


Sort 0s,1s,2s in linked list

Given a linked list of 0s, 1s and 2s, sort it. 

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Given a linked list of N nodes where nodes can contain values 0s, 1s, and 2s only. The task is to segregate 0s, 1s, and 2s linked list such that all zeros segregate to head side, 2s at the end of the linked list, and 1s in the mid of 0s and 2s.

Example 1:

Input:
 $N = 8$
 $value[] = \{1, 2, 2, 1, 2, 0, 2, 2\}$
Output: 0 1 1 2 2 2 2 2
Explanation: All the 0s are segregated to the left end of the linked list, 2s to the right end of the list, and 1s in between.

Example 2:

Input:
 $N = 4$
 $value[] = \{2, 2, 0, 1\}$
Output: 0 1 2 2
Explanation: After arranging all the 0s, 1s and 2s in the given format, the output will be 0 1 2 2.

Your Task:

The task is to complete the function `segregate()` which segregates the nodes in the linked list as asked in the problem statement and returns the head of the modified linked list. The printing is done automatically by the driver code.

Expected Time Complexity: $O(N)$.

Expected Auxiliary Space: $O(N)$.

Constraints:

$1 \leq N \leq 10^3$

Approach 1:

Since we are given with 0, 1 and 2 we can create 3 variable which will store count of 0, 1 and 2 and we can run 3 loop to manually override array

