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Section 1 : Coding

1. Problem Statement

Imagine you are working on a text processing tool and need to implement a feature that allows users to insert characters at a specific position.

Implement a program that takes user inputs to create a singly linked list of characters and inserts a new character after a given index in the list.

Input Format

The first line of input consists of an integer N, representing the number of characters in the linked list.

The second line consists of a sequence of N characters, representing the linked list.

The third line consists of an integer index, representing the index(0-based) after

which the new character node needs to be inserted.

The fourth line consists of a character value representing the character to be inserted after the given index.

Output Format

If the provided index is out of bounds (larger than the list size):

1. The first line of output prints "Invalid index".
2. The second line prints "Updated list: " followed by the unchanged linked list values.

Otherwise, the output prints "Updated list: " followed by the updated linked list after inserting the new character after the given index.

Refer to the sample output for formatting specifications.

Sample Test Case

Input: 5
a b c d e
2
X
Output: Updated list: a b c X d e

Answer

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

typedef struct Node

{


   char data;
   struct Node* next;

} Node;
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Node* createNode(char data)
{

    Node* newNode = (Node*)malloc(sizeof(Node));
    newNode->data = data;
    newNode->next = NULL;
    return newNode;

}

void printList(Node* head)
{

    Node* temp = head;
    while (temp != NULL)

{

        printf("%c ", temp->data);
        temp = temp->next;

}
    printf("\n");

}

void insertAfter(Node* head, int index, char newChar)

{

    Node* current = head;
    int count = 0;
    while (current != NULL && count < index)
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{


    current = current->next;
    count++;


}
  if (current == NULL || count != index)

{


    printf("Invalid index\n");
    return;


}
  Node* newNode = createNode(newChar);
  newNode->next = current->next;
  current->next = newNode;

}

int main()

{


  int N, index;
  char newChar;

  // Read number of characters in the linked list
  scanf("%d", &N);

  Node* head = NULL;
  Node* tail = NULL;

  // Create the linked list from input characters
  for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)

{
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        char data;
        scanf(" %c", &data); // Read each character with space
        Node* newNode = createNode(data);

        if (head == NULL)

{


            head = newNode;
            tail = head;


} else

{


            tail->next = newNode;
            tail = newNode;


}


}
    // Read the index and the new character to insert
    scanf("%d", &index);
    scanf(" %c", &newChar);

    // Check if the index is valid
    if (index >= N)

{


        printf("Invalid index\n");
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} else
{

    insertAfter(head, index, newChar);


}

   // Print the updated list
   printf("Updated list: ");
   printList(head);

   // Free the allocated memory
   Node* temp;
   while (head != NULL)

{


    temp = head;
    head = head->next;
    free(temp);


}

   return 0;

}
```

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