

# LINKEDLIST

**LinkedList** internally makes use of **doubly linked list data structure** to store data where the elements are not stored in contiguous locations and **every element** is a separate object with **a data part and address part**. The elements are **linked** using **pointers and addresses**. Each element is known as a **node**.

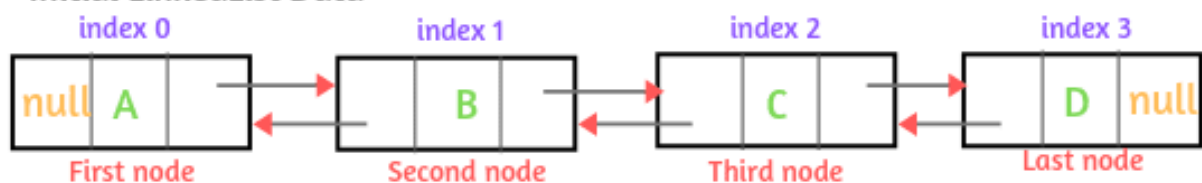
## How LinkedList is better than ArrayList?

Just like arrays, **ArrayList** also expects **contiguous** Memory locations in RAM. But since **LinkedList** Makes use of **doubly LinkedList**, it can make use Of **dispersed memory location** thus overcoming all the disadvantages of arrays.



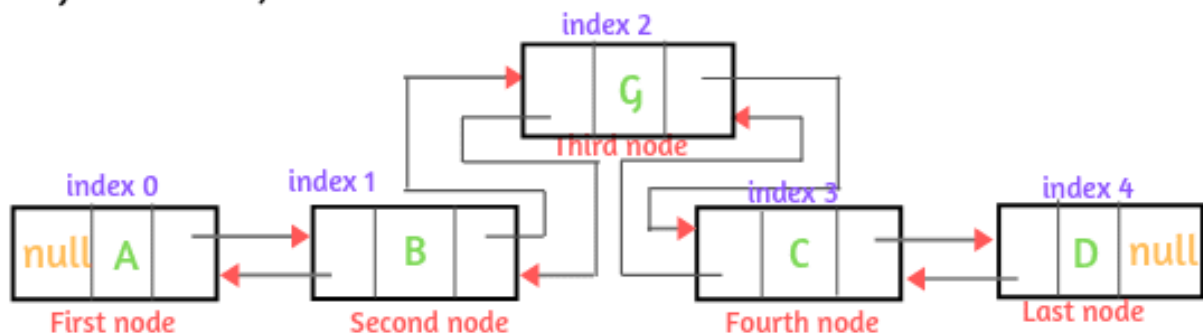
## Internal Implementation of LinkedList

Initial LinkedList Data



```
linkedList.add(2,"G");
```

After Insertion, LinkedList Data will look like this.



You can see that one node is created with element G and simply changes the next and previous pointer only. No shift of operation has occurred.

## Built-in Methods in LinkedList:

1. **add(int index, E element):** This method Inserts the specified element at the specified position in this list.
2. **add(E e):** This method Appends the specified element to the end of this list.
3. **addAll(int index, Collection c):** This method Inserts all of the elements in the specified collection into this list, starting at the specified position.
4. **addAll(Collection c):** This method Appends all of the elements in the specified collection to the end of this list, in the order that they are returned by the specified collection's iterator.
5. **addFirst(E e):** This method Inserts the specified element at the beginning of this list.
6. **addLast(E e):** This method Appends the specified element to the end of this list.
7. **clear():** This method removes all of the elements from this list.
8. **getFirst():** This method returns the first element in this list.
9. **getLast():** This method returns the last element in this list.
10. **indexOf(Object o):** This method returns the index of the first occurrence of the specified element in this list, or -1 if this list does not contain the element.
11. **lastIndexOf(Object o):** This method returns the index of the last occurrence of the specified element in this list, or -1 if this list does not contain the element.
12. **peek():** This method retrieves, but does not remove, the head (first element) of this list.
13. **peekFirst():** This method retrieves, but does not remove, the first element of this list, or returns null if this list is empty.
14. **peekLast():** This method retrieves, but does not remove, the last element of this list, or returns null if this list is empty.
15. **poll():** This method retrieves and removes the head (first element) of this list.
16. **pollFirst():** This method retrieves and removes the first element of this list, or returns null if this list is empty.
17. **pollLast():** This method retrieves and removes the last element of this list, or returns null if this list is empty.
18. **pop():** This method Pops an element from the stack represented by this list.
19. **push(E e):** This method Pushes an element onto the stack represented by this list.
20. **remove():** This method retrieves and removes the head (first element) of this list.
21. **remove(int index):** This method removes the element at the specified position in this list.

