



[SWE2015-42] Introduction to Data Structures (자료구조개론)

Queues

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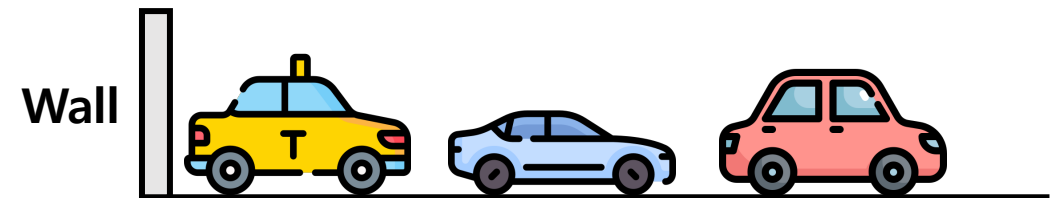


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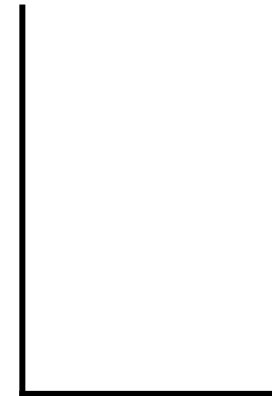


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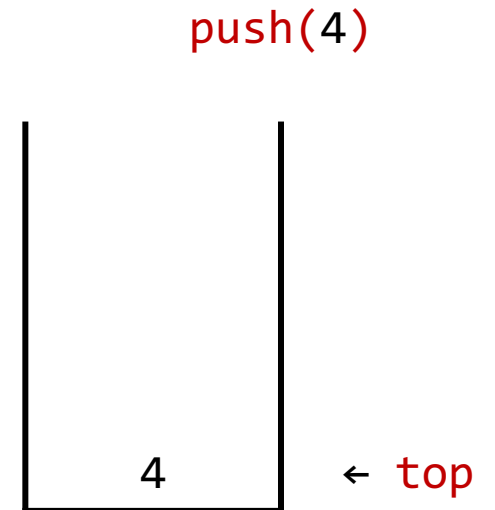


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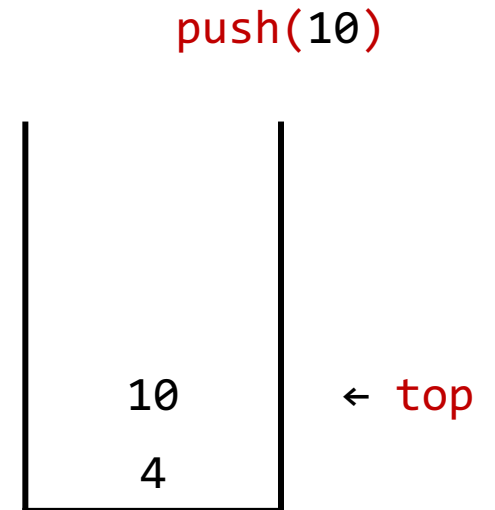
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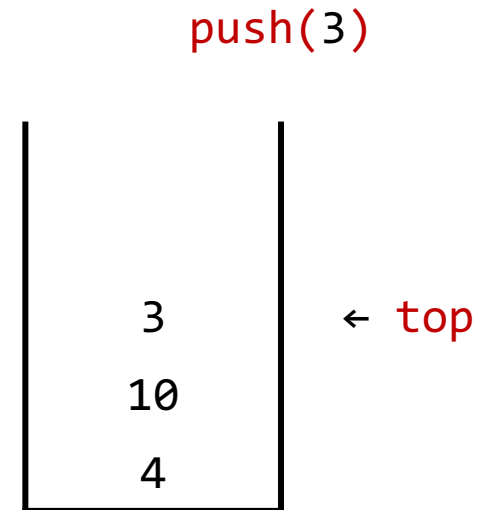
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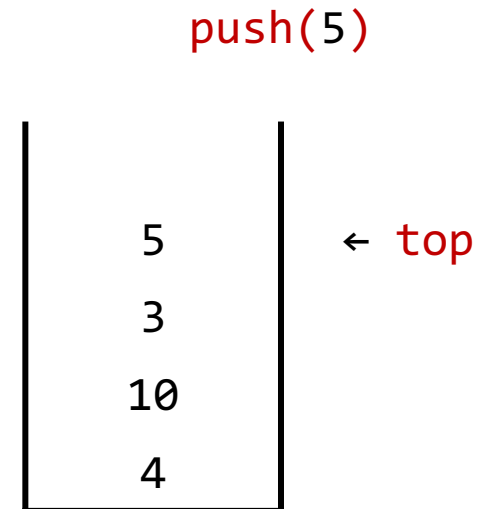
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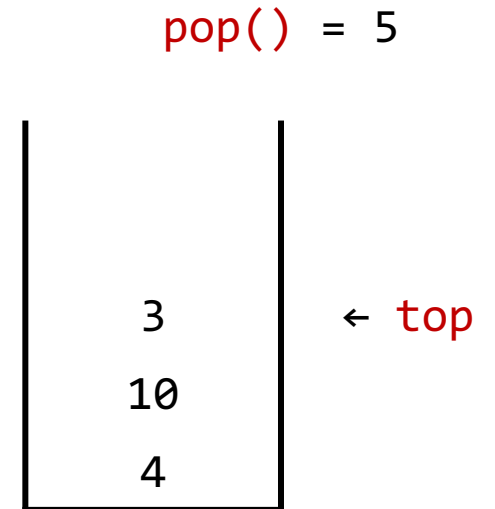
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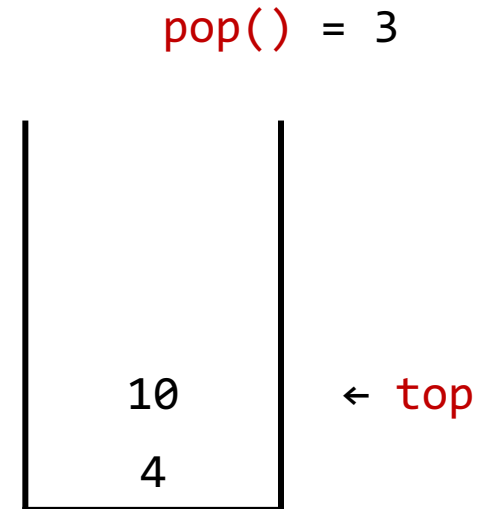
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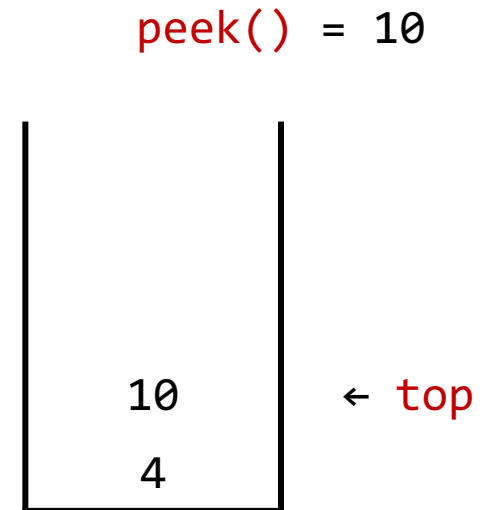
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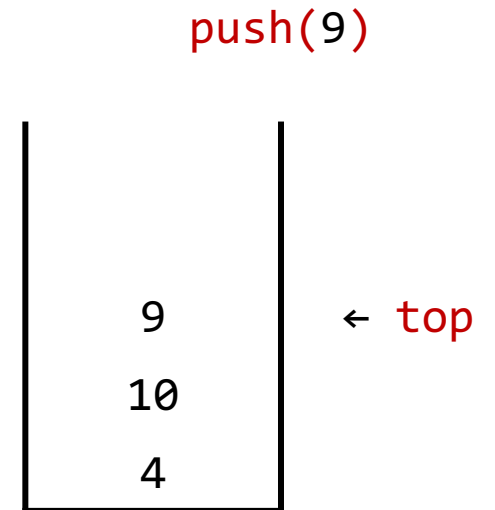
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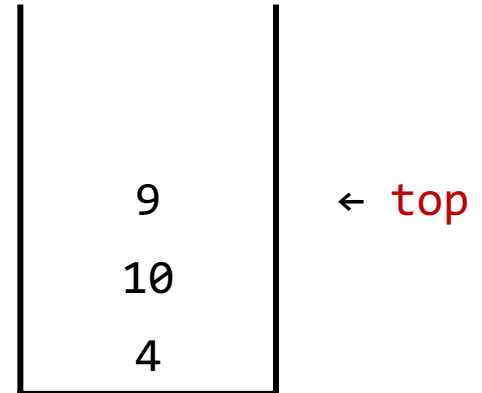
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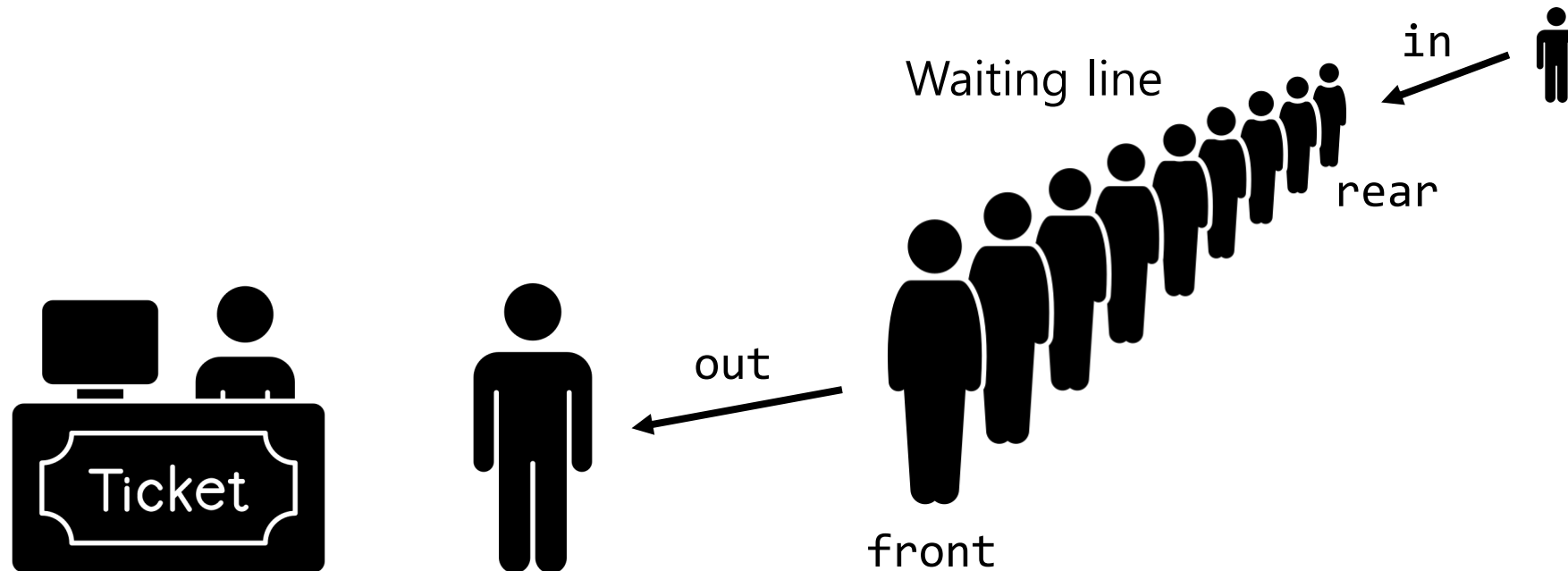
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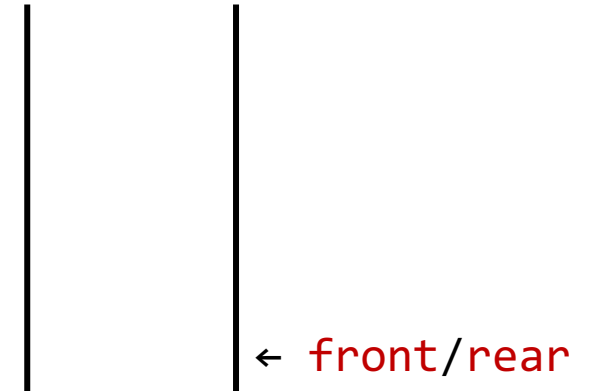


