

## Fold A Linked List

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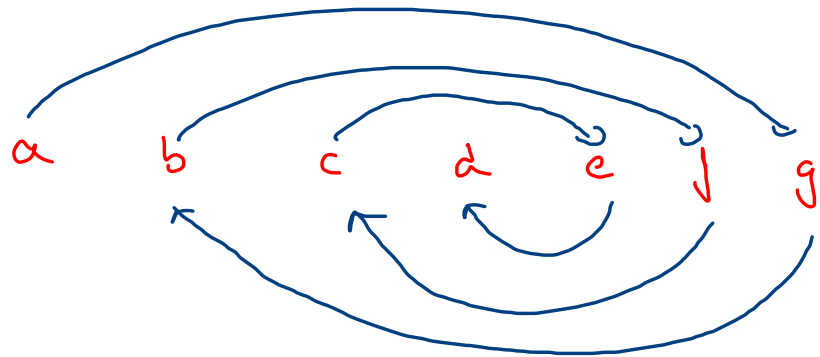
$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d \rightarrow e \rightarrow f$

new

$a \rightarrow f \rightarrow b \rightarrow e \rightarrow c \rightarrow d$

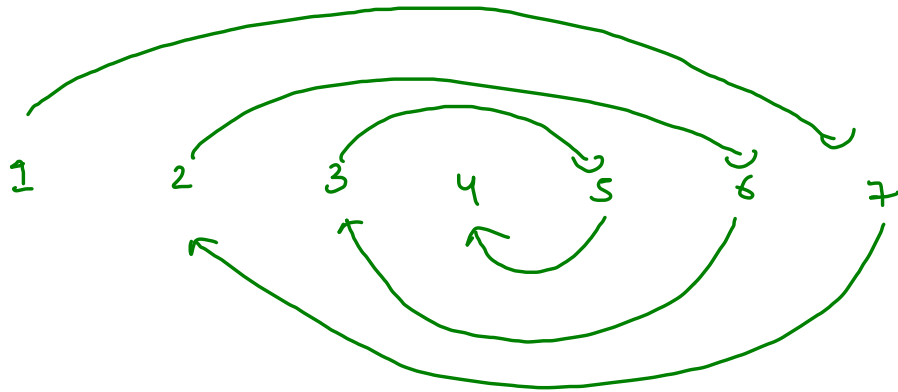
head

tail

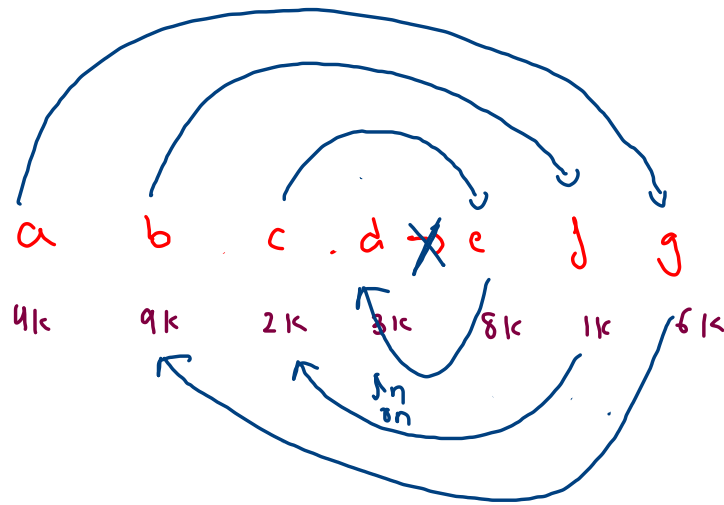
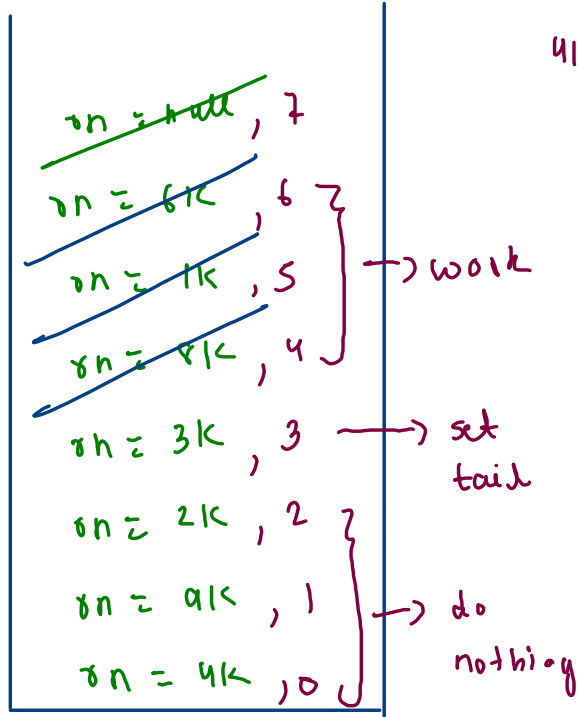


