

Q3) linked list = [1 → 2 → 3 → 4 → 5 → None].

inserting a value 66 at the third(3) index.

Pseudocode:-

```
def insert_at_index(index, value):
    current_node = head
    current_node_index = 0
    while current_node:
        if (current_node_index + 1 == index): # checking index, value
            new_node = LinkedNode(value) # creating a new node using LinkedNode
                                         class
            next_node = current_node.next
            current_node.next = new_node
            new_node.next = next_node
            break # breaking out of the loop once inserting is done.
        else:
            current_node = current_node.next # Iterating to next node
            current_node_index += 1 # incrementing the index
```

Variables:-

- ① current_node :- The variable that stores head and will be used to traverse
- ② current_node_index :- The variable that keeps track of the index of the current_node
- ③ new_node :- Creating a new node and inserting it into the linkedlist.
- ④ next_node :- The variable that used to store the node that comes after the current_node.

Linked list :- 1 → 2 → 3 → 4 → 5 → None.

head.

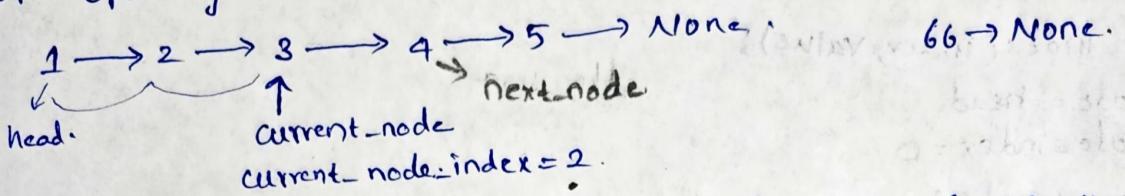
Steps:- current_node = head = 1
current_node_index = 0

Entering to the while loop and checking for the condition which is not true ($1 \neq 3$).
traversing to the next node until the condition satisfies and by incrementing current_node_index.

When current_node_index = 2 then the condition satisfies.

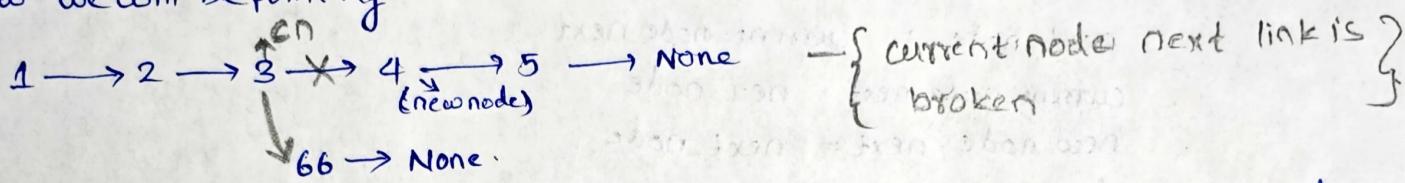
new_node will be created by calling the Linked Node Class (66).

→ new-node = 66 → None.
next-node is used to store the value of current-node.next bcz
we are updating the current-node.next to a new value.



So next-node = 4 (we saved next node value for further use)

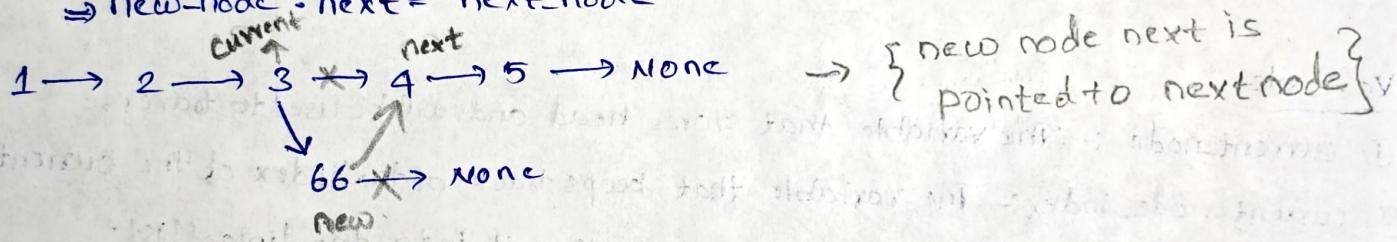
Now we will be pointing current-node.next to the new-node.



→ by breaking the original link we will point current-node.next to new-node.

after this we will be pointing newnode.next to old current.next node.

⇒ new-node.next = next-node.



final linked list

1 → 2 → 3 → 66 → 4 → 5 → None.

Q4) linked list = $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow \text{None}$.

