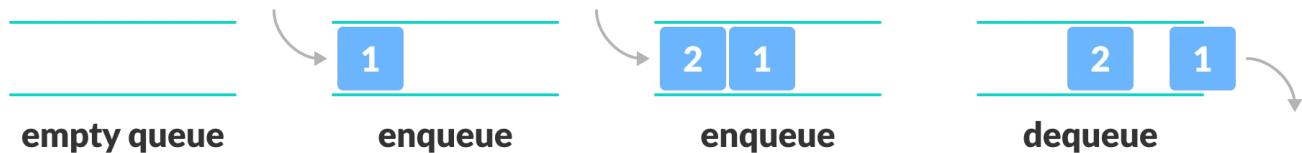


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Queue Data Structure (15 days study plan)

- Linear data structure
- Follows the principle of **First In First Out FIFO**
- First element inserted inside the queue is removed first.



Basic Operations of Queue

- **Enqueue** : Add an element to the end of the queue
- **Dequeue** : Remove an element from the front of the queue
- **IsEmpty** : Check if the queue is empty
- **IsFull** : Check if the queue is full
- **Peek** : Get the value of the front of the queue without removing it

Implementing Queue using list

* Method 1

```
queue = []

# Adding elements to the queue
queue.append('a')
queue.append('b')
queue.append('c')

print("Initial queue")
print(queue)

# Removing elements from the queue
print("\nElements dequeued from queue")
print(queue.pop(0))
print(queue.pop(0))
print(queue.pop(0))

print("\nQueue after removing elements")
print(queue)

# it will raise and IndexError as the queue is now empty
print(queue.pop(0))
```

Output:

```
Initial queue
['a', 'b', 'c']

Elements dequeued from queue
a
b
c

Queue after removing elements
[]

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IndexError                                     Traceback (most recent call last)
/tmp/ipykernel_27562/3751923502.py in <module>
      21 # will raise an IndexError
      22 # as the queue is now empty
--> 23 print(queue.pop(0))

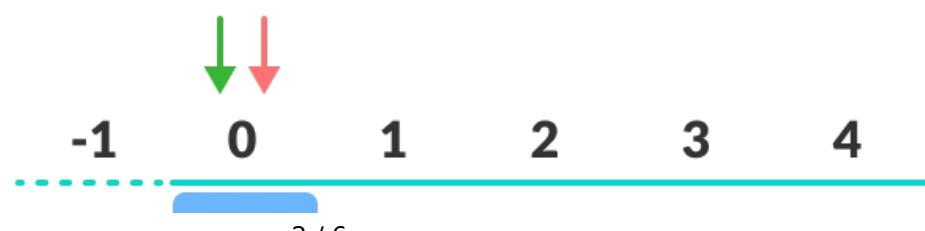
IndexError: pop from empty list
```

Drawbacks:

- It can run into speed issues as lists are quite slow.
- The last command will raise an IndexError after calling .pop() on an empty queue.

