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Queues

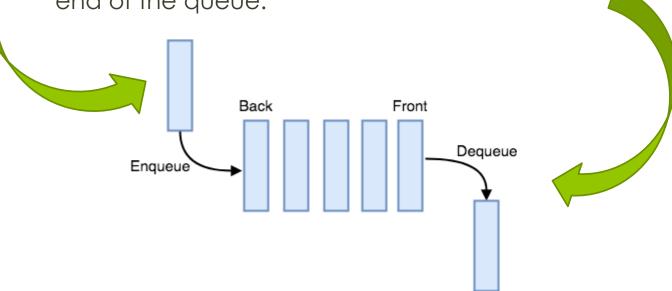
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Queue

Ordered list of elements in which we

 Add elements only at one end, called Rear end of the queue

 Delete elements only at the other end, called Front end of the queue.



Queue Example

Accessing printer in multiuser environment-

- If a printer is in process and more than one user wants to access the printer then
- it maintains the queue for user requesting access and serves in FIFO manner for giving access.

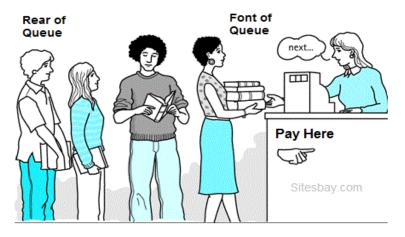
Queue

- Our software queues have counterparts in real world queues.
- We wait in
 - queues to buy pizza,
 - to enter movie theaters,
 - to drive on a turnpike, and
 - to ride on a roller coaster.



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Queue



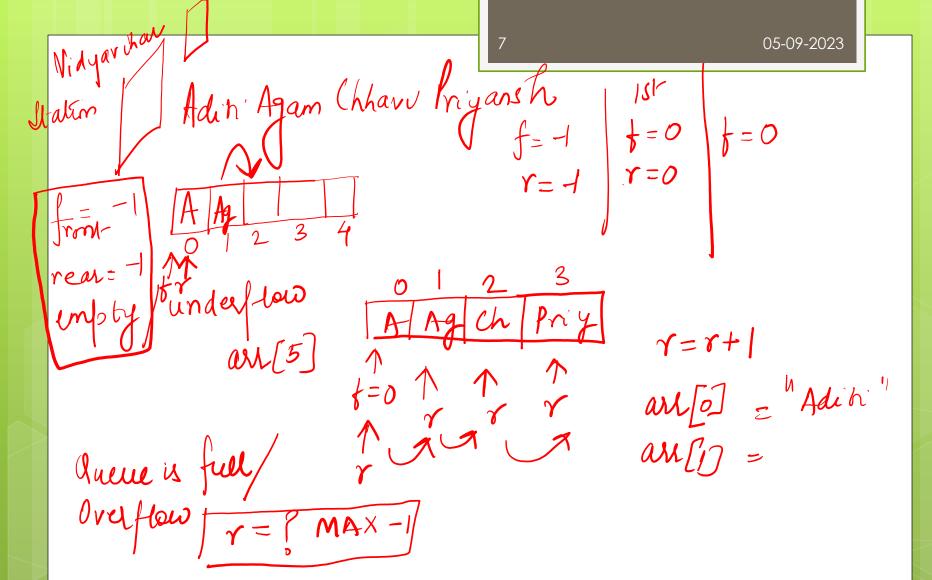
Real Life Example of Queue: Library Counter

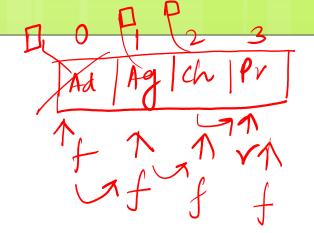
- Library Counter is another best Real Life Example of Queue; here first person visits first on counter for issuing book and exit first.
- A common example of queue is movie theatre ticket counter,
 - the first person who stand in front of ticket window take ticket first and remove from line and
 - new person always stand in line from end.

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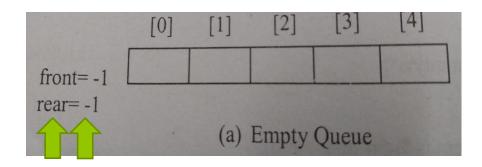
Typical uses of queues are in simulations and operating systems

- **Ready Queue:-**Operating systems often maintain a queue of processes that are ready to execute or that are waiting for a particular event to occur.
- **Buffer:-**Computer systems must often provide a "holding area" for messages between two internal processes or programs, or between two systems over a network.
 - This holding area is usually called a "buffer" and is often implemented as a queue, because we want the message time order to be retained.

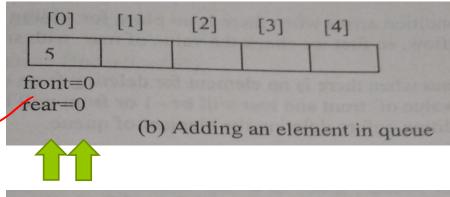




Working of Queue



Initially Queue is empty

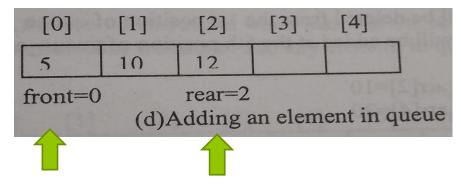


Adding 1st element, both front and rear pointing to the First element

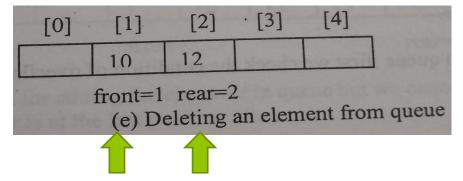
 Adding 2nd element,

- Rear gets incremented,
- 2) Insertion takes place at rear end.