[2, 0, 2, 1, 1, 0] →

count1 = 2

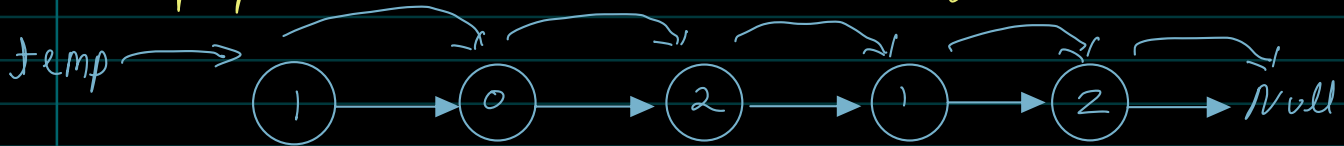
count2 = 2

count0 = 2

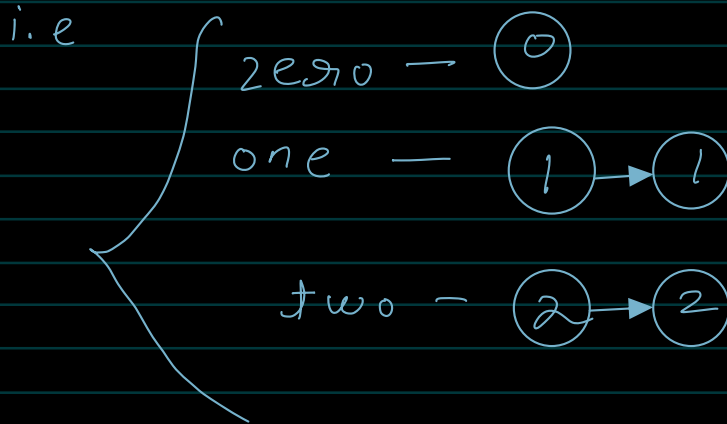
T.C = $O(n)$

S.C = $O(1)$

Approach 2: Change Pointer



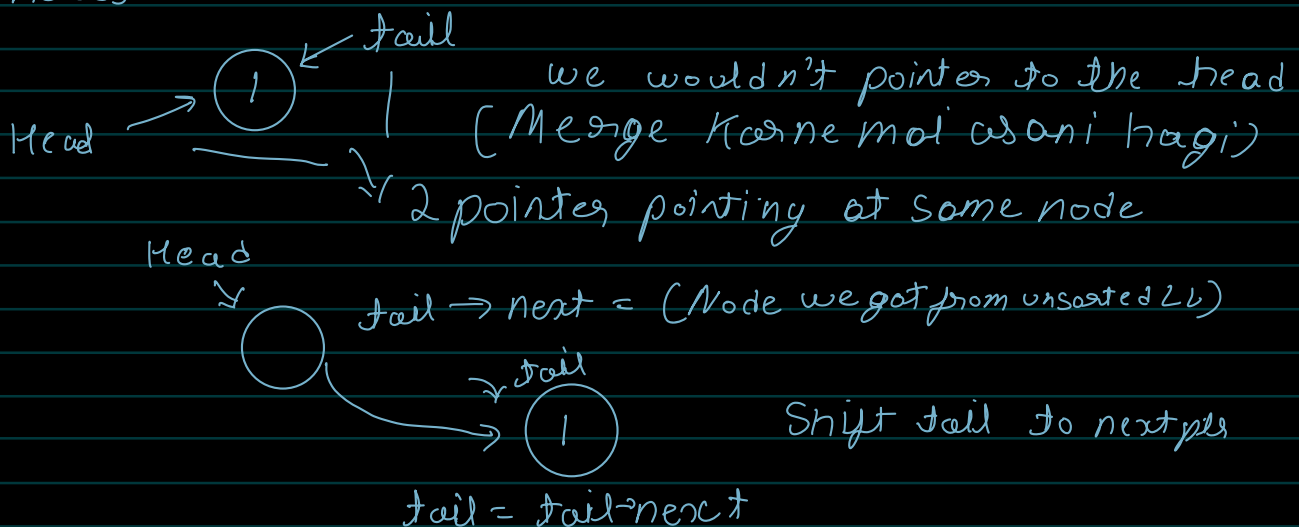
Create linked list for 0s, 1s & 2s, and traverse over given linked list

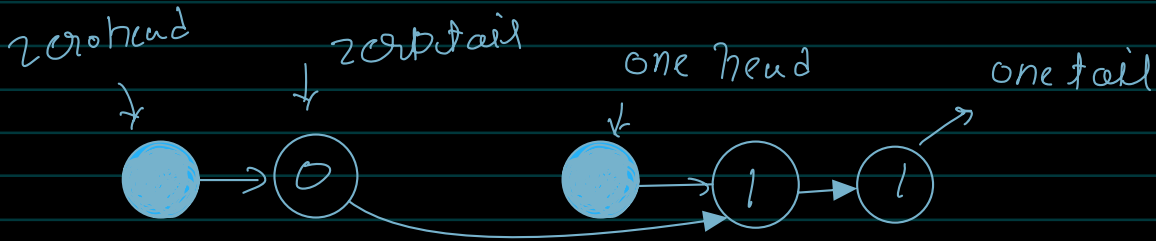
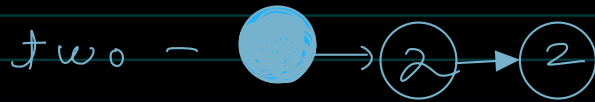
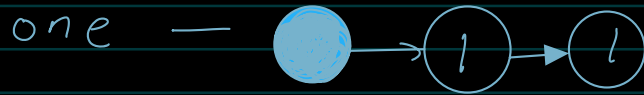
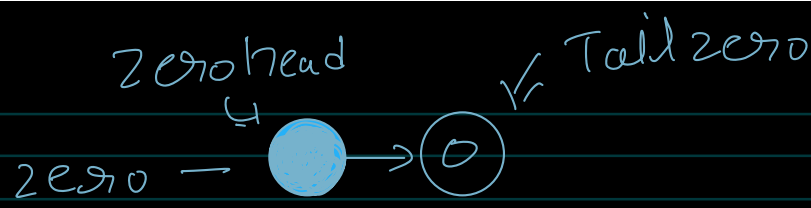


