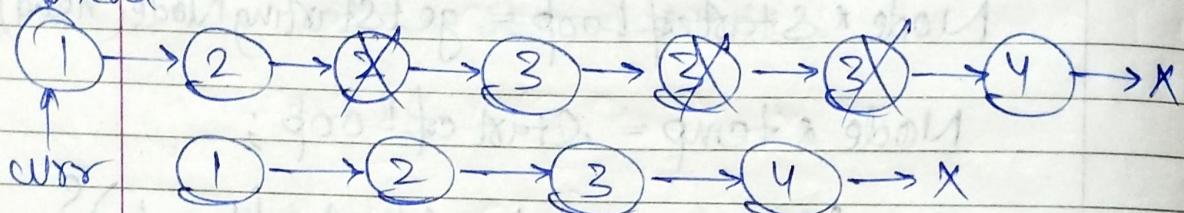


Imp

Q. Remove duplicates from a Sorted LL

Eg:-

↓ head



curr

Approach:

Node + curr = head;

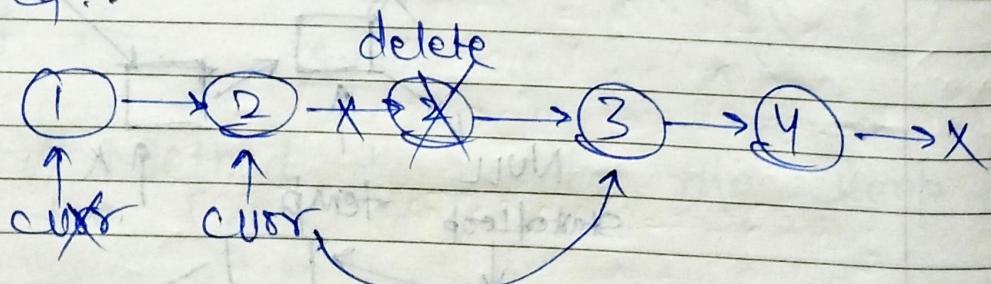
while (curr->data != curr->next->data)

If not then

curr->next = curr->next->next;

and delete the duplicated data.

Eg:-



$$1 \neq 2$$

$$2 \neq 2$$

Code :

```
Node * uniqueSortedList( Node * head )
{
```

// empty list

```
if ( head == NULL )
```

```
    return NULL;
```

// non-empty list

```
Node * curr = head;
```

```
while ( curr != NULL ) {
```

```
    if ( (curr->next) == NULL ) { }
```

```
    curr->data == curr->next->data ) { }
```

```
        Node * next-next = curr->next->next;
```

```
        Node * nodeToDelete = curr->next;
```

```
        delete ( nodeToDelete );
```

```
        curr->next = next-next;
```

```
}
```

```
else { // not equal
```

```
    curr = curr->next;
```

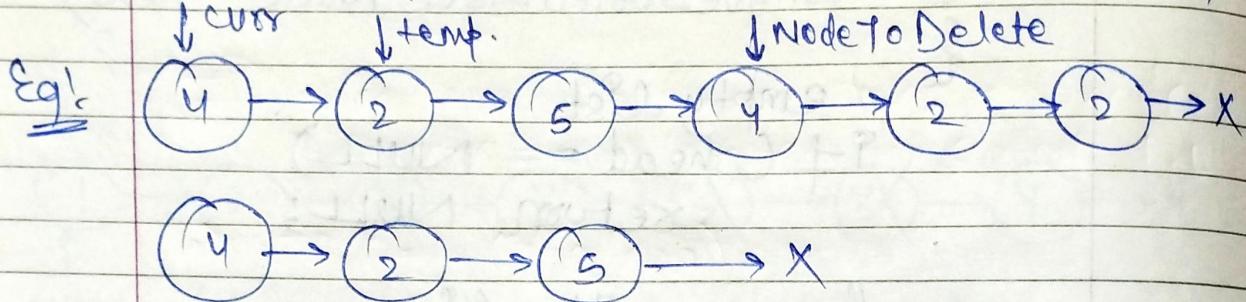
```
}
```

```
}
```

```
return head;
```

* imp

Q Remove the duplicate from unsorted L.L



Approach:- use the loop for the traversal till the end and compare each value , if equal then delete that node.