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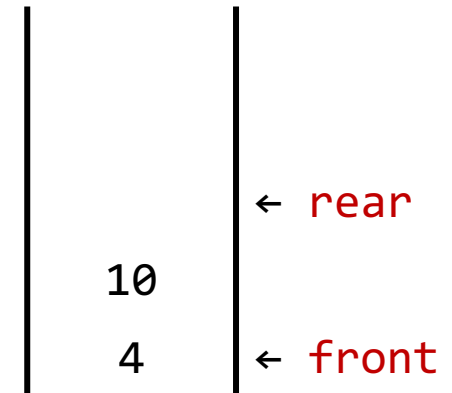
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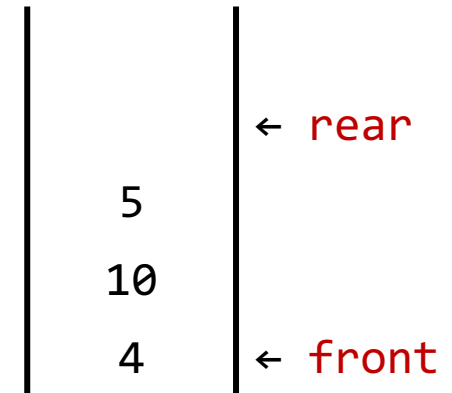


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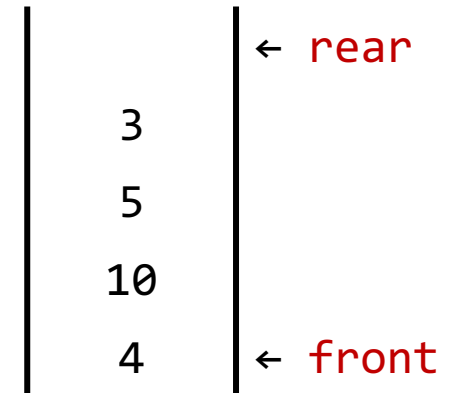
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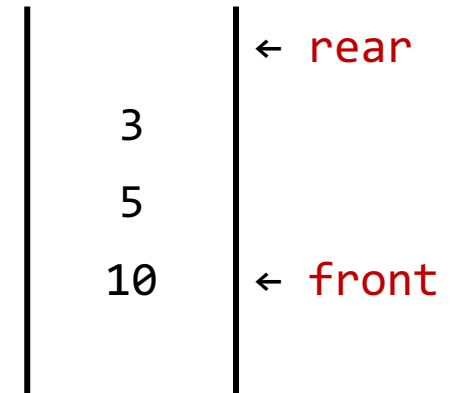


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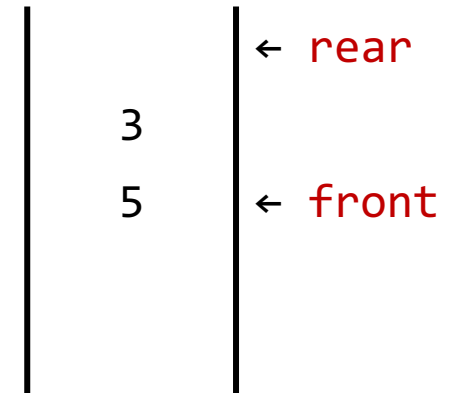


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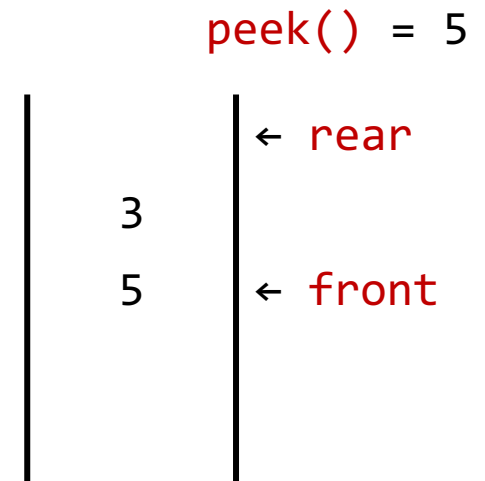
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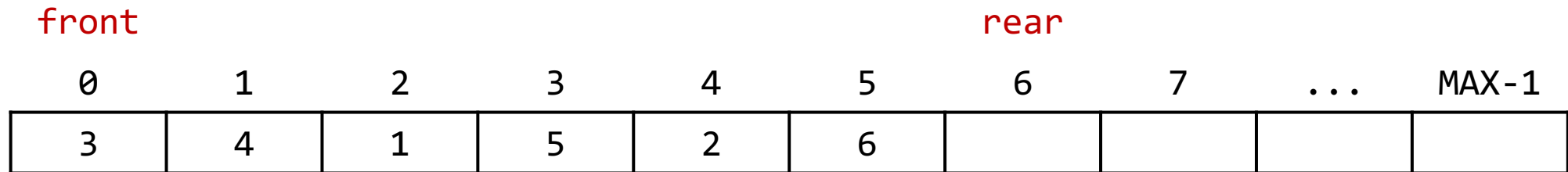


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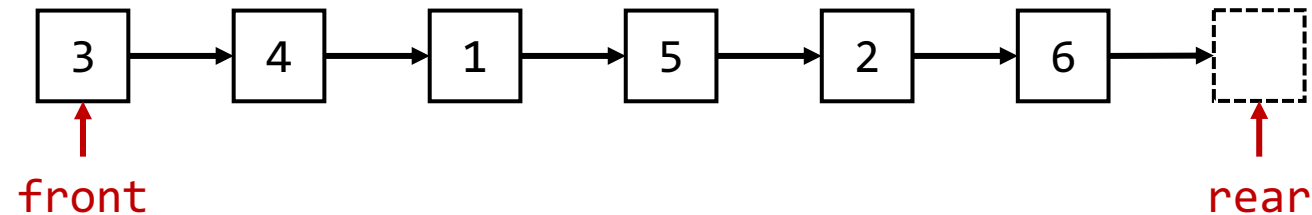


- You have **two options** for queue implementation

1. Use Array



2. Use Linked list



Queues - Array-based Implementation



- How to implement a queue using the array structure?

front						rear				
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	...	MAX-1	
3	4	1	5	2	6					

```
#define MAX_SIZE 100
typedef struct _Queue {
    int front, rear;           // front, rear indices
    int items[MAX_SIZE];      // array for queue elements
} Queue;

Queue createQueue();
void removeQueue(Queue *queue); // nothing to do here
bool isEmpty(Queue *queue);
bool isFull(Queue *queue);
void enqueue(Queue *queue, int item);
int dequeue(Queue *queue);
int peek(Queue *queue);
```


Queues - Array-based Implementation



- How to implement a queue using **the array structure?**

- **front(F)** - the position where deletions can be done
- **rear(R)** - the position where insertions can be done

(Q) What is the empty state?

- When **front** == **rear**

F/R										
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	...	MAX-1	MAX
										N/A

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- When **rear** == MAX_SIZE

	F									R
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	...	MAX-1	MAX
	5	8	0	3	2	4	1	...	9	N/A

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```
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    // Declare a new queue  
    // Set the initial value for the front index  
    // Set the initial value for the rear index  
    // Return the new queue  
}  
  
