

# Project 1 Deliverable

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## List Methods

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### **const\_iterator begin() const**

- Creates an iterator which, when dereferenced, returns an immutable reference to the first stored item.

### **const\_iterator end() const**

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- Used in conjunction with `const_iterator begin()` to traverse every item in the list.
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## **T& operator**

- Returns a mutable reference to the item at position *i*, so when the resulting reference is changed, the item should update in the list as well
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## **SSLL(const SSLL& src)**

- Copy constructor - starting from uninitialized state, initialize the class, then use an iterator to `push_bash()` each source item into the current list
- Afterwards, `this->size()` should equal `src.size()`. If not, throw a `runtime_error`

## **SSLL& operator=(const SSLL& src)**

- Copy assignment operator - starting from an arbitrary state, 1) reset to uninitialized state, 2) initialize the class, and 3) use an iterator to `push_bash()` each source item into the current list
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- Returns a copy of the item that was stored at the specified position
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- The `size()` of the list should remain unchanged before and after

## **void insert(const T& element, size\_t position)**

- Inserts a copy of the specified element to the list at the specified position, shifting the element originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the "right."
- List size gets incremented by 1

- May be called with a position one past the last stored item, in which case the new item becomes the last
  - In this case we pass the element to `push_back()`, which can do  $O(1)$  insert
  - For position  $< \text{size}()$ , we do a  $O(N)$  traversal to the specified position
- Providing a position greater than the current list size should throw an out-of-range error
- If a new node cannot be procured due to memory constraints, an error message is outputted to `stderr` and `std::bad_alloc` is thrown

### **`void push_front(const T& element)`**

- Inserts a new item to the front of the list by calling `insert(element, 0)`, incrementing the list size by one
- It would be an error if, after pushing, `size()` returned anything besides one plus the old value returned from `size()`

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### **`T pop_front()`**

- Removes the node at `head->next` and returns its stored item
- Points `head->next` to the node which the removed node pointed to
- Decrements the list size
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- It would be a `runtime_error` if, after checking that the list is non-empty and prior to popping, `head->next == tail`. This would indicate internal list state corruption.

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- Removes the node at position `(size() - 1)`, returning its stored item
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- Removes and returns the the element at the specified position, shifting the subsequent elements one position to the “left.”
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### **T item\_at(size\_t position) const**

- A wrapper for operator[] which return a copy of the item at position i, so when the resulting reference is changed, the item should not update in the list
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### **bool is\_empty() const**

- Returns true IIF size() == 0

### **size\_t size() const**

- Returns value of the counter which tracks the number of items stored in the array
- If the item quantity counter is zero, then head->next should == tail. If not, an error should be thrown indicating corrupt internal state
- If the item quantity counter is nonzero, then head->next should != tail. If not, an error should be thrown indicating corrupt internal state

### **void clear()**

- Removes all elements in the list by calling pop\_front() until is\_empty() returns true

### **bool contains(const T& element, bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const**

- Returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified element.
- Uses an iterator to traverse the list
- At each position, calls the equals callback function. If that returns true, stop iterating and return true
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**std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const**

- Passes a string of the form [item1,item2,item3] to the provided output stream
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## Iterator Methods

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- start can be tail, which signals that the iterator points to the end of the list
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- Copy constructor - sets the iterator's current position to that of src
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**reference operator\*() const**

- Returns a mutable reference to the item held at the current iterator position
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**self\_reference operator=(const self\_type& src)**

- Changes the current iterator position to that of src
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- Returns a reference to current instance



### **self\_reference operator++()**

- Prefix increment operator - increments the current iterator then returns it as a reference
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## **PSLL()**

- Default constructor - initializes the head, tail, and free-head dummy nodes

## **PSLL(const PSLL& src)**

- Copy constructor - starting from uninitialized state, initialize the class, then use an iterator to `push_bash()` each source item into the current list
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- Used in conjunction with const\_iterator begin() to traverse every item in the list.
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## **SDAL(size\_t num\_nodes\_to\_preallocate = 50)**

- Default constructor - takes a parameter which defines the initial array capacity

## **SDAL(const SDAL& src)**

- Copy constructor - starting from uninitialized state, initialize the class by allocating a number of nodes equal to the source instance's array size, then use an iterator to `push_bash()` each source item into the current list
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a `bad_alloc` exception
- Afterwards, `this->size()` should equal `src.size()`. If not, throw a `runtime_error`

## **SDAL& operator=(const SDAL& src)**

- Copy assignment operator - starting from an arbitrary state, 1) reset to uninitialized state by freeing the item array, 2) initialize the class by allocating a number of nodes equal to the source instance's array size, and 3) use an iterator to `push_bash()` each source item into the current list
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- Returns a reference to `*this`, the copied-to instance
- Afterwards, `this->size()` should equal `src.size()`. If not, throw a `runtime_error`

## **void embiggen\_if\_necessary()**

- Called whenever we attempt to increase the list size
- Checks if backing array is full, and if so, allocate a new array 150% the size of the original, copy the items over to the new array, and deallocate the original one.
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a `bad_alloc` exception



### **void shrink\_if\_necessary()**

- Called whenever we attempt to decrease the list size
- Because we don't want the list to waste too much memory, whenever the array's size is  $\geq 100$  slots and fewer than half the slots are used, allocate a new array 50% the size of the original, copy the items over to the new array, and deallocate the original one.
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a `bad_alloc` exception

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- Inserts a copy of the specified element to the list at the specified position, shifting the element originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the "right."
- Calls `embiggen_if_necessary()` to ensure we have space to insert the new item
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### **void push\_back(const T& element)**

- Inserts a new item to the back of the list calling `insert()` with the position defined as one past the last stored item
- It would be an error if, after pushing, `size()` returned anything besides one plus the old value returned from `size()`

### **T pop\_front()**

- Wrapper for remove(0)
- Removes the node at item\_array[0] and returns its stored item
- If the list is empty then throw an out-of-range error
- It would be an error if, after popping, size() returned anything besides the old value returned from size() minus one

### **T pop\_back()**

- Wrapper for remove(size() - 1)
- Removes last stored node, returning its item
- If the list is empty then throw an out-of-range error
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- Returns value of the counter which tracks the number of items stored in the array

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- Removes all elements in the list by setting the counter holding the list size to zero. No further action is taken as it is assumed that the embiggen/shrink methods will handle it

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## **Iterator Methods**

### **explicit SDAL\_Iter(T\* item\_array, T\* end\_ptr)**

- Explicit constructor for an iterator which, when dereferenced, will return a mutable reference to the first item held in the `item_array` parameter
- Neither `item_array` nor `end_ptr` may be null
- `end_ptr` must be greater than or equal to `item_array`

### **SDAL\_Iter(const SDAL\_Iter& src)**

- Copy constructor - sets the current iterator position in the item array and the end position to that of `src`
- Afterwards, `operator==(src)` should return true, otherwise throw a `runtime_error` indicating state corruption

### **reference operator\*() const**

- Returns a mutable reference to the item held at the current iterator position
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### **pointer operator->() const**

- Returns a pointer to the item held at the current iterator position by returning the value of operator\*() with the address-of operator applied
- The same validation measures apply here as to operator\*()

### **self\_reference operator=(const self\_type& src)**

- Changes the current and end iterator position to that of src
- Afterwards, operator==(src) should return true, otherwise throw a runtime\_error indicating state corruption
- Returns a reference to current instance

### **self\_reference operator++()**

- Prefix increment operator - increments the current iterator then returns it as a reference
- Should throw an out-of-range error if we're at the end of the list, ie iter==iter\_end

### **self\_type operator++(int)**

- Postfix increment operator - creates a pre-incremented copy of the current instance, increments the current iterator (calls prefix operator directly, so its sanity checks apply to this method), then returns the copied instance

### **bool operator==(const self\_type& rhs) const**

- Returns true IIF the current and end iter pointers match between current instance and rhs, otherwise returns false

### **bool operator!=(const self\_type& rhs) const**

- Returns true IIF operator==( ) returns false, otherwise returns true

## Const Iterator Methods

**explicit SDAL\_\_Const\_\_Iter(T\* item\_\_array, T\* end\_\_ptr)**

- Explicit constructor for an iterator which returns an immutable reference to the first item held in the item\_\_array parameter
- Neither item\_\_array nor end\_\_ptr may be null
- end\_\_ptr must be greater than or equal to item\_\_array

**SDAL\_\_Const\_\_Iter(const SDAL\_\_Const\_\_Iter& src)**

- Copy constructor - sets the iterator's current position to that of src
- Afterwards, operator==(src) should return true, otherwise throw a runtime\_error indicating state corruption

**reference operator\*() const**

- Returns an immutable reference to the item held at the current iterator position
- The const keyword in the reference typedef guarantees that code which attempts to modify the referenced item will not compile

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## List Methods

### **iterator begin()**

- Creates an iterator which, when dereferenced, returns a mutable reference to the first stored item.
- Passes a pointer to the end slot so that the iterator can do bounds checking

### **iterator end()**

- Creates an iterator corresponding to the slot one past the end of the list.
- Used in conjunction with iterator begin() to traverse every item in the list.
- Dereferencing the resulting iterator should throw an error.
- The iterator returned is “list size” increment operations past the incrementor returned by begin()
  - That is, if the list size is zero, then end() == begin()

### **const\_iterator begin() const**

- Creates an iterator which, when dereferenced, returns an immutable reference to the first stored item.
- Passes a pointer to the end slot so that the iterator can do bounds checking

