

# 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`
- The resulting state of the current instance should be independent of the source (ie changing an element on the current instance should not affect the original)

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

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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 < 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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- 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
- If the list is empty then throw an out-of-range error
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- Removes the node at position `(size() - 1)`, returning its stored item
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- 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**

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### **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.
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- 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

**`explicit SLL_Iter(Node* start)`**

- Explicit constructor for an iterator which, when dereferenced, will return a mutable reference to the item held at start
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- Copy constructor - sets the iterator's current position to that of src
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**`reference operator*() const`**

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

- Prefix increment operator - increments the current iterator then returns it as a reference
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- Default constructor - initializes the head, tail, and free-head dummy nodes

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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`
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## **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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- Afterwards, `this->size()` should equal `src.size()`. If not, throw a `runtime_error`
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## **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.
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### **void insert(const T& element, size\_t position)**

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- 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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## **Iterator Methods**

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

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

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- end\_\_ptr must be greater than or equal to item\_\_array

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- Returns an immutable reference to the item held at the current iterator position
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## List Methods

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- 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.
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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
- 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`
- The resulting state of the current instance should be independent of the source (ie changing an element on the current instance should not affect the original)

## **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
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### **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
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### **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)
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### **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
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**SSL checklist & source code**

## ssl/checklist.txt

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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

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Part II:

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- \* value\_type
- \* iterator
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- \* operator=: yes
- \* operator++ (pre): yes
- \* operator++ (post): yes
- \* operator==: yes
- \* operator!=: yes

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- \* pointer: yes
- \* iterator\_category: yes
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- \* self\_reference: yes

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\* operator[] const: yes

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\* clear: yes  
\* contains: yes  
\* print: yes  
\* size: yes  
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\* end (returning an iterator): 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_Const_Iter;
113     class SSL_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
114     {
115         friend class SSL_Const_Iter;
116     public:
117         // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
118         // automagically sets up these typedefs...
119         typedef T value_type;
120         typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
121         typedef T& reference;
122         typedef T* pointer;
123         typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
124
125         // but not these typedefs...
126         typedef SSL_Iter self_type;
127         typedef SSL_Iter& self_reference;
128
129     private:
130         Node* here;
131
132     public:
133         explicit SSL_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
134             if (start == nullptr)
135                 throw std::runtime_error("SSL_Iter: start cannot be null");
136         }
137         SSL_Iter(const SSL_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {}
138         reference operator*() const {
139             if (here->is_dummy)
140                 throw std::out_of_range("SSL_Iter: can't dereference end
                                         position");
141             return here->item;
142         }
143         pointer operator->() const {
144             return & this->operator*();

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145     }
146     self_reference operator=( const self_type& src ) {
147         if (&src == this)
148             return *this;
149         here = src.here;
150         if (*this != src)
151             throw std::runtime_error("SSLIter: copy assignment failed");
152         return *this;
153     }
154     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
155         if (here->is_dummy)
156             throw std::out_of_range("SSLIter: Can't traverse past the end
157                                     of the list");
158         here = here->next;
159         return *this;
160     }
161     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
162         self_type t(*this); //save state
163         operator++(); //apply increment
164         return t; //return state held before increment
165     }
166     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
167         return rhs.here == here;
168     }
169     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
170         return ! operator==(rhs);
171     }
172 };
173
174 class SSLConst_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
175 {
176 public:
177     // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
178     // automagically sets up these typedefs...
179     typedef T value_type;
180     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
181     typedef const T& reference;
182     typedef const T* pointer;
183     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
184
185     // but not these typedefs...
186     typedef SSLConst_Iter self_type;
187     typedef SSLConst_Iter& self_reference;
188
189 private:
190     const Node* here;
191
192 public:
193     explicit SSLConst_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
194         if (start == nullptr)
195             throw std::runtime_error("SSLConst_Iter: start cannot be null");
196     }

