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CASE STUDY PARTS CRITERIA

Divide and Conquer	Abstraction		
Decomposing the problem into modules.			
Knowledge and Understanding			
Identifying the best suited data	Decision on the Data Structure to be used		
structure for solving the sub	Appropriate program structures		
problems with justification	(arrays, loops, ifs, methods, etc.)		
problems with Justification	Proper use of structures		
	(variables, naming, data types, files, correct usage,		
	etc.)		
	Follows accepted principles of good software design		
Define algorithms for various identified functions.	Algorithms		
Thinking and Inquiry			
Code:	Code		
Implement the modules	Program runs; evidence of testing; catches errors in input-output; "crash-free"; works as expected		
	Graceful exits; logical data input; intuitive; proper and appropriate prompts; directs/controls user interaction Use of comments; proper style (indents/spacing); proper naming of objects/variables		
Test Cases:	All required functions are implemented		
Test cases: Test cases to test correctness of the solution	Screen shoots of successful and unsuccessful output		

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MINIPROJECT (TO DO LIST)

INTRODUCTION

The program "TO DO LIST" is a C program coded on a Unix platform and gcc compiler. It is a text based program. It is basically used to keep a track of all you to do activities like experiments and assignments. The data structure used in this project is Link List.

WHY THIS PROJECT

The most basic reason for selecting this project is our (student's) need to keep an ongoing track of all the activities that are to be done within a deadline. We have limited this program to experiment track recording, but this can be extended to a larger scale. As of now this project helps a student to store his experiment details in a .dat file and also he can view them as and when he wants to. It also shows the overdue experiments and hence helps a student to manage his activities.

DATA STRUCTURE USED

The data structure used in our project is link list.

Like arrays, Linked List is a linear data structure. Unlike arrays, linked list elements are not stored at a contiguous location; the elements are linked using pointers.

Why Linked List?

Arrays can be used to store linear data of similar types, but arrays have the following limitations.

- 1) The size of the arrays is fixed: So we must know the upper limit on the number of elements in advance. Also, generally, the allocated memory is equal to the upper limit irrespective of the usage.
- 2) Inserting a new element in an array of elements is expensive because the room has to be created for the new elements and to create room existing elements have to be shifted.

For example, in a system, if we maintain a sorted list of IDs in an array id[].

id[] = [1000, 1010, 1050, 2000, 2040].

And if we want to insert a new ID 1005, then to maintain the sorted order, we have to move all the elements after 1000 (excluding 1000).

Deletion is also expensive with arrays until unless some special techniques are used. For example, to delete 1010 in id[], everything after 1010 has to be moved.

Advantages over arrays:

- 1) Dynamic size
- 2) Ease of insertion/deletion

Drawbacks:

1) Random access is not allowed. We have to access elements sequentially starting from the first node. So we

cannot do binary search with linked lists efficiently with its default implementation. Read about it here.

- 2) Extra memory space for a pointer is required with each element of the list.
- 3) Not cache friendly. Since array elements are contiguous locations, there is locality of reference which is not there in case of linked lists.

Representation:

A linked list is represented by a pointer to the first node of the linked list. The first node is called the head. If the linked list is empty, then the value of the head is NULL. Each node in a list consists of at least two parts:

- 1) data
- 2) Pointer (Or Reference) to the next node In C, we can represent a node using structures. Below is an example of a linked list node with integer data.

ADT SPECIFICATIONS

1. struct entry* create():

This function takes void as a parameter. It is used to create a block of memory of the size equal to that of the structure node and sets its parameter – next as NULL. It prompts the user to enter date of submission, subject and Experiment number and stores it.

The function returns the address of the newly created node to the calling function.

2. int NoOfNodes(struct):

This function is used to count the number of nodes(i.e. the number of experiments) the user has entered in order to create that many number of bytes of space in the .dat file.

Return type is integer.

Argument is the address to the first element of the list

3. void add():

This is the driving function of the program. It calls the create() function to create block of memory. Once the create() function returns, the add() function adds the node(ie the experiment) to the already existing list, or creates a new list is one already doesn't exist. This addition of a node to existing list is done in a sorted manner in ascending order as per the date of submission of the experiments.

The function returns void type.

4. void display():

This function displays all the experiments with their due dates that the user has fed into the program.

Return type of the function is NULL.