### **const\_iterator end() const**

- Creates an iterator corresponding to the slot one past the end of the list.
- Used in conjunction with const\_iterator begin() to traverse every item in the list.
- Dereferencing the resulting iterator should throw an error.
- The iterator returned is “list size” increment operations past the incrementor returned by begin()
  - That is, if the list size is zero, then end() == begin()

## **T& operator**

- Returns a mutable reference to the item at position *i*, so when the resulting reference is changed, the item should update in the list as well
- Providing a position greater than *or equal to* the current list size should throw an out-of-range error

## **const T& operator const**

- Returns an immutable reference to the item at position *i*, so that the reference cannot be used to change the list's copy of the item
- Providing a position greater than *or equal to* the current list size should throw an out-of-range error

## **CDAL()**

- Default constructor - initializes the class by allocating head/tail dummy nodes, then adding an initial node

## **CDAL(const CDAL& src)**

- Copy constructor - starting from uninitialized state, initialize the class by allocating head/tail dummy nodes, then use an iterator to push\_bash() each source item into the current list
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a bad\_alloc exception
- Afterwards, this->size() should equal src.size(). If not, throw a runtime\_error

## **CDAL& operator=(const CDAL& src)**

- Copy assignment operator - starting from an arbitrary state, 1) reset to uninitialized state by freeing all the items, 2) initialize the class by allocating a number of nodes equal to the source instance's array size, and 3) use an iterator to push\_bash() each source item into the current list
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a bad\_alloc exception
- Returns a reference to \*this, the copied-to instance
- Afterwards, this->size() should equal src.size(). If not, throw a runtime\_error

## **void embiggen\_if\_necessary()**

- Called whenever we attempt to increase the list size
- If each array slot in every link is filled and we want to add a new item, allocate and append a new link by transforming the tail node into a usable item array container that points to a freshly-allocated tail node
- If we fail to allocate nodes, throw a bad\_alloc exception

### **void shrink\_if\_necessary()**

- Called whenever we attempt to decrease the list size
- Because we don't want the list to waste too much memory, whenever more than half of the arrays are unused (they would all be at the end of the chain), we deallocate half the arrays by traversing to the last node to keep, then dropping each subsequent node until we reach the tail

### **T replace(const T& element, size\_t position)**

- Replaces the currently-stored element at the specified position with a copy of the specified element
- Returns a copy of the item that was stored at the specified position
- Providing a position greater than *or equal to* the current list size should throw an out-of-range error
- The size() of the list should remain unchanged before and after

### **void insert(const T& element, size\_t position)**

- Inserts a copy of the specified element to the list at the specified position, shifting the element originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the "right."
- Calls embiggen\_if\_necessary() to ensure we have space to insert the new item
- List size gets incremented by 1
- May be called with a position one past the last stored item, in which case the new item becomes the last
- Providing a position greater than the current list size should throw an out-of-range error

### **void push\_front(const T& element)**

- Inserts a new item to the front of the list by calling insert(element, 0), incrementing the list size by one
- It would be an error if, after pushing, size() returned anything besides one plus the old value returned from size()

### **void push\_back(const T& element)**

- Inserts a new item to the back of the list calling insert() with the position defined as one past the last stored item
- It would be an error if, after pushing, size() returned anything besides one plus the old value returned from size()

### **T pop\_front()**

- Wrapper for remove(0)
- Removes the node at item\_array[0] and returns its stored item
- If the list is empty then throw an out-of-range error
- It would be an error if, after popping, size() returned anything besides the old value returned from size() minus one

### **T pop\_back()**

- Wrapper for remove(size() - 1)
- Removes last stored node, returning its item
- If the list is empty then throw an out-of-range error
- It would be an error if, after popping, size() returned anything besides the old value returned from size() minus one

### **T remove(size\_t position)**

- Removes and returns the the element at the specified position, shifting the subsequent elements one position to the “left” by traversing from the specified slot in the node’s array to the end of the last node’s item array and moving each item to its preceding slot
- May only be called with positions *less than* the current list size
- It would be an error if, after removing, size() returned anything besides the old value returned from size() minus one

### **T item\_at(size\_t position) const**

- A wrapper for operator[] which return a copy of the item at position i, so when the resulting reference is changed, the item should not update in the list
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### **bool is\_empty() const**

- Returns true IIF size() == 0

### **size\_t size() const**

- Returns value of the counter which tracks the number of items stored in the array

### **void clear()**

- Removes all elements in the list by setting the counter holding the list size to zero. No further action is taken as it is assumed that the embiggen/shrink methods will handle it

### **bool contains(const T& element, bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const**

- Returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified element.
- Uses an iterator to traverse the list
- At each position, calls the equals callback function. If that returns true, stop iterating and return true
- If the end position is reached before the item is found, return false
- It would be a `runtime_error` if an item was inserted and calling `contains()` with that item returned false, which would indicate internal state corruption
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**SSL checklist & source code**

## ssl/checklist.txt

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Part I:

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My LIST implementation uses the data structure described in the part I instructions and conforms to the technique required for this list variety: yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part I:

- \* replace: yes
- \* insert: yes
- \* push\_back: yes
- \* push\_front: yes
- \* remove: yes
- \* pop\_back: yes
- \* pop\_front: yes
- \* item\_at: yes
- \* is\_empty: yes
- \* clear: yes
- \* contains: yes
- \* print: yes

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Part II:

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My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* size: yes
- \* begin (returning an iterator): yes
- \* end (returning an iterator): yes
- \* begin (returning a const iterator): yes
- \* end (returning a const iterator): yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* size\_t
- \* value\_type
- \* iterator
- \* const\_iterator

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following

methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

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- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

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Part III:

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\* operator[] const: yes

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\* pop\_front: yes  
\* item\_at: yes  
\* is\_empty: yes  
\* clear: yes  
\* contains: yes  
\* print: yes  
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\* end (returning an iterator): yes  
\* begin (returning a const iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an const iterator): yes  
\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

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My LIST implementation compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the  
OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS run correctly on the OpenBSD VM: yes

I affirm that all the responsess I have provided above are 100% true.  
Should it be determined that any are not 100% true, I agree to take a 0  
(zero) on the assignment: yes

I affirm that I am the sole author of this Simple, Singly Linked List  
and the associated unit tests.  
Paul Nickerson, 11/24/2014 in COP3530 section 1087

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In addition to the unit tests, the old\_tests directory contains a fuzzer  
which stress-tests every list and compares their states to ensure they  
all behave equivalently as well as maintain internal integrity.  
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How to compile and run my unit tests on the OpenBSD VM  
cd list\_source\_directory  
./compile.sh  
./unit\_tester -s > output.txt

## ssl/source/SSL.h

### SSL.h

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```
1 //note to self: global search for todo and xxx before turning this assignment in
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14 #ifndef _SSL_H_
15 #define _SSL_H_
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17 // SSL.H
18 //
19 // Singly-linked list (non-polymorphic)
20 //
21 // Authors: Paul Nickerson, Dave Small
22 // for COP 3530
23 // 201409.16 - created
24
25 #include <iostream>
26 #include <stdexcept>
27 #include <cassert>
28
29 namespace cop3530 {
30     template <class T>
31     class SSL {
32     private:
33         struct Node {
34             T item;
35             Node* next;
36             bool is_dummy;
37         }; // end struct Node
38         size_t num_items;
39         Node* head;
40         Node* tail;
41         Node* node_at(size_t position) const {
42             Node* n = head->next;
43             for (size_t i = 0; i != position; ++i, n = n->next);
44             return n;
45         }
46         Node* node_before(size_t position) const {
47             if (position == 0)
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48         return head;
49     else
50         return node_at(position - 1);
51 }
52 Node* allocate_new_node() {
53     Node* n;
54     try {
55         n = new Node();
56     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
57         std::cerr << "allocate_new_node(): failed to allocate memory for new
58             node" << std::endl;
59         throw std::bad_alloc();
60     }
61     return n;
62 }
63 Node* design_new_node(const T& element, Node* next = nullptr, bool dummy =
64     false) {
65     Node* n = allocate_new_node();
66     n->is_dummy = dummy;
67     n->item = element;
68     n->next = next;
69     return n;
70 }
71 Node* design_new_node(Node* next = nullptr, bool dummy = false) {
72     Node* n = allocate_new_node();
73     n->is_dummy = dummy;
74     n->next = next;
75     return n;
76 }
77 void init() {
78     num_items = 0;
79     try {
80         tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
81         head = design_new_node(tail, true);
82     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
83         std::cerr << "init(): failed to allocate memory for head/tail nodes"
84             << std::endl;
85         throw std::bad_alloc();
86     }
87 }
88 //note to self: the key to simple ssl navigation is to frame the problem
89 //in terms of the following two functions (insert_node_after and
90 //remove_item_after)
91 void insert_node_after(Node* existing_node, Node* new_node) {
92     existing_node->next = new_node;
93     ++num_items;
94 }
95 //destroys the subsequent node and returns its item
96 T remove_item_after(Node* preceeding_node) {
97     Node* removed_node = preceeding_node->next;
98     T item = removed_node->item;
99     preceeding_node->next = removed_node->next;

