Laboratory Activity # 3	
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6. Output

Screenshot

Discussion

The provided code snippet demonstrates the creation of a linked list in C++ using a Node class. The code begins by declaring seven node pointers, followed by dynamically allocating memory for each node using the new keyword. The node data and next pointers are then initialized, with the data field assigned a character value and the next pointer set to point to the next node in the list. Finally, the next pointer of the last node is set to nullptr, indicating the end of the linked list. This code snippet provides a basic example of creating a linked list in C++, but could be improved through the use of more efficient memory allocation and error checking, as well as additional comments and descriptive variable names to enhance readability.

Table 3-1. Output of Initial/Simple Implementation

```
Insertion at any part of the list
                                                         void InsertAtAnyPart(Node *&head, char data, int
                                                              position) {
                                                             Node *newNode = new Node;
                                                             newNode->data = data;
                                                              if (position == 1) {
                                                                  newNode->next = head;
                                                                  head = newNode;
                                                                  return;
                                                              }
                                                             Node *temp = head;
                                                              for (int i = 1; i < position - 1 && temp !=
                                                                  nullptr; i++) {
                                                                  temp = temp->next;
                                                              if (temp == nullptr) {
                                                                  cout << "Position out of range" << endl;</pre>
                                                                  return;
                                                             newNode->next = temp->next;
                                                              temp->next = newNode;
Insertion at the end
                                                          void InsertAtEnd(Node *&head, char data) {
                                                              Node *newNode = new Node;
                                                              newNode->data = data;
                                                              newNode->next = nullptr;
                                                              if (head == nullptr) {
                                                                  head = newNode;
                                                                  return;
                                                              }
                                                              Node *temp = head;
                                                              while (temp->next != nullptr) {
                                                                  temp = temp->next;
                                                              temp->next = newNode;
```

Deletion of a node void DeleteNode(Node *&head, char data) { if (head == nullptr) { cout << "List is empty" << endl;</pre> return; } if (head->data == data) { Node *temp = head; head = head->next; delete temp; return; Node *temp = head; while (temp->next != nullptr) { if (temp->next->data == data) { Node *nodeToDelete = temp->next; temp->next = temp->next->next; delete nodeToDelete; return; temp = temp->next; cout << "Node not found" << endl;

