

## Task 2: Analysis of LinkedList methods

### **size**

This always will be the number of elements in the list and always runs at  $O(N)$ .

### **add(i, d)**

Our best case is adding to the beginning of the list because we don't have to iterate through, the worst case adding to the end of the list, as this requires iteration through all nodes. This operation runs at  $O(N)$ .

### **contains**

The best case is that the object is first and the worst case is that the object is the last node or not in the list, meaning we iterate through all nodes. This operation runs at  $O(N)$ .

### **removeFirst**

This always adds first and is not dependant on the size of the list, and therefore is constant. This operation runs at  $O(C)$ .

### **removeLast**

This operation requires iterating through all nodes to obtain the second to last node. This means it will always iterate size - 1 times, and therefore runs at  $O(N)$ .

## Task 3: Analysis of Code Segments

### **Fragment A**

We iterate `list.length` times to count `i`, and then `list.length` times for each `i` to obtain `j`. So the total number of iteration is `list.length * list.length`. This is runs at  $O(N^2)$  in the worst case.

### **Fragment B**

We iterate `list.length` times to get the total, then iterate `list.length` more times to print out the information, this gives  $2 * \text{list.length}$  iterations. Because we ignore constants,  $O(2N)$  is reduced to  $O(N)$  in the worst case.

### **Fragment C**

We iterate `list.length/2` times for to count `i`, then iterate `list.length` times for each `i`, to obtain `j`. This gives `list.length / 2 * list.length`. Because we ignore constants  $O(N/2 * N)$  becomes  $O(N * N)$  or  $O(N^2)$ , in the worst case.