

# Queue and Priority Queue Implementations

## Chapter 14

# Implementations of the ADT Queue

- Like stacks, queues can have
  - Array-based or
  - Link-based implementation.
- Can also use implementation of ADT list
  - Efficient to implement
  - Might not be most time efficient as possible

# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

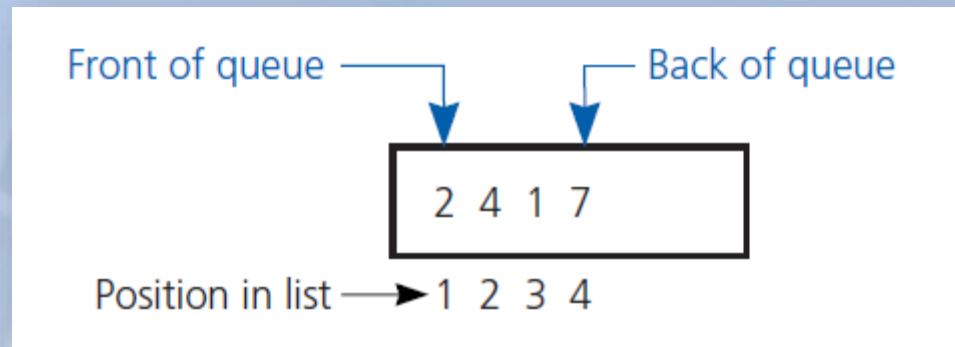


FIGURE 14-1 An implementation of the ADT queue that stores its entries in a list



# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

```
1  /** ADT queue: ADT list implementation.
2    @file ListQueue.h */
3
4  #ifndef LIST_QUEUE_
5  #define LIST_QUEUE_
6
7  #include "QueueInterface.h"
8  #include "LinkedList.h"
9  #include "PrecondViolatedExcept.h"
10 #include <memory>
11
12 template<class ItemType>
13 class ListQueue : public QueueInterface<ItemType>
14 {
15 private:
```

LISTING 14-1 The header file for the class `ListQueue`

# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

```
16     std::unique_ptr<LinkedList<ItemType>> listPtr; // Pointer to list of queue items
17
18 public:
19     ListQueue();
20     ListQueue(const ListQueue& aQueue);
21     ~ListQueue();
22     bool isEmpty() const;
23     bool enqueue(const ItemType& newEntry);
24     bool dequeue();
25
26     /** @throw PrecondViolatedExcept if this queue is empty. */
27     ItemType peekFront() const throw (PrecondViolatedExcept);
28 }; // end ListQueue
29 #include "ListQueue.cpp"
30 #endif
```

LISTING 14-1 The header file for the class **ListQueue**



# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

```
1  /** ADT queue: ADT list implementation.
2   @file ListQueue.cpp */
3  #include "ListQueue.h" // Header file
4  #include <memory>
5
6  template<class ItemType>
7  ListQueue<ItemType>::ListQueue()
8      : listPtr(std::make_unique<LinkedList<ItemType>>())
9  {
10 } // end default constructor
11
12 template<class ItemType>
13 ListQueue<ItemType>::ListQueue(const ListQueue& aQueue)
14     : listPtr(aQueue.listPtr)
15 {
16 } // end copy constructor
17
```

LISTING 14-2 The implementation file for the class **ListQueue**

# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

```
18  template<class ItemType>
19  ListQueue<ItemType>::~~ListQueue()
20  {
21  } // end destructor
22
23  template<class ItemType>
24  bool ListQueue<ItemType>::isEmpty() const
25  {
26      return listPtr->isEmpty();
27  } // end isEmpty
28
29  template<class ItemType>
30  bool ListQueue<ItemType>::enqueue(const ItemType& newEntry)
31  {
32      return listPtr->insert(listPtr->getLength() + 1, newEntry);
33  } // end enqueue
```

LISTING 14-2 The implementation file for the class **ListQueue**



# An Implementation That Uses the ADT List

```
35  template<class ItemType>
36  bool ListQueue<ItemType>::dequeue()
37  {
38      return listPtr->remove(1);
39  } // end dequeue
40
41  template<class ItemType>
42  ItemType ListQueue<ItemType>::peekFront() const throw(PrecondViolatedExcept)
43  {
44      if (isEmpty())
45          throw PrecondViolatedExcept("peekFront() called with empty queue.");
46
47      // Queue is not empty; return front
48      return listPtr->getEntry(1);
49  } // end peekFront
50  // end of implementation file
```

LISTING 14-2 The implementation file for the class **ListQueue**



# A Link-Based Implementation

- Similar to other link-based implementation
- One difference ... Must be able to remove entries
  - From front
  - From back
- Requires a pointer to chain's last node
  - Called the “tail pointer”

