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 */
#include <iostream>
#include <list>
#include <algorithm>
#include <iterator>
using namespace std;
int main()
    list(int) coll;
    // insert elements from 6 to 1 and 1 to 6
    for (int i=1; i <=6; ++i) {
         coll. push front(i);
        coll. push back(i);
    // print all elements of the collection
    copy (coll.begin(), coll.end(),
           ostream iterator(int)(cout, ""));
    cout << endl;
    // remove all elements with value 3
    // - retain new end
    list<int>::iterator end = remove (coll.begin(), coll.end(),
                                          3):
    // print resulting elements of the collection
    copy (coll.begin(), end,
           ostream_iterator<int>(cout, ""));
    cout << endl;
    // print number of resulting elements
cout << "number of removed elements: "</pre>
          << distance(end, coll. end()) << endl;</pre>
    // remove ``removed'' elements
    coll.erase (end, coll.end());
    // print all elements of the modified collection
    copy (coll.begin(), coll.end(),
           ostream_iterator<int>(cout, " "));
    cout << endl;
}
```