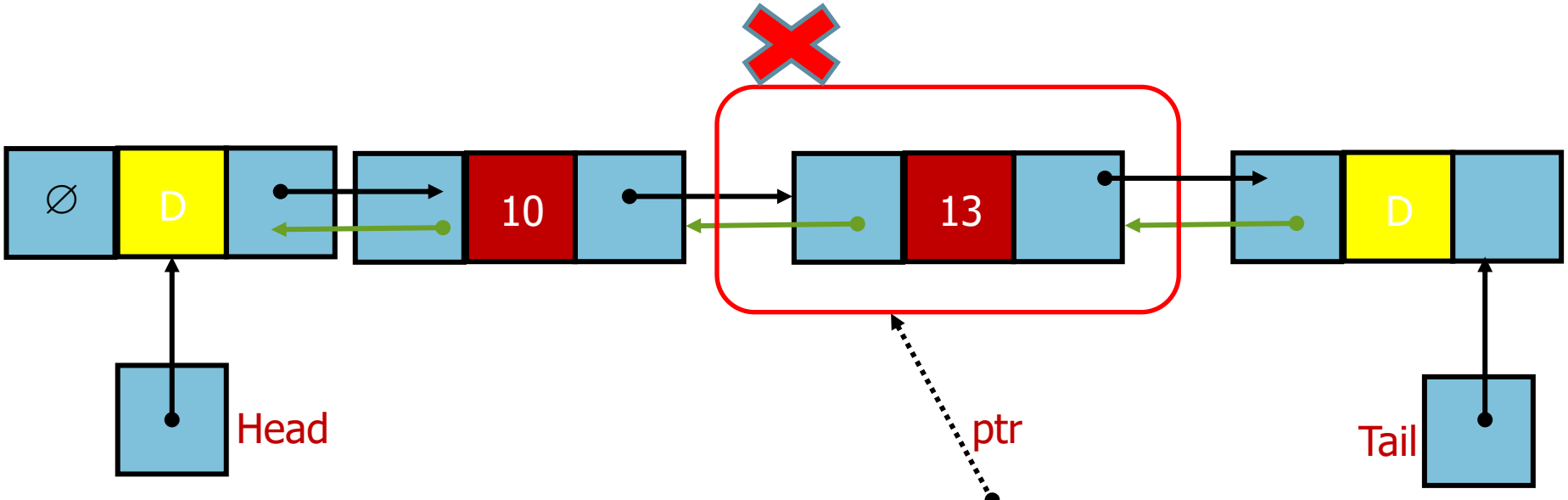


DLL deleteNode with Dummy

```
template<class T>
void DLList<T>::deleteNode(DLLNode * ptr) {
    if (ptr != NULL && !Empty()) {//not empty

        ptr->prev->next = ptr->next;
        ptr->next->prev = ptr->prev;
        delete ptr;

    }
}
```



To Do DL List

- Implement the following functions
  - Delete node with particular data value
  - Destructor
  - Reverse the SL List
  - Remove duplicates in the list
  - Sort the list
  - Merge two sorted lists
  - Remove the given element
  - Remove all occurrences of the given element

  - TO DO SL List
  - TO DO CL List

TO DO

- Create a singly linked list of objects
  - STUDENT
    - Roll-no
    - Name
    - Address
- What need to be changed in the class methods?
- Do you need copy constructor?
- You should avoid creating unnecessary copies of objects
  - Use const &
  - Or you can keep a pointer to an object if it is needed in multiple List
    - Student may be needed in courses, library and account lists

```
template<class type>
void List<type>::addToStart(const type & val) {
    head = new Node<type>(val, head);
    if (tail == 0)tail = head;
}
```

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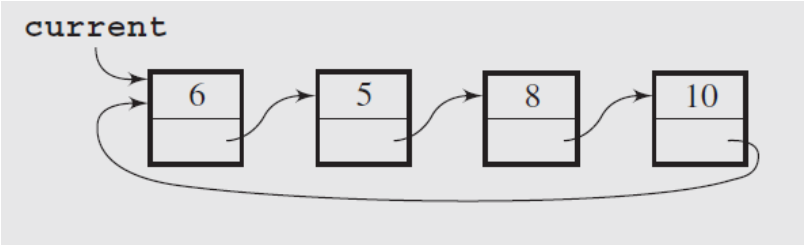
- In a *circular list* nodes form a ring:
  - the list is finite and
  - each node has a successor.



- Real World Example
  - when several processes are using the same resource for the same amount of time, and we have to ensure that each process has a fair share of the resource.
  - All processes are put on a circular list accessible through the pointer current.
  - After one node in the list is accessed and the process number is retrieved from the node to activate this process,
  - current moves to the next node so that the next process can be activated the next time.