Working of Queue



Adding 3rd element, Rear gets incremented, As Insertion takes place at rear end.



Deleting an element,

- 1) Deletion takes place at Front end.
- 2) Front gets incremented.

[0] [1] [2] [3] [4]

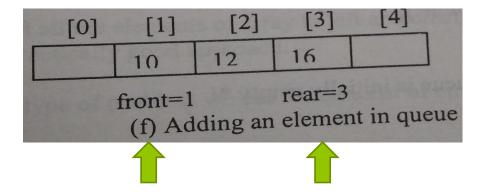
10 12 16

front=1 rear=3

(f) Adding an element in queue

Adding other element, Rear gets incremented, As Insertion takes place at rear end.

Working of Queue



Delete 10 Delete 12 Delete 16

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Array Representation of Queue

Queue Implementation using Arrays

Two Variables Needed-

- Rear
 - Keeps the status of Last element added in the queue
- Front
 - Keeps the status of First element of the queue

Conditions-

- Queue Overflow condition,
 - There is no place for adding elements in queue.
 - So need to check the Value of rear with the size of array

Conditions-

- Queue Underflow condition,
 - If there is no element in queue.
 - Either:
 - The value of front and rear will be -1 or
 - Front will be greater than rear.

Queue Implementation using Arrays

```
#define MAX 5
int queue_arr[MAX];
int rear = -1;
int front = -1;
```

Insert Operation

```
insert()
        int added_item;
        if (rear==MAX-1)
                  printf("Queue Overflow\n");
         else
                  if (front==-1)
                                              /*If queue is initially empty */
                            front=0:
                  printf("Input the element for adding in queue:");
                  scanf("%d", &added_item);
                                                     1) Rear gets incremented,
                  rear=rear+1;
                                                     2) Insertion takes place at
                  queue arr[rear] = added item;
                                                         rear end.
}/*End of insert()*/
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```

Delete Operation

```
del()
        if (front == -1 | | front > rear)
                  printf("Queue Underflow\n");
                  return;
         else
                  printf("Element deleted from queue is: %d\n",
queue_arr[front]);
                                                        Deletion takes place at
                  front=front+1;
                                                        Front end.
                                                     2) Front gets incremented,
}/*End of del() */
```

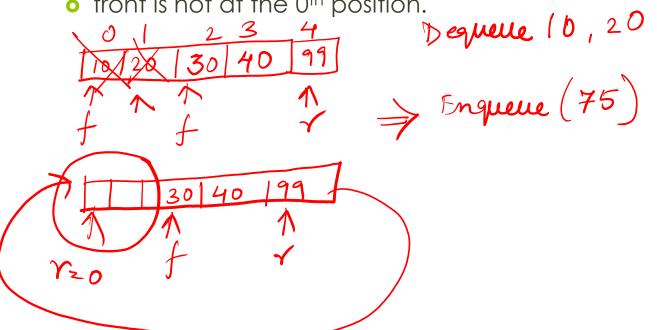
Display Operation

```
display()
{
    int i;
    if (front == -1)
        printf("Queue is empty\n");
    else
    {
        printf("Queue is :\n");
        for(i=front; i<= rear; i++)
            printf("%d ",queue_arr[i]);
        printf("\n");
    }
}/*End of display() */</pre>
```

- A situation arises when
 - rear is at the last position of array and

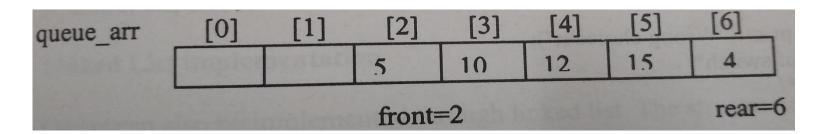
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• front is not at the 0th position.



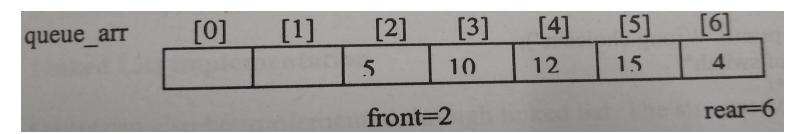
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 - rear is at the last position of array and
 - front is not at the 0th position.



Problem-

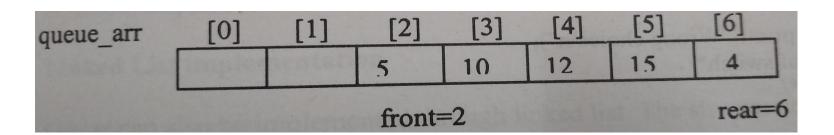
- There are 2 spaces for adding elements in queue
- But we cannot add element any element in queue because rear is at the n-1th position/last position of the array.



Solution-

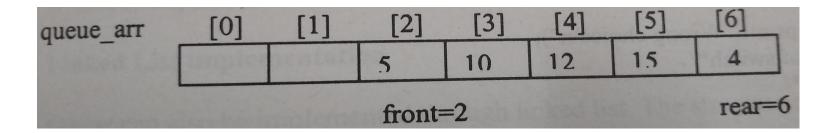
- Ist Approach
 - Shift all elements of array to left and change the position of front and rear but it is not practically good approach

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Solution-

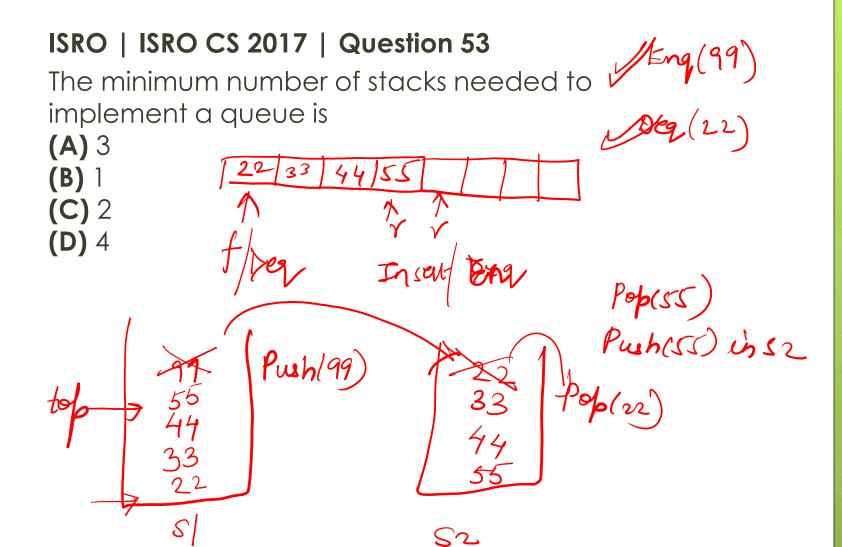
- Other approach-
 - Use the concept of Circular queue



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The minimum number of stacks needed to implement a queue is

- **(A)** 3
- **(B)** 1
- **(C)** 2
- **(D)** 4



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The minimum number of stacks needed to implement a queue is

(A) 3

(B) 1

(Ć) 2

(D) 4

Answer: (C)

Keep 2 stacks, let's call them inbox and outbox.

Enqueue:

Push the new element onto inbox

Dequeue:

If outbox is empty, refill it by popping each element from inbox and pushing it onto outbox

Pop and return the top element from outbox

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Linked List Representation of Queues

Linked List Representation of Queues

- Queue can also be implemented through linked list.
- The structure of the node will be as:

```
struct node
{
  int data;
  struct node*link;
}
```

Queue Implementation using Singly Linked List

Two Pointers Needed-

- Front
 - Will point to the 1st node of the linked list
- Rear
 - Will point to the last node of linked list

Linked implementation of Queue

Beginning of list Front end of queue

End of list Rear end of queue

front rear

Insertion

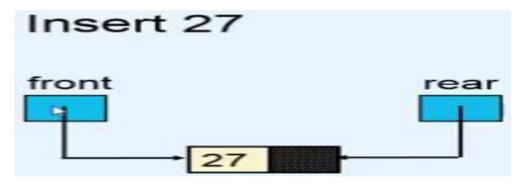
Add a node at the end of the list

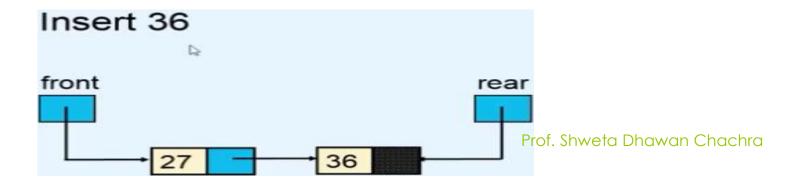
Deletion

Delete a node from the beginning of the list

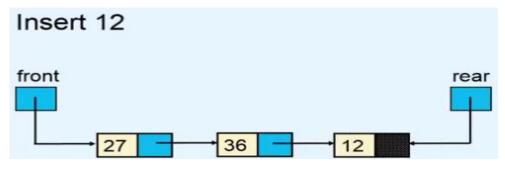
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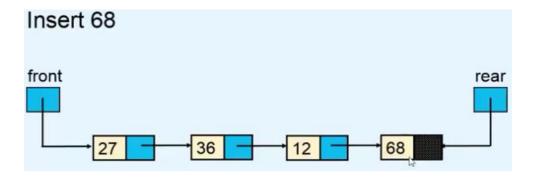




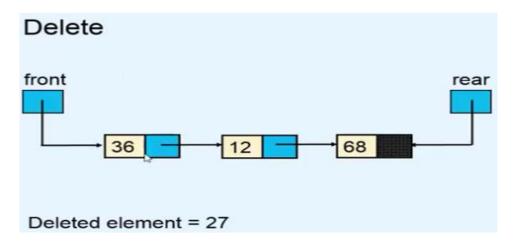


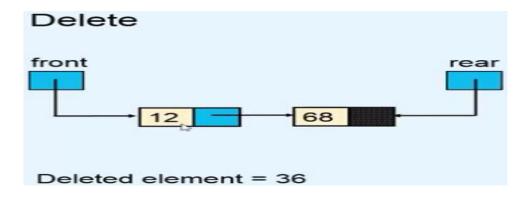
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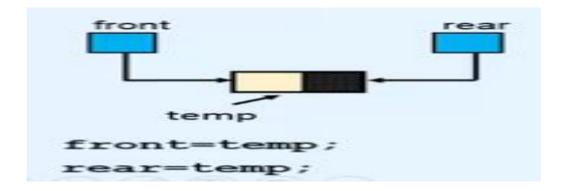




Insert Operation

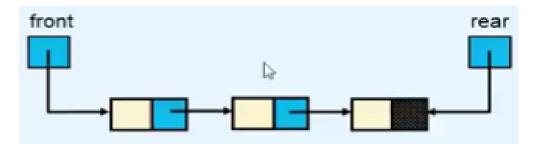
- For Insertion in Queue,
 - We add element at the end of the linked list.

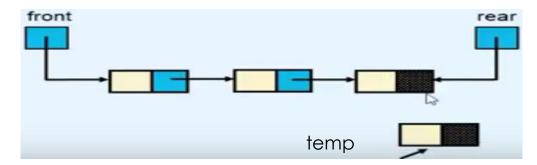
Insert Operation



- If the linked list is empty, front=NULL rear=NULL
- After insertion, Both rear and front will point to the newly inserted node

Insert Operation





rear->link=temp; temp

If the linked list is not empty,

 Rear will point to the newly inserted node

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Insert Operation

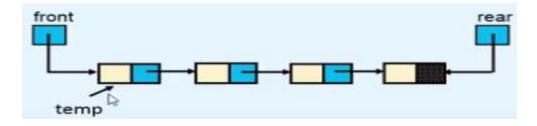
```
insert()
        struct node *tmp;
        int added_item;
        tmp = (struct node *)malloc(sizeof(struct node));
        printf("Input the element for adding in queue:");
        scanf("%d",&added_item);
        tmp->info = added_item;
        tmp->link=NULL;
        if(front==NULL)
                                     /*If Queue is empty*/
                  front=tmp;
                  rear=tmp;
        else
                  rear->link=tmp;
        rear=tmp;
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}/*End of insert()*/
```

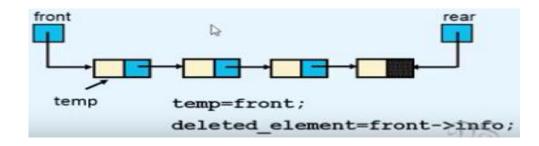
Delete Operation

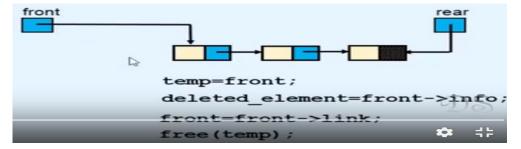
- o For Deletion in Queue,
 - We delete the first node of the linked list

Deletion Operation









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Delete Operation