Node * curr = head;

while (curr != NULL) {

 Node * temp = curr → next;

 while (temp != NULL) {

 // equal value

 if (curr → data == temp → data) {

 Node * NodeToDelete = temp;

 delete (temp); NodeToDelete);

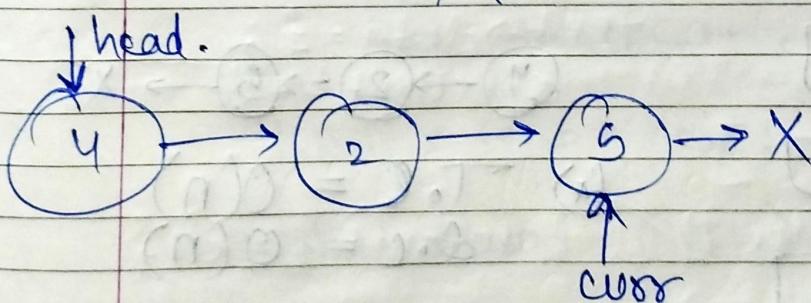
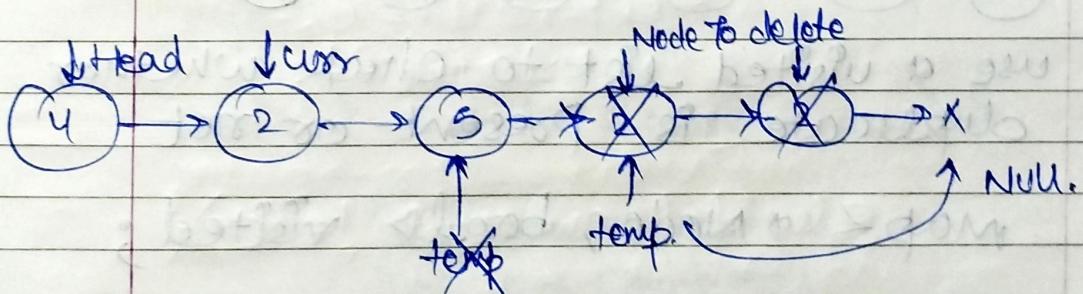
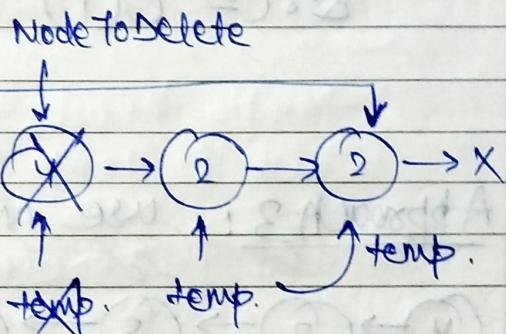
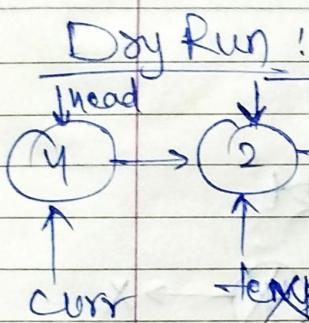
 temp = temp → next;

}

else { // Not equal values

temp = temp->next;

}
}
}
return head;



(*) $T.C = O(n^2)$, $S.C = O(1)$

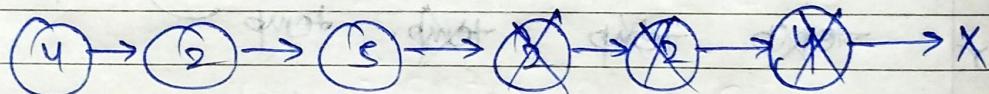
Approach 2: (I) first sort this unsorted linked list

(II) use the previous question code
// Remove duplicate in sorted LL

$$\text{Time Complexity} = O(n \log n)$$

$$\text{Space Complexity} = O(1)$$

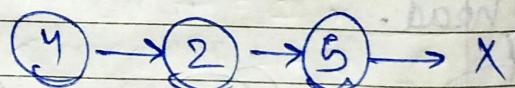
Approach 3: use map concept.



use a visited list to check whether duplicate is present or not

map< *Node, bool > visited;

curr → 4 | true



curr → 2 | true

$$\text{Time Complexity} = O(n)$$

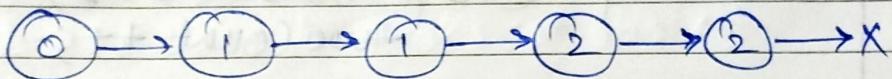
curr → 3 | true

$$\text{Space Complexity} = O(n)$$

curr → 2 | true → already
visited

Imp (*****)

