

## Today's Content

1. Min stack

2. Max Frequency stack

Implement a stack with following operations.

1. push() 3. peek() : Return top element

2. pop(): Delete top element 4. getMin(): Return min val of stack

Note: Each operation should take O(1)

Ex: 10 6  $\text{get}()$  12 4  $\text{get}()$   $\uparrow$   $\text{get}()$  6

Trace:



Ideas: Track min with variable & update it, for push & pop()

10 6  $\text{get}()$  12 4  $\text{get}()$   $\uparrow$   $\text{get}()$

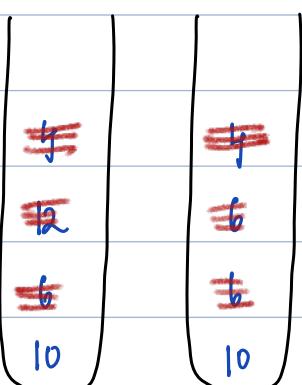
$\min = \cancel{10}$   $\cancel{\cancel{10}}$

12  
6  
10

#Issue = When we delete top() element, we cannot update min value.

Ideas: Create another stack, to keep track of min till that point.

10 6  $\text{get}()$  12 4  $\text{get}()$   $\uparrow$   $\text{get}()$  12 6 12 6 6



#Note: A stack where data inc or dec is called monotonic stacks

st1

st2 : Stores min value, till that point.

stack h int s1, s2;

class MinStack {

void push(int n) {

s1.push(n);

if (s2.size() == 0) {

s2.push(n);

else {

int val = min(n, s2.top());

s2.push(val);

}

void pop() {

if (s1.size() == 0) {

return; // Depends on question.

s1.pop();

s2.pop();

int peek() {

if (s1.size() == 0) {

return -1; // Depends on question.

return s1.top();

int getMin()

if (s1.size() == 0) {

return -1; // Depends on question.

return s2.top();

int size()

return s1.size();

Implement a stack with following operations

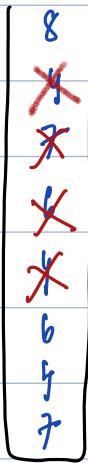
1. push()

2. pop(): Removes & return most frequent element in stack.

If there is tie for most frequent element, element closer to the top is removed and returned.

Note: Each operation should take O(1)

Ex:  $\begin{matrix} 7 & 4 & 6 & 4 & 6 & 7 & 4 & 8 & T & T & T & T & T \\ & & & & & & & & 4 & 7 & 6 & 4 & 8 \end{matrix}$

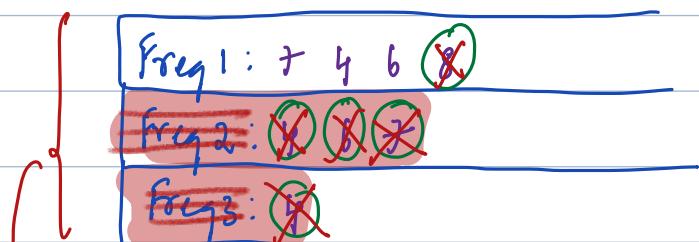


Hint: if there is tie for most frequent element, element closest to the top pos is removed and returned.

Stack Idea

Catch: For every frequency we need a stack.

Ex: 7 4 6 4 6 7 4 8 T T T T T T  
↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓ ↓



HM:

7: 1 X 1

4: X 2 3 X 1

6: X 1 1

8: X 0

Steps:

1. vector<stack>
2. `HashMap<int, stack>`

push(n):

hm[n]++; # Inc freq of n in hashmap;

int f = hm[n];

if freq f stack doesn't exist:

Create freq f stack

get freq f stack & Insert n

pop():

highest frequency hf = number of stacks.

from frequency hf stack

int ele = get top from hf stack

pop() from hf stack

if (hf stack size == 0) {

} Delete hf stack

hm[ele]--; # Reduce freq of ele in hashmap by 1.

unordered\_map<int, stack<int>> sm; #stack map  
unordered\_map<int, int> fm; #frequency map

class mainFreqStack {

void push(int n) {  
 fm[n]++;  
 int f = fm[n];  
 if (sm.find(f) == sm.end()) {  
 #frequency & stack f is not present.  
 stack<int> tmp;  
 sm[f] = tmp; #Insert stack f in stack map  
 }  
 sm[f].push(n); #Insert ele n in stack f

int pop() {  
 if (sm.size() == 0) { return -1; }  
 int f = sm.size();  
 int ele = sm[f].top();  
 sm[f].pop();  
 if (sm[f].size() == 0) { #stack f is empty  
 sm.erase(f); #Removing stack f from hashmap  
 }  
}

fm[ele]--; #Reduce freq of ele in hashmap  
if (fm[ele] == 0) {  
 fm.erase(ele);  
}  
return ele;