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95         delete removed_node;
96         --num_items;
97         return item;
98     }
99     void copy_constructor(const SSL& src) {
100         const_iterator fin = src.end();
101         for (const_iterator iter = src.begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
102             push_back(*iter);
103         }
104         if ( ! src.size() == size())
105             throw std::runtime_error("copy_constructor: Copying failed - sizes
                                     don't match up");
106     }
107 public:
108
109     //-----
110     // iterators
111     //-----
112     class SSL_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
113     {
114     public:
115         // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
116         // automagically sets up these typedefs...
117         typedef T value_type;
118         typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
119         typedef T& reference;
120         typedef T* pointer;
121         typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
122
123         // but not these typedefs...
124         typedef SSL_Iter self_type;
125         typedef SSL_Iter& self_reference;
126
127     private:
128         Node* here;
129
130     public:
131         explicit SSL_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
132             if (start == nullptr)
133                 throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Iter: start cannot be null");
134         }
135         SSL_Iter(const SSL_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {
136             if (*this != src)
137                 throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Iter: copy constructor failed");
138         }
139         reference operator*() const {
140             return here->item;
141         }
142         pointer operator->() const {
143             return & this->operator*();
144         }
145         self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {

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146         if (&src == this)
147             return *this;
148         here = src.here;
149         if (*this != src)
150             throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Iter: copy assignment failed");
151         return *this;
152     }
153     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
154         if (here->is_dummy)
155             throw std::out_of_range("SSL_Iter: Can't traverse past the end
156                                     of the list");
157         here = here->next;
158         return *this;
159     }
160     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
161         self_type t(*this); //save state
162         operator++(); //apply increment
163         return t; //return state held before increment
164     }
165     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
166         return rhs.here == here;
167     }
168     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
169         return ! operator==(rhs);
170     }
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193         if (start == nullptr)
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195     }
196     SSL_Const_Iter(const SSL_Const_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {
197         if (*this != src)

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197         throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Const_Iter: copy constructor
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209         here = src.here;
210         if (*this != src)
211             throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
212                 failed");
213         return *this;
214     }
215     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
216         if (here->is_dummy)
217             throw std::out_of_range("SSL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
218                 end of the list");
219         here = here->next;
220         return *this;
221     }
222     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
223         self_type t(*this); //save state
224         operator++(); //apply increment
225         return t; //return state held before increment
226     }
227     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
228         return rhs.here == here;
229     }
230     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
231         return ! operator==(rhs);
232     }
233 };
234
235 //-----
236 // types
237 //-----
238 typedef T value_type;
239 typedef SSL_Iter iterator;
240 typedef SSL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
241
242 iterator begin() { return SSL_Iter(head->next); }
243 iterator end() { return SSL_Iter(tail); }
244
245 const_iterator begin() const { return SSL_Const_Iter(head->next); }
246 const_iterator end() const { return SSL_Const_Iter(tail); }

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```

246 //-----
247 // operators
248 //-----
249 T& operator[](size_t i) {
250     if (i >= size()) {
251         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
252             position ") + std::to_string(i));
253     }
254     return node_at(i)->item;
255 }
256
257 const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
258     if (i >= size()) {
259         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
260             position ") + std::to_string(i));
261     }
262     return node_at(i)->item;
263 }
264
265 //-----
266 // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
267 //-----
268
269 SSL() {
270     init();
271 }
272 //-----
273 //copy constructor
274 //note to self: src must be const in case we want to assign this from a
275     const source
276 SSL(const SSL& src) {
277     init();
278     copy_constructor(src);
279 }
280
281 //-----
282 //destructor
283 ~SSL() {
284     // safely dispose of this SSL's contents
285     clear();
286 }
287
288 //-----
289 //copy assignment constructor
290 SSL& operator=(const SSL& src) {
291     if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
292         return *this; // do nothing
293     // safely dispose of this SSL's contents
294     clear();
295     // populate this SSL with copies of the other SSL's contents
296     copy_constructor(src);
297     return *this;

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295     }
296
297     //-----
298     // member functions
299     //-----
300
301     /*
302         replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
303         specified element and
304         returns the original element.
305     */
306     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
307         T old_item;
308         if (position >= size()) {
309             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
310 ") + std::to_string(position));
311         } else {
312             //we are guaranteed to be at a non-dummy item now because of the
313             //above if statement
314             Node* iter = node_at(position);
315             old_item = iter->item;
316             iter->item = element;
317         }
318         return old_item;
319     }
320
321     //-----
322     /*
323         adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
324         shifting the element
325         originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
326         right.
327     */
328     void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
329         if (position > size()) {
330             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
331 the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
332         } else if (position == size()) {
333             //special O(1) case
334             push_back(element);
335         } else {
336             //node_before_position is guaranteed to point to a valid node
337             //because we use a dummy head node
338             Node* node_before_position = node_before(position);
339             Node* node_at_position = node_before_position->next;
340             Node* new_node;
341             try {
342                 new_node = design_new_node(element, node_at_position);
343             } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
344                 std::cerr << "insert(): failed to allocate memory for new node"
345                 << std::endl;
346                 throw std::bad_alloc();
347             }
348         }
349     }

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339         }
340         insert_node_after(node_before_position, new_node);
341     }
342 }
343
344 /*
345 prepends the specified element to the list.
346 */
347 void push_front(const T& element) {
348     insert(element, 0);
349 }
350
351 //-----
352 /*
353 appends the specified element to the list.
354 */
355 void push_back(const T& element) {
356     Node* new_tail;
357     try {
358         new_tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
359     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
360         std::cerr << "push_back(): failed to allocate memory for new tail"
361             << std::endl;
362         throw std::bad_alloc();
363     }
364     insert_node_after(tail, new_tail);
365     //transform the current tail node from a dummy to a real node holding
366     element
367     tail->is_dummy = false;
368     tail->item = element;
369     tail->next = new_tail;
370     tail = tail->next;
371 }
372
373 /*
374 removes and returns the element at the list's head.
375 */
376 T pop_front() {
377     if (is_empty()) {
378         throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
379     }
380     if (head->next == tail) {
381         throw std::runtime_error("pop_front: head->next == tail, but list
382             says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
383     }
384     return remove_item_after(head);
385 }
386
387 //-----
388 /*
389 removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
390 */

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388     T pop_back() {
389         if (is_empty()) {
390             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
391         }
392         if (head->next == tail) {
393             throw std::runtime_error("pop_back: head->next == tail, but list
394                                     says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
395         }
396         //XXX this is O(N), a disadvantage of this architecture
397         Node* node_before_last = node_before(size() - 1);
398         T item = remove_item_after(node_before_last);
399         return item;
400     }
401
402     //-----
403     /*
404         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
405         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
406     */
407     T remove(size_t position) {
408         T item;
409         if (position >= size()) {
410             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
411                                                 ") + std::to_string(position));
412         }
413         if (head->next == tail) {
414             throw std::runtime_error("remove: head->next == tail, but list says
415                                     it's not empty (corrupt state)");
416         }
417         //using a dummy head node guarantees that there be a node immediately
418         //preceding the specified position
419         Node *node_before_position = node_before(position);
420         item = remove_item_after(node_before_position);
421         return item;
422     }
423
424     //-----
425     /*
426         returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
427         position.
428     */
429     T item_at(size_t position) const {
430         if (position >= size()) {
431             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
432                                                 ") + std::to_string(position));
433         }
434         return operator[](position);
435     }
436
437     //-----
438     /*
439         returns true IFF the list contains no elements.

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434     */
435     bool is_empty() const {
436         return size() == 0;
437     }
438
439     //-----
440     /*
441         returns the number of elements in the list.
442     */
443     size_t size() const {
444         if (num_items == 0 && head->next != tail) {
445             throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next != tail, but list says
446                                     it's empty (corrupt state)");
447         } else if (num_items > 0 && head->next == tail) {
448             throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next == tail, but list says
449                                     it's not empty (corrupt state)");
450         }
451         return num_items;
452     }
453
454     //-----
455     /*
456         removes all elements from the list.
457     */
458     void clear() {
459         while (! is_empty()) {
460             pop_front();
461         }
462     }
463
464     //-----
465     /*
466         returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
467         element.
468     */
469     bool contains(const T& element,
470                 bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
471         bool element_in_list = false;
472         const_iterator fin = end();
473         for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
474             if (equals(*iter, element)) {
475                 element_in_list = true;
476                 break;
477             }
478         }
479         return element_in_list;
480     }
481
482     //-----
483     /*
484         If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
485         otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,

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483         separated by commas, in sequential order.
484     */
485     std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
486         if (is_empty()) {
487             out << "<empty list>";
488         } else {
489             out << "[";
490             const_iterator start = begin();
491             const_iterator fin = end();
492             for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
493                 if (iter != start)
494                     out << ",";
495                 out << *iter;
496             }
497             out << "]";
498         }
499         return out;
500     }
501     protected:
502         bool validate_internal_integrity() {
503             //todo: fill this in
504             return true;
505         }
506     }; //end class SSL
507 } // end namespace cop3530
508 #endif // _SSL_H_

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**PSLL checklist & source code**

## psll/checklist.txt

Pool-using Singly-Linked List written by Nickerson, Paul  
COP 3530, 2014F 1087

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Part I:  
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My LIST implementation uses the data structure described in the part I instructions and conforms to the technique required for this list variety: yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part I:

- \* replace: yes
- \* insert: yes
- \* push\_back: yes
- \* push\_front: yes
- \* remove: yes
- \* pop\_back: yes
- \* pop\_front: yes
- \* item\_at: yes
- \* is\_empty: yes
- \* clear: yes
- \* contains: yes
- \* print: yes

=====  
Part II:  
=====

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* size: yes
- \* begin (returning an iterator): yes
- \* end (returning an iterator): yes
- \* begin (returning a const iterator): yes
- \* end (returning a const iterator): yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* size\_t
- \* value\_type
- \* iterator
- \* const\_iterator

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following

methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

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Part III:

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My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part III:

\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my LIST's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

