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LAB EXPERIMENT 01

Browser History Navigation System (Using Stack Concept)

1. Problem Statement

Build a Python program that simulates a web browser's navigation system. The user should be able to visit new pages, go back, move forward, view current history, view total history, and analyze visit statistics.

2. Objective

- To implement stack-based browser navigation using Python lists.
- To understand back-stack and forward-stack functionality.
- To track total browsing history independent of back/forward actions.
- To generate frequency statistics of visited pages.
- To build an interactive, menu-driven simulation.

3. Description

Modern browsers maintain two internal structures:

1. Back History (Stack 1):

Stores pages visited before the current page.

When you click "Back", the current page moves to the forward stack.

2. Forward History (Stack 2):

Stores pages that can be visited again after going back.

When a new page is visited, forward stack clears (just like real browsers).

3. Total History:

A separate list used to track **every visit**, including revisits.

In this program:

- history works like the **back-stack**.

- `forward_history` works like the **forward-stack**.
- `total_history` maintains the **complete visitation record**.

This model helps understand how stack operations power browser navigation.

4. Algorithm

A. Visit Page (`insert_page`)

1. Add new page to history stack.
2. Clear forward history (new visit invalidates forward pages).
3. Add to total history.
4. Display the visited page.

B. Go Back (`back_page`)

1. Check if back history exists.
2. Pop last page and move it to forward history.
3. Current page becomes the previous one in history.
4. Add current page to total history.
5. Display transition.

C. Go Forward (`forward_page`)

1. Check if forward stack has a page.
2. Pop from forward history and push to back history.
3. Add to total history.
4. Display transition.

D. View History (`view_history`)

- Print all pages in the back-stack.

E. View Total History (`view_total_history`)

- Print every page ever visited in order.

F. History Statistics (history_stats)

1. Count total number of visits.
2. Calculate frequency of each page.
3. Display stats.

G. Main Menu Loop

1. Display options: visit, back, forward, view, stats, exit.
2. Execute user's selected operation.
3. Continue until exit.

5. Program Code

```

1  history=[]
2  forward_history=[]
3  total_history=[]
4
5  # Adds a new page to the browser history
6  def insert_page(page):
7      history.append(page)
8
9      forward_history.clear()
10     total_history.append(page)
11
12     print(f"visited page:{page}")
13
14    # Moves one step back in history (like a browser back button)
15  def back_page():
16      if not history:
17          print("No pages in history.")
18          return
19
20      last_page=history.pop()
21      forward_history.append(last_page)
22
23      current = history[-1]
24      total_history.append(current)
25
26      print(f"Going back from {last_page}")
27
28      if history:
29          print(f"Current page: {history[-1]}")
30
31      else:
32          print("No pages left in history.")
33
34    # Moves forward again if the user previously went back
35  def forward_page():
36      if not forward_history:
37          print("No forward pages available.")
38

```

```

39         next_page = forward_history.pop()
40         history.append(next_page)
41         total_history.append(next_page)
42         print(f"Going again to {next_page}")
43
44     # Shows only the live browsing history (current path)
45     def view_history():
46         if not history:
47             print("NO pages in history!")
48
49         else:
50             print("History:", "->".join(history))
51
52
53     # Shows the complete history including revisits
54     def view_total_history():
55         if not history:
56             print("NO pages in history!")
57
58         else:
59             print("History:", "->".join(total_history))
60
61     # Displays statistics like total visits and frequency of each page
62     def history_stats():
63         if not total_history:
64             print("No total history to analyze!")
65             return
66
67         print(f"\nTotal visits: {len(total_history)}")
68         freq = {}
69         for page in total_history:
70             if page in freq:
71                 freq[page] += 1
72             else:
73                 freq[page] = 1
74
75         for page, count in freq.items():
76             print(f"Page '{page}' visited {count} time(s)")
77
78
79     while True:
80
81         print("\n1) Visit page")
82         print("2) Go back")
83         print("3) Go Forward")
84         print("4) View History")
85         print("5) view Total History")
86         print("6) View history stats")
87         print("7) Exit")
88         choice = int(input("Enter your choice:"))
89
90         if choice == 1:
91             page = str(input("Insert page name:"))
92             insert_page(page)
93
94         elif choice == 2:
95             back_page()
96
97         elif choice == 3:
98             forward_page()
99
100        elif choice == 4:
101            view_history()
102
103        elif choice == 5:
104            view_total_history()
105
106        elif choice == 6:
107            history_stats()
108
109        elif choice == 7:
110            print("Exiting Browser....Goodbye!")
111            break
112
113    else:
114        print("Invalid Choice")
115

```

6. Sample Output

```

1) Visit page
2) Go back
3) Go Forward
4) View History
5) view Total History
6) View history stats
7) Exit
Enter your choice:

```

```

Enter your choice:1
Insert page name:google.com
visited page:google.com

```

```

Enter your choice:1
Insert page name:instagram.com
visited page:instagram.com

```

```

Enter your choice:2
Going back from instagram.com
Current page: google.com

```

```

Enter your choice:3
Going again to instagram.com

```

```

Enter your choice:4
History: google.com->instagram.com

```

```

Enter your choice:5
History: google.com->instagram.com->google.com->instagram.com

```

```

Enter your choice:6
Total visits: 4
Page 'google.com' visited 2 time(s)
Page 'instagram.com' visited 2 time(s)

```

```

Enter your choice:7
Exiting Browser....Goodbye!

```

7.Time Complexities

Operation Complexity

Visit Page $O(1)$

Back $O(1)$

Forward $O(1)$

View History $O(n)$

History Stats $O(n)$

8. Conclusion

The program successfully simulates browser-like navigation using stack operations.

