

Write a function to intersect two singly linked lists based on their value property. Function must be $O(n)$. Arrays can be assumed to be sorted

Examples:

{val: "foo", next: {val: "bar", next: {val: 0, next: null}}}, {val: "bar", next: {val: "0", next: null}}
→ {val: bar, next: {val: 0, next: null}}

Pseudocode:

function = (list A, list B) ⇒ {}

Step through List A: extract all values (assumed to be unique) ✓

Step through List B: every time a b value matches an A value, add a new node (B value) to the output LL.

Return return LL.

Set up a recursive ~~loop~~ function

```
while a.next !== null || while !(a.next === null || b.next === null) {  
  if (a.val === b.val) {  
    return out.add  
  }  
  var AllUniques = [];  
  while (a.next !== null) {  
    AllUniques += a.val;  
    a = a.next;  
  }  
  var LLOut =  
  var LLOut = null;  
  var LLOut = null;  
  while (b.next !== null) {  
    if (AllUniques[b.val]) {  
      if (LLOut === null) {  
        LLOut = new Node(b.val); pointer = LLOut  
      } else {  
        LLOut.next = new Node(b.val)  
        pointer = LLOut.next  
      }  
    } else {  
      b = b.next  
    }  
  }  
  return LLOut;  
}
```

⇒ New Node

2+ Add, go in

Intersect two linked lists
based on value

listOne = [4] → [7] → [8] → [12]
listTwo = [2] → [4] → [8] → [12]
⇒ [4] → [12]

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function makeAddToIntersect(node) {
  intersect = {};
  intersect[node.value] = true;
  if (node.next)
    return makeAddToIntersect(node.next);
  else return intersect;
}

checkIntersect(intersect, list2) {
  newIntersect = {};
  if (intersect[list2.value])
    newIntersect[list2.value] = true;
  if (list2.next)
    return checkIntersect(intersect, list2.next);
  else return newIntersect;
}

function intersectTwo(listOne, listTwo) {
  let firstIntersect = (listOne) => {
    let int = {};
    int[listOne.value] = true;
    while (listOne.next) {
      listOne = listOne.next;
      int[listOne.value] = true;
    }
    return int;
  };

  let finalList = {};
  if (firstIntersect[listTwo.value])
    finalList.value = listTwo.value;
  finalList = firstIntersect[listTwo.value];
  while (listTwo.next) {
    listTwo = listTwo.next;
    if (firstIntersect[listTwo.value])
      finalList.value = listTwo.value;
    finalList = firstIntersect[listTwo.value];
  }
  return finalList;
}

```

function intersectTwo(listOne, listTwo) {

let firstIntersect = (listOne) => {

let int = {};

int[listOne.value] = true;

while (listOne.next) {

listOne = listOne.next;

int[listOne.value] = true;

}

return int;

}

let finalList = {};

if (firstIntersect[listTwo.value])

finalList.value = listTwo.value;

finalList = firstIntersect[listTwo.value];

while (listTwo.next) {

listTwo = listTwo.next;

if (firstIntersect[listTwo.value])

finalList.value = listTwo.value;

finalList = firstIntersect[listTwo.value];

}

}

return finalList;

}

length B
value = B.value
intersection.append(A.value)

A
A = {A.value = true}
B
if A[B.value]
answer.append(B.value)

x = x.next

est
obj A = {
1: true,
2: true,
3: true,
}

(length of A +
length of B)

O(2n)

O(n)

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Restate: Traverse two ^{singly} linked lists to find common values and return another singly linked list

Example/Pseudo: LL A
[1] → [2] → [3] → null

ListNode {
next;
value;
}

LL B
[0] → [1] → [] → null

LL C
[1] → [2] → null
Create a LL constructor
w/ this.value
this.next

Code: let C = { };

intersect Links ⇒ (A, B) {

let A = {1, 2, 3}

let B = {0, 1, 2}

let current = A;

let otherCurrent = B;

while (!current.next)

if (current.value === otherCurrent.value)

C.value = current.value
C.next = new ListNode();

current = current.next;

- Instantiate two new LL with initial values
- Loop through LL A and set all found values to true
- Loop through LL B and if these values are true, add them to LL C

CA
1 2 3
0 1 5
CB

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① Write a function that returns the intersection of 2 SLL

② Examples:
 $L1 = 1, 2, 3, 4 \rightarrow$ returns 2, 3
 $L2 = 2, 3$

- no empty SLL
 - return SLL

③ Pseudo: ~~$f(L1, L2) \Rightarrow \{$~~

- traverse $L1$ to find $L2$ values?
- have counter track node number
- while ($L1.value \neq null$)
- counter++
- if ($L1.value == L2.value$) return $L1.value$;
- $L1.value = L1.next.value$;

3

③ Pseudo: $f(L1, L2) \Rightarrow \{$

3

let valuesFound = $\{$

let SLL (value) $\Rightarrow \{$

this.value = value;

this.next = null;

while ($L2.value \neq null$)

if ($L1.value == L2.value$)

valuesFound [$L2.value$] = true; $L1.value = L1.next.value$;

while ($L2.value \neq null$)

if ($L2.value == L1.value$)

result.append ($L2.value$);

$L2.value = L2.next.value$;

④ Const intersection = function (listOne, listTwo) $\Rightarrow \{$

let valuesFound = $\{$

class LabelList (value) $\Rightarrow \{$

this.value = value;

this.next = null;

Shannon

- traverse ℓ_1 ✓
- add all node values as object properties ✓
- traverse ℓ_2 : see ✓
- which node values are props. in object 1 ✓
- create new linked list (array) ✓
- w/ properties from obj 1 ✓

* assuming both linked lists have at least 1 node; if not get an empty array

}

return matches;