Table 3-2. Code for the List Operation

```
Source Code
a.
                              #include <iostream>
                               using namespace std;
                              // Node class definition
                              class Node {
                              public:
                                 char data:
                                 Node *next;
                              // Traversal function
                              void ListTraversal(Node* n) {
                                 while (n != nullptr) {
                                   cout << n->data << " "; // Print node data
                                    n = n->next;
                                                      // Move to the next node
                                 cout << endl; // Print new line after traversal
```

```
int main() {
                                 // Initialize an empty linked list
                                 Node* head = nullptr;
                                 // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 // Task a: Traverse the list
                                 cout << "Task a: Initial traversal of the list: ";
                                 ListTraversal(head);
                                 return 0;
     Console
                               Task a: Initial traversal of the list: C P E 0 1 0
     Source Code
b.
                               #include <iostream>
                               using namespace std;
                               // Node class definition
                               class Node {
                               public:
                                 char data;
                                 Node *next:
                               // Insertion at the head of the list
                               void InsertAtHead(Node** head, char new data) {
                                 Node* new_node = new Node(); // Create a new node
                                 new node->data = new data; // Set data
                                 new_node->next = (*head); // Link the new node to the current head
                                 (*head) = new node; // Move head to point to the new node
                               int main() {
                                 // Initialize an empty linked list
                                 Node* head = nullptr;
                                 // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
```

```
InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 // Task b: Insert 'G' at the start of the list
                                 InsertAtHead(&head, 'G');
                                 cout << "Task b: Insert 'G' at the start: ";
                                 ListTraversal(head);
                                 return 0;
                              }
     Console
                               Task b: Insert 'G' at the start: G C P E 0 1 0
     Source Code
                               #include <iostream>
C.
                               using namespace std;
                              // Node class definition
                               class Node {
                               public:
                                 char data:
                                 Node *next;
                              };
                              // Insertion at any position in the list
                               void InsertAtPosition(Node* prev_node, char new_data) {
                                 if (prev node == nullptr) {
                                    cout << "Previous node cannot be null." << endl;
                                    return;
                                 Node* new_node = new Node(); // Create a new node
                                 new_node->data = new_data; // Set data
                                  new node->next = prev node->next; // Link new node to the next of the previous
                               node
                                 prev_node->next = new_node; // Link the previous node to the new node
                              int main() {
                                 // Initialize an empty linked list
                                 Node* head = nullptr;
                                 // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
```

```
InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 // Task c: Insert 'E' after 'P'
                                 Node* temp = head:
                                 while (temp != nullptr && temp->data != 'P') // Find node with 'P'
                                    temp = temp->next;
                                 InsertAtPosition(temp, 'E'); // Insert 'E' after 'P'
                                 cout << "Task c: Insert 'E' after 'P': ";
                                 ListTraversal(head);
                                 return 0;
     Console
                               Task c: Insert 'E' after 'P': G C P E E 0 1 0
    Source Code
d.
                               #include <iostream>
                               using namespace std;
                               // Node class definition
                               class Node {
                               public:
                                 char data:
                                 Node *next;
                               // Deletion of a node by value
                               void DeleteNode(Node** head, char key) {
                                 Node* temp = *head;
                                 Node* prev = nullptr:
                                 // If head node itself holds the key
                                 if (temp != nullptr && temp->data == key) {
                                    *head = temp->next; // Change head to the next node
                                    delete temp;
                                                     // Free the old head
                                    return;
                                 // Search for the key in the list
                                 while (temp != nullptr && temp->data != key) {
                                    prev = temp;
```

```
temp = temp->next;
                                 // If key is not present in the list
                                 if (temp == nullptr) {
                                    cout << "Key not found." << endl;
                                    return;
                                 // Unlink the node from the list and free memory
                                 prev->next = temp->next;
                                 delete temp;
                               int main() {
                                 // Initialize an empty linked list
                                 Node* head = nullptr;
                                 // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
                                 InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                 // Task d: Delete the node containing 'C'
                                 DeleteNode(&head, 'C');
                                 cout << "Task d: Delete node with 'C': ";
                                 ListTraversal(head);
                                 return 0;
     Console
                               Task d: Delete node with 'C': G P E E 0 1 0
    Source Code
                               #include <iostream>
e.
                               using namespace std;
                               // Node class definition
                               class Node {
                               public:
                                 char data;
```

```
Node *next;
// Deletion of a node by value
void DeleteNode(Node** head, char key) {
  Node* temp = *head;
  Node* prev = nullptr;
  // If head node itself holds the key
  if (temp != nullptr && temp->data == key) {
     *head = temp->next; // Change head to the next node
     delete temp;
                      // Free the old head
     return;
  // Search for the key in the list
  while (temp != nullptr && temp->data != key) {
     prev = temp;
     temp = temp->next;
  // If key is not present in the list
  if (temp == nullptr) {
     cout << "Key not found." << endl;
     return;
  // Unlink the node from the list and free memory
  prev->next = temp->next;
  delete temp;
}
int main() {
  // Initialize an empty linked list
  Node* head = nullptr;
  // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
  InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
  InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
  InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
  // Task e: Delete the node containing 'P'
  DeleteNode(&head, 'P');
```

```
cout << "Task e: Delete node with 'P': ";
                                  ListTraversal(head);
                                  return 0;
     Console
                                Task e: Delete node with 'P': G E E 0 1 0
f.
     Source Code
                               #include <iostream>
                                using namespace std;
                               // Node class definition
                               class Node {
                               public:
                                  char data;
                                  Node *next;
                               };
                               // Traversal function
                               void ListTraversal(Node* n) {
                                  while (n != nullptr) {
                                     cout << n->data << " "; // Print node data
                                                        // Move to the next node
                                     n = n->next;
                                  cout << endl; // Print new line after traversal
                               int main() {
                                  // Initialize an empty linked list
                                  Node* head = nullptr;
                                  // Step 1: Insert data into the list (C -> P -> E -> 0 -> 1 -> 0)
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'C');
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'P');
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, 'E');
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, '1');
                                  InsertAtEnd(&head, '0');
                               // Task f: Final traversal cout << "Task f: Final list traversal: ";
                               ListTraversal(head);
                                  return 0;
                               }
```

Console

Task f: Final list traversal: G E E 0 1 0

Table 3-3. Code and Analysis for Singly Linked Lists

Screenshot(s)

Analysis

Traversal functions are expanded to support both forward and backward navigation. Forward traversal uses next pointers from head to tail, while backward traversal uses prev pointers from tail to head. This allows more flexible navigation compared to the singly linked list.

```
// Insertion at the head of the list
void InsertAtHead(Node** head, char new_data)
{
   Node* new_node = new Node(); // Create a new node
   new_node->data = new_data; // Set data
   new_node->next = (*head); // Link the new node to the current head
   (*head) = new_node; // Move head to point to the new node
}
```

Insertion operations are modified to maintain both next and prev pointers. The InsertAtHead and InsertAtEnd functions now update the prev and next pointers correctly, ensuring bidirectional linking. The InsertAtPosition function adjusts links between nodes, preserving the doubly linked structure.

```
void InsertAtPosition(Node* prev_node, char new_data)
{
    if (prev_node == nullptr)
    {
        cout << "Previous node cannot be null." << endl;
        return;
}

Node* new_node = new Node(new_data);  // Create a new node with data
new_node->next = prev_node->next;  // Link new node to next of prev_node
new_node->prev_node;  // Link new node back to prev_node

if (prev_node->next != nullptr)
{
    prev_node->next != nullptr)
{
    prev_node->next = new_node;  // Link next node back to new node
}

prev_node->next = new_node;  // Link prev_node to new node
}
```

Insertion operations are modified to maintain both next and prev pointers. The InsertAtHead and InsertAtEnd functions now update the prev and next pointers correctly, ensuring bidirectional linking. The InsertAtPosition function adjusts links between nodes, preserving the doubly linked structure.

