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Aim: To study and implement data structure using built in function for link list, stack and queues

Objective: To introduce data structures in python

Theory:

Stacks -the simplest of all data structures, but also the most important. A stack is a collection of objects that are inserted and removed using the LIFO principle. LIFO stands for "Last In First Out". Because of the way stacks are structured, the last item added is the first to be removed, and vice-versa: the first item added is the last to be removed.

Queues – essentially a modified stack. It is a collection of objects that are inserted and removed according to the FIFO (First In First Out) principle. Queues are analogous to a line at the grocery store: people are added to the line from the back, and the first in line is the first that gets checked out – BOOM, FIFO!

Linked Lists

The Stack and Queue representations I just shared with you employ the python-based list to store their elements. A python list is nothing more than a dynamic array, which has some disadvantages.

The length of the dynamic array may be longer than the number of elements it stores, taking up precious free space.

Insertion and deletion from arrays are expensive since you must move the items next to them over

Using Linked Lists to implement a stack and a queue (instead of a dynamic array) solve both of these issues; addition and removal from both of these data structures (when implemented with a linked list) can be accomplished in constant O(1) time. This is a HUGE advantage when dealing with lists of millions of items.



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Linked Lists – comprised of 'Nodes'. Each node stores a piece of data and a reference to its next and/or previous node. This builds a linear sequence of nodes. All Linked Lists store a head, which is a reference to the first node. Some Linked Lists also store a tail, a reference to the last node in the list.

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code-
class Node:
  def init (self, data=None):
     self.data = data
     self.next = None
class LinkedList:
  def __init__(self):
     self.head = None
  # Traversing the linked list and printing elements with their indices
  def traverse with index(self):
     current = self.head
     index = 0
     while current:
       print("Index:", index, "Data:", current.data)
       current = current.next
       index += 1
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# Appending an element at the end of the linked list
def append(self, data):
  new_node = Node(data)
  if self.head is None:
    self.head = new_node
    return
  last node = self.head
  while last_node.next:
    last_node = last_node.next
  last node.next = new node
# Inserting an element at a specific index
def insert_at_index(self, index, data):
  new_node = Node(data)
  if index == 0:
    new_node.next = self.head
    self.head = new_node
    return
  current = self.head
  position = 0
  while current and position < index - 1:
    current = current.next
    position += 1
  if current is None:
    print("Index out of range.")
     return
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new node.next = current.next
  current.next = new_node
# Removing an element at a specific index
def remove_at_index(self, index):
  if index == 0:
     if self.head is None:
       print("List is empty.")
       return
     self.head = self.head.next
     return
  current = self.head
  position = 0
  while current and position < index - 1:
     current = current.next
     position += 1
  if current is None or current.next is None:
     print("Index out of range.")
     return
  current.next = current.next.next
# Replacing an element at a specific index
def replace_at_index(self, index, data):
  current = self.head
  position = 0
  while current and position < index:
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current = current.next
     position += 1
  if current is None:
     print("Index out of range.")
     return
  current.data = data
# Searching for the location of an element by its index
def search_by_index(self, index):
  current = self.head
  position = 0
  while current and position < index:
     current = current.next
     position += 1
  if current is None:
     print("Index out of range.")
     return
  return current.data, position
# Size of the linked list
def size(self):
  count = 0
  current = self.head
  while current:
     count += 1
     current = current.next
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return count

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# Example usage
if name == " main ":
  linked_list = LinkedList()
  # Appending elements
  linked list.append(10)
  linked_list.append(20)
  linked_list.append(30)
  print("Traversing with index:")
  linked_list.traverse_with_index()
  # Inserting an element at index 1
  linked_list.insert_at_index(1, 15)
  print("\nAfter inserting at index 1:")
  linked_list.traverse_with_index()
  # Removing an element at index 2
  linked_list.remove_at_index(2)
  print("\nAfter removing at index 2:")
  linked_list.traverse_with_index()
  # Replacing an element at index 0
  linked_list.replace_at_index(0, 5)
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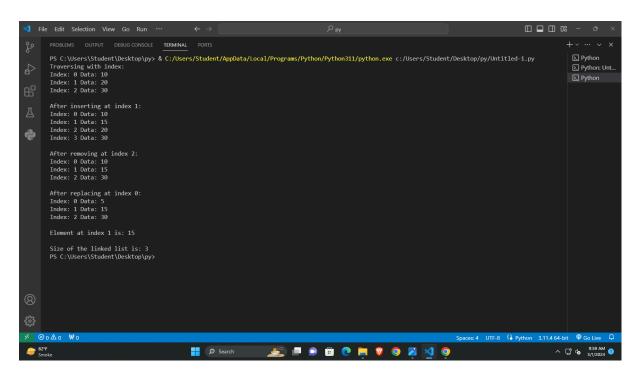
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print("\nAfter replacing at index 0:")
linked_list.traverse_with_index()

# Searching for the location of an element at index 1
data, position = linked_list.search_by_index(1)
print("\nElement at index 1 is:", data)

# Size of the linked list
print("\nSize of the linked list is:", linked_list.size())
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output:



Conclusion: Data structures python has been studied and implemented.