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Section 1: Coding

1. Problem Statement

Your task is to create a program to manage a playlist of items. Each item is represented as a character, and you need to implement the following operations on the playlist.

Here are the main functionalities of the program:

Insert Item: The program should allow users to add items to the front and end of the playlist. Items are represented as characters. Display Playlist: The program should display the playlist containing the items that were added.

To implement this program, a doubly linked list data structure should be used, where each node contains an item character.

Input Format

The input consists of a sequence of space-separated characters, representing the items to be inserted into the doubly linked list.

The input is terminated by entering - (hyphen).

Output Format

The first line of output prints "Forward Playlist: " followed by the linked list after inserting the items at the end.

The second line prints "Backward Playlist: " followed by the linked list after inserting the items at the front.

Refer to the sample output for formatting specifications.

Sample Test Case

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Input: a b c -
Output: Forward Playlist: a b c
Backward Playlist: c b a
Answer
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
struct Node {
char item;
  struct Node* next;
  struct Node* prev;
void insertAtEnd(struct Node** head, char item) {
  struct Node* newNode = (struct Node*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));
  newNode->item = item;
  newNode->next = NULL:
  if (*head == NULL) {
    newNode->prev = NULL;
    *head = newNode;
    return;
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struct Node* temp = *head;
    while (temp->next != NULL) {
      temp = temp->next;
    temp->next = newNode;
    newNode->prev = temp;
  }
  void displayForward(struct Node* head) {
    struct Node* temp = head;
    while (temp != NULL) {
      printf("%c ", temp->item);
      temp = temp->next;
    printf("\n");
  void displayBackward(struct Node* tail) {
    struct Node* temp = tail;
    while (temp != NULL) {
      printf("%c ", temp->item);
      temp = temp->prev;
    }
    printf("\n");
void freePlaylist(struct Node* head) {
    struct Node* temp = head;
    while (temp != NULL) {
      struct Node* nextNode = temp->next;
      free(temp);
      temp = nextNode;
    }
  }
  int main() {
    struct Node* playlist = NULL;
    char item;
  while (1) {
      scanf(" %c", &item);
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  \if (item == '-') {
      break;
    insertAtEnd(&playlist, item);
  struct Node* tail = playlist;
  while (tail->next != NULL) {
    tail = tail->next;
  }
  printf("Forward Playlist: ");
  displayForward(playlist);
printf("Backward Playlist: ");
  displayBackward(tail);
  freePlaylist(playlist);
  return 0;
}
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