

Unit 3

Linked list

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List

What is a List?

Sequence of ELEMENTS.

It is a List of elements of type T and it is a **FINITE SEQUENCE** of elements

Example

[[2, 1, 5, 6, 0]]
A list of integers or list of records.



Implementation of list

There are 2 main ways :

1. Using Contiguous storage

- an array in which the elements are physically next to one another in adjacent memory locations

Disadvantage -

2. Non Contiguous storage(Linked List)

Disadvantage of Contiguous memory

Two Disadvantages,

1) Insertion in Position requires moving of elements 'DOWN' one position.

2) Deletion requires moving of elements 'UP' one position.

↓ Insert - 100



Linked list

Linked list eliminates the problem encountered in List.

What is a Linked List?

A linked list is a collection of **nodes**, where each node contains some data along with information about the next node.

How it works?

A linked list uses non-contiguous memory locations and hence requires each node to remember where the next node is

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What is a NODE?

Node is a combination of DATA and LINK.



What is Data?

Is the part where the actual data is stored.

What is a Link?

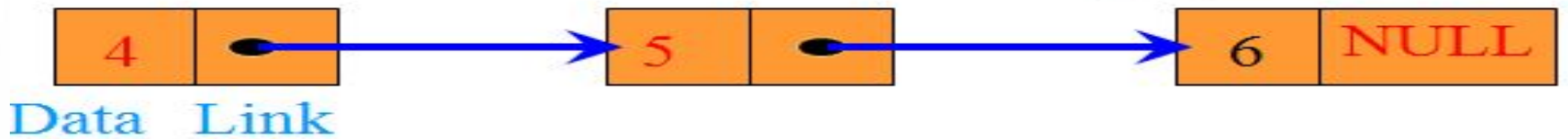
It is the link (pointer) to the next element of the list.

Two ways of implementing

It could be either an index to an array element (array implementation) OR

a pointer variable containing the address of the next element (pointer)

Representation



- 1) The above linked list contains 3 nodes located at different memory locations each node has a pointer that points to the next node.
- 2) The node that have a **NULL** indicates the it is the end of the list (**last node**).

In C/C++ programs either **NULL** or **0** can be used to indicate the end of the list.

Array Representation

Memory is to be allocated for

- 1) elements of the list
- 2) links.

when the elements are just integers

- `int data[4]; // array to hold the data`
- `int link[4]; // array to hold the links`

- We can now store a list of up to 4 elements and their links i.e. 4 nodes.

Index	Data	Link
» 0	35	3
» 1	54	2
» 2	86	99
» 3	48	1

Pointer Implementation

Consider the following,

struct node

```
{  
int data;  
node *next;  
};
```

Node



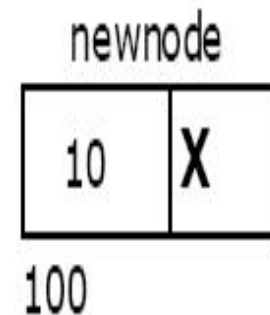
- 1) The structure contains an data and a pointer
- 2) Data contains the data
- 3) next is the pointer to the next node in the list

Operations on linked list

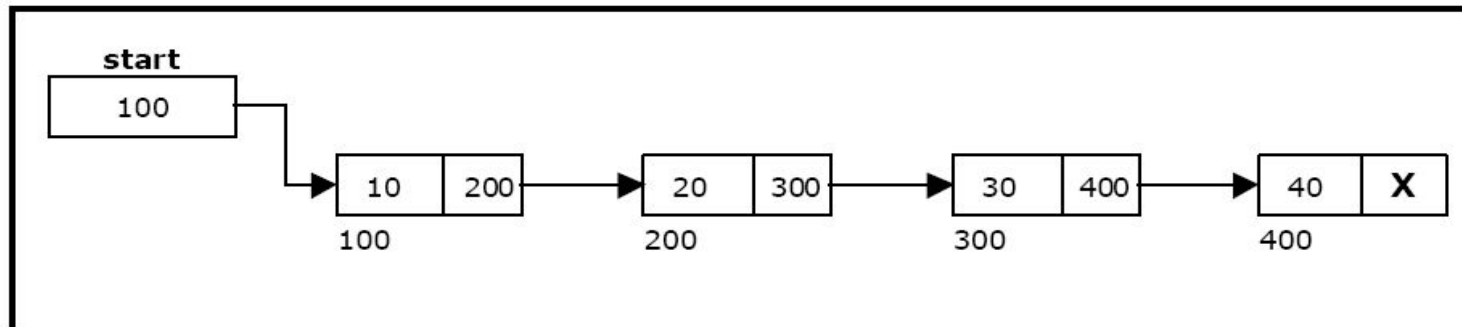
- Insertion
- Deletion
- search
- Creation
- Traverse

Creation of SLL

```
node* getnode()
{
    node* newnode;
    newnode = (node *) malloc(sizeof(node));
    printf("\n Enter data: ");
    scanf("%d", &newnode -> data);
    newnode -> next = NULL;
    return newnode;
}
```

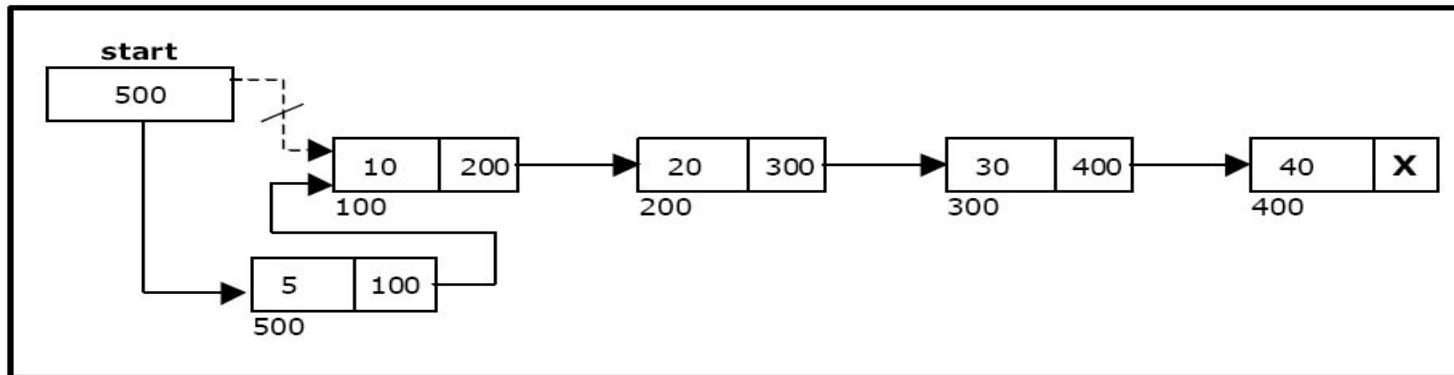


Creation of SLL of 'n' nodes



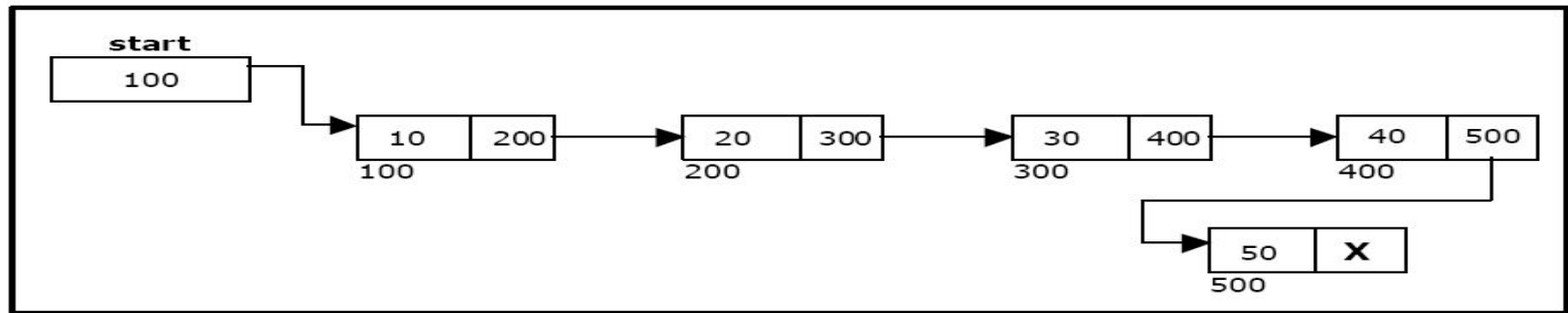
```
void createlist(int n)
{
    int i;
    node *newnode;
    node *temp;
    for(i = 0; i < n ; i++)
    {
        newnode = getnode();
        if(start == NULL)
        {
            start = newnode;
        }
        else
        {
            temp = start;
            while(temp -> next != NULL)
                temp = temp -> next;
            temp -> next = newnode;
        }
    }
}
```