Sort 0's, 1's and 2's in the linked list



→ Approach 1: count the no. of 0's, 1's and 2's
and then place them accordingly

$$0 \rightarrow 1$$

$$1 \rightarrow 2$$

$$2 \rightarrow 2$$



Code :-

Node * SortList (Node * head) {

 Put zeroCount = 0;

 Put oneCount = 0;

 Put twoCount = 0;

 Node * temp = head;

 while (temp != NULL) {

 if (temp->data == 0)

 zeroCount++;

else if (~~onecount~~ temp → data == 1)
 oneCount++;

else if (temp → data == 2)
 twoCount++;

temp = temp → next;

}

temp = head;
 while (temp != NULL) {

if (zeroCount != 0) {

temp → data = 0;
 zeroCount --;

else if (oneCount != 0) {

temp → data = 1;
 oneCount --;

}

else if (twoCount != 0) {

temp → data = 2;
 twoCount --;

$\text{temp} = \text{temp} \rightarrow \text{next};$

}

$\text{return head};$

}

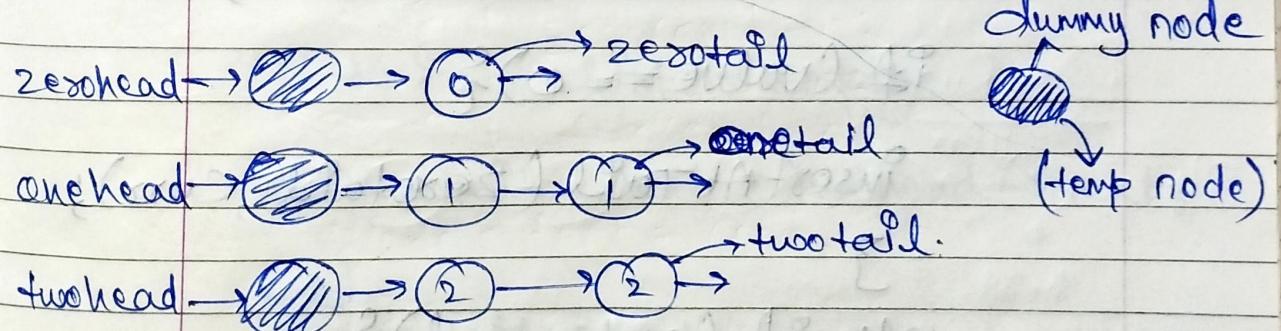
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$$S.C = O(1)$$

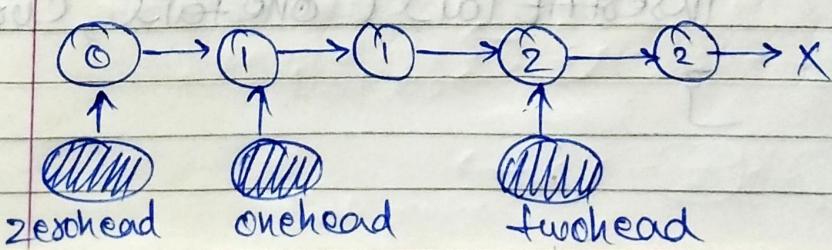
→ Approach 2: Data replacement not allowed.

Approach: Change the links

Create 3 list containing their reqⁿ element as.



Merge Sorted List



Code :-

Node * SortList (Node *head) {

 Node * zerohead = new Node (-1);

 Node * zerotail = zerohead;

 Node * onehead = new Node (-1);

 Node * onetail = onehead;

 Node * twohead = new Node (-1);

 Node * twotail = twohead;

 Node * curr = head;

 // Create separate list

 while (curr != NULL) {

 int value = curr->data;

 if (value == 0) {

 InsertAtTail (zerotail, curr);

 }

 else if (value == 1) {

 InsertAtTail (onetail, curr);

 }

Else if (value == 2) {

 InsertAtTail(twoTail, curr);

}

curr = curr->next;

}

// merge 3 subList

// If 1's list is not empty

If (onehead->next != NULL) {

 zeroTail->next = onehead->next;

}

Else { // list is empty

 zeroTail->next = twohead->next;

