

# \* Data Structure Lab (DSL) - Practical Number - 10 (Group - D)

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Title:-

Write a C++ program using stack to check whether given expression is well parenthesized or not.

Aim:-

In any language program, mostly syntax error occurs due to unbalancing delimiter such as  $()$ ,  $\{\}$ ,  $[\ ]$ . Write a C++ program using stack to check whether given expression is well parenthesized or not.

Objective:-

- 1) To study the stack data structure.
- 2) To study the operations on stack.

Theory:-

A stack is an ordered list in which all the insertions and deletions are made at one end. It possesses the property of LIFO i.e. last in first out.



## Stack Operations :-

- 1) Basically there are two important stack operations a) Push  
b) Pop.
- 2) Performing push operation means we are inserting the element onto the stack. While, pop operation means we are removing the element from the stack.
- 3) Before pushing, we need to check stack full condition and before performing pop operation we need to check stack empty condition.

## Algorithm :-

Step 1 - Start

Step 2 - Declare a class to create a stack, constructor and methods to perform operations on stack.

Step 3 - Accept an expression from the user.

Step 4 - Traverse to the expression and push the opening parentheses in stack.

Step 5 - If no parenthesis are present i.e. stack is empty, then display well balanced and stop.

Step 6 - Pop an element from the stack if for every opening parenthesis ('(', '[', '{'), there is a corresponding closing parenthesis



Step 7 - Repeat step 6 until stack becomes empty.

Step 8 - If stack becomes empty i.e. there is a closing parenthesis for every opening parenthesis, return true.

Step 9 - If the return value is true, then the equation is well balanced.

Step 10 - Go to step 3, if user wants to check another expression.

Step 11 - Stop.

Analysis:-

Time complexity -

1) Display  $\rightarrow O(n)$

2) Push and pop  $\rightarrow O(1)$

3) Check parenthesis  $\rightarrow O(n)$ .

Conclusion:-

Hence, we have checked whether a given function's expression is well parenthesized or not.