SINGLY CL LIST

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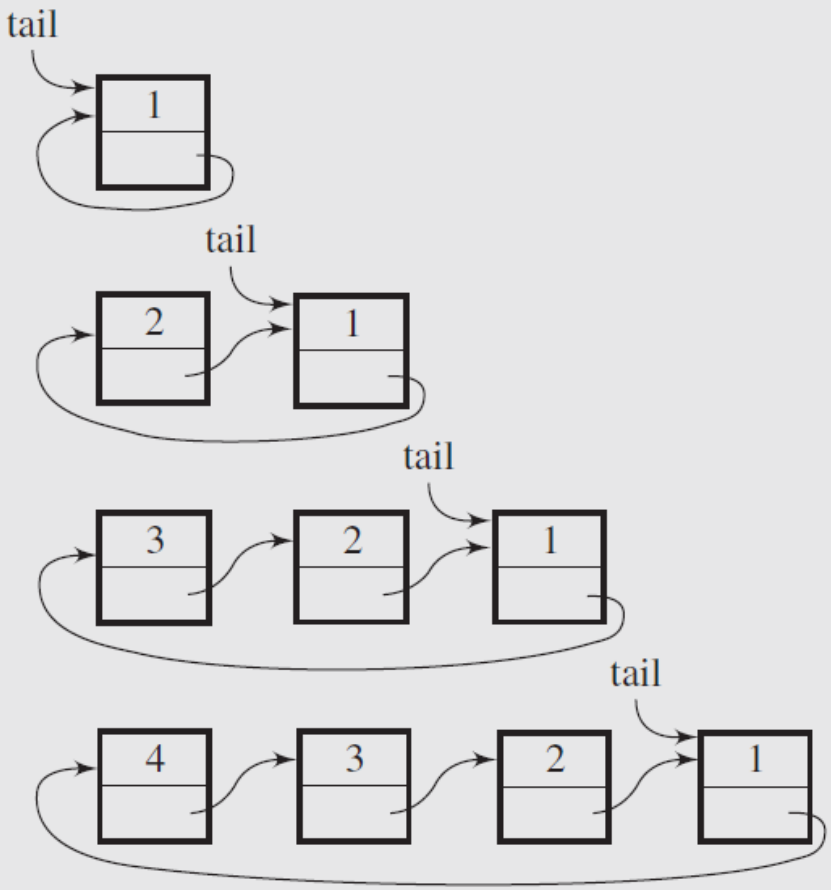

