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LINEAR LIST



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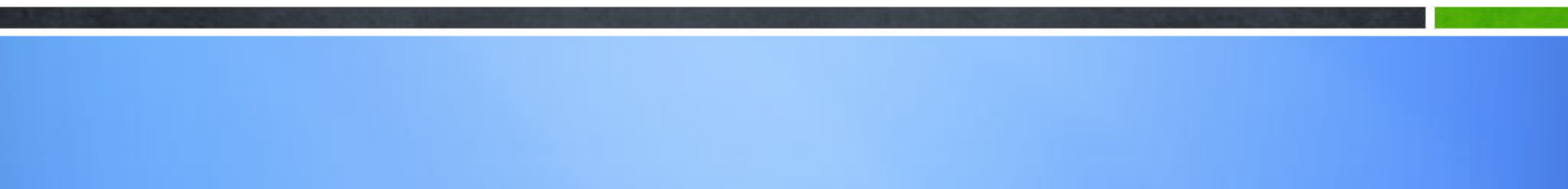
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5.1 Definitions of List ADT



Lists

Sorted list

$\langle 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 21, 24, 56, 77 \rangle$

$\langle 98, 65, 43, 23, 11, 10, 9, 6, 5, 4, 2 \rangle$

Unsorted list

$\langle 1, 6, 3, 9, 34, 30, 19, 8, 12, 44 \rangle$

Data 1

Data 2

Data 3

.....

Data n

Terminology

- Length of list

The number of elements currently stored is called **the length of the list**.

- Empty list

A list is said to be **empty** when it contains no elements. the empty list would appear as $\langle \rangle$.

- Order

Order of a element is it's position in the list.

List Implementation Concepts

- Our list implementation will support the concept of a current position.
- Operations will act relative to the current position.
- Example: $\langle 20, 23 \mid 12, 15 \rangle$ to indicate the list of four elements, with the current position being to the right of the bar at element 12.

What operations should we implement?

List ADT

```
template <typename E> class List { // List ADT
private:
    void operator =(const List&) {}    // Protect assignment
    List(const List&) {}                // Protect copy constructor
public:
    List() {}                          // Default constructor
    virtual ~List() {}                 // Base destructor

    // Clear contents from the list, to make it empty.
    virtual void clear() = 0;

    // Insert an element at the current location.
    // item: The element to be inserted
    virtual void insert(const E& item) = 0;
```


List ADT

// Append an element at the end of the list.

// item: The element to be appended.

virtual void append(const E& item) = 0;

// Remove and return the current element.

// Return: the element that was removed.

virtual E remove() = 0;

// Set the current position to the start of the list

virtual void moveToStart() = 0;

// Set the current position to the end of the list

virtual void moveToEnd() = 0;

List ADT

// Move the current position one step left. No change if already at beginning.

virtual void prev() = 0;

// Move the current position one step right. No change if already at end.

virtual void next() = 0;

// Return: The number of elements in the list.

virtual int length() const = 0;

// Return: The position of the current element.

virtual int currPos() const = 0;

// Set current position. pos: The position to make current.

virtual void moveToPos(int pos) = 0;

// Return: The current element.

virtual const E& getValue() const = 0;

};

List ADT Examples

List: <12 | 32, 15>

```
L.insert(99);
```

Result: <12 | 99, 32, 15>

Iterate through the whole list:

```
for (L.moveToStart(); L.currPos() < L.length(); L.next())
{
    it = L.getValue();
    doSomething(it);
}
```

List Find Function

//return True if k is in list L,

//false otherwise

```
bool find(List<int>& L, int k) {
```

```
    int it;
```

```
    for (L.moveToStart(); L.currPos()<L.length(); L.next())  
    {
```

```
        it = L.getValue();
```

```
        if (k == it) return true;
```

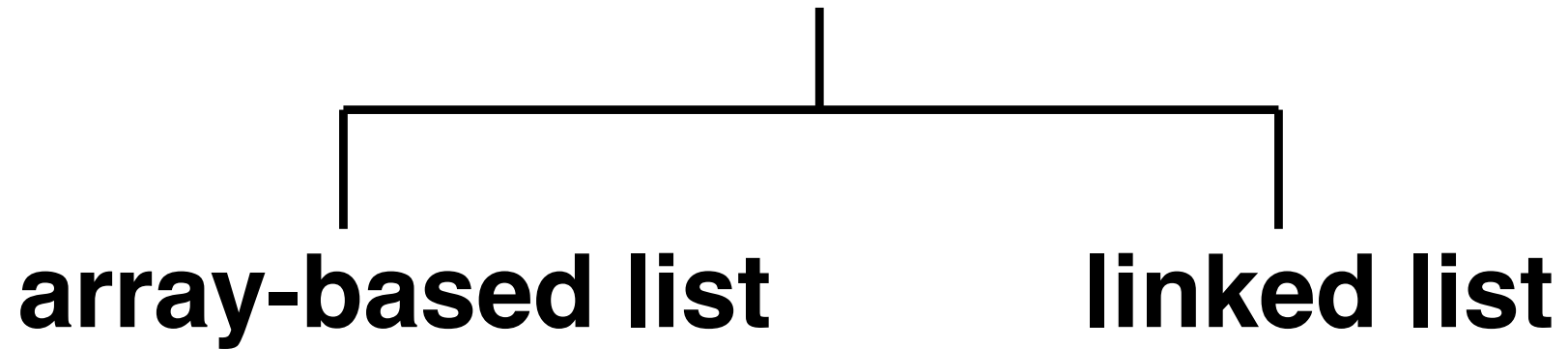
```
    }
```

```
    return false;           // k not found
```

```
}
```