$a \rightarrow b \rightarrow c \rightarrow d$      $e \rightarrow f \rightarrow g$   
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↓  
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$g \rightarrow f \rightarrow e$   
└──┘



$a \rightarrow g \rightarrow b \rightarrow f \rightarrow c \rightarrow e \rightarrow d$



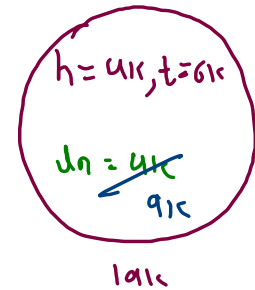
Node temp = dn.next;

dn.next = sn;

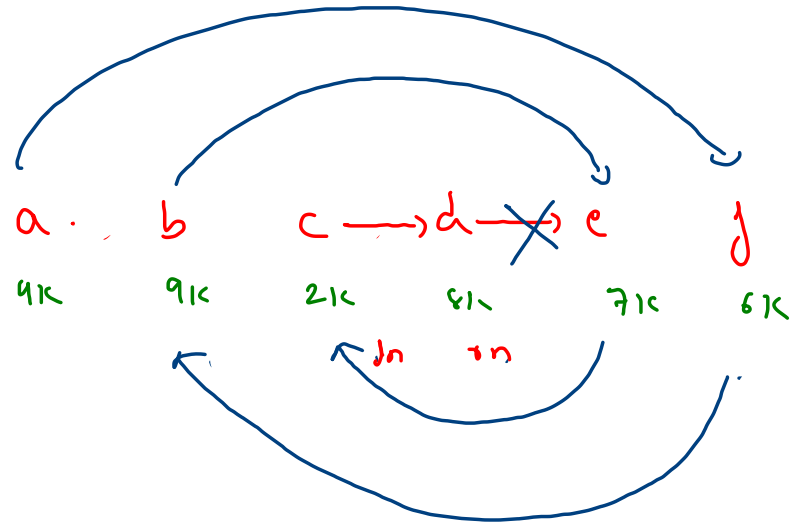
sn.next = temp;

dn = temp;

(i) single pass  
(recursion)



~~on = null~~  
~~on = 61k, 5~~  
~~on = 71k, 4~~ } → work  
~~on = 81k, 3~~ } → set tail  
~~on = 21k, 2~~  
~~on = 91k, 1~~ } → do nothing  
~~on = 41k, 0~~



temp = dn.next;

dn.next = on;

on.next = temp;

dn = temp;

dn = ~~41k~~ ~~91k~~  
 21k

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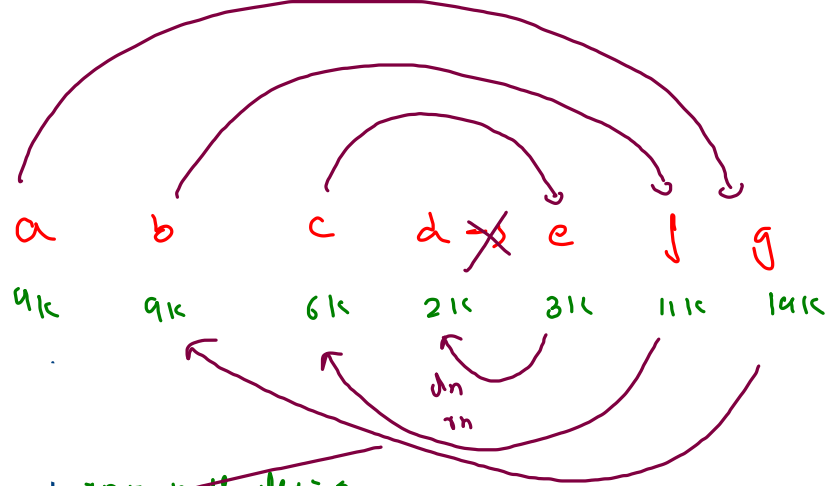
Node ln;
public void fold() {
    // write your code here
    ln = head;
    fold_helper(head, 0);
}

private void fold_helper(Node rn, int lev) {
    if(rn == null) {
        return;
    }

    fold_helper(rn.next, lev+1);

    if(lev > size/2) {
        //work
        Node temp = ln.next;
        ln.next = rn;
        rn.next = temp;
        ln = temp;
    }
    else if(lev == size/2) {
        //set tail
        tail = rn;
        tail.next = null;
    }
    else {
        //do nothing
    }
}

