

# **DATA STRUCTURE AND** **ALGORITHM LAB**

## **TIC TAC TOE** **GAME**

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## **1. Introduction :**

The first print reference to "**noughts and crosses**," the British name for the game, appeared in 1864. The first print reference to a game called "tick-tack-toe" occurred in 1884 but referred to a children's game played on a slate. **Tic-tac-toe** have **noughts and crosses** , or **Xs and Os** is a game for two players, X and O, who take turns marking the spaces in a 3×3 grid. **Tic-tac-toe** game is a paper-pencil game for two players, X and O, who take turns marking the spaces in a 3×3 grid. Now we can made tic tac toe on console without using paper pencil. We help the players without making the 3×3 grid on paper now players just mark the options.

## **2. Scope :**

In this project we use the one concept of DSA ( Data Structure And Algorithm ) which is linked list.

### **Linked List :**

In linked list further we use singly linked list.



### **Singly Linked List :**

In this project I use singly linked list.

## **Algorithms Used In This Project :**

Following are the algorithms used in this project are :

- 1. Insert Data.**
- 2. Update Data.**
- 3. Print Board.**
- 4. Check Winner.**

## **Language Used In This Project :**

In this project I use c++ language.

## **Platform Used In This Project :**

In this project I use Visual Studio Code as platform.

## **How To Win Tic Tac Toe Game :**

Tic Tac Toe, also known as "*Noughts and Crosses*" or "*X's and O's*", is a solved game. This means there is a known, mathematically proven strategy to follow for the best result each game. In Tic Tac Toe, two players who follow the right strategy will always tie, with neither player winning. Against an opponent who doesn't know this strategy, however, you can still win whenever they make a mistake. Once your friends pick up on your strategy, try a more difficult version of the rules.

If you don't know how to play tic tac toe, learn the basic rules.

### **Play your first X in a corner :**

Most experienced tic tac toe players put the first "X" in a corner when they get to play first. This gives the opponent the most opportunities to make a mistake. If your opponent responds by putting an O *anywhere* besides the center, you can guarantee a win.

### **Try to win if your opponent plays the first O in the center :**

If your opponent plays their first O in the center, you have to wait for them to make a mistake before you can win. If they continue to play correctly, they can guarantee a tie. Here are your two options for your second move, followed by instructions on how to win if they make certain moves (if they don't, just keep blocking their plays and the game will be a tie):

- Place your second X in the opposite corner from your first, so there's a line going "X O X" diagonally across the board. If they respond with an O in one of the other corners, you can win! Place your third X in the last empty corner, and your opponent won't be able to block you from winning with your fourth X.
- **Or**, place your second X on an edge square (not a corner), *not* touching your first X. If your opponent puts down an O in the corner that's *not* next to your X, you

can use your third X to block their move and automatically win with your fourth X.

### **Win automatically if your opponent plays his first O in any square besides the center :**

If your opponent puts his first O in any square *besides* the center, you can win. Respond by putting your second X in any other corner, with an empty space in between the two X's.

### **Place your third X so you have two possible winning moves :**

Most of the time, your opponent will see that you have two X's in a row and block you. (If not, just win by making a row of three X's.) After this happens, there should be an empty square that is in line with both your first and your second X, with no enemy O's blocking that line. Put your third X in this square.

### **Win with your fourth X :**

After your third X, there are two empty squares that will win you the game if an X goes into one of them. Since your opponent can only make one move, he can only block one of those squares. Write your fourth X into the square he didn't block, and you've won the game!

### **Force a draw if the opponent starts in the corner :**

If the opponent plays first and starts with an O in a corner, always put your first X in the center. Your second X should be placed on an edge, *not* a corner, *unless* you need to block your opponent from getting three in a row. Using this strategy, every game should be a draw. Theoretically, you can win from this position, but your opponent would have to make a huge mistake, such as not seeing that you have two X's in a row.

- In this section, your opponent is still playing O's, but remember they get to play first this time.

### **Force a draw when the opponent starts in the center:**

When your opponent starts by putting down an O in the center, place your first X in a corner. After that, just keep blocking your opponent from scoring and the game will be a draw. There is essentially no way for you to win from this position, unless your opponent stops trying to win or stop you from winning!

### **Try to win if the opponent starts at the edge:**

Most of the time, your opponent will start with one of the moves above. However, if your opponent puts down the first O on an edge, not on a corner or center, you have a small chance to win. Put your first X in the center. If your opponent puts the second O on the opposite edge, making a row or column that reads O-X-O, put your second X in a corner. Then, if your opponent puts the third O in the edge that is adjacent to your X, making a line that reads O-X-O, put your third X in the empty square to block their row of two O's. From here, you can always win with your fourth X.

- If at any point, your opponent doesn't make the exact move described above, you'll have to settle for a draw. Just start blocking their moves and neither of you will win.