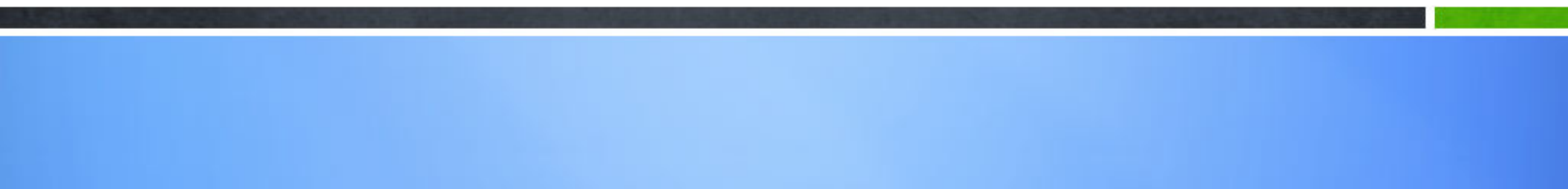
Physical Implementation

list physical implementation

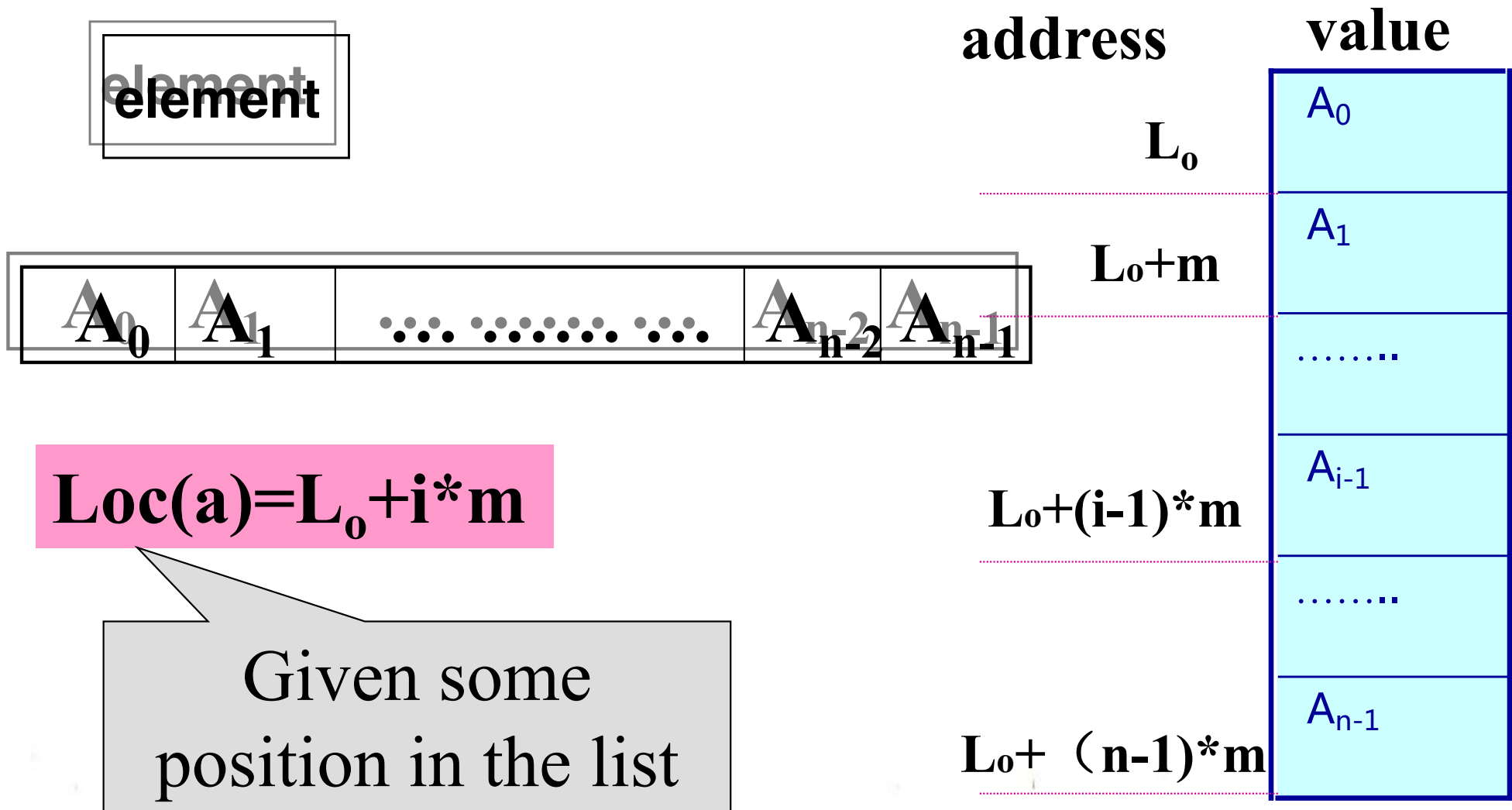




5.2 Array-based List (Sequential List)

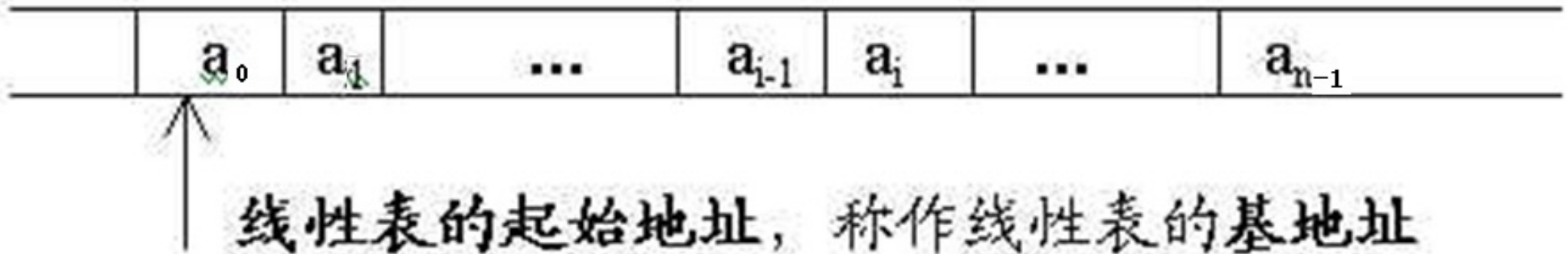


Array-Based List Implementation



Array-Based List Implementation

Array_Based List : The elements are stored in a consecutive storage area one by one



Notes :

- With ordered pair $\langle a_{i-1}, a_i \rangle$ to express “Storage is adjacent to”, $\text{loc}(a_i) = \text{loc}(a_{i-1}) + c$
- Unnecessary to store logic relationship
- First data component location can decide all data elements locations

Array-Based List Class (1)

```
#include "list.h"

template <typename E> // Array-based list implementation
class AList : public List<E> {
private:
    int maxSize;      // Maximum size of list
    int listSize;     // Number of list items now
    int curr;         // Position of current element
    E* listArray;     // Array holding list elements
```

Array-Based List Class (2)

public:

`AList(int size=defaultSize)`

`{ // Constructor`

`maxSize = size;`

`listSize = curr = 0;`

`listArray = new E[maxSize];`

`}`

`~AList() { delete [] listArray; } // Destructor`

Array-Based List Class (3)

```
void clear() {                                // Reinitialize the list
    delete [] listArray;                      // Remove the array
    listSize = curr = 0;                      // Reset the size
    listArray = new E[maxSize];               // Recreate array
}

void moveToStart() { curr = 0; }
void moveToEnd() { curr = listSize; }
void prev() { if (curr != 0) curr--; }
void next() { if (curr < listSize) curr++; }
```

Array-Based List Class (4)

// Return list size

```
int length() const { return listSize; }
```

// Return current position

```
int currPos() const { return curr; }
```

// Set current list position to "pos"

```
void moveToPos(int pos) {
```

```
    Assert ((pos>=0)&&(pos<=listSize), "Pos out of  
        range");
```

```
    curr = pos;
```

```
}
```

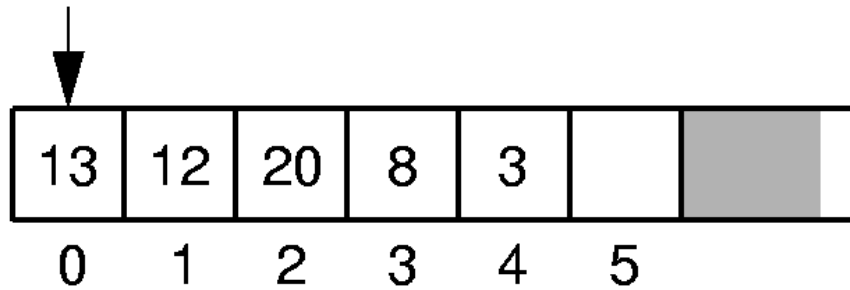
Array-Based List Class (5)

// Return current element

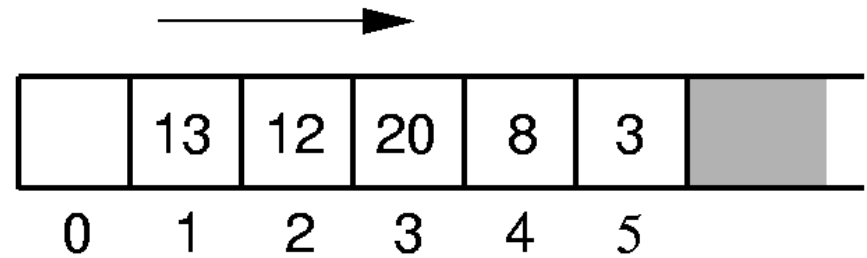
```
const E& getValue() const
{
    Assert((curr>=0)&&(curr<listSize),"No current
        element");
    return listArray[curr];
}
```

Array-Based List Insert

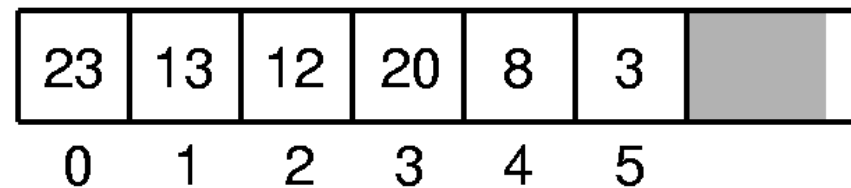
Insert 23:



(a)



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(c)

Insert

// Insert "it" at current position

```
void insert(const E& it) {
```

```
    Assert(listSize < maxSize, "List capacity  
        exceeded");
```

```
    for(int i=listSize; i>curr; i--) // Shift elements up
```

```
        listArray[i] = listArray[i-1]; // to make room
```

```
    listArray[curr] = it;
```

```
    listSize++; // Increment list size
```

```
}
```


Append

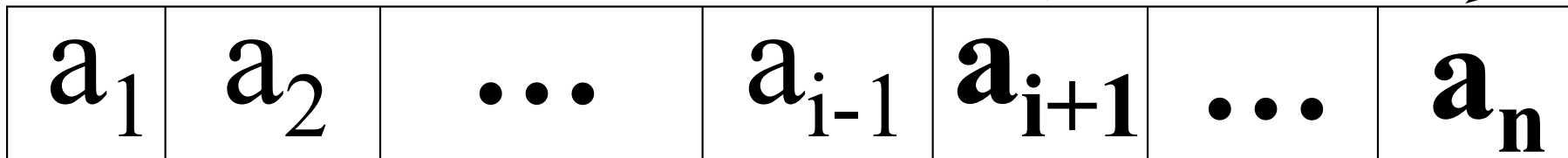
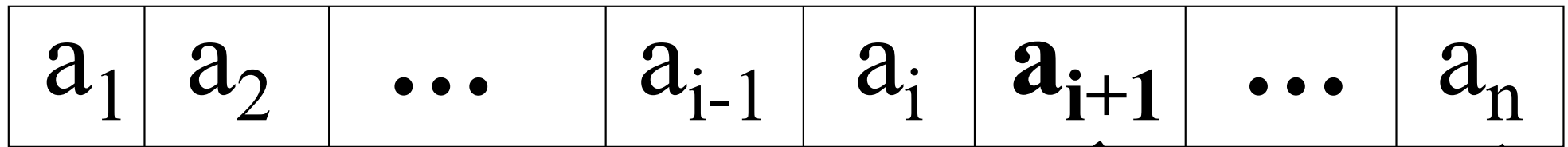
```
void append(const E& it) {    // Append "it"  
    Assert(listSize < maxSize, "List capacity  
        exceeded");  
    listArray[listSize++] = it;  
}
```

Remove

$\langle a_1, \dots, a_{i-1}, a_i, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_n \rangle$ change to

$\langle a_1, \dots, a_{i-1}, a_{i+1}, \dots, a_n \rangle$

$\langle a_{i-1}, a_i \rangle, \langle a_i, a_{i+1} \rangle \longrightarrow \langle a_{i-1}, a_{i+1} \rangle$



Listsize-- ↑

Remove

// Remove and return the current element.

```
E remove() {  
    Assert((curr>=0) && (curr < listSize), "No element");  
    E it = listArray[curr];           // Copy the element  
    for(int i=curr; i<listSize-1; i++) // Shift them down  
        listArray[i] = listArray[i+1];  
    listSize--;                       // Decrement size  
    return it;  
}
```

