

<p>Test cases (including the edge cases):</p> <p>1-&gt;2-&gt;3-&gt;4, i = 1      output: 1-&gt;2-&gt;3</p> <p>1-&gt;2-&gt;3-&gt;4, i = 2      output: 1-&gt;2-&gt;4</p> <p>1-&gt;2-&gt;3-&gt;4, i = 4      output: 2-&gt;3-&gt;4</p> <p>1-&gt;null, i = 1          output: null</p>	<p>time complexity: <math>O(n)</math> // <math>n</math> is the length of linkedlist</p> <p>space complexity: <math>O(n)</math> for solution 1, <math>O(1)</math> for solution 2</p>
<pre>// Solution 1, using a single pointer and a hashMap public linked_list remove_i_th_element(linked_list head, int i) {     if (head == null    i == 0)         return null;      Map&lt;Integer, linked_list&gt; map = new HashMap&lt;&gt;();     Int cnt = 0;     linked_list tmp = head;     while (tmp != null) {         map.put(cnt, tmp);         tmp = tmp.next;         cnt++;     }      linked_list target = map.get(cnt - i);     // if target is not the head     if (cnt - i &gt; 0) {         linked_list pre = map.get(cnt - i - 1);         pre.next = target.next;     }     else head = head.next;      return head; }</pre>	<pre>// Solution 2, using two pointers (fast and slow) public linked_list remove_i_th_element(linked_list head, int i) {     if (head == null    i == 0)         return null;      linked_list fast = head;     while( i-- &gt; 0) {         fast = fast.next;     }      linked_list slow = head;     while (fast != null &amp;&amp; fast.next != null) {         fast = fast.next;         sl         ow = slow.next;     }     if (fast == null) // fast has left the linkedlist         head = head.next; // head has to be removed     else         slow.next = slow.next.next;      return head; }</pre>