}

 oneTail->next = twohead->next;

 twoTail->next = NULL;

// Setup the head.

head = zerohead->next;

// delete dummy node

delete zerohead;

delete onehead;

delete twohead;

// use to create Sublist of 0's, 1's & 2's

void insertAtTail (Node*& tail, Node*& curr)

{

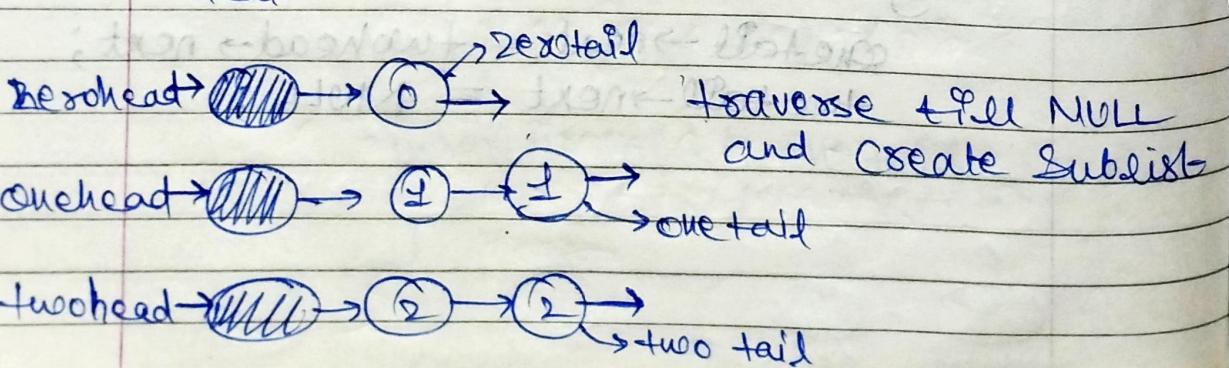
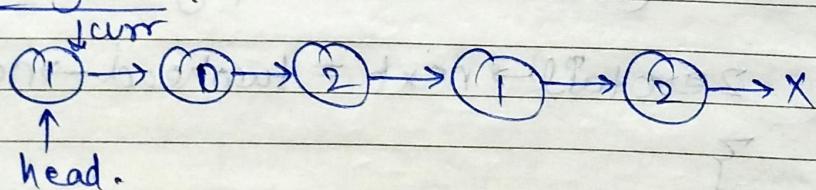
tail->next = curr;

tail = curr;

}

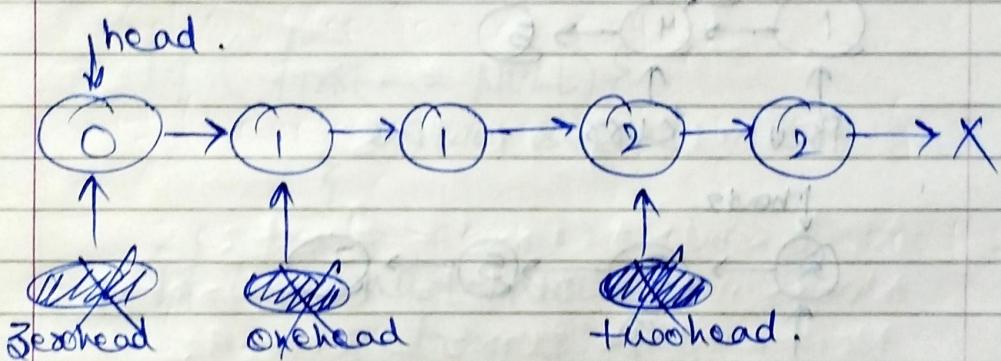
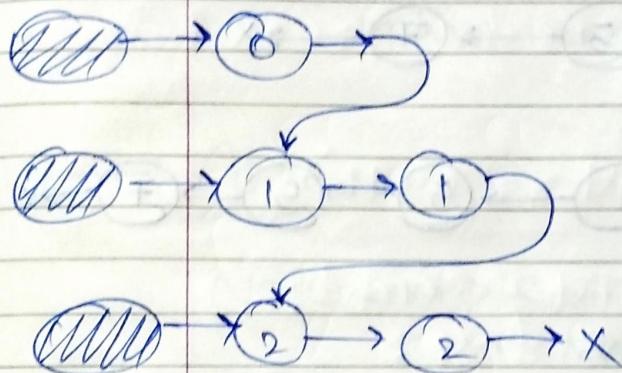
Dry Run:

inp.