### **Try these out if your tic tac toe games always end in draws :**

It might be fun for a while to be unbeatable at tic tac toe, but even without this article your friends might figure out how to stop you from winning. Once that happens, every single game of tic tac toe you play with them will be a draw — ugh. But you can still use basic tic tac toe rules to play games that aren't as easily solved. Try them out below.

### **Play mental tic tac toe :**

The rules are exactly the same as tic tac toe, but there's no board! Instead, each player says their moves aloud, and pictures the board in their head. You can still use all the strategy advice in this article, but it can be difficult to concentrate on that when you're trying to remember where the X's and O's are.

- Agree on a system for describing moves. For instance the first word is the row (top, middle, or bottom) and the second word is the column (left, middle, or right).

## **5. Screen Shots (attach screenshot of source code and output) :**

### **CODE**

```
C node.h  X
C node.h > ...
1  #ifndef NODE_H
2  #define NODE_H
3
4  struct Node
5  {
6      Node* next;
7      int data;
8
9      Node(int data);
10
11 };
12 #endif
13
```

```
C node.cpp  X
C node.cpp > ...
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include "node.h"
3
4  Node::Node(int data)
5  {
6      this->data = data;      // is mein hum data ko data ke equal karen ge.
7      this->next = NULL;     // is mein hum next ko null ke equal karen ge.
8  }
9
```

C linklist.h X

C linklist.h > ...

```
1  #ifndef LINKLIST_H
2  #define LINKLIST_H
3  #include <iostream>
4  #include "node.h"
5
6  class LinkList
7  {
8      private:
9          Node* head;
10         Node* current;
11
12     public:
13         LinkList();
14         void insertData(int data);
15         void updateData(int enterValue, char playerTurn);
16         void printBoard();
17         bool checkWinner(std::string player1 , std::string player2);
18         void rematchAndNewgame();
19     };
20 #endif
21
```

C linklist.cpp X

C linklist.cpp > ...

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include "linklist.h"
3
4  LinkList::LinkList()    // linked list ke constructor ke andr.
5  {
6      this->head = NULL;    // head ko bhi hum null ke equal karden ge.
7      this->current = NULL; // aur current ko bhi null ke equal karden ge.
8  }
9
10 void LinkList::insertData(int data)    //inserting node at end
11 {
12     Node* temp= new Node(data);
13     if (head == NULL)    //agr linked list ke andr koi bhi node nai hai tu ye first node create hogi.
14     {
15         head =temp;    // aur is mein jo new node hogi for example first node wo head hojaye gi.
16     }
17     else    // or agr phele se first node hai tu wo direct else mein jae ga.
18     {
19         Node* current = head;    // sub se phele hum head ko current karden ge.
20         while (current->next != NULL)    // then while ka loop us waqt tak chale ga jab tak current->next ko null na mil j
21         {
22             current = current->next;    // aur loop ke andr jab tak current ko null nai mile ga tab tak wo loop ke andr c
23         }
24         current->next = temp;    // aur jese hi current->next ko null mil jae ga wo loop ke bahir aje ga then null k
25     }
26 }
27
```



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linklist.cpp > ...
27
28 void LinkedList::updateData(int enterValue , char playerTurn)    // is function mein board ka data update hoga jese value ke
29 {
30     Node* current = head;          // sab se pehle hum current ko head ke equal karden ge .
31
32     while(current->data != enterValue)    // then while ke loop ke andr current->data jab tak entered value ke equal nai
33     {
34         current = current->next;    // is loop ke andr jab tak current data entered value ke equal nai hoga tab tak curre
35     }
36     current->data = playerTurn;    // aur jese hi current data entered value ke equal hojaye ga tu wo loop ke bahir aye ga
37 }
38
39 void LinkedList::printBoard()    // is print ke function ke andr hum board print kar rae hain.
40 {
41     system("cls");
42     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t-----" << std::endl;
43     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\tTIC TAC TOE GAME\t\t" << std::endl;    // title of game.
44     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t-----" << std::endl;
45     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\tPlayer 1 (X) - Player 2 (O)" << std::endl << std::endl;    // players info.
46     std::cout << std::endl;
47
48     Node* current = head;    // sab se pehle hum head ko current karden ge
49
50     while(current != NULL)
51     {
52         std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t";
53         for(int i=0; i<3; i++)    // ye for ka loop first row ke liye hai.
54         {
55             if(current->data == 79) // if ascii value is 79
56             {
57                 std::cout << "\t" << "O";    // agr second player ki bari hai tu wo O print karde ga aur phir direct label p
58                 goto label;    // agr if ki condition true hoti hai tu direct label pe jump hojaye ga.
59             }