5. struct entry* del():

When called, this function automatically deletes those experiments that have already crossed the deadlines.

It compares the current CPU time and the date of submission of the experiments entered by the user and removes and displays those experiments that have already crossed the deadlines.

This function returns the address to the first node.

6. void removemanual():

This function lets the user to manually remove any of the experiment he/she desires from the todo list. It asks

for the name of the subject and the experiment number to the user and deletes that experiment if found in the list.

Return type is void.

PROGRAM SOURCE CODE:

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<math.h>
#include<time.h>
#include<string.h>
#include<assert.h>
struct entry
  struct date
  {
    int day;
    int month;
    int year;
  }dd;
  char sub[20];
  int expno;
  struct entry *next;
}*start=NULL,*tail=NULL;
/*returns address of newly created block of memory*/
struct entry* create()
```

```
{
  struct entry *data;
  data=(struct entry*)malloc(sizeof(struct entry));
  printf("\nenter data of submission dd/mm/yyyy: ");
  scanf("%d%[/]%d%[/]%d",&data->dd.day,&data-
>dd.month,&data->dd.year);
  printf("\nenter name of subject: ");
  scanf("%s",data->sub);
  printf("\nenter experiment number: ");
  scanf("%d",&data->expno);
  data->next=NULL;
  return data;
}
/*
this function counts no of nodes to allocate that many
bytes*number of bytes required for each instance of
structure for dat file
*/
int NoOfNodes(struct entry *front)
{
  struct entry *temp=front;
```

```
int count=0;
  while(temp!=NULL)
  {
    count++;
    temp=temp->next;
  return count;
}
/*
This function is used to add new experiments to to do list
in a sorted manner as per the submission dates.
An experiment with a nearer due date is stored first
*/
void add()
  struct entry *temp=create();
  if(start==NULL)
  {
    start=temp;
    tail=start;
  }
```

```
else
    struct entry *tempnode; //as a temporary variable to
hold address of start
    struct entry *current,*prev=start;
    current=start; //to traverse the list
    int nodesize=temp->dd.year*1000+temp-
>dd.month*100+temp->dd.day; //numerical
representation of due date of the node to be inserted
    while(prev!=NULL&&current!=NULL)
      int currentsize=current->dd.year*1000+current-
>dd.month*100+current->dd.day; //numerical
representation of the due date of the node iterated
      if(currentsize>=nodesize) // i.e. if the new node
has due date prior to the current iterated node
        if(current==start) //if the new node is to be
inserted at the start itself
          tempnode=start;
          start=temp;
```

```
start->next=tempnode;
        }
        else if(prev->next=NULL)//prev=tail i.e if the new
node has to be inserted at the very end of the list
           prev->next=temp;
           tail=temp;
                       //here, we insert the new node
        else
between the current and the previous nodes
           prev->next=temp;
           prev=prev->next;
           prev->next=current;
        }
        return;
      }
                //if the newly created node has due date
      else
somewhere after the current node
      {
       prev=current;
```

```
current=current->next;
      }
    prev->next=temp;
    tail=prev;
    return;
  }
  int c=NoOfNodes(start);//to count number of nodes for
the fwrite function so as to allocate that many bytes for
the stream dynamically
  FILE *fp; //file pointer
  temp=start;
  if((fp=fopen("abc.dat","a"))!=NULL)
  {
    fwrite(temp,sizeof(struct entry),c,fp);
    /*
    fwrite is used to write to file
    fwrite takes 4 arguements: the pointer to the
stream, size of each variable, total no of such sizes, file ptr
```

```
fclose(fp);
 }
 else
  printf("\nerror in opening the File");
  exit(0);
 }
void display()
{
 struct entry *temp=start;
 printf("\n-----
\n");
 printf("\nDate of Submission\tSubject\tExperiment
Number\n-----
\n");
 while(temp!=NULL)
 {
   printf("%d/%d/%d\t\t%s\t%d\n",temp->dd.day,temp-
>dd.month,temp->dd.year,temp->sub,temp->expno);
```