# A Link-Based Implementation

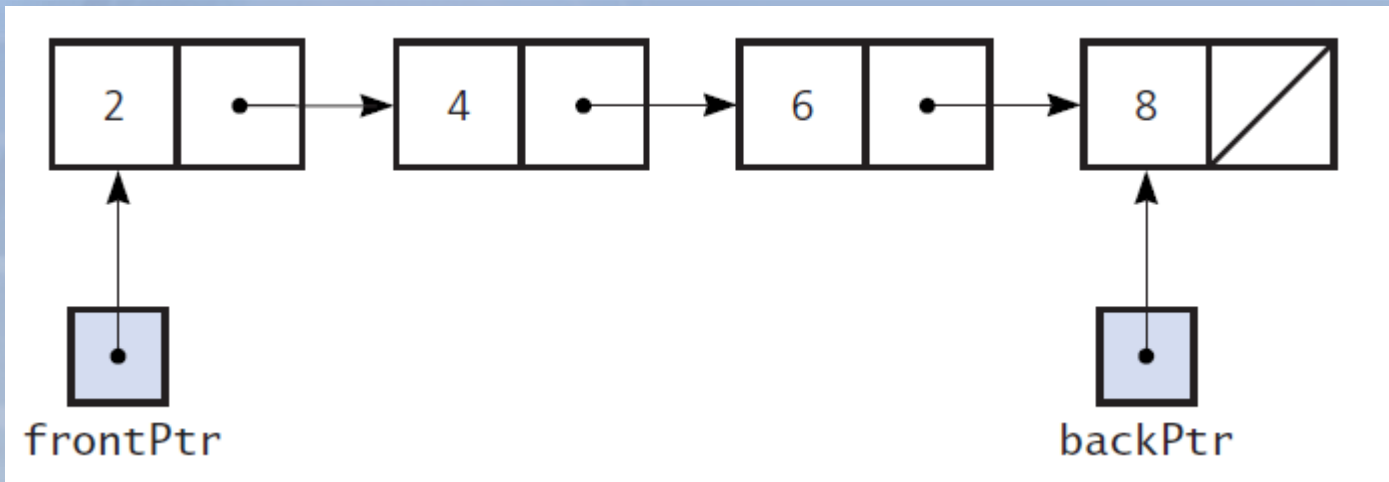


FIGURE 14-2 A chain of linked nodes with head and tail pointers

# A Link-Based Implementation

```
1  /** ADT queue: Link-based implementation.
2   * @file LinkedQueue.h */
3
4  #ifndef LINKED_QUEUE_
5  #define LINKED_QUEUE_
6
7  #include "QueueInterface.h"
8  #include "Node.h"
9  #include "PrecondViolatedExcept.h"
10 #include <memory>
11
12 template<class ItemType>
13 class LinkedQueue : public QueueInterface<ItemType>
14 {
15 private:
16     // The queue is implemented as a chain of linked nodes that has
17     // two external pointers, a head pointer for the front of the queue
18     // and a tail pointer for the back of the queue.
19     std::shared_ptr<Node<ItemType>> frontPtr;
20     std::shared_ptr<Node<ItemType>> backPtr;
```

LISTING 14-3 The header file for the class `LinkedQueue`



# A Link-Based Implementation

```
21
22 public:
23     LinkedQueue();
24     LinkedQueue(const LinkedQueue& aQueue);
25     ~LinkedQueue();
26
27     bool isEmpty() const;
28     bool enqueue(const ItemType& newEntry);
29     bool dequeue();
30
31     /** @throw PrecondViolatedExcept if the queue is empty */
32     ItemType peekFront() const throw(PrecondViolatedExcept);
33 }; // end LinkedQueue
34 #include "LinkedQueue.cpp"
35 #endif
```