bool isEmpty(Queue *queue) {  
    // Check whether queue is empty or not  
}  
  
bool isFull(Queue *queue) {  
    // Check whether queue is full or not  
}
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- How to implement a queue using the array structure?

```
Queue createQueue() {
    Queue newQueue;           // Declare a new queue
    newQueue.front = 0;        // Set the initial value for the front index
    newQueue.rear = 0;         // Set the initial value for the rear index
    return newQueue;           // Return the new queue
}

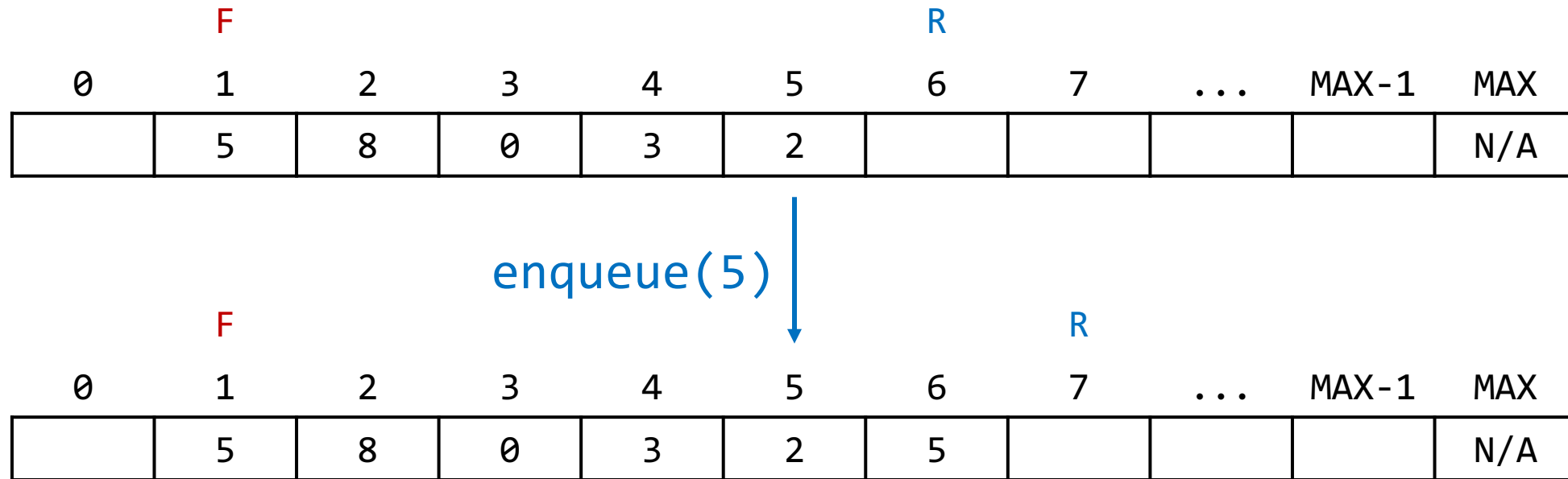
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    return newQueue->front == newQueue->rear; // Check whether queue is empty or not
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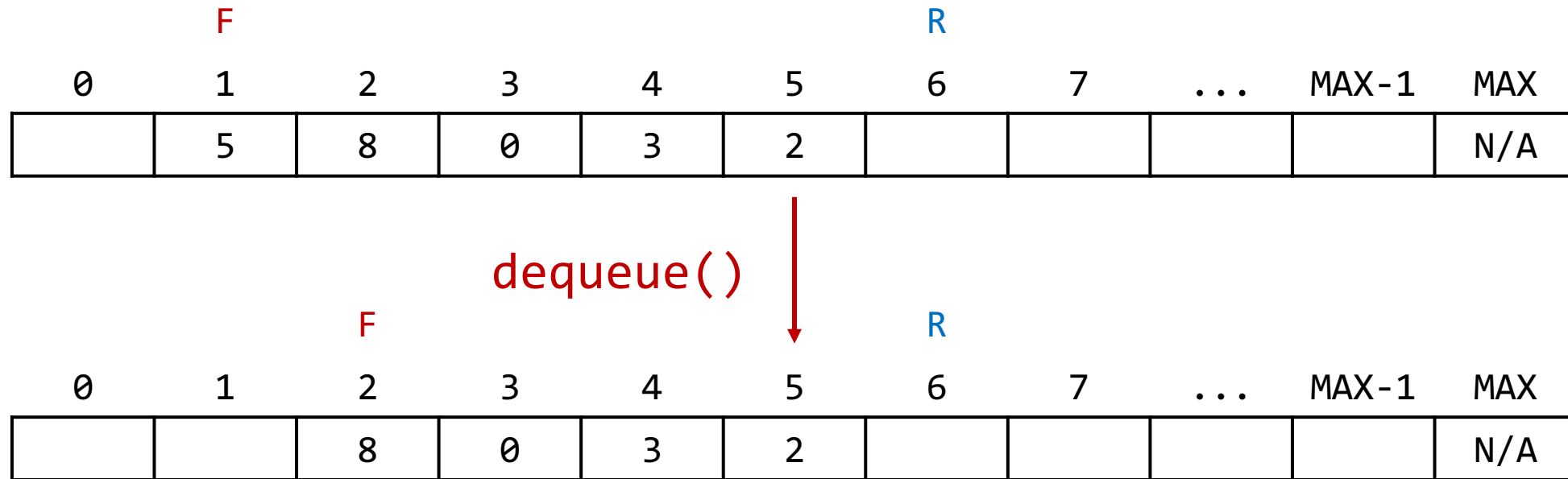
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- How to implement a queue using **the array structure**?
 - **enqueue()** puts an item, and then increases the **rear** index
 - **dequeue()** reads the front item, and then increases the **front** index
 - **peek()** simply reads and returns the front item

F						R				
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	...	MAX-1	MAX
	5	8	0	3	2					N/A

peek() → 5

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- How to implement a queue using the array structure?

```
void enqueue(Queue *queue, int item) {  
    // Put item into queue at rear  
    // Increase rear index  
}  
  
int dequeue(Queue *queue) {  
    // Read front element  
    // Increase front index  
    // Return previous front element  
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    // Return front element  
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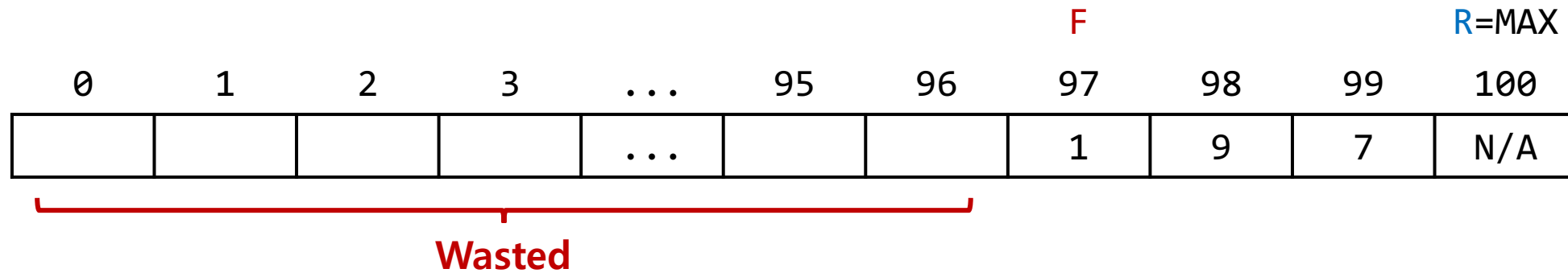
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    queue->items[queue->rear] = item; // Put item into queue at rear  
    queue->rear ++;                  // Increase rear index  
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    int item = queue[queue->front]; // Read front element  
    queue->front ++;                // Increase front index  
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    return queue[queue->front]; // Return front element  
}
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- **Corner cases:** You must check a structure is empty or full when insert or delete an element from a structure

Queues - Array-based Implementation



- How to implement a queue using **the array structure?**
 - **An issue:** This implementation cannot fully utilize memory

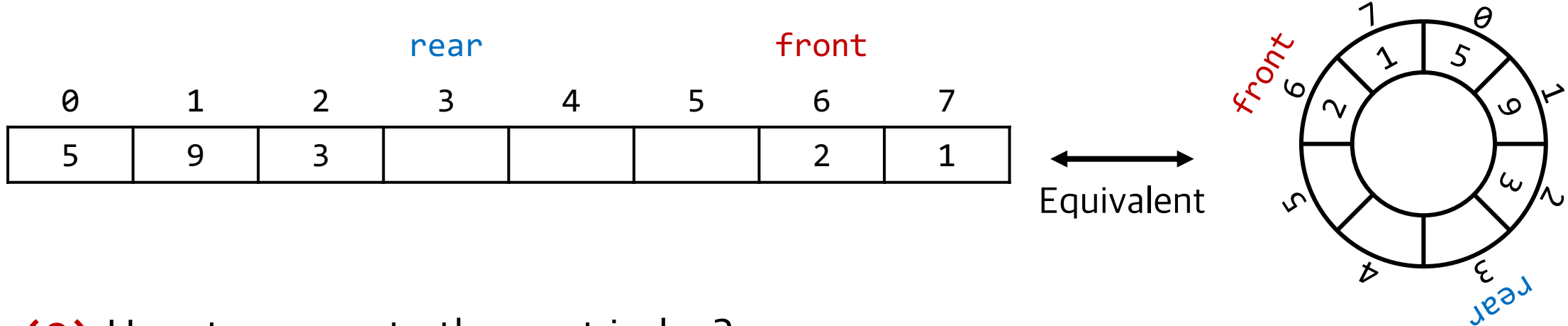


- How to solve the issue?
 - (Approach 1) Use a circular queue
 - (Approach 2) Use linked list for the implementation

Queues - Array-based Implementation



- How to implement a queue using **the array structure**?
 - **Circular queue**: conceptually, the first index comes right after the last index



(Q) How to compute the next index?

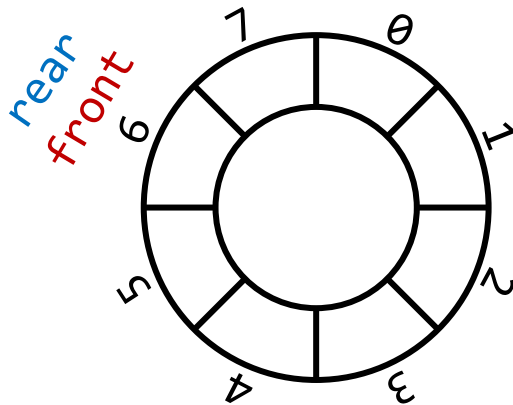
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- $7 = (6 + 1) \% 8$
- $0 = (7 + 1) \% 8$
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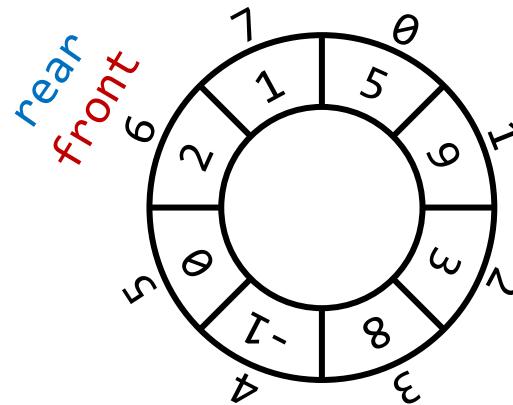
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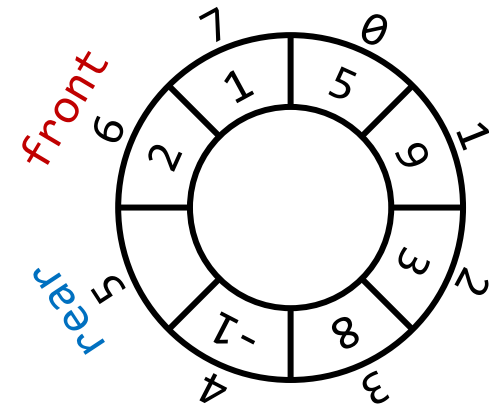
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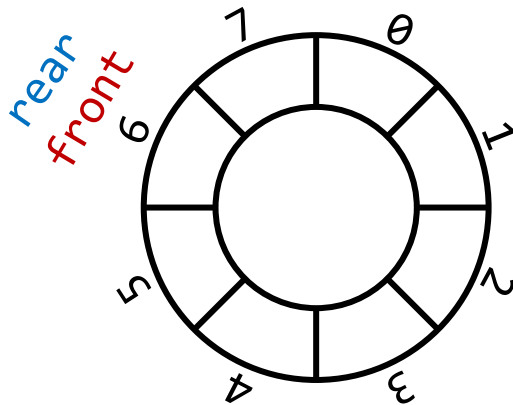


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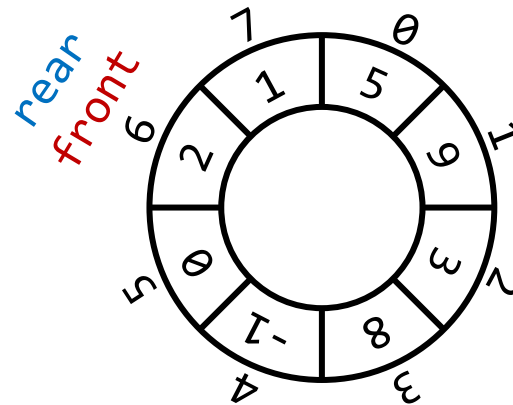


