

LINKED LISTS (CONTD)

DYNAMIC ARRAYS

Problem Solving with Computers-I

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C++

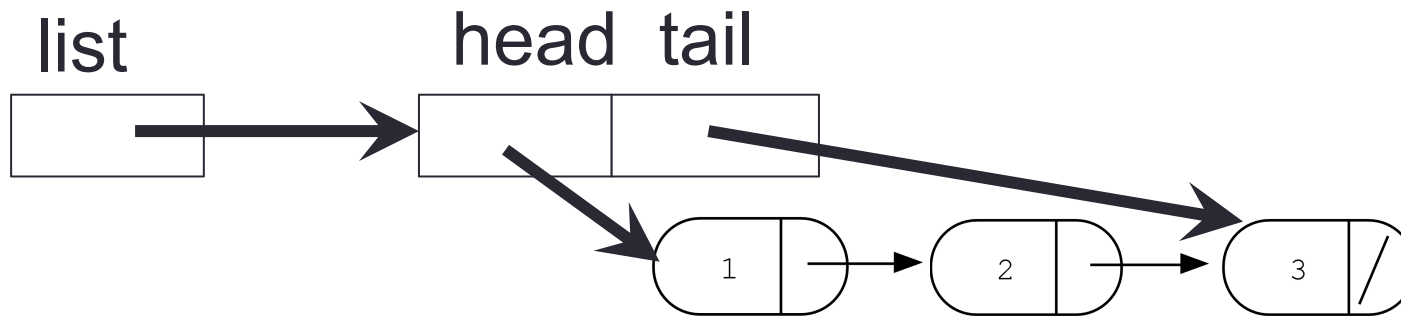
```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main(){
    cout<<"Hola Facebook\n";
    return 0;
}
```



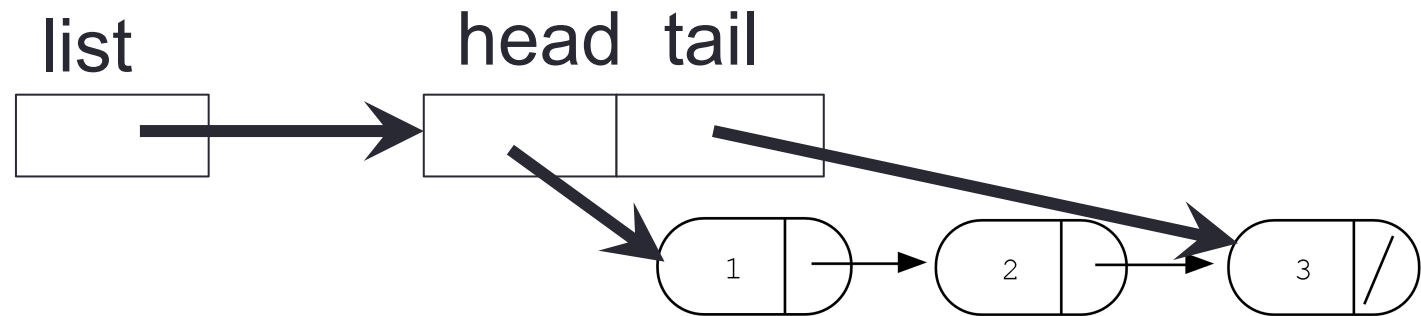
Review:

What are the 'links' in a linked-list?



Iterating through the list

```
int lengthOfList(LinkedList * list) {  
}
```



Dynamic memory pitfall: Memory Leaks

- Memory leaks (tardy free)
 - Heap memory not deallocated before the end of program (more strict definition, potential problem)
 - Heap memory that can no longer be accessed (definitely a leak , must be avoided!)

Does calling foo() result in a memory leak?

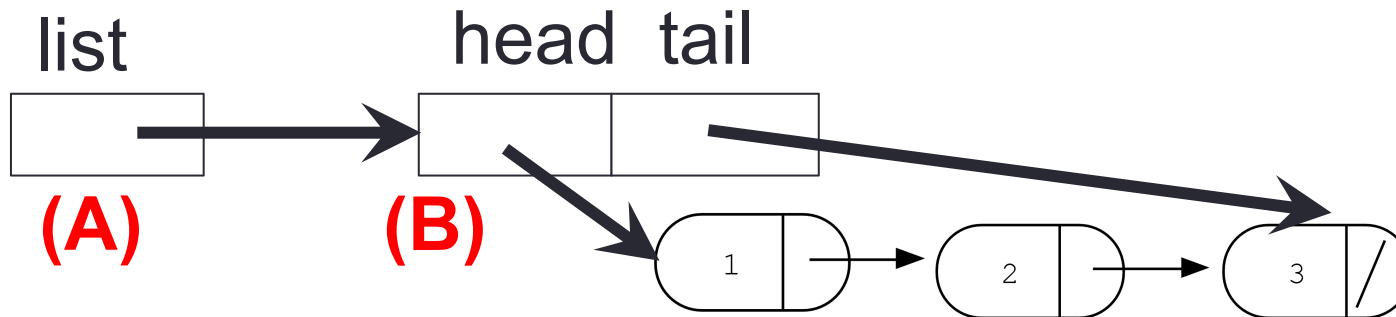
```
void foo(){  
    int * p = new int;  
  
}
```

- How to avoid memory leaks?
- How to detect memory leaks?