Exercise :

Design an algorithm to reverse an sequential list
 $(a_1 a_2 \dots a_{n-1} a_n) \rightarrow (a_n a_{n-1} \dots a_2 a_1)$

Summing Up

□ Advantages :

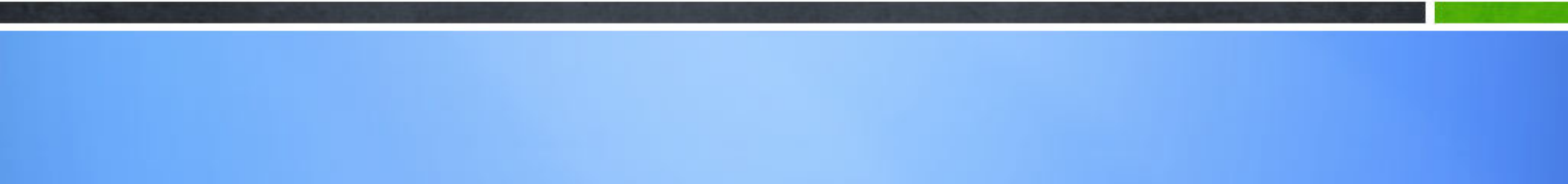
- Stores a collection of items contiguously.
 - Stores no relations
 - Access randomly

□ Disadvantages :

- Need to shift many elements in the array whenever there is an insertion or deletion.
- Need to allocate a fix amount of memory in advance.

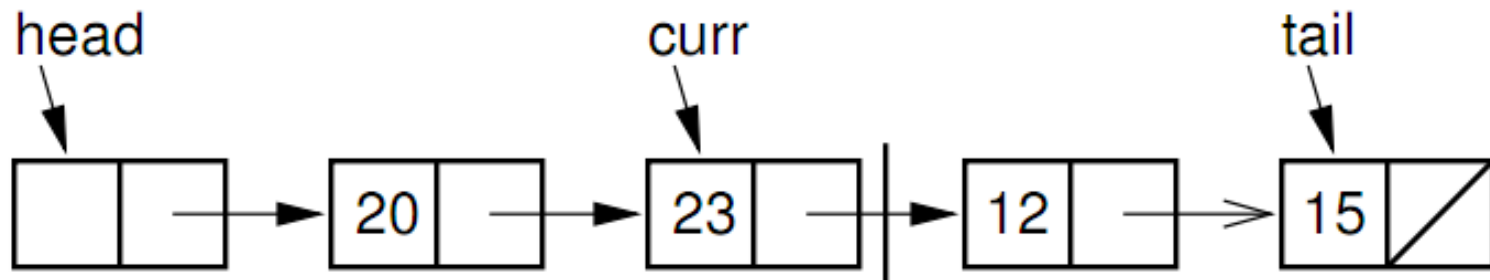


5.3 Singly Linked List



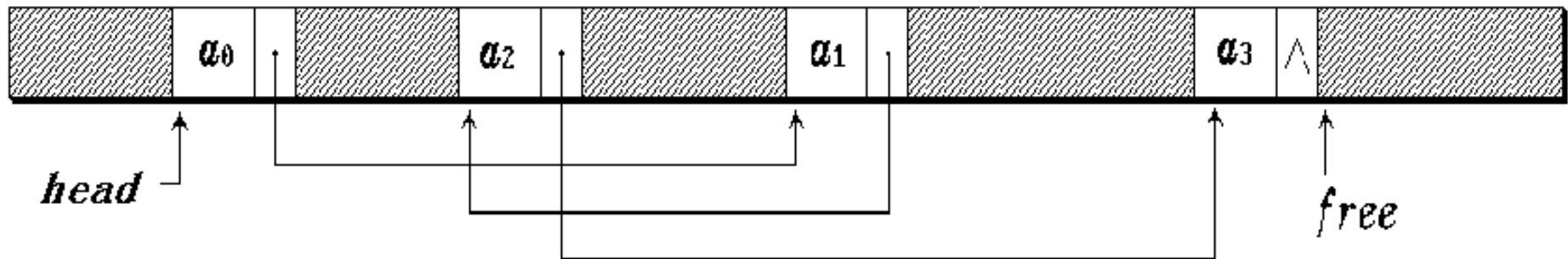
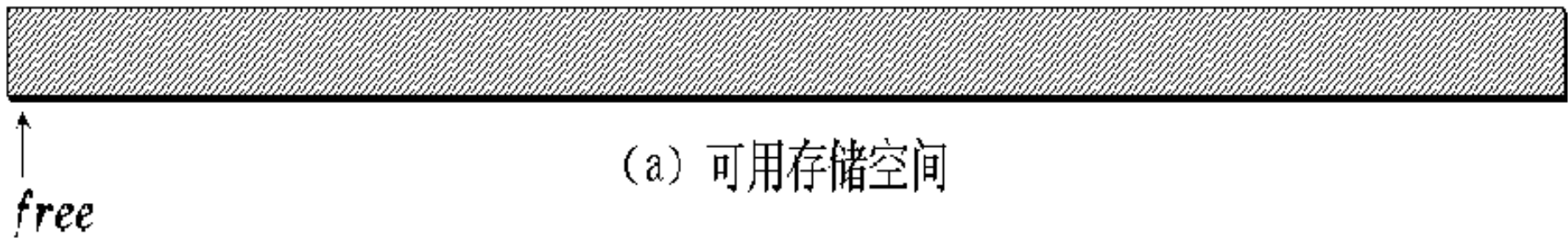
Introduction

- **Array**
successive items locate a fixed distance
- **disadvantage**
 - data movements during insertion and deletion
 - waste space in storing n ordered lists of varying size
- **possible solution**
 - linked list



Linked List

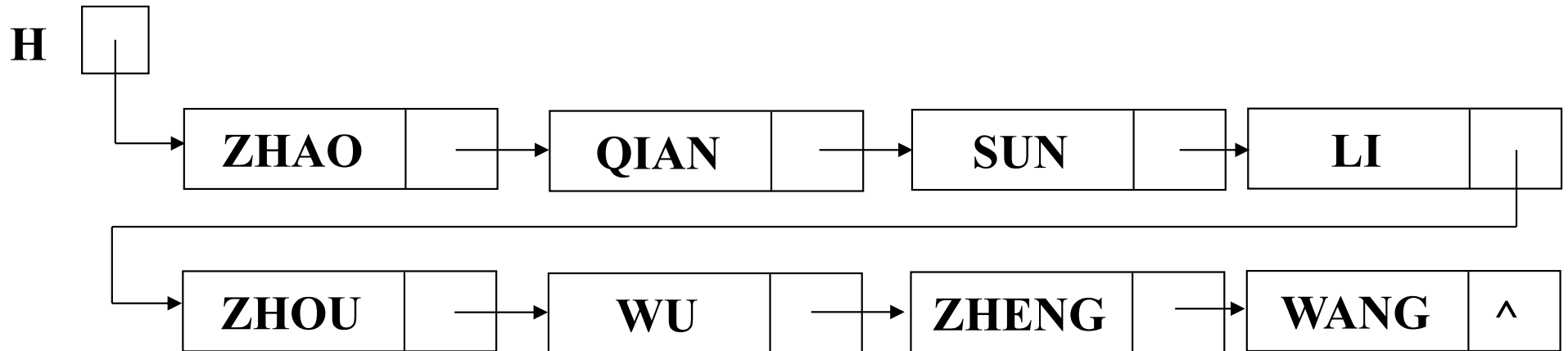
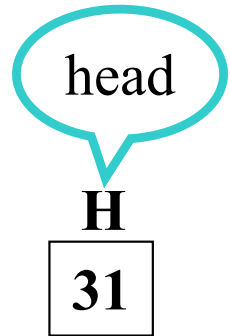
- A linked list is made up of a series of objects, called the nodes of the list.
- The linked list uses **dynamic memory allocation**



(b) 经过一段运行后的单链表结构

Liear list (ZHAO,QIAN,SUN,LI,ZHOU,WU,ZHENG,WANG)

address	data	next
1	LI	43
7	QIAN	13
13	SUN	1
19	WANG	NULL
25	WU	37
31	ZHAO	7
37	ZHENG	19
43	ZHOU	25



Singly Linked List (one-way list)

// Singly linked list node

```
template <typename E> class Link {  
public:
```

```
    E element;    // Value for this node
```

```
    Link *next;   // Pointer to next node in list
```

```
    // Constructors
```

```
    Link(const E& elemval, Link* nextval =NULL)
```

```
    { element = elemval; next = nextval; }
```

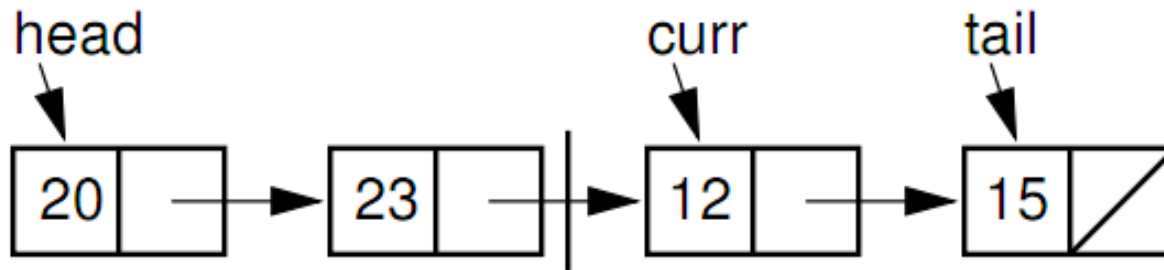
```
    Link(Link* nextval =NULL) { next = nextval; }
```

```
};
```

node



Singly Linked List (one-way list)