LISTING 14-3 The header file for the class `LinkedQueue`

# A Link-Based Implementation

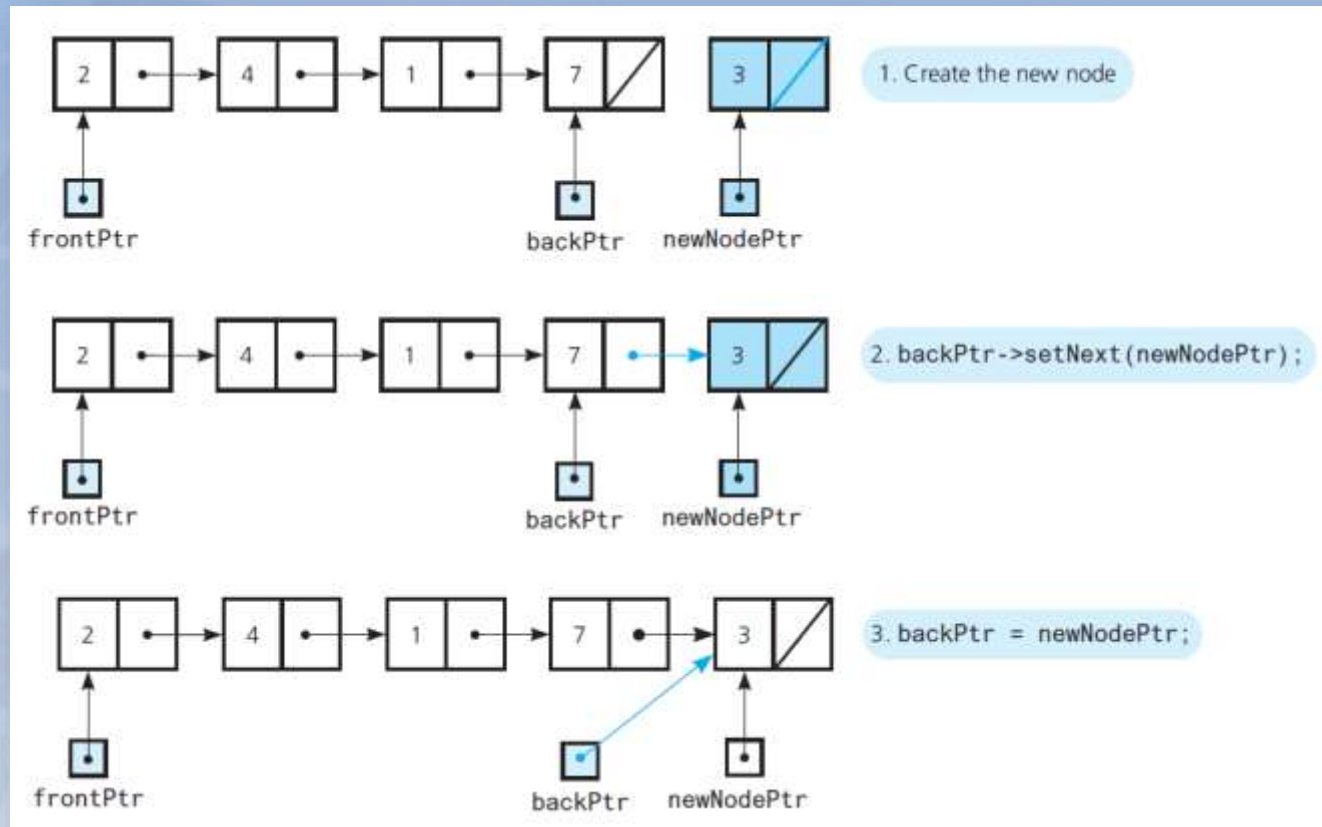


FIGURE 14-3 Adding an item to a nonempty queue

# A Link-Based Implementation

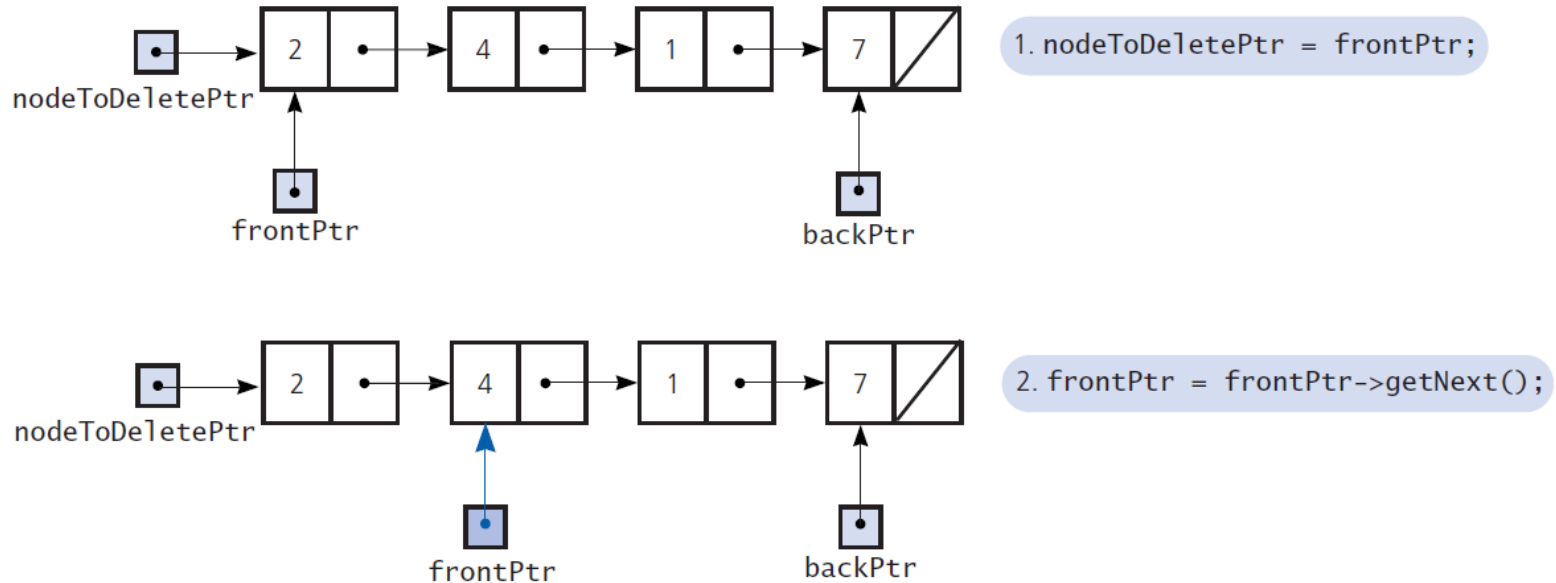


FIGURE 14-5 Removing an item from a queue of more than one item



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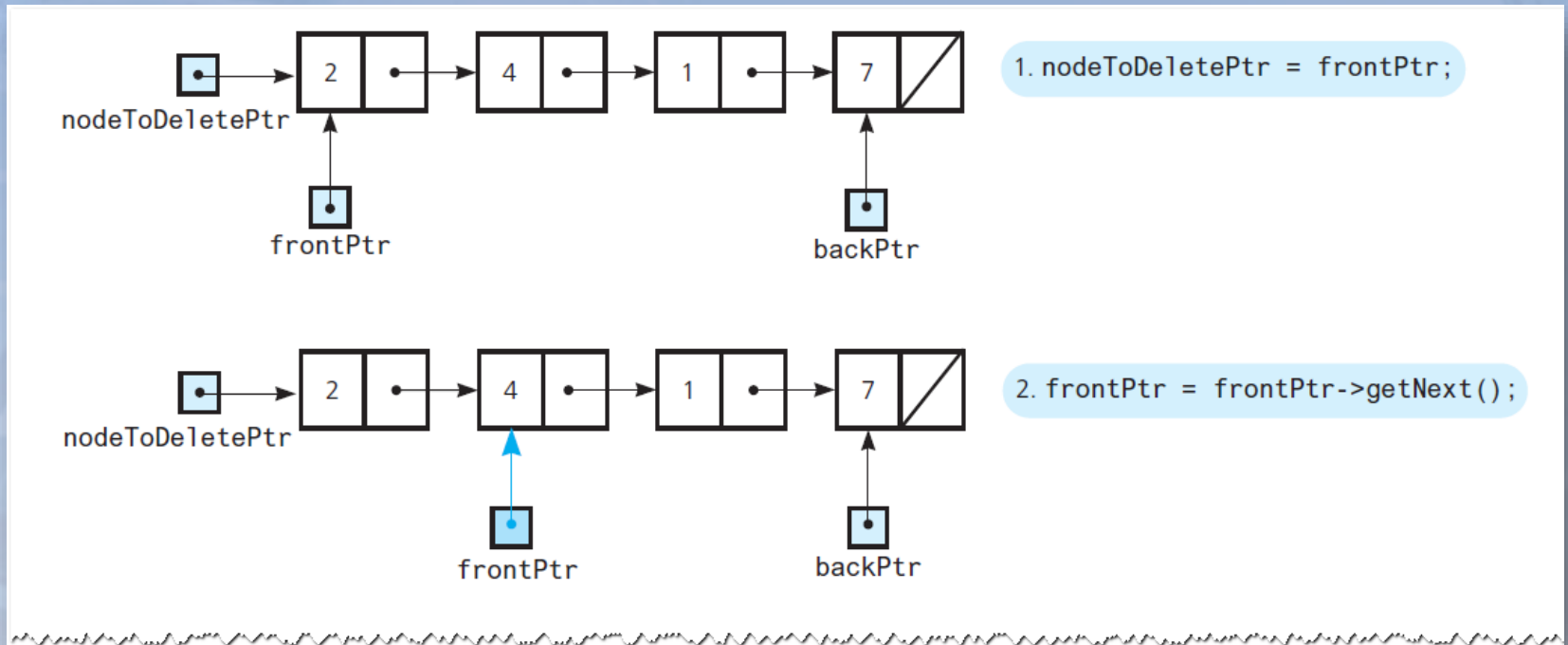