```

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linklist.cpp > ...
60
61         else if(current->data == 88) // if ascii value is 88
62         {
63             std::cout << "\t" << "X";    // agr first player ki bari hai tu wo X print karde ga aur phir direct label pe
64             goto label;    // agr else-if ki condition true hoti hai tu direct label pe jump hojaye ga.
65         }
66
67         std::cout << "\t" << current->data;
68
69         label:    // aur jab label pe jump ho ga tu next condition chale gi.
70         current = current->next;    // idr hum next node mein jane ke liye current ko current->next ke equal karen ge
71
72         if(i<2)
73         {
74             std::cout << " |";
75         }
76     }
77
78     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t";
79     std::cout << std::endl;
80     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t-----";
81     std::cout << std::endl;
82     std::cout << "\t\t\t\t\t";
83
84     for(int i=0; i<3; i++)    // ye for ka loop second row ke liye hai.
85     {
86         if(current->data == 79) // if ascii value is 79
87         {
88             std::cout << "\t" << "O";    // agr second player ki bari hai tu wo O print karde ga aur phir direct label p
89             goto label2;    // agr if ki condition true hoti hai tu direct label2 pe jump hojaye ga.
90         }
91
92         else if(current->data == 88) // if 88

```



linklist.cpp X

```
270     return true;
271 }
272
273 //Then hum draw check karen ge.
274
275 current = head;      // sab se phele hum current ko head ke equal karden ge.
276
277 bool goFlag = false;  // then hum bool ke variable ko false ke equal karen ge.
278
279 while(current != NULL)    // while ka loop us waqt tak chale ga jab tak use null na mil jae.the while ki condition
280 {
281     if(current->data == 'X' || current->data == 'O')    // age current->data equal hota hai hai X ya O ke tu wo true r
282     {
283         goFlag = true;
284     }
285     else    // agr current->data X ya O ke equal nai hota tu wo else ke andr jae ga aur goflag mein false retu
286     {
287         goFlag = false;
288     }
289     if(goFlag == false)    // agr go flag false ke equal hota tu to draw wali condition break hojae gi
290     {
291         break;
292     }
293     current = current->next;    // aur agr us ko current->data pe X ya O mil jata hai tu wo current ko current->next ke
294 }
295 if(goFlag == true)    // sare boxes check karne ke baad agr goflag true hota hai ti wo print karde ga match draw warna r
296 {
297     std::cout << "\n\t\t\t\t\t -----GAME DRAW-----" << std::endl;
298     return true;
299 }
300 return false;
301 }
302
```

main.cpp X

main.cpp > ...

```
1  #include<iostream>
2  #include "linklist.h"
3  #include "node.h"
4  #include <stdlib>
5  #include <ctime>
6
7  int main()
8  {
9      LinkList ll;    // yahan hum link list ka object create kar rae hain.
10     char playerTurn = ' ';
11     int enterValue= { };
12     char temp = ' ';
13     std::string player1;
14     std::string player2;
15     int choice = 0;
16
17     ll.insertData(1);
18     ll.insertData(2);
19     ll.insertData(3);    // ye hum values insert kar rae hain.
20     ll.insertData(4);
21     ll.insertData(5);
22     ll.insertData(6);
23     ll.insertData(7);
24     ll.insertData(8);
25     ll.insertData(9);
26
27     do    // sab se phele hum do while ka loop create karen ge jis mein sab se phele program ik dafa run hoga the
28     {
29         system("cls");
30         std::cout<<"\t\t\t\t\t-----"<<std::endl;
31         std::cout<<"\t\t\t\t\tTIC TAC TOE GAME\t\t\t\t\t" <<std::endl;
32         std::cout<<"\t\t\t\t\t-----" <<std::endl;
```



# DEMO

```
C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe - a

-----
|          TIC TAC TOE GAME          |
-----

Enter First Player  [X] Name: Hamza

Enter Second Player [O] Name: Taha

-----

System select randomly who start the match...

Player 2 starts the match!

Press any key to continue . . .
```

```
C:\Windows\System32\cmd.exe - a

-----
|          TIC TAC TOE GAME          |
-----

Player 1 (X) - Player 2 (O)

1  |  2  |  3
-----
4  |  5  |  6
-----
7  |  8  |  9

Taha's [O] turn:
```

```
-----  
|          TIC TAC TOE GAME          |  
-----  
Player 1 (X)  -  Player 2 (O)  
  
  1  |  0  |  X  
-----  
  4  |  0  |  X  
-----  
  7  |  8  |  9
```

Taha's [O] turn:

```
-----  
|          TIC TAC TOE GAME          |  
-----  
Player 1 (X)  -  Player 2 (O)  
  
  1  |  0  |  X  
-----  
  4  |  0  |  X  
-----  
  7  |  0  |  9
```

Taha [O] WIN!!!

For Exit Press '0'  
For Rematch Press '1'  
For Newgame Press '2'

ENTER CHOICE :

END GAME

Thanks For Playing

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