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head

Reversing the linked list:-

Pseudocode:-

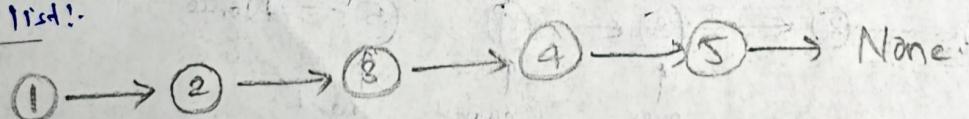
```
def reverseList(head):  
    current_node = head  
    previous_node = None  
    next_node = None  
  
    while current_node:  
        next_node = current_node.next # storing the next_node  
        current_node.next = previous_node # updating the current node next  
        previous_node = current_node # moving the prev to current  
        current_node = next_node # moving the current to next  
  
    head = previous_node. # updating the head value  
  
    return head.
```

Variables:-

- current_node:- Stores head and will be used to traverse
- previous_node:- initially set to none keep track of previous node of current node.
- next_node:- initially set to none. keep track of next_node of current node.
- head :- head is the first element of the linked list.

Algorithm:-

Linked list:-



head
current_node.

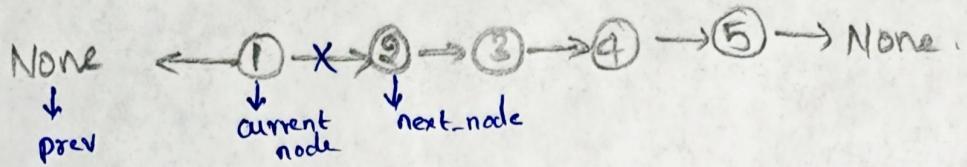
prev = None
next = None.

Step 1:-

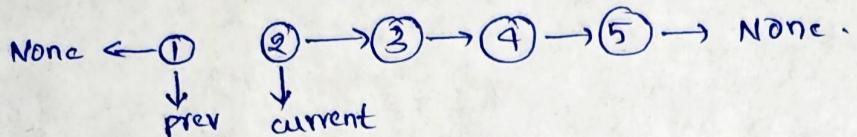
Entering to the while loop
storing the next node of current node because as we are updating
the current node next to none while breaking the linkage.

now next-node = 2

→ now current-node next will be point to previous-node (None)



→ now updating previous and current node to their next nodes respectively.

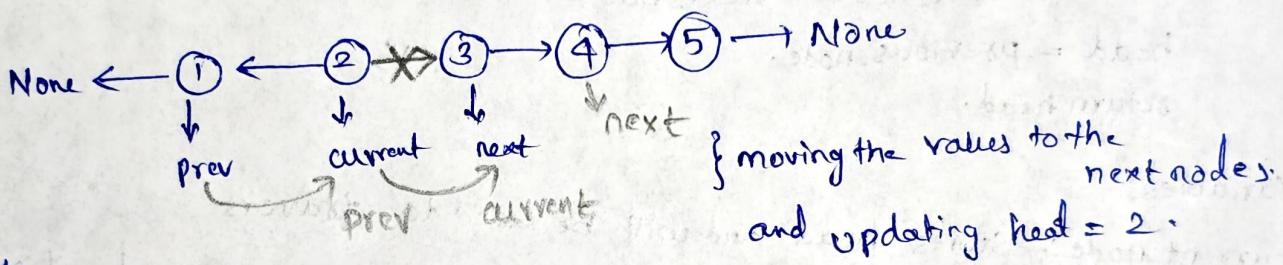


as we broke the link the head is pointing to prev (1).

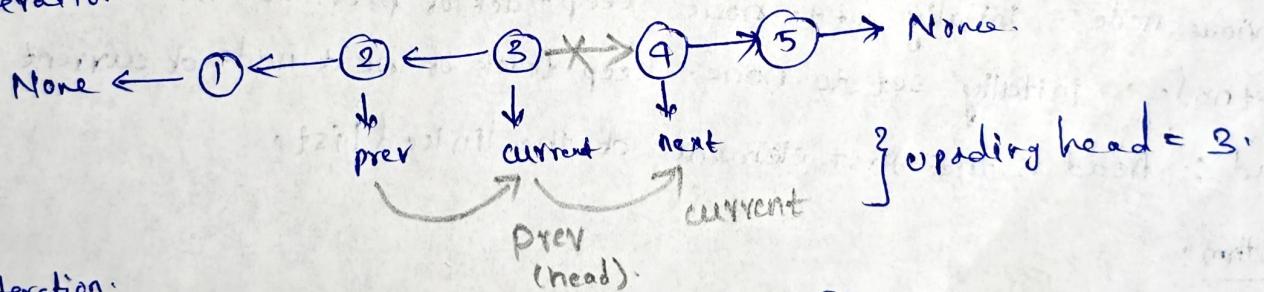
As going to the next iteration.

