

Merge in C++

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
using namespace std;
```

```
// Node class definition
```

```
class Node {
```

```
public:
```

```
    int data;
```

```
    Node* next;
```

```
    // Constructor
```

```
    Node(int d) {
```

```
        data = d;
```

```
        next = nullptr;
```

```
    }
```

```
};
```

```
// LinkedList class definition
```

```
class LinkedList {
```

```
public:
```

```
    Node* head;
```

```
    Node* tail;
```

```
    int size;
```

```
    // Constructor
```

```
    LinkedList() {
```

```
        head = nullptr;
```

```
        tail = nullptr;
```

```
        size = 0;
```

```
    }
```

```
    // Method to add node at the end
```

```
    void addLast(int val) {
```

```
        Node* temp = new Node(val);
```

```
        if (size == 0) {
```

```
            head = tail = temp;
```

```
        } else {
```

```
            tail->next = temp;
```

```
            tail = temp;
```

```
        }
```

```
        size++;
```

```
    }
```

```
    // Method to print the linked list
```

```
    void display() {
```

```
        Node* temp = head;
```

```
        while (temp != nullptr) {
```

```
            cout << temp->data << " ";
```

```
            temp = temp->next;
```

```
        }
```

```
        cout << endl;
```

```
    }
```

```
    // Function to merge two sorted linked lists
```

```
    static Node* sortedMerge(Node* headA, Node* headB) {
```

```
        Node* dummyNode = new Node(0);
```

```
        Node* tail = dummyNode;
```

```
        while (true) {
```

```
            if (headA == nullptr) {
```

What the Code Does

- Two sorted linked lists are created:
 - List 1: 5 -> 10 -> 15
 - List 2: 2 -> 3 -> 20
- The sortedMerge() function merges them into a single sorted list.
- Result is printed.

Initial Lists

List 1 (l1st1) List 2 (l1st2)

5 → 10 → 15 2 → 3 → 20

Dry Run of sortedMerge()

Step	headA->data	headB->data	Chosen Node	Merged List So Far
1	5	2	2 (from B)	2
2	5	3	3 (from B)	2 → 3
3	5	20	5 (from A)	2 → 3 → 5
4	10	20	10 (from A)	2 → 3 → 5 → 10
5	15	20	15 (from A)	2 → 3 → 5 → 10 → 15
6	null	20	Append B	2 → 3 → 5 → 10 → 15 → 20

Final Output

2 3 5 10 15 20

★ Summary

Input List 1	Input List 2	Output (Merged Sorted List)
5 → 10 → 15	2 → 3 → 20	2 → 3 → 5 → 10 → 15 → 20

```

        tail->next = headB;
        break;
    }
    if (headB == nullptr) {
        tail->next = headA;
        break;
    }
    if (headA->data <= headB->data) {
        tail->next = headA;
        headA = headA->next;
    } else {
        tail->next = headB;
        headB = headB->next;
    }
    tail = tail->next;
}

return dummyNode->next;
}
};

// Main function
int main() {
    LinkedList llist1;
    LinkedList llist2;

    // Adding elements to the first linked list
    llist1.addLast(5);
    llist1.addLast(10);
    llist1.addLast(15);

    // Adding elements to the second linked list
    llist2.addLast(2);
    llist2.addLast(3);
    llist2.addLast(20);

    // Merging the two sorted linked lists
    Node* mergedHead =
LinkedList::sortedMerge(llist1.head, llist2.head);

    // Printing the merged list
    Node* temp = mergedHead;
    while (temp != nullptr) {
        cout << temp->data << " ";
        temp = temp->next;
    }
    cout << endl;

    return 0;
}

```

2 3 5 10 15 20