\* replace: yes  
\* insert: yes  
\* push\_back: yes  
\* push\_front: yes  
\* remove: yes  
\* pop\_back: yes  
\* pop\_front: yes  
\* item\_at: yes  
\* is\_empty: yes  
\* clear: yes  
\* contains: yes  
\* print: yes  
\* size: yes  
\* begin (returning an iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an iterator): yes  
\* begin (returning a const iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an const iterator): yes  
\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*

- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
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* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
* operator-: no
* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

For my CONST ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

```
* constructor: yes
* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
* operator-: no
* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

My LIST implementation compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the  
OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS run correctly on the OpenBSD VM: yes

I affirm that all the responses I have provided above are 100% true.  
Should it be determined that any are not 100% true, I agree to take a 0  
(zero) on the assignment: yes

I affirm that I am the sole author of this Pool-using Singly-Linked List  
and the associated unit tests.

Paul Nickerson, 11/24/2014 in COP3530 section 1087

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In addition to the unit tests, the old\_tests directory contains a fuzzer  
which stress-tests every list and compares their states to ensure they  
all behave equivalently as well as maintain internal integrity.  
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How to compile and run my unit tests on the OpenBSD VM  
cd list\_source\_directory  
./compile.sh  
./unit\_tester -s > output.txt



## psll/source/PSLL.h

PSLL.h

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```
1  #ifndef _PSLL_H_
2  #define _PSLL_H_
3
4  // PSLL.H
5  //
6  // Pool-using Singly-linked list (non-polymorphic)
7  //
8  // Authors: Paul Nickerson, Dave Small
9  // for COP 3530
10 // 201409.16 - created
11
12 #include <iostream>
13 #include <stdexcept>
14 #include <cassert>
15 #include <string>
16
17 namespace cop3530 {
18     template <class T>
19     class PSLL {
20     private:
21         struct Node {
22             T item;
23             Node* next;
24             bool is_dummy;
25         }; // end struct Node
26         size_t num_main_list_items;
27         size_t num_free_list_items;
28         Node* head;
29         Node* tail;
30         Node* free_list_head;
31         Node* node_at(size_t position) const {
32             Node* n = head->next;
33             for (size_t i = 0; i != position; ++i, n = n->next);
34             return n;
35         }
36         Node* node_before(size_t position) const {
37             if (position == 0)
38                 return head;
39             else
40                 return node_at(position - 1);
41         }
42         Node* procure_free_node(bool force_allocation) {
43             Node* n;
44             if (force_allocation || free_list_size() == 0) {
45                 try {
46                     n = new Node();
47                 } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
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48         std::cerr << "procure_free_node(): failed to allocate new node"
49         << std::endl;
50         throw std::bad_alloc();
51     }
52     } else {
53         n = remove_node_after(free_list_head, num_free_list_items);
54     }
55     return n;
56 }
57 void shrink_pool_if_necessary() {
58     if (size() >= 100) {
59         size_t old_size = size();
60         while (free_list_size() > size() / 2) { //while the pool contains
61             more nodes than half the list size
62             Node* n = remove_node_after(free_list_head, num_free_list_items);
63             delete n;
64         }
65     }
66 }
67 size_t free_list_size() { return num_free_list_items; }
68 Node* design_new_node(const T& element, Node* next = nullptr, bool dummy =
69     false, bool force_allocation = false) {
70     Node* n = procure_free_node(force_allocation);
71     n->is_dummy = dummy;
72     n->item = element;
73     n->next = next;
74     return n;
75 }
76 Node* design_new_node(Node* next = nullptr, bool dummy = false, bool
77     force_allocation = false) {
78     Node* n = procure_free_node(force_allocation);
79     n->is_dummy = dummy;
80     n->next = next;
81     return n;
82 }
83 void init() {
84     num_main_list_items = 0;
85     num_free_list_items = 0;
86     free_list_head = design_new_node(nullptr, true, true);
87     tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true, true);
88     head = design_new_node(tail, true, true);
89 }
90 void copy_constructor(const PSL& src) {
91     //note: this function does *not* copy the free list
92     const_iterator fin = src.end();
93     for (const_iterator iter = src.begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
94         push_back(*iter);
95     }
96     if ( ! src.size() == size())
97         throw std::runtime_error("copy_constructor: Copying failed - sizes
98             don't match up");

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95     }
96     Node* remove_node_after(Node* preceeding_node, size_t& list_size_counter) {
97         if (preceeding_node->next == tail) {
98             throw std::runtime_error("remove_node_after:
100             preceeding_node->next==tail, and we cant remove the tail");
101         }
102         if (preceeding_node == tail) {
103             throw std::runtime_error("remove_node_after: preceeding_node==tail,
104             and we cant remove after the tail");
105         }
106         if (preceeding_node == free_list_head && free_list_size() == 0) {
107             throw std::runtime_error("remove_node_after: attempt detected to
108             remove a node from an empty pool");
109         }
110         Node* removed_node = preceeding_node->next;
111         preceeding_node->next = removed_node->next;
112         removed_node->next = nullptr;
113         --list_size_counter;
114         return removed_node;
115     }
116
117     void insert_node_after(Node* existing_node, Node* new_node, size_t&
118     list_size_counter) {
119         new_node->next = existing_node->next;
120         existing_node->next = new_node;
121         ++list_size_counter;
122     }
123
124     //returns subsequent node's item and moves that node to the free pool
125     T remove_item_after(Node* preceeding_node) {
126         Node* removed_node = remove_node_after(preceeding_node,
127         num_main_list_items);
128         T item = removed_node->item;
129         insert_node_after(free_list_head, removed_node, num_free_list_items);
130         shrink_pool_if_necessary();
131         return item;
132     }
133
134     public:
135         //-----
136         // iterators
137         //-----
138         class PSLI_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
139         {
140         public:
141             // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
142             // automagically sets up these typedefs...
143             typedef T value_type;
144             typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
145             typedef T& reference;
146             typedef T* pointer;
147             typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;

```

```

142
143     // but not these typedefs...
144     typedef PSLI_Iter self_type;
145     typedef PSLI_Iter& self_reference;
146
147 private:
148     Node* here;
149
150 public:
151     explicit PSLI_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
152         if (start == nullptr)
153             throw std::runtime_error("PSLI_Iter: start cannot be null");
154     }
155     PSLI_Iter(const PSLI_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {
156         if (*this != src)
157             throw std::runtime_error("PSLI_Iter: copy constructor failed");
158     }
159     reference operator*() const {
160         return here->item;
161     }
162     pointer operator->() const {
163         return & this->operator*();
164     }
165     self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {
166         if (&src == this)
167             return *this;
168         here = src.here;
169         if (*this != src)
170             throw std::runtime_error("PSLI_Iter: copy assignment failed");
171         return *this;
172     }
173     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
174         if (here->is_dummy)
175             throw std::out_of_range("PSLI_Iter: Can't traverse past the end
176                                     of the list");
177         here = here->next;
178         return *this;
179     }
180     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
181         self_type t(*this); //save state
182         operator++(); //apply increment
183         return t; //return state held before increment
184     }
185     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
186         return rhs.here == here;
187     }
188     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
189         return ! operator==(rhs);
190     }
191 };
192
193 class PSLI_Const_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>

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193     {
194     public:
195         // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
196         // automagically sets up these typedefs...
197         typedef T value_type;
198         typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
199         typedef const T& reference;
200         typedef const T* pointer;
201         typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
202
203         // but not these typedefs...
204         typedef PSLC_Const_Iter self_type;
205         typedef PSLC_Const_Iter& self_reference;
206
207     private:
208         const Node* here;
209
210     public:
211         explicit PSLC_Const_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
212             if (start == nullptr)
213                 throw std::runtime_error("PSLC_Const_Iter: start cannot be null");
214         }
215         PSLC_Const_Iter(const PSLC_Const_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {
216             if (*this != src)
217                 throw std::runtime_error("PSLC_Const_Iter: copy constructor
218                                     failed");
219         }
220
221         reference operator*() const {
222             return here->item;
223         }
224         pointer operator->() const {
225             return & this->operator*();
226         }
227         self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {
228             if (&src == this)
229                 return *this;
230             here = src.here;
231             if (*this != src)
232                 throw std::runtime_error("PSLC_Const_Iter: copy assignment
233                                     failed");
234             return *this;
235         }
236         self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
237             if (here->is_dummy)
238                 throw std::out_of_range("PSLC_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
239                                     end of the list");
240             here = here->next;
241             return *this;
242         }
243         self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
244             self_type t(*this); //save state

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242         operator++(); //apply increment
243         return t; //return state held before increment
244     }
245     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
246         return rhs.here == here;
247     }
248     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
249         return ! operator==(rhs);
250     }
251 };
252
253 //-----
254 // types
255 //-----
256 /*typedef std::size_t size_t;*/
257 typedef T value_type;
258 typedef PSLI_Iter iterator;
259 typedef PSLI_Const_Iter const_iterator;
260
261 iterator begin() {
262     return iterator(head->next);
263 }
264 iterator end() {
265     return iterator(tail);
266 }
267 /*
268     Note to self: the following overloads will fail if not defined as const
269 */
270 const_iterator begin() const {
271     return const_iterator(head->next);
272 }
273 const_iterator end() const {
274     return const_iterator(tail);
275 }
276
277 //-----
278 // operators
279 //-----
280 T& operator[](size_t i) {
281     if (i >= size()) {
282         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
283             position ") + std::to_string(i));
284     }
285     return node_at(i)->item;
286 }
287
288 const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
289     if (i >= size()) {
290         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
291             position ") + std::to_string(i));
292     }
293     return node_at(i)->item;