FIGURE 14-5 Removing an item from a queue of more than one item

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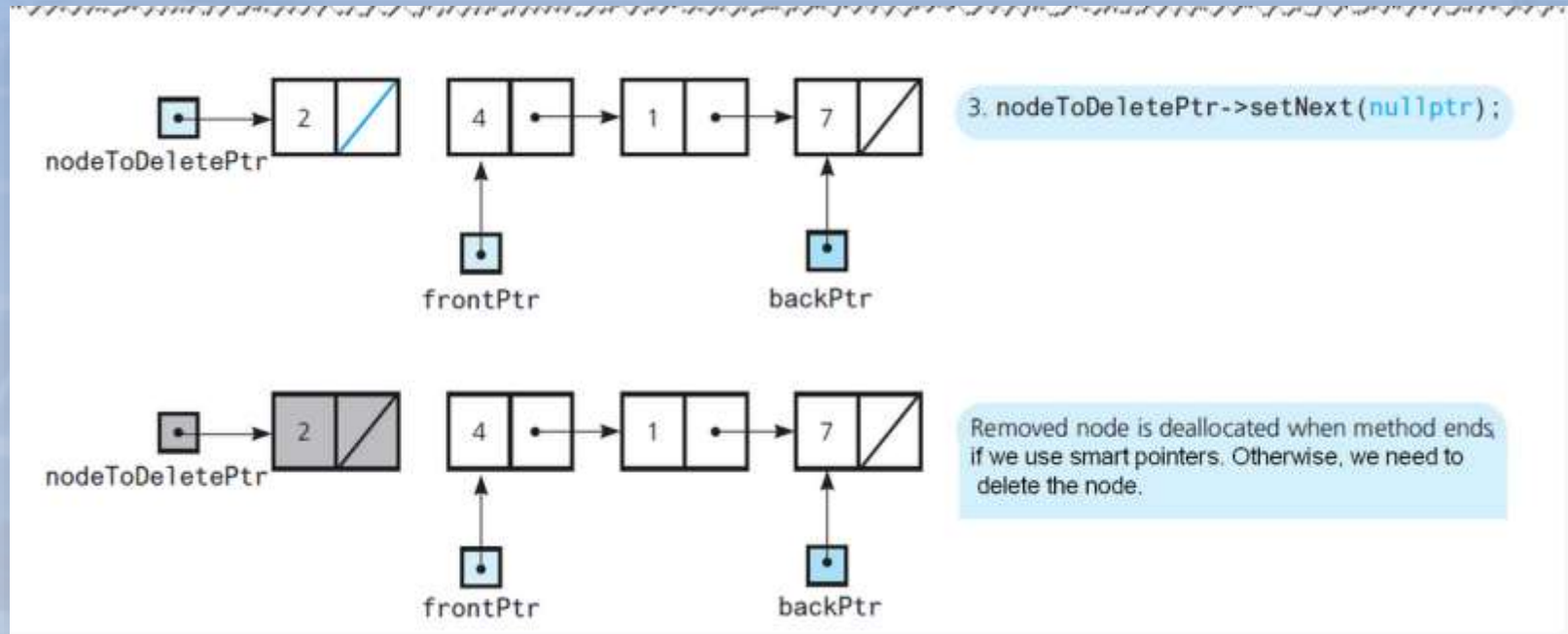


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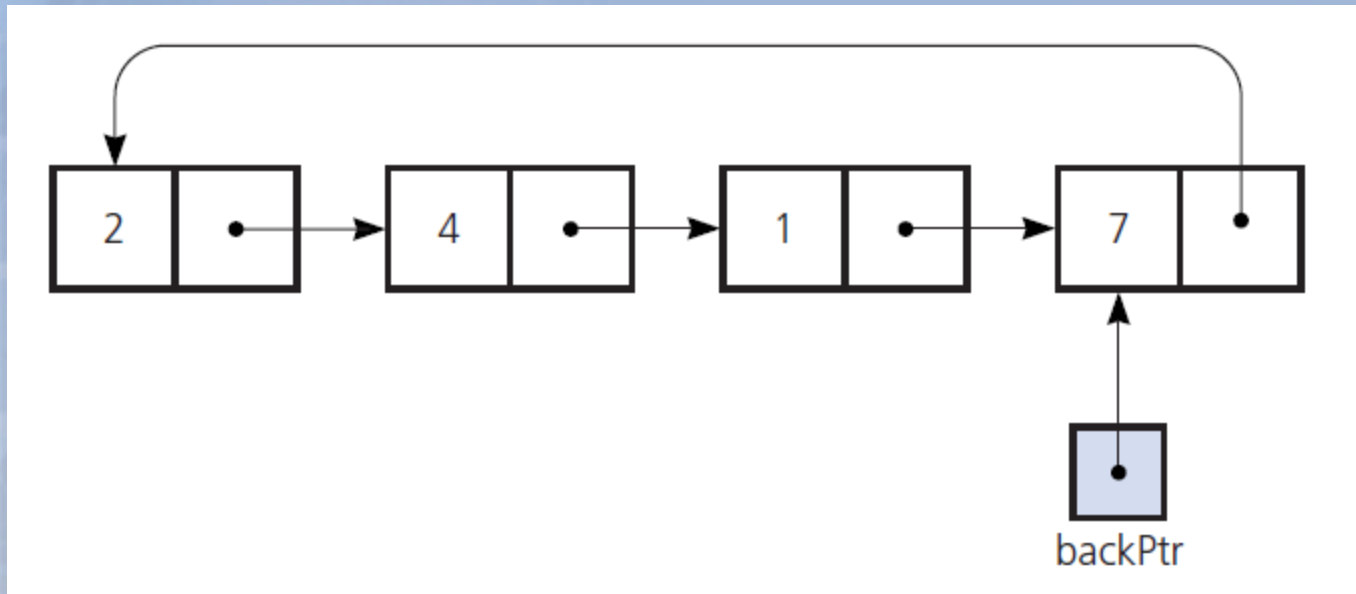