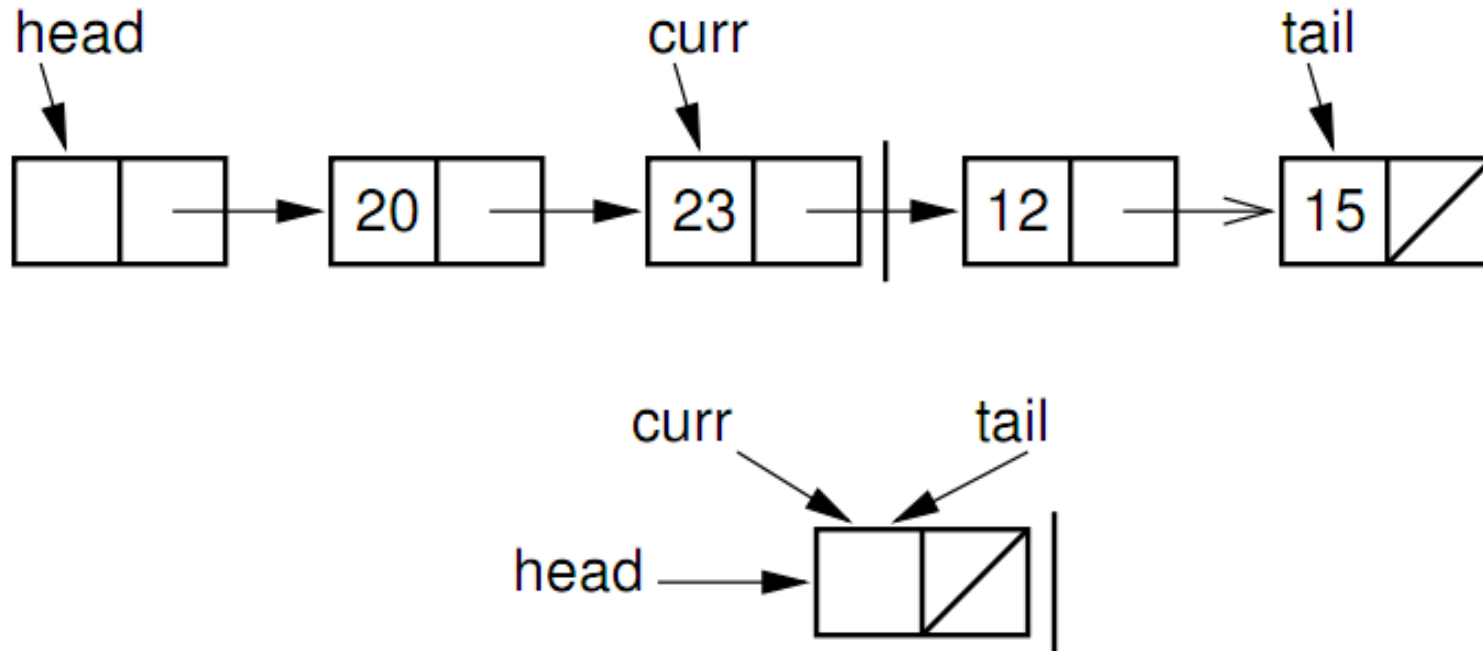
head: a pointer point to the list's first node.

tail: a pointer is kept to the last link of the list.

curr: a pointer indicate the current element.

cnt: the length of the list

Singly Linked List (one-way list)



header node: an additional node before the first element node of the list.

The header node saves coding effort because we no longer need to consider special cases for empty lists or when the current position is at one end of the list.

Linked List Class (1)

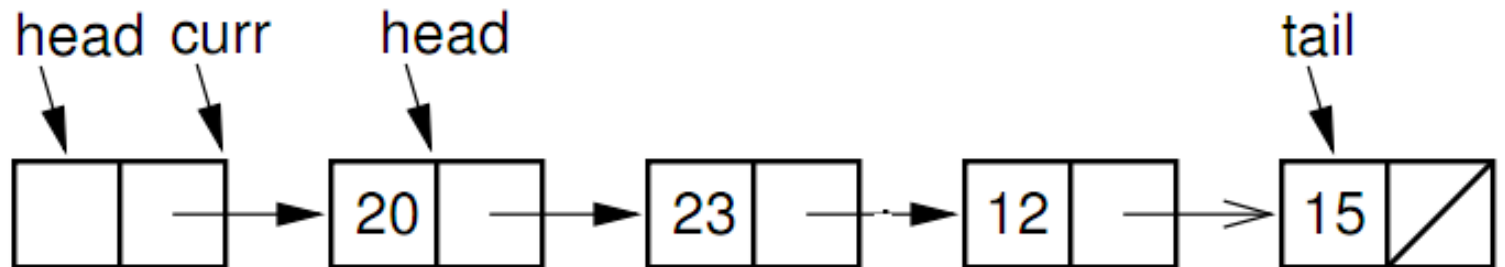
```
template <typename E> class LList: public List<E> {  
private:
```

```
    Link<E>* head;    // Pointer to list header  
    Link<E>* tail;    // Pointer to last element  
    Link<E>* curr;    // Access to current element  
    int cnt;          // Size of list
```

```
void init() {    // Initialization helper method  
    curr = tail = head = new Link<E>;  
    cnt = 0;  
}
```

Linked List Class (2)

```
void removeall() {  
    // Return link nodes to free store  
    while(head != NULL) {  
        curr = head;  
        head = head->next;  
        delete curr;  
    }  
}
```



Linked List Class (3)

public:

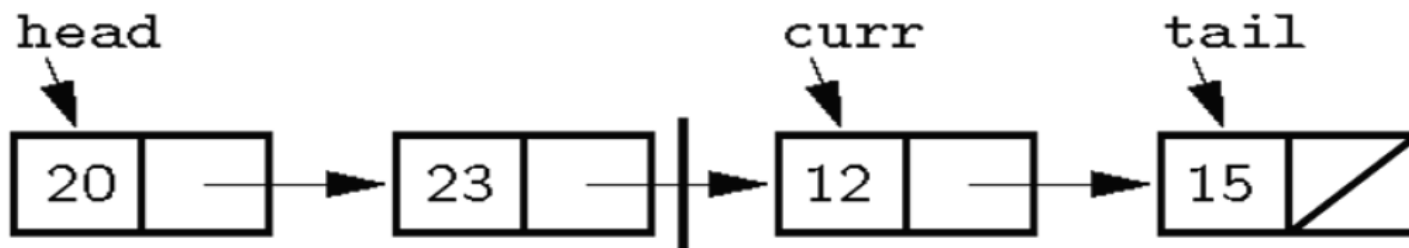
```
LList(int size=defaultSize) { init(); }    // Constructor
```

```
~LList() { removeall(); }                  // Destructor
```

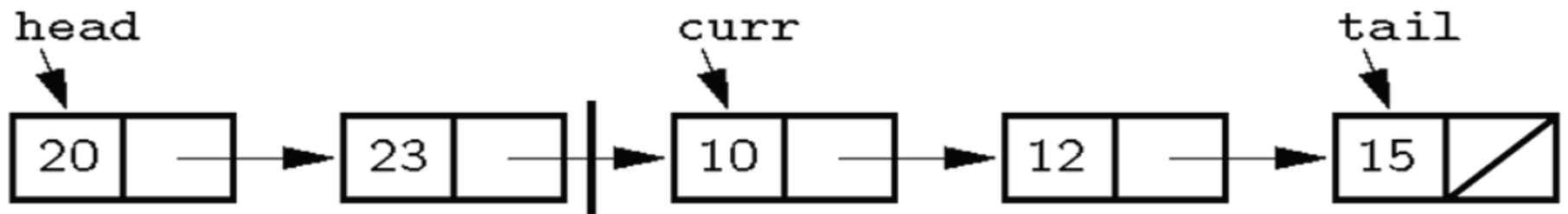
```
void print() const;                        // Print list contents
```

```
void clear() { removeall(); init(); }      // Clear list
```

Insertion



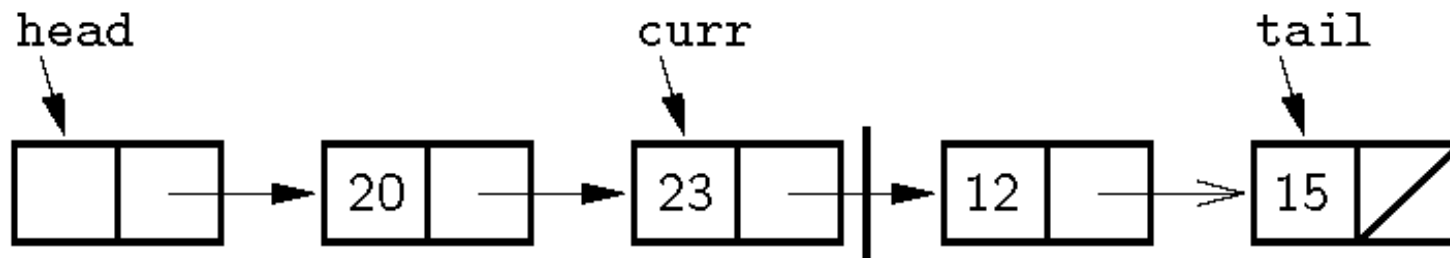
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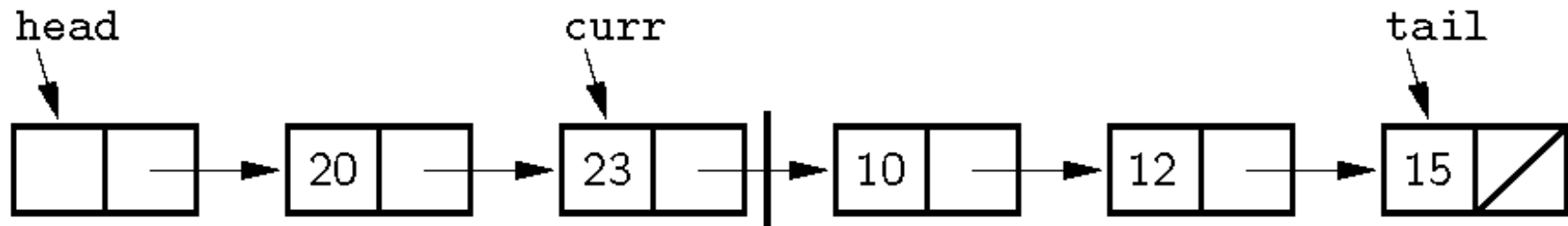
(b)

- A faulty linked-list implementation where **curr** points directly to the current node.