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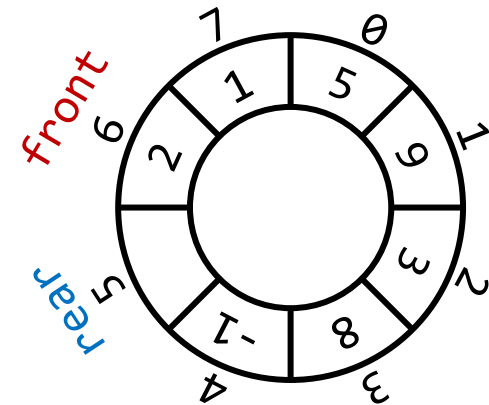
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EMPTY



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NOT REACHABLE STATE



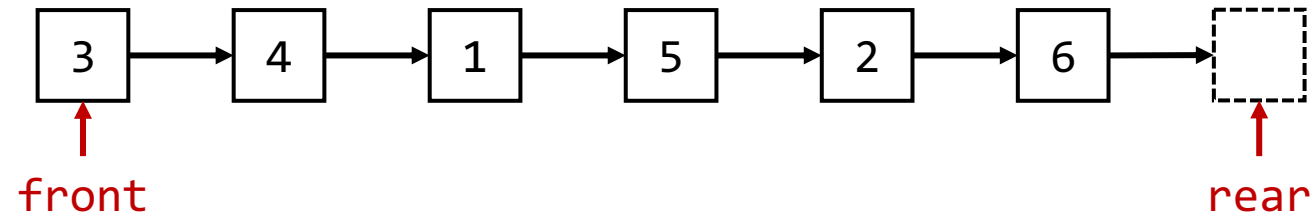
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FULL

Queues - List-based Implementation



- How to implement a queue using the linked list structure?



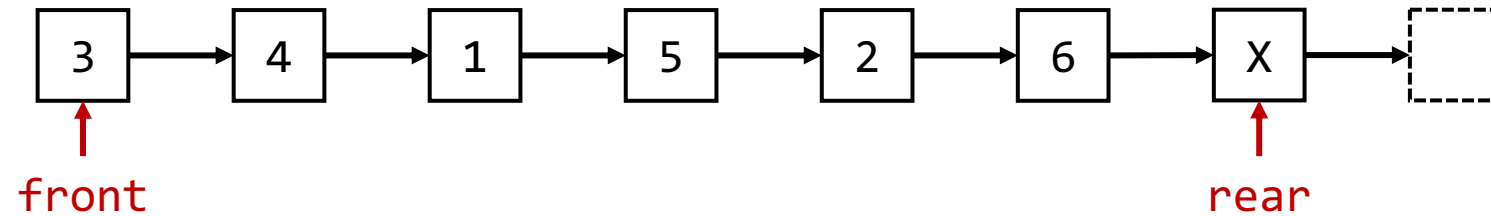
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typedef struct _Node { int item; struct _Node *next; } Node;
typedef struct _Queue {
    Node *front, *rear; // front & rear pointers
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Stack createQueue();
void removeQueue(Queue *queue); // must remove dynamically allocated variables
bool isEmpty(Queue *queue);
bool isFull(Queue *queue);
void enqueue(Queue *queue, int item);
int dequeue(Queue *queue);
int peek(Queue *queue);
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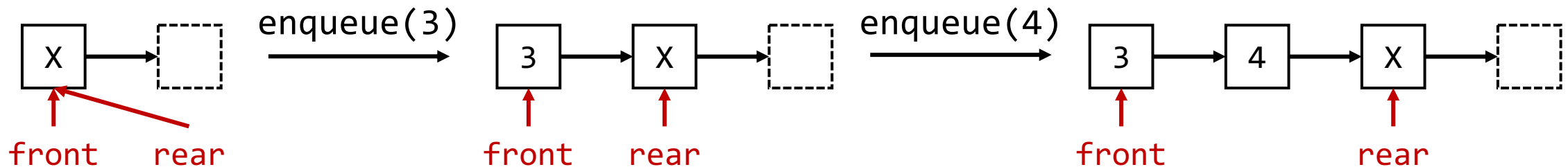
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- For easy implementation, recommend to use a dummy node X at the rear



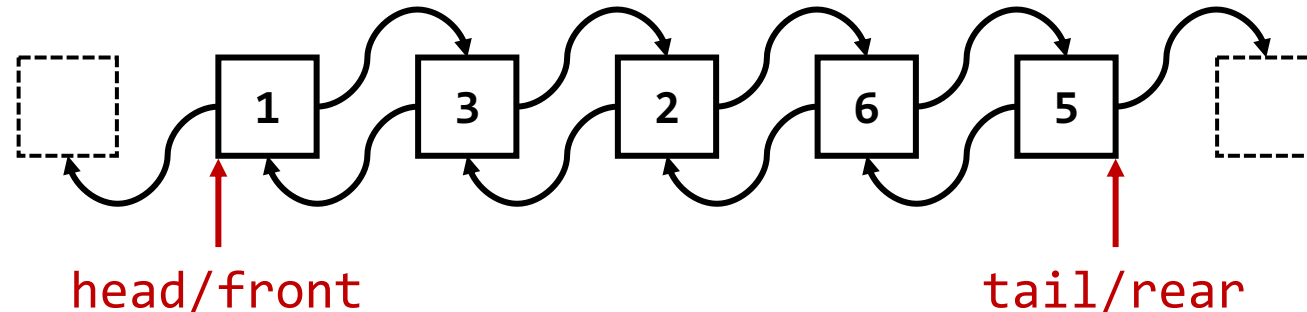
EMPTY

Queues - Variants



(Variant 1) Deque

- The elements in a deque can be added and removed at both the front and the rear
- This is equivalent to a head-tail doubly-linked list



(Variant 2) Priority Queue

- An element with higher priority is processed before an element with a lower priority

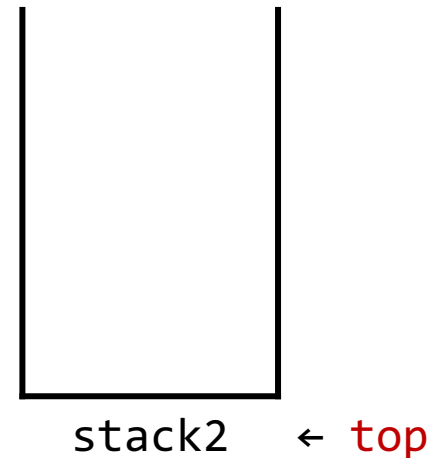
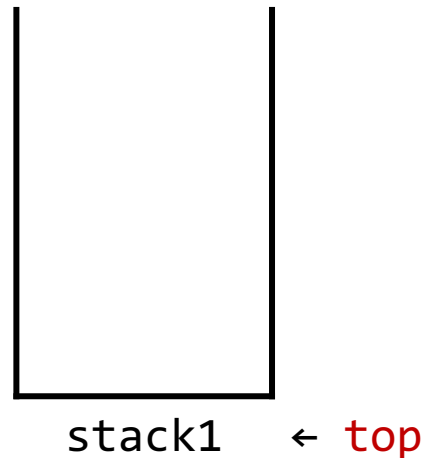