```
temp=temp->next;
  }
}
/*
this function deletes the experiment numbers that have
crossed due dates of submission.
it takes the current cpu time as input to compare the
current time and date of submission
any experiment with due date before the current system
time is removed automatically
*/
struct entry* del()
  time_t t = time(NULL);
  struct tm tm = *localtime(&t);
  printf("\ncurrent date and time: %d-%d-%d
%d:%d\n", tm.tm_year + 1900, tm.tm_mon +
1,tm.tm_mday, tm.tm_hour, tm.tm_min, tm.tm_sec);
  int currentTime=(tm.tm_year +
1900)*1000+(tm.tm mon + 1)*100+tm.tm mday;
//current date of system
  while(start!=NULL)
  {
```

```
int subtime=start->dd.year*1000+start-
>dd.month*100+start->dd.day; //sub date of start
    printf("\nOverdue Experiment:\n");
    if(subtime<currentTime) //crossed deadline
      /*Print the current node*/
      printf("%d/%d/%d\t\t%s\t%d\n",start-
>dd.day,start->dd.month,start->dd.year,start->sub,start-
>expno);
      struct entry *temp=start;
      //push(temp);
      free(start);
      start=start->next;
    else return start;
}
/* this function lets the user to remove an experiment
manually. it asks the subjetc name and the exp no. as input
to search and delete the experimnet if found*/
void removemanual()
    char rmsub[20];
```

```
int rmexp;
    char ch='n';
    printf("\nenter name of subject: ");
    scanf("%s",rmsub);
    printf("\nenter experiment number: ");
    scanf("%d",&rmexp);
    struct entry* curr=start,*prev;
    while(curr!=NULL)
    {
      if(!strcmp(curr->sub,rmsub))
      {
         if(curr->expno==rmexp)
           printf("\nexperiment found!! Sure to
delete?(y/n)");
           ch=getche();
           if(ch=='n')
           {
             printf("\ncanceled\n");
             break;
           if(curr==start)
```

```
start=start->next;
             free(curr);
             curr=NULL;
             printf("\n\tfreed\n");
             break;
           }
           prev->next=curr->next;
           printf("\n\tfreed\n");
           free(curr);
         }
       }
       prev=curr;
      curr=curr->next;
printf("\nexperiment not found!\n");
}
main()
  int ch=1;
```