Insertion at beginning in SLL



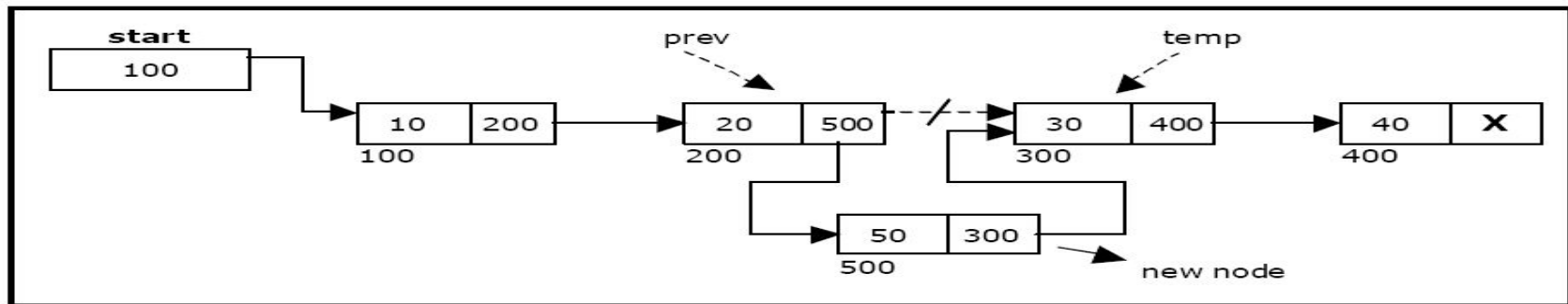
```
void insert_at_beg()
{
    node *newnode;
    newnode = getnode();
    if(start == NULL)
    {
        start = newnode;
    }
    else
    {
        newnode -> next = start;
        start = newnode;
    }
}
```

Inserting a node at end in SLL



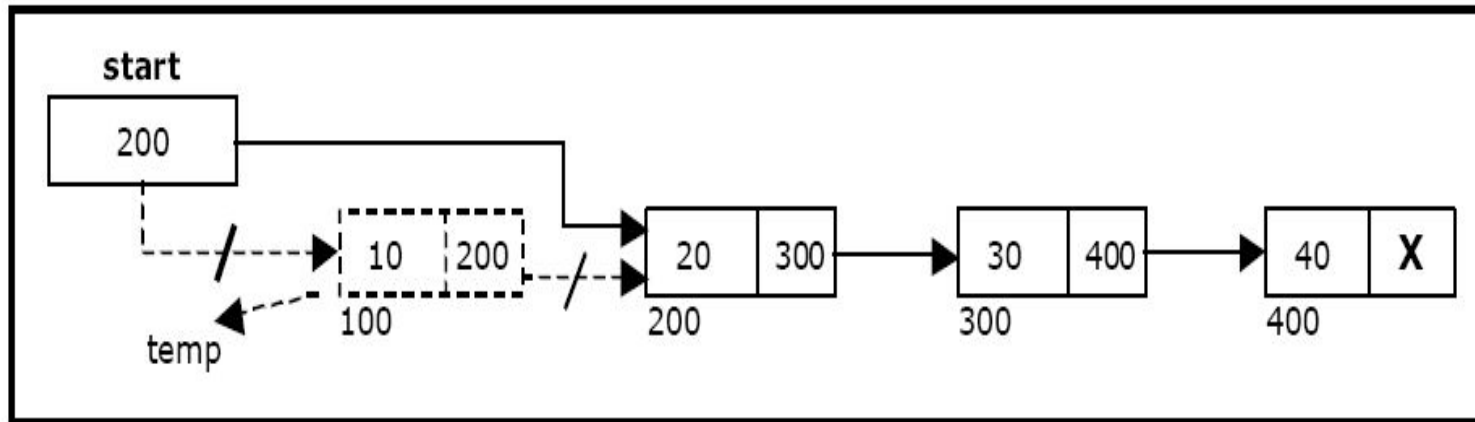
```
void insert_at_end()
{
    node *newnode, *temp;
    newnode = getnode();
    if(start == NULL)
    {
        start = newnode;
    }
    else
    {
        temp = start;
        while(temp -> next != NULL)
            temp = temp -> next;
        temp -> next = newnode;
    }
}
```

Inserting a node at intermediate position



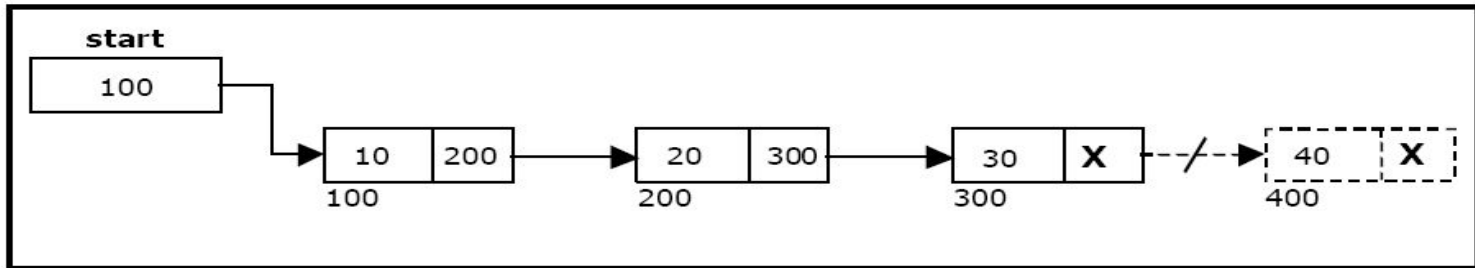
```
void insert_at_mid()
{
    node *newnode, *temp, *prev;
    int pos, nodectr, ctr = 1;
    newnode = getnode();
    printf("\n Enter the position: ");
    scanf("%d", &pos);
    nodectr = countnode(start);
    if(pos > 1 && pos < nodectr)
    {
        temp = prev = start;
        while(ctr < pos)
        {
            prev = temp;
            temp = temp -> next;
            ctr++;
        }
        prev -> next = newnode;
        newnode -> next = temp;
    }
    else
    {
        printf("position %d is not a middle position", pos);
    }
}
```

Deletion of node at the beginning



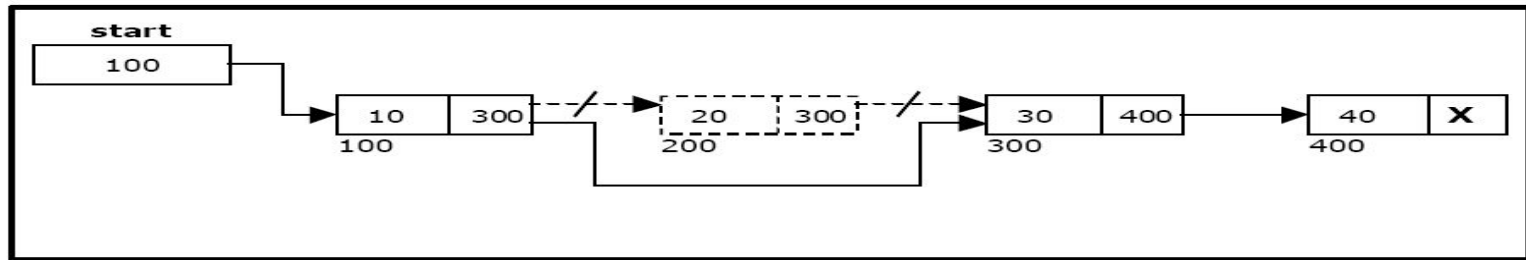
```
void delete_at_beg()
{
    node *temp;
    if(start == NULL)
    {
        printf("\n No nodes are exist..");
        return ;
    }
    else
    {
        temp = start;
        start = temp -> next;
        free(temp);
        printf("\n Node deleted ");
    }
}
```


