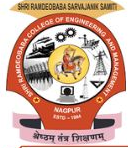


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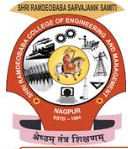
UNIT III

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Course Objectives

1. CO1: To impart to students the basic concepts of data structures and algorithms.
2. CO2: To familiarize students on different searching and sorting techniques.
3. CO3: To prepare students to use linear (stacks, queues, linked lists) and nonlinear (trees, graphs) data structures.
4. CO4: To enable students to devise algorithms for solving real-world problems.



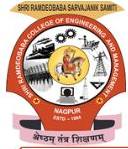
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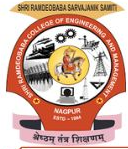
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Course Outcomes

On completion of the course the student will be able to

1. Recognize different ADTs and their operations and specify their complexities.
2. Design and realize linear data structures (stacks, queues, linked lists) and analyze their computation complexity.
3. Devise different sorting (comparison based, divide-and-conquer, distributive, and tree-based) and searching (linear, binary) methods and analyze their time and space requirements.
4. Design traversal and path finding algorithms for Trees and Graphs.



UNIT III Linked Lists

Singly Linked Lists:

- representation in memory
- Algorithms of several operations:
traversing, searching, insertion, deletion, reversal, ordering, etc.

Doubly and Circular Linked Lists:

- operations and algorithmic analysis
- Linked representation of stacks and queues
- Header node linked lists

- A linked list is a collection of data elements called **nodes** in which the linear representation is given by **links** from one node to the next node

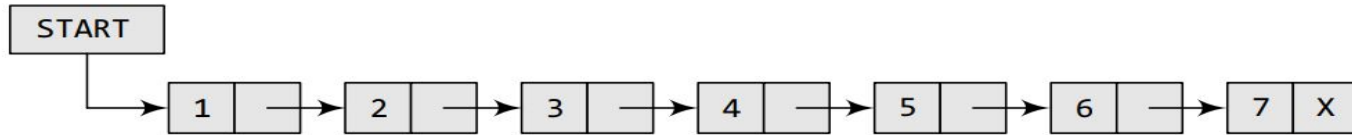
Motivation:

- While declaring arrays, we have to **specify the size** of the array, which will **restrict the number of elements** that the array can store.
- But what if we are **not sure of the number of elements** in advance?
- There must be a data structure that **removes the restrictions on the maximum number** of elements and the **storage condition** to write efficient programs.
- **Answer** is **LINKED LIST**
- **Linked list is a data structure that is free from the aforementioned restrictions.**



Linked Lists

- A linked list is a linear collection of data elements. These data elements are called **nodes**
- Linked list is a data structure which in turn can be used to implement other data structures.
- Thus, it acts as a building block to implement data structures such as stacks, queues, and their variations.
- A linked list can be perceived as a train or a sequence of nodes in which each node contains one or more data fields and a pointer to the next node.



- Linked List contains two parts: Data and Pointer to the Address of next node.
- Last node, as not connected to any node, has NULL pointer (x), usually defined as -1.
- NULL defines the end of the list.
- A pointer variable START that stores the address of the first node in the list.

Linked Lists: C Code

- In C, we can implement a linked list using the following code:

```
struct node {  
    int data;  
    struct node *next;  
};
```



Linked Lists: Memory Representation

- To create Linked List, you must have a NODE.
- NODE, i.e., DATA and NEXT
- DATA = store the information part
- NEXT = store the address of the next node in sequence.
- The computer maintains a list of all free memory cells. This list of available space is called the **free pool**.

In this fig,

- START = 1 Starting address (Identify the start of the list)
- First data stored = H and NEXT stores 4
- Next data stored = E and NEXT stores 7
- Next data stored = L and NEXT stores 8
- Next data stored = L and NEXT stores 10
- Next data stored = 0 and NEXT stores -1 (NULL)
- NULL denotes end of the list.
- Here, Shaded memory can be used by other programs.

START

1

→ 1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10

| Data | Next |
|------|------|
| H | 4 |
| | |
| | |
| E | 7 |
| | |
| | |
| L | 8 |
| L | 10 |
| | |
| 0 | -1 |

Linked Lists: Two linked lists simultaneously maintained in the memory

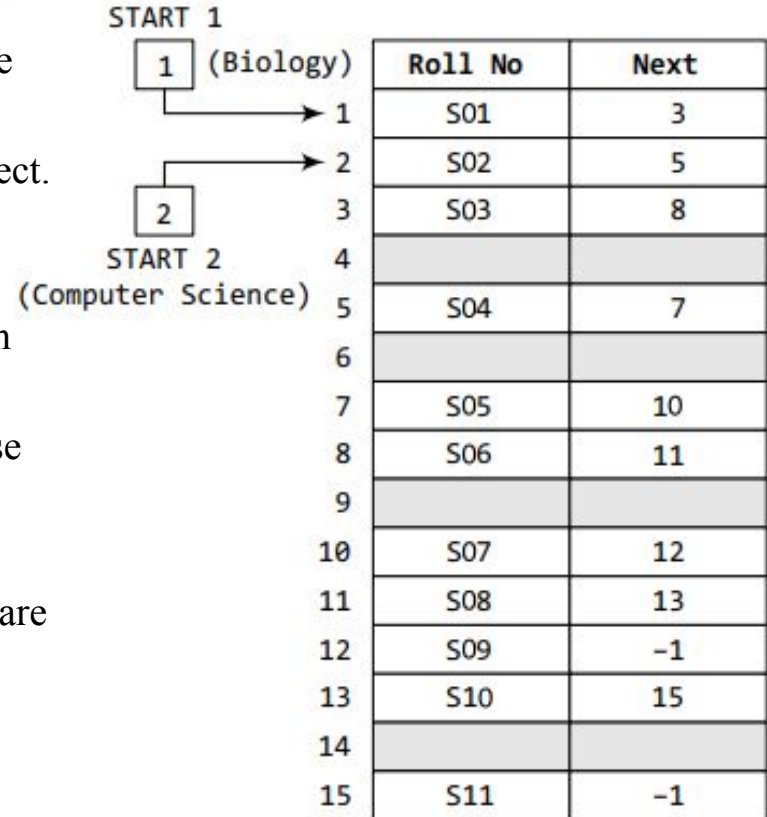
- For example, the students of Class XI of Science group are asked to choose between Biology and Computer Science
- Now, we will maintain **two linked lists**, one for each subject.
- One for Biology and One for CS

In fig,

- Two different linked lists are simultaneously maintained in the memory.
- There is no ambiguity in traversing through the list because each list maintains a **separate Start pointer**

We can conclude that,

- Roll numbers of the students who have opted for Biology are S01, S03, S06, S08, S10, and S11.
- Roll numbers of the students who chose CS are S02, S04, S05, S07, and S09.



