Backtracking Assignment Questions

Q1. Given a linked list and a key 'X' in, the task is to check if X is present in the linked list or not.

Examples: Input: 14->21->11->30->10, X = 14

Output: Yes

Explanation: 14 is present in the linked list.

Input: 6->21->17->30->10->8, X = 13

Output: No

```
package LinkedListAssignment;
import java.util.*;

public class QuestionOne {
   Node head;

   class Node {
    int data;
}
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Node next;
    Node(int d) {
        data = d;
        next = null;
}
public void insertAtEnd(int newData) {
    Node newNode = new Node(newData);
    if (head == null) {
        head = newNode;
        return;
    }
    newNode.next = null;
    Node temp = head;
    while (temp.next != null) {
        temp = temp.next;
    temp.next = newNode;
}
public void check(int x) {
    Node current = head;
    boolean found = false;
    while (current.next != null) {
        if (current.data == x) {
            found = true;
            System.out.println("yes");
            break;
        current = current.next;
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if (!found) {
            System.out.println("No");
        }
    }
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        QuestionOne q1 = new QuestionOne();
        System.out.println("Enter the number of digits present in the
linked list");
       int p = sc.nextInt();
       System.out.println("Enter the digits present in the linked list");
        for (int i = 0; i < p; i++) {
            int digit = sc.nextInt();
           q1.insertAtEnd(digit);
        }
        System.out.println("Enter the value x");
        int x = sc.nextInt();
        q1.check(x);
    }
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Enter the number of digits present in the linked list 5
Enter the digits present in the linked list 14 21 11 30 10
Enter the value x 14

Q2. Insert a node at the given position in a linked list. We are given a pointer to a node, and the new node is inserted after the given node.

Input: LL = 1-2-4-5-6 pointer = 2 value = 3.

Output: 1-2-3-4-5-6

```
package LinkedListAssignment;
import java.util.Scanner;
public class QuestionTwo {
    Node head;
    class Node {
       int data;
        Node next;
        Node(int d) {
            data = d;
            next = null;
    public void insertAtEnd(int newData) {
        Node newNode = new Node(newData);
        if (head == null) {
            head = newNode;
           return;
        Node temp = head;
        while (temp.next != null) {
            temp = temp.next;
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temp.next = newNode;
   public void insertAtPoint(Node pointer, int val) {
       if (pointer == null) {
           System.out.println("Invalid pointer: Cannot insert at the
given position.");
           return;
       Node newNode = new Node(val);
       newNode.next = pointer.next;
       pointer.next = newNode;
   public void printNode() {
       Node current = head;
       while (current != null) {
           System.out.print(current.data + " ");
           current = current.next;
       System.out.println();
   public static void main(String[] args) {
       Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
       QuestionTwo q1 = new QuestionTwo();
       System.out.println("Enter the number of digits present in the
linked list:");
       int p = sc.nextInt();
       System.out.println("Enter the digits present in the linked
list:");
       for (int i = 0; i < p; i++) {
           int digit = sc.nextInt();
           q1.insertAtEnd(digit);
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System.out.println("Enter the pointer position :");
int pointer = sc.nextInt() - 1;

Node r = ql.head;
for (int i = 0; i < pointer; i++) {
    if (r == null) {
        System.out.println("Invalid pointer: Position is out of bounds.");
        return;
    }
    r = r.next;
}

System.out.println("Enter the value to insert:");
int value = sc.nextInt();

ql.insertAtPoint(r, value);
ql.printNode();
}</pre>
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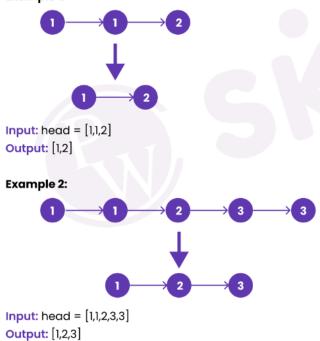
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Enter the number of digits present in the linked list:

5
Enter the digits present in the linked list:
1 2 4 5 6
Enter the pointer position:
2
Enter the value to insert:
3

Q3. Given the head of a sorted linked list, delete all duplicates such that each element appears only once. Return the linked list sorted as well.

Example 1:



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public void insertAtEnd(int newData) {
    Node newNode = new Node(newData);
    if (head == null) {
        head = newNode;
        return;
    Node temp = head;
    while (temp.next != null) {
        temp = temp.next;
    temp.next = newNode;
public void removeDuplicates() {
    if (head == null)
        return;
    Set<Integer> seen = new HashSet<>();
    Node current = head;
    Node prev = null;
    while (current != null) {
        if (seen.contains(current.data)) {
            // Duplicate found; skip the current node
            prev.next = current.next;
        } else {
            seen.add(current.data);
            prev = current;
        current = current.next;
```

