CS 61B Fall 2025

Scope, Static, Linked Lists, Arrays

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1 Boxes and Pointers

Draw a box and pointer diagram to represent the IntLists L1, L2, and L3 after each statement.

```
IntList L1 = IntList.list(1, 2, 3);
IntList L2 = new IntList(4, L1.rest);
L2.rest.first = 13;
L1.rest.rest.rest = L2;
IntList L3 = IntList.list(50);
L2.rest.rest = L3;
```

2 Interweave

Implement interweave, which takes in an IntList lst and an integer k, and destructively interweaves lst into k IntLists, stored in an array of IntLists. Here, destructively means that instead of creating new IntList instances, you should focus on modifying the pointers in the existing IntList lst.

Specifically, we require:

- It is the **same** length as the other lists. You may assume the **IntList** is evenly divisible.
- The first element in lst is put in the first index of the array of IntLists. The second element is put in the second index. This goes on until the array is traversed, and then we wrap around to put elements in the first index of the array.
- Its ordering is consistent with the ordering of lst, i.e. items in earlier in lst must precede items that are later.

For instance, if **lst** contains the elements [6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1], and $\mathbf{k} = 2$, then the method should return an array of **IntList**, [6, 4, 2] at index 0, and [5, 3, 1] at index 1.

In the beginning, we reversed the IntList lst destructively, because it's usually easier to build IntList backwards.

Hint: The elements in the array should track the head of the small IntList that they are building.

3 Remove Duplicates

Using the simplified **DLList** class defined on the next page, implement the removeDuplicates method. removeDuplicates should remove all duplicate items from the **DLList**. For example, if our initial list is [8, 4, 4, 6, 4, 10, 12, 12], our final list should be [8, 4, 6, 10, 12]. You may **not** assume that duplicate items are grouped together, or that the list is sorted!

```
public class DLList {
 Node sentinel;
 public DLList() { // ... }
 public class Node { int item; Node prev; Node next; }
 public void removeDuplicates() {
   Node ref = _____
   Node checker;
   while (_______) {
    checker = _____;
        Node checkerPrev = checker.prev;
        Node checkerNext = checker.next;
      }
    }
    ref = _____;
   }
 }
}
```