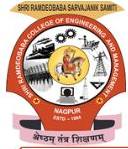
Linked Lists: How the NEXT pointer is used to store the data alphabetically

| | Roll No | Name | Aggregate | Grade | Next |
|----|---------|--------|-----------|-----------------|------|
| 1 | S01 | Ram | 78 | Distinction | 6 |
| 2 | S02 | Shyam | 64 | First division | 14 |
| 3 | | | | | |
| 4 | S03 | Mohit | 89 | Outstanding | 17 |
| 5 | | | | | |
| 6 | S04 | Rohit | 77 | Distinction | 2 |
| 7 | S05 | Varun | 86 | Outstanding | 10 |
| 8 | S06 | Karan | 65 | First division | 12 |
| 9 | | | | | |
| 10 | S07 | Veena | 54 | Second division | -1 |
| 11 | S08 | Meera | 67 | First division | 4 |
| 12 | S09 | Krish | 45 | Third division | 13 |
| 13 | S10 | Kusum | 91 | Outstanding | 11 |
| 14 | S11 | Silky | 72 | First division | 7 |
| 15 | | | | | |
| 16 | | | | | |
| 17 | S12 | Monica | 75 | Distinction | 1 |
| 18 | S13 | Ashish | 63 | First division | 19 |
| 19 | S14 | Gaurav | 61 | First division | 8 |

START

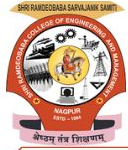
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Array vs Linked Lists

- Both arrays and linked lists are a linear collection of data elements.
- Insertions and deletions can be done at any point in the array in a constant time.
- **Arrays:**
 - An array stores its elements in consecutive memory locations.
 - An array allows random access of data using the value of index.
 - Array has restriction of number of elements added, if specified MAX_SIZE.
- **Linked List:**
 - A linked list does not store its nodes in consecutive memory locations.
 - A linked list does not allow random access of data.
 - Nodes in a linked list can be accessed only in a sequential manner.
 - We can add any number of elements in the list
 - Extra space is required for storing the address of next nodes.



Memory Allocation and Deallocation for a Linked List

Before and After Insertion

(a) Students' linked list

START
1
(Biology)

| | Roll No | Marks | Next |
|----|---------|-------|------|
| 1 | S01 | 78 | 2 |
| 2 | S02 | 84 | 3 |
| 3 | S03 | 45 | 5 |
| 4 | | | |
| 5 | S04 | 98 | 7 |
| 6 | | | |
| 7 | S05 | 55 | 8 |
| 8 | S06 | 34 | 10 |
| 9 | | | |
| 10 | S07 | 90 | 11 |
| 11 | S08 | 87 | 12 |
| 12 | S09 | 86 | 13 |
| 13 | S10 | 67 | 15 |
| 14 | | | |
| 15 | S11 | 56 | -1 |

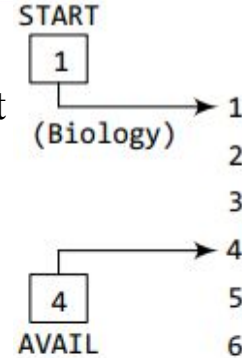
(b) linked list after the insertion of new student's record

START
1
(Biology)

| | Roll No | Marks | Next |
|----|---------|-------|------|
| 1 | S01 | 78 | 2 |
| 2 | S02 | 84 | 3 |
| 3 | S03 | 45 | 5 |
| 4 | S12 | 75 | -1 |
| 5 | S04 | 98 | 7 |
| 6 | | | |
| 7 | S05 | 55 | 8 |
| 8 | S06 | 34 | 10 |
| 9 | | | |
| 10 | S07 | 90 | 11 |
| 11 | S08 | 87 | 12 |
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| 13 | S10 | 67 | 15 |
| 14 | | | |
| 15 | S11 | 56 | 4 |

Free Pool in Linked List

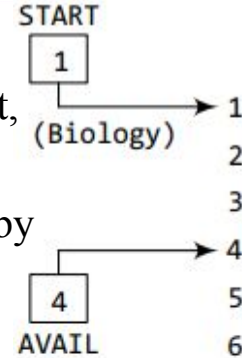
- When we delete a node from a linked list, **OS** changes the status of the memory occupied by it **from occupied to available**.
- The computer does it on its own **without any intervention** from the user or the programmer.
- As a programmer, you just have to take care of the code to perform insertions and deletions in the list
- The computer maintains a list of all free memory cells and this list is called the **free pool**.
- For the free pool (which is a linked list of all free memory cells), we have a pointer variable **AVAIL** which stores the **address of the first free space**.