next-node = 3

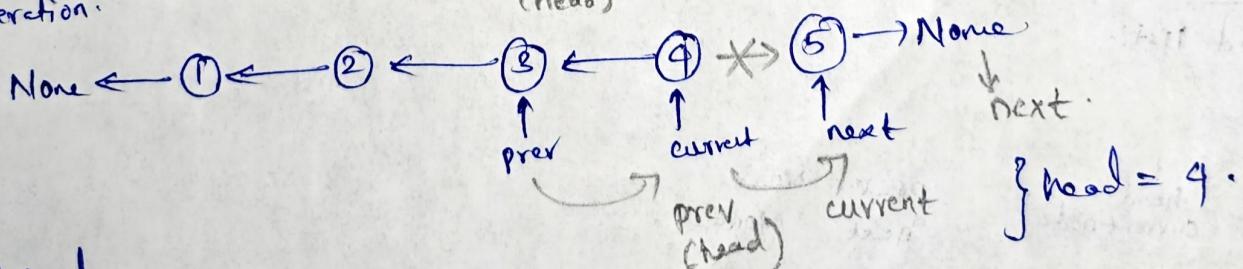
we break the link b/w 2 and 3. and will point 2 to 1 (prev).



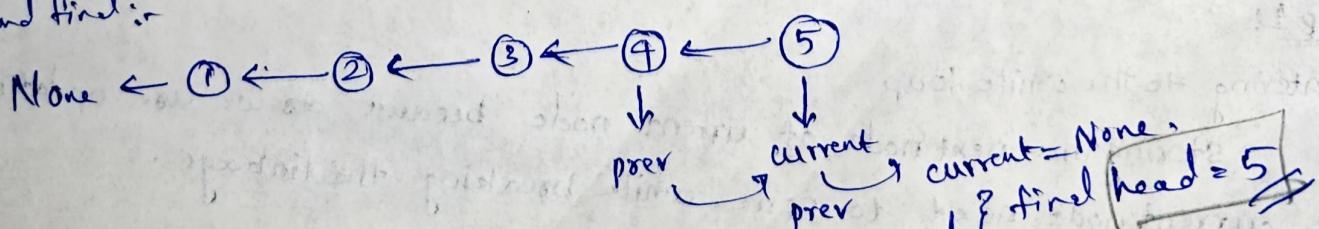
next iteration.



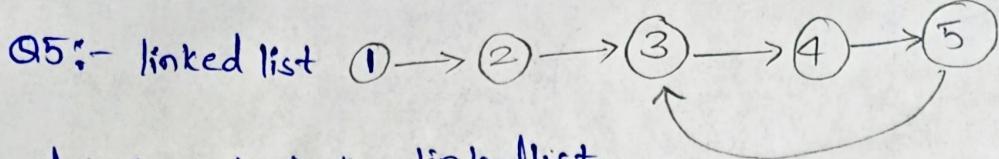
next iteration.



next and final:



as current is None comes out of the loop. linked list is reversed.



detect cycle in the linkedlist

Pseudo code:-

```

def detectcycle(hed):
    slow = head      # initialising slow as head
    fast = head      # initialising fast as head
    while slow and fast.next and fast:
        slow = slow.next      # traversing by one node
        fast = fast.next.next # traversing by two nodes
        if (slow == fast):    # checking condition for cycle
            return True
    return False
  
```

return False;

Explanation:-

→ Variables:-

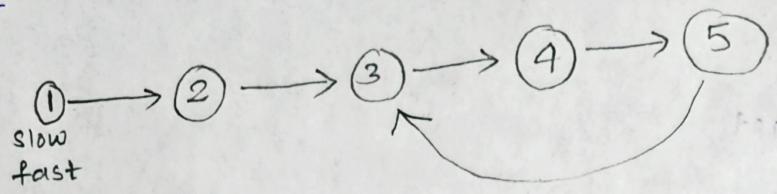
- ① slow :- initialising and storing it as head, traversing by one node
- ② fast & initialising and storing it as fast, traversing by two nodes

Condition:- → slow and fast and fast.next will check for the node.isNone and next node points to isNone prevents accessing the next node of None.

Algorithm:-

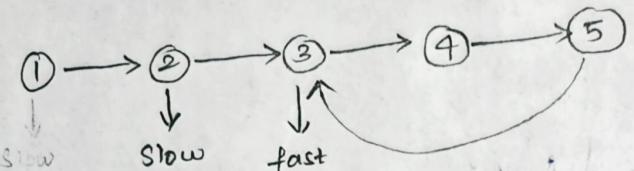
Slow and fast pointers are initialised as head.
Entering to the while loop as slow pointer increments by one node and fast pointer increments by two nodes.
After this it checks for the condition if slow and fast pointer has is in the same node the function will return True else False.