```

-Inicio
let l1 = null;
if(l1)
  l1.push
  l1.push(obj1[0])
  while (l2 !== null) {
    if (l1[l1.length-1].value === l2.value) {
      matches.push(obj2.value);
    }
    l2 = l2.next;
  }
  return matches;
  
```

$O(\ell_1)$

$O(\ell_2)$

$O(1)$

$O(1)$

$O(\ell_1 + \ell_2)$

$O(n)$

Goal: $O(n)$
(time)

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Intersect 2 LL
by value prop.

let inter = (A, B) =>

let obj = {}

while (A.next) {

loop thru 1st SLL

and set value to have

object prop.

loop thru 2nd SLL

compare it

object prop value w/ sec. SLL is true
and return

return SLL



{1, 2, 8, 9}

{0, 2, 8}

=>

return

{value: 2, next:

{value: 8, next: null}}

Build
L1 and L2

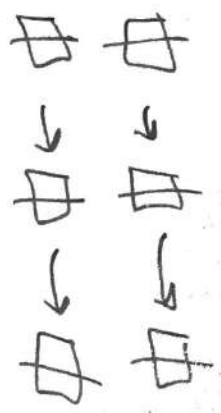
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Problem Statement

Function to insert

2 sorted linked lists

Return the value of



while (node)

Sort array

loop through LL values → while (node->next != null)

L1 - 1, 2, 4, 8

L2 - 2, 8

return 2, 8

New linked list
with all merged values

1: true
2: true
4: true
8: true
2: true
8: true

3

Recursive

function takes L1, L2,

return <= 3;

while L1, node

if (L1->next != null)

while L2, node

if (L2->next != null)

maximize gets all values
(and over 1)

Final Code

function (L1, L2) => {

if (L1->next != null)

while (L1, node) {

if (L1->next != null)

3;

while (L2, node) {

if (L2->next != null)

3;

Big O (L1 + L2)

Big O (n)

Write a function that intersects
two singly linked lists based on
VALUE property

L1: 1, 2, 3 intersect value would be (3)
L2: 3, 5, 7

```
const intersect (l1, l2) {
```

```
  var val = {}
```

```
  var results = []
```

```
  for (var i = 0; i < l2.next; i++) {
```

```
    val (l2[i]) = true
```

```
  }
```

```
  for (var j = 0; j < l1.next; j++) {
```

```
    if (val (l1[j]))
```

```
      results.push(l1[j])
```

```
  }
```

```
  return results
```

```
}
```


Approach: Brute Force; Consider Map

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const findLLIntersection = (list1, list2) => {
 if (!list1 instanceof LinkedList || !list2 instanceof LinkedList) {
 return null;
 }
 if (!list1 || !list2) {
 return null;
 }
 const intersection = new LinkedList();
 const Dictionary = new Set();
 let current1 = list1;
 while (current1.next) {
 Dictionary.add(current1.value);
 current1 = current1.next;
 }
 let current2 = list2;
 while (current2.next) {
 if (Dictionary.has(current2.value)) {
 intersection.append(current2.value);
 }
 current2 = current2.next;
 }
 return intersection;
}

Big O:

Space: $O(n)$ where n is equal to # of nodes in list1

Time: $O(n+m)$ where n is equal to # of nodes in list1 and m is equal to # of nodes in list2

$O(1)$
 \uparrow
 match[1] = true;

* find intersecting values

linked list 1 = { Value: 1
 next: { Value: 2

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next: { Value: 3
 next: null } }
 linked list 2 = { Value: 2
 next: { Value: 4
 next: null } }

next: null } }

let findIntersect = (linked list One, linked list Two) => {
 match = { 3 }

loop <- while (linked list 1. value !== linked list 2. value) {
 linked list 2. value = linked list 2. next. value
 if (linked list 1. value === linked list 2. value) {
 match. push(linked list 2. value);
 } else {

loop <-

} else {

I need to check if it has no next.
 I need another loop to cycle
 through it.
 If it does not have a next
 return match.

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input \Rightarrow 2 linked lists (A, B)

output \Rightarrow linked list of intersection

assume constructor called LinkedList with append Function



loop through A

loop through B

if A.value = B.value

intersection.append(A.value)

```

let intersection = (A, B)  $\Rightarrow$  {
  let answer = new LinkedList
  let objA = {}
  while (A) {
    if (objA[A.value] === true) {
      answer.append(A.value)
    }
    A = A.next
  }
  return answer
}
  
```

loop through A

let objA = {A.value: true}

loop through B

if (objA[B.value])

answer.append(B.value)

x = x.next

Test

objA = {1: true, 2: true, 3: true}

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while (B) {
  if (objA[B.value]) {
    answer.append(B.value)
  }
  B = B.next
}
return answer
  
