

LinkedList

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Reverse a Linked List

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class Solution:

```
def reverseList(self, head: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:
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```
    prev = None
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    curr = head
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```
    while(curr!=None):
```

```
        temp_next = curr.next
```

```
        curr.next = prev
```

```
        prev = curr
```

```
        curr = temp_next
```

```
    return prev
```

this 3 pointer solution has a time complexity of $O(n)$

space complexity is $O(1)$

Recursion

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A function calling itself.

Recursion:

1. There should be a base condition (a condition where we have to stop)
2. We have to break it into smaller problem

Factorial of a number 4

$\text{factorial}(4) = 4 * \text{factorial}(3)$

$\text{factorial}(n) = n * \text{factorial}(n-1)$

$\text{factorial}(1) = 1$

base condition - $\text{fact}(1) = 1$

smaller problem - $\text{fact}(n) = n * \text{fact}(n-1)$

```
class Solution:
    def factorial(self, num:int) -> int:
        if num == 1:
            return 1
        smaller_prob = self.factorial(num-1)
        return num * smaller_prob
```

```
s = Solution()
s.factorial(2)
```

find sum of n natural numbers

input = 10

output = 55

10 numbers

10 + sum of remaining 9

5!

5 * 4!

```
class Solution:
    def reverseList(self, head: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:
        if (head == None or head.next == None):
            return head
        new_head = self.reverseList(head.next)
        head.next.next = head
        head.next = None
        return new_head
```

time complexity = $O(n)$

Space complexity = $O(n)$

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Middle of the Linked List

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class Solution:

```
def middleNode(self, head: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:
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```
    if head == None:
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```
        return head
```

```
    temp = head
```

```
    count = 0
```

```
    while (temp!=None):
```

```
        count = count + 1
```

```
        temp = temp.next
```

```
    middle_ele = count//2 + 1
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```
    temp = head
```

```
    i = 1
```

```
    while (i < middle_ele):
```

```
        temp = temp.next
```

```
        i = i+1
```

```
    return temp
```

Time Complexity = $O(2n) \sim O(n)$

space complexity = $O(1)$

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slow pointer and a fast pointer

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class Solution:

```
def middleNode(self, head: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:
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```
    if (head == None or head.next == None):
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```
        return head
```

```
    slow = head
```

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    fast = head
```

```
    while (fast!=None and fast.next!=None):
```

```
        slow = slow.next
```

```
        fast = fast.next.next
```

return slow

Merge 2 sorted LinkedLists

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class Solution:

def mergeTwoLists(self, list1: Optional[ListNode], list2: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:

prehead = ListNode(-1)
curr = prehead

while list1!=None and list2!=None :

if list1.val < list2.val:

curr.next = list1

list1 = list1.next

else:

curr.next = list2

list2 = list2.next

curr = curr.next

if list1!=None:

curr.next = list1

else:

curr.next = list2

return prehead.next

Solution using recursion

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stopping or base condition for this

class Solution:

def mergeTwoLists(self, list1: Optional[ListNode], list2: Optional[ListNode]) -> Optional[ListNode]:

if list1 == None:

return list2

elif list2 == None:

return list1

elif list1.val < list2.val :

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        list1.next = self.mergeTwoLists(list1.next, list2)
        return list1
    else:
        list2.next = self.mergeTwoLists(list1, list2.next)
        return list2

```

Remove nth node from the End of LinkedList

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class Solution:

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    def removeNthFromEnd(self, head: Optional[ListNode], n: int) -> Optional[ListNode]:
        temp = head
        count = 0
        while(temp!=None):
            count = count + 1
            temp = temp.next

        i = 1
        temp = head
        if count == n:
            return head.next
        while (i < (count-n)):
            temp = temp.next
            i = i + 1
        temp.next = temp.next.next

        return head

```

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class Solution:

```

    def removeNthFromEnd(self, head: Optional[ListNode], n: int) -> Optional[ListNode]:
        dummy = ListNode(-1)
        dummy.next = head
        fast = dummy
        slow = dummy

        i = 1

        while (i <= n):
            fast = fast.next
            i = i + 1

        while (fast.next!=None):

```

```
fast = fast.next  
slow = slow.next
```

```
slow.next = slow.next.next  
return dummy.next
```