- 22. **removeFirst():** This method removes and returns the first element from this list.
- 23. **removeLast():** This method removes and returns the last element from this list.
- 24. **set(int index, E element):** This method replaces the element at the specified position in this list with the specified element.
- 25. **size():** This method returns the number of elements in this list.

**Let us understand these built-in methods with the help of code**

```
import java.util.LinkedList;
class Demo
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        LinkedList ll = new LinkedList();
        ll.add(10);
        ll.add(20);
        ll.add(30);
        ll.addFirst(40);
        ll.addFirst(50);
        ll.addLast(60);
        ll.addLast(70);
        System.out.println(ll);
        System.out.println(ll.getFirst());
        System.out.println(ll.getLast());
        System.out.println(ll.peekFirst());
        System.out.println(ll);
        System.out.println(ll.pollFirst());
        System.out.println(ll);
        System.out.println(ll.peekLast());
        System.out.println(ll);
        System.out.println(ll.pollLast());
        System.out.println(ll);
    }
}
```



## OUTPUT

```
[50, 40, 10, 20, 30, 60, 70]
50
70
50
[50, 40, 10, 20, 30, 60, 70]
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[40, 10, 20, 30, 60, 70]
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[40, 10, 20, 30, 60, 70]
70
```

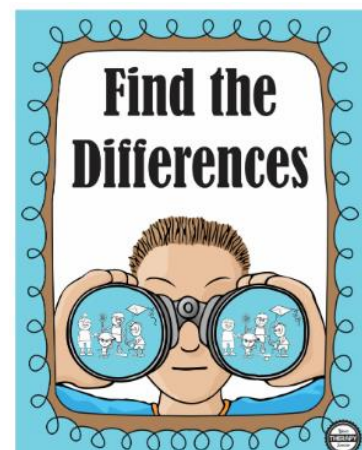
## Difference between peekFirst() and getFirst()

If the List is empty and **getFirst()** is called, it would result in **NoSuchElementException**.

If the List is empty and **peekFirst()** is called, it would not result in any **Exception**.

## Let us understand the difference with the help of code

```
import java.util.LinkedList;
class Demo
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        LinkedList ll = new LinkedList();
        System.out.println(ll);
        //System.out.println(ll.getFirst()); ----> NoSuchElementException
        System.out.println(ll.peekFirst());
        System.out.println(ll);
    }
}
```



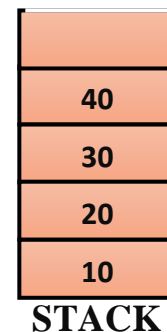
## OUTPUT

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## Implementation of Stack using LinkedList

Stack can be implemented by using **push() and pop()** in LinkedList as shown below:

```
import java.util.LinkedList;  
class Demo  
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        LinkedList ll = new LinkedList();  
        ll.push(10);  
        ll.push(20);  
        ll.push(30);  
        ll.push(40);  
        System.out.println(ll);  
        System.out.println(ll.pop());  
        System.out.println(ll.pop());  
        System.out.println(ll.pop());  
        System.out.println(ll.pop());  
    }  
}
```



## OUTPUT

[40, 30, 20, 10]

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## ARRAYDEQUE

ArrayDeque in Java provides a way to apply **resizable-array** in addition to the implementation of the Deque interface. It is also known as **Array Double Ended Queue or Array Deck**. This is a special kind of array that grows and allows users to add or remove an element from **both the sides of the queue**.

**Few important features of ArrayDeque are as follows:**

- Array dequeues have no capacity restrictions and they grow as necessary to support usage.
- They are not thread-safe which means that in the absence of external synchronization, ArrayDeque does not support concurrent access by multiple threads.
- Null elements are prohibited in the ArrayDeque.
- ArrayDeque class is likely to be **faster than Stack** when used as a stack.
- ArrayDeque class is likely to **be faster than LinkedList** when used as a queue.



