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# NeoColab\_REC\_CS23231\_DATA STRUCTURES

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Section 1: MCQ

1. Consider the following function that refers to the head of a Doubly Linked List as the parameter. Assume that a node of a doubly linked list has the previous pointer as prev and the next pointer as next.

Assume that the reference of the head of the following doubly linked list is passed to the below function 1 <--> 2 <--> 3 <--> 4 <--> 5 <--> 6. What should be the modified linked list after the function call?

Procedure fun(head\_ref: Pointer to Pointer of node) temp = NULL current = \*head\_ref

While current is not NULL temp = current->prev current->prev = current->next current->next = temp

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current = current->prev
End While

If temp is not NULL
    *head_ref = temp->prev
End If
End Procedure

Answer

6 <--&gt; 5 &lt;--&gt; 4 &lt;--&gt; 2 &lt;--&gt; 1.

Status: Correct

Marks: 1/1
```

2. What happens if we insert a node at the beginning of a doubly linked list?

## Answer

The previous pointer of the new node is NULL

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

3. Where Fwd and Bwd represent forward and backward links to the adjacent elements of the list. Which of the following segments of code deletes the node pointed to by X from the doubly linked list, if it is assumed that X points to neither the first nor the last node of the list?

A doubly linked list is declared as

```
struct Node {
    int Value;
    struct Node *Fwd;
    struct Node *Bwd;
);

Answer

X->Bwd->Fwd = X->Fwd; X->Fwd->Bwd = X->Bwd;
```

Status: Correct Marks: 1/2

4. What will be the output of the following code?

```
#include <stdio.h>
   #include <stdlib.h>
   struct Node {
     int data;
     struct Node* next:
     struct Node* prev;
   };
   int main() {
     struct Node* head = NULL;
     struct Node* temp = (struct Node*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));
     temp->data = 2;
     temp->next = NULL;
     temp->prev = NULL;
     head = temp;
     printf("%d\n", head->data);
     free(temp);
     return 0:
   Answer
                                                                    Marks: 1/1
   Status: Correct
```

5. What is the main advantage of a two-way linked list over a one-way linked list?

#### Answer

Two-way linked lists allow for traversal in both directions.

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

6. Which of the following is false about a doubly linked list?

Implementing a doubly linked list is easier than singly linked list

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

7. How do you delete a node from the middle of a doubly linked list?

#### Answer

All of the mentioned options

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

8. What will be the output of the following program?

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
struct Node {
  int data;
  struct Node* next;
  struct Node* prev;
};
int main() {
struct Node* head = NULL;
  struct Node* tail = NULL;
  for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    struct Node* temp = (struct Node*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));
    temp->data = i + 1;
    temp->prev = tail;
    temp->next = NULL;
    if (tail != NULL) {
      tail->next = temp;
    } else {
      head = temp;
    tail = temp;
```

```
struct Node* current = head;
while (current != NULL) {
    printf("%d ", current->data);
    current = current->next;
}
return 0;
}
Answer
1 2 3 4 5
Status : Correct
```

9. What will be the effect of setting the prev pointer of a node to NULL in a doubly linked list?

Marks: 1/1

Answer

It will break the list

Status: Wrong Marks: 0/1

10. Which of the following information is stored in a doubly-linked list's nodes?

Answer

All of the mentioned options

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

11. Consider the provided pseudo code. How can you initialize an empty two-way linked list?

Define Structure Node data: Integer prev: Pointer to Node next: Pointer to Node End Define Define Structure TwoWayLinkedList head: Pointer to Node tail: Pointer to Node **End Define** Answer struct TwoWayLinkedList list = {NULL, NULL}; Status: Wrong Marks: 0/1 12. What is the correct way to add a node at the beginning of a doubly linked list? Answer void addFirst(int data){ Node\* newNode = new Node(data); newNodeif (head != NULL) { >next = head; head->prev = newNode: } head = newNode: Marks: 1/1 Status: Correct 13. What is a memory-efficient double-linked list? Answer A doubly linked list that uses bitwise AND operator for storing addresses Marks: 1/1 Status: Correct 14. How many pointers does a node in a doubly linked list have? Answer 2 Marks: 1/1 Status: Correct 15. What does the following code snippet do?

struct Node\* newNode = (struct Node\*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));

newNode->data = value; newNode->next = NULL; newNode->prev = NULL;

## Answer

Creates a new node and initializes its data to 'value'

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

16. How do you reverse a doubly linked list?

#### Answer

By swapping the next and previous pointers of each node

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

17. Which of the following is true about the last node in a doubly linked list?

#### Answer

Its next pointer is NULL

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

18. Which pointer helps in traversing a doubly linked list in reverse order?

#### Answer

prev

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

19. Which of the following statements correctly creates a new node for a doubly linked list?

#### Answer

struct Node\* newNode = (struct Node\*) malloc(sizeof(struct Node));

Status: Correct Marks: 1/1

20. Which code snippet correctly deletes a node with a given value from a doubly linked list?

```
void deleteNode(Node** head_ref, Node* del_node) {
   if (*head_ref == NULL || del_node == NULL) {
      return;
   }
   if (*head_ref == del_node) {
      *head_ref = del_node->next;
   }
   if (del_node->next != NULL) {
      del_node->next->prev = del_node->prev;
   }
   if (del_node->prev != NULL) {
      del_node->prev->next = del_node->next;
   }
   free(del_node);
}
```

# Answer

Deletes the first occurrence of a given data value in a doubly linked list.

Status: Correct

Marks: 1/1

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