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template <typename T>
class LinkedList {
public:
    void mergeSort();
private:
    void mergeSort(Node<T>* & head);
    void divideList(Node<T>* first1, Node<T>* & first2);
    Node<T>* mergeLists(Node<T>* a, Node<T>* b);
    Node<T>* first;
};
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template <typename T>
void LinkedList<T>::divideList(Node<T>* first1,
                             Node<T>* & first2)
{
    Node<T>* middle;
    Node<T>* current;
    if (first1 == nullptr) {
        first2 = nullptr;
    }
    else if (first1->link == nullptr) {
        first2 = nullptr;
    } else {
        middle = first1;
        current = first1->link;
        if (current != nullptr) {
            current = current->link;
        }
        while (current != nullptr) {
            middle = middle->link;
            current = current->link;
            if (current != nullptr) {
                current = current->link;
            }
        }
        first2 = middle->link;
        middle->link = nullptr;
    }
}

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template <typename T>
Node<T>* LinkedList<T>::mergeLists(Node<T>* head,
                                   Node<T>* otherHead)
{
    Node<T>* newHead = nullptr;
    Node<T>* current = nullptr;
    if (head->value < otherHead->value) {
        newHead = head;
        head = head->link;
    }
    else {
        newHead = otherHead;
        otherHead = otherHead->link;
    }
    current = newHead;
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while ((head != nullptr) && (otherHead != nullptr)) {  
    if (head->value < otherHead->value) {  
        current->link = head;  
        current = head;  
        head = head->link;  
        if (head == nullptr) {  
            current->link = otherHead;  
        }  
    }  
    else {  
        current->link = otherHead;  
        current = otherHead;  
        otherHead = otherHead->link;  
        if (otherHead == nullptr) {  
            current->link = head;  
        }  
    }  
}  
return newHead;  
}
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template <typename T>
void LinkedList<T>::mergeSort(Node<T>*& head)
{
    Node<T>* otherHead;
    if (head != nullptr) {
        if (head->link != nullptr) {
            divideList(head, otherHead);
            mergeSort(head);
            mergeSort(otherHead);
            head = mergeLists(head, otherHead);
        }
    }
}
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