Insertion



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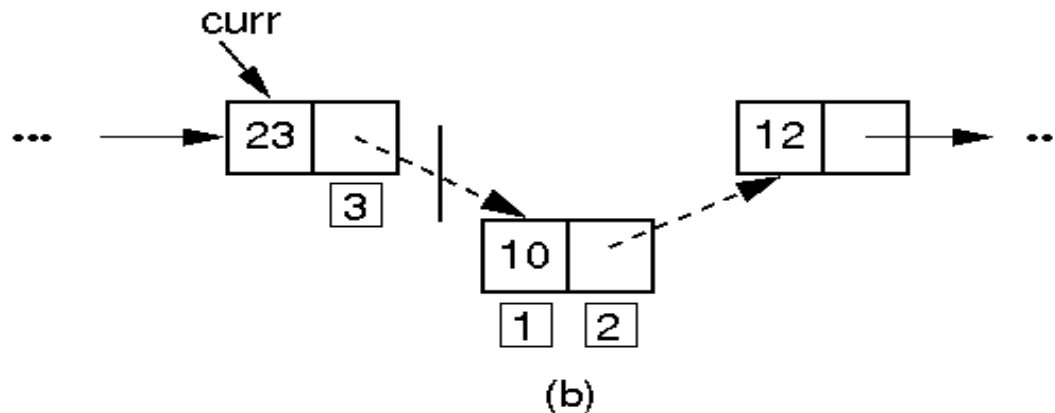
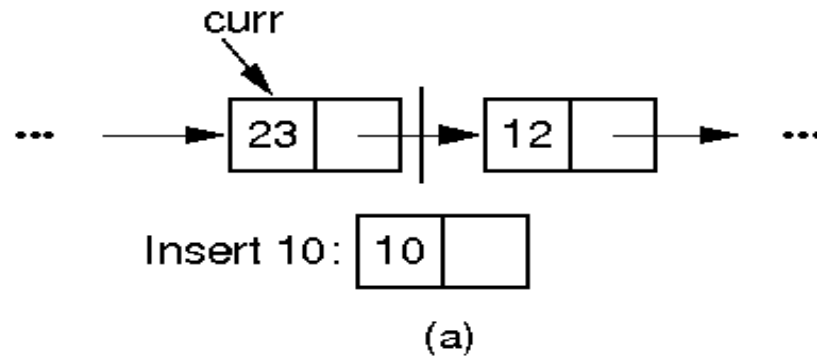


(b)

- ❑ **Insertion using a header node, with **curr** pointing one node head of the current element.**

Insertion

- Inserting a new element is a three-step process:



- ① The new list node is created and the new element is stored into it.
- ② The next field of the new list node is assigned to point to the current node (the one after the node that curr points to).
- ③ The next field of node pointed to by curr is assigned to point to the newly inserted node.

Insertion

// Insert "it" at current position

```
void insert(const E& it) {
```

```
    curr->next = new Link<E>(it, curr->next);
```

```
    if (tail == curr) tail = curr->next; // New tail
```

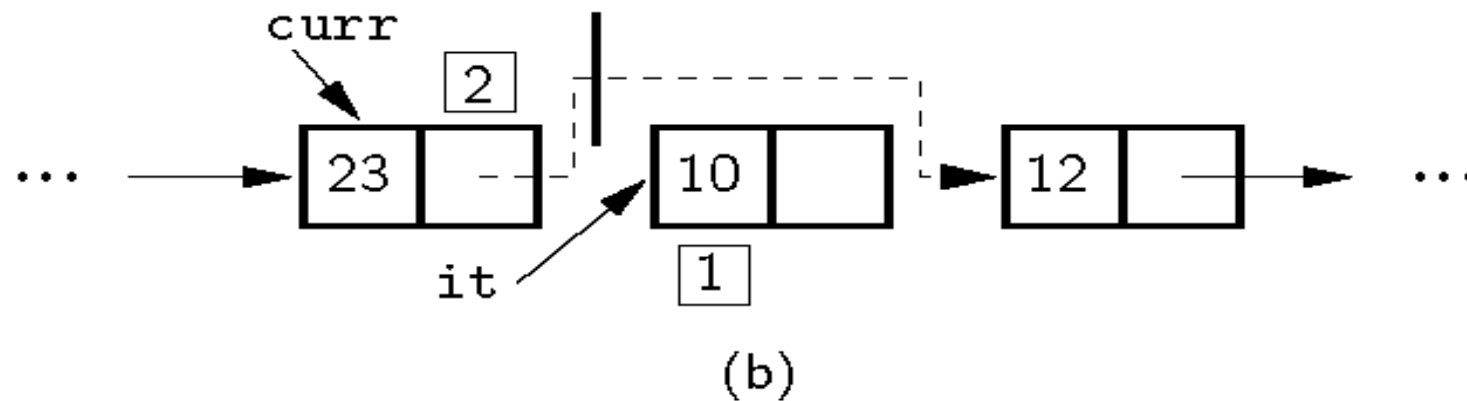
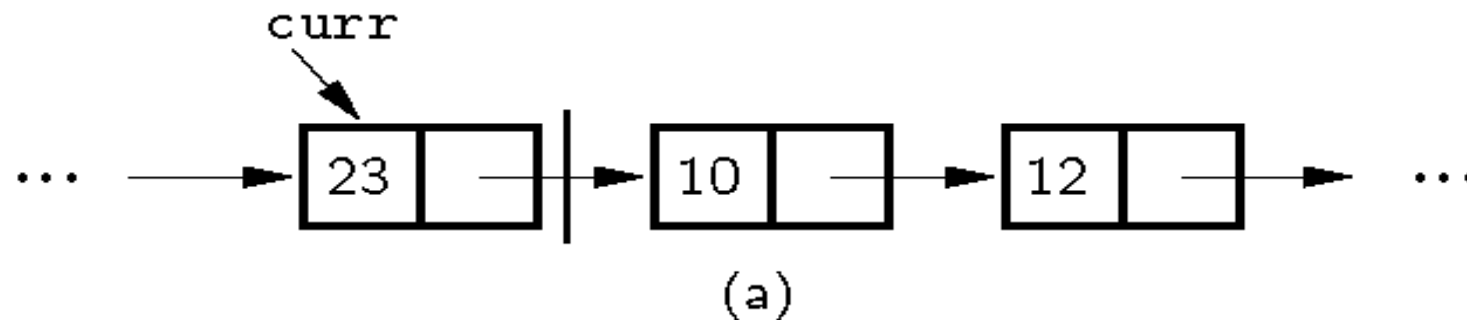
```
    cnt++;
```

```
}
```

Append

```
void append(const E& it) { // Append "it" to list
    tail = tail->next = new Link<E>(it, NULL);
    cnt++;
}
```

Removal



- The linked list removal process.

Removal

// Remove and return current element

E remove() {

Assert(curr->next != NULL, "No element");

E it = curr->next->element; // Remember value

Link<E>* ltemp = curr->next; // Remember link node

if (tail == curr->next) tail = curr; // Reset tail

curr->next = curr->next->next; // Remove from list

delete ltemp; // Reclaim space

cnt--; // Decrement the count

return it;

}

MoveToStart & MoveToEnd

```
void moveToStart() // Place curr at list start  
{ curr = head; }
```

```
void moveToEnd() // Place curr at list end  
{ curr = tail; }
```

Prev

// Move curr one step left; no change if already at front

```
void prev() {
```

```
    if (curr == head) return;    // No previous element
```

```
    Link<E>* temp = head;
```

```
    // March down list until we find the previous element
```

```
    while (temp->next!=curr) temp=temp->next;
```

```
    curr = temp;
```

```
}
```


Next / Length

// Move curr one step right; no change if already at end

void next()

{ if (curr != tail) curr = curr->next; }

int length() const { return cnt; }

// Return length

Get/Set Position

// Return the position of the current element

```
int currPos() const {  
    Link<E>* temp = head;  
    int i;  
    for (i=0; curr != temp; i++)  
        temp = temp->next;  
    return i;  
}
```

Get/Set Position

// Move down list to "pos" position

```
void moveToPos(int pos) {
```

```
    Assert ((pos>=0)&&(pos<=cnt), "Position out of  
        range");
```

```
    curr = head;
```

```
    for(int i=0; i<pos; i++) curr = curr->next;
```

```
}
```

GetValue

```
const E& GetValue() const {  
    // Return current element  
    Assert(curr->next != NULL, "No value");  
    return curr->next->element;  
}
```

Comparison of Implementations

Array-Based Lists:

- Insertion and deletion are $O(n)$.
- Prev and direct access are $O(1)$.
- Array must be allocated in advance.
- No overhead if all array positions are full.

