# Java-Linked List Methods

# **Project Abstract**

The purpose of this project is to demonstrate how to perform operations on a `LinkedList` in Java. This task helps you to understand how to use the `LinkedList` class to store elements and perform various operations, such as adding, removing, and retrieving elements from both ends of the list. The project focuses on using methods such as `addFirst()`, `addLast()`, `removeFirst()`, `removeLast()`, `getFirst()`, and `getLast()` to manipulate the LinkedList.

## This project focuses on:

- 1. Understanding how to create and use a `LinkedList` in Java.
- 2. Adding items to a `LinkedList` using methods like `addFirst()` and `addLast()`.
- 3. Removing items from a `LinkedList` using `removeFirst()` and `removeLast()`.
- 4. Retrieving the first and last items using 'getFirst()' and 'getLast()'.
- 5. Demonstrating the impact of LinkedList operations on its structure.

#### **Tasks Overview**

## Task 1: Add, Remove, and Get Items in a LinkedList

ObjectiveObjective: Perform various operations on a LinkedList, including adding, removing, and retrieving elements.

Detailed Description: In this task, you will create a `LinkedList` of integers and perform the following operations: adding elements to the front and back of the list using `addFirst()` and `addLast()`, removing elements from the front and back using `removeFirst()` and `removeLast()`, and retrieving the first and last elements using `getFirst()` and `getLast()`.

### Steps:

- 1. \*\*Create a LinkedList:\*\*
  - Declare a `LinkedList` object named `linkedList` to store `Integer` values.
- 2. \*\*Add Items to the LinkedList:\*\*
  - Use the 'addFirst()' method to add an item at the front of the list (add 3).
  - Use the 'addLast()' method to add items at the end of the list (add 1 & 4).
- Print the `LinkedList` to show the items after adding them as `"LinkedList after adding items using addFirst() and addLast(): " + linkedList`.

- 3. \*\*Remove Items from the LinkedList:\*\*
  - Use the 'removeFirst()' method to remove the item at the front of the list.
  - Use the 'removeLast()' method to remove the item at the end of the list.
- Print the `LinkedList` again to show the updated list after removing items as `"LinkedList after removing items using removeFirst() and removeLast(): " + linkedList`.
- 4. \*\*Get the First and Last Items:\*\*
- Declare a `firstItem` of type `Integer` and use the `getFirst()` method to retrieve and save it.
  - Declare 'lastItem' of type 'Integer' and use the 'getLast()' method to retrieve and save it.
- Print both variables as `"First item: " + firstItem + ", Last item: " + lastItem`.

# **Execution Steps to Follow:**

- 1. All actions like build, compile, running application, running test cases will be through Command Terminal.
- 2. To open the command terminal the test takers, need to go to Application menu (Three horizontal lines at left top) 

  Terminal 

  New Terminal.
- 3. This editor Auto Saves the code.
- 4. If you want to exit(logout) and continue the coding later anytime (using Save & Exit option on Assessment Landing Page) then you need to use CTRL+Shift+B-command compulsorily on code IDE. This will push or save the updated contents in the internal git/repository. Else the code will not be available in the next login.
- 5. These are time bound assessments the timer would stop if you logout and while logging in back using the same credentials the timer would resume from the same time it was stopped from the previous logout.
- 6. To run your project use command:

mvn compile exec:java

- -Dexec.mainClass="com.yaksha.assignment.LinkedListOperations"
- 7. To test your project test cases, use the command mvn test

8.	You need to use CTRL+Shift+B - command compulsorily on code IDE, before final submission as well. This will push or save the updated contents in the internal git/repository, and will be used to evaluate the code quality.