Deletion of node at end



```
void delete_at_last()
{
    node *temp, *prev;
    if(start == NULL)
    {
        printf("\n Empty List..");
        return ;
    }
    else
    {
        temp = start;
        prev = start;
        while(temp -> next != NULL)
        {
            prev = temp;
            temp = temp -> next;
        }
        prev -> next = NULL;
        free(temp);
        printf("\n Node deleted ");
    }
}
```

deleting a node at intermediate position



```

void delete_at_mid()
{
    int ctr = 1, pos, nodectr;
    node *temp, *prev;
    if(start == NULL)
    {
        printf("\n Empty List..");
        return ;
    }
    else
    {
        printf("\n Enter position of node to delete: ");
        scanf("%d", &pos);
        nodectr = countnode(start);
        if(pos > nodectr)
        {
            printf("\nThis node doesnot exist");
        }
    }
}
    
```

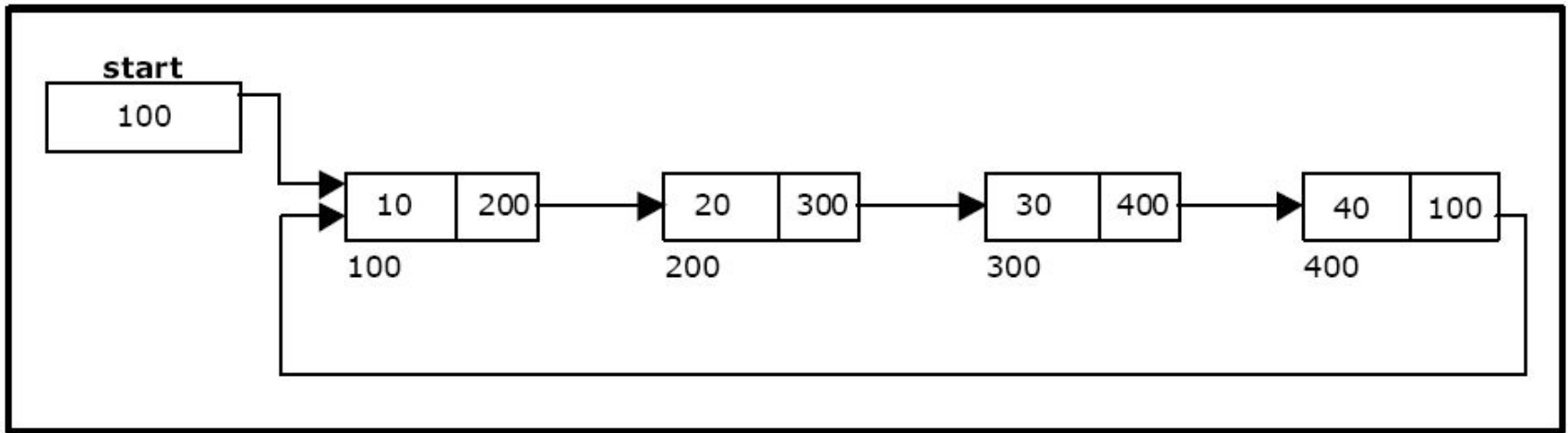
```

        if(pos > 1 && pos < nodectr)
        {
            temp = prev = start;
            while(ctr < pos)
            {
                prev = temp;
                temp = temp -> next;
                ctr ++;
            }
            prev -> next = temp -> next;
            free(temp);
            printf("\n Node deleted..");
        }
        else
        {
            printf("\n Invalid position..");
            getch();
        }
    }
}
    
```

Traversing a list

```
void traverse()
{
    node *temp;
    temp = start;
    printf("\n The contents of List (Left to Right): \n");
    if(start == NULL )
        printf("\n Empty List");
    else
    {
        while (temp != NULL)
        {
            printf("%d ->", temp -> data);
            temp = temp -> next;
        }
        printf("X");
    }
}
```

Circular singly linked list



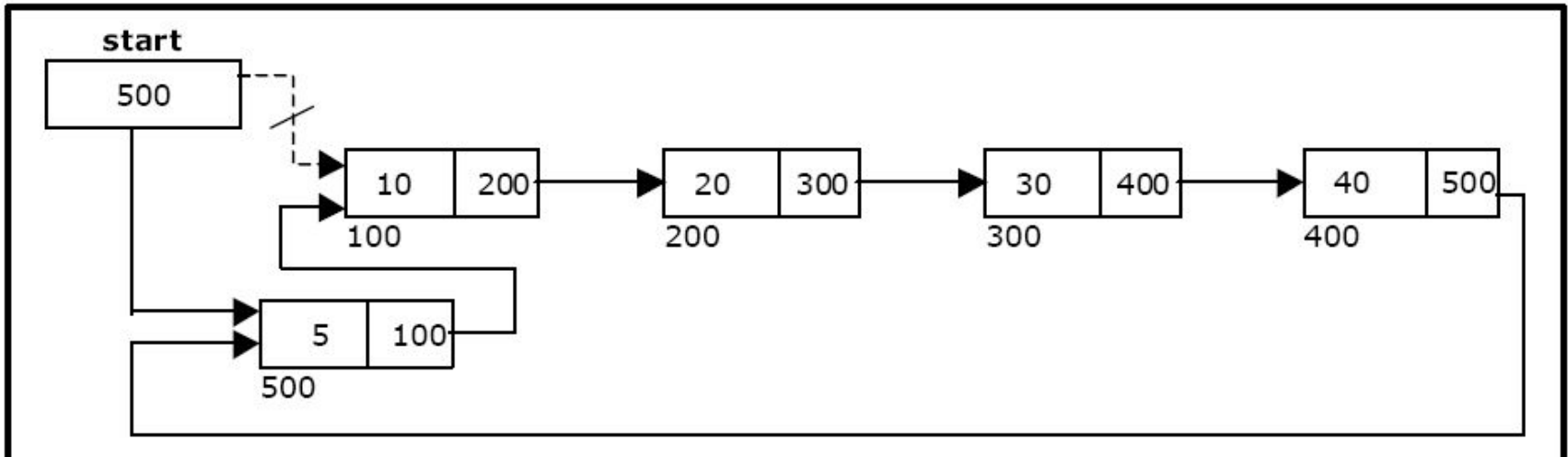
Creation of CLL

Creating a circular single Linked List with 'n' number of nodes:

The following steps are to be followed to create 'n' number of nodes:

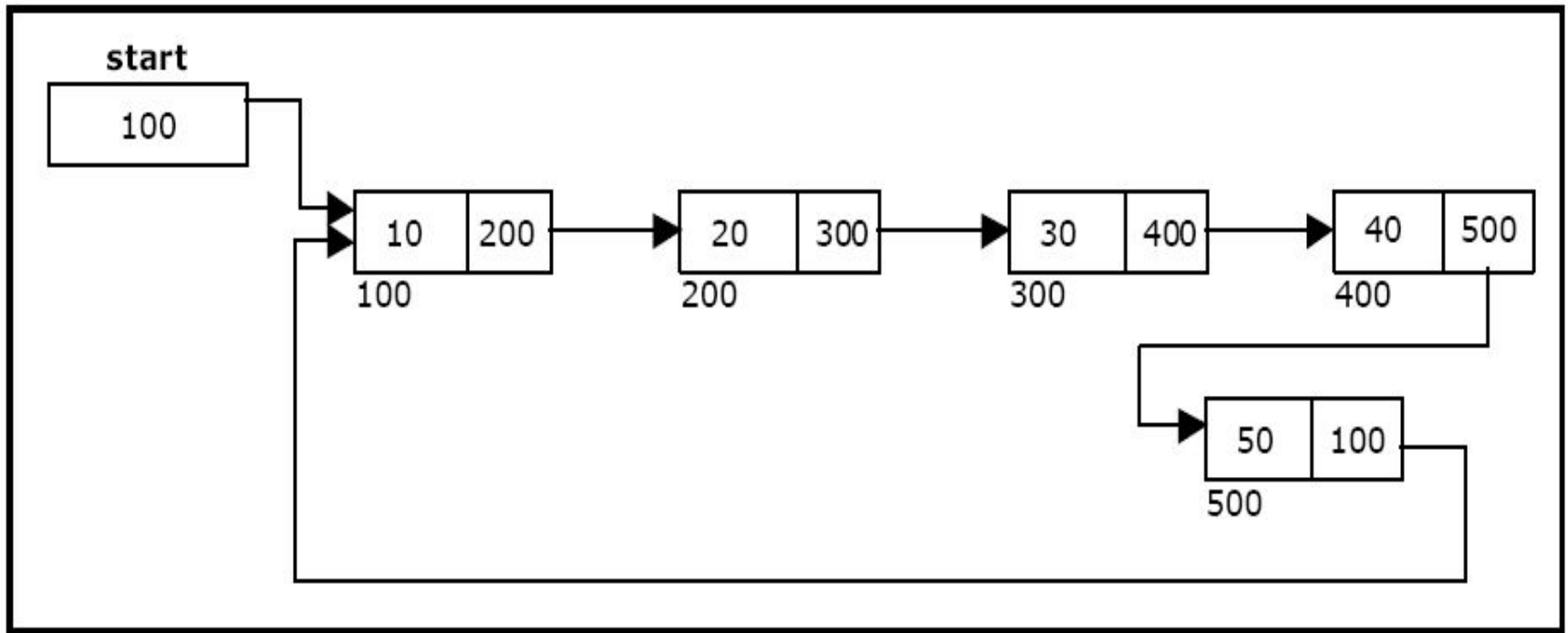
- Get the new node using `getnode()`.
`newnode = getnode();`
- If the list is empty, assign new node as start.
`start = newnode;`
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:
`temp = start;`
`while(temp -> next != NULL)`
`temp = temp -> next;`
`temp -> next = newnode;`
- Repeat the above steps 'n' times.
- `newnode -> next = start;`

Insertion at the beginning

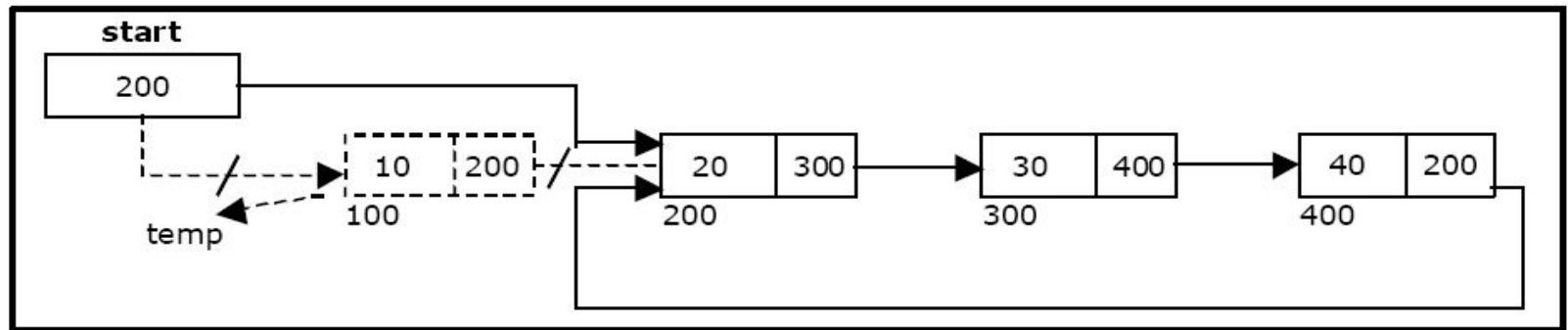


- Get the new node using `getnode()`.
`newnode = getnode();`
- If the list is empty, assign new node as start.
`start = newnode;`
`newnode -> next = start;`
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:
`last = start;`
`while(last -> next != start)`
 `last = last -> next;`
 `newnode -> next = start;`
 `start = newnode;`
 `last -> next = start;`

Inserting a node at the end



Deletion of node at the beginning in CLL



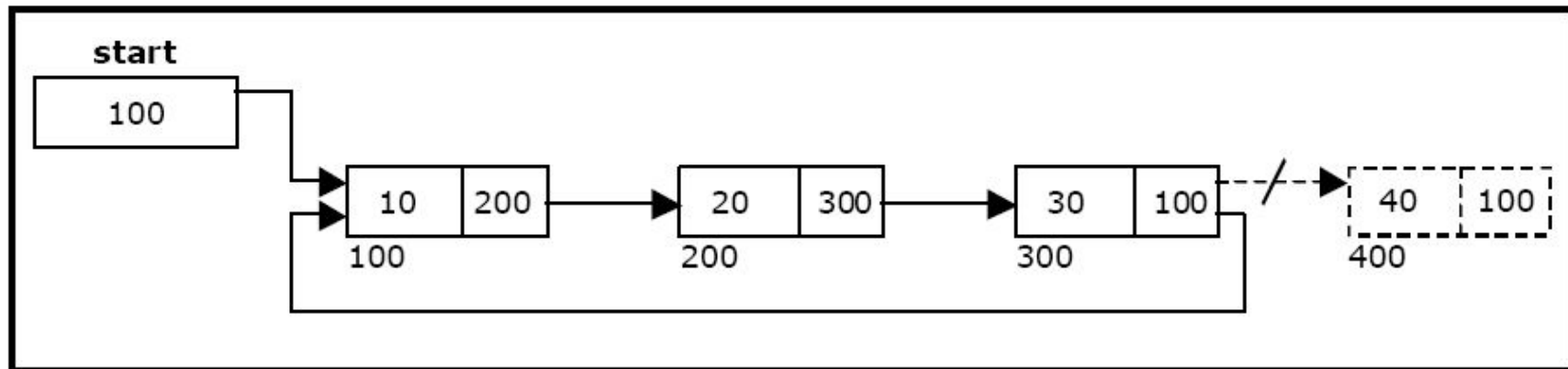
Deleting a node at the beginning:

The following steps are followed, to delete a node at the beginning of the list:

- If the list is empty, display a message 'Empty List'.
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:

```
last = temp = start;
while(last -> next != start)
    last = last -> next;
start = start -> next;
last -> next = start;
```
- After deleting the node, if the list is empty then *start = NULL*.

Deleting a node at the end inCLL



Deleting a node at the end:

The following steps are followed to delete a node at the end of the list:

- If the list is empty, display a message 'Empty List'.
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:

```
temp = start;
prev = start;
while(temp -> next != start)
{
    prev = temp;
    temp = temp -> next;
}
prev -> next = start;
```
- After deleting the node, if the list is empty then *start = NULL*.