Linked Lists:

- Insertion and deletion are $O(1)$.
- Prev and direct access are $O(n)$.
- Space grows with number of elements.
- Every element requires overhead.

Space Comparison

“Break-even” point D :

$$n^*E = D^*(P + E);$$

$$D = \frac{n^*E}{P + E}$$

E : Space for each data value.

P : Space for each pointer.

n : Size of array.

Space Example

- Array-based list: Overhead is one pointer (4 bytes) per position in array – whether used or not.
- Linked list: Overhead is two pointers per link node
 - one to the element, one to the next link
- Data is the same for both.
- When is the space the same?
 - When the array is half full

Exercise

- Write a function to merge two sorted linked lists. The input lists have their elements in sorted order, from lowest to highest. The output list should also be sorted from lowest to highest. Your algorithm should run in linear time on the length of the output list.

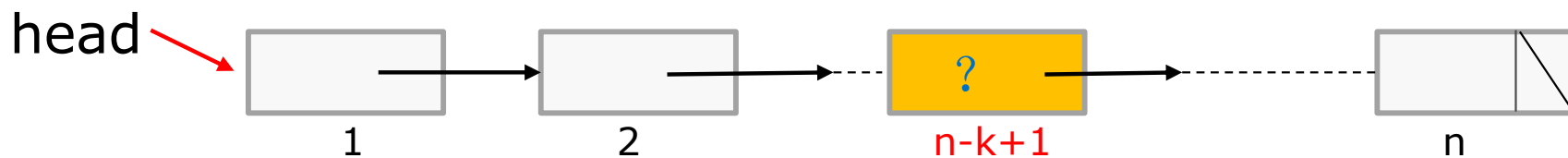
Exercise

```
void merge(LList<int> *p1, LList<int> *p2)
{
    p1->moveToStart();
    p2->moveToStart();
    while(p2->length() > 0) {
        // removing each node from p2 and inserting into p1
        if( p1->currPos() == p1->length() || // p1->curr == p1->tail
            p1->getValue() >= p2->getValue() )
        {
            p1->insert(p2->remove());
        }
        p1->next();
    }
}
```

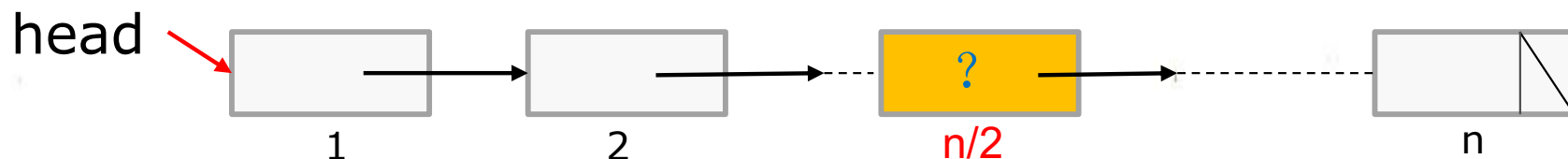
- Time complexity: $O(n)$
- Space complexity: $O(1)$

经典面试题（双指针应用）

- 长度为 n 的单链表 $\text{const Link}\langle E \rangle^* \text{ head}$, 输出其**倒数第 k 个节点的值**, 时间复杂度 $O(n)$

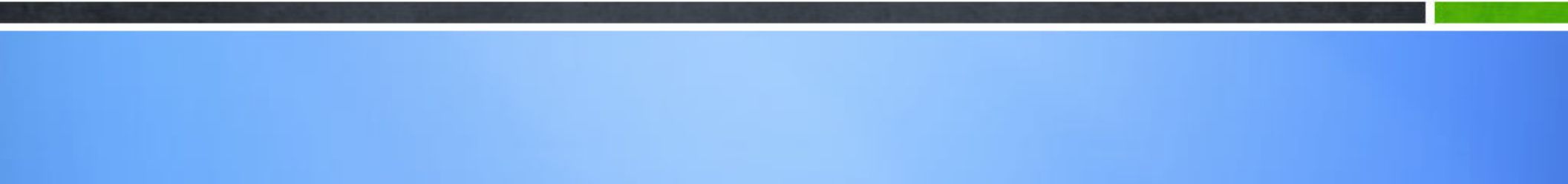


- 长度为 n 的单链表 $\text{const Link}\langle E \rangle^* \text{ head}$, 输出其**中间节点的值**, 时间复杂度 $O(n)$





5.4 Freelist



Freelists

- The C++ free-store management operators `new` and `delete` are relatively expensive to use. `System::new` and garbage collection are slow.
- Instead of making repeated calls to `new` and `delete`, the `Link` class can handle its own freelist.
- A freelist holds those list nodes that are not currently being used.

Freelists

- A freelist holds those list nodes that are not currently being used.
- When a node is **deleted** from a linked list, it is **placed at the head of the freelist**.
- When a new element is to be **added** to a linked list, the freelist is checked to see if a list node is available. If so, the node is **taken from the head of the freelist**. If the freelist is empty, the standard new operator must then be called.

Approach to implement freelists

- One approach would be to **create two new operators** to use instead of the standard free-store routines new and delete.
- This requires that the user's code, such as the linked list class implementation be modified to call these freelist operators.

Approach to implement freelists

- A second approach is to use **C++ operator overloading** to replace the meaning of new and delete when operating on Link class objects.
- In this way, programs that use the LList class need not be modified at all to take advantage of a freelist. Whether the Link class is implemented with freelists, or relies on the regular free-store mechanism, is entirely hidden from the list class user.

Link Class Extensions

// Singly linked list node with freelist support

```
template <typename E> class Link {
```

```
private:
```

```
    static Link<E>* freelist; // Reference to freelist head
```

```
public:
```

```
    E element; // Value for this node
```

```
    Link* next; // Point to next node in list
```


Implementation of Link class with freelist

// Constructors

```
Link(const E& elemval, Link* nextval =NULL)
```

```
{ element = elemval; next = nextval; }
```

```
Link(Link* nextval =NULL) { next = nextval; }
```

Implementation of Link class with freelist

```
void* operator new(size_t) { // Overloaded new operator
    if (freelist == NULL) return ::new Link; // Create space
    Link<E>* temp = freelist; // Can take from freelist
    freelist = freelist->next;
    return temp; // Return the link
}
```

Implementation of Link class with freelist

// Overloaded delete operator

```
void operator delete(void* ptr) {  
    ((Link<E>*)ptr)->next = freelist; // Put on freelist  
    freelist = (Link<E>*)ptr;  
}  
};
```

Implementation of Link class with freelist

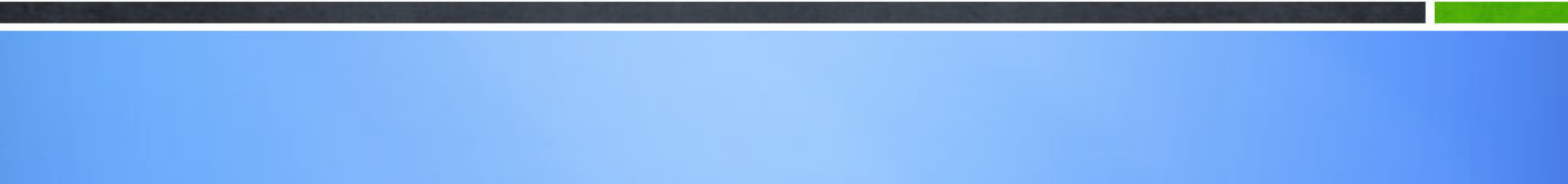
// The freelist head pointer is actually created here

```
template <typename E>
```

```
Link<E>* Link<E>::freelist = NULL;
```