```
del()
         struct node *tmp;
         if(front == NULL)
                  printf("Queue Underflow\n");
         else
                  tmp=front;
                  printf("Deleted element is %d\n",tmp->info);
                  front=front->link;
                  free(tmp);
}/*End of del()*/
```

Display Operation

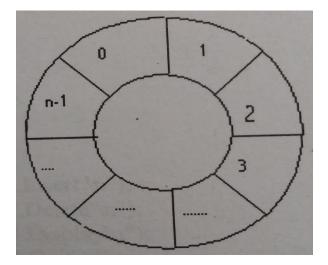
```
display()
          struct node *ptr;
          ptr = front;
          if(front == NULL)
                    printf("Queue is empty\n");
          else
                    printf("Queue elements:\n");
                    while(ptr != NULL)
                               printf("%d ",ptr->info);
                               ptr = ptr->link;
                    printf("\n");
         }/*End of else*/
}/*End of display()*/
```

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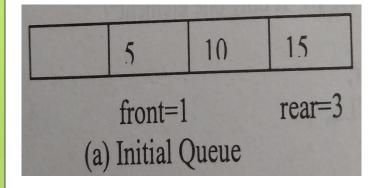
Circular Queue

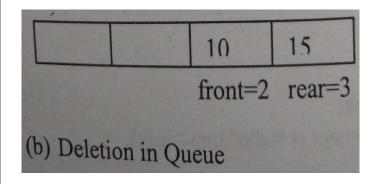
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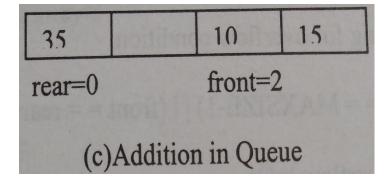
- As in a circle, after last element, first element occurs
- Similarly we assume that after last element of queue, the 1st element will occur

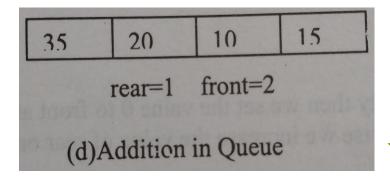


• After n-1the element, 0th element occurs.

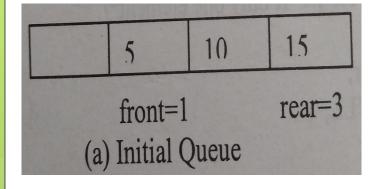


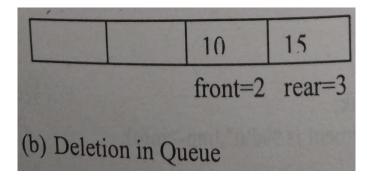




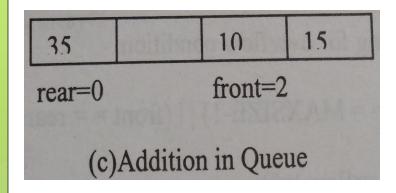


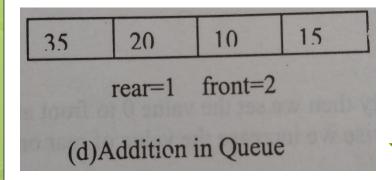
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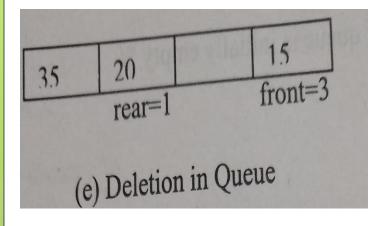


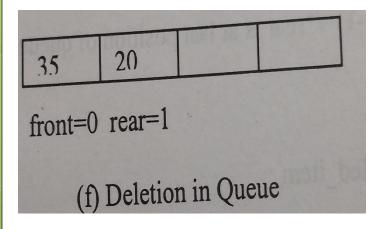


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Rear comes and stands just behind front

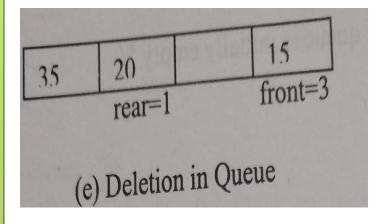
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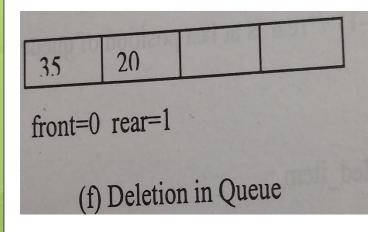


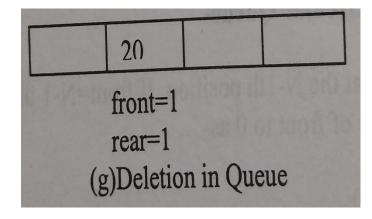


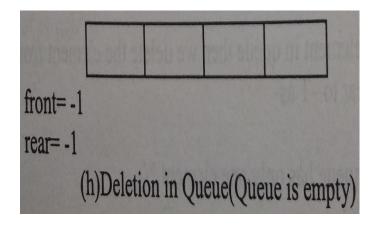
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Circular Queue Implementation using Arrays

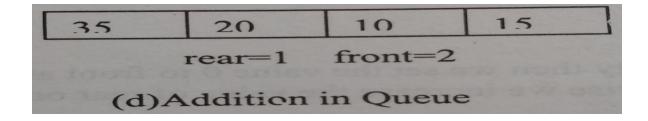
```
# define MAX 5
int cqueue_arr[MAX];
int front = -1;
int rear = -1;
```

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Insert Operation In Circular Queue

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Overflow Condition in Circular Queue



If Front=Rear + 1

CIRCULAR EFFECT

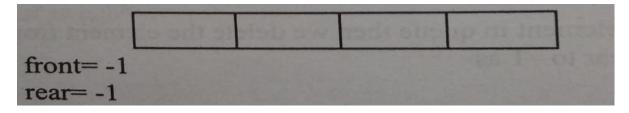
Or

IF Front =0 and Rear=Maxsize-1

Overflow Condition in Circular Queue

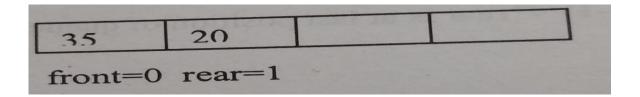
```
if((front == 0 && rear == MAX-1) | | (front == rear+1))
{
    printf("Queue Overflow \n");
    return;
}
```

Add operation in Circular Queue



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- If Queue is initially empty,
 - Then we set front =0 and rear =0
 - Then add the element in the queue



- Otherwise
 - we increase the values of rear only and
 - then the element will be added in queue

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Add operation in Circular Queue/Circular Effect

- If Rear=N-1, then we set the values of Rear =0
 - o add the element at the 0th position of the array
- otherwise element will be added
 - o same as in simple queue

Insert Operation

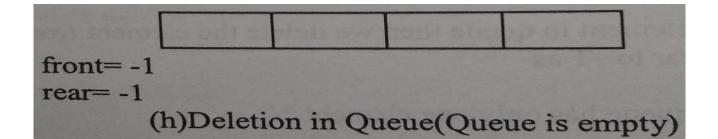
```
insert()
  int added_item;
  if((front == 0 \&\& rear == MAX-
1) | | (front == rear+1))
     printf("Queue Overflow
\n");
     return:
  if (front == -1) /*If queue is
empty */
     front = 0;
     rear = 0;
```