Traversing CLL

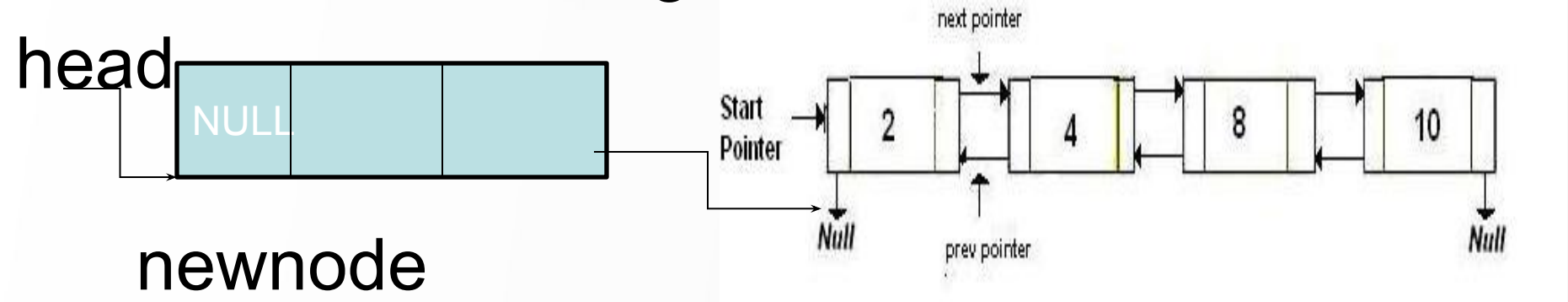
The following steps are followed, to traverse a list from left to right:

- If list is empty then display 'Empty List' message.
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:

```
temp = start;  
do  
{  
    printf("%d ", temp -> data);  
    temp = temp -> next;  
} while(temp != start);
```

Operations on DLL

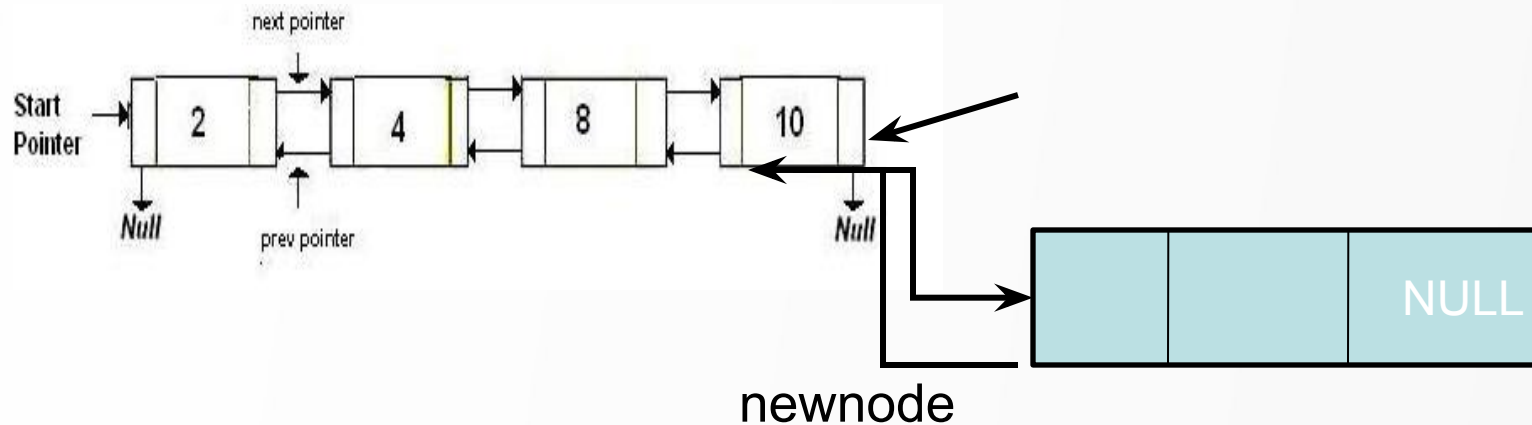
- Insertion at the beginning



```
newnode->next=head;  
head->prev=newnode;  
head=newnode;
```

DLL

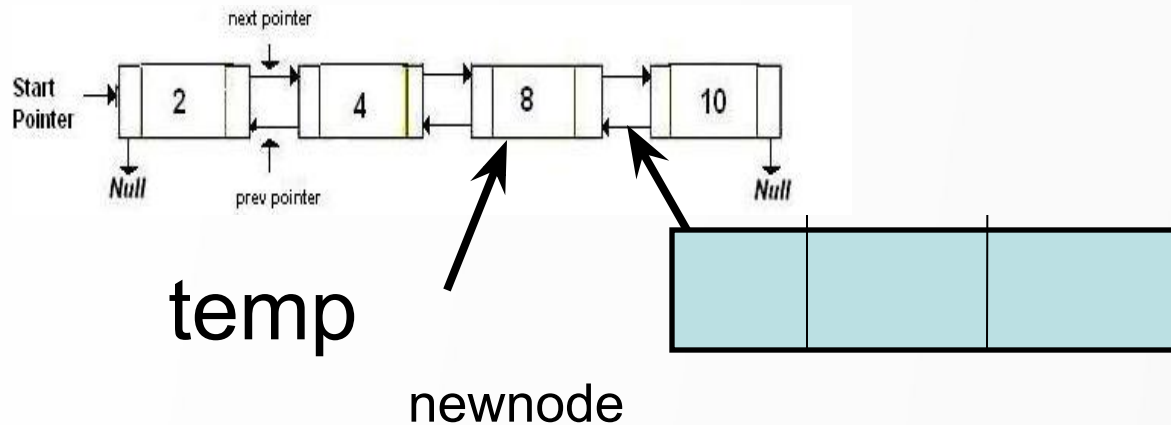
- Insertion at the end



```
temp->next=newnode  
newnode->prev=temp;  
newnode->next= NULL;
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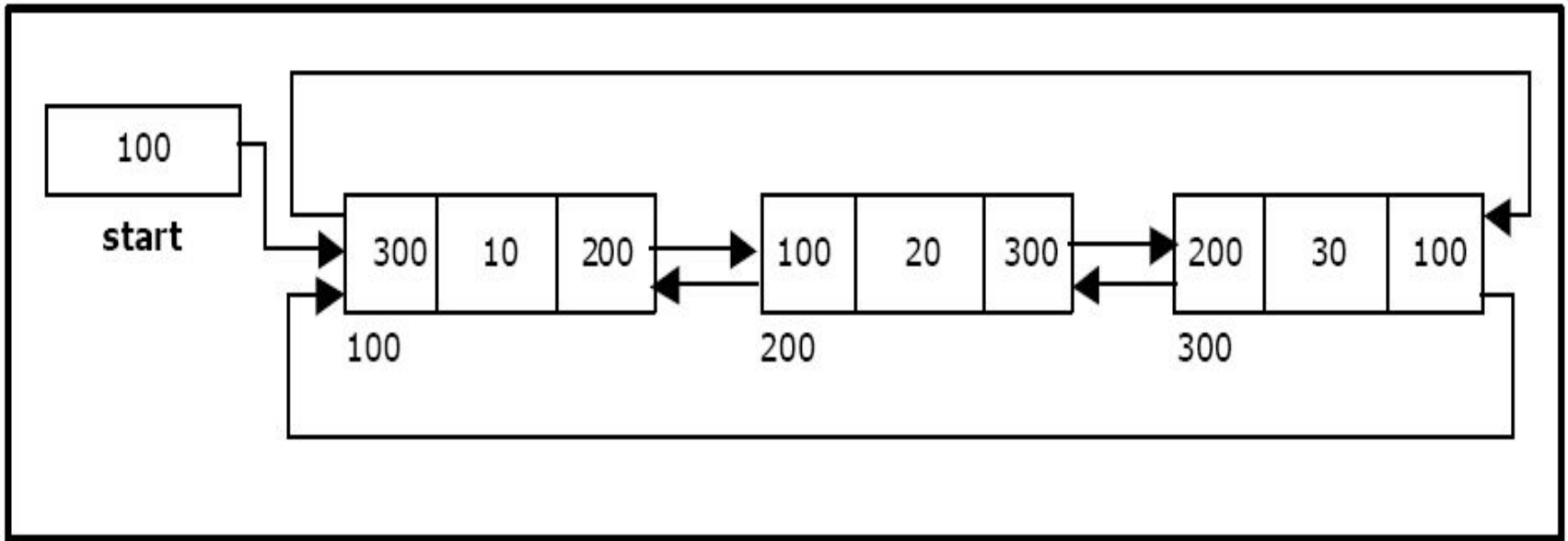
DLL

- Insertion in between

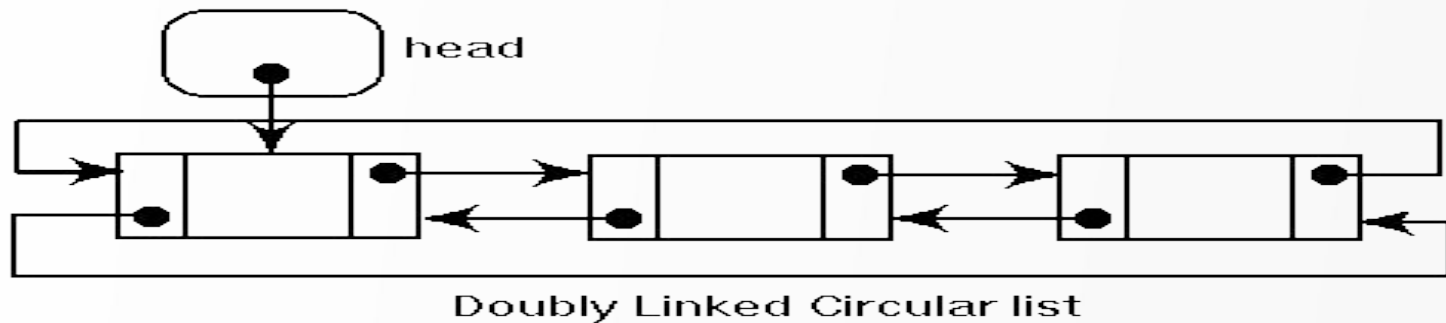