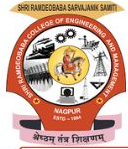
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| S11 | 56 | -1 |

Free Pool & Garbage Collection in Linked List

- When we delete a particular node from an existing linked list or delete the entire linked list, the space occupied by it must be given back to the free pool so that the memory can be reused by some other program that needs memory space
- The operating system scans through all the memory cells and marks those cells that are being used by some program
- Then it collects all the cells which are not being used and adds their address to the free pool, so that these cells can be reused by other programs. This process is called **garbage collection**.



| Roll No | Marks | Next |
|---------|-------|------|
| S01 | 78 | 2 |
| S02 | 84 | 3 |
| S03 | 45 | 5 |
| | | 6 |
| S04 | 98 | 7 |
| | | 9 |
| S05 | 55 | 8 |
| S06 | 34 | 10 |
| | | 14 |
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| S11 | 56 | -1 |

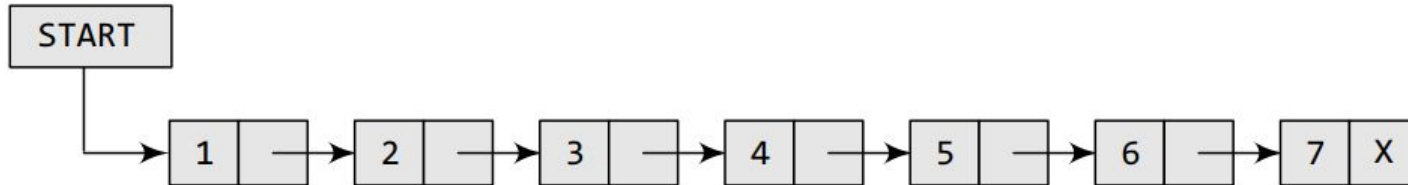


Singly Linked Lists

- A singly linked list is the **simplest type of linked list**.
- Here, **every node** contains **some data** and a **pointer to the next node** of the same data type
- A singly linked list allows **traversal of data only in one way**

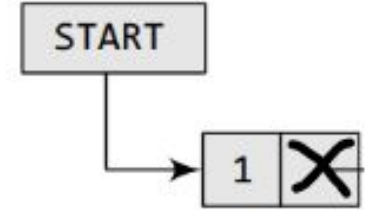
Singly Linked Lists Allowable Operations:

- Traversing a Linked List
- Searching for a Value in a Linked List
- Inserting a New Node in a Linked List (at the beginning, at the end, after or before a given node)
- Deleting a Node from a Linked List (first node, last node, node after a given node)



Case 0: When the linked list is newly created

- Declare the structure of node and initialize the start pointer as NULL
- Create a node by:
 - Allocate the memory of a node, i.e. DATA + next address
 - Take the data from user and set to the newly created node's data.
 - Set the next pointer of the newly created node as NULL to mark the end of the node
 - Point the start pointer to the newly created node



Case 0: When the linked list is newly created

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```
struct node{
```

```
    int data;
```

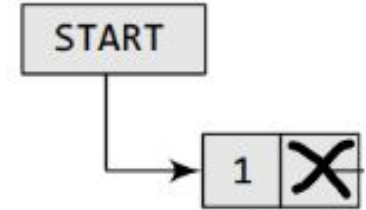
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    struct node *next;
```

```
}
```

```
struct node *start = NULL;
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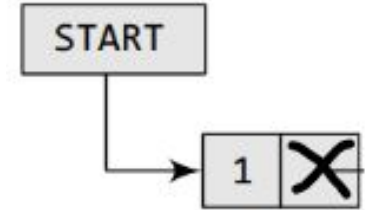
```
struct node *create(struct node *);
```

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 - Point the start pointer to the newly created node



Case 0: When the linked list is newly created (start=NULL)

- Declare the structure of node and initialize the start pointer as NULL
- Create a node by:
 - Allocate the memory of a node, i.e. DATA + next address
`new_node=(struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));`
 - Take the data from user and set to the newly created node's data.
(Ex: **`int num`**)
 - Assign the data to the data part of newly created node
`new_node->data = num;`
 - Set the next pointer of the newly created node as NULL to mark the end of the node
`new_node->next = NULL;`
 - Point the start pointer to the newly created node
`start=new_node;`



Create a node: create() method

Case 0: When the linked list is newly created (start=NULL)

```
struct node *create_ll(struct node *start) {  
    struct node *new_node;  
    int num;  
    printf("\n Enter the data : ");  
    scanf("%d", &num);  
    new_node = (struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));  
    new_node -> data=num;  
    new_node -> next = NULL;  
    start = new_node;  
    return start;  
}
```

Case 1: When the linked list is already created and a new node is to be created

- Declare the structure of node
- Create a node by:
 - Allocate the memory of a node, i.e. DATA + next address
 - Take the data from user and set to the newly created node's data.

Now, the question is,

Where to add this newly created node?

- At the beginning of the list? Case 1
- At the end of the list? Case 2
- Before a node? Case 3
- After a node? Case 4

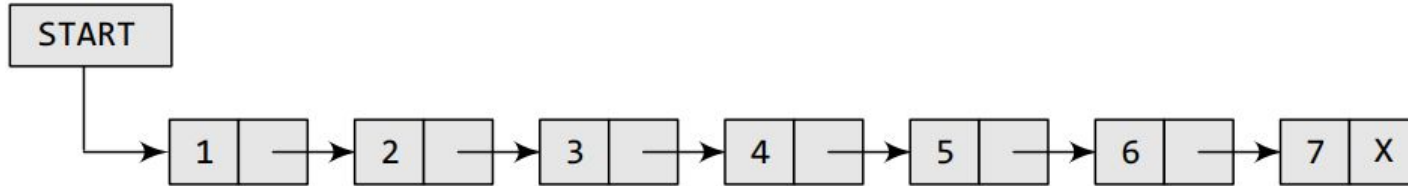
Let us understand, Insertion of a node in a Linked List

Inserting a New Node in a Linked List

- Case 1: The new node is inserted at the beginning.
- Case 2: The new node is inserted at the end.
- Case 3: The new node is inserted after a given node.
- Case 4: The new node is inserted before a given node.

Before Insertion we check, OVERFLOW Condition

- Overflow is a condition that occurs when **AVAIL = NULL** or no free memory cell is present
- When this condition occurs, the program must give an appropriate message





Create a new node and Insert it at the beginning

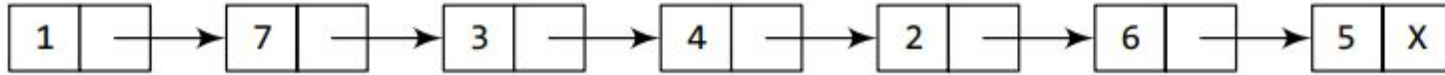
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 - Take the data from user and set to the newly created node's data.
(Ex: **`int num`**)
 - Assign the data to the data part of newly created node
`new_node->data = num;`
- Insert the newly created node at the beginning of the linked list.
 - Assign the next pointer of the newly created node to the start of the linked list
`new_node->next=start;`
 - Assign the start pointer to the new_node.
`start =new_node;`

Inserting a New Node: at the beginning

