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## References

Smalltalk Best Practice Patterns, Kent Beck, Prentice Hall, 1997

# Problem 2

# Interface

```
@interface NSNumber(NSNumber_Count)
```

```
-(NSNumber*) next;
```

```
+(int) callCount;
```

```
@end
```

```
#import "NSNumber-Count.h"

@implementation NSNumber (NSNumber_Count)

static int count = 0;

-(NSNumber*) next {
    count++;
    return [NSNumber numberWithInt:[self intValue]+1];
}

+(int) callCount {
    return count;
}

@end
```

# The make it a function error

```
#import "NSNumber-Count.h"

@implementation NSNumber (NSNumber_Count)

static int count = 0;

-(NSNumber*) next: (NSNumber *) previous {
    count++;
    return [NSNumber numberWithInt:[previous intValue]+1];
}

+(int) callCount {
    return count;
}

@end
```

# The make it a function error

```
NSNumber* test = [NSNumber numberWithInt:42];  
NSNumber* nextNumber = [test next: test];
```

# Problem 3



@protocol LinkedList

@property (readonly) NSNumber \* count;

- (void) addFirst:(id)object;
- (void) addLast:(id)object;
- (void) removeFirst;
- (void) removeLast;

@end

# Problem 4 & 5

# Memory Policy

Node

- Owns data

- Retains/releases data

Linked list

- Owns nodes

- Retains/releases node

# Node.h

```
@interface Node : NSObject {  
    id value;  
    Node * next;  
}  
  
@property (nonatomic,retain) id value;  
@property (nonatomic,assign) id next;  
  
- (id) initWithObject: (id) object;  
  
@end
```

# Node.m

```
@interface Node()  
@end
```

```
@implementation Node
```

```
@synthesize value;  
@synthesize next;
```

```
- (id) initWithObject: (id) object {  
    if (self = [super init]) {  
        self.value = object;    //retains object  
        self.next = nil;  
    }  
}
```

```
- (void) dealloc {  
    [value release];  
    [super dealloc];  
}
```

```
@end
```

# SingleLinkedList.h

```
#import <Foundation/Foundation.h>
#import "LinkedList.h"
#import "Node.h"
```

```
@interface SingleLinkedList : NSObject <LinkedList> {
    Node *head;
    Node *tail;
    int size;
}
```

```
- (NSString *) description;
- (void) enumerateObjectsUsingBlock:(void (^)(id, NSUInteger, BOOL *))block;
- (id) objectAtIndex: (NSInteger) index;
- (id) initWithArray: (NSArray *) anArray;
+ (id) listWithArray: (NSArray *) anArray;
```

```
@end
```

The point of Problem 3 was to use the protocol in problem 4

# SingleLinkedList.m first part

```
#import "SingleLinkedList.h"
```

```
@interface SingleLinkedList()
```

- (void) enumerateNodesUsingBlock:(void (^)(Node \*, NSUInteger, BOOL \*))block;
- (NSString \*) componentsJoinedByString:(NSString \*)separator;
- (Node \*) nodeAt:(int) index;

```
@end
```

```
@implementation SingleLinkedList
```