After Sublist creation, Merge these sorted list

$\text{head} = \text{zerohead} \rightarrow \text{next};$

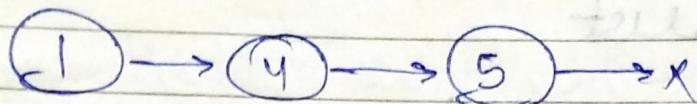


Now delete all the dummy Pointer

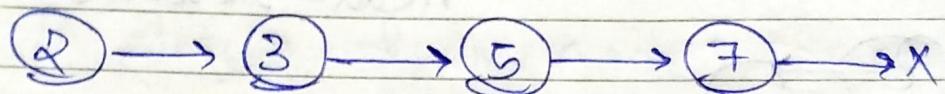
(A) Time complexity = $O(n)$

S.C = $O(1)$

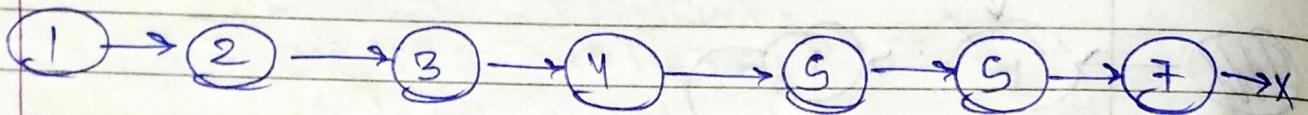
Eg:



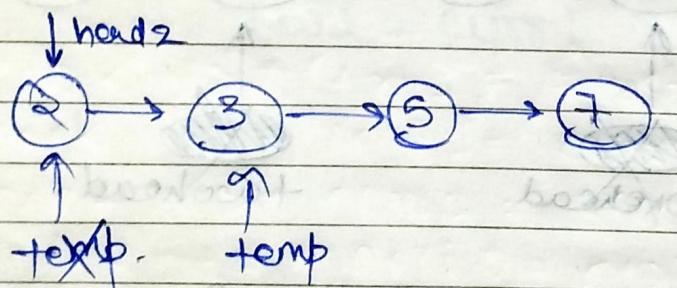
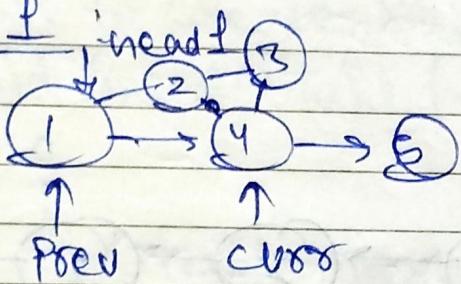
IP



OP



Approach 1



if ($\text{prev} \rightarrow \text{data} \leq \text{temp} \rightarrow \text{data} \leq \text{curr} \rightarrow \text{data}$)

then push $\text{temp} \rightarrow \text{data}$ in between.

and then increase temp.

else {
 $\text{prev} = \text{curr} \rightarrow$
 $\text{curr} = \text{curr} \rightarrow \text{next};$

~~prev~~

3

`if (head1 == NULL) // head1 empty
return head2;`

`if (head2 == NULL) // head2 empty
return head1;`

→ Code :-

```
Node<int> SortTwoLists (Node<int>* first,  
                         Node<int>* second) {
```

`if (first == NULL) {`

`return second;`

`}`

`if (second == NULL) {`

`return first;`

`}`

`if (first->data <= second->data) {`

`return Solve (first, second);`

`}`

`else {`

`return Solve (second, first);`

`}`

```
Node<int>* solve( Node<int>* first, Node<int>* second )
```

{

```
// if only one element is present in  
first list
```

```
if( first->next == NULL ) {
```

```
    first->next = second;  
    return first;
```

}

```
// Creating Pointers
```

```
Node<int>* curr1 = first;
```

```
Node<int>* next1 = curr1->next;
```

```
Node<int>* curr2 = second;
```

```
Node<int>* next2 = curr2->next;
```

```
// Checking the condition & traversing
```

```
while( next1 != NULL && curr2 != NULL )
```

{

```
if( (curr1->data <= curr2->data) &&
```

```
(curr2->data <= next1->data) )
```

}

(cont)