```
Step 1: IF AVAIL = NULL
        Write OVERFLOW
        Go to Step 7
    [END OF IF]
Step 2: SET NEW_NODE = AVAIL
Step 3: SET AVAIL = AVAIL -> NEXT
Step 4: SET NEW_NODE -> DATA = VAL
Step 5: SET NEW_NODE -> NEXT = START
Step 6: SET START = NEW_NODE
Step 7: EXIT
```

Inserting a New Node: at the beginning



START

Allocate memory for the new node and initialize its DATA part to 9.

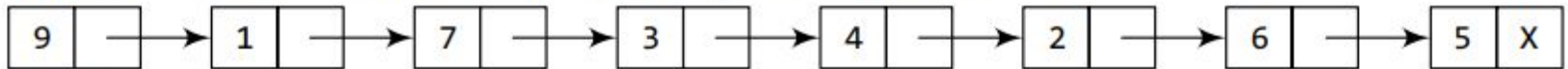


Add the new node as the first node of the list by making the NEXT part of the new node contain the address of START.



START

Now make START to point to the first node of the list.



START

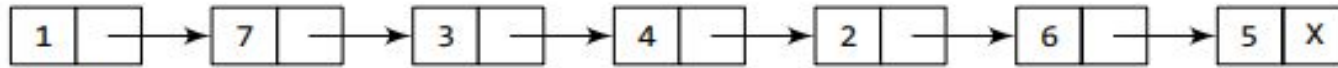
Create a new node and Insert it at the end

Case 2: When the linked list is already created and a new node is to be created and to be inserted at the end of the linked list

- Create a node:
 - Allocate the memory of a node, i.e. DATA + next address
`new_node=(struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));`
 - Assign the data to the data part of newly created node
`new_node->data = num;`
 - Assign NULL to the address part of newly created node
`new_node->next = NULL;`
- Insert the newly created node at the end of the linked list.
 - Initialize new pointer to start : **`ptr = start;`**
 - Reach the last node of the linked list : **`while(ptr -> next != NULL)`
`ptr = ptr -> next;`**

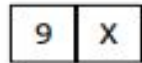
and assign its address to the new_node : **`ptr->next = new_node;`**

Inserting a New Node: at the end

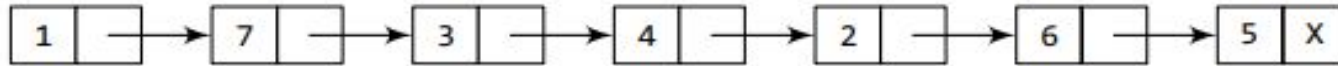


START

Allocate memory for the new node and initialize its DATA part to 9 and NEXT part to NULL.

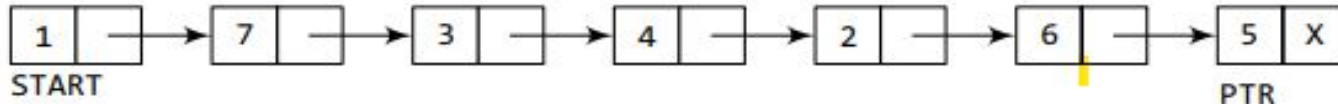


Take a pointer variable PTR which points to START.

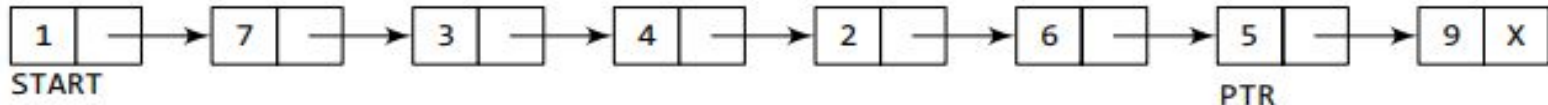


START, PTR

Move PTR so that it points to the last node of the list.



Add the new node after the node pointed by PTR. This is done by storing the address of the new node in the NEXT part of PTR.



Inserting a New Node: at the end

Step 1: IF AVAIL = NULL

Write OVERFLOW

Go to Step 10

[END OF IF]

Step 2: SET NEW_NODE = AVAIL

Step 3: SET AVAIL = AVAIL → NEXT

Step 4: SET NEW_NODE → DATA = VAL

Step 5: SET NEW_NODE → NEXT = NULL

Step 6: SET PTR = START

Step 7: Repeat Step 8 while PTR → NEXT != NULL

Step 8: SET PTR = PTR → NEXT

[END OF LOOP]

Step 9: SET PTR → NEXT = NEW_NODE

Step 10: EXIT

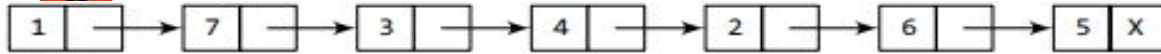
Create a new node and Insert it after a node

Case 3: When the linked list is already created and a new node is to be created and to be inserted after a given node

- Create a node:
 - Allocate the memory of a node: **`new_node=(struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));`**
 - Assign the data to the node: **`new_node->data = num;`**
- Get the node after which the newly created node is to be inserted: **`val`**
- Create two pointers ptr and preptr and initialize them as start **`ptr=start; preptr=ptr;`**
- Until preptr->data does not points to the val: **`while(preptr->data!=val)`**
`preptr=ptr;`
`ptr=ptr->next;`
- Insert the new_node using preptr pointer: **`preptr->next=new_node;`**
`new_node->next=ptr;`

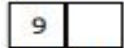


Inserting a New Node after a given node

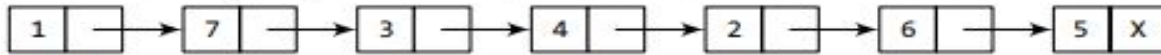


START

Allocate memory for the new node and initialize its DATA part to 9.



Take two pointer variables PTR and PREPTR and initialize them with START so that START, PTR, and PREPTR point to the first node of the list.

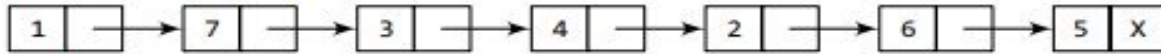


START

PTR

PREPTR

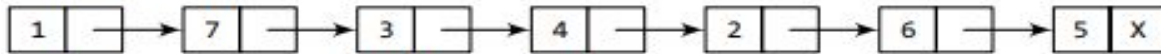
Move PTR and PREPTR until the DATA part of PREPTR = value of the node after which insertion has to be done. PREPTR will always point to the node just before PTR.



START

PREPTR

PTR

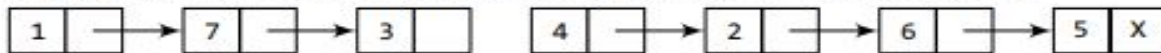


START

PREPTR

PTR

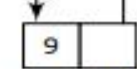
Add the new node in between the nodes pointed by PREPTR and PTR.