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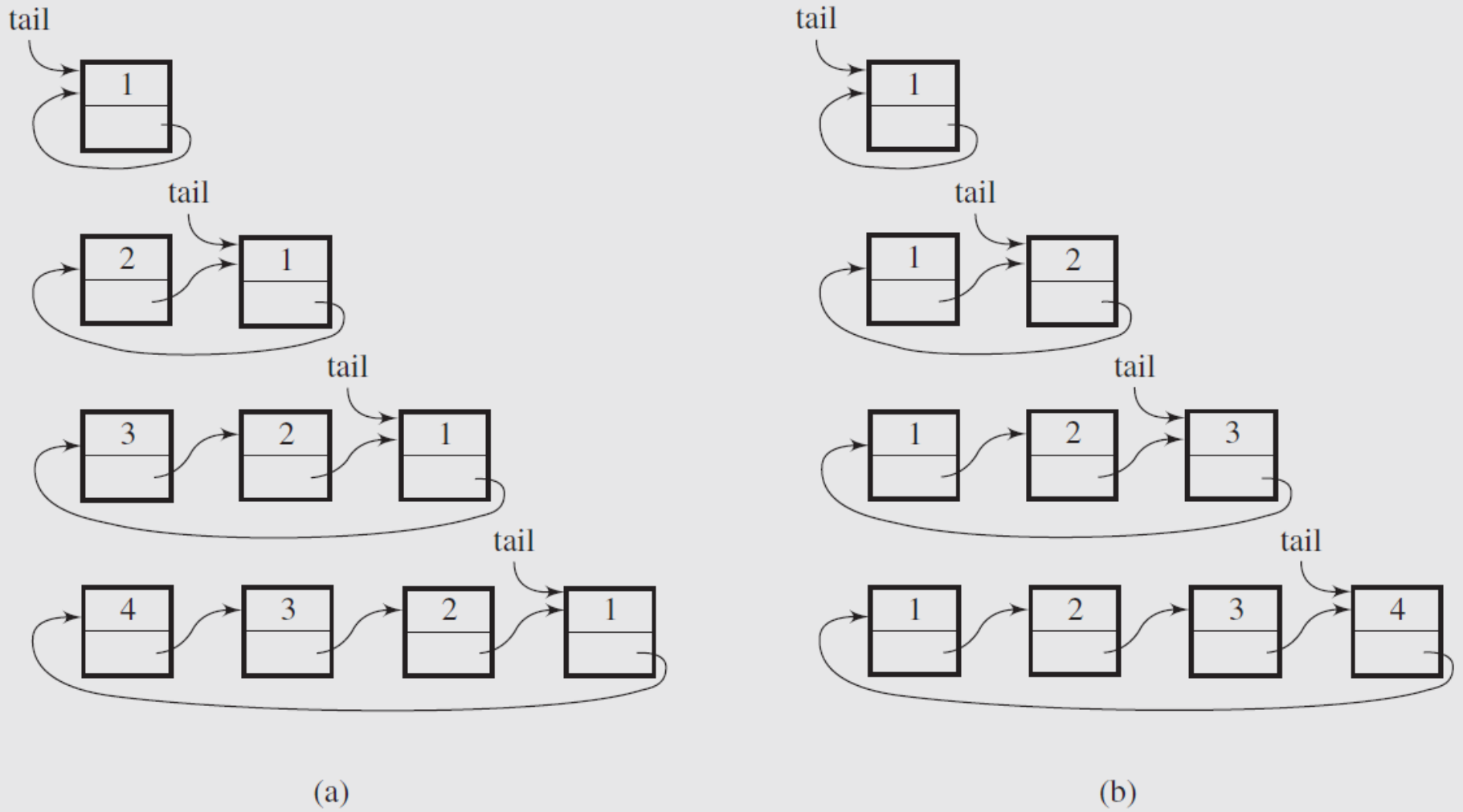
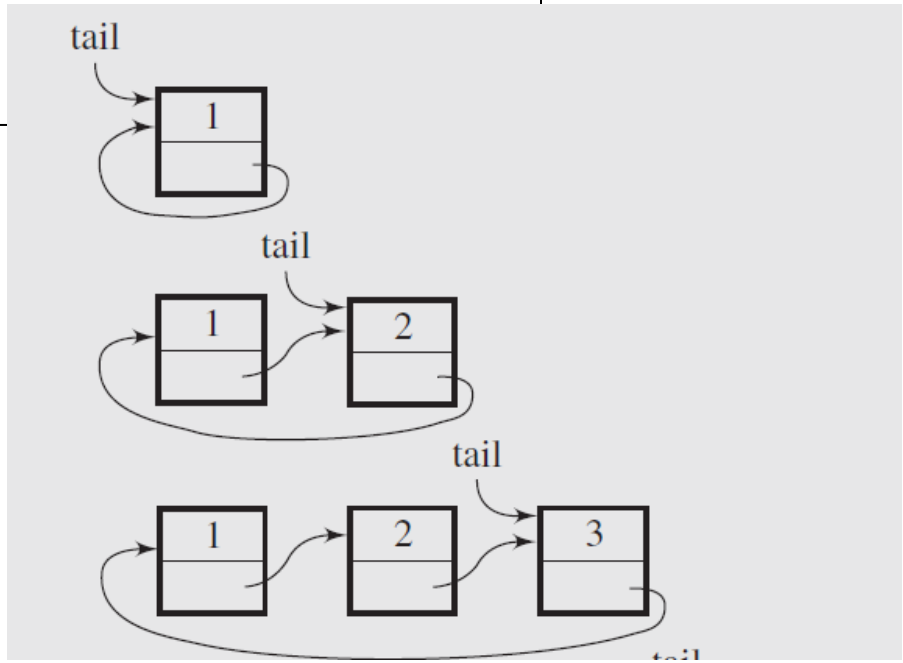


Insert at tail Singly CLList

```
void addToTail(int el) {
    if (isEmpty()) {
        tail = new Node(el);
        tail->next = tail;
    }
    else {
        tail->next = new Node(el, tail->next);
        tail = tail->next;
    }
}
```



Issues with Singly CLList

- ISSUE in Singly CL list
  - The deletion of the tail node requires a loop so that tail can be set to its predecessor after deleting the node.
    - delete the tail node in $O(n)$ time.
  - Processing data in the reverse order (printing, searching, etc.) is not very efficient.
- SOLUTION
  - Doubly linked circular list
    - The list forms two rings: one going forward through next members and one going backward through prev members
    - Deleting the node from the end of the list can be done easily because there is direct access to the next to last node
    - Insertion and deletion of the tail node can be done in $O(1)$ time.

TO DO CL List

- Implement circular linked list class with all necessary functions
  - Insert
  - Delete
  - Find
  - Print
  - isEmpty
  - Reverse

  - Previous TO DO SL List
  - Previous TO DO DL List