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✓ BJP4 Exercise 16.5: countDuplicates

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Write a method `countDuplicates` that returns the number of duplicates in a sorted list. The list will be in sorted order, so all of the duplicates will be grouped together. For example, if a variable `list` stores the sequence of values below, the call of `list.countDuplicates()` should return 7 because there are 2 duplicates of 1, 1 duplicate of 3, 1 duplicate of 15, 2 duplicates of 23 and 1 duplicate of 40:

[1, 1, 1, 3, 3, 6, 9, 15, 15, 23, 23, 23, 40, 40]

Remember that you may assume that the list is in sorted order, so any duplicates would occur consecutively.

Assume that you are adding this method to the `LinkedList` class as defined below:

```
public class LinkedList {  
    private ListNode front;    // null for an empty list  
    ...  
}
```

Type your solution here:

```
1 /*  
2 public int countDuplicates() {  
3     int sum = 0;  
4     ListNode current = front;  
5  
6     if (front == null) {  
7         return 0;  
8     }  
9  
10    while (current.next != null) {  
11        if (current.data == current.next.data) {  
12            sum++;  
13        }  
14        current = current.next;
```

```
15     }
16
17     return sum;
18 }*/
19 public int countDuplicates() {
20     return countDuplicates(front, 0);
21 }
22 public int countDuplicates(ListNode current, int sum) {
23     if(current == null) {
24         return sum;
25     }
26     if(current.next == null){
27         return sum;
28     }
29     if(current.data == current.next.data){
30         return countDuplicates(current.next, sum + 1);
31     }
32     return countDuplicates(current.next, sum);
33 }
```

This is a **partial class problem**. Submit code that will become part of an existing Java class as described. You do not need to write the complete class, just the portion described in the problem.



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test #1: easy: [2, 2]

console output: 1

result: ✔ pass

test #2: harder: [-1, 2, 2, 3, 3]

console output: 2

result: ✔ pass

test #3:

example: [1, 1, 1, 3, 3, 6, 9, 15, 15, 23, 23, 23, 40, 40]

console output: 7

result: ✔ pass

test #4: one element: [50]

console output: 0

result:  pass

test #5: empty: []

console output: 0

result:  pass

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