## Built-in Methods in ArrayDeque:

1. [add\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts particular element at the end of the deque.
2. [addFirst\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts particular element at the start of the deque.
3. [addLast\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts particular element at the end of the deque. It is similar to add () method
4. [clear\(\)](#) : The method removes all deque elements.
5. [size\(\)](#) : The method returns the no. of elements in deque.
6. [clone\(\)](#) : The method copies the deque.
7. [contains\(Obj\)](#) : The method checks whether a deque contains the element or not.
8. [element\(\)](#) : The method returns element at the head of the deque
9. [getFirst\(\)](#) : The method returns first element of the deque
10. [getLast\(\)](#) : The method returns last element of the deque
11. [isEmpty\(\)](#) : The method checks whether the deque is empty or not.
12. [toArray\(\)](#) : The method returns array having the elements of deque.
13. [offer\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts element at the end of deque.
14. [offerFirst\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts element at the front of deque.
15. [offerLast\(Element e\)](#) : The method inserts element at the end of deque.
16. [peek\(\)](#) : The method returns head element without removing it.
17. [peekFirst\(\)](#) : The method returns first element without removing it.
18. [peekLast\(\)](#) : The method returns last element without removing it.
19. [poll\(\)](#) : The method returns head element and also removes it
20. [pollFirst\(\)](#) : The method returns first element and also removes it
21. [pollLast\(\)](#) : The method returns last element and also removes it
22. [pop\(\)](#) : The method pops out an element for stack represented by deque
23. [push\(Element e\)](#) : The method pushes an element onto stack represented by deque
24. [remove\(\)](#) : The method returns head element and also removes it
25. [removeFirst\(\)](#) : The method returns first element and also removes it
26. [removeLast\(\)](#) : The method returns last element and also removes it
27. [removeFirstOccurrence\(Obj\)](#) : The method removes the element where it first occur in the deque.
28. [removeLastOccurrence\(Obj\)](#) : The method removes the element where it last occur in the deque.



## Accessing ArrayDeque from front-end.

```
import java.util.ArrayDeque;
class Demo
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ArrayDeque dq = new ArrayDeque();
        dq.add(10);
        dq.add(20);
        dq.add(30);
        dq.add(40);
        System.out.println(dq);
        System.out.println(dq.pollFirst());
        System.out.println(dq.pollFirst());
        System.out.println(dq.pollFirst());
        System.out.println(dq.pollFirst());
    }
}
```



## OUTPUT

[10, 20, 30, 40]

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Press any key to continue . . .





## Accessing ArrayDeque from rear-end.

```
import java.util.ArrayDeque;
class Demo55
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ArrayDeque dq = new ArrayDeque();
        dq.add(10);
        dq.add(20);
        dq.add(30);
        dq.add(40);
        System.out.println(dq);
        System.out.println(dq.pollLast());
        System.out.println(dq.pollLast());
        System.out.println(dq.pollLast());
        System.out.println(dq.pollLast());
    }
}
```

## OUTPUT

[10, 20, 30, 40]

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Press any key to continue . . .



## Implementation of Stack using ArrayDeque

Stack can be implemented by using **push()** and **pop()** in ArrayDeque as shown below:

```
import java.util.ArrayDeque;
class Demo55
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        ArrayDeque dq = new ArrayDeque();
        dq.push(10);
        dq.push(20);
        dq.push(30);
        dq.push(40);
        System.out.println(dq);
        System.out.println(dq.pop());
        System.out.println(dq.pop());
        System.out.println(dq.pop());
        System.out.println(dq.pop());
    }
}
```

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STACK

### OUTPUT

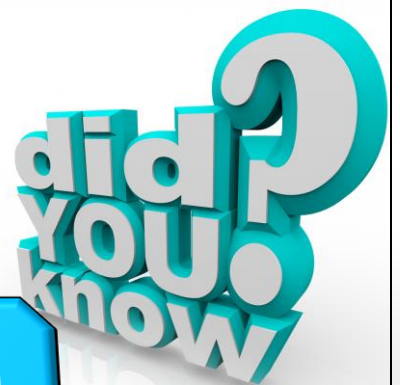
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Nomophobia is the fear of being without a mobile phone,  
Cyberphobia is the fear of computers.