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Title:	Singly Linked List Operations	
Prerequisites:	DEV C++ IDE	
	Knowledge about singly linked lists and operations on it	
Objectives:	Learn and implement the Singly Linked List using the concept of self-referential structure	
	Apply concept of dynamic memory allocation functions to change size during runtime.	
	Perform and verify various operation with data handling using linked data structure.	
Theory:		
	<p>A linked list is a linear data structure, in which the elements are not stored at contiguous memory locations. The elements in a linked list are linked using pointers. Linked List is a sequence of links which contains items. Each link contains a connection to another link. Linked list can be visualized as a chain of nodes, where every node points to the next node. Linked List contains a link element called first. Each link carries a data field(s) and a link field called next. Each link is linked with its next link using its next link. Last link carries a link as null to mark the end of the list</p>	

Algorithm	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Start 2) Ask the user for what he wants to do. 3) If the user chooses to create a single linked list call the create() function. a) CREATE: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. We first allocate the struct Node* memory to a pointer using malloc. 2. If the start pointer is NULL then the newly created node will point to start pointer. 3. If not then the pointer to this new node is stored in the node which is already saved in the start pointer. 4. If the user chooses to display the linked list then call the display() function. b) DISPLAY: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If the start pointer is null then print linked list is empty. 2. Else print the info stored in the info of the start pointer and then run a while loop pointing out to the next node stored in the next field of the pointer. 3. And then print the info stores in the node. 4. If the user chooses to insert a new node in the beginning then call the insert_begin() function. c) INSERT_BEGIN: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If the start pointer is null then this node pointer will be saved as the start pointer. 2. Else the next field in the currently entered node will save the value of the start pointer. 3. If the user chooses to insert a node at the end then call the insert_end() function. d) INSERT_END: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If the start pointer is NULL then the current node is saved at start pointer. 2. Else we will run a while loop to find which node has its next field NULL and then the pointer to the new node is saved in the next field. 3. If the user chooses to insert a node at a specific position then call the insert_position() function. e) INSERT_SPECIFIC POSITION: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. If position u want to insert the node is 0 then the start pointer will point to this node. 2. Else run a while loop till u find the pointer of the node having position (pos-1) and let the next field of this pointer be the newly entered node and the next field of it point to the newly entered node. 3. If the user wants to delete the beginning node then call the delete_begin() function. f) DELETE_BEGIN: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether list is Empty (head == NU LL) 2. If it is Empty then, display 'List is Empty' and terminate the function. 3. If it is Not Empty then, define a Node pointer 'temp' and initialize with
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head.

4. Check whether list is having only one node ($\text{temp} \rightarrow \text{next} == \text{NULL}$)
5. If it is TRUE then set $\text{head} = \text{NULL}$ and delete temp (Setting Empty list conditions)
6. If it is FALSE then set $\text{head} = \text{temp} \rightarrow \text{next}$, and delete temp.
7. If the user chooses to delete the end item of the linked list then call $\text{delete_end}()$ function.

g) DELETE_END:

1. Check whether list is Empty ($\text{head} == \text{NULL}$)
2. If it is Empty then, display 'List is Empty!!! Deletion is not possible' and terminate the function.
3. If it is Not Empty then, check if there is only one node and then let the pointer value of that node be null(i.e $\text{start} = \text{null}$)