```
else
    if(rear == MAX-1)/*rear is at
last position of queue */
       rear = 0:
    else
       rear = rear + 1;
  printf("Input the element for
insertion in queue:");
  scanf("%d", &added_item);
  cqueue_arr[rear] =
added_item;
}/*End of insert()*/
```

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Delete Operation In Circular Queue

Underflow Condition lin Circular Queue



If Front=-1

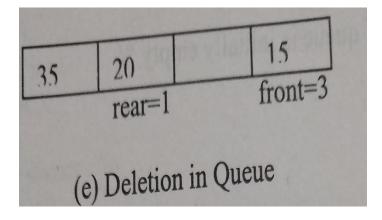
Queue is empty

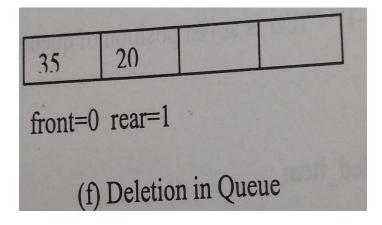
Delete operation in Circular Queue/Circular

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Effect

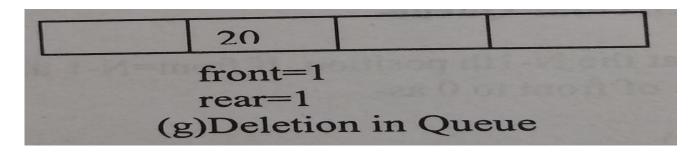
- If Front=N-1, then
 - we delete the element and
 - set the values of Front =0
- otherwise element will be deleted
 - o same as in simple queue





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If there is only One element in Circular Queue



```
front= -1
rear= -1
(h)Deletion in Queue(Queue is empty)
```

- Whenever front and rear are equal and value is other than -1,
 - It means only one element if left in the Queue,
- So, On deletion, the Queue becomes empty,
 - Thus Both Front and Rear become -1

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Delete Operation

```
del()
{
    if (front == -1)
    {
       printf("Queue Underflow\n");
       return;
    }
    printf("Element deleted from
    queue is:%d\n",cqueue_arr[front]);
```

```
if(front == rear) /* queue has
only one element */
     front = -1;
     rear=-1;
else
     if(front == MAX-1)
       front = 0;
     else
       front = front+1;
}/*End of del() */
```

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Display Operation In Circular Queue

Display operation in Circular Queue

