

## Experiment No. 6

**Aim:** Implement a Singly Linked List.

### Theory:

Like arrays, Linked List is a linear data structure. Unlike arrays, linked list elements are not stored at a contiguous location; the elements are linked using pointers.

### Insertion in the Linked List

#### 1. Insert at the beginning

Allocate memory for new node  
Store data  
Change next of new node to point to head  
Change head to point to recently created node

#### 2. Insert at the End

Allocate memory for new node  
Store data  
Traverse to last node  
Change next of last node to recently created node

#### 3. Insert at the Middle

Allocate memory and store data for new node  
Traverse to node just before the required position of new node  
Change next pointers to include new node in between

### Delete from a Linked List

You can delete either from the beginning, end or from a particular position.

#### Delete from beginning

- Point head to the second node

#### 2. Delete from end

Traverse to second last element  
Change its next pointer to null

#### 3. Delete from middle

Traverse to element before the element to be deleted  
Change next pointers to exclude the node from the chain

**Conclusion:** (Students write conclusion in your own words. U have to describe what u you understood from the experiment and the concept of the experiment. **Conclusion carry 4 marks out of 10** )