Deleting the list

```
int freeLinkedList(LinkedList * list){...}
```

Which data objects are deleted by the statement: `delete list;`



(C) All nodes of the linked list

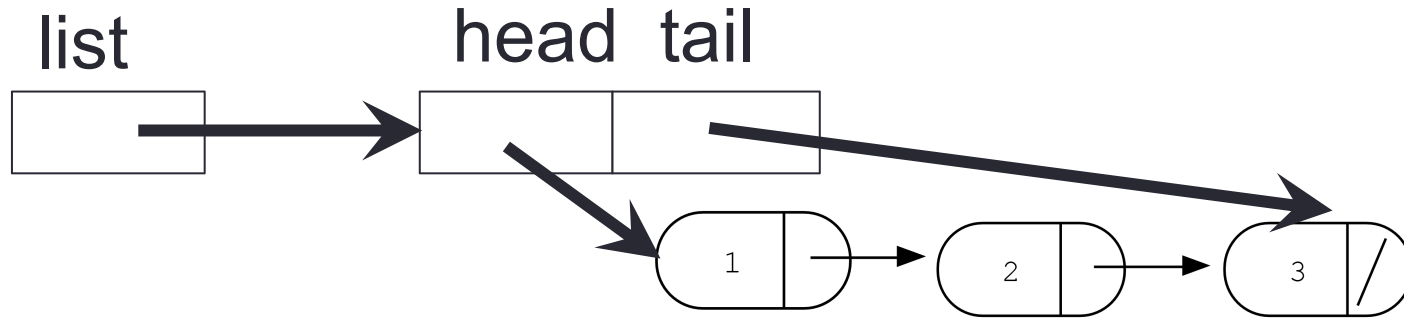
(D) B and C

(E) All of the above

Does this result in a memory leak?

Deleting the list

```
int freeLinkedList(LinkedList * list);
```



Dynamic arrays

```
int arr[5];
```

```
struct UndergradStudents{  
    string firstName;  
    string lastName;  
    string major;  
    double gpa[4];  
};
```

Arrays and pointers

| | | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| arr | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 60 |
| 100 | 104 | 108 | 112 | 116 | |

```
int arr[] = {20, 30, 40, 50, 60}
```

- `arr` is a pointer to the first element, what is the output of `cout<<arr;`
- `arr[0]` is the same as `*arr`
- `arr[2]` is the same as `*(arr+2)`
- Use pointers to pass arrays in functions (See code from [lecture 9](#))
- Use *pointer arithmetic* to access arrays more conveniently

Pointer Arithmetic

```
int arr[]={50, 60, 70};
```

```
int *p;
```

```
p = arr;
```

```
p = p + 1;
```

```
*p = *p + 1;
```

```
UndergradStudents records[2];
```

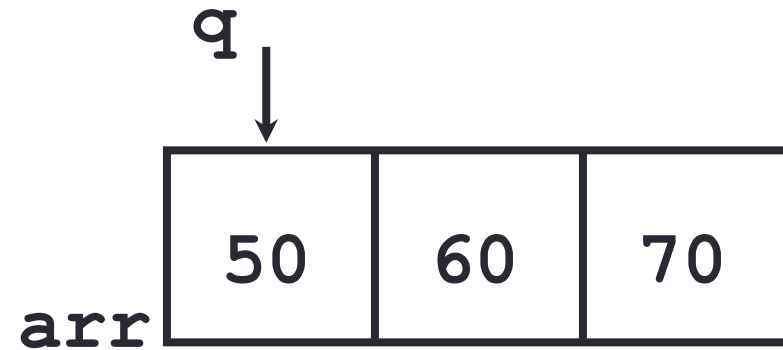
```
UndergradStudents *pRec;
```

```
pRec = records;
```

```
pRec = pRec + 1;
```

```
void IncrementPtr(int *p){  
    p = p + 1;  
}
```

```
int arr[3] = {50, 60, 70};  
int *q = arr;  
IncrementPtr(q);
```



Which of the following is true after **IncrementPtr (q)** is called in the above code:

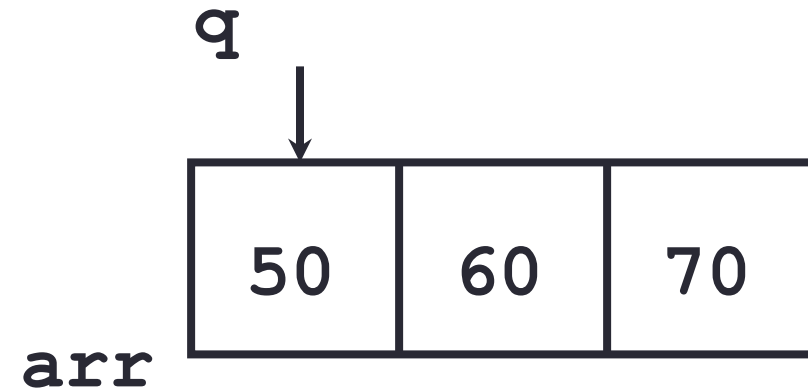
- A. 'q' points to the next element in the array with value 60
- B. 'q' points to the first element in the array with value 50

How should we implement `IncrementPtr()`, so that 'q' points to 60 when the following code executes?

```
void IncrementPtr(int **p){  
    p = p + 1; }  
}
```

```
int arr[3] = {50, 60, 70};  
int *q = arr;  
IncrementPtr(&q);
```

- A. `p = p + 1;`
- B. `&p = &p + 1;`
- C. `*p = *p + 1;`
- D. `p = &p+1;`



Review of homework 10, problem 5

```
void printRecords(UndergradStudents records [], int numRecords);  
int main(){  
    UndergradStudents ug[3];  
    ug[0] = {"Joe", "Shmoe", "EE", {3.8, 3.3, 3.4, 3.9} };  
    ug[1] = {"Macy", "Chen", "CS", {3.9, 3.9, 4.0, 4.0} };  
    ug[2] = {"Peter", "Patrick", "ME", {3.8, 3.0, 2.4, 1.9} };  
    printRecords(ug, 3);  
}
```

Expected output

These are the student records:

ID# 1, Shmoe, Joe, Major: EE, Average GPA: 3.60

ID# 2, Chen, Macy, Major: CS, Average GPA: 3.95

ID# 3, Pan, Patrick, Major: ME, Average GPA: 2.77

Review of homework 10, problem 5

```
void printRecords(UndergradStudents records [], int numRecords)
{
    double avgGPA;
    for(int i=0; i< numRecords; i++){

        cout<< "ID#" <<i <<" , " <<records[i].lastName <<" , "
        << records[i].firstName << " Avg GPA:" << avgGPA <<endl;
    }
}
```

Review of hw10, P5

```
void printRecords(UndergradStudents *records, int numRecords)
{
    double avgGPA;
    for(int i=0; i< numRecords; i++){
        avgGPA=0;
        for(int j=0; j< NUMGPA; j++){

        }
        cout<< "ID#" <<i <<" , " <<records[i].lastName <<" , "
        << records[i].firstName << " Avg GPA:" << avgGPA <<endl;
    }
}
```

Pointer Arithmetic

- What if we have an array of large structs (objects)?
 - C++ takes care of it: In reality, `ptr+1` doesn't add 1 to the memory address, but rather adds the size of the array element.
 - C++ knows the size of the thing a pointer points to – every addition or subtraction moves that many bytes: 1 byte for a char, 4 bytes for an int, etc.

Complex declarations in C/C++

How do we decipher declarations of this sort?

```
int **arr[];
```

Read

- * as “pointer to” (always on the left of identifier)
- [] as “array of” (always to the right of identifier)
- () as “function returning” (always to the right ...)

For more info see:

http://ieng9.ucsd.edu/~cs30x/rt_lt.rule.html

Complex declarations in C/C++

Right-Left Rule

```
int **arr [];
```

Step 1: Find the identifier

Step 2: Look at the symbols to the right of the identifier. Continue right until you run out of symbols *OR* hit a *right* parenthesis ")"

Step 3: Look at the symbol to the left of the identifier. If it is not one of the symbols '*', '(', '[' just say it. Otherwise, translate it into English using the table in the previous slide. Keep going left until you run out of symbols *OR* hit a *left* parenthesis "(".

Repeat steps 2 and 3 until you've formed your declaration.

Illegal combinations include:

[]() - cannot have an array of functions

()() - cannot have a function that returns a function

()[] - cannot have a function that returns an array

Complex declarations in C/C++

```
int i;  
int *i;  
int a[10];  
int f( );  
int **p;  
int (*p)[ ];  
int (*fp)( );  
int *p[ ];  
int af[ ]( );  
int *f( );  
int fa()[ ];  
int ff()( );  
int (**ppa)[ ];  
int (*apa[ ])[ ] ;
```

Next time

- Midterm Review
- There will also be a review during next week's section