If a smaller value has a higher priority, `dequeue()` removes 1 first

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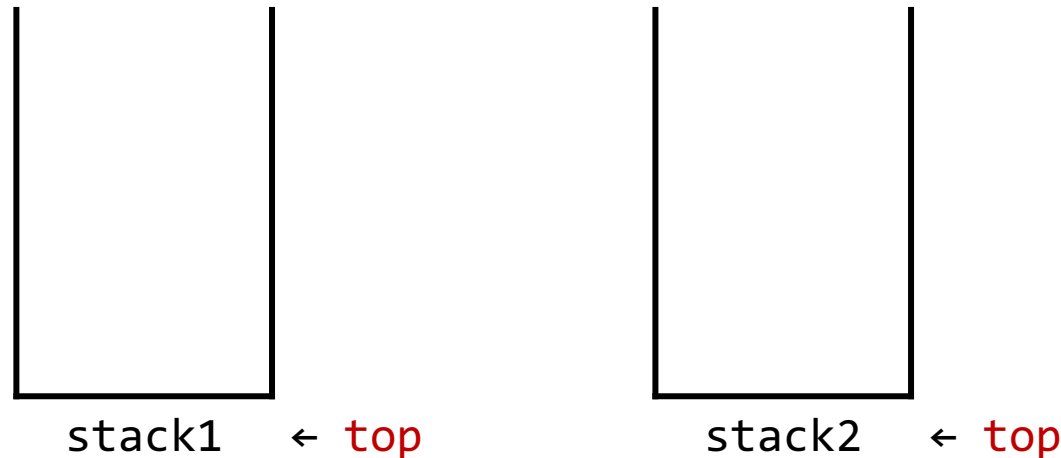
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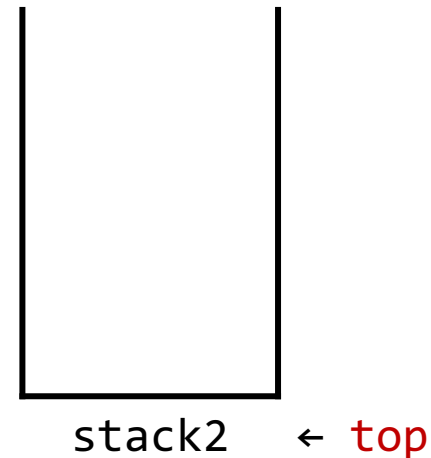
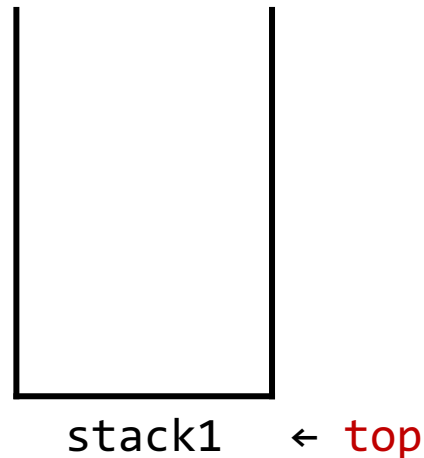
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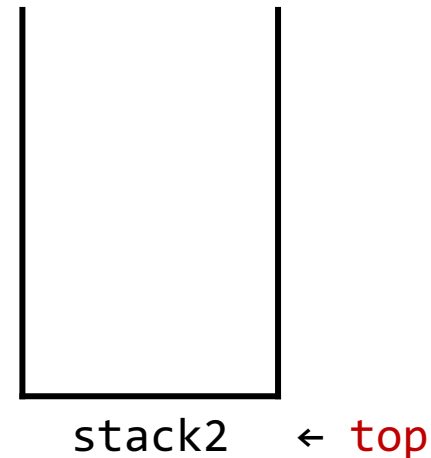
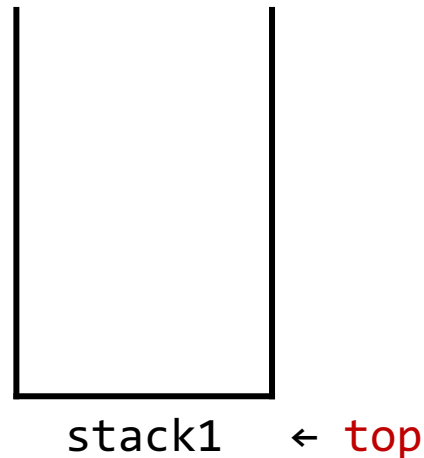
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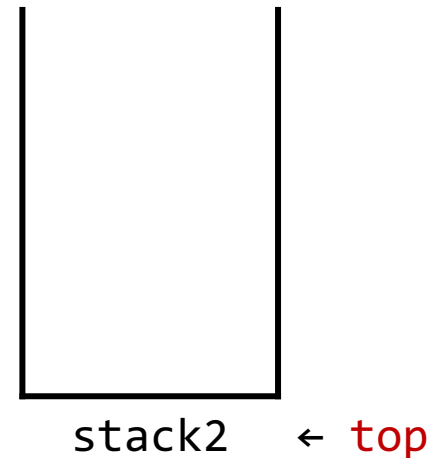
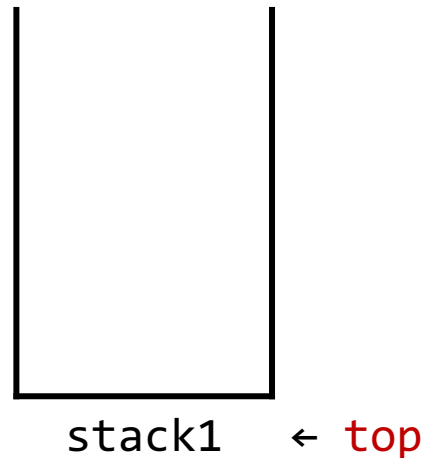
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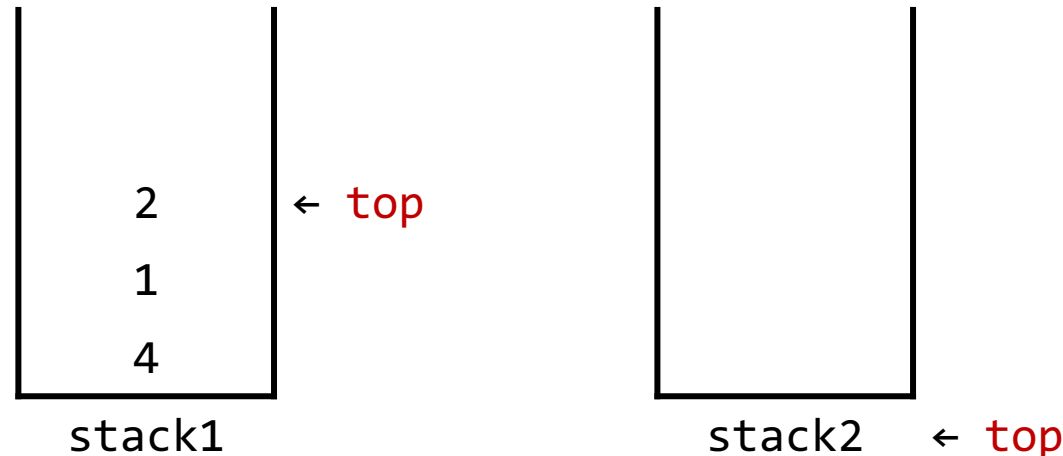


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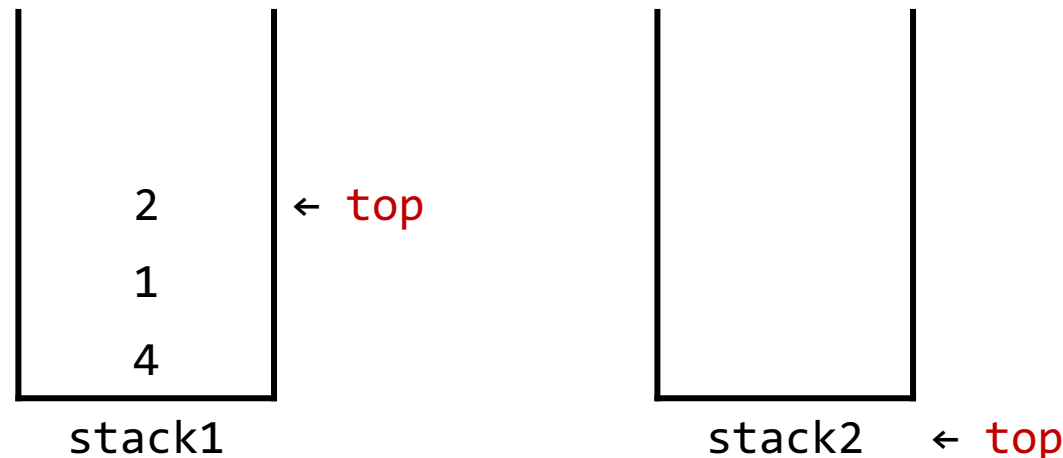
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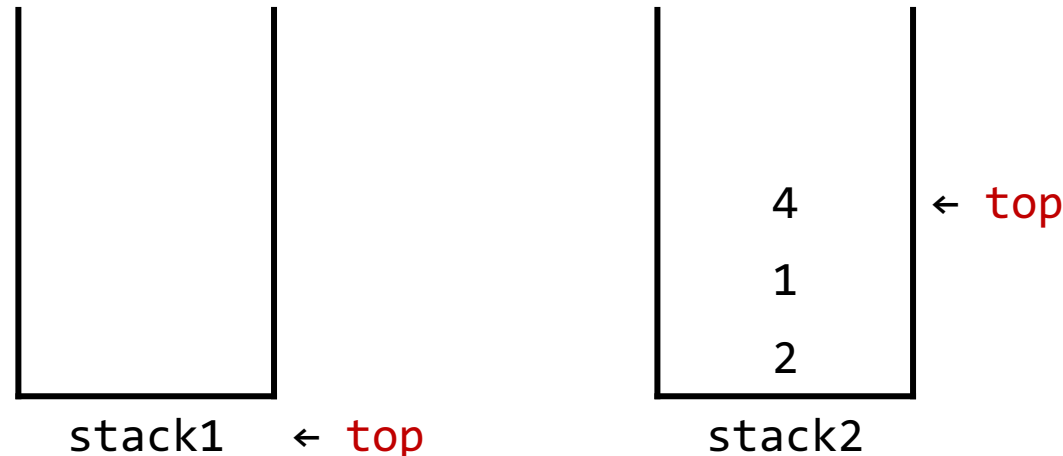
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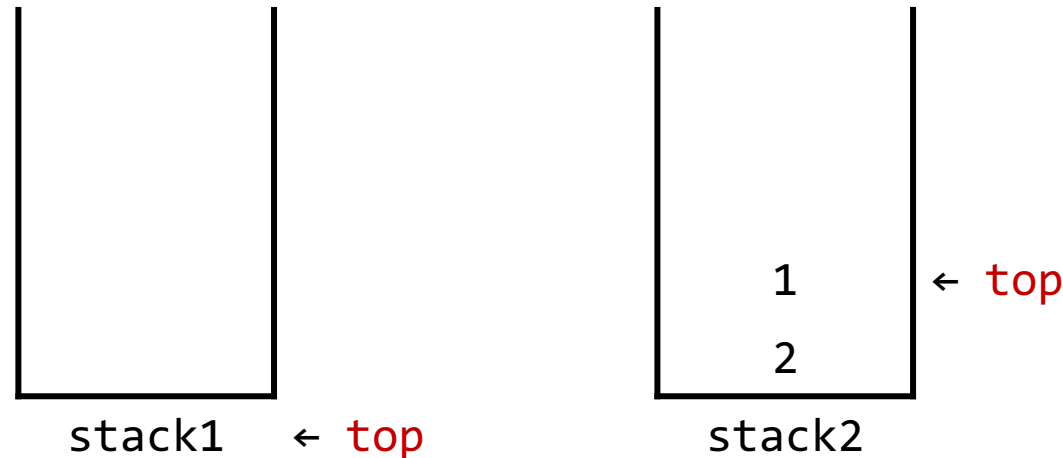
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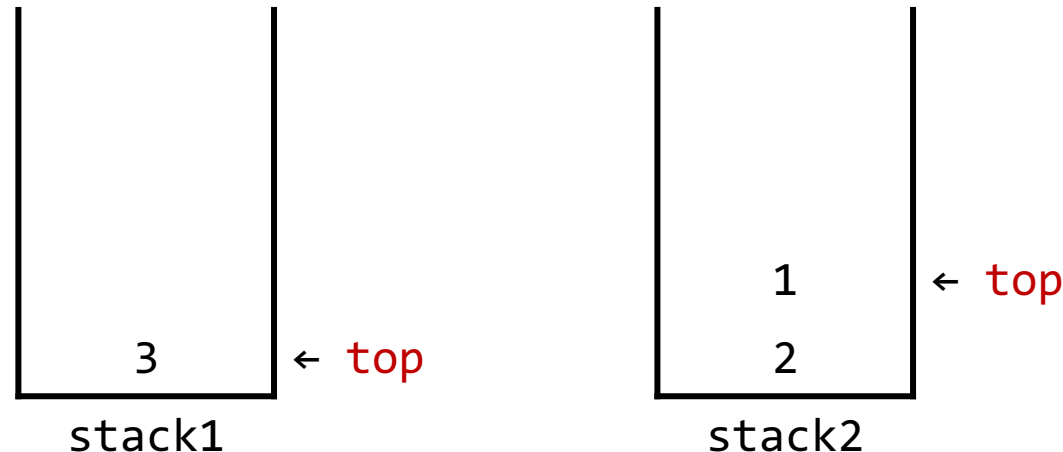
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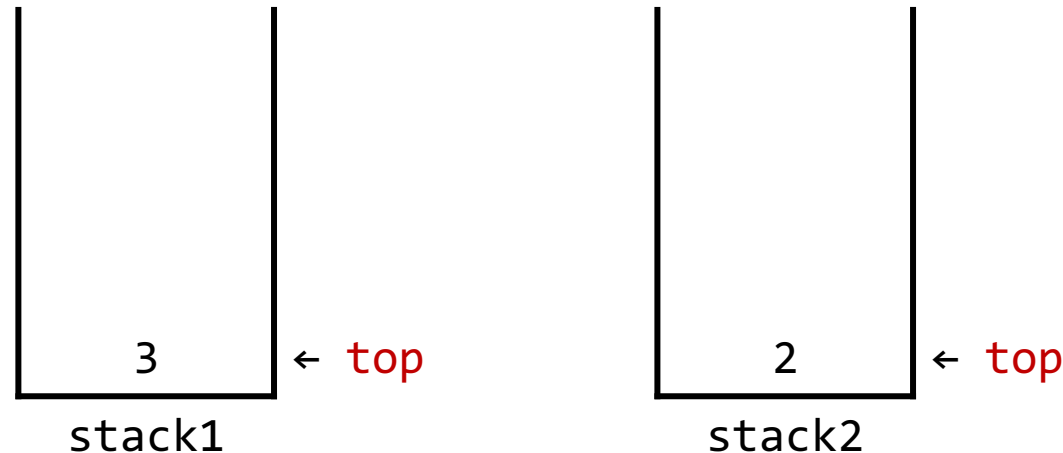