```
newnode->next=temp->next;  
newnode->prev=temp;  
temp->next->prev=newnode;  
temp->next=newnode;
```

Circular Doubly Linked list



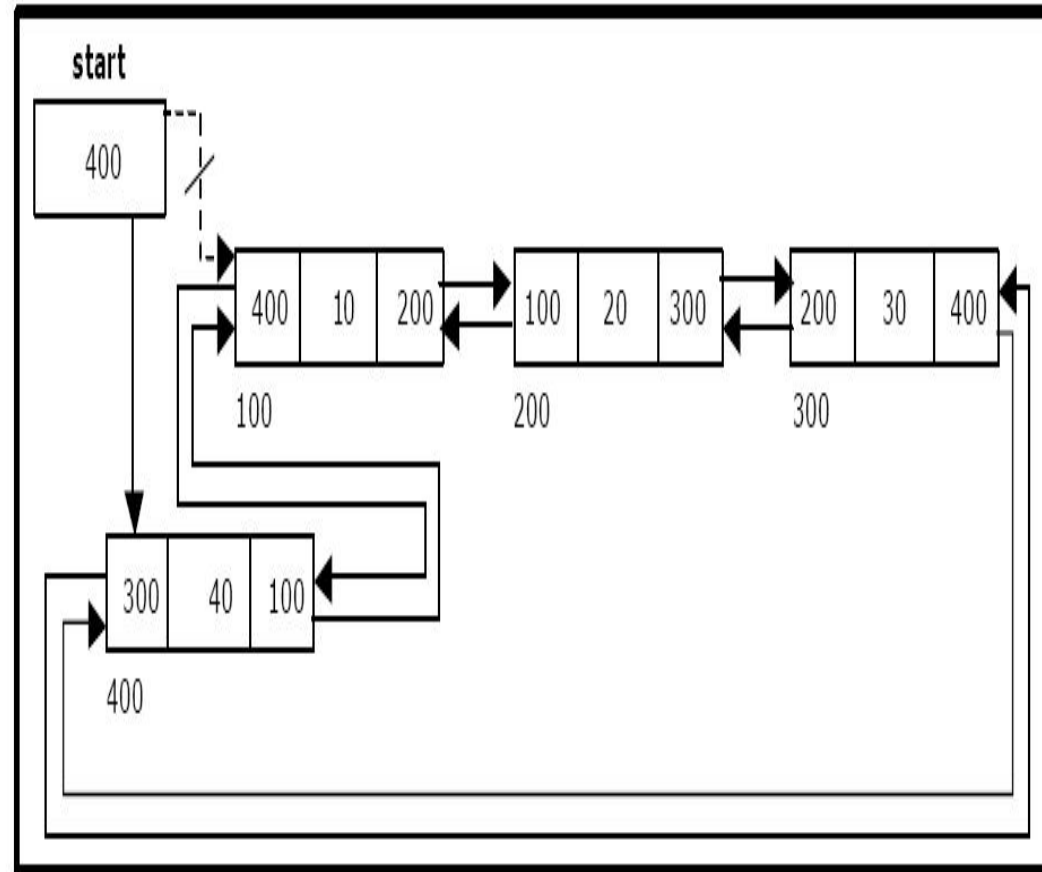
CDLL



```
newnode->data=data;  
newnode->next=NULL;  
newnode->prev=NULL;
```

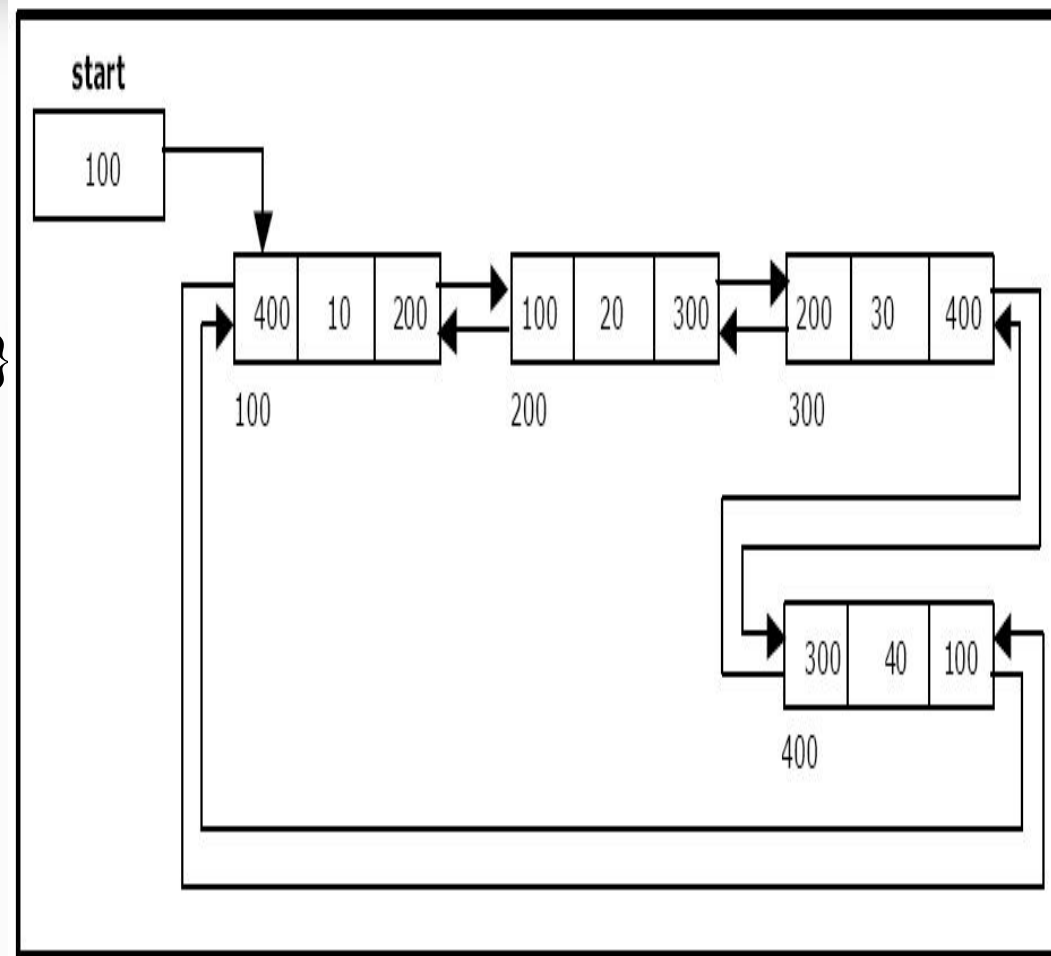
Insertion at first in CDLL