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~~rn = null, lev = 7~~  
~~rn = 14k, lev = 6~~  
~~rn = 11k, lev = 5~~  
~~rn = 3k, lev = 4~~  
~~rn = 2k, lev = 3~~  
~~rn = 6k, lev = 2~~  
~~rn = 9k, lev = 1~~  
~~rn = 4k, lev = 0~~

$$h = 4k$$

$$t = 14k$$

2k

$$ln = 4k$$

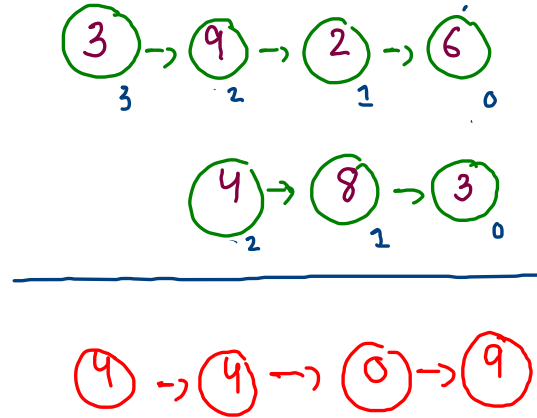
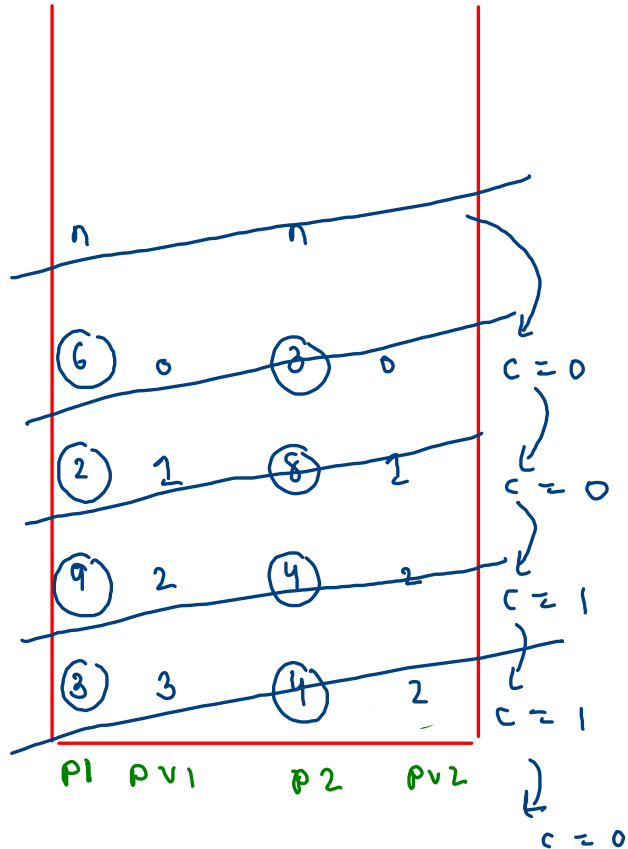
$$9k$$

$$6k$$

2k

$$size / 2 = 3$$

# Add Two Linked Lists



(i) single pass  
↳ O(N)  
↳ only one traversal

return type → int

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private static int add_helper(Node p1,int pv1,Node p2,int pv2,LinkedList ans) {
    if(p1 == null && p2 == null) {
        return 0;
    }

    int sum = 0;
    if(pv1 > pv2) {
        //move forward in first list
        int c = add_helper(p1.next,pv1-1,p2,pv2,ans);
        sum = c + p1.data;
    }
    else if(pv1 < pv2) {
        //move forward in second list
        int c = add_helper(p1,pv1,p2.next,pv2-1,ans);
        sum = c + p2.data;
    }
    else {
        //move forward in both lists
        int c = add_helper(p1.next,pv1-1,p2.next,pv2-1,ans);
        sum = c + p1.data + p2.data;
    }

    int val = sum % 10;
    int nc = sum / 10;

    ans.addFirst(val);
    return nc;
}
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public static LinkedList addTwoLists(LinkedList one, LinkedList two) {

    LinkedList ans = new LinkedList();
    int c = add_helper(one.head,one.size-1,two.head,two.size-1,ans);

    if(c == 1) {
        ans.addFirst(c);
    }

    return ans;
}
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6<sub>4</sub> → 8<sub>3</sub> → 5<sub>2</sub> → 4<sub>1</sub> → 3<sub>0</sub>

9<sub>2</sub> → 8<sub>1</sub> → 6<sub>0</sub>

ans

6 → 9 → 5 → 2 → 9

