

Announcements

Thursday Extras, Usual schedule

Refreshments: CS Commons @ 4:00

Talk: Science 3821 @ 4:15

Specific sessions not yet scheduled

Final Exam Options

Both take-home and oral exams will be available
(no in-class option)

After Thanksgiving, you will need to commit to one or the other

For those taking the oral exam, I'll post a sign-up sheet for taking the exam sometime Monday-Thursday of Exam Week.

Linked Lists

Labs today & Monday on singly-linked lists and circular lists

Expect a question on doubly-linked lists on the exam

See Weiss, Section 17.3, for discussion

Discussion points for singly-linked list

- What fields in a node?
- What operations?
- Should there be a header node?
 - if so, what should it contain?
- What should a constructor handle:
 - without a header node?
 - with a header node?
- How to determine when the list is empty:
 - without a header node?
 - with a header node?
- How to tell when a traversal is done?
- What special case(s) might arise during insertion
- What special case(s) might arise during deletion?

Discussion points for doubly-linked list

- What fields in a node?
- What operations?
- Should there be a head node and/or a tail node?
 - if so, what should it contain?
- What should a constructor handle:
 - without a header node?
 - with a header node?
- How to determine when the list is empty:
 - without a header node?
 - with a header node?
- How to tell when a traversal is done?
- What special case(s) might arise during insertion
- What special case(s) might arise during deletion?