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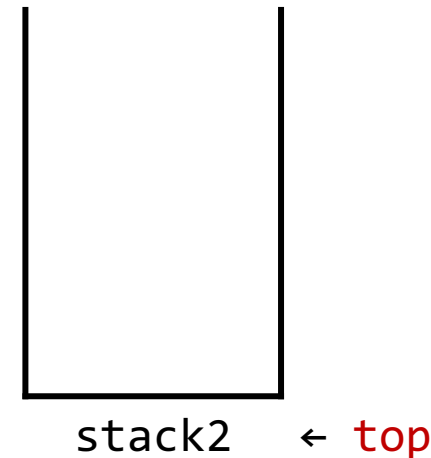
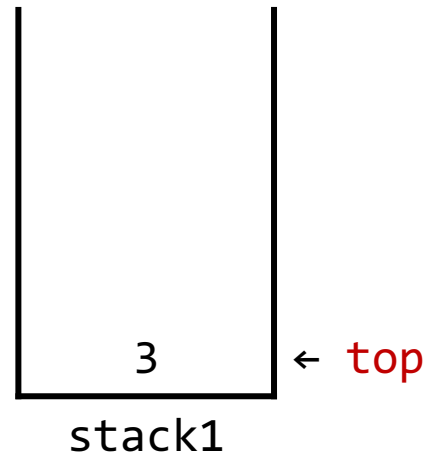
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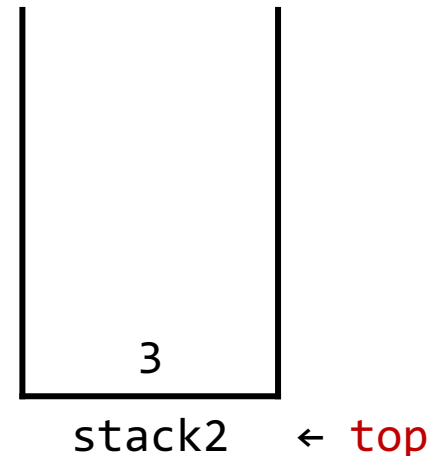
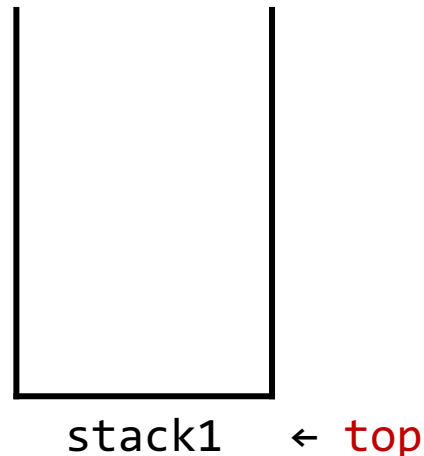


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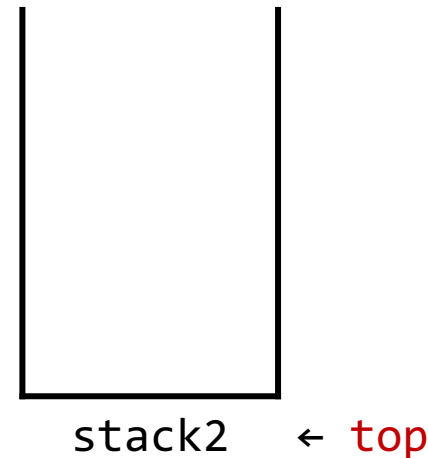
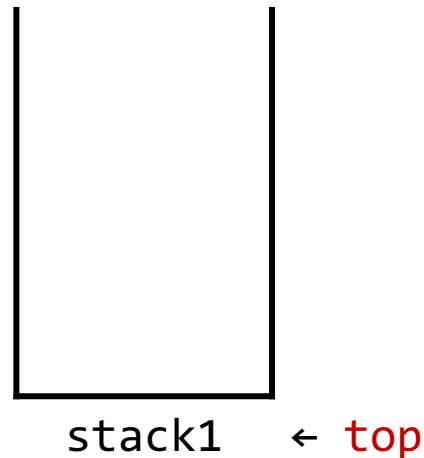


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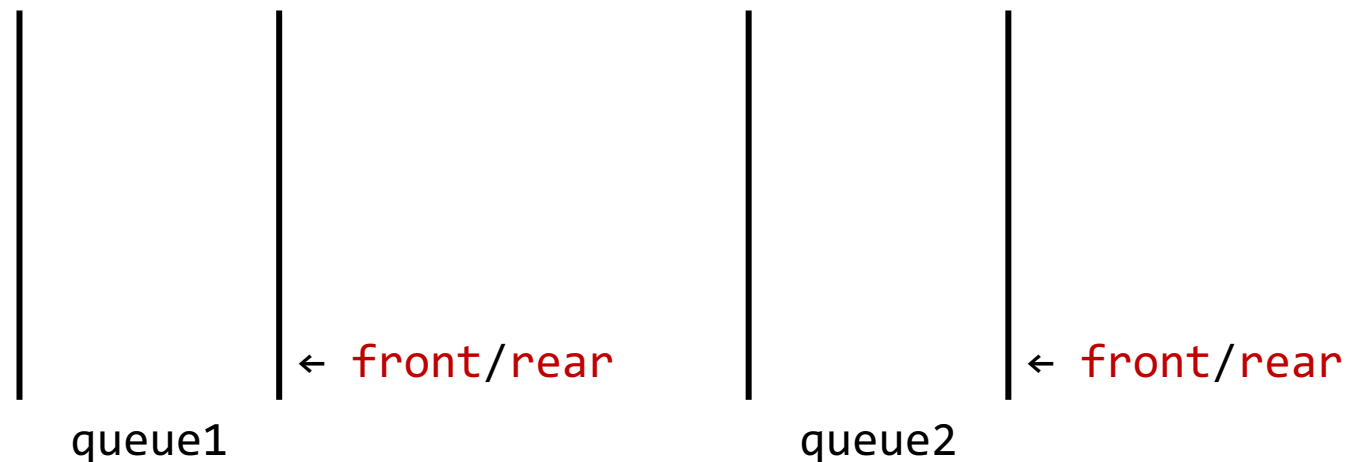
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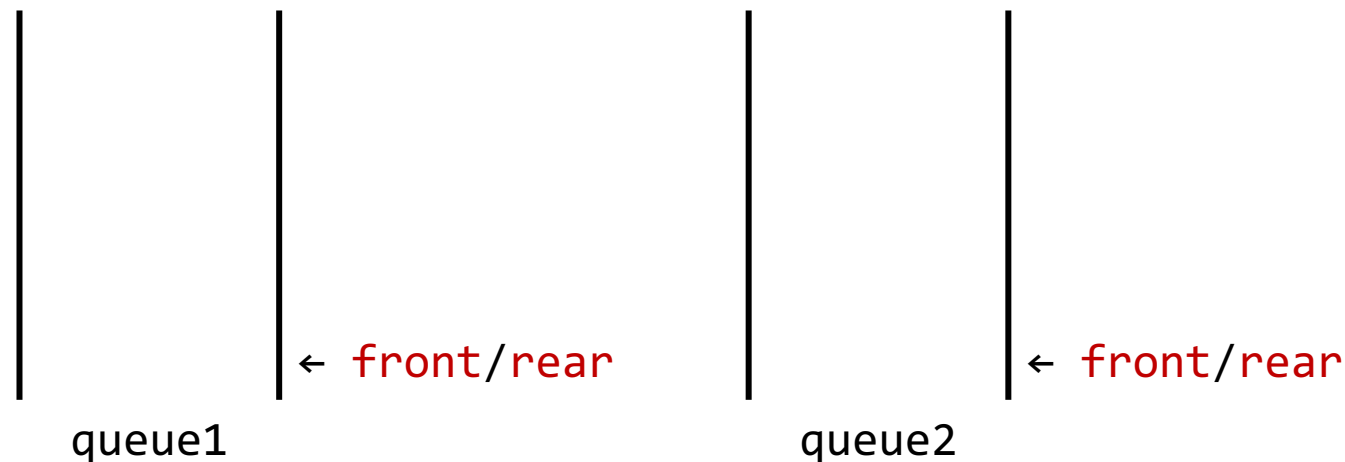