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196     SSLL_Const_Iter(const SSLL_Const_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {}
197     SSLL_Const_Iter(const SSLL_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {}
198
199     reference operator*() const {
200         if (here->is_dummy)
201             throw std::out_of_range("SSLL_Const_Iter: can't dereference end
202                                     position");
203         return here->item;
204     }
205     pointer operator->() const {
206         return & this->operator*();
207     }
208     self_reference operator=(const self_type& src) {
209         if (&src == this)
210             return *this;
211         here = src.here;
212         if (*this != src)
213             throw std::runtime_error("SSLL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
214                                     failed");
215         return *this;
216     }
217     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
218         if (here->is_dummy)
219             throw std::out_of_range("SSLL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
220                                     end of the list");
221         here = here->next;
222         return *this;
223     }
224     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
225         self_type t(*this); //save state
226         operator++; //apply increment
227         return t; //return state held before increment
228     }
229     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
230         return rhs.here == here;
231     }
232     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
233         return ! operator==(rhs);
234     }
235 };
236
237 //-----
238 // types
239 //-----
240 typedef T value_type;
241 typedef SSLL_Iter iterator;
242 typedef SSLL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
243
244 iterator begin() { return SSLL_Iter(head->next); }
245 iterator end() { return SSLL_Iter(tail); }
246
247 const_iterator begin() const { return SSLL_Const_Iter(head->next); }

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

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

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

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386     /*
387         removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
388     */
389     T pop_back() {
390         if (is_empty()) {
391             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
392         }
393         if (head->next == tail) {
394             throw std::runtime_error("pop_back: head->next == tail, but list
395                                     says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
396         }
397         //XXX this is O(N), a disadvantage of this architecture
398         Node* node_before_last = node_before(size() - 1);
399         T item = remove_item_after(node_before_last);
400         return item;
401     }
402
403     //-----
404     /*
405         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
406         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
407     */
408     T remove(size_t position) {
409         T item;
410         if (position >= size()) {
411             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
412                                                 ") + std::to_string(position));
413         }
414         if (head->next == tail) {
415             throw std::runtime_error("remove: head->next == tail, but list says
416                                     it's not empty (corrupt state)");
417         }
418         //using a dummy head node guarantees that there be a node immediately
419         //preceeding the specified position
420         Node *node_before_position = node_before(position);
421         item = remove_item_after(node_before_position);
422         return item;
423     }
424
425     //-----
426     /*
427         returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
428         position.
429     */
430     T item_at(size_t position) const {
431         if (position >= size()) {
432             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
433                                                 ") + std::to_string(position));
434         }
435         return operator[](position);
436     }

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432 //-----
433 /*
434     returns true IFF the list contains no elements.
435 */
436 bool is_empty() const {
437     return size() == 0;
438 }
439
440 //-----
441 /*
442     returns the number of elements in the list.
443 */
444 size_t size() const {
445     if (num_items == 0 && head->next != tail) {
446         throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next != tail, but list says
                                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
                                it's not empty (corrupt state)");
449     }
450     return num_items;
451 }
452
453 //-----
454 /*
455     removes all elements from the list.
456 */
457 void clear() {
458     while ( ! is_empty()) {
459         pop_front();
460     }
461 }
462
463 //-----
464 /*
465     returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
        element.
466 */
467 bool contains(const T& element,
468             bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
469     bool element_in_list = false;
470     const_iterator fin = end();
471     for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
472         if (equals(*iter, element)) {
473             element_in_list = true;
474             break;
475         }
476     }
477     return element_in_list;
478 }
479
480 //-----

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481     /*
482     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
483     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
484     separated by commas, in sequential order.
485     */
486     std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
487         if (is_empty()) {
488             out << "<empty list>";
489         } else {
490             out << "[";
491             const_iterator start = begin();
492             const_iterator fin = end();
493             for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
494                 if (iter != start)
495                     out << ",";
496                 out << *iter;
497             }
498             out << "]";
499         }
500         return out;
501     }
502 protected:
503     bool validate_internal_integrity() {
504         //todo: fill this in
505         return true;
506     }
507 }; //end class SSL
508 } // end namespace cop3530
509 #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

=====  
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\*
- my implementation behaves 100% precisely as documented, \*AND\*
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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.

