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Problem Set 3: List ADT

Review the template classes `DoublyLinkedList` and `DoublyLinkedListIterator` developed in tutorial 9. In addition, it might be beneficial to review also the lecture material regarding the construction of an abstract data type and memory management.

Start with the header files provided on Canvas, as they have been fully tested.

Using the template classes `DoublyLinkedList` and `DoublyLinkedListIterator`, implement the template class `List` as specified below:

```
#pragma once

#include "DoublyLinkedList.h"
#include "DoublyLinkedListIterator.h"
#include <stdexcept>

template<typename T>
class List
{
private:
    // auxiliary definition to simplify node usage
    using Node = DoublyLinkedList<T>;

    Node* fRoot;        // the first element in the list
    size_t fCount;      // number of elements in the list

public:
    // auxiliary definition to simplify iterator usage
    using Iterator = DoublyLinkedListIterator<T>;

    List();              // default constructor
    List( const List& aOtherList ); // copy constructor
    List& operator=( const List& aOtherList ); // assignment operator
    ~List();             // destructor - frees all nodes

    bool isEmpty() const; // Is list empty?
    size_t size() const;  // list size

    void push_front( const T& aElement ); // adds aElement at front
    void push_back( const T& aElement );  // adds aElement at back
    void remove( const T& aElement );     // remove first match from list

    const T& operator[]( size_t aIndex ) const; // list indexer

    Iterator begin() const; // return a forward iterator
    Iterator end() const;   // return a forward end iterator
    Iterator rbegin() const; // return a backwards iterator
    Iterator rend() const;  // return a backwards end iterator

    // move features
    List( List&& aOtherList ); // move constructor
    List& operator=( List&& aOtherList ); // move assignment operator
    void push_front( T&& aElement ); // adds aElement at front
    void push_back( T&& aElement );  // adds aElement at back
};
```

The template class `List` defines an “object adapter” for `DoublyLinkedList` objects (i.e., the list representation). Somebody else has already started with the implementation, but left the project unfinished. You find a header file for the incomplete `List` class on Canvas. This header file contains the specification of the template class `List` and the implementations for the destructor `~List()` and the `remove()` method. You need to implement the remaining member functions.

Problem 1

Implement the default constructor `List()`, and the methods `push_front()`, `size()`, `empty()`, as well as all iterator auxiliary methods first.

To make `List` work, we have to allocate list node elements on the heap using `new`. In doing so, you obtain a pointer to a `Node` object. The `DoublyLinkedList` member functions, however, generally only accept references to `Node` objects. In order to satisfy this requirement, you need to dereference the `Node` object pointer which gives you the `Node` object located in heap memory. This `Node` object is passed by reference (to a heap memory location) to the corresponding `DoublyLinkedList` member function (i.e., `push_front()`).

You can use `#define P1` in `Main.cpp` to enable the corresponding test driver.

```
void testP1()
{
    using StringList = List<string>;

    string s1( "AAAA" );
    string s2( "BBBB" );
    string s3( "CCCC" );
    string s4( "DDDD" );

    cout << "Test of problem 1:" << endl;

    StringList lList;

    if ( !lList.empty() )
    {
        cerr << "Error: Newly created list is not empty." << endl;
    }

    lList.push_front( s4 );
    lList.push_front( s3 );
    lList.push_front( s2 );
    lList.push_front( s1 );

    // iterate from the top
    cout << "Top to bottom " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;
    for ( const string& element : lList )
    {
        cout << element << endl;
    }

    // iterate from the end
    cout << "Bottom to top " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;
    for ( StringList::Iterator iter = lList.rbegin(); iter != iter.rend(); iter-- )
    {
        cout << *iter << endl;
    }

    cout << "Completed" << endl;
}
```

The result should look like this. No errors should occur:

```
Test of problem 1:
Top to bottom 4 elements:
AAAA
BBBB
CCCC
DDDD
Bottom to top 4 elements:
DDDD
CCCC
BBBB
AAAA
Completed
```

Problem 2

Implement the method `push_back()`, which is just a variant of method `push_front()`. Do not reinvent the wheel. The method `push_back()` does not require a search. Remember that `fRoot` is 12 o'clock if the doubly-linked list nodes are viewed as a clock.

You can use `#define P2` in `Main.cpp` to enable the corresponding test driver.

```
void testP2()
{
    using StringList = List<string>;

    string s1( "AAAA" );
    string s2( "BBBB" );
    string s3( "CCCC" );
    string s4( "DDDD" );
    string s5( "EEEE" );
    string s6( "FFFF" );

    cout << "Test of problem 2:" << endl;

    StringList lList;

    lList.push_front( s4 );
    lList.push_front( s3 );
    lList.push_front( s2 );
    lList.push_front( s1 );
    lList.push_back( s5 );
    lList.push_back( s6 );

    // iterate from the top
    cout << "Bottom to top " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;
    for ( StringList::Iterator iter = lList.rbegin(); iter != iter.rend(); iter-- )
    {
        cout << *iter << endl;
    }

    cout << "Completed" << endl;
}
```

The result should look like this. No errors should occur:

```
Test of problem 2:
Bottom to top 6 elements:
FFFF
EEEE
DDDD
CCCC
BBBB
AAAA
Completed
```

Problem 3

Implement `operator[]`. The indexer has to search for the element that corresponds to `aIndex`. Also, `aIndex` may be out of bounds. Hence the indexer has to throw a `out_of_range` exception.