```
front= -1
rear= -1
```

Case 1:

 First check Queue Underflow condition i.e. Queue is empty-

```
int front_pos = front,rear_pos = rear;
if(front == -1)
{
         printf("Queue is empty\n");
         return;
}
```

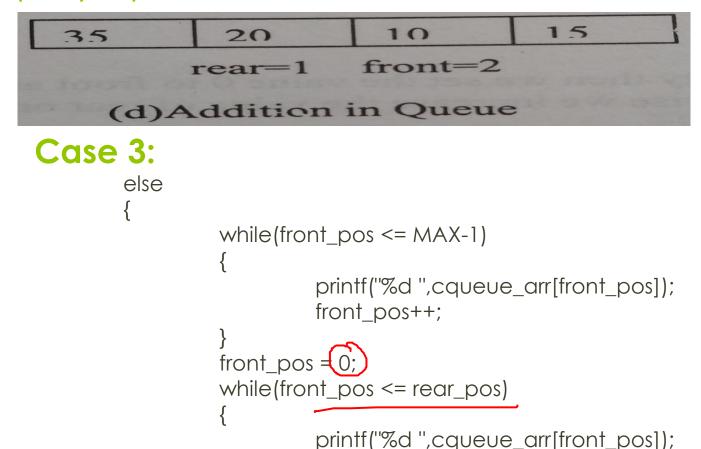
Display operation in Circular Queue

```
front=1 rear=3

(a) Initial Queue
```

Case 2:

Display operation in Circular Queue



front_pos++;

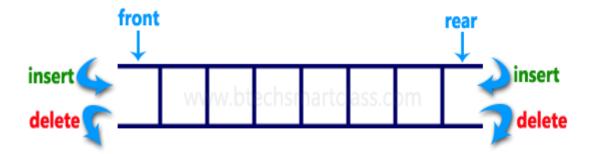
}/*End of else */

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Double ended Queue

Double ended Queue

- Dequeue
- Double Ended Queue
- We can add or delete the element from both sides.



Double ended Queue

- Dequeue can be of 2 types-
 - 1. Input Restricted
 - 2. Output restricted

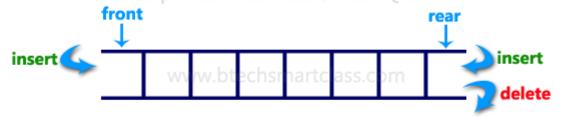
Double ended Queue

- Input Restricted Dequeue-
 - Element can be added at only one end but element can be deleted from both sides.

Input Restricted Double Ended Queue



- Output restricted Dequeue
 - Element can be added from both sides but deletion is allowed only at one end



Double ended Queue

- Dequeue can be of 2 types-
 - 1. Input Restricted-
 - Right Input Restricted
 - Left Input Restricted
 - 2) Output restricted
 - Right Output Restricted
 - Left Output Restricted

Double ended Queue

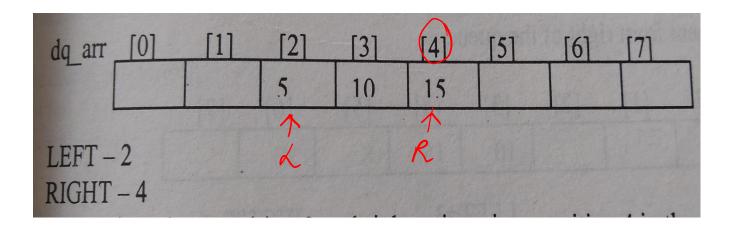
- Two Pointer needed-
 - Left
 - Right
- Left –indicates the left position of the queue
- Right –indicates the right position of the queue

Working of Dequeue

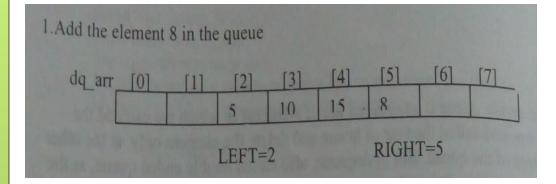
- We assume Circular array for addition and deletion operations
- Lets take an Right Input restricted Dequeue
- We can add element only on the right side of the queue but
- We can delete from both sides

Double ended Queue

• Example of Queue



Working of Dequeue

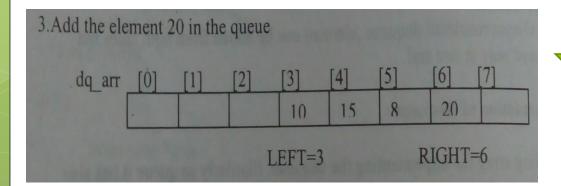


2.Delete the element from left of the queue

dq_arr [0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7]

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LEFT=3 RIGHT=5

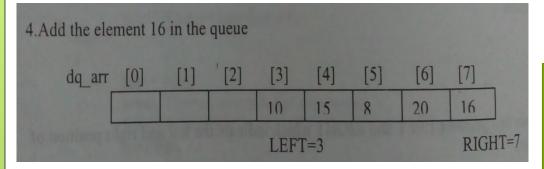


Right=Right+1 Add element at Right

Delete element from Left
Left=Left+1

Right=Right+1 Add element at Right

Working of Dequeue



5.Delete the element from right of the queue

dq_arr [0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7]

10 15 8 20

LEFT=3 RIGHT=6

6. Add the element. 30 in the queue

dq_arr_[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6] [7]

10 15 8 20 30

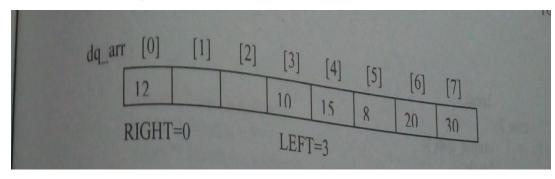
LEFT=3 RIGHT=7

Right=Right+1 Add element at Right

Delete element from Right Right=Right-1

Right=Right+1 Add element at Right

Working of Dequeue



9.Add the element 6 in the queue

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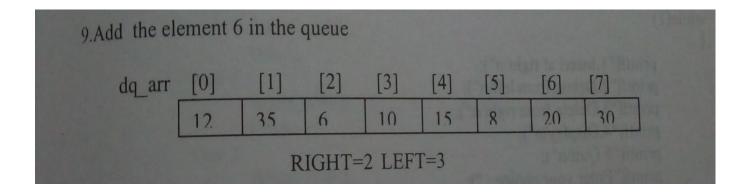
RIGHT=2 LEFT=3

Right=MAX-1 So Right=0 Add element at Right

Right=Right+1 Add element at Right

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Insert Operation



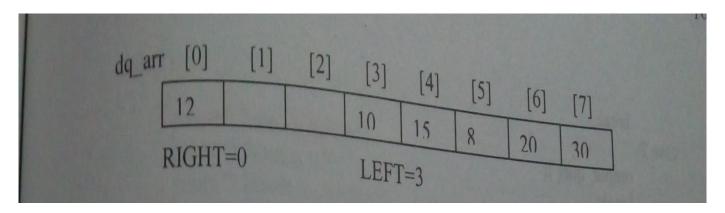
To check if Queue is Full-

Insert Operation

If initially Queue is empty, then both the pointers are incremented