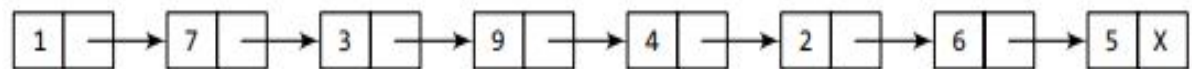
START

PREPTR

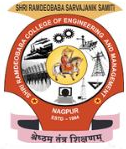
PTR



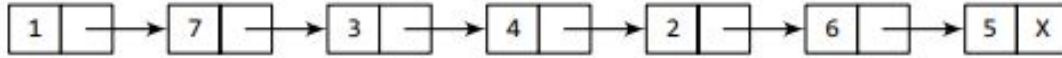
NEW_NODE



START

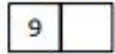


Inserting a New Node before a given node



START

Allocate memory for the new node and initialize its DATA part to 9.



Initialize PREPTR and PTR to the START node.

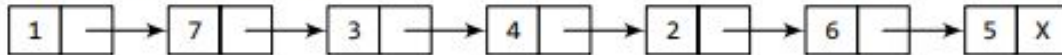


START

PTR

PREPTR

Move PTR and PREPTR until the DATA part of PTR = value of the node before which insertion has to be done. PREPTR will always point to the node just before PTR.

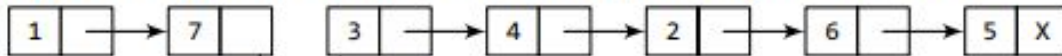


START

PREPTR

PTR

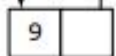
Insert the new node in between the nodes pointed by PREPTR and PTR.



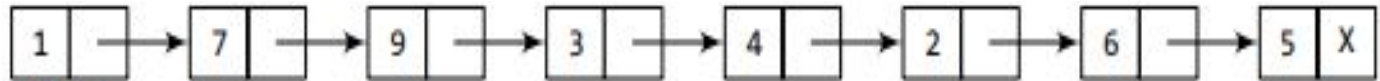
START

PREPTR

PTR



NEW_NODE



START

Create a new node and Insert it before a node

Case 3: When the linked list is already created and a new node is to be created and to be inserted before a given node

- Create a node:
 - Allocate the memory of a node: **`new_node=(struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));`**
 - Assign the data to the node: **`new_node->data = num;`**
- Get the node after which the newly created node is to be inserted: **`val`**
- Create two pointers ptr and preptr and initialize them as start **`ptr=start; preptr=ptr;`**
- Until ptr->data does not points to the val: **`while(ptr->data!=val)`**
`preptr=ptr;`
`ptr=ptr->next;`
- Insert the new_node using preptr pointer: **`preptr->next=new_node;`**
`new_node->next=ptr;`

Inserting a New Node before & after a given node

Inserting a New Node before a given node

Step 1: IF AVAIL = NULL
 Write OVERFLOW
 Go to Step 12
 [END OF IF]
Step 2: SET NEW_NODE = AVAIL
Step 3: SET AVAIL = AVAIL → NEXT
Step 4: SET NEW_NODE → DATA = VAL
Step 5: SET PTR = START
Step 6: SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 7: Repeat Steps 8 and 9 while PTR → DATA != NUM
Step 8: SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 9: SET PTR = PTR → NEXT
 [END OF LOOP]
Step 10: PREPTR → NEXT = NEW_NODE
Step 11: SET NEW_NODE → NEXT = PTR
Step 12: EXIT

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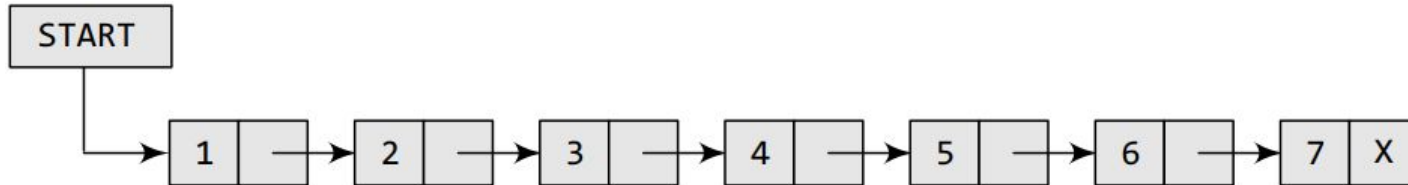
Inserting a New Node after a given node

Step 1: IF AVAIL = NULL
 Write OVERFLOW
 Go to Step 12
 [END OF IF]
Step 2: SET NEW_NODE = AVAIL
Step 3: SET AVAIL = AVAIL → NEXT
Step 4: SET NEW_NODE → DATA = VAL
Step 5: SET PTR = START
Step 6: SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 7: Repeat Steps 8 and 9 while PREPTR → DATA != NUM
Step 8: SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 9: SET PTR = PTR → NEXT
 [END OF LOOP]
Step 10: PREPTR → NEXT = NEW_NODE
Step 11: SET NEW_NODE → NEXT = PTR
Step 12: EXIT

Traversing a Linked List

- It is accessing the nodes of the list in order to perform some processing

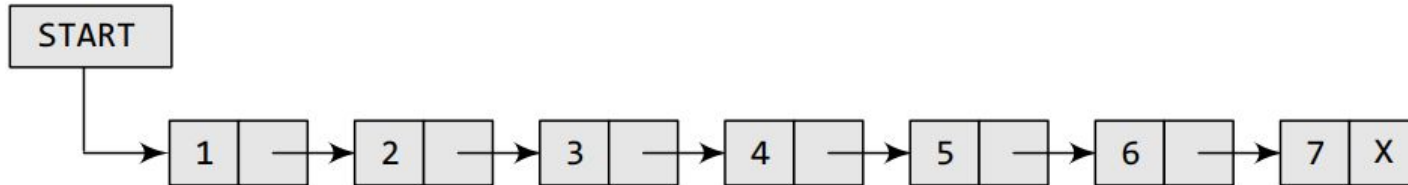
```
Step 1: [INITIALIZE] SET PTR = START
Step 2: Repeat Steps 3 and 4 while PTR != NULL
Step 3:         Apply Process to PTR -> DATA
Step 4:         SET PTR = PTR -> NEXT
           [END OF LOOP]
Step 5: EXIT
```



Example: Algorithm to print the number of nodes in a linked list

- It is accessing the nodes of the list in order to perform some processing

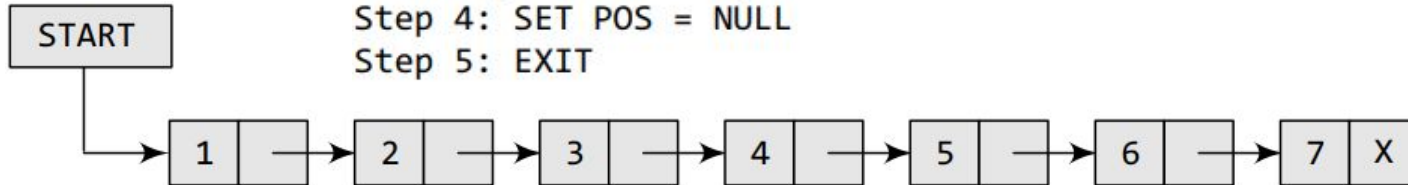
```
Step 1: [INITIALIZE] SET COUNT = 0
Step 2: [INITIALIZE] SET PTR = START
Step 3: Repeat Steps 4 and 5 while PTR != NULL
Step 4:         SET COUNT = COUNT + 1
Step 5:         SET PTR = PTR -> NEXT
           [END OF LOOP]
Step 6: Write COUNT
Step 7: EXIT
```



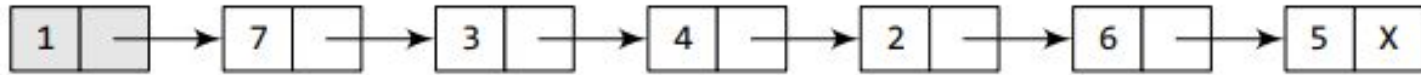
Searching for a Value in a Linked List

- Searching a linked list means to find a particular element in the linked list
- Searching whether a given value is present in the information part of the node or not.
- If it is present, the algorithm returns the address of the node that contains the value.