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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 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_Const_Iter;
139         class PSLI_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
140         {
141             friend class PSLI_Const_Iter;
142         public:
143             // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
144             // automagically sets up these typedefs...
145             typedef T value_type;
146             typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
147             typedef T& reference;

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```

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

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192
193 class PSLL_Const_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
194 {
195 public:
196     // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
197     // automagically sets up these typedefs...
198     typedef T value_type;
199     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
200     typedef const T& reference;
201     typedef const T* pointer;
202     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
203
204     // but not these typedefs...
205     typedef PSLL_Const_Iter self_type;
206     typedef PSLL_Const_Iter& self_reference;
207
208 private:
209     const Node* here;
210
211 public:
212     explicit PSLL_Const_Iter(Node* start) : here(start) {
213         if (start == nullptr)
214             throw std::runtime_error("PSLL_Const_Iter: start cannot be null");
215     }
216     PSLL_Const_Iter(const PSLL_Const_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {}
217     PSLL_Const_Iter(const PSLL_Iter& src) : here(src.here) {}
218
219     reference operator*() const {
220         if (here->is_dummy)
221             throw std::out_of_range("PSLL_Iter: can't dereference end
222                                     position");
223         return here->item;
224     }
225     pointer operator->() const {
226         return & this->operator*();
227     }
228     self_reference operator=(const self_type& src) {
229         if (&src == this)
230             return *this;
231         here = src.here;
232         if (*this != src)
233             throw std::runtime_error("PSLL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
234                                     failed");
235         return *this;
236     }
237     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
238         if (here->is_dummy)
239             throw std::out_of_range("PSLL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
240                                     end of the list");
241         here = here->next;
242         return *this;
243     }

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

```

```

291     }
292     return node_at(i)->item;
293 }
294
295 //-----
296 // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
297 //-----
298
299 PSSL() {
300     init();
301 }
302 //-----
303 //copy constructor
304 PSSL(const PSSL& src) {
305     init();
306     copy_constructor(src);
307 }
308
309 //-----
310 //destructor
311 ~PSSL() {
312     // safely dispose of this PSSL's contents
313     clear();
314 }
315
316 //-----
317 //copy assignment constructor
318 PSSL& operator=(const PSSL& src) {
319     if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
320         return *this; // do nothing
321     // safely dispose of this PSSL's contents
322     clear();
323     // populate this PSSL with copies of the other PSSL's contents
324     copy_constructor(src);
325     return *this;
326 }
327
328 //-----
329 // member functions
330 //-----
331
332 /*
333     replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
334     specified element and
335     returns the original element.
336 */
337
338 T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
339     T old_item;
340     if (position >= size()) {
341         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
342         ") + std::to_string(position));
343     } else {

```



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

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384
385 //-----
386 /*
387     appends the specified element to the list.
388 */
389 void push_back(const T& element) {
390     Node* new_tail;
391     try {
392         new_tail = design_new_node(nullptr, true);
393     } catch (std::bad_alloc& ba) {
394         std::cerr << "push_back(): failed to allocate memory for new tail"
395             << std::endl;
396         throw std::bad_alloc();
397     }
398     insert_node_after(tail, new_tail, num_main_list_items);
399     //transform the current tail node from a dummy to a real node holding
400     //element
401     tail->is_dummy = false;
402     tail->item = element;
403     tail->next = new_tail;
404     tail = tail->next;
405 }
406
407 //-----
408 //Note to self: no reference here, so we get our copy of the item, then
409 //return a copy
410 //of that so the client still has a valid instance if our destructor is
411 //called
412 /*
413     removes and returns the element at the list's head.
414 */
415 T pop_front() {
416     if (is_empty()) {
417         throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
418     }
419     if (head->next == tail) {
420         throw std::runtime_error("pop_front: head->next == tail, but list
421             says it's not empty (corrupt state)");
422     }
423     return remove_item_after(head);
424 }
425
426 //-----
427 /*
428     removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
429 */
430 T pop_back() {
431     if (is_empty()) {
432         throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
433     }
434     if (head->next == tail) {

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

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476 //-----
477 /*
478     returns the number of elements in the list.
479 */
480 size_t size() const {
481     if (num_main_list_items == 0 && head->next != tail) {
482         throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next != tail, but list says
483             it's empty (corrupt state)");
484     } else if (num_main_list_items > 0 && head->next == tail) {
485         throw std::runtime_error("size: head->next == tail, but list says
486             it's not empty (corrupt state)");
487     }
488     return num_main_list_items;
489 }
490 //-----
491 /*
492     removes all elements from the list.
493 */
494 void clear() {
495     while (size()) {
496         pop_front();
497     }
498 //-----
499 /*
500     returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
501     element.
502 */
503 bool contains(const T& element,
504     bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
505     bool element_in_list = false;
506     const_iterator fin = end();
507     for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
508         if (equals(*iter, element)) {
509             element_in_list = true;
510             break;
511         }
512     }
513     return element_in_list;
514 }
515 //-----
516 /*
517     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
518     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
519     separated by commas, in sequential order.
520 */
521 std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
522     if (is_empty()) {
523         out << "<empty list>";
524     } else {

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

=====  
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

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* operator++ (post): yes
* operator==: yes
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```

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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 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 Simple Dynamic Array-based List  
and the associated unit tests.  
Paul Nickerson, 11/24/2014 in COP3530 section 1087

=====  
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_Const_Iter;