```

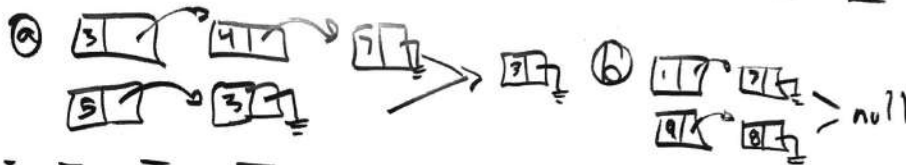
$O(\text{length of A} + \text{length of B})$

$O(2n)$

$O(n)$

① Problem: Write a function intersect that takes two linked lists as arguments (Assume both are provided and valid) and returns a new linked list with only the values in both. Assume we have a LL constructor w/ append method.

② example:



③ Pseudo:

Big O time and space of $O(A+B)$ where A is the length of list A, B is the length of list B, which boils down to just $O(n)$.

- 1) establish inA object and new List object w/ null value
 - ↳ iterate through list A
 - ↳ establish currentNode var set to list A
 - ↳ while currentNode
 - ↳ set prop on inA w/ key as currentNode.value + value as true
 - ↳ set currentNode as currentNode.next
- 2) iterate through list B
 - ↳ set current Node as list B
 - ↳ while currentNode
 - ↳ if inA[currentNode.value]
 - ↳ if !newList.value (none added yet)
 - ↳ newList.value = currentNode.value
 - ↳ else (already added a match)
 - ↳ newList.append(new LL(currentNode.value))
 - ↳ currentNode = currentNode.next
 - 3) return new list or null if no value

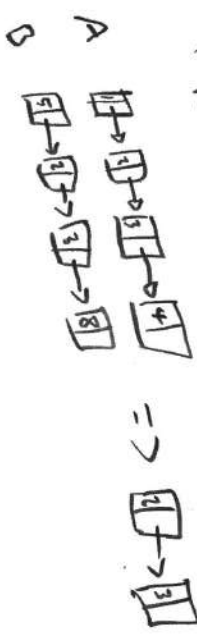
④ Code:

```
const intersect = (A, B) => {
  let inA = {}, newList = new LinkedList(null);
  let currentNode = A;
  while (currentNode) {
    inA[currentNode.value] = true;
    currentNode = currentNode.next;
  }
  currentNode = B;
  while (currentNode) {
    if (inA[currentNode.value]) {
      if (!newList.value) {
        newList.value = currentNode.value;
      } else {
        newList.append(new LinkedList(currentNode.value));
      }
    }
    currentNode = currentNode.next;
  }
  return newList.value ? newList : null;
};
```

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two linked list + intersect based on values



check each A list value
to each B list value
find matching link list with
create new values
matching

while (current != null) {
if (current.val == ALL B values -> return current node A)
current = current.next
}
return null

const intersect = (nodeA, nodeB) => {

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Problem Domain

- Write a function to intersect 2 singly linked lists based on their value property

listOne = 1, 2, 4, 8
listTwo = 2, 8
Returns = 2, 8

Code

// error checking ignored

```
const intersect = (listOne, listTwo) => {
```

```
  listObj = {};  
  listArray = [];  
  while (listOne) {  
    listObj[listOne.value] = true;  
    listOne = listOne.next;  
  }
```

```
  while (listTwo) {  
    if (listObj[listTwo.value] === true) {  
      listArray.push(listTwo.value);  
      listTwo = listTwo.next;  
    }  
  }
```

```
  return listArray;  
}
```

while (listOne)

while (listTwo)

listObj = listObj || {};

$O(n+n) = O(n)$
time & space

Andrew

write a function that takes 2 linked lists and returns a new linked list comprised of the intersection of those 2 linked lists. Assume that the linked list class and methods already exist.

declare new function

perform input validation

→ is input linked list?

→ are values numbers

declare new object, newObj

declare new array, intersectArr

traverse linked list function

```
if this.next,  
  newObj[this.value] = true  
  return traverse(this.next)
```

```
else  
  newObj[this.value] = true
```

intersect linked list function

traverse linked list,

if newObj[this.value]

then push to array

declare linked list to return

create new linked list

out of the intersect array,

intersection. for each (e => {

linked list.append(e)

}

const linkedListIntersection = (list1, list2) => {

// input validation here

const hashObj = {};

const intersectArr = [];

(const traverse = list => {

hashObj[list.value] = true;

if (list.next) {

return traverse(list.next)

}

})(list1);

(const intersect = list => {

if (hashObj[list.value]) {

intersectArr.push(list.value); // 1. append

}

if (list.next) {

return intersect(list.next);

}

})(list2);

if (intersectArr.length < 1) {

return new linkedList(null);

}

const returnedList = new linkedList(intersectArr[0]);

for (let i = 1; i < intersectArr.length; i++) {

returnedList.append(new linkedList(intersectArr[i]));

}

return returnedList;

}

O(n)