```
Step 1: [INITIALIZE] SET PTR = START
Step 2: Repeat Step 3 while PTR != NULL
Step 3:   IF VAL = PTR -> DATA
           SET POS = PTR
           Go To Step 5
           ELSE
             SET PTR = PTR -> NEXT
           [END OF IF]
         [END OF LOOP]
Step 4: SET POS = NULL
Step 5: EXIT
```

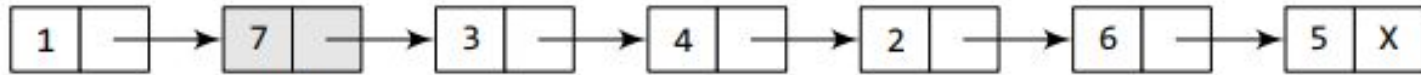


Search for val=4



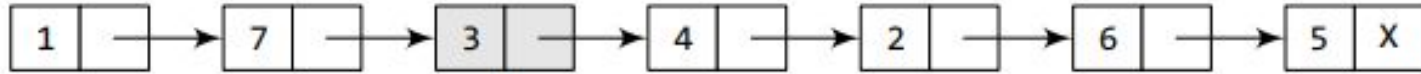
PTR

Here PTR → DATA = 1. Since PTR → DATA ≠ 4, we move to the next node.



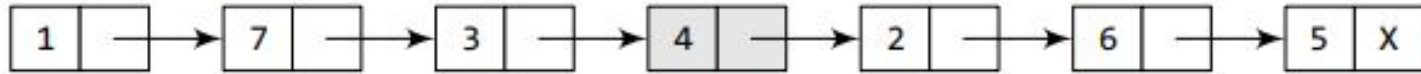
PTR

Here PTR → DATA = 7. Since PTR → DATA ≠ 4, we move to the next node.



PTR

Here PTR → DATA = 3. Since PTR → DATA ≠ 4, we move to the next node.



PTR

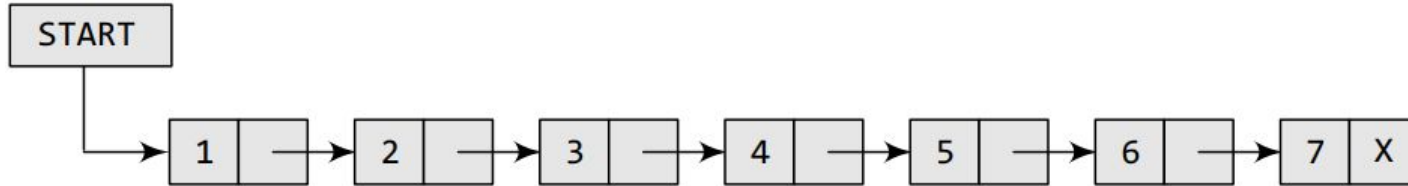
Here PTR → DATA = 4. Since PTR → DATA = 4, POS = PTR. POS now stores the address of the node that contains VAL

Deleting a Node from a Linked List

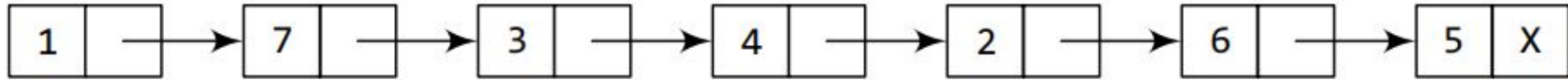
- Case 1: The first node is deleted.
- Case 2: The last node is deleted.
- Case 3: The node after a given node is deleted.

Check Underflow condition, before deletion:

- when $START = NULL$ or when there are no more nodes to delete

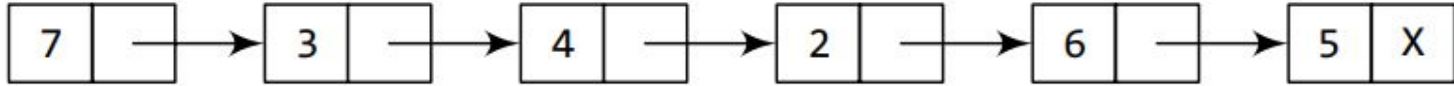


Deleting a Node the first node from a Linked List



START

Make START to point to the next node in sequence.



START

Step 1: IF START = NULL

Write UNDERFLOW

Go to Step 5

[END OF IF]

Step 2: SET PTR = START

Step 3: SET START = START → NEXT

Step 4: FREE PTR

Step 5: EXIT

Deleting a Node the last node from a Linked List



START

Take pointer variables PTR and PREPTR which initially point to START.

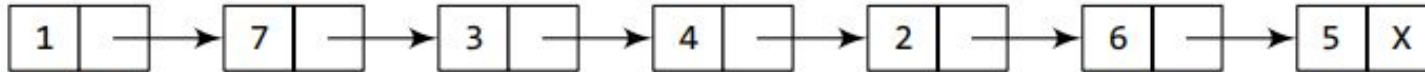


START

PREPTR

PTR

Move PTR and PREPTR such that NEXT part of PTR = NULL. PREPTR always points to the node just before the node pointed by PTR.

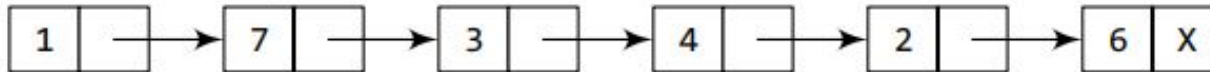


START

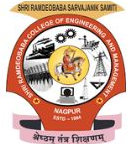
PREPTR

PTR

Set the NEXT part of PREPTR node to NULL.



START



Deleting a Node the last node from a Linked List

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Step 1: IF START = NULL

Write UNDERFLOW

Go to Step 8

[END OF IF]

Step 2: SET PTR = START

Step 3: Repeat Steps 4 and 5 while PTR → NEXT != NULL

Step 4: SET PREPTR = PTR

Step 5: SET PTR = PTR → NEXT

[END OF LOOP]

Step 6: SET PREPTR → NEXT = NULL

Step 7: FREE PTR

Step 8: EXIT

Deleting a Node after a given node from a Linked List

Step 1: IF START = NULL
Write UNDERFLOW
Go to Step 10

[END OF IF]

Step 2: SET PTR = START

Step 3: SET PREPTR = PTR

Step 4: Repeat Steps 5 and 6 while PREPTR -> DATA != NUM

Step 5: SET PREPTR = PTR

Step 6: SET PTR = PTR -> NEXT

[END OF LOOP]

Step 7: SET TEMP = PTR

Step 8: SET PREPTR -> NEXT = PTR -> NEXT

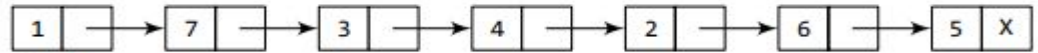
Step 9: FREE TEMP

Step 10: EXIT



START

Take pointer variables PTR and PREPTR which initially point to START.



START

PREPTR

PTR

Move PREPTR and PTR such that PREPTR points to the node containing VAL and PTR points to the succeeding node.



START

PREPTR

PTR



START

PREPTR

PTR



START

PREPTR

PTR

Set the NEXT part of PREPTR to the NEXT part of PTR.



START

PREPTR

PTR



START



Deleting a Node after a given node from a Linked List