```

```

292     }
293
294     //-----
295     // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
296     //-----
297
298     PSSL() {
299         init();
300     }
301     //-----
302     //copy constructor
303     PSSL(const PSSL& src) {
304         init();
305         copy_constructor(src);
306     }
307
308     //-----
309     //destructor
310     ~PSSL() {
311         // safely dispose of this PSSL's contents
312         clear();
313     }
314
315     //-----
316     //copy assignment constructor
317     PSSL& operator=(const PSSL& src) {
318         if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
319             return *this; // do nothing
320         // safely dispose of this PSSL's contents
321         clear();
322         // populate this PSSL with copies of the other PSSL's contents
323         copy_constructor(src);
324         return *this;
325     }
326
327     //-----
328     // member functions
329     //-----
330
331     /*
332         replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
333         specified element and
334         returns the original element.
335     */
336     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
337         T old_item;
338         if (position >= size()) {
339             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
340                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
341         } else {
342             //we are guaranteed to be at a non-dummy item now because of the
343             //above if statement

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341         Node* iter = node_at(position);
342         old_item = iter->item;
343         iter->item = element;
344     }
345     return old_item;
346 }
347
348 //-----
349 /*
350     adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
351     shifting the element
352     originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
353     right.
354 */
355 void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
356     if (position > size()) {
357         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
358             the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
359     } else if (position == size()) {
360         //special O(1) case
361         push_back(element);
362     } else {
363         //node_before_position is guaranteed to point to a valid node
364         //because we use a dummy head node
365         Node* node_before_position = node_before(position);
366         Node* node_at_position = node_before_position->next;
367         Node* new_node;
368         try {
369             new_node = design_new_node(element, node_at_position);
370         } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
371             std::cerr << "insert(): failed to allocate memory for new node"
372                 << std::endl;
373             throw std::bad_alloc();
374         }
375         insert_node_after(node_before_position, new_node,
376             num_main_list_items);
377     }
378 }
379
380 //-----
381 //Note to self: use reference here because we receive the original object
382 //instance,
383 //then copy it into n->item so we have it if the original element goes out
384 //of scope
385 /*
386     prepends the specified element to the list.
387 */
388 void push_front(const T& element) {
389     insert(element, 0);
390 }
391
392 //-----

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385     /*
386     appends the specified element to the list.
387     */
388     void push_back(const T& element) {
389         Node* new_tail;
390         try {
391             new_tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
392         } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
393             std::cerr << "push_back(): failed to allocate memory for new tail"
394                 << std::endl;
395             throw std::bad_alloc();
396         }
397         insert_node_after(tail, new_tail, num_main_list_items);
398         //transform the current tail node from a dummy to a real node holding
399         //element
400         tail->is_dummy = false;
401         tail->item = element;
402         tail->next = new_tail;
403         tail = tail->next;
404     }
405
406     //-----
407     //Note to self: no reference here, so we get our copy of the item, then
408     //return a copy
409     //of that so the client still has a valid instance if our destructor is
410     //called
411     /*
412     removes and returns the element at the list's head.
413     */
414     T pop_front() {
415         if (is_empty()) {
416             throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
417         }
418         if (head->next == tail) {
419             throw std::runtime_error("pop_front: head->next == tail, but list
420                 says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
421         }
422         return remove_item_after(head);
423     }
424
425     //-----
426     /*
427     removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
428     */
429     T pop_back() {
430         if (is_empty()) {
431             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
432         }
433         if (head->next == tail) {
434             throw std::runtime_error("pop_back: head->next == tail, but list
435                 says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
436         }

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431         //XXX this is O(N), a disadvantage of this architecture
432         Node* node_before_last = node_before(size() - 1);
433         T item = remove_item_after(node_before_last);
434         return item;
435     }
436
437     //-----
438     /*
439         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
440         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
441     */
442     T remove(size_t position) {
443         T item;
444         if (position >= size()) {
445             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
446                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
447         }
448         if (head->next == tail) {
449             throw std::runtime_error("remove: head->next == tail, but list says
450                                     it's not empty (corrupt state)");
451         }
452         //using a dummy head node guarantees that there be a node immediately
453         //preceeding the specified position
454         Node *node_before_position = node_before(position);
455         item = remove_item_after(node_before_position);
456         return item;
457     }
458     //-----
459     /*
460         returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
461         position.
462     */
463     T item_at(size_t position) const {
464         if (position >= size()) {
465             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
466                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
467         }
468         return operator[](position);
469     }
470
471     //-----
472     /*
473         returns true IFF the list contains no elements.
474     */
475     bool is_empty() const {
476         return size() == 0;
477     }
478
479     //-----
480     /*
481         returns the number of elements in the list.

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478 */
479 size_t size() const {
480     if (num_main_list_items == 0 && head->next != tail) {
481         throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next != tail, but list says
            it's empty (corrupt state)");
482     } else if (num_main_list_items > 0 && head->next == tail) {
483         throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next == tail, but list says
            it's not empty (corrupt state)");
484     }
485     return num_main_list_items;
486 }
487
488 //-----
489 /*
490     removes all elements from the list.
491 */
492 void clear() {
493     while (size()) {
494         pop_front();
495     }
496 }
497 //-----
498 /*
499     returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
        element.
500 */
501 bool contains(const T& element,
502     bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
503     bool element_in_list = false;
504     const_iterator fin = end();
505     for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
506         if (equals(*iter, element)) {
507             element_in_list = true;
508             break;
509         }
510     }
511     return element_in_list;
512 }
513
514 //-----
515 /*
516     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
517     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
518     separated by commas, in sequential order.
519 */
520 std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
521     if (is_empty()) {
522         out << "<empty list>";
523     } else {
524         out << "[";
525         const_iterator start = begin();
526         const_iterator fin = end();

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527         for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
528             if (iter != start)
529                 out << ",";
530             out << *iter;
531         }
532         out << "];
533     }
534     return out;
535 }
536 protected:
537     bool validate_internal_integrity() {
538         //todo: fill this in
539         return true;
540     }
541 }; //end class PSL
542 } // end namespace cop3530
543 #endif // _PSLL_H_

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**SDAL checklist & source code**

## sdal/checklist.txt

Simple Dynamic Array-based List written by Nickerson, Paul

COP 3530, 2014F 1087

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Part I:

=====  
My LIST implementation uses the data structure described in the part I instructions and conforms to the technique required for this list variety: yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part I:

- \* replace: yes
- \* insert: yes
- \* push\_back: yes
- \* push\_front: yes
- \* remove: yes
- \* pop\_back: yes
- \* pop\_front: yes
- \* item\_at: yes
- \* is\_empty: yes
- \* clear: yes
- \* contains: yes
- \* print: yes

=====  
Part II:

=====  
My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* size: yes
- \* begin (returning an iterator): yes
- \* end (returning an iterator): yes
- \* begin (returning a const iterator): yes
- \* end (returning a const iterator): yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* size\_t
- \* value\_type
- \* iterator
- \* const\_iterator

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following

methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

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Part III:

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My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part III:

\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my LIST's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

\* replace: yes  
\* insert: yes  
\* push\_back: yes  
\* push\_front: yes  
\* remove: yes  
\* pop\_back: yes  
\* pop\_front: yes  
\* item\_at: yes  
\* is\_empty: yes  
\* clear: yes  
\* contains: yes  
\* print: yes  
\* size: yes  
\* begin (returning an iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an iterator): yes  
\* begin (returning a const iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an const iterator): yes  
\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*



- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

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* constructor: yes
* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
* operator-: no
* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

For my CONST ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

```
* constructor: yes
* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
* operator-: no
* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

My LIST implementation compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the  
OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS run correctly on the OpenBSD VM: yes

I affirm that all the responsess I have provided above are 100% true.  
Should it be determined that any are not 100% true, I agree to take a 0  
(zero) on the assignment: yes

I affirm that I am the sole author of this Simple Dynamic Array-based List  
and the associated unit tests.  
Paul Nickerson, 11/24/2014 in COP3530 section 1087

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In addition to the unit tests, the old\_tests directory contains a fuzzer  
which stress-tests every list and compares their states to ensure they  
all behave equivalently as well as maintain internal integrity.  
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How to compile and run my unit tests on the OpenBSD VM  
cd list\_source\_directory  
./compile.sh  
./unit\_tester -s > output.txt