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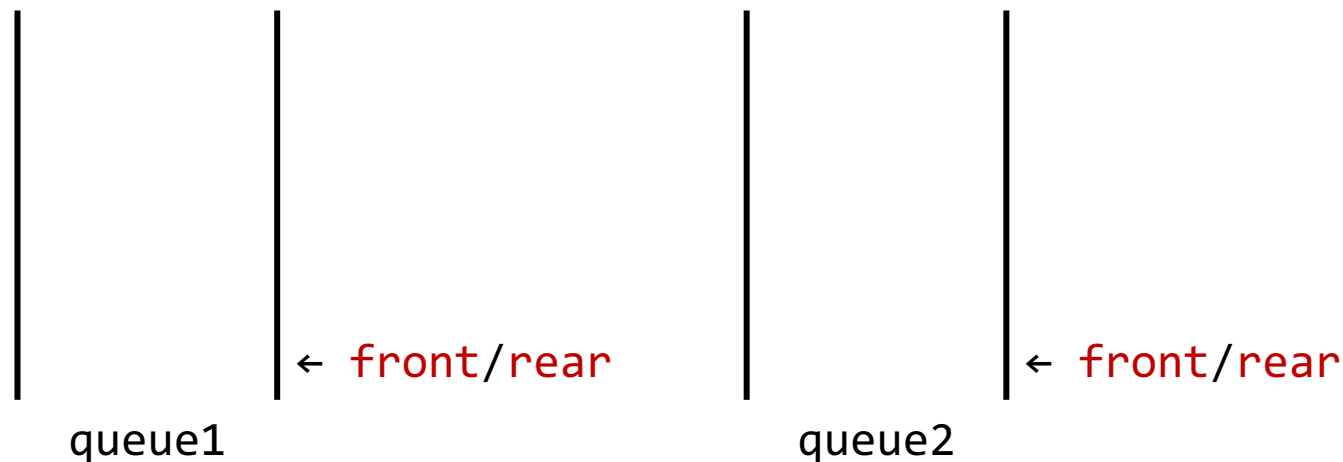
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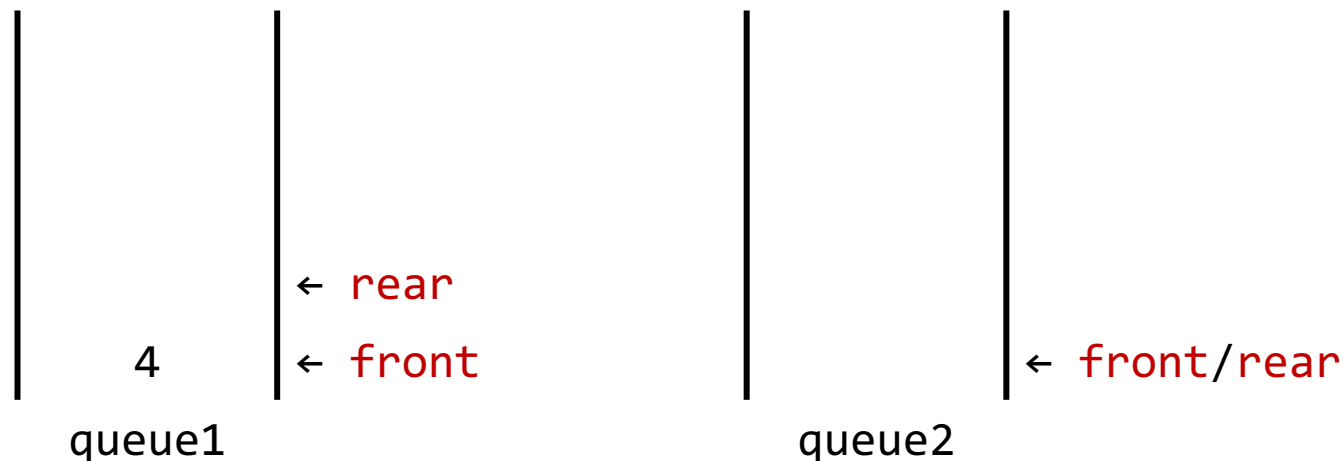
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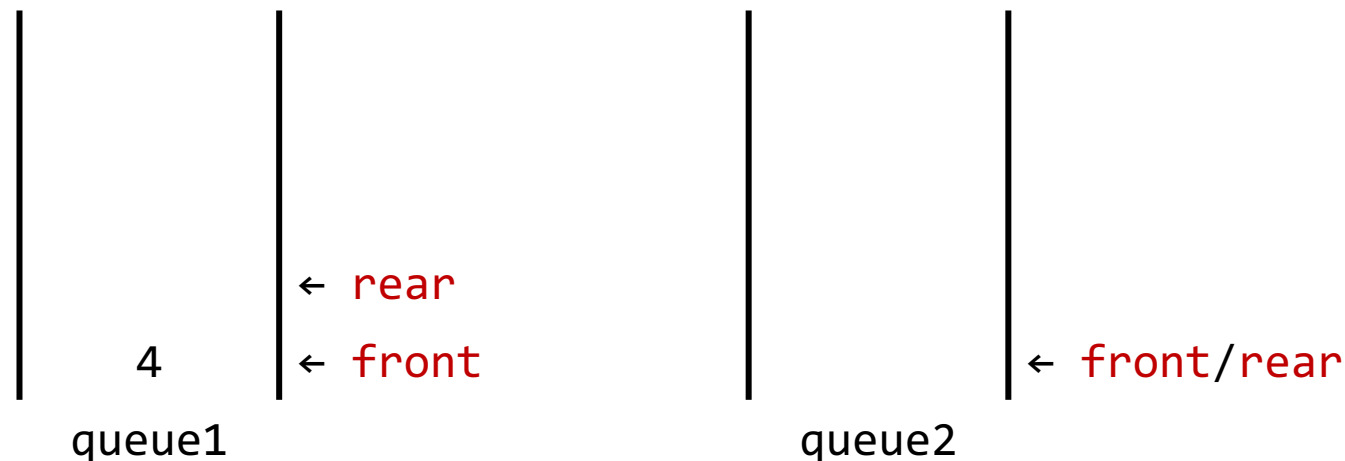
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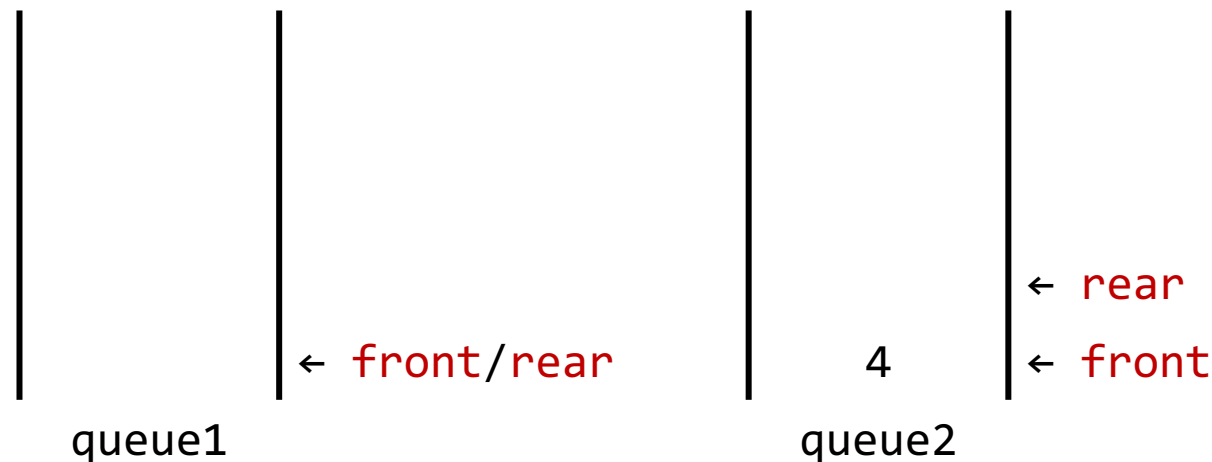
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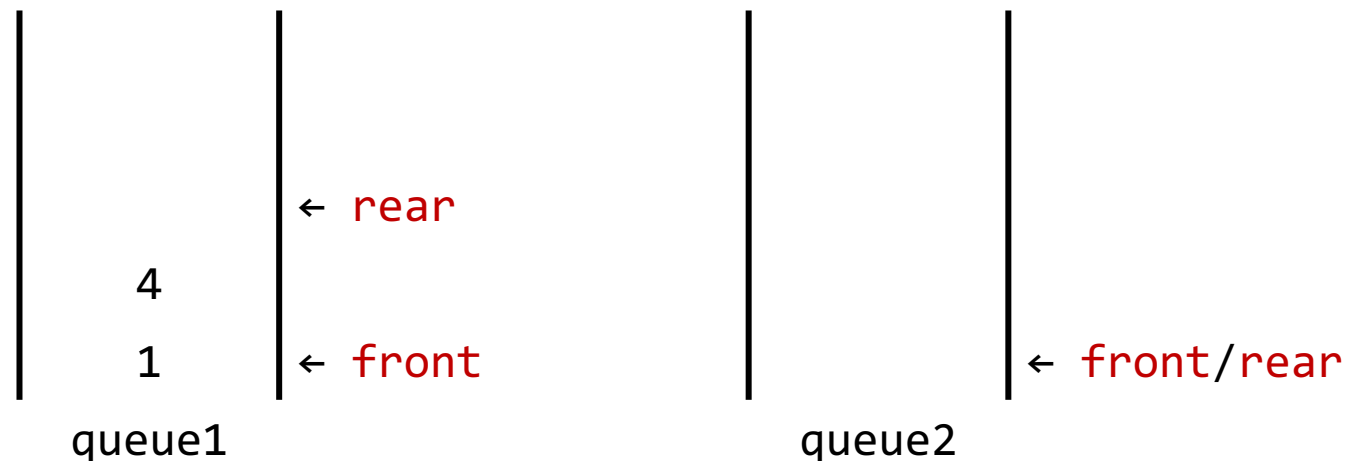
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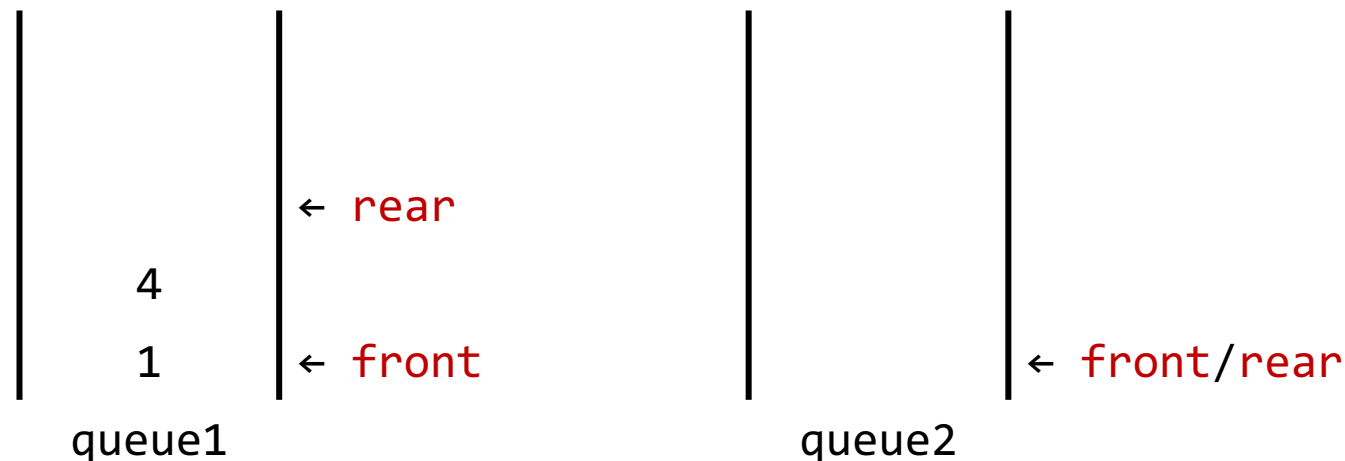
