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## NeoColab\_REC\_CS23231\_DATA STRUCTURES

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Section 1: Coding

#### 1. Problem Statement

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

Here are the main functionalities of the program:

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

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

**Input Format** 

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

The input is terminated by entering - (hyphen).

#### **Output Format**

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

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

Refer to the sample output for formatting specifications.

### Sample Test Case

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Input: a b c -
   Output: Forward Playlist: a b c
   Backward Playlist: c b a
   Answer
   #include <stdio.h>
   #include <stdlib.h>
   struct Node {
   char item;
      struct Node* next;
      struct Node* prev;
   };
   // Function declarations
   struct Node* createNode(char item);
   void insertAtEnd(struct Node** head, struct Node** tail, char item);
   void insertFront(struct Node** head, struct Node** tail, char item);
   void displayForward(struct Node* head);
   void displayBackward(struct Node* tail);
   void freePlaylist(struct Node* head);
Create a new node
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struct Node* createNode(charitem) {
struct Node* newNode = (struct Node*)malloc(sizeof(struct Node));
  if (newNode == NULL) {
    printf("Memory allocation failed\n");
    exit(1);
  }
  newNode->item = item:
  newNode->prev = NULL;
  newNode->next = NULL;
  return newNode:
}
// Insert at the end
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void insertAtEnd(struct Node** head, char item) {
 struct Node* newNode = createNode(item);
  if (*head == NULL) {
    *head = newNode;
    return;
  struct Node* temp = *head;
  while (temp->next != NULL) {
    temp = temp->next;
  }
  temp->next = newNode;
  newNode->prev = temp;
// Insert at the front
void insertFront(struct Node** head, struct Node** tail, char item) {
  struct Node* newNode = createNode(item);
  if (*head == NULL) {
    *head = *tail = newNode;
  } else {
    newNode->next = *head;
    (*head)->prev = newNode;
    *head = newNode;
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// Display from head to tail
void displayForward(struct Node* head) {
  struct Node* temp = head;
  while (temp != NULL) {
    printf("%c ", temp->item);
    temp = temp->next;
  }
  printf("\n");
// Display from tail to head
void displayBackward(struct Node* tail) {
  struct Node* temp = tail;
  while (temp != NULL) {
    printf("%c ", temp->item);
    temp = temp->prev;
  printf("\n");
// Free memory of the playlist
void freePlaylist(struct Node* head) {
  struct Node* temp;
  while (head != NULL) {
    temp = head;
    head = head->next;
   free(temp);
int main() {
  struct Node* playlist = NULL;
  char item;
  while (1) {
    scanf(" %c", &item);
    if (item == '-') {
       break;
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    insertAtEnd(&playlist, item);
  struct Node* tail = playlist;
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while (tail->next != NULL) {
    tail = tail->next;
}

printf("Forward Playlist: ");
    displayForward(playlist);

printf("Backward Playlist: ");
    displayBackward(tail);

freePlaylist(playlist);

return 0;
}

Status: Correct

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