## sdal/source/SDAL.h

SDAL.h

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```
1  #ifndef _SDAL_H_
2  #define _SDAL_H_
3
4  // SDAL.H
5  //
6  // Singly-linked list (non-polymorphic)
7  //
8  // Authors: Paul Nickerson, Dave Small
9  // for COP 3530
10 // 201409.16 - created
11
12 #include <iostream>
13 #include <stdexcept>
14 #include <cassert>
15 #include <memory>
16 #include <string>
17 #include <cmath>
18
19 namespace cop3530 {
20     template <class T>
21     class SDAL {
22     private:
23         T* item_array;
24         //XXX: do these both need to be size_t?
25         size_t array_size;
26         size_t num_items;
27         size_t embiggen_counter = 0;
28         size_t shrink_counter = 0;
29         T* allocate_nodes(size_t quantity) {
30             try {
31                 T* new_item_array = new T[quantity];
32                 return new_item_array;
33             } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
34                 std::cerr << "allocate_nodes(): failed to allocate item array of
35                     size " << quantity << std::endl;
36                 throw std::bad_alloc();
37             }
38         }
39         void embiggen_if_necessary() {
40             /*
41              Whenever an item is added and the backing array is full, allocate a
42              new array 150% the size
43              of the original, copy the items over to the new array, and
44              deallocate the original one.
45              */
46             size_t filled_slots = size();
47             if (filled_slots == array_size) {
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45         size_t new_array_size = ceil(array_size * 1.5);
46         T* new_item_array = allocate_nodes(new_array_size);
47         for (size_t i = 0; i != filled_slots; ++i) {
48             new_item_array[i] = item_array[i];
49         }
50         delete[] item_array;
51         item_array = new_item_array;
52         array_size = new_array_size;
53         ++embiggen_counter;
54     }
55 }
56 void shrink_if_necessary() {
57     /*
58      * Because we don't want the list to waste too much memory, whenever
59      * the array's size is 100 slots
60      * and fewer than half the slots are used, allocate a new array 50% the
61      * size of the original, copy
62      * the items over to the new array, and deallocate the original one.
63      */
64     size_t filled_slots = size();
65     if (array_size >= 100 && filled_slots < array_size / 2) {
66         size_t new_array_size = ceil(array_size * 0.5);
67         T* new_item_array = allocate_nodes(new_array_size);
68         for (size_t i = 0; i != filled_slots; ++i) {
69             new_item_array[i] = item_array[i];
70         }
71         delete[] item_array;
72         item_array = new_item_array;
73         array_size = new_array_size;
74         ++shrink_counter;
75     }
76 }
77 void init(size_t num_nodes_to_preallocate) {
78     array_size = num_nodes_to_preallocate;
79     num_items = 0;
80     item_array = allocate_nodes(array_size);
81 }
82 void copy_constructor(const SDAL& src) {
83     const_iterator fin = src.end();
84     for (const_iterator iter = src.begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
85         push_back(*iter);
86     }
87     if ( ! src.size() == size())
88         throw std::runtime_error("copy_constructor: Copying failed - sizes
89         don't match up");
90 }
91 public:
92     //-----
93     // iterators
94     //-----
95     class SDAL_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>

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94     {
95     public:
96         // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
97         // automatically sets up these typedefs...
98         //todo: figure out why we cant comment these out, which we should be
           able to if they were
99         //defined when inheriting
100         typedef T value_type;
101         typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
102         typedef T& reference;
103         typedef T* pointer;
104         typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
105
106         // but not these typedefs...
107         typedef SDAL_Iter self_type;
108         typedef SDAL_Iter& self_reference;
109
110     private:
111         T* iter;
112         T* end_iter;
113
114     public:
115         explicit SDAL_Iter(T* item_array, T* end_ptr): iter(item_array),
           end_iter(end_ptr) {
116             if (item_array == nullptr)
117                 throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Iter: item_array cannot be null");
118             if (end_ptr == nullptr)
119                 throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Iter: end_ptr cannot be null");
120             if (item_array > end_ptr)
121                 throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Iter: item_array pointer cannot be
           past end_ptr");
122         }
123         SDAL_Iter(const SDAL_Iter& src): iter(src.iter), end_iter(src.end_iter) {
124             if (*this != src)
125                 throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Iter: copy constructor failed");
126         }
127         reference operator*() const {
128             return *iter;
129         }
130         pointer operator->() const {
131             return & this->operator*();
132         }
133         self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {
134             if (&src == this)
135                 return *this;
136             iter = src.iter;
137             end_iter = src.end_iter;
138             if (*this != src)
139                 throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Iter: copy assignment failed");
140             return *this;
141         }
142         self_reference operator++() { // preincrement

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143         if (iter == end_iter)
144             throw std::out_of_range("SDAL_Iter: Can't traverse past the end
                of the list");
145         ++iter;
146         return *this;
147     }
148     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
149         self_type t(*this); //save state
150         operator++(); //apply increment
151         return t; //return state held before increment
152     }
153     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
154         return rhs.iter == iter && rhs.end_iter == end_iter;
155     }
156     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
157         return ! operator==(rhs);
158     }
159 };
160
161 class SDAL_Const_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
162 {
163 public:
164     // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
165     // automagically sets up these typedefs...
166     typedef T value_type;
167     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
168     typedef const T& reference;
169     typedef const T* pointer;
170     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
171
172     // but not these typedefs...
173     typedef SDAL_Const_Iter self_type;
174     typedef SDAL_Const_Iter& self_reference;
175 private:
176     T* iter;
177     T* end_iter;
178 public:
179     explicit SDAL_Const_Iter(T* item_array, T* end_ptr): iter(item_array),
        end_iter(end_ptr) {
180         if (item_array == nullptr)
181             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: item_array cannot be
                null");
182         if (end_ptr == nullptr)
183             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: end_ptr cannot be
                null");
184         if (item_array > end_ptr)
185             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: item_array pointer
                cannot be past end_ptr");
186     }
187     SDAL_Const_Iter(const SDAL_Const_Iter& src): iter(src.iter),
        end_iter(src.end_iter) {
188         if (*this != src)

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189         throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: copy constructor
190                                   failed");
191     }
192     reference operator*() const {
193         return *iter;
194     }
195     pointer operator->() const {
196         return & this->operator*();
197     }
198     self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {
199         if (&src == this)
200             return *this;
201         iter = src.iter;
202         end_iter = src.end_iter;
203         if (*this != src)
204             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
205                                       failed");
206         return *this;
207     }
208     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
209         if (iter == end_iter)
210             throw std::out_of_range("SDAL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
211                                       end of the list");
212         ++iter;
213         return *this;
214     }
215     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
216         self_type t(*this); //save state
217         operator++(); //apply increment
218         return t; //return state held before increment
219     }
220     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
221         return rhs.iter == iter && rhs.end_iter == end_iter;
222     }
223     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
224         return ! operator==(rhs);
225     }
226 };
227
228 //-----
229 // types
230 //-----
231 typedef T value_type;
232 typedef SDAL_Iter iterator;
233 typedef SDAL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
234
235 iterator begin() { return SDAL_Iter(item_array, item_array + num_items); }
236 iterator end() { return SDAL_Iter(item_array + num_items, item_array +
237                                   num_items); }
238
239 const_iterator begin() const { return SDAL_Const_Iter(item_array,
240                                                         item_array + num_items); }

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236     const_iterator end() const { return SDAL_Const_Iter(item_array + num_items,
237         item_array + num_items); }
238
239     //-----
240     // operators
241     //-----
242     T& operator[](size_t i) {
243         if (i >= size()) {
244             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
245                 position ") + std::to_string(i));
246         }
247         return item_array[i];
248     }
249
250     const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
251         if (i >= size()) {
252             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
253                 position ") + std::to_string(i));
254         }
255         return item_array[i];
256     }
257
258     //-----
259     // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
260     //-----
261
262     SDAL(size_t num_nodes_to_preallocate = 50) {
263         init(num_nodes_to_preallocate);
264     }
265
266     //-----
267     //copy constructor
268     SDAL(const SDAL& src): SDAL(src.array_size) {
269         init(src.array_size);
270         copy_constructor(src);
271     }
272
273     //-----
274     //destructor
275     ~SDAL() {
276         // safely dispose of this SDAL's contents
277         delete[] item_array;
278     }
279
280     //-----
281     //copy assignment constructor
282     SDAL& operator=(const SDAL& src) {
283         if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
284             return *this; // do nothing
285         delete[] item_array;
286         init(src.array_size);
287         copy_constructor(src);

```



```

285         return *this;
286     }
287
288     //-----
289     // member functions
290     //-----
291
292     /*
293         replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
294         specified element and
295         returns the original element.
296     */
297     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
298         T old_item;
299         if (position >= size()) {
300             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
301                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
302         } else {
303             old_item = item_array[position];
304             item_array[position] = element;
305         }
306         return old_item;
307     }
308
309     //-----
310     /*
311         adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
312         shifting the element
313         originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
314         right.
315     */
316     void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
317         if (position > size()) {
318             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
319                                     the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
320         } else {
321             embiggen_if_necessary();
322             //shift remaining items right
323             for (size_t i = size(); i != position; --i) {
324                 item_array[i] = item_array[i - 1];
325             }
326             item_array[position] = element;
327             ++num_items;
328         }
329     }
330
331     //-----
332     //Note to self: use reference here because we receive the original object
333     instance,
334     //then copy it into n->item so we have it if the original element goes out
335     of scope
336     /*

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330         prepends the specified element to the list.
331     */
332     void push_front(const T& element) {
333         insert(element, 0);
334     }
335
336     //-----
337     /*
338         appends the specified element to the list.
339     */
340     void push_back(const T& element) {
341         insert(element, size());
342     }
343
344
345     //-----
346     //Note to self: no reference here, so we get our copy of the item, then
347     //return a copy
348     //of that so the client still has a valid instance if our destructor is
349     //called
350     /*
351         removes and returns the element at the list's head.
352     */
353     T pop_front() {
354         if (is_empty()) {
355             throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
356         }
357         return remove(0);
358     }
359
360     //-----
361     /*
362         removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
363     */
364     T pop_back() {
365         if (is_empty()) {
366             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
367         }
368         return remove(size() - 1);
369     }
370
371     //-----
372     /*
373         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
374         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
375     */
376     T remove(size_t position) {
377         T item;
378         if (position >= size()) {
379             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
380 ") + std::to_string(position));
381         } else {