You can use `#define P3` in `Main.cpp` to enable the corresponding test driver.

```
void testP3()
{
    using StringList = List<string>;

    string s1( "AAAA" );
    string s2( "BBBB" );
    string s3( "CCCC" );
    string s4( "DDDD" );
    string s5( "EEEE" );
    string s6( "FFFF" );

    StringList lList;

    lList.push_front( s4 );
    lList.push_front( s3 );
    lList.push_front( s2 );
    lList.push_front( s1 );
    lList.push_back( s5 );
    lList.push_back( s6 );

    cout << "Test of problem 3:" << endl;

    try
    {
        cout << "Element at index 4: " << lList[4] << endl;
        lList.remove( s5 );
        cout << "Element at index 4: " << lList[4] << endl;

        cout << "Element at index 6: " << lList[6] << endl;
        cout << "Error: You should not see this text." << endl;
    }
    catch (out_of_range e)
    {
        cerr << "\nSuccessfully caught error: " << e.what() << endl;
    }

    cout << "Completed" << endl;
}
```

The result should look like this:

```
Test of problem 3:
Element at index 4: EEEE
Element at index 4: FFFF
Element at index 6:
Successfully caught error: Index out of bounds.
Completed
```

Problem 4

Add proper copy control to the template class `List`, that is, implement the copy constructor and the assignment operator:

- `List(const List& aOtherList),`
- `List& operator=(const List& aOtherList).`

The copy constructor initializes an object using `aOtherList`. This process requires two steps:

- Perform default initializing of object.
- Assign `aOtherList` to this object. Remember this object is `"*this"`.

The assignment operator overrides an initialized object. That is, the assignment operator must first free all resources and then copy the elements of `aOtherList`. Both steps are easy as you have already the necessary infrastructure. There is a convenient C++ idiom at your disposal. You can write, `this->~List()` to mean that you release all resources associated with this object, but do not delete this object itself. Remember, assignment must be secured against "accidental suicide."

You can use `#define P4` in `Main.cpp` to enable the corresponding test driver.

```
void testP4()
{
    using StringList = List<string>;

    string s1( "AAAA" );
    string s2( "BBBB" );
    string s3( "CCCC" );
    string s4( "DDDD" );
    string s5( "EEEE" );

    List<string> lList;

    cout << "Test of problem 4:" << endl;

    lList.push_front( s4 );
    lList.push_front( s3 );
    lList.push_front( s2 );

    List<string> copy( lList );

    // iterate from the top
    cout << "A - Top to bottom " << copy.size() << " elements:" << endl;

    for ( const string& element : copy )
    {
        cout << element << endl;
    }

    // override list
    lList = copy;

    lList.push_front( s1 );
    lList.push_back( s5 );

    // iterate from the top
    cout << "B - Bottom to top " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;

    for ( auto iter = lList.rbegin(); iter != iter.rend(); iter-- )
    {
        cout << *iter << endl;
    }

    cout << "Completed" << endl;
}
```

The result should look like this:

```
Test of problem 4:  
A - Top to bottom 3 elements:  
BBBB  
CCCC  
DDDD  
B - Bottom to top 5 elements:  
EEEE  
DDDD  
CCCC  
BBBB  
AAAA  
Completed
```

Problem 5

Implement the move features:

- `List(List&& aOtherList),`
- `List& operator=(List&& aOtherList),`
- `void push_front(T&& aElement),`
- `void push_back(T&& aElement).`

The move features "steal" the memory of the argument. That is, calling the copy constructor or using the assignment operator leaves `aOtherList` empty. Similarly, calling `push_front()` and `push_back()`, respectively, leaves `aElement` empty.

The move variants are chosen by the compiler if the argument is a temporary or literal expression.

To force move semantics we have to use, where necessary, the `std::move()` function, which performs a type conversion on its argument that guarantees that the argument is an r-value reference.

You can use `#define P5` in `Main.cpp` to enable the corresponding test driver.

```
void testP5()
{
    using StringList = List<string>;

    string s2( "CCCC" );

    List<string> lList;

    cout << "Test of problem 5:" << endl;

    lList.push_front( string( "DDDD" ) );
    lList.push_front( std::move(s2) );
    lList.push_front( "BBBB" );

    if ( s2.empty() )
    {
        cout << "Successfully performed move operation." << endl;
    }
    else
    {
        cerr << "Error: Move operation failed." << endl;
    }

    cout << "A - Top to bottom " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;

    for ( const string& element : lList )
    {
        cout << element << endl;
    }

    List<string> move( std::move(lList) );

    if ( lList.empty() )
    {
        cout << "Successfully performed move operation." << endl;
    }
    else
    {
        cerr << "Error: Move operation failed." << endl;
    }

    // iterate from the top
    cout << "B - Top to bottom " << move.size() << " elements:" << endl;

    for ( const string& element : move )
    {
        cout << element << endl;
    }
}
```



```
// override list
lList = std::move(move);

if ( move.empty() )
{
    cout << "Successfully performed move operation." << endl;
}
else
{
    cerr << "Error: Move operation failed." << endl;
}

lList.push_front( "AAAA" );
lList.push_back( "EEEE" );

// iterate from the top
cout << "C - Bottom to top " << lList.size() << " elements:" << endl;

for ( auto iter = lList.rbegin(); iter != iter.rend(); iter-- )
{
    cout << *iter << endl;
}

cout << "Completed" << endl;
}
```

The result should look like this:

```
Test of problem 5:
Successfully performed move operation.
A - Top to bottom 3 elements:
BBBB
CCCC
DDDD
Successfully performed move operation.
B - Top to bottom 3 elements:
BBBB
CCCC
DDDD
Successfully performed move operation.
C - Bottom to top 5 elements:
EEEE
DDDD
CCCC
BBBB
AAAA
Completed
```

Submission deadline: Thursday, May 12, 2022, 14:30.

Submission procedure: PDF of printed code for `ListPS3.h`.