FIGURE 14-6 A circular chain of linked nodes with one external pointer



# A Link-Based Implementation

(a) A queue after four enqueue operations



(b) The queue appears full after several enqueue and dequeue operations

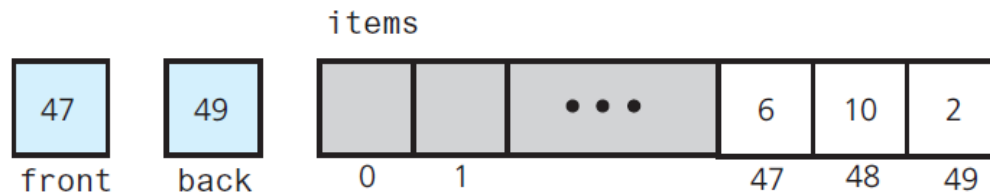


Figure 14-7 A naive array-based implementation of a queue for which rightward drift can cause the queue to appear full

# A Link-Based Implementation

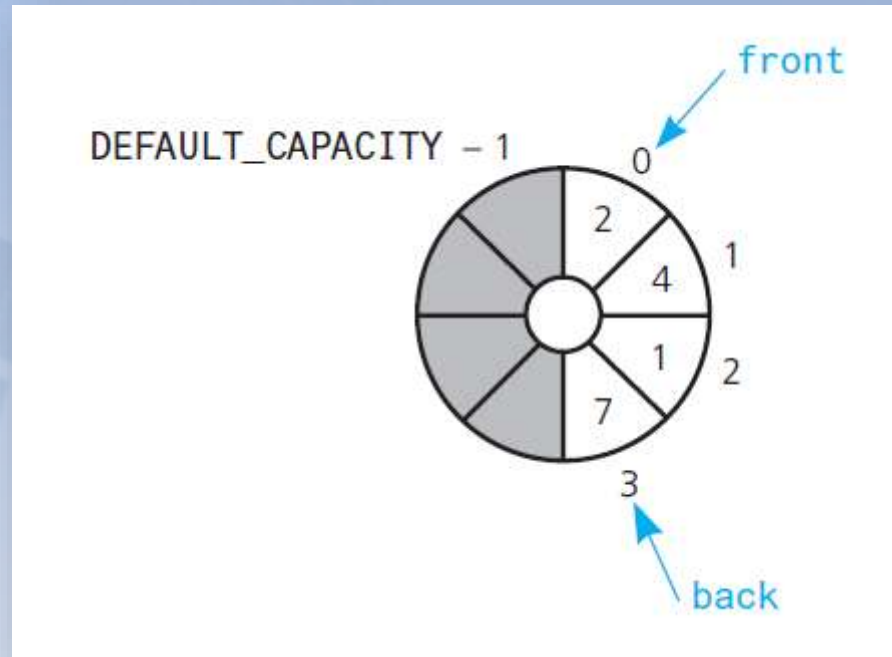


Figure 14-8 A circular array as an implementation of a queue

# An Array-Based Implementation

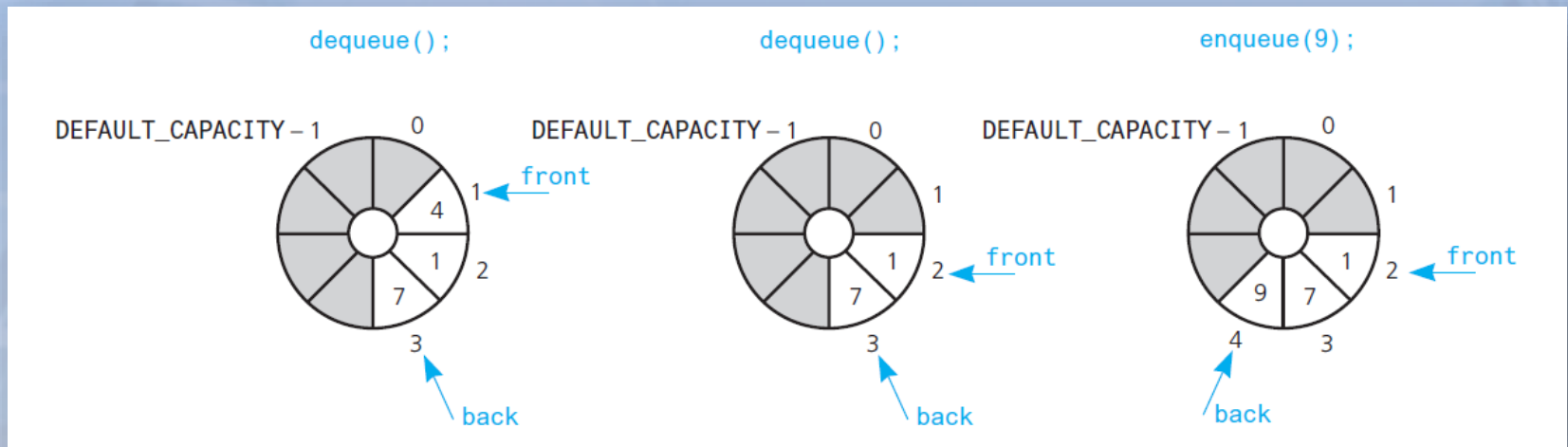


FIGURE 14-9 The effect of three consecutive operations on the queue in Figure 14-8