} {
 // add node to the first list

$\text{curr1} \rightarrow \text{next} = \text{curr2};$

$\text{next2} = \text{curr2} \rightarrow \text{next};$

$\text{curr2} \rightarrow \text{next} = \text{next1};$

} {
 // update the pointers in first list
 and second list

$\text{curr1} = \text{curr2};$

$\text{curr2} = \text{next2};$

} {
 else { // NOT in range

$\text{curr1} = \text{next1};$

$\text{next1} = \text{next1} \rightarrow \text{next};$

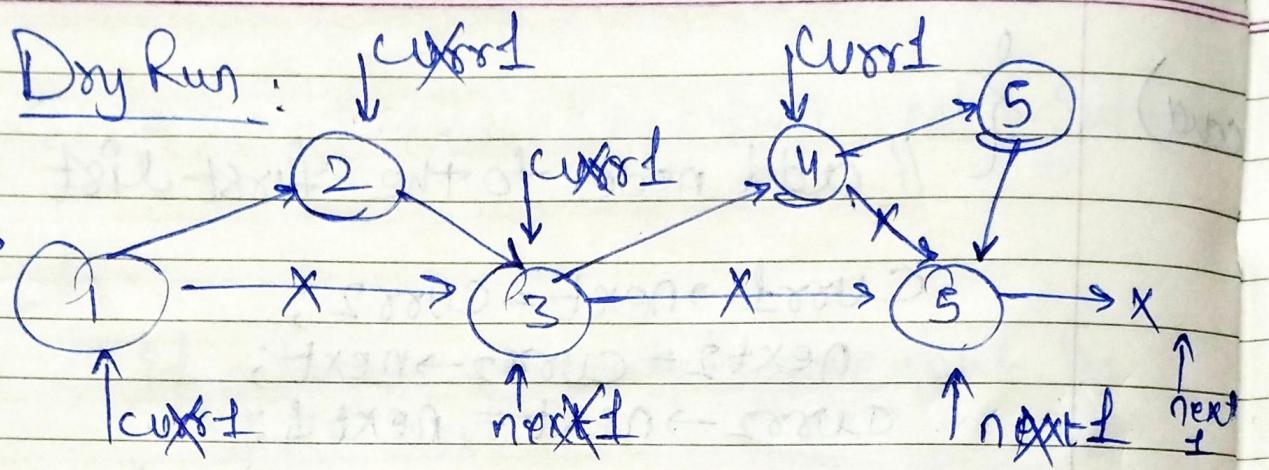
} {
 // first list is at the end , then
 merge to second.

if ($\text{next1} == \text{NULL}$) {

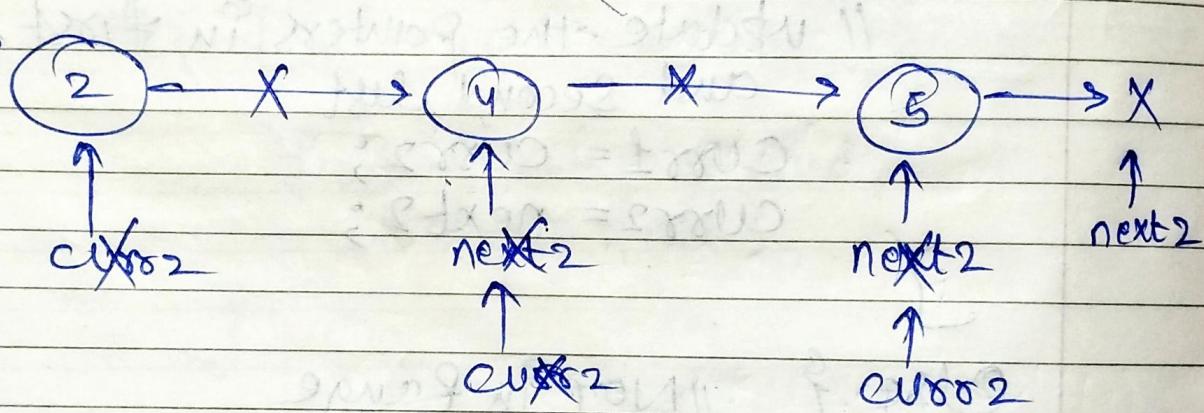
$\text{curr1} \rightarrow \text{next} = \text{curr2};$

return first;

} {



Second.



Eg. ✓