

Merging two sorted single linked lists

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#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>

struct node
{
    int info;
    struct node *link;
};

struct node *create(struct node *start);
struct node *insert_s(struct node *start,int data);
struct node *insert(struct node *start,int data);
void display(struct node *start );
void merge(struct node *p1,struct node *p2);
main()
{
    struct node *start1=NULL,*start2=NULL;
    start1=create(start1);
    start2=create(start2);

    printf("List1 : ");
    display(start1);
    printf("List2 : ");
    display(start2);
    merge(start1, start2);
}/*End of main()*/

void merge(struct node *p1,struct node *p2)
{
    struct node *start3;
    start3=NULL;

    while(p1!=NULL && p2!=NULL)
    {
        if(p1->info < p2->info)
        {
            start3=insert(start3,p1->info);
            p1=p1->link;
        }
    }
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    else if(p2->info < p1->info)
    {
        start3=insert(start3,p2->info);
        p2=p2->link;
    }
    else if(p1->info==p2->info)
    {
        start3=insert(start3,p1->info);
        p1=p1->link;
        p2=p2->link;
    }
}
/*If second list has finished and elements left in first list*/
while(p1!=NULL)
{
    start3=insert(start3,p1->info);
    p1=p1->link;
}
/*If first list has finished and elements left in second list*/
while(p2!=NULL)
{
    start3=insert(start3,p2->info);
    p2=p2->link;
}
printf("Merged list is : ");
display(start3);
}

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struct node *create(struct node *start )
{
    int i,n,data;
    printf("Enter the number of nodes : ");
    scanf("%d",&n);
    start=NULL;
    for(i=1;i<=n;i++)
    {
        printf("Enter the element to be inserted : ");
        scanf("%d",&data);
        start=insert_s(start, data);
    }
    return start;
}
/*End of create_slist()*/

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struct node *insert_s(struct node *start,int data)
{
    struct node *p,*tmp;
    tmp=(struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
    tmp->info=data;
    /*list empty or data to be added in beginning */
    if(start==NULL || data<start->info)
    {
        tmp->link=start;
        start=tmp;
        return start;
    }
    else
    {
        p=start;
        while(p->link!=NULL && p->link->info < data)
            p=p->link;
        tmp->link=p->link;
        p->link=tmp;
    }
    return start;
}/*End of insert_s()*/

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struct node *insert(struct node *start,int data)
{
    struct node *p,*tmp;
    tmp=(struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
    tmp->info=data;
    /*If list is empty*/
    if(start==NULL)
    {
        tmp->link=start;
        start=tmp;
        return start;
    }
    else /*Insert at the end of the list*/
    {
        p=start;
        while(p->link!=NULL)
            p=p->link;
        tmp->link=p->link;
    }
}

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        p->link=tmp;
    }
    return start;
}/*End of insert()*/

void display(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *p;
    if(start==NULL)
    {
        printf("List is empty\n");
        return;
    }
    p=start;
    while(p!=NULL)
    {
        printf("%d ",p->info);
        p=p->link;
    }
    printf("\n");
}/*End of display()*/
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