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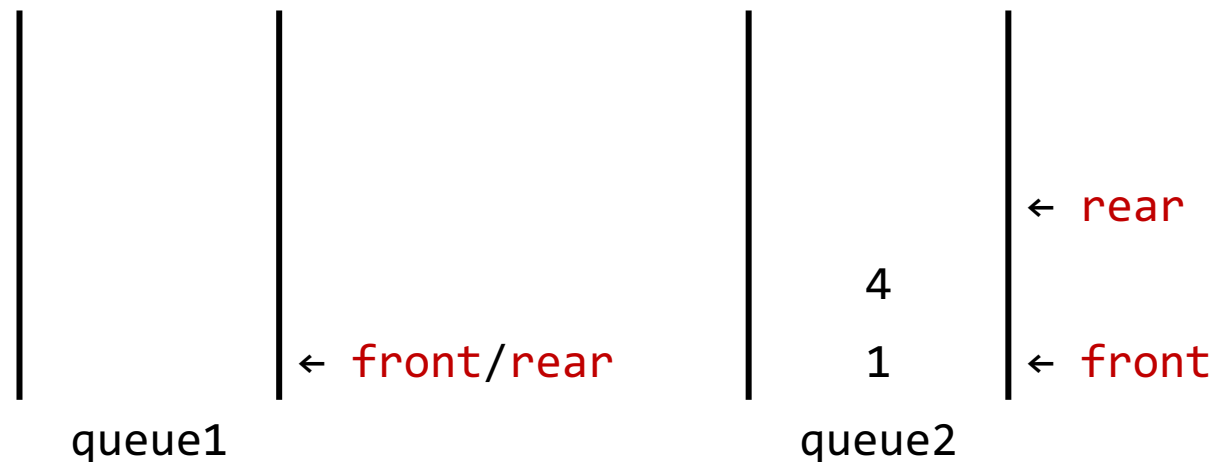
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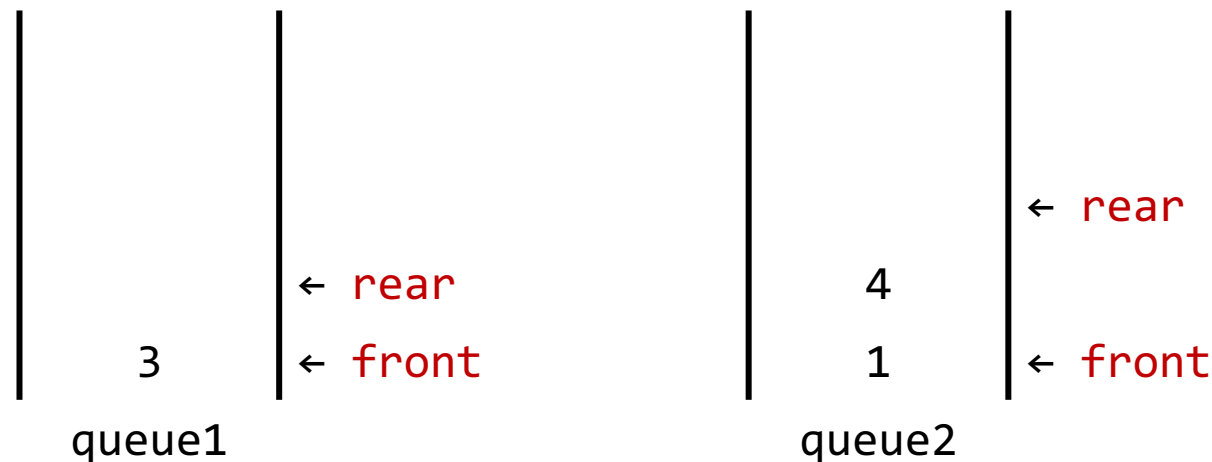
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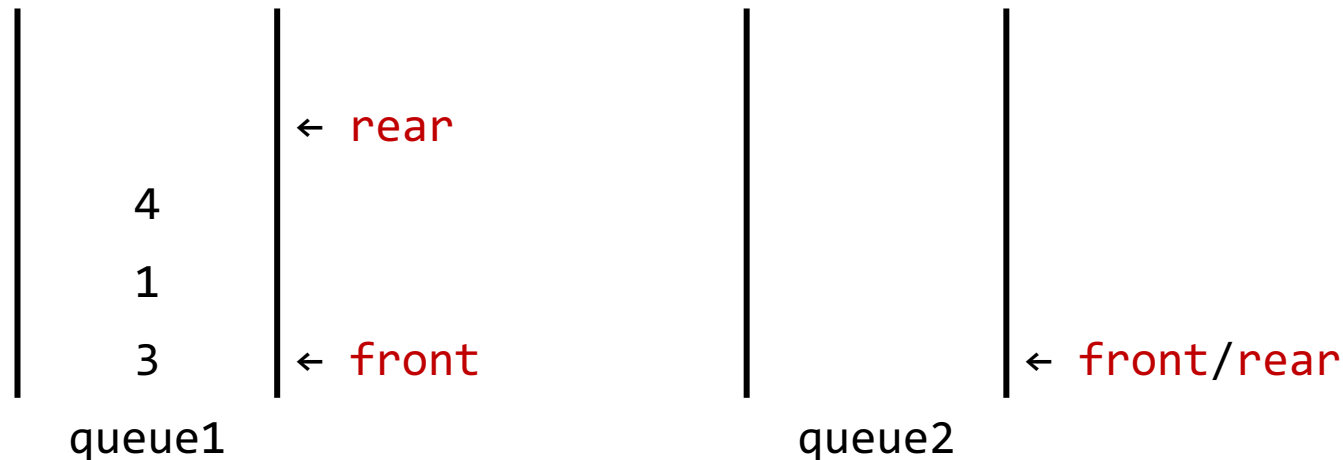
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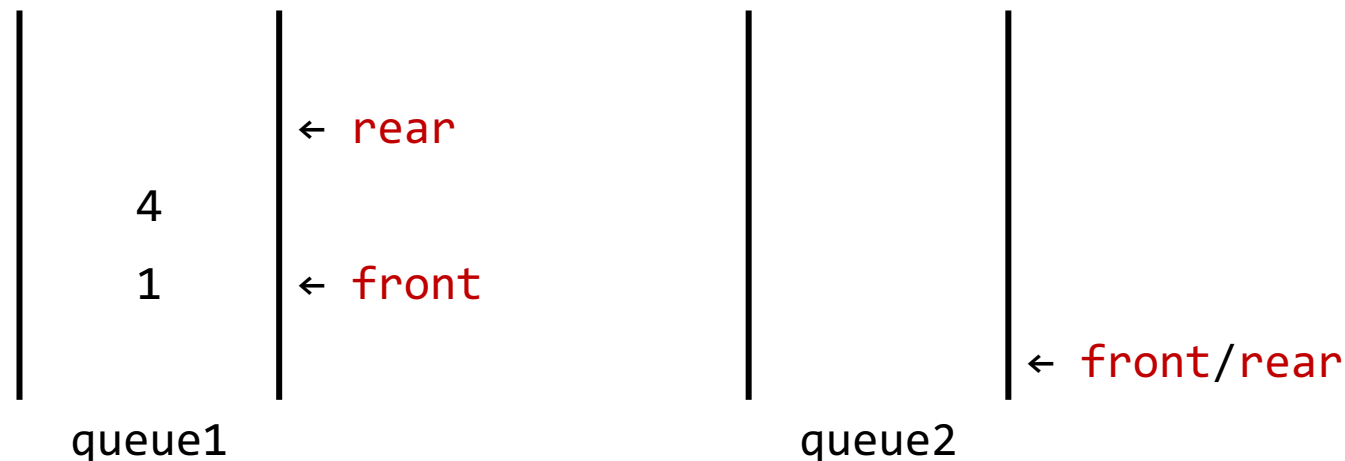
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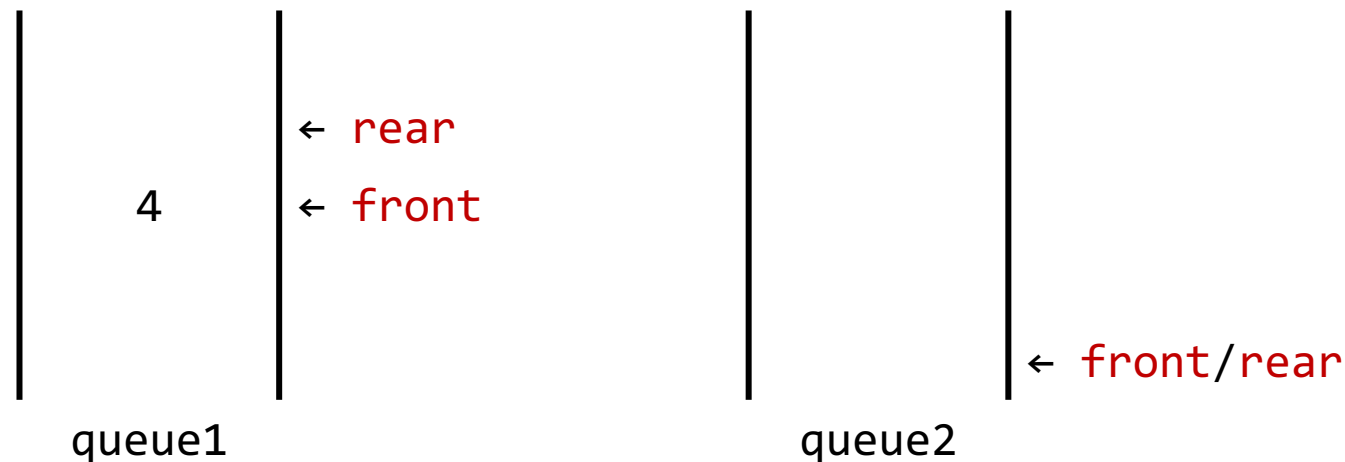
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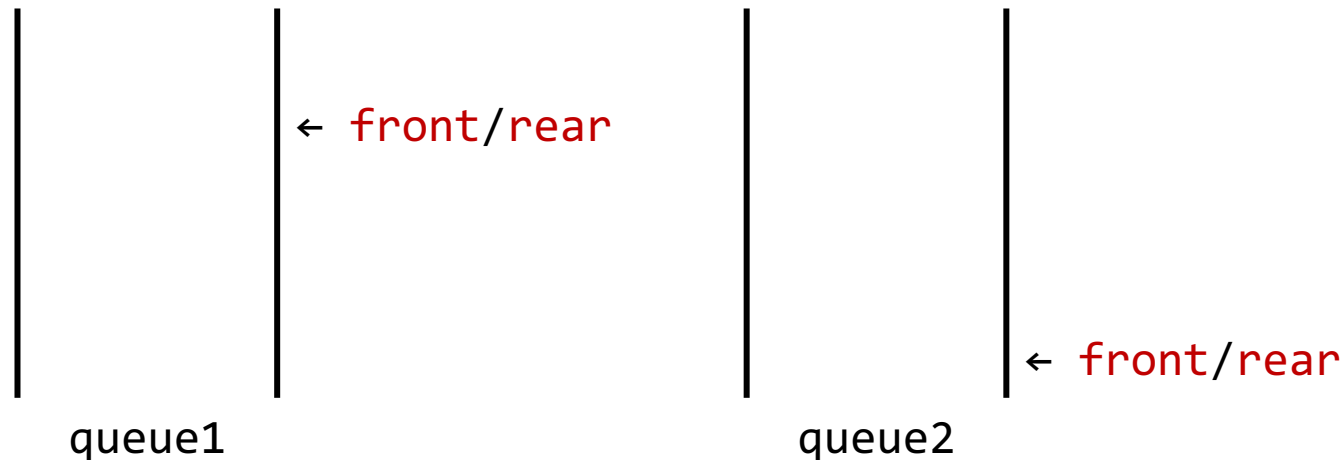
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