4. Else run a while loop to find the node whose next field is empty and make the next field of the previous node null.
5. And use the $\text{free}()$ function to free the memory allocated to the node.
6. If the user chooses to delete a node at a specific position then call the $\text{delete_pos}()$ function.

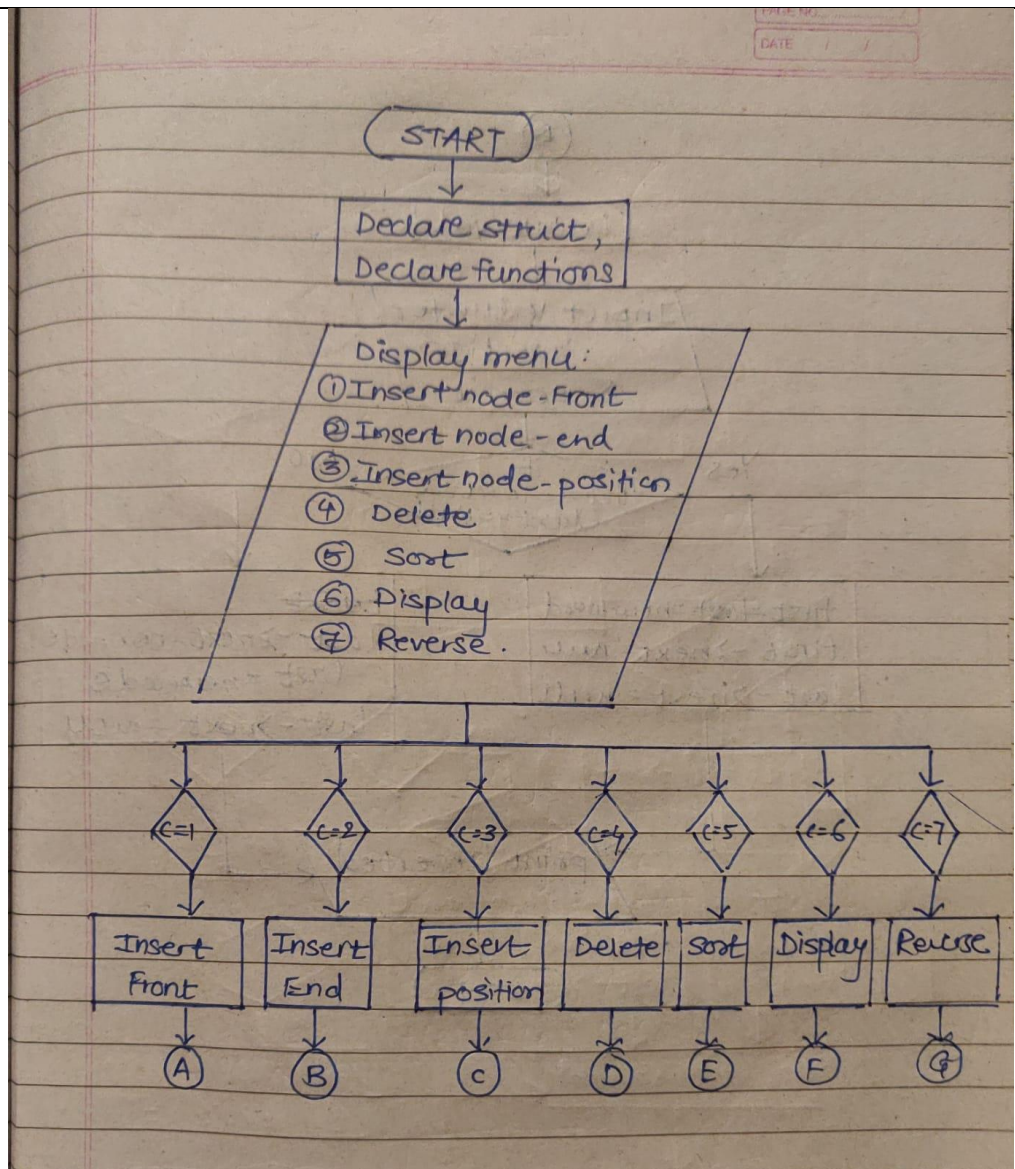
h) DELETE_SPECIFIC POSITION:

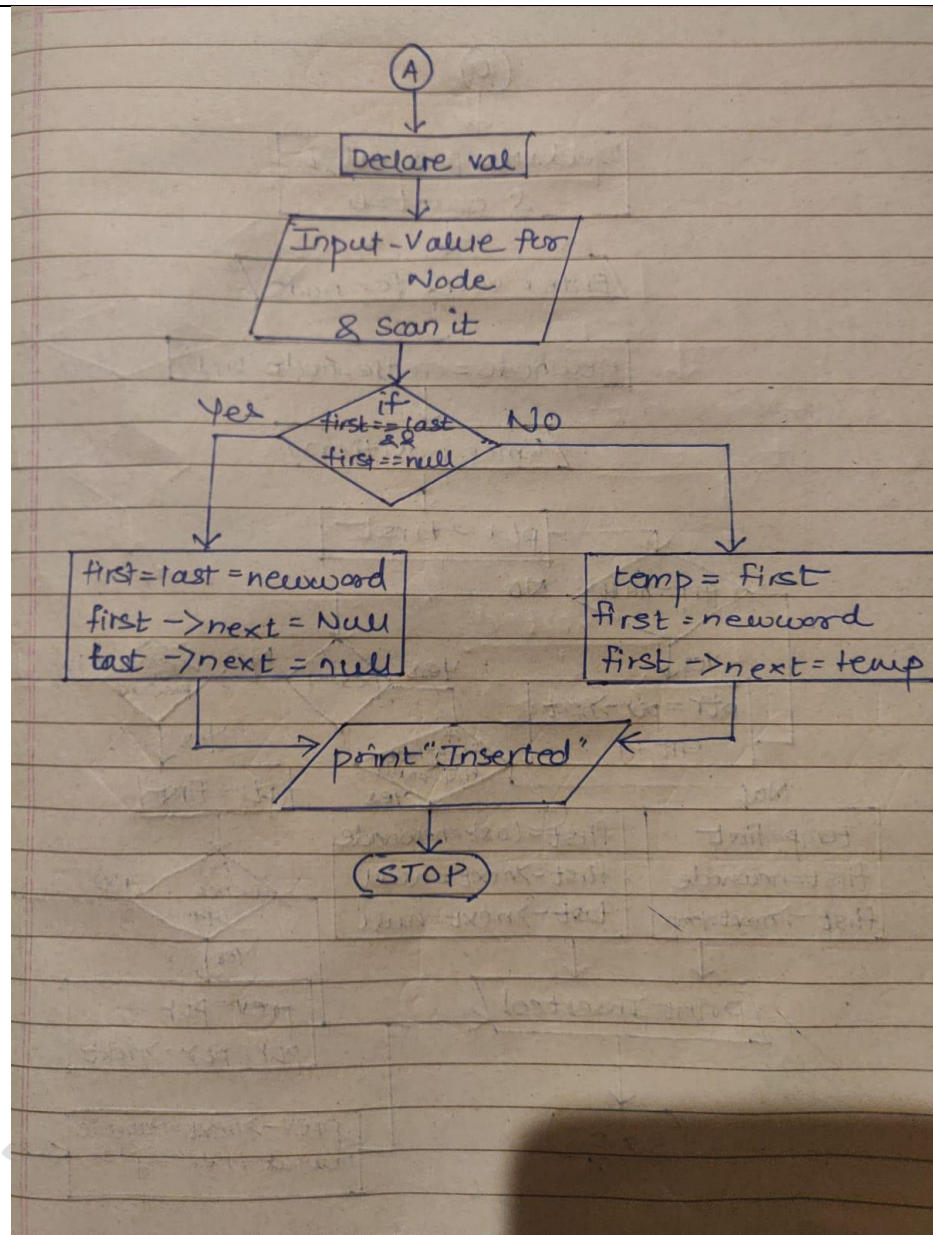
1. Check if start is null and print 'List is Empty'
2. Take input from user for the position of the node to be deleted.
3. Run a while loop to find the pointer of the node at the given position.
4. Let the pointer stored in the next field of this pointer now be the pointer of this node itself.