```
while(ch!=0){
    printf("\nPress 1 to add");
    printf("\nPress 2 to display");
    printf("\nPress 3 to remove experiments
automatically");
    printf("\npress 4 to remove experiments manually");
    printf("\npress 0 to exit\n");
    scanf("%d",&ch);
    switch(ch)
    {
       case 1:add();
           break;
       case 2: display();
           break;
       case 3: del();
           break;
       case 4: removemanual();
           break;
       case 0:
           exit(0);
       default: printf("\ninvalid choice");
}}}
```

PROGRAM OUTPUT

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

1

enter data of submission dd/mm/yyyy: 10/10/2019

enter name of subject: dlda

enter experiment number: 1

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

1

enter data of submission dd/mm/yyyy: 15/10/2019

enter name of subject: dlda

enter experiment number: 2

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

1

enter data of submission dd/mm/yyyy: 20/10/2019

enter name of subject: dlda

enter experiment number: 3

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

2

Date of Submission Subject Experiment Number

10/10/2019 dlda 1

15/10/2019 dlda 2

20/10/2019 dlda 3

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

3

current date and time: 2019-10-12 13:44:13

Overdue Experiment:

10/10/2019 dlda 1

Overdue Experiment:

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

2

Date of Submission Subject Experiment Number

15/10/2019 dlda 2

20/10/2019 dlda 3

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

4

enter name of subject: dlda

enter experiment number: 2

experiment found!! Sure to delete? (y/n) y freed

Press 1 to add

Press 2 to display

Press 3 to remove experiments automatically

press 4 to remove experiments manually

press 0 to exit

0

Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time: 125.297 s

Press any key to continue.

PROBLEMS FACED

The first and the most difficult problem that with dealt with is the difference in the way each of us coded.

For example, we dint understand the variables that the other group member had declared.

So as a part of a solution to this we started adding comments and slowly the problem came down.

One of the technical problems that we faced was with the file handling.

First we used abc.txt, but then with shifted to abc.dat because the txt files gave lot of glitches, which were difficult to handle.

Similarly, there were many more problems but finally we did it.

CONCLUSION

Hence we learnt to effectively used linked lists in data management with the help of a real life example.

CASE STUDY (CASE STUDY 1)

INTRODUCTION

Given two numbers represented by two lists, write a function that returns sum list. The sum list is list representation of addition of two input numbers.

Example 1 Input: First List: 5->6->3 // represents number 365

Second List: 8->4->2 // represents number 248

Output Resultant list: 3->1->6 // represents number 613

Example 2 Input: First List: 7->5->9->4->6 // represents

number 64957

Second List: 8->4 // represents number 48

Output Resultant list: 5->0->5->6 // represents number

65005

ADT SPECIFICATIONS

1. struct node* create():

This function creates a node that stores an integer info and returns the address of the created node to the calling function

2. struct node* insert():

this function takes NULL as parameter. It prompts the user to enter the number in string format; iterates through the entered string character by character

converting char data type to int and calling the create function with the converted integer as parameter

it then links all the nodes together to form a singly linked list.

3. void display(struct node*):

This function takes address of the first node as the argument. Starting from the first node, it iterates through each node, displaying the data of each node in the process.

4. int getsum(struct node*):

This function returns the reverse of sum of all elements in the list such that an element at any node starting from head of a linked list of length 'n' has a place value of 10n-1

Eg. If the list is 3->4->5, it returns 543

5. struct node* makelist(int):

This function accepts an integer as a parameter and creates a linked list of each digit of that integer such that the least significant digit becomes the head of the list and so on.

PROGRAM SOURCE CODE:

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<string.h>
#include<assert.h>
struct node
{
  int data;
  struct node* next;
};
/*This function creates a node that stores an integer info
and returns the address of the created node to the calling
function*/
struct node* create(int info)
  struct node* temp=(struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct
node));
  temp->next=NULL;
  temp->data=info;
  return temp;
```

```
/*this function takes NULL as parameter. It prompts the
user to enter the number in string format; iterates through
the entered string character by character
converting char data type to int and calling the create
function with the converted integer as parameter
it then links all the nodes together to form a singly linked
list*/
struct node* insert()
  struct node *tail, *head=NULL;
  char a[100];
  printf("\nenter a number: ");
  scanf("%s",a);
  strrev(a);
  //printf("\n%s",a);
  int i=0;
  int len=strlen(a);
  for(i=0;i<len;i++)</pre>
  {
    a[i]=(int)a[i]-48; ///character to integer
    struct node* temp=create(a[i]); ///temp stores the
address of new node
    if(head==NULL)
```

```
{
      head=tail=temp;
    else
    {
      tail->next=temp;
      tail=tail->next;
  return head;
}
/*to display the list*/
void display(struct node* head)
{
  printf("\nThe list is:\n");
  while(head!=NULL)
  {
    printf("%d ",head->data);
    if(head->next !=NULL)
      printf("-> ");
    head=head->next;
```

```
printf("\n");
}
/*this function returns the sum of all the elements in the
list
*/
int getsum(struct node* head)
{
  int rem=0,sum=0;
  //get sum of all elements in the node. as we start from
the head, sum is in reversed order
  while(head!=NULL)
  {
    sum=sum*10+head->data;
    head=head->next;
  }
  //reverse the obtained sum
  int temp=0;
  while(sum>0)
  {
    rem=sum%10;
```

```
temp=temp*10+rem;
    sum=sum/10;
  }
  return temp;
}
/*This function is used to create a lined list of the obtained
sum of the two linked lists from the getsum() method*/
struct node* makelink(int sum)
{
  struct node* head=NULL,*tail,*temp;
  int rem;
  while(sum>0)
  {
    rem=sum%10;
    sum=sum/10;
    temp=create(rem);
    if(head==NULL)
    {
      head=tail=temp;
    }
    else
```

```
tail->next=temp;
      tail=tail->next;
  return head;
int main()
{
  struct node *r1,*r2,*r3;
  int sum, sum1, sum2, temp;
  r1=insert();
  display(r1);
  r2=insert();
  display(r2);
  sum1=getsum(r1);///obtain sum of elements in LL1
  sum2=getsum(r2);
  sum=sum1+sum2;///obtain sum of both LL
  printf("\nsum= %d\n",sum);
  r3=makelink(sum);///create linked list with digits of
'sum' as nodes->data
  display(r3);
}
```

PROGRAM OUTPUT

enter a number: 123	
The list is:	
3 -> 2 -> 1	

enter a number: 30

The list is:

0 -> 3

sum= 126

The list is:

6 -> 2 -> 1

Process exited after 4.937 seconds with return value 10 Press any key to continue

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