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379         item = item_array[position];
380         //shift remaining items left
381         for (size_t i = position + 1; i != size(); ++i) {
382             item_array[i - 1] = item_array[i];
383         }
384         --num_items;
385         shrink_if_necessary();
386     }
387     return item;
388 }
389
390 //-----
391 /*
392     returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
393     position.
394 */
395 T item_at(size_t position) const {
396     if (position >= size()) {
397         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
398             ") + std::to_string(position));
399     }
400     return operator[](position);
401 }
402
403 //-----
404 /*
405     returns true IFF the list contains no elements.
406 */
407 bool is_empty() const {
408     return size() == 0;
409 }
410
411 //-----
412 /*
413     returns the number of elements in the list.
414 */
415 size_t size() const {
416     return num_items;
417 }
418
419 //-----
420 /*
421     removes all elements from the list.
422 */
423 void clear() {
424     //no reason to do memory deallocation here, just overwrite the old items
425     //later and save
426     //deallocation for the destructor
427     num_items = 0;
428 }
429
430 //-----

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428     /*
429     returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
        element.
430     */
431     bool contains(const T& element,
432                 bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
433         bool element_in_list = false;
434         const_iterator fin = end();
435         for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
436             if (equals(*iter, element)) {
437                 element_in_list = true;
438                 break;
439             }
440         }
441         return element_in_list;
442     }
443
444     //-----
445     /*
446     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
447     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
448     separated by commas, in sequential order.
449     */
450     std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
451         if (is_empty()) {
452             out << "<empty list>";
453         } else {
454             out << "[";
455             const_iterator start = begin();
456             const_iterator fin = end();
457             for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
458                 if (iter != start)
459                     out << ",";
460                 out << *iter;
461             }
462             out << "]";
463         }
464         return out;
465     }
466     protected:
467     bool validate_internal_integrity() {
468         //todo: fill this in
469         return true;
470     }
471 };
472 } // end namespace cop3530
473
474 #endif // _SDAL_H_

```

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**CDAL checklist & source code**

## cdal/checklist.txt

Chained Dynamic Array-based List written by Nickerson, Paul

COP 3530, 2014F 1087

=====  
Part I:

=====  
My LIST implementation uses the data structure described in the part I instructions and conforms to the technique required for this list variety: yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part I:

- \* replace: yes
- \* insert: yes
- \* push\_back: yes
- \* push\_front: yes
- \* remove: yes
- \* pop\_back: yes
- \* pop\_front: yes
- \* item\_at: yes
- \* is\_empty: yes
- \* clear: yes
- \* contains: yes
- \* print: yes

=====  
Part II:

=====  
My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* size: yes
- \* begin (returning an iterator): yes
- \* end (returning an iterator): yes
- \* begin (returning a const iterator): yes
- \* end (returning a const iterator): yes

My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* size\_t
- \* value\_type
- \* iterator
- \* const\_iterator

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following

methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part II:

- \* constructor: yes
- \* explicit constructor: yes
- \* operator\*: yes
- \* operator-: no
- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

My CONST ITERATOR implementation 100% correctly supports the following data members as described in part II:

- \* value\_type: yes
- \* difference\_type: yes
- \* reference: yes
- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
- \* self\_type: yes
- \* self\_reference: yes

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Part III:

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My LIST implementation 100% correctly supports the following methods as described in part III:

\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my LIST's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

\* replace: yes  
\* insert: yes  
\* push\_back: yes  
\* push\_front: yes  
\* remove: yes  
\* pop\_back: yes  
\* pop\_front: yes  
\* item\_at: yes  
\* is\_empty: yes  
\* clear: yes  
\* contains: yes  
\* print: yes  
\* size: yes  
\* begin (returning an iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an iterator): yes  
\* begin (returning a const iterator): yes  
\* end (returning an const iterator): yes  
\* operator[]: yes  
\* operator[] const: yes

For my ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*



- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

```
* constructor: yes
* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
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* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

For my CONST ITERATOR's methods

- I wrote documentation identifying the complete behavior (both normal and exceptional) of the method, \*AND\*
- when something unexpected occurs, the method throws appropriately typed exceptions, \*AND\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
- I have proven this by creating a suite of CATCH unit tests for the method to verify that the method behaves as documented, \*AND\*
- the method passes all of those unit tests.