5.5 Circularly Linked List

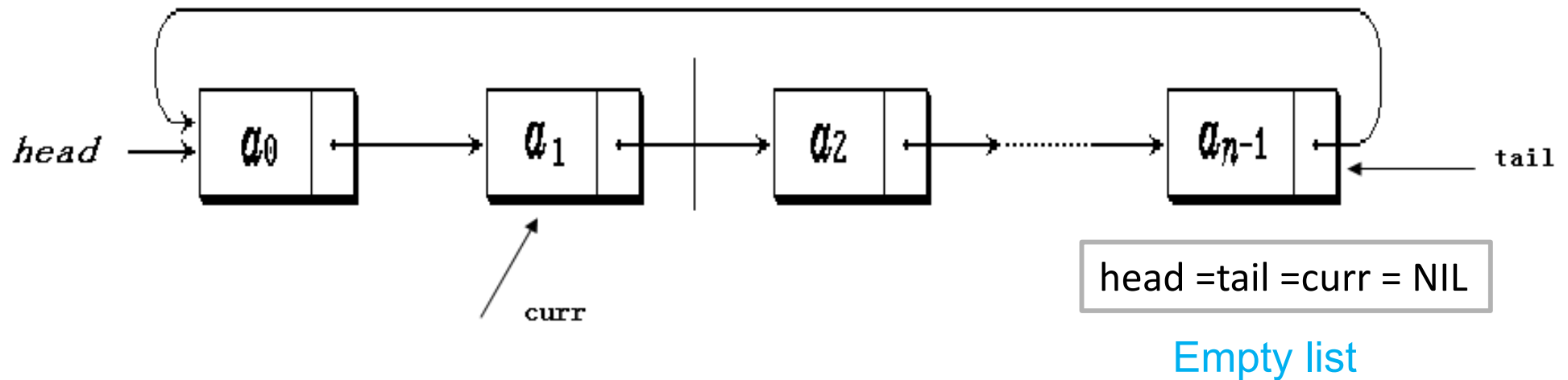


Circularly Linked Lists

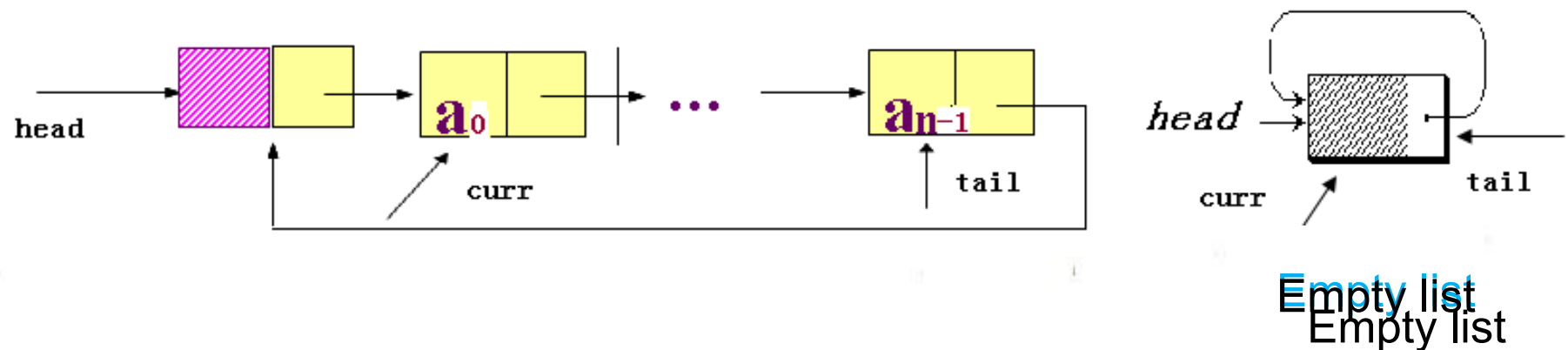
- **Singly Linked Lists**
the last node contain a **NULL** pointer
- **Circularly Linked Lists**
 - the last node contains a **pointer to the first node**
- **Advantage**
start from any node, can access the others.

Two structures of Circularly Linked Lists

- without head node



- with head node

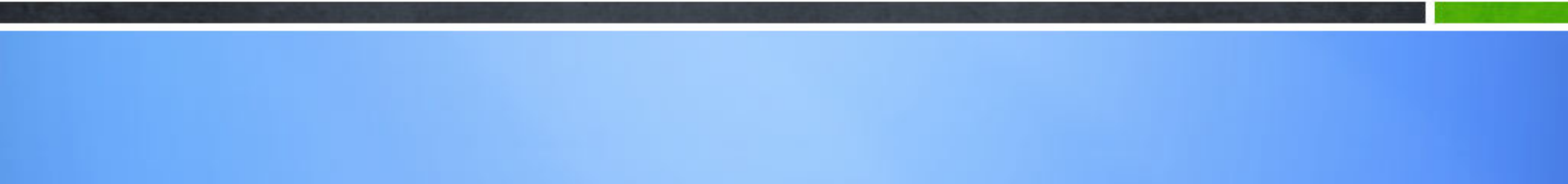


Application: Josehus problem

- **A description of the problem are: number 1,2, ..., n of n individuals sitting around a circle clockwise, each holding a password (positive integer). Choose a positive integer beginning as a limit on the number of reported m, starting from the first person to start a clockwise direction from a report number, report the number of reported m stop. Who reported m out of line, his password as the new m value, in a clockwise direction from the next person he began to re-reported from a number, it goes on until all the people all of the columns so far. Design a program, according to the column order prints each number.**



5.6 Doubly Linked Lists



Doubly Linked Lists

□ Singly Linked Lists

The singly linked list allows for direct access from a list node only to the next node in the list.

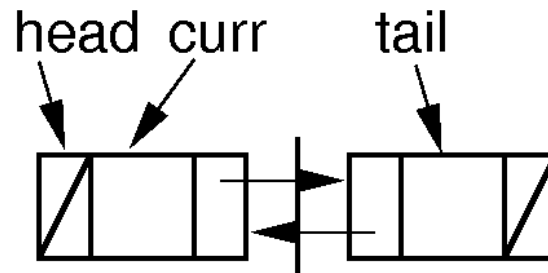
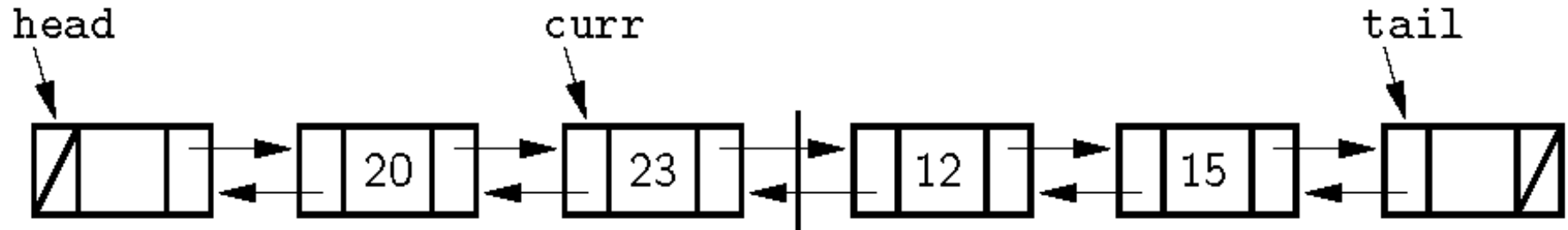
□ Doubly Linked Lists

- **A doubly linked list allows convenient access from a list node to the next node and also to the preceding node on the list.**

□ How to accomplish?

The doubly linked list node accomplishes this in the obvious way by storing two pointers: one to the node following it (as in the singly linked list), and a second pointer to the node preceding it.

Doubly Linked Lists



empty list

Doubly Linked Lists

// Constructors

```
Link(const E& it, Link* prevp, Link* nextp) {  
    element = it;  
    prev = prevp;  
    next = nextp;  
}
```

```
Link(Link* prevp =NULL, Link* nextp =NULL) {  
    prev = prevp;  
    next = nextp;  
}
```

Doubly Linked Lists

```
void* operator new(size_t) { // Overloaded new operator
    if (freelist == NULL) return ::new Link; // Create space
    Link<E>* temp = freelist; // Can take from freelist
    freelist = freelist->next;
    return temp; // Return the link
}
```

Doubly Linked Lists

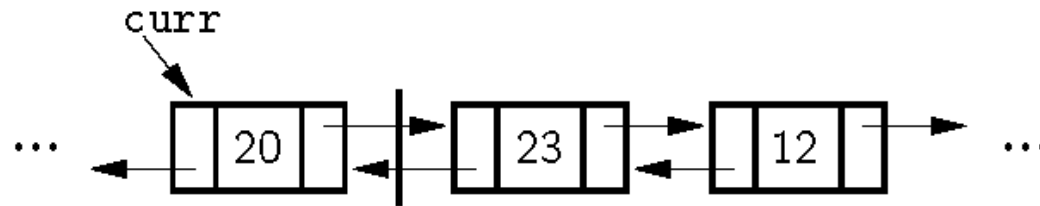
// Overloaded delete operator

```
void operator delete(void* ptr) {  
    ((Link<E>*)ptr)->next = freelist; // Put on freelist  
    freelist = (Link<E>*)ptr;  
}  
};
```

// The freelist head pointer is actually created here

```
template <typename E>  
Link<E>* Link<E>::freelist = NULL;
```

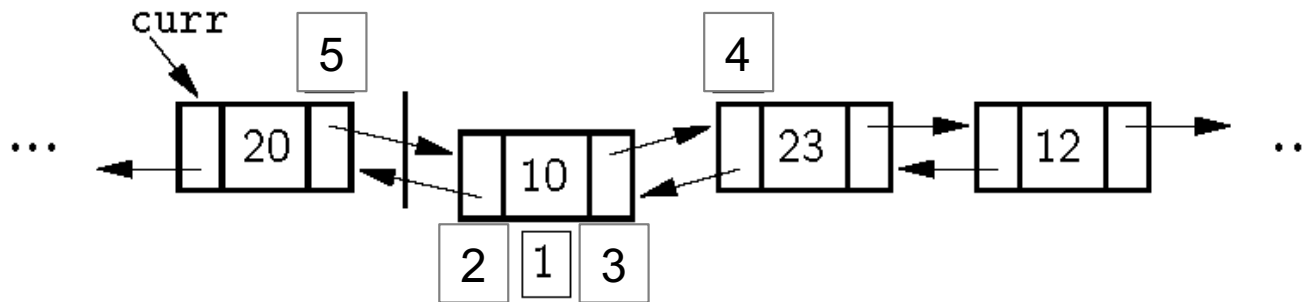
Doubly Linked Insert



Insert 10:

	10	
--	----	--

(a)