```
Step 1: IF START = NULL
        Write UNDERFLOW
        Go to Step 10
    [END OF IF]
Step 2: SET PTR = START
Step 3: SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 4: Repeat Steps 5 and 6 while PREPTR -> DATA != NUM
Step 5:     SET PREPTR = PTR
Step 6:     SET PTR = PTR -> NEXT
    [END OF LOOP]
Step 7: SET TEMP = PTR
Step 8: SET PREPTR -> NEXT = PTR -> NEXT
Step 9: FREE TEMP
Step 10: EXIT
```



Write a program to create a linked list and perform insertions and deletions of all cases. Write functions to sort and finally delete the entire list at once

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <malloc.h>
```

```
struct node
{
    int data;
    struct node *next;
};
```

```
struct node *start = NULL;
struct node *create_ll(struct node *);
struct node *display(struct node *);
struct node *insert_beg(struct node *);
struct node *insert_end(struct node *);
struct node *insert_before(struct node *);
struct node *insert_after(struct node *);
struct node *delete_beg(struct node *);
struct node *delete_end(struct node *);
struct node *delete_node(struct node *);
struct node *delete_after(struct node *);
struct node *delete_list(struct node *);
struct node *sort_list(struct node *);
```

```
int main(int argc, char *argv[]) {  
    int option;  
    do{  
        printf("\n\n *****MAIN MENU *****");  
        printf("\n 1: Create a list");  
        printf("\n 2: Display the list");  
        printf("\n 3: Add a node at the beginning");  
        printf("\n 4: Add a node at the end");  
        printf("\n 5: Add a node before a given node");  
        printf("\n 6: Add a node after a given node");  
        printf("\n 7: Delete a node from the beginning");  
        printf("\n 8: Delete a node from the end");  
        printf("\n 9: Delete a given node");  
        printf("\n 10: Delete a node after a given node");  
        printf("\n 11: Delete the entire list");  
        printf("\n 12: Sort the list");  
        printf("\n 13: EXIT");  
        printf("\n\n Enter your option : ");  
        scanf("%d", &option);
```

```
        switch(option) {  
            case 1: start = create_ll(start);  
                printf("\n LINKED LIST CREATED"); break;  
            case 2: start = display(start); break;  
            case 3: start = insert_beg(start); break;  
            case 4: start = insert_end(start); break;  
            case 5: start = insert_before(start); break;  
            case 6: start = insert_after(start); break;  
            case 7: start = delete_beg(start); break;  
            case 8: start = delete_end(start); break;  
            case 9: start = delete_node(start); break;  
            case 10: start = delete_after(start); break;  
            case 11:  
                start = delete_list(start);  
                printf("\n LINKED LIST DELETED");  
                break;  
            case 12: start = sort_list(start); break;  
        } } while(option !=13);  
        getch();  
        return 0;  
    }
```



```
struct node *create_ll (struct node *start){
struct node *new_node, *ptr;
int num;
printf(“\n Enter -1 to end”);
printf(“\n Enter the data : “);
scanf(“%d”, &num);
while(num!=-1){
new_node = (struct node*)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
new_node -> data=num;
if(start==NULL) {
new_node -> next = NULL;
start = new_node;
}
```

```
else {
ptr=start;
while(ptr->next!=NULL)
ptr=ptr->next;
ptr->next = new_node;
new_node->next=NULL;
}
printf(“\n Enter the data : “);
scanf(“%d”, &num);
}
return start;
}
```

```
struct node *display(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *ptr;
    ptr = start;
    while(ptr != NULL)
    {
        printf("\t %d", ptr -> data);
        ptr = ptr -> next;
    }
    return start;
}
```

```
struct node *insert_beg(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *new_node;
    int num;
    printf("\n Enter the data : ");
    scanf("%d", &num);
    new_node = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
    new_node -> data = num;
    new_node -> next = start;
    start = new_node;
    return start;
}
```

```
struct node *insert_end(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *ptr, *new_node;
    int num;
    printf("\n Enter the data : ");
    scanf("%d", &num);
    new_node = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
    new_node -> data = num;
    new_node -> next = NULL;
    ptr = start;
    while(ptr -> next != NULL)
        ptr = ptr -> next;
    ptr -> next = new_node;
    return start;
}
```

```
struct node *insert_before(struct node *start){
    struct node *new_node, *ptr, *preptr;
    int num, val;
    printf("\n Enter the data : ");
    scanf("%d", &num);
    printf("\n Enter the value before which the data has to be
    inserted : ");
    scanf("%d", &val);
    new_node = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
    new_node -> data = num;
    ptr = start;
    while(ptr -> data != val) {
        preptr = ptr;
        ptr = ptr -> next;
    }
    preptr -> next = new_node;
    new_node -> next = ptr;
    return start;
}
```

```
struct node *insert_after(struct node *start){
struct node *new_node, *ptr, *preptr;
int num, val;
printf("\n Enter the data : ");
scanf("%d", &num);
printf("\n Enter the value after which the data has to be
inserted : ");
scanf("%d", &val);
new_node = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
new_node -> data = num;
ptr = start;
preptr = ptr;
while(preptr -> data != val){
    preptr = ptr;
    ptr = ptr -> next;
}
preptr -> next=new_node;
new_node -> next = ptr;
return start;
}
```

```
struct node *delete_beg(struct node *start){
struct node *ptr;
ptr = start;
start = start -> next;
free(ptr);
return start;
}
```

```
struct node *delete_end(struct node *start){
struct node *ptr, *preptr;
ptr = start;
while(ptr -> next != NULL){
    preptr = ptr;
    ptr = ptr -> next;
}
preptr -> next = NULL;
free(ptr);
return start;
}
```

```

struct node *delete_node(struct node *start){
struct node *ptr, *preptr;
int val;
printf("\n Enter the value of the node which has to be
deleted : ");
scanf("%d", &val);
ptr = start;
if(ptr -> data == val){
    start = delete_beg(start);
    return start;
}
else{
while(ptr -> data != val) {
    preptr = ptr;
    ptr = ptr -> next;
}
preptr -> next = ptr -> next;
free(ptr);
return start;
} }