# An Array-Based Implementation

(a) front passes back when the queue becomes empty

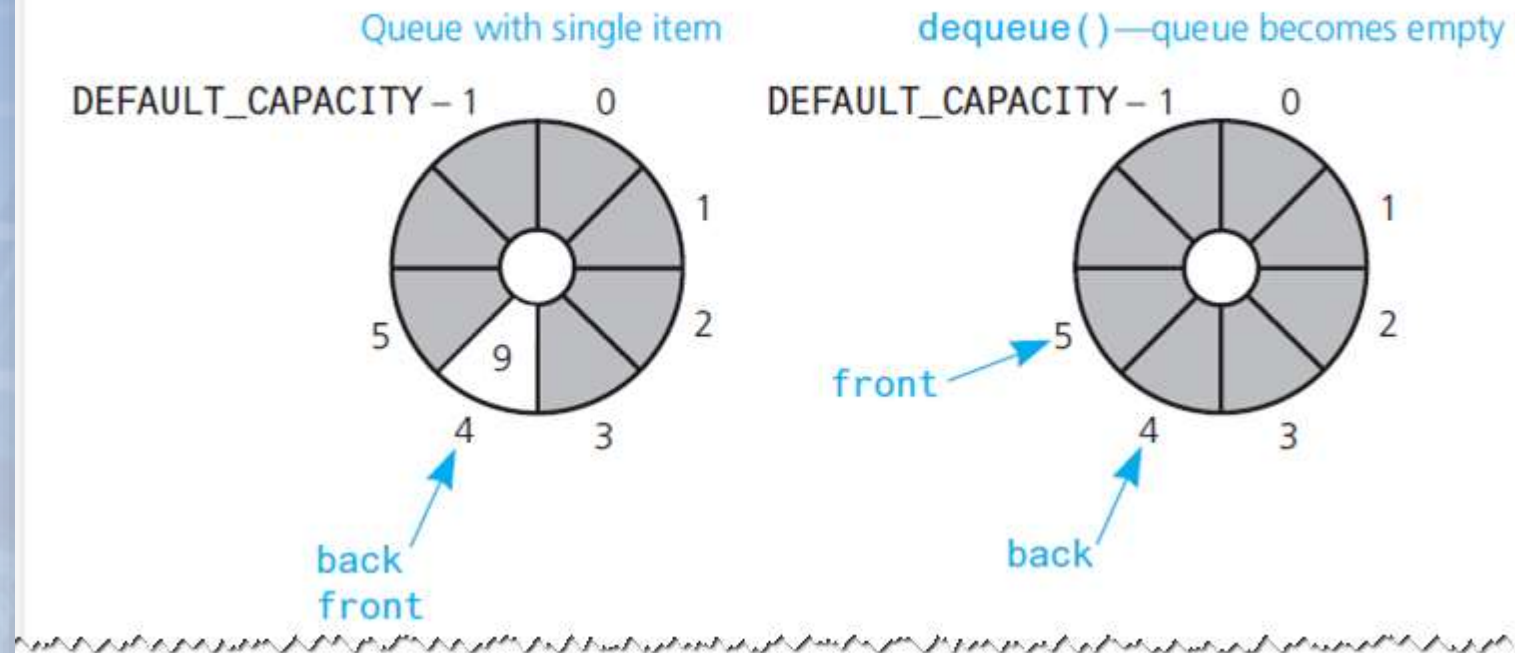
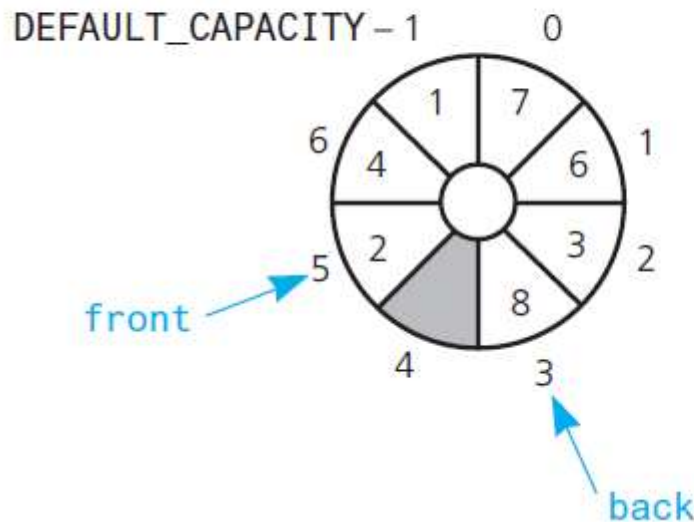


Figure 14-10 front and back as the queue becomes empty and as it becomes full

# An Array-Based Implementation

(b) back catches up to front when the queue becomes full

Queue with single empty slot



enqueue (9)—queue becomes full

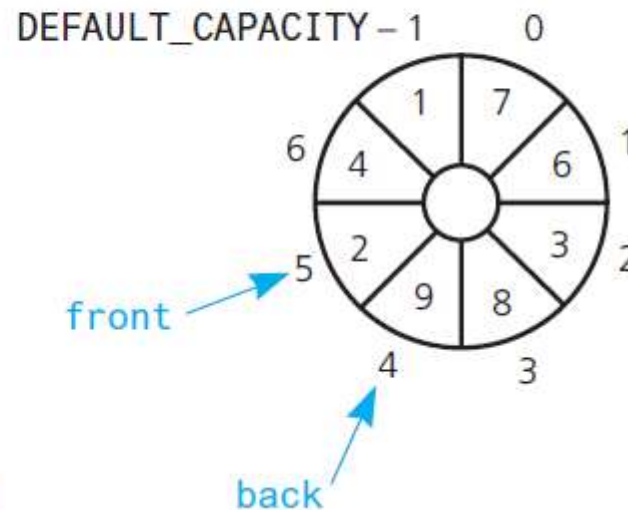


Figure 14-10 **front** and **back** as the queue becomes empty and as it becomes full