Merge all above linked list

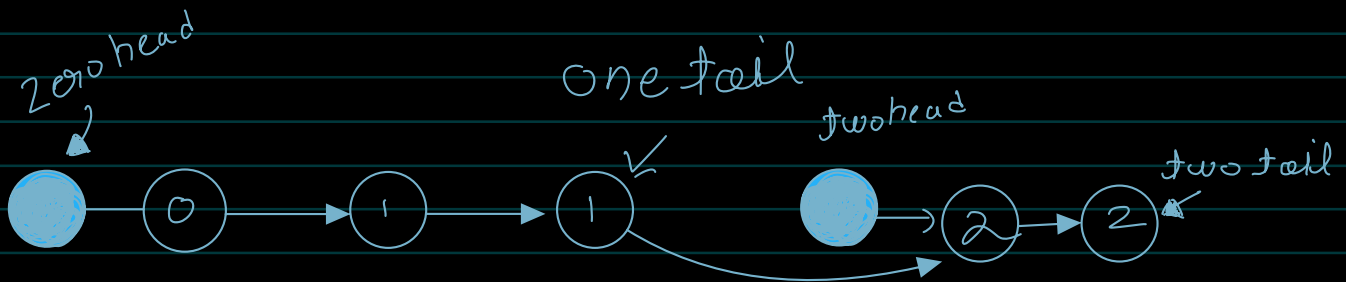


To avoid if else conditions we will be using dummy nodes

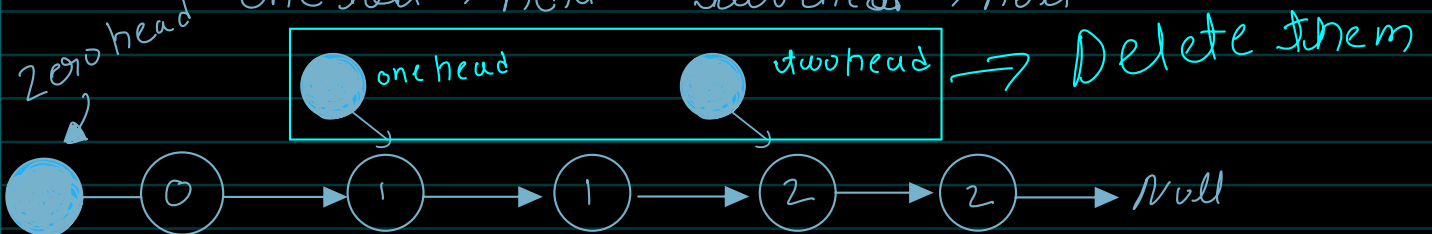




zero tail \rightarrow next = one head \rightarrow next



one tail \rightarrow next = twohead \rightarrow next



If condition will used to check Null ptr then we can directly insert.

will be used to return zerohead \rightarrow next

Approach:1 code

```
class Solution
{
public:
    //Function to sort a linked list of 0s, 1s and 2s.
    Node* segregate(Node *head) {
        int countzero=0;
        int countone=0;
        int counttwo=0;
        // Add code here
        Node* temp=head;
        while(temp!=NULL){
            if(temp->data==0) countzero++;
            else if(temp->data==1) countone++;
            else counttwo++;
            temp=temp->next;
        }

        temp=head;
        while(temp!=NULL){
            if(countzero!=0) {
                temp->data=0;
                countzero--;
            }
            else if(countone!=0){
                temp->data=1;
                countone--;
            }
            else if (counttwo!=0)
            {
                temp->data=2;
                counttwo--;
            }
            temp=temp->next;
        }
        return head;
    }
};
```

Approach 2: code

```
class Solution
{
public:
    void insert(Node* &tail, Node* curr){
        tail->next=curr;
        tail=tail->next;
    }
    //Function to sort a linked list of 0s, 1s and 2s.
    Node* segregate(Node *head) {
        // Add code here
        Node* zerohead= new Node(-1);
        Node* zerotail=zerohead;
        Node* onehead= new Node(-1);
        Node* onetail=onehead;
        Node* twohead= new Node(-1);
        Node* twotail=twohead;

        Node* curr=head;
        while(curr!=NULL){
            int item=curr->data;
            if(item == 0){
                insert(zerotail,curr);
            }
            else if(item==1){
                insert(onetail,curr);
            }
            else{
                insert(twotail,curr);
            }
            curr=curr->next;
        }

        //Merge
        if(onehead->next!=NULL){
            zerotail->next=onehead->next;
        }
        else{
            zerotail->next=twohead->next;
        }
        onetail->next=twohead->next;
        twotail->next=NULL;

        return zerohead->next;
    }
};
```