```

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

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141         return *this;
142     }
143     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
144         if (iter == end_iter)
145             throw std::out_of_range("SDAL_Iter: Can't traverse past the end
146                                     of the list");
147         ++iter;
148         return *this;
149     }
150     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
151         self_type t(*this); //save state
152         operator++(); //apply increment
153         return t; //return state held before increment
154     }
155     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
156         return rhs.iter == iter && rhs.end_iter == end_iter;
157     }
158     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
159         return ! operator==(rhs);
160     }
161 };
162
163 class SDAL_Const_Iter: public std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
164 {
165 public:
166     // inheriting from std::iterator<std::forward_iterator_tag, T>
167     // automagically sets up these typedefs...
168     typedef T value_type;
169     typedef std::ptrdiff_t difference_type;
170     typedef const T& reference;
171     typedef const T* pointer;
172     typedef std::forward_iterator_tag iterator_category;
173
174     // but not these typedefs...
175     typedef SDAL_Const_Iter self_type;
176     typedef SDAL_Const_Iter& self_reference;
177 private:
178     const T* iter;
179     const T* end_iter;
180 public:
181     explicit SDAL_Const_Iter(T* item_array, T* end_ptr): iter(item_array),
182                                                         end_iter(end_ptr) {
183         if (item_array == nullptr)
184             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: item_array cannot be
185                                     null");
186         if (end_ptr == nullptr)
187             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: end_ptr cannot be
188                                     null");
189         if (item_array > end_ptr)
190             throw std::runtime_error("SDAL_Const_Iter: item_array pointer
191                                     cannot be past end_ptr");
192     }

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188     SDAL_Const_Iter(const SDAL_Const_Iter& src): iter(src.iter),
        end_iter(src.end_iter) {}
189     SDAL_Const_Iter(const SDAL_Iter& src): iter(src.iter),
        end_iter(src.end_iter) {}
190     reference operator*() const {
191         if (iter == end_iter)
192             throw std::out_of_range("SDAL_Const_Iter: can't dereference end
                position");
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
                failed");
205         return *this;
206     }
207     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
208         if (iter == end_iter)
209             throw std::out_of_range("SDAL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
                end of the list");
210         ++iter;
211         return *this;
212     }
213     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
214         self_type t(*this); //save state
215         operator++(); //apply increment
216         return t; //return state held before increment
217     }
218     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
219         return rhs.iter == iter && rhs.end_iter == end_iter;
220     }
221     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
222         return ! operator==(rhs);
223     }
224 };
225
226 //-----
227 // types
228 //-----
229 typedef T value_type;
230 typedef SDAL_Iter iterator;
231 typedef SDAL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
232
233 iterator begin() { return SDAL_Iter(item_array, item_array + num_items); }