```
if (left == -1) /* if queue is initially empty */
{
    left = 0;
    right = 0;
}
```

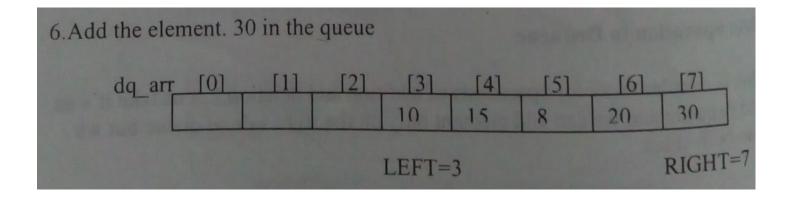
Insert Right Operation/Circular Effect-



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- If right == MAX-1, then we set the values of right =0
 - o add the element at the 0th position of the array

Insert Right Operation/Circular Effect-



- o otherwise element will be added
 - same as in simple queue, right=right+1

Insert Right Operation

```
insert_right()
           int added item;
           if((left == 0 \&\& right == MAX-1))
| | (left == right+1))
                       printf("Queue
Overflow\n");
                       return:
           if (left == -1) /* if queue is
initially empty */
                       left = 0:
                       right = 0;
```

Insert Left Operation/Circular Effect-

- If left == 0, then we set the values of left =MAX-1
 - o add the element at the MAX-1 th position of the array
- otherwise element will be added
 - o same as in left=left-1

Insert Left Operation

```
insert_left()
          int added_item;
          if((left == 0 \&\& right == MAX-1))
| | (left == right+1))
                       printf("Queue
Overflow \n");
                      return;
          if (left == -1)/*If queue is initially
empty*/
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```

```
else
          if(left==0)
                     left=MAX-1;
          else
                     left=left-1;
          printf("Input the element for adding
in queue:");
          scanf("%d", &added_item);
          deque_arr[left] = added_item ;
}/*End of insert_left()*/
```

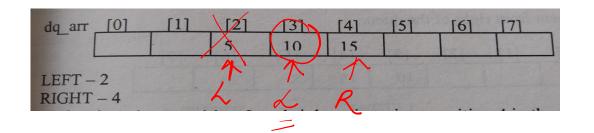
Delete Operation

To check if Queue is Empty-

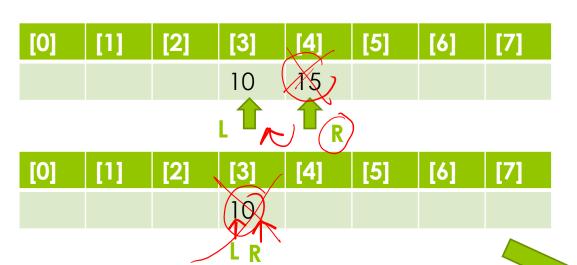
```
if (left == -1)
{
         printf("Queue Underflow\n");
         return;
}
```

Delete Operation

To check if Queue has only one element-



Left=2 Right=4



Delete at Left Left=Left+1 Left=3 Right=4

> Delete at Right Left=3 Right=3 Right=Right-1

L=-1 }

let as in (8) as in sq

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Delete Operation

To check if Queue has only one element-

```
if(left == right) /*queue has only one element*/
{
    left = -1;
    right=-1;
}
```

Delete Left Operation/Circular Effect-

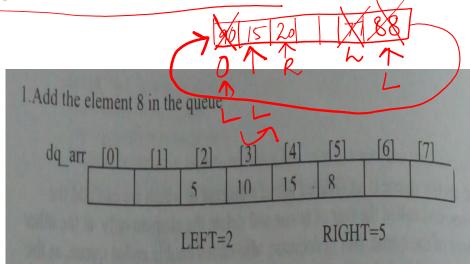
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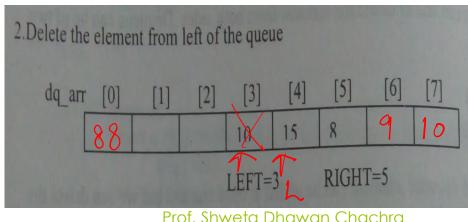
If left == MAX-1, then