```
public void printNode() {
       Node curr = head;
       while (curr != null) {
            System.out.print(curr.data + " ");
            curr = curr.next;
       System.out.println();
   public static void main(String[] args) {
       Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
       QuestionThree q1 = new QuestionThree();
       System.out.println("Enter the number of elements in the linked
list:");
       int length = sc.nextInt();
       System.out.println("Enter the elements of the linked list:");
       for (int i = 0; i < length; i++) {</pre>
            int digit = sc.nextInt();
           q1.insertAtEnd(digit);
       }
       q1.removeDuplicates();
       System.out.println("Linked list after removing duplicates:");
       q1.printNode();
       sc.close();
   }
```

Enter the number of elements in the linked list:

3

Enter the elements of the linked list:

112

Linked list after removing duplicates:

1 2

Q4. Given the head of a singly linked list, return true if it is a palindrome or false otherwise.

Example 1: Input: head = [1,2,2,1]

Output: true

Example 2: Input: head = [1,2]

Output: false

```
package LinkedListAssignment;
import java.util.*;

public class QuestionFour {
   Node head;

   class Node {
      int data;
      Node next;

      Node(int d) {
         data = d;
         next = null;
      }

   public void insertAtEnd(int newData) {
      Node newNode = new Node(newData);
      if (head == null) {
            head = newNode;
      }
}
```

```
return;
    }
    Node temp = head;
    while (temp.next != null) {
        temp = temp.next;
    temp.next = newNode;
public boolean isPalindrome() {
    List<Integer> arlist = new ArrayList<>();
    Node current = head;
    while (current != null) {
        arlist.add(current.data);
        current = current.next;
    }
    int low = 0;
    int high = arlist.size() - 1;
    while (low < high) {</pre>
        if (!arlist.get(low).equals(arlist.get(high))) {
            return false; // Not a palindrome
        low++;
        high--;
    return true; // Is a palindrome
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
    QuestionFour q1 = new QuestionFour();
```

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System.out.println("Enter the number of digits present in the
linked list:");
    int num = sc.nextInt();
    System.out.println("Enter the digits present in the linked
list:");
    for (int i = 0; i < num; i++) {
        int digit = sc.nextInt();
        q1.insertAtEnd(digit);
    }
    boolean isPalindrome = q1.isPalindrome();
    System.out.println(isPalindrome);
    sc.close();
}</pre>
```

Enter the number of digits present in the linked list:

4

Enter the digits present in the linked list:

1221

true

Q5. . Given two numbers represented by two lists, write a function that returns the sum list. The sum list is a list representation of the addition of two input numbers.

Example:

Input: List1: 5->6->3// represents number 563

List2: 8->4->2// represents number 842

Output: Resultant list: 1->4->0->5// represents number 1405

Explanation: 563 + 842 = 1405

Input: List1: 7->5->9->4->6 // represents number 75946

List2: 8->4 // represents number 84

Output: Resultant list: 7->6->0->3->0//represents number 76030

Explanation: 75946+84-76030

```
package LinkedListAssignment;
import java.util.Scanner;
class LinkedList {
   Node head;
    class Node {
       int data;
       Node next;
       Node(int d) {
            data = d;
            next = null;
    }
   public void insertAtEnd(int newData) {
       Node newNode = new Node(newData);
        if (head == null) {
            head = newNode;
        } else {
            Node temp = head;
            while (temp.next != null) {
                temp = temp.next;
            temp.next = newNode;
    }
```

```
public Node reverse(Node node) {
    Node prev = null;
    Node current = node;
    Node next = null;
    while (current != null) {
        next = current.next;
        current.next = prev;
        prev = current;
        current = next;
    return prev;
}
public LinkedList addTwoLists(Node first, Node second) {
    first = reverse(first);
    second = reverse(second);
    LinkedList result = new LinkedList();
    int carry = 0;
    while (first != null || second != null || carry > 0) {
        int sum = carry;
        if (first != null) {
            sum += first.data;
            first = first.next;
        if (second != null) {
            sum += second.data;
            second = second.next;
        carry = sum / 10;
        int digit = sum % 10;
        Node newNode = new Node(digit);
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newNode.next = result.head;
            result.head = newNode;
       return result;
    }
    public void printList(Node head) {
        Node temp = head;
       while (temp != null) {
            System.out.print(temp.data + " ");
            temp = temp.next;
        }
        System.out.println();
    }
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
        LinkedList list1 = new LinkedList();
       LinkedList list2 = new LinkedList();
        System.out.println("Enter the number of digits for the first
linked list:");
       int n1 = sc.nextInt();
        System.out.println("Enter the digits for the first linked list:");
       for (int i = 0; i < n1; i++) {</pre>
            int digit = sc.nextInt();
            list1.insertAtEnd(digit);
        }
        System.out.println("Enter the number of digits for the second
linked list:");
        int n2 = sc.nextInt();
       System.out.println("Enter the digits for the second linked
list:");
        for (int i = 0; i < n2; i++) {
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int digit = sc.nextInt();
    list2.insertAtEnd(digit);
}

LinkedList result = new LinkedList();
    result = result.addTwoLists(list1.head, list2.head);

System.out.println("Resultant list:");
    result.printList(result.head);

sc.close();
}
```

Enter the number of digits for the first linked list:

3

Enter the digits for the first linked list:

563

Enter the number of digits for the second linked list:

3

Enter the digits for the second linked list:

8 4 2

Resultant list:

1405