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234     iterator end() { return SDAL_Iter(item_array + num_items, item_array +
        num_items); }
235
236     const_iterator begin() const { return SDAL_Const_Iter(item_array,
        item_array + num_items); }
237     const_iterator end() const { return SDAL_Const_Iter(item_array + num_items,
        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
                position ") + std::to_string(i));
245         }
246         return item_array[i];
247     }
248
249     const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
250         if (i >= size()) {
251             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
                position ") + std::to_string(i));
252         }
253         return item_array[i];
254     }
255
256     //-----
257     // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
258     //-----
259
260     SDAL(size_t num_nodes_to_preallocate = 50) {
261         init(num_nodes_to_preallocate);
262     }
263
264     //-----
265     //copy constructor
266     SDAL(const SDAL& src): SDAL(src.array_size) {
267         init(src.array_size);
268         copy_constructor(src);
269     }
270
271     //-----
272     //destructor
273     ~SDAL() {
274         // safely dispose of this SDAL's contents
275         delete[] item_array;
276     }
277
278     //-----
279     //copy assignment constructor
280     SDAL& operator=(const SDAL& src) {

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281         if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
282             return *this; // do nothing
283         delete[] item_array;
284         init(src.array_size);
285         copy_constructor(src);
286         return *this;
287     }
288
289     //-----
290     // member functions
291     //-----
292
293     /*
294     replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
295     specified element and
296     returns the original element.
297     */
298     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
299         T old_item;
300         if (position >= size()) {
301             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
302             ") + std::to_string(position));
303         } else {
304             old_item = item_array[position];
305             item_array[position] = element;
306         }
307         return old_item;
308     }
309
310     //-----
311     /*
312     adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
313     shifting the element
314     originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
315     right.
316     */
317     void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
318         if (position > size()) {
319             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
320             the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
321         } else {
322             embiggen_if_necessary();
323             //shift remaining items right
324             for (size_t i = size(); i != position; --i) {
325                 item_array[i] = item_array[i - 1];
326             }
327             item_array[position] = element;
328             ++num_items;
329         }
330     }
331
332     //-----

```

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

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

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```

424         //deallocation for the destructor
425         num_items = 0;
426     }
427
428     //-----
429     /*
430         returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
431         element.
432     */
433     bool contains(const T& element,
434                 bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
435         bool element_in_list = false;
436         const_iterator fin = end();
437         for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
438             if (equals(*iter, element)) {
439                 element_in_list = true;
440                 break;
441             }
442         }
443         return element_in_list;
444     }
445
446     //-----
447     /*
448         If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
449         otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
450         separated by commas, in sequential order.
451     */
452     std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
453         if (is_empty()) {
454             out << "<empty list>";
455         } else {
456             out << "[";
457             const_iterator start = begin();
458             const_iterator fin = end();
459             for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
460                 if (iter != start)
461                     out << ",";
462                 out << *iter;
463             }
464             out << "]";
465         }
466         return out;
467     }
468     protected:
469     bool validate_internal_integrity() {
470         //todo: fill this in
471         return true;
472     }
473 } // end namespace cop3530
474

```

475 `#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\*

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

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

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245     {}
246     CDAL_Const_Iter(const CDAL_Iter& src):
247         curr_node(src.curr_node),
248         curr_array_index(src.curr_array_index),
249         fin_node(src.fin_node),
250         fin_array_index(src.fin_array_index)
251     {}
252     self_reference operator=(const self_type& rhs) {
253         //copy assigner
254         if (&rhs == this) return *this;
255         curr_node = rhs.curr_node;
256         curr_array_index = rhs.curr_array_index;
257         fin_node = rhs.fin_node;
258         fin_array_index = rhs.fin_array_index;
259
260         if (*this != rhs)
261             throw std::runtime_error("CDAL_Const_Iter: copy assignment
262                                     failed");
263         return *this;
264     }
265     self_reference operator++() { // preincrement
266         if (curr_node == fin_node && curr_array_index == fin_array_index)
267             throw std::out_of_range("CDAL_Const_Iter: Can't traverse past the
268                                     end of the list");
269         curr_array_index = (curr_array_index + 1) % array_size;
270         if (curr_array_index == 0) curr_node = curr_node->next;
271         return *this;
272     }
273     self_type operator++(int) { // postincrement
274         self_type t(*this); //save state
275         operator++(); //apply increment
276         return t; //return state held before increment
277     }
278     reference operator*() const {
279         if (curr_node == fin_node && curr_array_index == fin_array_index)
280             throw std::out_of_range("SSLL_Iter: can't dereference end
281                                     position");
282         return curr_node->item_array[curr_array_index];
283     }
284     pointer operator->() const {
285         return & this->operator*();
286     }
287     bool operator==(const self_type& rhs) const {
288         return rhs.curr_node == curr_node
289             && rhs.curr_array_index == curr_array_index;
290     }
291     bool operator!=(const self_type& rhs) const {
292         return ! operator==(rhs);
293     }
294 };
295
296 //-----

```