- (NSNumber \*) count {  
    return [NSNumber numberWithInt: size];  
}



# Extensions (Empty Category)

Non public methods

Compiler requires methods to be implemented

No warning when used

```
@interface SingleLinkedList()
```

- (void) enumerateNodesUsingBlock:(void (^)(Node \*, NSUInteger, BOOL \*))block;
- (NSString \*) componentsJoinedByString:(NSString \*)separator;
- (Node \*) nodeAt:(int) index;

```
@end
```

```
@implementation SingleLinkedList
```

```
- (id) init {  
    if (self = [super init]) {  
        head = nil;  
        tail = nil;  
        size = 0;  
    }  
    return self;  
}
```

```
- (void) addFirst:(id)object {
    size++;
    Node *newNode = [[Node alloc] initWithObject: object];
    newNode.next = head;
    head = newNode;
    if(tail == nil) tail = newNode;
}
```

```
- (void) addLast:(id)object {
    size++;
    Node *newNode = [[Node alloc] initWithObject: object];
    tail.next = newNode;
    tail = newNode;
    if(head == nil) head = newNode;
}
```

```
- (void) removeFirst {
    if(size>0){
        Node *removeNode = head;
        size--;
        if(tail==head){
            tail = nil;
            head = nil;
        }else{
            head = head.next;
        }
        [removeNode release];
    }
}
```

```
- (void) removeFirst {
    if(size<1)
        return;
    Node *removeNode = head;
    head = head.next;
    [removeNode release];
    size--;
    if(size = 0){
        tail = nil;
        head = nil;
    }
}
```

```
- (NSString *) description {  
    return [self componentsJoinedByString:@" ", "];  
}
```

```
- (NSString *) componentsJoinedByString:(NSString *) separator {
    NSMutableString *resultString = [[NSMutableString alloc] init];
    [self enumerateObjectsUsingBlock:^(id obj, NSUInteger index, BOOL *stop){
        if(index>0){
            [resultString appendFormat:@"%s%s",separator,obj];
        } else {
            [resultString appendString:obj];
        }
    }];
    return [resultString autorelease];
}
```

```
- (id) objectAtIndex: (NSInteger) index {
    if(index<0 || index > size)
        @throw [NSException exceptionWithName: @"NSRangeException"
            reason: @"Out of range" userInfo: nil];
    return [self nodeAt:index].value;
}
```

```
- (id) initWithArray: (NSArray *) anArray {
    if (self = [self init]) {
        [anArray enumerateObjectsUsingBlock:^(id object, NSUInteger index, BOOL *stop)
        {
            [self addLast:object];
        }];
    }
    return self;
}
```



```
+ (id) listWithArray: (NSArray *) anArray {  
    return [[[SingleLinkedList alloc] initWithArray: anArray] autorelease];  
}
```

# What most people tried to do

```
- (void) enumerateObjectsUsingBlock:(void (^)(id, NSUInteger, BOOL *))block {  
    int index = 0;  
    BOOL stop = NO;  
    Node *current = head;  
    while (!stop && index < size) {  
        block(current.value, index, &stop);  
        current = current.next;  
        index++;  
    }  
}
```

# Shorter version

```
- (void) enumerateObjectsUsingBlock:(void (^)(id, NSUInteger, BOOL *))block {  
    [self enumerateNodesUsingBlock:^(Node * current, NSUInteger index, BOOL * stop) {  
        block(current.value, index, stop);  
    }];  
}
```

# Work done here

```
- (void) enumerateNodesUsingBlock:(void (^)(Node *, NSUInteger, BOOL *))block {
    int index = 0;
    BOOL stop = NO;
    Node *current = head;
    while (!stop && index < size) {
        block(current, index, &stop);
        current = current.next;
        index++;
    }
}
```

# No need for another loop

```
- (void) dealloc {  
    [self enumerateNodesUsingBlock:^(Node * currentNode, NSUInteger index, BOOL *stop){  
        [currentNode release];  
    }];  
    size = 0;  
    [super dealloc];  
}
```

# No loop here either

```
- (Node *) nodeAt:(int) index {
    __block Node * nodeAtIndex;
    [self enumerateNodesUsingBlock:^(Node * current, NSUInteger loopIndex, BOOL *stop)
    {
        if (index == loopIndex) {
            nodeAtIndex = current;
            *stop = YES;
        }
    }];
    return nodeAtIndex;
}
```

# Kent Beck's Properties of Good Code Style

Once and only once

Lots of little pieces

Replacing objects

Moving Objects

Rates of change

# Once and Only Once

"In a program written with good style, everything is said once and only once"

If have

- several methods with same logic

- several objects with same methods

then rule is not satisfied



# Lots of little pieces

"Good code invariably has small methods and small objects"

Small pieces allow you to satisfy "once and only once"

# Primitive methods

Subset of methods of a class

All other method of class are implemented using primitive methods

Collection classes often have small set of primitive methods

New type of collection only needs to implement primitive methods

# **enumerateNodesUsingBlock:**

Only method that traverses nodes - once and only once

primitive method for SingleLinkedList class