*** Method 2**

empty queue



1**enqueue the first element**

-1 0 1 2 3 4

1 2**enqueue**

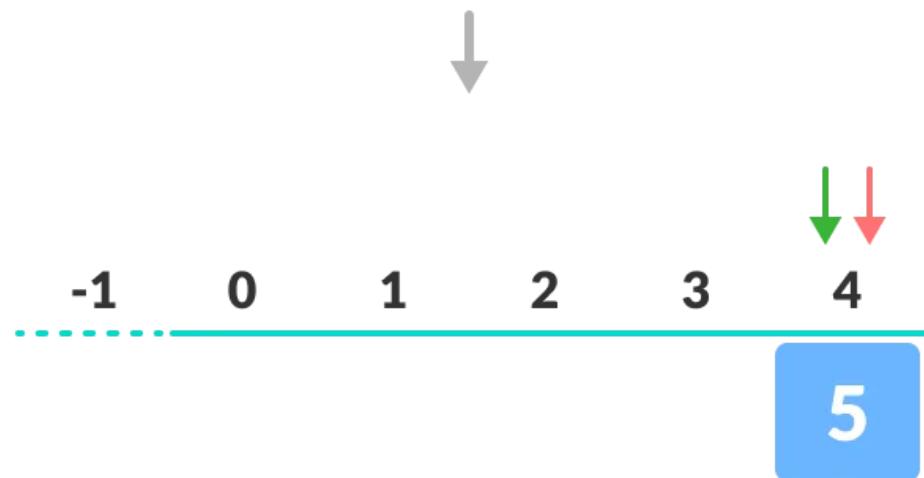
-1 0 1 2 3 4

1 2 3 4 5**enqueue**

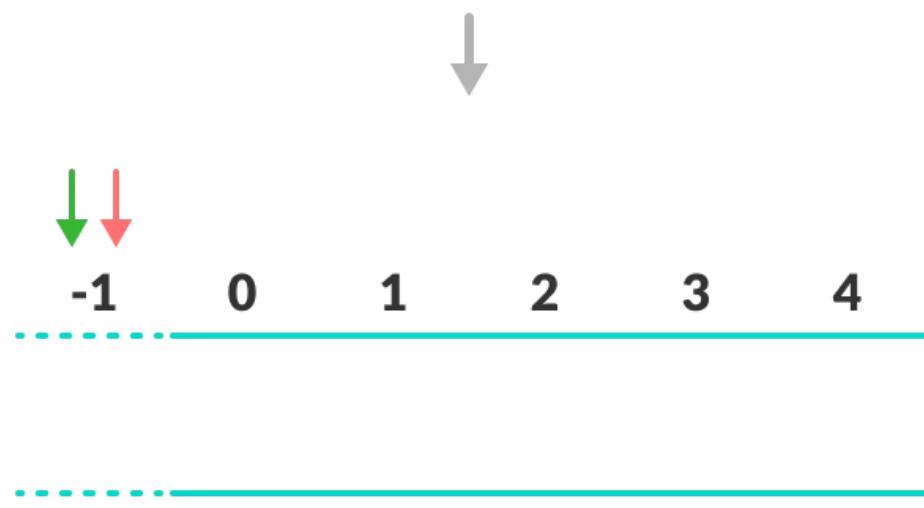
-1 0 1 2 3 4

2 3 4 5

dequeue



dequeue the last element



empty queue

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```
# Custom queue implementation in Python
class Queue:

    # Initialize queue
    def __init__(self, size=1000):
        self.q = [None] * size          # list to store queue elements
        self.capacity = size           # maximum capacity of the queue
        self.front = 0                  # front points to the front element in the
queue
        self.rear = -1                  # rear points to the last element in the queue
        self.count = 0                  # current size of the queue

    # Function to dequeue the front element
```

```
def dequeue(self):
    # check for queue underflow
    if self.isEmpty():
        print('Queue Underflow!! Terminating process.')
        exit(-1)
    x = self.q[self.front]
    print('Removing element...', x)
    self.front = (self.front + 1) % self.capacity
    self.count = self.count - 1
    return x

# Function to add an element to the queue
def enqueue(self, value):
    # check for queue overflow
    if self.isFull():
        print('Overflow!! Terminating process.')
        exit(-1)
    print('Inserting element...', value)
    self.rear = (self.rear + 1) % self.capacity
    self.q[self.rear] = value
    self.count = self.count + 1

# Function to return the front element of the queue
def peek(self):
    if self.isEmpty():
        print('Queue UnderFlow!! Terminating process.')
        exit(-1)
    return self.q[self.front]

# Function to return the size of the queue
def size(self):
    return self.count

# Function to check if the queue is empty or not
def isEmpty(self):
    return self.size() == 0

# Function to check if the queue is full or not
def isFull(self):
    return self.size() == self.capacity

if __name__ == '__main__':
    # create a queue of capacity 5
    q = Queue(5)

    q.enqueue(1)
    q.enqueue(2)
    q.enqueue(3)

    print('The queue size is', q.size())
    print('The front element is', q.peek())
    q.dequeue()
```

```
print('The front element is', q.peek())

q.dequeue()
q.dequeue()

if q.isEmpty():
    print('The queue is empty')
else:
    print('The queue is not empty')
```

Output:

```
[None, None, None]
Enqueue: 1
[1, None, None]
Enqueue: 2
[1, 2, None]
Enqueue: 3
[1, 2, 3]
Overflow!! Terminating process.
[1, 2, 3]
Queue size: 3
Front element: 1
Dequeue: 1
[None, 2, 3]
Front element: 2
Dequeue: 2
[None, None, 3]
Dequeue: 3
[None, None, None]
The queue is empty
```