# An Array-Based Implementation

```
1  /** ADT queue: Circular array-based implementation.
2   @file ArrayQueue.h */
3  #ifndef ARRAY_QUEUE_
4  #define ARRAY_QUEUE_
5  #include "QueueInterface.h"
6  #include "PrecondViolatedExcept.h"
7
8  template<class ItemType>
9  class ArrayQueue : public QueueInterface<ItemType>
10 {
11 private:
12     static const int DEFAULT_CAPACITY = 50;
13     ItemType items[DEFAULT_CAPACITY]; // Array of queue items
14     int front;                        // Index to front of queue
15     int back;                         // Index to back of queue
16     int count;                       // Number of items currently in the queue
17 }
```

LISTING 14-4 The header file for the class `ArrayQueue`



# An Array-Based Implementation

```
1  /** ADT queue: Circular array-based implementation.
2   @file ArrayQueue.cpp */
3  #include "ArrayQueue.h" // Header file
4
5  template<class ItemType>
6  ArrayQueue<ItemType>::ArrayQueue()
7      : front(0), back(DEFAULT_CAPACITY - 1), count(0)
8  {
9  } // end default constructor
10
11 template<class ItemType>
12 bool ArrayQueue<ItemType>::isEmpty() const
13 {
14     return count == 0;
15 } // end isEmpty
16
```

Listing 14-5 The implementation file for the class `ArrayQueue`

# An Array-Based Implementation

```
16
17  template<class ItemType>
18  bool ArrayQueue<ItemType>::enqueue(const ItemType& newEntry)
19  {
20      bool result = false;
21      if (count < DEFAULT_CAPACITY)
22      {
23          // Queue has room for another item
24          back = (back + 1) % DEFAULT_CAPACITY;
25          items[back] = newEntry;
26          count++;
27          result = true;
28      } // end if
29
30      return result;
31  } // end enqueue
32
```

Listing 14-5 The implementation file for the class `ArrayQueue`

# An Array-Based Implementation

```
33  template<class ItemType>
34  bool ArrayQueue<ItemType>::dequeue()
35  {
36      bool result = false;
37      if (!isEmpty())
38      {
39          front = (front + 1) % DEFAULT_CAPACITY;
40          count--;
41          result = true;
42      } // end if
43
44      return result;
45  } // end dequeue
46
```

Listing 14-5 The implementation file for the class `ArrayQueue`



# An Array-Based Implementation

```
46
47  template<class ItemType>
48  ItemType ArrayQueue<ItemType>::peekFront() const throw(PrecondViolatedExcept)
49  {
50      // Enforce precondition
51      if (isEmpty())
52          throw PrecondViolatedExcept("peekFront() called with empty queue");
53
54      // Queue is not empty; return front
55      return items[front];
56  } // end peekFront
57  // End of implementation file.
```

Listing 14-5 The implementation file for the class `ArrayQueue`

# An Array-Based Implementation

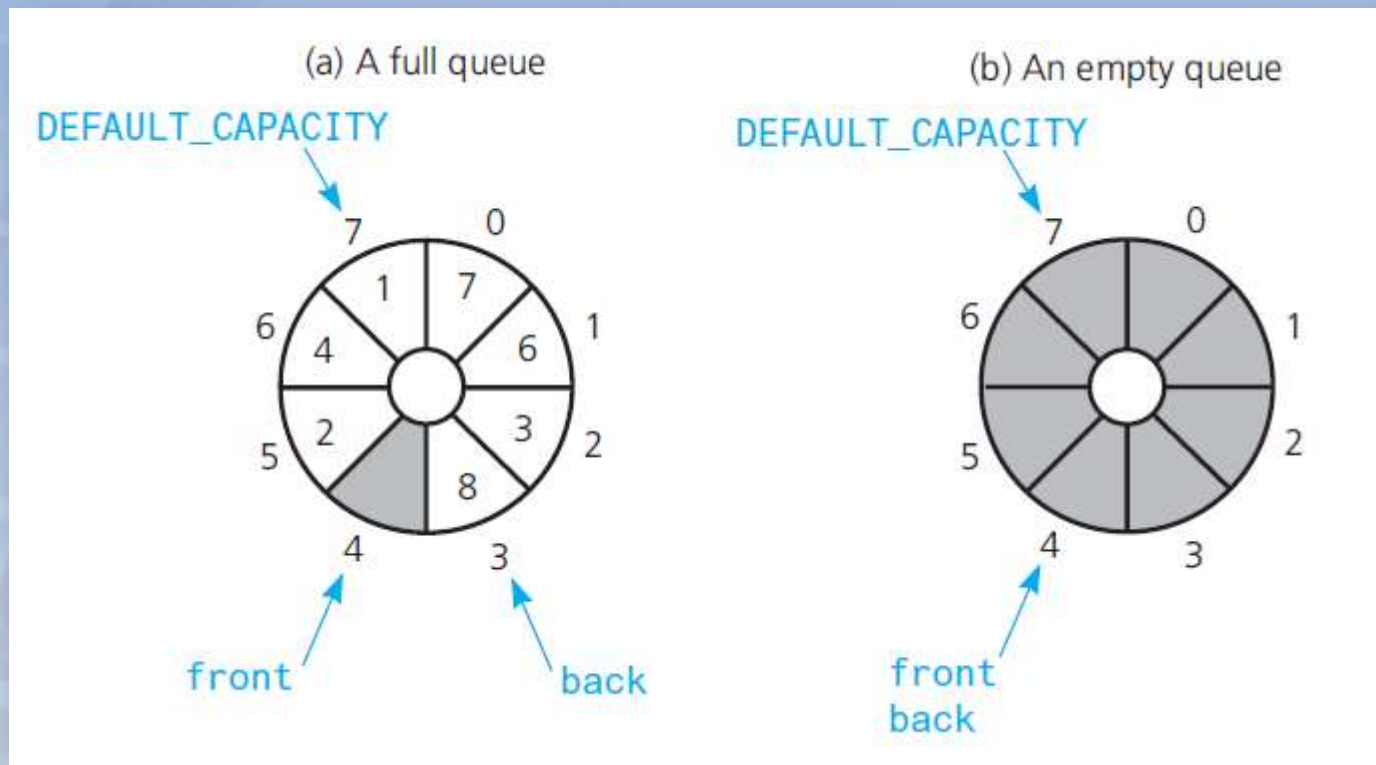


Figure 14-11 A circular array having one unused location as an implementation of a queue