```

294 // types
295 //-----
296 typedef CDAL_Iter iterator;
297 typedef CDAL_Const_Iter const_iterator;
298 typedef T value_type;
299 //todo: might need to add size_t here and other iterators if they were
        excluded or commented out
300
301 iterator begin() {
302     ItemLoc start_loc = loc_from_pos(0);
303     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());
304     return iterator(start_loc, end_loc);
305 }
306
307 iterator end() {
308     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());
309     return iterator(end_loc, end_loc);
310 }
311
312 const_iterator begin() const {
313     ItemLoc start_loc = loc_from_pos(0);
314     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());
315     return const_iterator(start_loc, end_loc);
316 }
317
318 const_iterator end() const {
319     ItemLoc end_loc = loc_from_pos(size());
320     return const_iterator(end_loc, end_loc);
321 }
322
323 T& operator[](size_t i) {
324     if (i >= size()) {
325         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
                position ") + std::to_string(i));
326     }
327     return loc_from_pos(i).item_ref;
328 }
329
330 const T& operator[](size_t i) const {
331     if (i >= size()) {
332         throw std::out_of_range(std::string("operator[]: No element at
                position ") + std::to_string(i));
333     }
334     return loc_from_pos(i).item_ref;
335 }
336
337 //-----
338 // Constructors/destructor/assignment operator
339 //-----
340
341 CDAL() {
342     init();

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343         embiggen_if_necessary();
344     }
345     //-----
346     //copy constructor
347     CDAL(const CDAL& src) {
348         init();
349         copy_constructor(src);
350     }
351
352     //-----
353     //destructor
354     ~CDAL() {
355         // safely dispose of this CDAL's contents
356         clear();
357     }
358
359     //-----
360     //copy assignment constructor
361     CDAL& operator=(const CDAL& src) {
362         if (&src == this) // check for self-assignment
363             return *this; // do nothing
364         // safely dispose of this CDAL's contents
365         // populate this CDAL with copies of the other CDAL's contents
366         clear();
367         init();
368         copy_constructor(src);
369         return *this;
370     }
371
372     //-----
373     // member functions
374     //-----
375
376     /*
377         replaces the existing element at the specified position with the
378         specified element and
379         returns the original element.
380     */
381     T replace(const T& element, size_t position) {
382         T item = element;
383         if (position >= size()) {
384             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("replace: No element at position
385                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
386         } else {
387             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
388             std::swap(loc.item_ref, item);
389         }
390         return item;
391     }
392     //-----
393     /*

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393         adds the specified element to the list at the specified position,
           shifting the element
394         originally at that and those in subsequent positions one position to the
           right.
395     */
396     void insert(const T& element, size_t position) {
397         if (position > size()) {
398             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("insert: Position is outside of
           the list: ") + std::to_string(position));
399         } else {
400             embiggen_if_necessary();
401             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
402             //shift remaining items to the right
403             T item_to_insert = element;
404             Node* n = loc.node;
405             for (size_t i = position; i <= num_items; ++i) {
406                 size_t array_index = i % array_size;
407                 if ( i != position && array_index == 0 ) {
408                     n = n->next;
409                 }
410                 std::swap(item_to_insert, n->item_array[array_index]);
411             }
412             ++num_items;
413         }
414     }
415
416     //-----
417     //Note to self: use reference here because we receive the original object
           instance,
418     //then copy it into n->item so we have it if the original element goes out
           of scope
419     /*
420     prepends the specified element to the list.
421     */
422     void push_front(const T& element) {
423         insert(element, 0);
424     }
425
426     //-----
427     /*
428     appends the specified element to the list.
429     */
430     void push_back(const T& element) {
431         insert(element, size());
432     }
433
434     //-----
435     //Note to self: no reference here, so we get our copy of the item, then
           return a copy
436     //of that so the client still has a valid instance if our destructor is
           called
437     /*