```
if(head==NULL) {  
    newnode->next=newnode;  
    newnode->prev=newnode;  
    head=newnode; }  
else {  
    Node *temp;  
    temp=head;  
    newnode->next=temp;  
    newnode->prev=temp->prev  
    temp->prev->next=newnode  
    temp->prev=newnode;  
    head=newnode;  
}
```



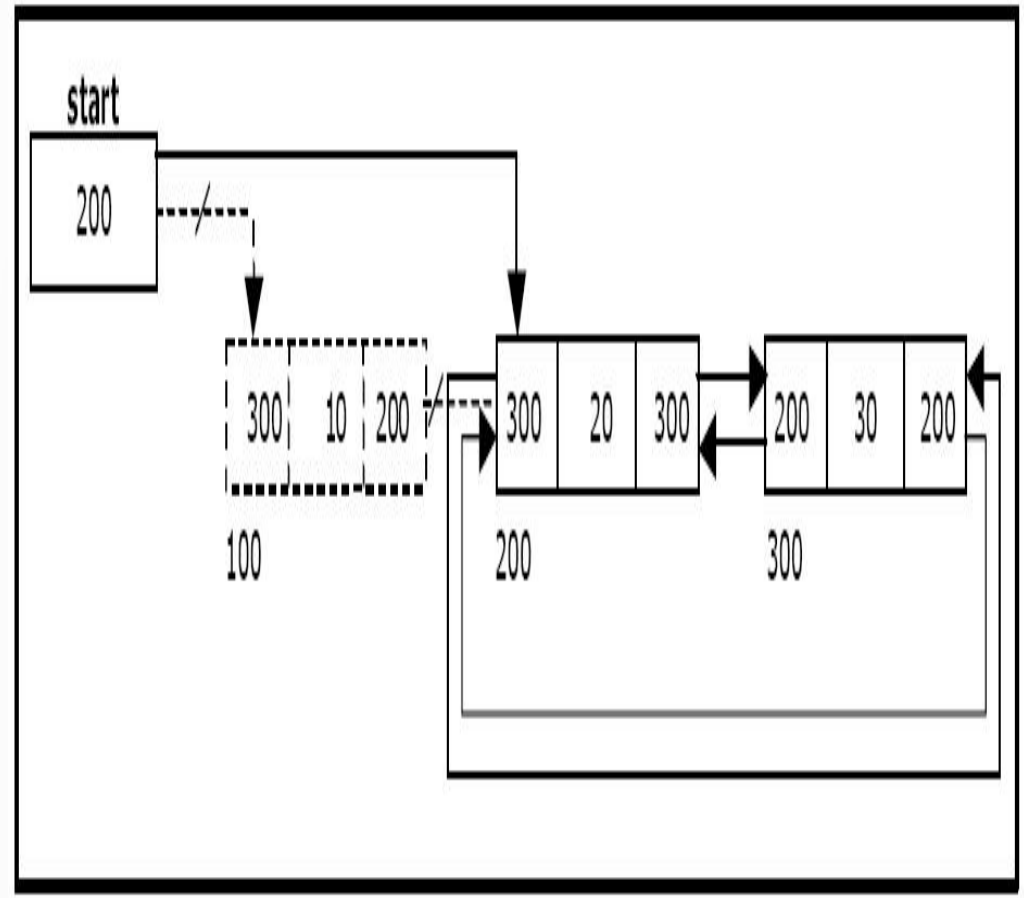
Insert at the end in CDLL

```
if(head==NULL) {  
    head=newnode;  
    newnode->next=newnode;  
    newnode->prev=newnode; }  
else { Node *temp;  
    temp=head;  
    temp=temp->prev;  
    newnode->next=head;  
    newnode->prev=temp;  
    temp->next=newnode;  
    head->prev=newnode; }
```



Delete first in CDLL

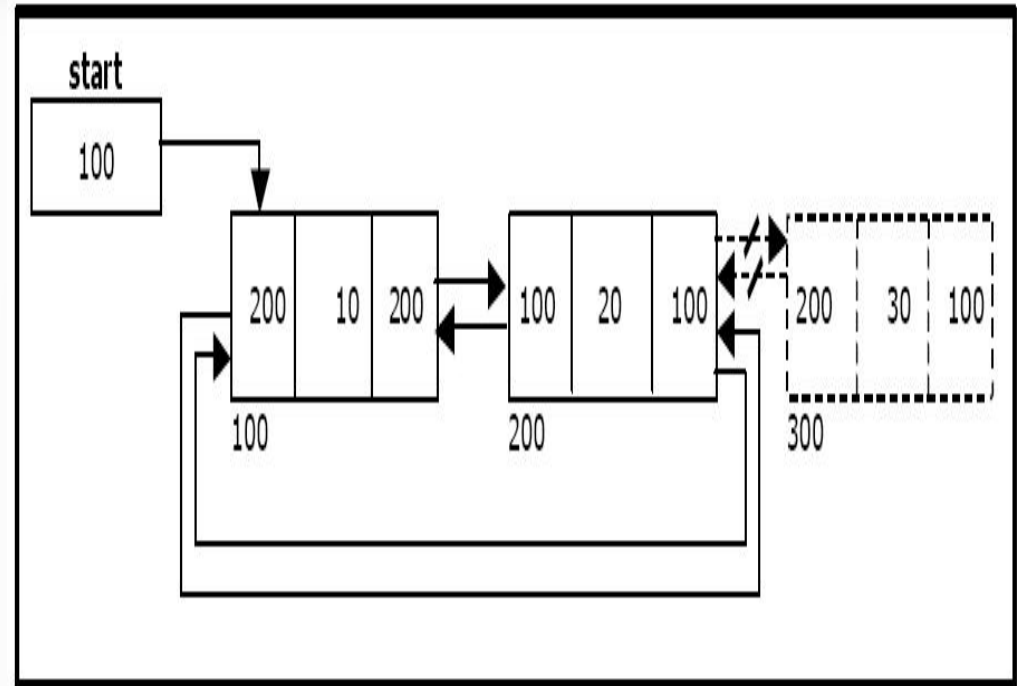
```
if(head->next==head) {  
    head=NULL;  
    return;  
}  
Node *temp,*nhead;  
temp=head;  
nhead=head->next;  
nhead->prev=temp->prev;  
temp->prev->next=nhead;  
head=nhead;  
delete(temp);
```



Delete last in CDLL

```
if(head->next==head) {  
    head=NULL;  
    return; }  
  
Node *temp,*nlast;
```

```
temp=head->prev;  
nlast=temp->prev;  
nlast->next=head;  
head->prev=nlast;  
delete(temp);
```



Search CDLL