# Comparing Implementations

- Issues
  - Fixed size (array-based) versus dynamic size (link-based)
  - Reuse of already implemented class saves time



# An Implementation of the ADT Priority Queue

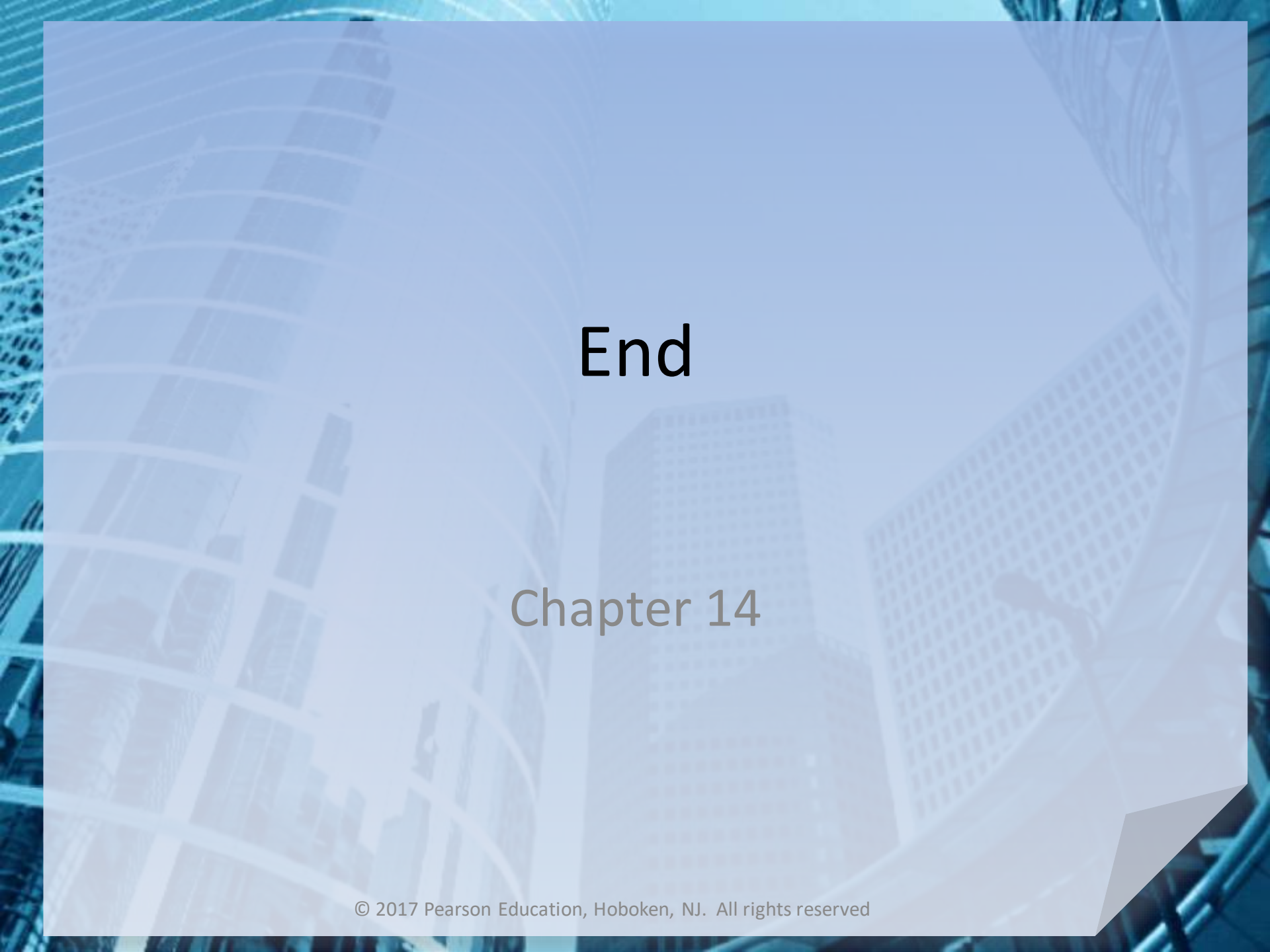
```
1  /** ADT priority queue: ADT sorted list implementation.
2   * @file SL_PriorityQueue.h */
3  #ifndef PRIORITY_QUEUE_
4  #define PRIORITY_QUEUE_
5
6  #include "PriorityQueueInterface.h"
7  #include "LinkedSortedList.h"
8  #include "PrecondViolatedExcept.h"
9  #include <memory>
10
11  template<class ItemType>
12  class SL_PriorityQueue : public PriorityQueueInterface<ItemType>
13  {
14  private:
15      std::unique_ptr<LinkedSortedList<ItemType>> slistPtr; // Ptr to sorted list
16                                                         // of items
17
```

LISTING 14-6 A header file for the class `SL_PriorityQueue`.

# An Implementation of the ADT Priority Queue

```
16
17
18 public:
19     SL_PriorityQueue();
20     SL_PriorityQueue(const SL_PriorityQueue& pq);
21     ~SL_PriorityQueue();
22
23     bool isEmpty() const;
24     bool enqueue(const ItemType& newEntry);
25     bool dequeue();
26
27     /** @throw PrecondViolatedExcept if priority queue is empty. */
28     ItemType peekFront() const throw (PrecondViolatedExcept);
29 }; // end SL_PriorityQueue
30 #include "SL_PriorityQueue.cpp"
31 #endif
```

LISTING 14-6 A header file for the class `SL_PriorityQueue`.



# End

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