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438         removes and returns the element at the list's head.
439     */
440     T pop_front() {
441         if (is_empty()) {
442             throw std::out_of_range("pop_front: Can't pop: list is empty");
443         }
444         return remove(0);
445     }
446
447     //-----
448     /*
449         removes and returns the element at the list's tail.
450     */
451     T pop_back() {
452         if (is_empty()) {
453             throw std::out_of_range("pop_back: Can't pop: list is empty");
454         }
455         return remove(size() - 1);
456     }
457
458     //-----
459     /*
460         removes and returns the the element at the specified position,
461         shifting the subsequent elements one position to the left.
462     */
463     T remove(size_t position) {
464         T old_item;
465         if (position >= size()) {
466             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("remove: No element at position
467                                     ") + std::to_string(position));
468         } else {
469             ItemLoc loc = loc_from_pos(position);
470             //shift remaining items to the left
471             Node* n = loc.node;
472             old_item = loc.item_ref;
473             for (size_t i = position; i != num_items; ++i) {
474                 size_t curr_array_index = i % array_size;
475                 size_t next_array_index = (i + 1) % array_size;
476                 T& curr_item = n->item_array[curr_array_index];
477                 if ( next_array_index == 0 ) {
478                     n = n->next;
479                 }
480                 T& next_item = n->item_array[next_array_index];
481                 std::swap(curr_item, next_item);
482             }
483             --num_items;
484             shrink_if_necessary();
485         }
486         return old_item;
487     }
488     //-----

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489     /*
490         returns (without removing from the list) the element at the specified
           position.
491     */
492     T item_at(size_t position) const {
493         if (position >= size()) {
494             throw std::out_of_range(std::string("item_at: No element at position
           ") + std::to_string(position));
495         }
496         return operator[](position);
497     }
498
499     //-----
500     /*
501         returns true IFF the list contains no elements.
502     */
503     bool is_empty() const {
504         return size() == 0;
505     }
506
507     //-----
508     /*
509         returns the number of elements in the list.
510     */
511     size_t size() const {
512         return num_items;
513     }
514
515     //-----
516     /*
517         removes all elements from the list.
518     */
519     void clear() {
520         while (head->next != tail) {
521             drop_node_after(head);
522         }
523         num_items = 0;
524     }
525     //-----
526     /*
527         returns true IFF one of the elements of the list matches the specified
           element.
528     */
529     bool contains(const T& element,
530                 bool equals(const T& a, const T& b)) const {
531         bool element_in_list = false;
532         const_iterator fin = end();
533         for (const_iterator iter = begin(); iter != fin; ++iter) {
534             if (equals(*iter, element)) {
535                 element_in_list = true;
536                 break;
537             }

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538     }
539     return element_in_list;
540 }
541
542 //-----
543 /*
544     If the list is empty, inserts "<empty list>" into the ostream;
545     otherwise, inserts, enclosed in square brackets, the list's elements,
546     separated by commas, in sequential order.
547 */
548 std::ostream& print(std::ostream& out) const {
549     if (is_empty()) {
550         out << "<empty list>";
551     } else {
552         out << "[";
553         const_iterator start = begin();
554         const_iterator fin = end();
555         for (const_iterator iter = start; iter != fin; ++iter) {
556             if (iter != start)
557                 out << ",";
558             out << *iter;
559         }
560         out << "]";
561     }
562     return out;
563 }
564 }; //end class CDAL
565 } // end namespace cop3530
566 #endif // _CDAL_H_

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