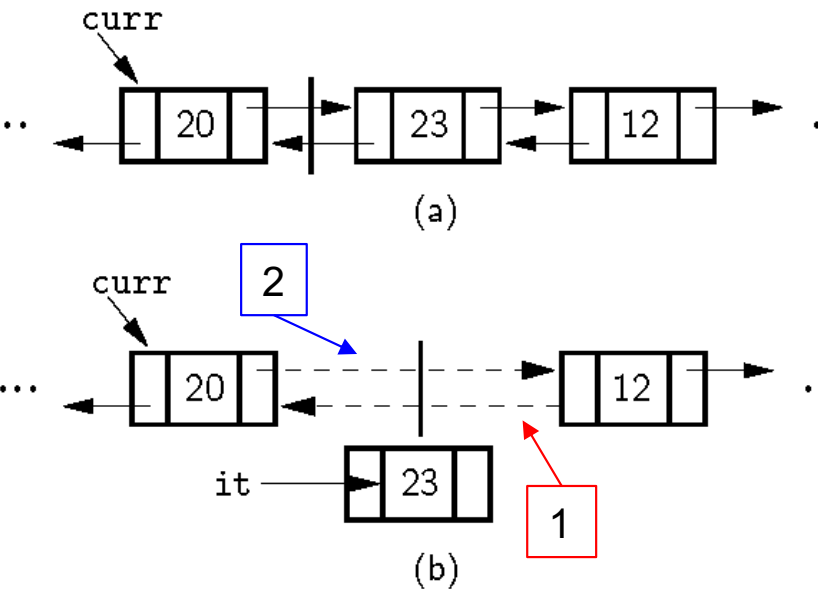
(b)

```
void insert(const E& it) { // Insert "it" at current position
    curr->next = curr->next->prev = new Link<E>(it, curr, curr->next);

    5          4          1  2  3

    cnt++;
}
```

Doubly Linked Remove



// Remove and return current element

```
E remove() {
```

```
    if (curr->next == tail)
        return NULL;
```

```
    E it = curr->next->element;
```

```
    Link<E>* ltemp = curr->next;
```

```
    1 curr->next->next->prev = curr;
```

```
    2 curr->next = curr->next->next;
```

// Remove from list

```
    delete ltemp;
```

```
    cnt--;
```

```
    return it;
```

```
}
```


Doubly Linked Append & Prev

// Append "it" to the end of the list.

```
void append(const E& it) {  
    tail->prev = tail->prev->next =  
        new Link<E>(it, tail->prev, tail);  
    cnt++;  
}
```

// Move fence one step left; no change if left is empty

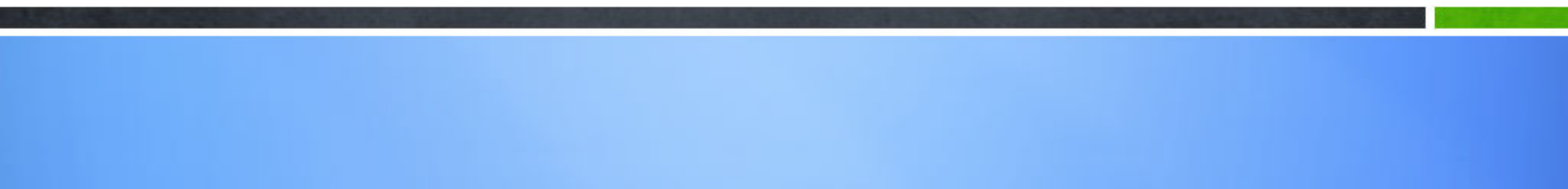
```
void prev() {  
    if (curr != head) // Can't back up from list head  
        curr = curr->prev;  
}
```

Doubly Linked List disadvantage

- **The only disadvantage** of the doubly linked list as compared to the singly linked list is the additional space used.



5.7 Polynomial Manipulation



Application: polynomial

$$\begin{aligned} P_n(x) &= a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \cdots + a_n x^n \\ &= \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^i \end{aligned}$$

Expressing the polynomial

- Express the linear list :

$$P = (p_0, p_1, \dots, p_n)$$

- It is also unsuitable to express the form like

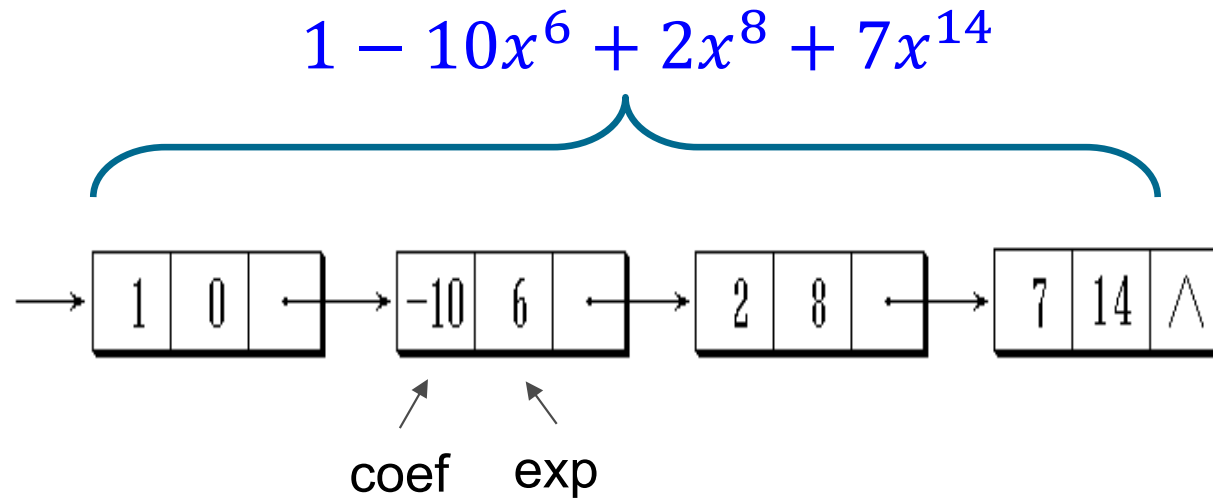
$$S(X) = 1 + 3x^{10000}$$

- Writing factor and index number

$$((p_1, e_1), (p_2, e_2), \dots, (p_m, e_m))$$

How about the defects

The link expressing



- Strong point is :

The number of item of polynomial may rise dynamically ,
It is convenient to insert, delete the element .

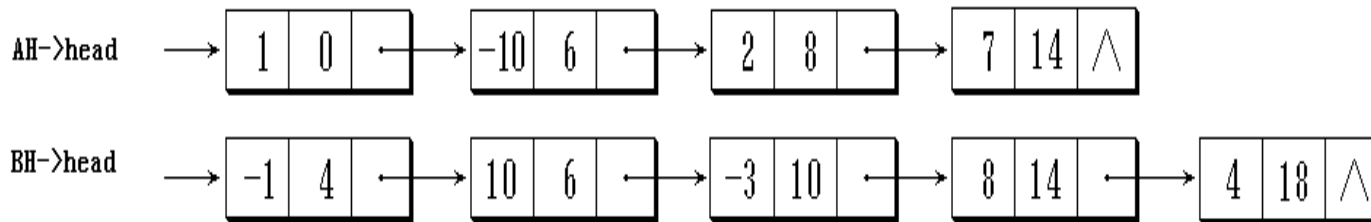
Polynomial node definition

```
Class Term{  
    public:  
        int coef;  
        int exp;  
  
        Term(int c_t=1, int e_t=0)  
        {  
            coef = c_t;  
            exp = e_t;  
        }  
        Term(const Term& t)  
        {  
            coef = t.coef;  
            exp = t.exp;  
        }  
};
```

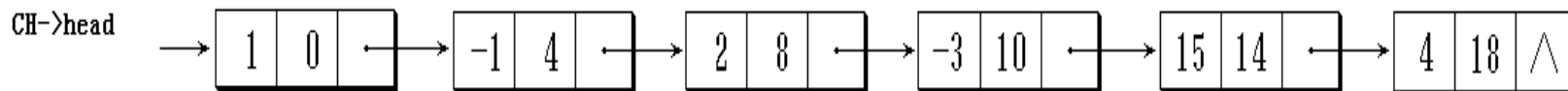
Polynomial adding to of chained lists

$$AH = 1 - 10x^6 + 2x^8 + 7x^{14}$$

$$BH = -x^4 + 10x^6 - 3x^{10} + 8x^{14} + 4x^{18}$$



(a) 两个相加的多项式



(b) 相加结果的多项式


```
LList<Term>* AddPoly(LList<Term> *AH, LList<Term> *BH)
```

```
{
```

```
    AH->moveToStart(); BH->moveToStart();
```

```
    LList<Term>* CH = new LList<Term>;
```

```
    while( AH->currPos() < AH->length() && BH->currPos() < BH->length() )
```

```
    {
```

```
        if( AH->getValue().exp == BH->getValue().exp ) {
```

```
            if( AH->getValue().coef + BH->getValue().coef != 0 )
```

```
                CH->append(Term(AH->getValue().coef + BH->getValue().coef, AH->getValue().exp));
```

```
                AH->next(); BH->next();
```

```
        }else if( AH->getValue().exp < BH->getValue().exp ) {
```

```
            CH->append(AH->getValue()); AH->next();
```

```
        }else {
```

```
            CH->append(BH->getValue()); BH->next();
```

```
        }
```

```
    } // end of while
```


```
    LList<Term>* TH = ( AH->currPos() < AH->length() ? AH : BH );
```

```
    while( TH->currPos() < TH->length() )
```


```
        { CH->append(TH->getValue()); TH->next(); }
```

```
    return CH;
```

```
}
```



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