

Insert operation in Linked List

An algorithm to insert a node at the beginning of the singly linked list:

let *head be the pointer to first node in the current list

1. Create a new node using malloc function
NewNode=(NodeType)malloc(sizeof(NodeType));*
2. Assign data to the info field of new node
NewNode->info=newItem;
3. Set next of new node to head
NewNode->next=head;
4. Set the head pointer to the new node
head=NewNode;
5. End

An algorithm to insert a node at the end of the singly linked list:

let *head be the pointer to first node in the current list

1. Create a new node using malloc function
NewNode=(NodeType)malloc(sizeof(NodeType));*
2. Assign data to the info field of new node
NewNode->info=newItem;
3. Set next of new node to NULL.
NewNode->next=NULL;
4. if (head ==NULL)then
 Set head =NewNode.and exit.
5. Set temp=head;
6. while(temp->next!=NULL)
 temp=temp->next; //increment temp
7. Set temp->next=NewNode;
8. End

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An algorithm to insert a node after the given node in singly linked list:

let *head be the pointer to first node in the current list and *p be the pointer to the node after which we want to insert a new node.

1. Create a new node using malloc function
NewNode=(NodeType)malloc(sizeof(NodeType));*
2. Assign data to the info field of new node
NewNode->info=newItem;
3. Set next of new node to next of p
NewNode->next=p->next;
4. Set next of p to NewNode
p->next =NewNode..
5. End