5. And now use the $\text{free}()$ function to free the space stored at the removed pointer.
6. If user chooses to revert the SSL then call the $\text{reverse_function}()$

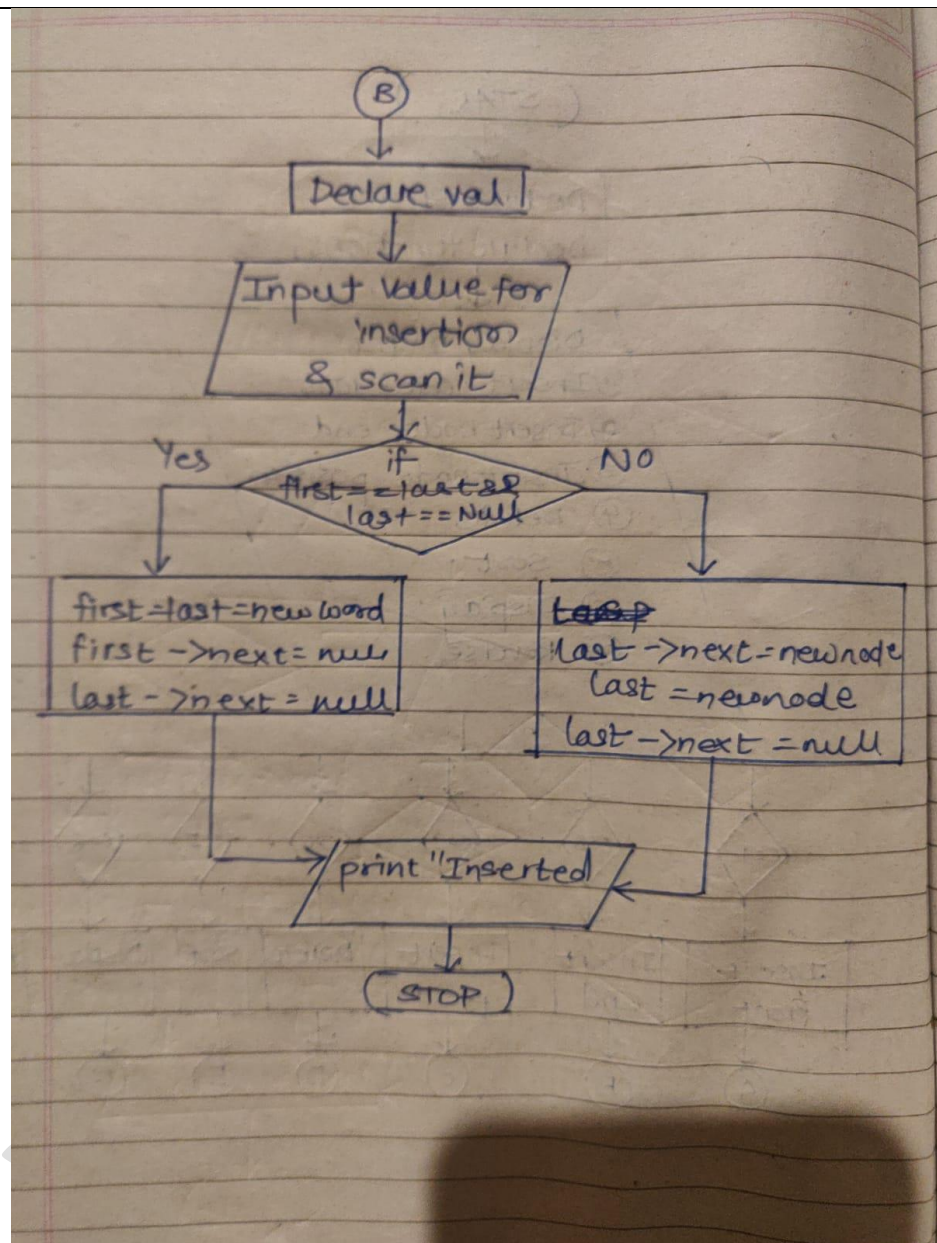
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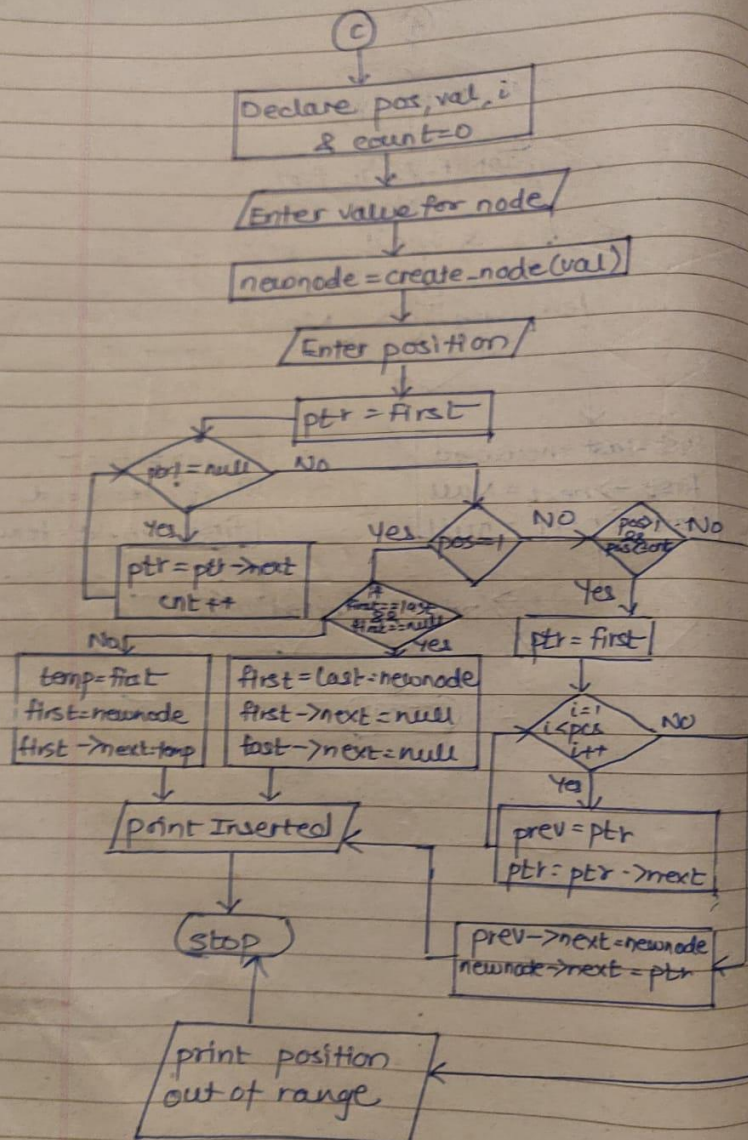
1. Initialize three pointers prev as NULL, curr as head and next as NULL