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* constructor: yes
* explicit constructor: yes
* operator*: yes
* operator-: no
* operator=: yes
* operator++ (pre): yes
* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
* operator!=: yes
```

My LIST implementation compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS compiles correctly using g++ v4.8.2 on the  
OpenBSD VM: yes

My UNIT TESTS run correctly on the OpenBSD VM: yes

I affirm that all the responsess I have provided above are 100% true.  
Should it be determined that any are not 100% true, I agree to take a 0  
(zero) on the assignment: yes

I affirm that I am the sole author of this Chained Dynamic Array-based List  
and the associated unit tests.  
Paul Nickerson, 11/24/2014 in COP3530 section 1087

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In addition to the unit tests, the old\_tests directory contains a fuzzer  
which stress-tests every list and compares their states to ensure they  
all behave equivalently as well as maintain internal integrity.  
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How to compile and run my unit tests on the OpenBSD VM  
cd list\_source\_directory  
./compile.sh  
./unit\_tester -s > output.txt

## cdal/source/CDAL.h

CDAL.h

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```
1  #ifndef _CDAL_H_
2  #define _CDAL_H_
3
4  // CDAL.H
5  //
6  // Chained Dynamic Array-based List (non-polymorphic)
7  //
8  // Authors: Paul Nickerson, Dave Small
9  // for COP 3530
10 // 201409.16 - created
11
12 #include <iostream>
13 #include <stdexcept>
14 #include <cassert>
15 #include <math.h>
16
17 namespace cop3530 {
18     template <class T>
19     class CDAL {
20     private:
21         struct Node {
22             //Node is an element in the linked list and contains an array of items
23             T* item_array;
24             Node* next;
25             bool is_dummy;
26         };
27         struct ItemLoc {
28             //ItemLoc describes the position of an item, including its linked list
29             //node and position within the array held by that node
30             Node* node;
31             size_t array_index;
32             T& item_ref;
33         };
34         size_t num_items;
35         size_t num_available_nodes; //excludes head/tail nodes
36         size_t embiggen_counter = 0;
37         size_t shrink_counter = 0;
38         Node* head;
39         Node* tail;
40         static const size_t array_size = 50; //length of each chained array
41         Node* node_at(size_t position) const {
42             Node* n = head->next;
43             for (size_t i = 0; i != position; ++i, n = n->next);
44             return n;
45         }
46         Node* node_before(size_t position) const {
47             if (position == 0)
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47         return head;
48     else
49         return node_at(position - 1);
50 }
51
52 ItemLoc loc_from_pos(size_t position) const {
53     size_t node_position = floor(position / array_size);
54     Node* n = node_at(node_position);
55     size_t array_index = position % array_size;
56     ItemLoc loc {n, array_index, n->item_array[array_index]};
57     return loc;
58 }
59
60 Node* design_new_node(Node* next = nullptr, bool dummy = false) const {
61     Node* n;
62     try {
63         n = new Node();
64     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
65         std::cerr << "design_new_node(): failed to allocate memory for new
66             node" << std::endl;
67         throw std::bad_alloc();
68     }
69     n->is_dummy = dummy;
70     try {
71         n->item_array = new T[array_size];
72     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
73         std::cerr << "design_new_node(): failed to allocate memory for item
74             array" << std::endl;
75         throw std::bad_alloc();
76     }
77     n->next = next;
78     return n;
79 }
80
81 void init() {
82     num_items = 0;
83     num_available_nodes = 0;
84     tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
85     head = design_new_node(tail, true);
86 }
87
88 void free_node(Node* n) {
89     delete[] n->item_array;
90     delete n;
91 }
92
93 void drop_node_after(Node* n) {
94     assert(n->next != tail);
95     Node* removed_node = n->next;
96     n->next = removed_node->next;
97     free_node(removed_node);
98     --num_available_nodes;

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97     }
98
99     size_t num_used_nodes() {
100         return ceil(size() / array_size);
101     }
102
103     void embiggen_if_necessary() {
104         //embiggen is a perfectly cromulent word
105         /*
106             If each array slot in every link is filled and we want to add a new
107             item, allocate and append a new link
108         */
109         if (size() == num_available_nodes * array_size) {
110             //transform tail into a regular node and append a new tail
111             Node* n = tail;
112             n->is_dummy = false;
113             tail = n->next = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
114             ++num_available_nodes;
115             ++embiggen_counter;
116         }
117
118         void shrink_if_necessary() {
119             /*
120                 Because we don't want the list to waste too much memory, whenever
121                 the more than half of the arrays
122                 are unused (they would all be at the end of the chain), deallocate
123                 half the unused arrays.
124             */
125             size_t used = num_used_nodes();
126             size_t num_unused_nodes = num_available_nodes - used;
127             if (num_unused_nodes > used) {
128                 size_t nodes_to_keep = used + ceil(num_unused_nodes * 0.5);
129                 Node* last_node = node_before(nodes_to_keep);
130                 while (last_node->next != tail) {
131                     drop_node_after(last_node);
132                 }
133                 ++shrink_counter;
134             }
135         }
136
137         void copy_constructor(const CDAL& src) {
138             const_iterator fin = src.end();
139             for (const_iterator iter = src.begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
140                 push_back(*iter);
141             }
142             if ( ! src.size() == size())
143                 throw std::runtime_error("copy_constructor: Copying failed - sizes
144                                     don't match up");
145         }
146
147     public:
148         //-----

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145 // iterators
146 //-----
147 class CDAL_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T> {
148 private:
149     Node* curr_node;
150     size_t curr_array_index;
151 public:
152     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
153     typedef T& reference;
154     typedef T* pointer;
155     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
156     typedef T value_type;
157     typedef CDAL_Iter self_type;
158     typedef CDAL_Iter& self_reference;
159
160     //need copy constructor/assigner to make this a first class ADT (doesn't
        hold pointers that need freeing)
161     CDAL_Iter(ItemLoc const& here):
162         curr_node(here.node),
163         curr_array_index(here.array_index)
164     {}
165     CDAL_Iter(const self_type& src):
166         curr_node(src.curr_node),
167         curr_array_index(src.curr_array_index)
168     {
169         if (*this != src)
170             throw std::runtime_error("CDAL_Iter: copy constructor failed");
171     }
172     self_reference operator=(const self_type& rhs) {
173         //copy assigner
174         if (&rhs == this) return *this;
175         curr_node = rhs.curr_node;
176         curr_array_index = rhs.curr_array_index;
177         if (*this != rhs)
178             throw std::runtime_error("CDAL_Iter: copy assignment failed");
179         return this;
180     }
181     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
182         if (curr_node->is_dummy)
183             throw std::out_of_range("CDAL_Iter: Can't traverse past the end
                of the list");
184         curr_array_index = (curr_array_index + 1) % array_size;
185         if (curr_array_index == 0) curr_node = curr_node->next;
186         return *this;
187     }
188     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
189         self_type t(*this); //save state
190         operator++; //apply increment
191         return t; //return state held before increment
192     }
193     reference operator*() const {
194         return curr_node->item_array[curr_array_index];

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195     }
196     pointer operator->() const {
197         return & this->operator*();
198     }
199     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
200         return rhs.curr_node == curr_node
201             && rhs.curr_array_index == curr_array_index;
202     }
203     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
204         return ! operator==(rhs);
205     }
206 };
207
208 class CDAL_Const_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T> {
209 private:
210     Node* curr_node;
211     size_t curr_array_index;
212 public:
213     typedef const T value_type;
214     typedef const T& reference;
215     typedef const T* pointer;
216     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
217     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
218     typedef CDAL_Const_Iter self_type;
219     typedef CDAL_Const_Iter& self_reference;
220
221     //need copy constructor/assigner to make this a first class ADT (doesn't
222     //hold pointers that need freeing)
223     CDAL_Const_Iter(ItemLoc const& here):
224         curr_node(here.node),
225         curr_array_index(here.array_index)
226     {}
227     CDAL_Const_Iter(const self_type& src):
228         curr_node(src.curr_node),
229         curr_array_index(src.curr_array_index)
230     {
231         if (*this != src)
232             throw std::runtime_error("CDAL_Iter: copy constructor failed");
233     }
234     self_reference operator=(const self_type& rhs) {
235         //copy assigner
236         if (&rhs == this) return *this;
237         curr_node = rhs.curr_node;
238         curr_array_index = rhs.curr_array_index;
239         if (*this != rhs)
240             throw std::runtime_error("CDAL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
241             failed");
242         return this;
243     }
244     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
245         if (curr_node->is_dummy)

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244         throw std::out_of_range("CDAL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
           end of the list");
245         curr_array_index = (curr_array_index + 1) % array_size;
246         if (curr_array_index == 0) curr_node = curr_node->next;
247         return *this;
248     }
249     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
250         self_type t(*this); //save state
251         operator++(); //apply increment
252         return t; //return state held before increment
253     }
254     reference operator*() const {
255         return curr_node->item_array[curr_array_index];
256     }
257     pointer operator->() const {
258         return & this->operator*();
259     }
260     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
261         return rhs.curr_node == curr_node
262             && rhs.curr_array_index == curr_array_index;
263     }
264     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
265         return ! operator==(rhs);
266     }
267 };
268
269 //-----
270 // types
271 //-----
272 typedef CDAL_Iter iterator;
273 typedef CDAL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
274 typedef T value_type;
275 //todo: might need to add size_t here and other iterators if they were
       excluded or commented out
276
277 iterator begin() {
278     ItemLoc start_loc = loc_from_pos(0);
279     return iterator(start_loc);
280 }
281
282 iterator end() {
283     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());
284     return iterator(end_loc);
285 }
286
287 const_iterator begin() const {
288     ItemLoc start_loc = loc_from_pos(0);
289     return const_iterator(start_loc);
290 }
291
292 const_iterator end() const {
293     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());

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294         return const_iterator(end_loc);
295     }
296
297     T& operator[](size_t i) {
298         if (i >= size()) {
299             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
300                 position ") + std::to_string(i));
301         }
302         return loc_from_pos(i).item_ref;
303     }
304
305     const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
306         if (i >= size()) {
307             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
308                 position ") + std::to_string(i));
309         }
310         return loc_from_pos(i).item_ref;
311     }
312
313     //-----
314     // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
315     //-----
316
317     CDAL() {
318         init();
319         embiggen_if_necessary();
320     }
321
322     //-----
323     //copy constructor
324     CDAL(const CDAL& src) {
325         init();
326         copy_constructor(src);
327     }
328
329     //-----
330     //destructor
331     ~CDAL() {
332         // safely dispose of this CDAL's contents
333         clear();
334     }
335
336     //-----
337     //copy assignment constructor
338     CDAL& operator=(const CDAL& src) {
339         if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
340             return *this; // do nothing
341         // safely dispose of this CDAL's contents
342         // populate this CDAL with copies of the other CDAL's contents
343         clear();
344         init();
345         copy_constructor(src);
346         return *this;

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```

344     }
345
346     //-----
347     // member functions
348     //-----
349
350     /*
351         replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
352         specified element and
353         returns the original element.
354     */
355     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
356         T item = element;
357         if (position >= size()) {
358             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
359                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
360         } else {
361             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
362             std::swap(loc.item_ref, item);
363         }
364         return item;
365     }
366
367     //-----
368     /*
369         adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
370         shifting the element
371         originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
372         right.
373     */
374     void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
375         if (position > size()) {
376             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
377                                     the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
378         } else {
379             embiggen_if_necessary();
380             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
381             //shift remaining items to the right
382             T item_to_insert = element;
383             Node* n = loc.node;
384             for (size_t i = position; i <= num_items; ++i) {
385                 size_t array_index = i % array_size;
386                 if ( i != position && array_index == 0 ) {
387                     n = n->next;
388                 }
389                 std::swap(item_to_insert, n->item_array[array_index]);
390             }
391             ++num_items;
392         }
393     }
394
395     //-----

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391     //Note to self: use reference here because we receive the original object
        instance,
392     //then copy it into n->item so we have it if the original element goes out
        of scope
393     /*
394         prepends the specified element to the list.
395     */
396     void push_front(const T& element) {
397         insert(element, 0);
398     }
399
400     //-----
401     /*
402         appends the specified element to the list.
403     */
404     void push_back(const T& element) {
405         insert(element, size());
406     }
407
408     //-----
409     //Note to self: no reference here, so we get our copy of the item, then
        return a copy
410     //of that so the client still has a valid instance if our destructor is
        called
411     /*
412         removes and returns the element at the list's head.
413     */
414     T pop_front() {
415         if (is_empty()) {
416             throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
417         }
418         return remove(0);
419     }
420
421     //-----
422     /*
423         removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
424     */
425     T pop_back() {
426         if (is_empty()) {
427             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
428         }
429         return remove(size() - 1);
430     }
431
432     //-----
433     /*
434         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
435         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
436     */
437     T remove(size_t position) {
438         T old_item;

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439         if (position >= size()) {
440             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
441                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
442         } else {
443             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
444             //shift remaining items to the left
445             Node* n = loc.node;
446             old_item = loc.item_ref;
447             for (size_t i = position; i != num_items; ++i) {
448                 size_t curr_array_index = i % array_size;
449                 size_t next_array_index = (i + 1) % array_size;
450                 T& curr_item = n->item_array[curr_array_index];
451                 if ( next_array_index == 0 ) {
452                     n = n->next;
453                 }
454                 T& next_item = n->item_array[next_array_index];
455                 std::swap(curr_item, next_item);
456             }
457             --num_items;
458             shrink_if_necessary();
459         }
460         return old_item;
461     }
462
463     //-----
464     /*
465     returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
466     position.
467     */
468     T item_at(size_t position) const {
469         if (position >= size()) {
470             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
471                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
472         }
473         return operator[](position);
474     }
475
476     //-----
477     /*
478     returns true IFF the list contains no elements.
479     */
480     bool is_empty() const {
481         return size() == 0;
482     }
483
484     //-----
485     /*
486     returns the number of elements in the list.
487     */
488     size_t size() const {
489         return num_items;
490     }

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488
489 //-----
490 /*
491     removes all elements from the list.
492 */
493 void clear() {
494     while (head->next != tail) {
495         drop_node_after(head);
496     }
497     num_items = 0;
498 }
499 //-----
500 /*
501     returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
502     element.
503 */
504 bool contains(const T& element,
505              bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
506     bool element_in_list = false;
507     const_iterator fin = end();
508     for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
509         if (equals(*iter, element)) {
510             element_in_list = true;
511             break;
512         }
513     }
514     return element_in_list;
515 }
516 //-----
517 /*
518     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
519     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
520     separated by commas, in sequential order.
521 */
522 std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
523     if (is_empty()) {
524         out << "<empty list>";
525     } else {
526         out << "[";
527         const_iterator start = begin();
528         const_iterator fin = end();
529         for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
530             if (iter != start)
531                 out << ",";
532             out << *iter;
533         }
534         out << "]";
535     }
536     return out;
537 }
538 }; //end class CDAL

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539 } // end namespace cop3530
540 #endif // _CDAL_H_
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