Deletion operations are simplified with the prev pointer, allowing direct access to neighboring nodes. The DeleteNode function updates adjacent nodes' pointers when a node is removed, whether it's at the head, tail, or middle, ensuring the list remains intact.

Table 3-4. Modified Operation for Doubly Linked Lists

7. Supplementary Activity

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
// Node class definition for circular linked list
class Node {
public:
  string song;
  Node *next;
  Node(string new_song) {
     song = new_song;
     next = nullptr;
};
class CircularLinkedList {
private:
  Node* head;
public:
  CircularLinkedList() : head(nullptr) {}
```

```
// Function to create a playlist with multiple songs
void CreatePlaylist(string songs[], int n) {
  for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
     AddSong(songs[i]);
  }
}
// Function to add a song to the playlist
void AddSong(string new_song) {
  Node* new_node = new Node(new_song);
  if (head == nullptr) {
     head = new_node;
     new_node->next = head; // Pointing to itself
  } else {
     Node* temp = head;
     while (temp->next != head) {
       temp = temp->next; // Traverse to the last node
     temp->next = new_node;
     new_node->next = head; // Make it circular
  cout << "Added: " << new_song << endl;
// Function to remove a song from the playlist
void RemoveSong(string song) {
  if (head == nullptr) {
     cout << "Playlist is empty." << endl;
     return;
  }
  Node* temp = head;
  Node* prev = nullptr;
  // If the song to be deleted is the head
  if (head->song == song) {
     if (head->next == head) { // Only one node
       delete head;
       head = nullptr;
     } else {
       while (temp->next != head) {
          temp = temp->next;
       temp->next = head->next;
       Node* to_delete = head;
```

```
head = head->next;
       delete to_delete;
     cout << "Removed: " << song << endl;
     return;
  }
  // Search for the song
  do {
     prev = temp;
     temp = temp->next;
  } while (temp != head && temp->song != song);
  // If the song was found
  if (temp == head) {
     cout << "Song not found." << endl;
  } else {
     prev->next = temp->next; // Remove the node
     delete temp;
     cout << "Removed: " << song << endl;
  }
// Function to play all songs
void PlayAllSongs() {
  if (head == nullptr) {
     cout << "Playlist is empty." << endl;
     return;
  }
  Node* temp = head;
  cout << "Playing all songs: ";
     cout << temp->song << " ";
     temp = temp->next;
  } while (temp != head);
  cout << endl;
}
// Function to get the next song
string NextSong() {
  if (head == nullptr) {
     return "No songs in the playlist.";
  head = head->next; // Move to the next song
  return head->song;
```

```
// Function to get the previous song
  string PreviousSong() {
     if (head == nullptr) {
       return "No songs in the playlist.";
     Node* temp = head;
     // Traverse to find the previous node
     while (temp->next != head) {
       temp = temp->next; // Find the last node
     head = temp; // Move to the last node
     return head->song;
  }
};
int main() {
  CircularLinkedList playlist;
  // Creating a playlist with multiple songs
  string songs[] = {"Song1", "Song2", "Song3", "Song4"};
  playlist.CreatePlaylist(songs, 4);
  // Play all songs
  playlist.PlayAllSongs();
  // Add songs to the playlist
  playlist.AddSong("Song5");
  playlist.AddSong("Song6");
  // Play all songs again
  playlist.PlayAllSongs();
  // Remove a song
  playlist.RemoveSong("Song2");
  playlist.PlayAllSongs();
  // Try removing a non-existing song
  playlist.RemoveSong("Song10");
  // Final playlist
  playlist.PlayAllSongs();
  // Test next and previous functionality
  cout << "Next song: " << playlist.NextSong() << endl;</pre>
```

```
cout << "Previous song: " << playlist.PreviousSong() << endl;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

8. Conclusion

In this activity, I learned about circular linked lists and their advantages in applications like music players, which require circular traversal. I gained hands-on experience in designing data structures tailored to specific use cases, implementing functionalities such as adding, removing, and playing songs, and managing dynamic memory effectively. The procedure involved defining a node structure, developing essential list operations, and testing them systematically, which reinforced the importance of structured coding practices. Additionally, adding navigation features for next and previous songs enhanced user interaction, demonstrating the practical benefits of circular data structures. Overall, I believe I did well, but I recognize areas for improvement, such as enhancing error handling, testing edge cases more thoroughly, and creating a more user-friendly interface for better user experience in future projects.

9. Assessment Rubric