2. Iterate through the linked list. In loop, do following.
3. Before changing next of current, store next node $\text{next} = \text{curr} \rightarrow \text{next}$.
4. Now change next of current, This is where actual reversing happens $\text{curr} \rightarrow \text{next} = \text{prev}$
5. Move prev and curr one step forward $\text{prev} = \text{curr}$, $\text{curr} = \text{next}$
6. If the user chooses to exit the menu then call the $\text{exit}()$ function.
7. END

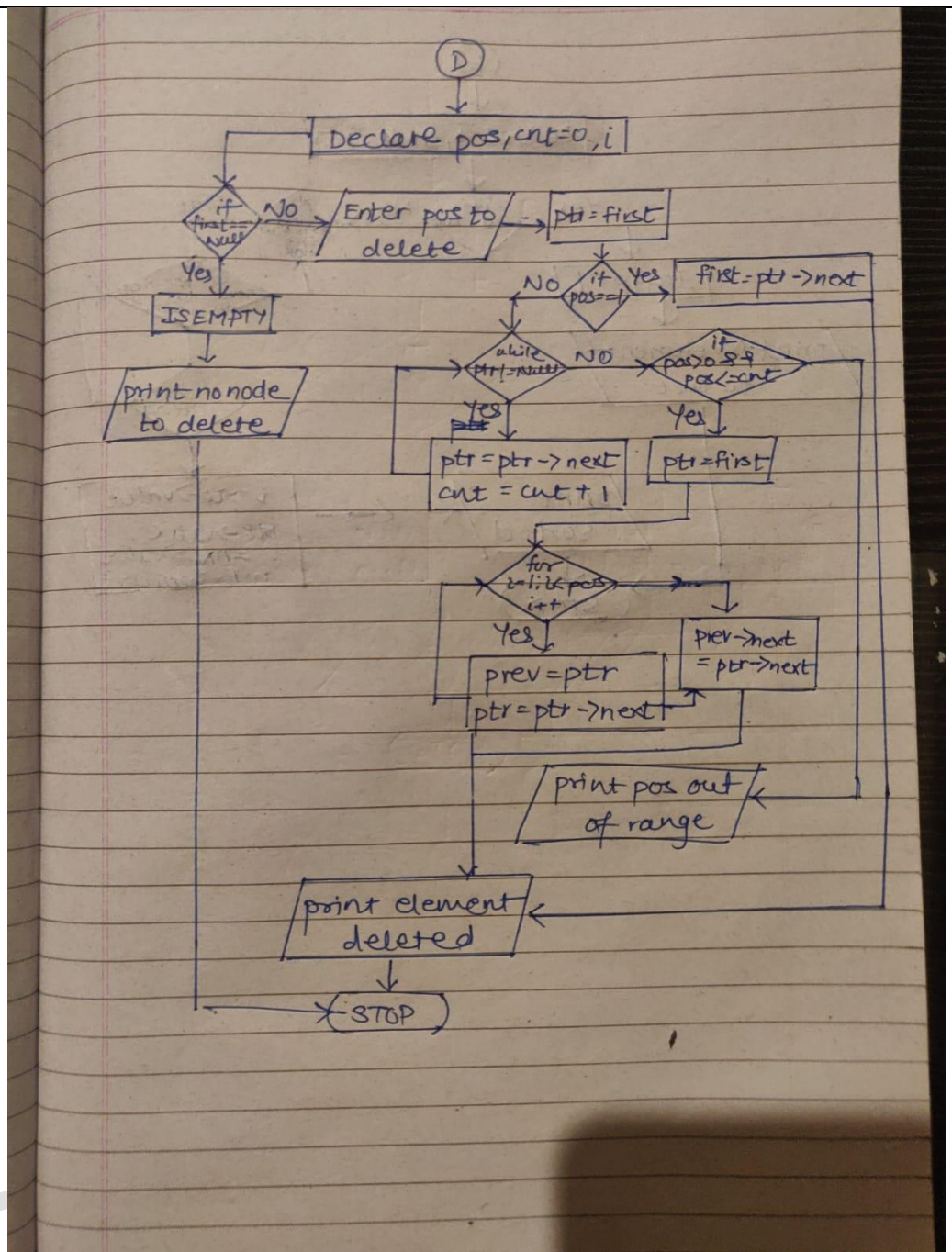
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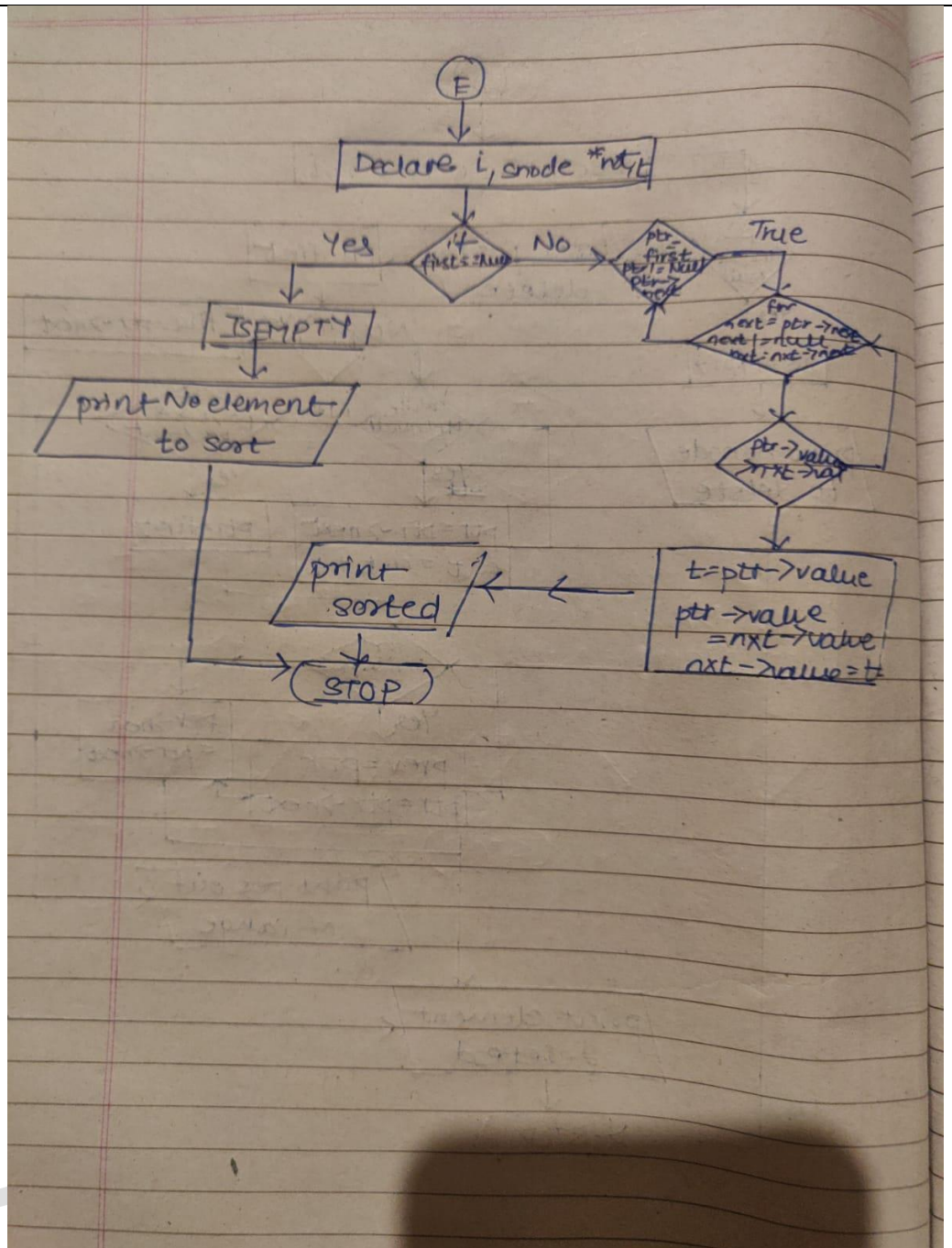


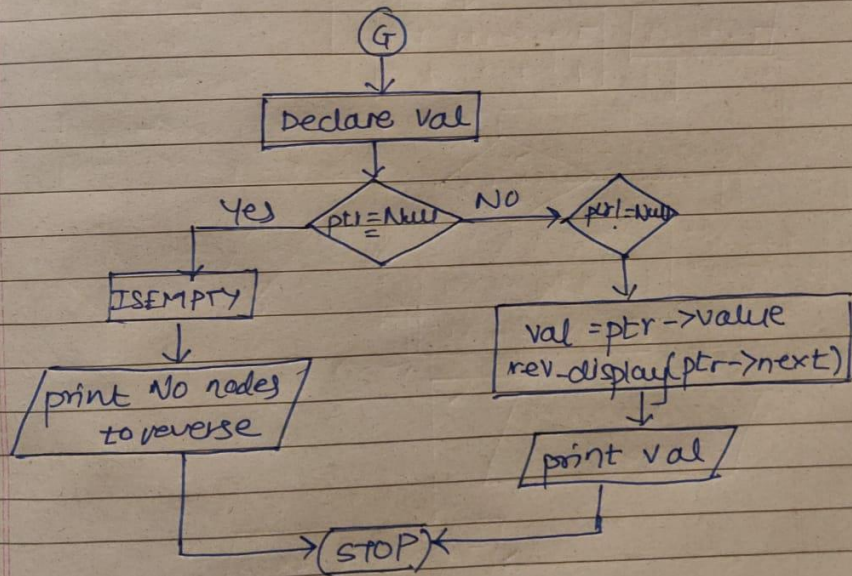
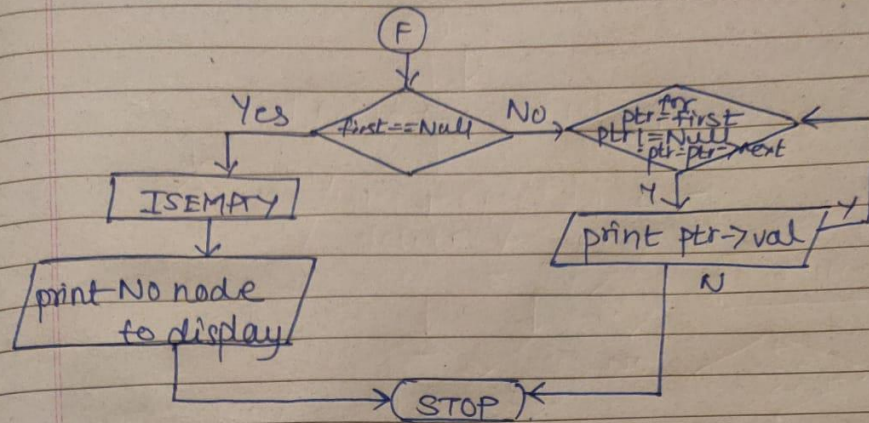












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CONCLUSION:	
	1) Hence, singly linked list was implemented using theoretical knowledge 2) Dynamic memory allocation method was implemented to perform given tasks 3) Operations on linked list were performed successfully
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