Step 1 :-



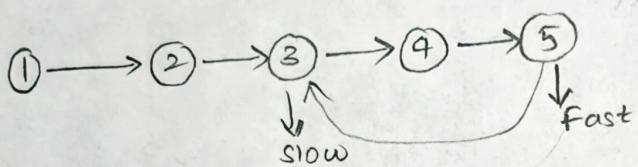
Enters the loop and traverse to next nodes.

{ slow move by one node
fast move by two nodes }



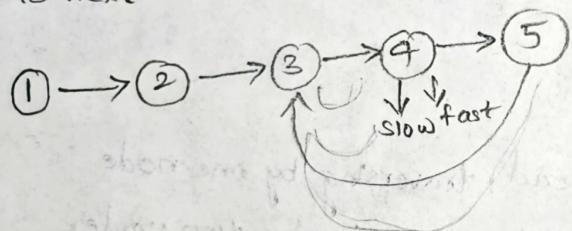
②

Slow and fast are not same hence traverse to next nodes.



③

traverse to next.



slow and fast pointers are have same value hence the condition return True.

If there is no cycle in the linked list the loop will end as

slow and fast and fast.next points to none hence the function will return False.

→ If there is a cycle definitely fast and slow pointers will have same value because fast pointer moves fast (by 2 nodes) and slow pointer moves slow (by one node) eventually fast and slow will overlap and returns True

Example lets assume length is 10 fast will move 2 and slow will move by 1 $2-1=1 \Rightarrow 10-1=9$ (everytime the value decreases and eventually becomes zero means overlap).

Q6) linked list $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow \text{None}$

delete the value (3)

Pseudocode:-

```
def delete_a_value(head), value:  
    current_node = head      # initialising current_node to head  
    previous_node = None  
    while current_node:  
        if current_node.value == value: # checking the value is equal to given value  
            previous_node.next = current_node.next  
            return -1  
        else:  
            previous_node = current_node      # traverse to the next node by storing the prev node  
            current_node = current_node.next  
    return -1
```

Variables:-

- ① current_node :- stores head and will be used for traverse
- ② previous_node :- stores None and will be used to track previous node.

Algo:-

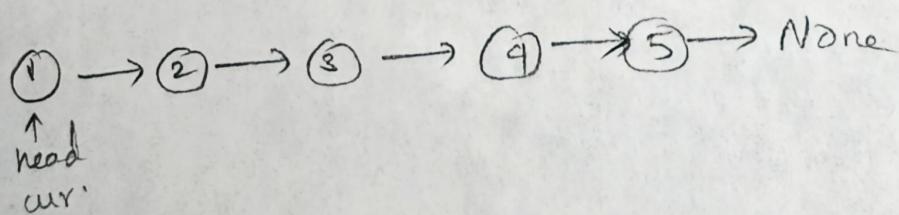
current_node and previous_node is initialised and previous_node is used to track previous of current node for updating its next to current next.

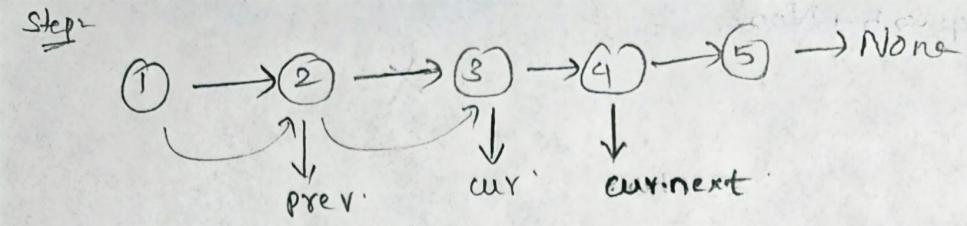
Enters the while loop:-

linked list will traverse until the match is found by storing previous node and current node.

Once prev reached.

Step:-

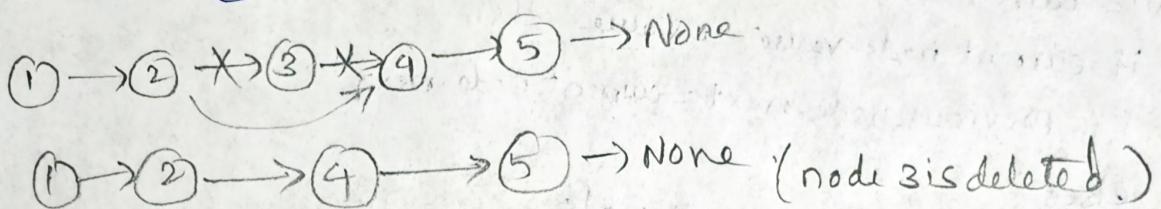




once reached

update `prev.next = current_node.next`

here we deleted node 3 because we are pointing $2 \rightarrow 4$



It breaks the linkage b/w 2 and 3. And 2 directly points to 4

final linked list is

