

Function	Common name	Running time
$O(n!)$	Factorial	forever?
$O(2^c), c > 1$	Exponential	> century
$O(n^c), c > 3$	Polynomial	
$O(n^3)$	Cubic	31.7 years
$O(n^2)$	Quadratic	2.8 hours
$O(n \sqrt{n})$		31.6 seconds
$O(n \log n)$	Linearithmic / Loglinear	1.2 seconds
$O(n)$	Linear	0.1 second
$O(\sqrt{n})$	Root-n	$3.2 * 10^{-4}$ seconds
$O(\log n)$	Logarithmic	$1.2 * 10^{-5}$ seconds
$O(\log \log n)$	Double Logarithmic	
$O(1)$	Constant	

<b>bag</b>	<b>stack</b>	<b>queue</b>	<b>deque</b>
add	push	addBack	addBack
contains	pop	removeFront	addFront
remove	top	front	removeFront
	isEmpty	isEmpty	removeBack
			front
			back
			isEmpty

### Applications

**stack**

- 1) Back and Forward Buttons in a Web Browser
- 2) Buffered Character Input
- 3) Checking Balanced Parenthesis
- 4) Conversion of infix to postfix
- 5) Evaluation of a postfix expression

**Queues:** simulations (ie simulate a bank line/queue)  
any collection where time is important

The **linked list** maintains a reference to a collection of elements of type link and allocates a new link every time a new element is added to the ADT. In contrast, a **dynamic array** uses a fixed large block of memory allocated at runtime. While inserting a link is a simple  $O(1)$  operation, inserting an element into a full of array has an expensive  $O(n)$  operation because a new array has to be created and all the elements copied over. Similarly, inserting an element within an **array** or deleting an element from the array are also costly, since all of the subsequent elements have to be shifted to accommodate a new element or to fill the gap from the element removed, both of these operations have a complexity of  $O(n)$  as well. Meanwhile, maintaining a **linked list** is much simpler, with adding, inserting, and removing all having the same complexity of  $O(1)$ . Unfortunately, the **linked list** has 2 shortcomings: finding an element is always a  $O(n)$  operation, because linked lists don't have the capacity for indexing, unlike arrays. Also, **linked lists** consume more memory because while the array only needs to allocate 1 block of memory for every element it holds, the linked list has to allocate 1 block for the data and 1 or 2 blocks for pointers. Additionally, accessing the data is faster in an **array** because the elements are stored in contiguous memory, whereas traversing an array requires that the computer follow a trail of pointers from one link to another.

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assert(index < da->size);      assert (index >= 0);          assert (da != 0);
struct dLink * newLink;
newLink = malloc (sizeof (struct dLink));
assert (newLink != NULL);

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