```
int data,posn;  
    cout<<"\nEnter the data you want to operate upon: "; cin>>data;  
Node *temp;  
temp=head;  
posn=1;  
while(temp->next!=head) {  
    if(temp->data==data) return posn;  
    posn++;  
    temp=temp->next;  
} if(temp->data==data) return posn;  
cout<<"reached end of search"; return 0;
```

Traversing CDLL

- If list is empty then display 'Empty List' message.
- If the list is not empty, follow the steps given below:
temp = start;
do
{
temp = temp -> left;
print temp -> data;
} while(temp != start);

Polynomial Manipulation

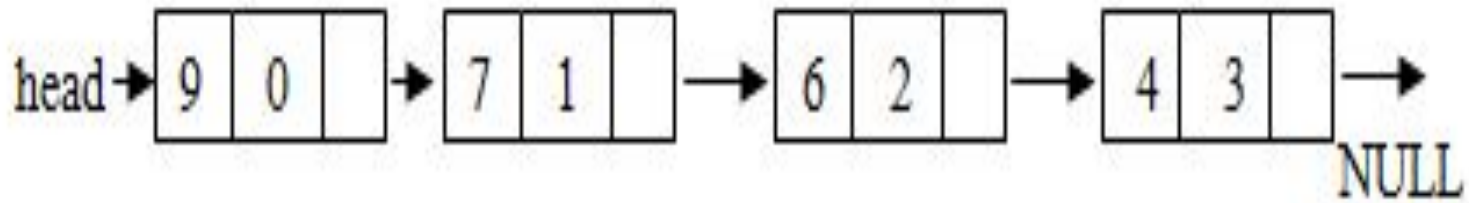
- Representation
- Addition
- Multiplication

Representation

- A polynomial may also be represented using a linked list. A structure may be defined such that it contains two parts- one is the coefficient and second is the corresponding exponent. The structure definition may be given as shown below:
- ```
struct polynomial
{
int coefficient;
int exponent;
struct polynomial *next;
};
```

# Example

- $P(x) = 4x^3 + 6x^2 + 7x + 9$





# Cont..

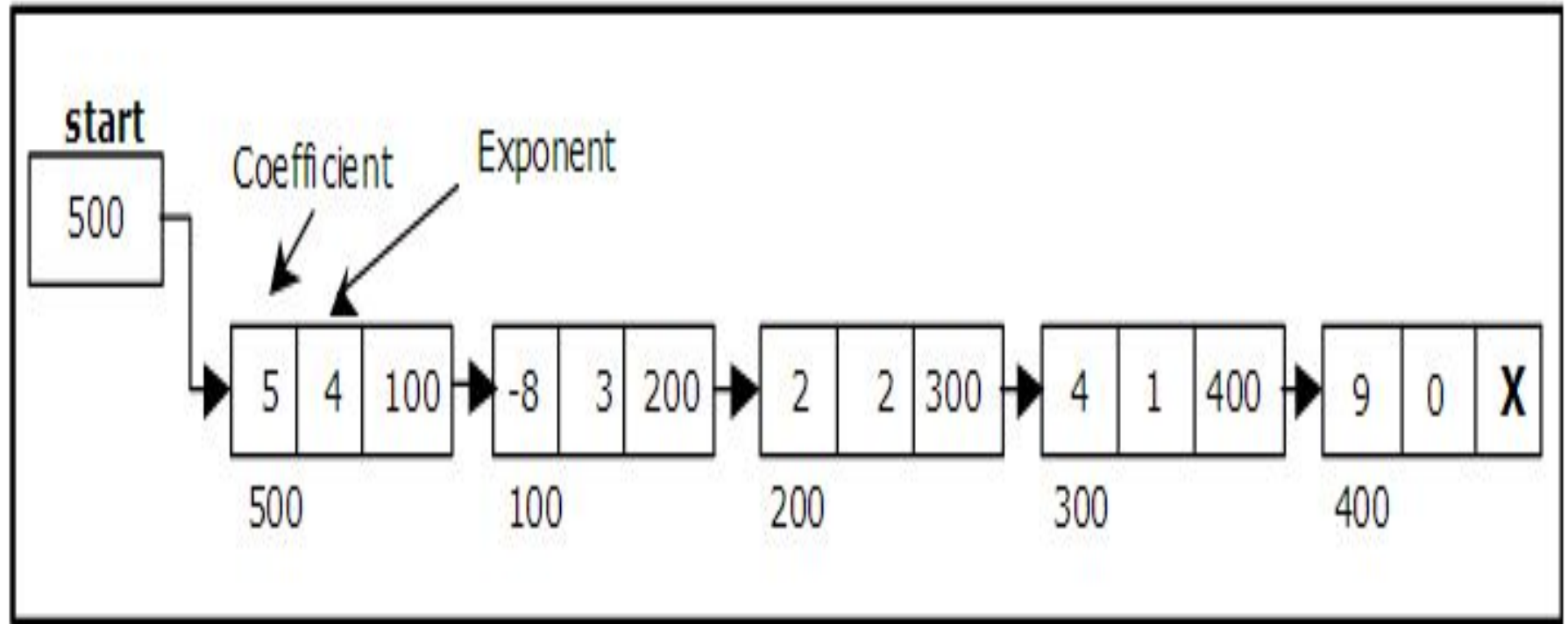


Figure 3.10.1. Single Linked List for the polynomial  $F(x) = 5x^4 - 8x^3 + 2x^2 + 4x^1 + 9x^0$

# Addition of polynomial

- Adding polynomials :

$$\begin{aligned} & (3x^5 - 9x^3 + 4x^2) + (-8x^5 + 8x^3 + 2) \\ &= 3x^5 - 8x^5 - 9x^3 + 8x^3 + 4x^2 + 2 \\ &= -5x^5 - x^3 + 4x^2 + 2 \end{aligned}$$

# Function for addition

```
void add_poly(node *p1,node *p2)
{
 node *newnode;
 while(1)
 {
 if(p1 == NULL || p2 == NULL)
 break;
 if(p1->expo == p2->expo)
 {
 printf("+ %.2f X ^%d",p1->coef+p2->coef,p1->expo);
 p1 = p1->next; p2 = p2->next;
 }
 else
 {
 if(p1->expo < p2->expo)
```

# Cont..

```
 {
 printf("+ %.2f X ^%d",p1->coef,p1->expo);
 p1 = p1->next;
 }
 else
 {
 printf(" + %.2f X ^%d",p2->coef,p2->expo);
 p2 = p2->next;
 }
 }
}
while(p1 != NULL)
{
 printf("+ %.2f X ^%d",p1->coef,p1->expo);
 p1 = p1->next;
}
while(p2 != NULL)
{
 printf("+ %.2f X ^%d",p2->coef,p2->expo);
 p2 = p2->next;
}
}
```

# Multiplication of polynomials

- Multiplying polynomials:

$$\begin{aligned} & (2x - 3)(2x^2 + 3x - 2) \\ &= 2x(2x^2 + 3x - 2) - 3(2x^2 + 3x - 2) \\ &= 4x^3 + 6x^2 - 4x - 6x^2 - 9x + 6 \\ &= 4x^3 - 13x + 6 \end{aligned}$$

# Function for multiplication

```
void poly_mult(struct node *p1, struct node *p2)
{
 struct node *start3;
 struct node *p2_beg = p2;
 start3=NULL;
 if(p1==NULL || p2==NULL)
 {
 printf("Multiplied polynomial is zero polynomial\n");
 return;
 }
 while(p1!=NULL)
 {
 p2=p2_beg;
 while(p2!=NULL)
 {
 start3=insert_s(start3,p1->coef*p2->coef,p1->expo+p2->expo);
 p2=p2->link;
 }
 p1=p1->link;
 }
 printf("Multiplied polynomial is : ");
 display(start3);
}/*End of poly_mult()*/
```

```
struct node *insert_s(struct node *start,float co,int ex)
{
 struct node *ptr,*tmp;
 tmp=(struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
 tmp->coef=co;
 tmp->expo=ex;
 /*list empty or exp greater than first one */
 if(start==NULL || ex > start->expo)
 {
 tmp->link=start;
 start=tmp;
 }
 else
 {
 ptr=start;
 while(ptr->link!=NULL && ptr->link->expo >= ex)
 ptr=ptr->link;
 tmp->link=ptr->link;
 ptr->link=tmp;
 }
 return start;
}/*End of insert()*/
```

# Generalized linked list

- A *generalized list*,  $A$ , is a finite sequence of  $n > 0$  elements,  $a_1, \dots, a_n$  where the  $a_i$  are either atoms or lists. The elements  $a_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$  which are not atoms are said to be the *sublists* of  $A$ .
- The list  $A$  itself is written as  $A = (a_1, \dots, a_n)$ .  $A$  is the *name* of the list  $(a_1, \dots, a_n)$  and  $n$  its *length*. By convention, all list names will be represented by capital letters. Lower case letters will be used to represent atoms. If  $n \geq 1$ , then  $a_1$  is the *head* of  $A$  while  $(a_2, \dots, a_n)$  is the *tail* of  $A$ .
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# Examples

- i)  $D = ()$  the null or empty list, its length is zero.
- (ii)  $A = (a, (b,c))$  a list of length two; its first element is the atom 'a' and its second element is the linear list  $(b,c)$ .
- (iii)  $B = (A,A,())$  a list of length three whose first two elements are the lists  $A$ , the third element the null list.
- (iv)  $C = (a, C)$  a recursive list of length two.  $C$  corresponds to the infinite list  $C = (a,(a,(a, \dots)))$ .



# Multivariable polynomial using GLL

- $x^{10} y^3 z^2 + 2x^8 y^3 z^2 + 3x^8 y^2 z^2 + x^4 y^4 z + 6x^3 y^4 z + 2yz$
- re-writing  $P(x,y,z)$  as
- $((x^{10} + 2x^8)y^3 + 3x^8 y^2)z^2 + ((x^4 + 6x^3)y^4 + 2y)z$
- $Cz^2 + Dz,$
- Looking closer at  $C(x,y)$ , we see that it is of the form  $Ey^3 + Fy^2$

# Cont..