- Delete the element and
- Set the values of left =0



And left=left+1





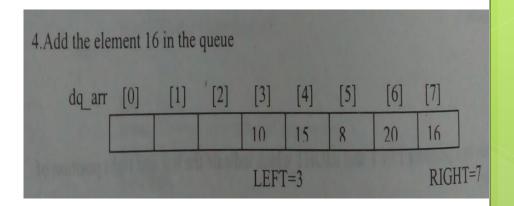
Delete Left Operation

```
delete_left()
{
         if (left == -1)
         {
             printf("Queue
Underflow\n");
         return;
         }
         printf("Element deleted from queue is: %d\n",deque_arr[left]);
```

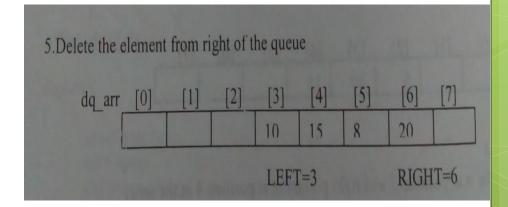
```
if(left == right) /*Queue has only one
element */
                   left = -1;
                    right=-1;
         else
                   if(left == MAX-1)
                              left = 0;
                    else
                              left = left+1;
}/*End of delete_left()*/
```

Delete Right Operation/Circular Effect-

- If right == 0, then
 - Delete the element and
 - Set the values of right =MAX-1



- otherwise element will be deleted
 - And right=right-1



Delete Right Operation

Display Operation/Circular Effect-

od, Overflow

• Same as Circular Queue

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Display Operation

```
display_queue()
            int front_pos = left,rear_pos = right;
            if(left == -1)
                          printf("Queue is empty\n");
                          return:
            printf("Queue elements:\n");
            if( front_pos <= rear_pos )</pre>
                          while(front_pos <= rear_pos)</pre>
                                       printf("%d
",deque_arr[front_pos]);
                                       front_pos++;
```

```
else
                         while(front pos <= MAX-1)
                                      printf("%d
",deque_arr[front_pos]);
                                      front_pos++;
                         front_pos = 0;
                         while(front_pos <= rear_pos)</pre>
                                      printf("%d
",deque arr[front pos]);
                                      front pos++;
            }/*End of else */
            printf("\n");
}/*End of display_queue() */
```

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Priority Queue

Priority Queue

 A priority queue is a data structure used for storing a set S of elements, based on a key value, which denotes the priority of that element.

Priority Queue

- The priority determines the order in which they exit the queue.
- Every element of queue has some priority and based on that priority it will be processed.

Priority Queue

- Element of higher priority will be processed/removed before the element that has low priority
- With 2 elements of same priority, FIFO rule will be the tie breaker
 - The element that comes first in the queue, will be processed first.

Priority Queue

Generally

- Smaller Numbers => Higher Priorities
- Bigger Numbers =>Lower Priority

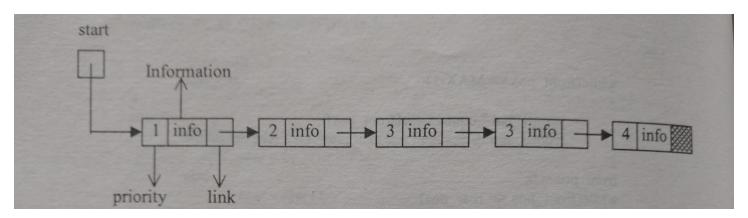
Priority Queue

- In computer implementation, Priority Queue is used In CPU scheduling algorithm.
- Processes with Higher priority are allocated the CPU first.

Linked List Implementation of Priority Queue

Structure of Linked List-

```
struct pq{
    int priority;
    int data;
    struct pq *link;
}
```



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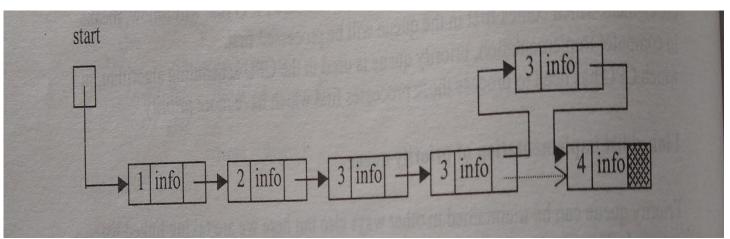
Operations in Priority Queue

Similar to other Queues, Priority Queues also have:

- Add Operation
- Deletion Operation

Add Operation in Priority Queue

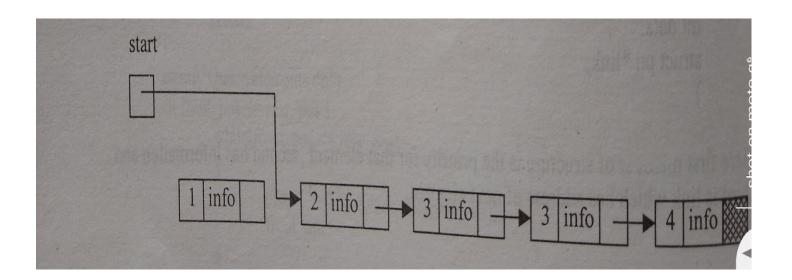
- Same as Insertion in Sorted Linked List
- Insert the new element on the basis of priority of element
- The new element will be inserted before the element which has less priority than new element



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Deletion Operation in Priority Queue

 Deletion of First element of the linked list because it has more priority than other elements of Queue



Applications of Priority Queue

- 1) CPU Scheduling
- 2) Graph algorithms like Dijkstra's shortest path algorithm, Prim's Minimum Spanning Tree, etc
- 3) All queue applications where priority is involved.

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