```

```

struct node *delete_list(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *ptr;
if(start!=NULL){
    ptr=start;
    while(ptr != NULL)
    {
        printf("\n %d is to be deleted next", ptr -> data);
        start = delete_beg(ptr);
        ptr = start;
    }
}
return start;
}

```

```

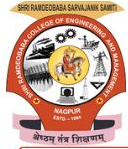
struct node *sort_list(struct node *start) {
struct node *ptr1, *ptr2;
int temp;
ptr1 = start;
while(ptr1 -> next != NULL) {
    ptr2 = ptr1 -> next;
    while(ptr2 != NULL) {
        if(ptr1 -> data > ptr2 -> data) {
            temp = ptr1 -> data;
            ptr1 -> data = ptr2 -> data;
            ptr2 -> data = temp;
        }
        ptr2 = ptr2 -> next;
    }
    ptr1 = ptr1 -> next;
}
return start; // Had to be added
}

```

```

struct node *delete_list(struct node *start)
{
    struct node *ptr; // Lines 252-254 were modified
    from original code to fix
    unresponsiveness in output window
    if(start!=NULL){
        ptr=start;
        while(ptr != NULL)
        {
            printf("\n %d is to be deleted next", ptr -> data);
            start = delete_beg(ptr);
            ptr = start;
        }
        return start;
    }
}

```



CIRCULAR LINKED LISTs