It demonstrates how back-forward logic works internally and how total history is maintained separately.

The implementation also shows good use of lists, operations like push/pop, and simple frequency analysis.

LAB EXPERIMENT 02

Ticketing System Using Queue (Linear Queue Implementation)

1. Problem Statement

Create a Python program that simulates a simple ticketing system using the **queue data structure**.

The system should allow adding tickets, removing tickets, viewing the queue, checking size, and identifying overflow/underflow conditions.

2. Objective

- To understand queue operations (enqueue, dequeue) in a linear queue.
- To implement a queue using a **fixed-size array**.
- To detect and handle **overflow** and **underflow** conditions.
- To work with class-based implementation in Python.
- To display queue contents and size in real time.

3. Description

A **queue** is a linear data structure that follows the **FIFO (First In, First Out)** principle.

The first element inserted is the first one removed — similar to customers standing in line.

In this ticketing system:

- The queue is represented using a **Python list of fixed size**.
- front represents the index of the current first ticket.
- rear represents the index where the next ticket will be added.
- enqueue() inserts a new ticket at the rear.
- dequeue() removes a ticket from the front.

Special conditions:

- **Overflow:** Happens when rear == MAX – 1.
- **Underflow:** Happens when queue is empty (front > rear or front == -1).

This experiment models a real-world scenario such as ticket counters, customer service queues, etc.

4. Algorithm

A. Enqueue (Insert Ticket)

1. Check if queue is full.
2. If inserting first element, set front = 0.
3. Increase rear and insert ticket.
4. Display confirmation.

B. Dequeue (Remove Ticket)

1. Check if queue is empty.
2. Remove ticket at front.
3. Increment front to point to next element.
4. Display removed ticket.

C. isFull

- Return true if rear == MAX - 1.

D. isEmpty

- Return true if queue has no valid elements (front == -1 or front > rear).

E. size

- Return number of elements using:
 $(\text{rear} - \text{front} + 1)$

F. display

- If queue has elements, show from front up to rear.

5. Program Code

```

1  class TicketingSystem:
2      def __init__(self,MAX):
3          self.MAX = MAX
4          self.queue = [None] * MAX
5          self.front = -1
6          self.rear = -1
7
8      # To check Overflow
9      def isFull(self):
10         return self.rear == self.MAX - 1
11
12     # To check Underflow
13     def isEmpty(self):
14         return self.front == -1 or self.front > self.rear
15
16     # To Insert a ticket
17     def enqueue(self, ticket_id):
18         if (self.isFull()):
19             print("Sorry the queue is full, can't add ticket: ", ticket_id)
20             return
21
22         if (self.front == -1):
23             self.front = 0
24
25         self.rear += 1
26         self.queue[self.rear] = ticket_id
27         print("Ticket Added: ", ticket_id)
28
29     # To delete a ticket
30     def dequeue(self):
31         if self.isEmpty():
32             print("Sorry the Queue is empty, can't remove any ticket")
33             return
34
35         removed_ticket = self.queue[self.front]
36         print("Removed ticket: ", removed_ticket)
37         self.front += 1
38
39     # To check size of queue
40     def size(self):
41         if self.isEmpty():
42             return 0
43
44         return (self.rear - self.front + 1)
45
46     # To display the whole Queue
47     def display(self):
48         if self.isEmpty():
49             print("Sorry, The Queue is Empty!")
50         else:
51             print("Current Queue:", self.queue[self.front:self.rear+1])
52
53
54     # Example to run
55     queue = TicketingSystem(5)
56
57     queue.enqueue("T-101")
58     queue.enqueue("T-102")
59     queue.enqueue("T-103")
60
61     queue.display()
62
63     queue.dequeue()
64
65     queue.display()
66
67     print("Size of queue:", queue.size())
68     print("Is Queue Full?", queue.isFull())
69     print("Is Queue Empty?", queue.isEmpty())

```

6. Sample Output

```

● Ticket Added: T-101
Ticket Added: T-102
Ticket Added: T-103
Current Queue: ['T-101', 'T-102', 'T-103']
Removed ticket: T-101
Current Queue: ['T-102', 'T-103']
Size of queue: 2
Is Queue Full? False
Is Queue Empty? False

```

7. Time Complexities

- Enqueue → O(1)
- Dequeue → O(1)
- Size → O(1)
- Display → O(n)

Real-Life Uses

- Customer service counters
- Bank token system
- Ticket booths
- Printers' job scheduling

8. Observations / Conclusion

The ticketing system clearly demonstrates queue operations and constraint handling.

The program successfully performs enqueue, dequeue, and queue inspection while preventing overflow/underflow errors.

This reinforces understanding of linear queue implementation using arrays.

LAB EXPERIMENT 03

Singly Linked List Operations (Insertion, Deletion, Search, Display)

1. Problem Statement

Develop a Python program to implement a **singly linked list** supporting basic operations such as insertion (beginning, end, middle), deletion (beginning, end), searching an element, and displaying the list.

2. Objective

- To understand the internal working of linked lists using nodes.
- To perform insertion at multiple positions.
- To implement deletion operations.
- To search elements sequentially.
- To visualize dynamic memory linking through pointers.
- To practice class-based implementation of a linked list.

3. Description

A **linked list** is a dynamic linear data structure where each element (node) contains:

- **Element / Data**
- **Link / Pointer** to the next node

The **first node** is called the **Start (Head)**.

Unlike arrays, linked lists do **not store elements in contiguous memory**, making insertions and deletions more efficient (no shifting required).

This program implements:

| Element | Link → next node |

Supported operations:

- Insert at beginning
- Insert at end
- Insert at a given position
- Search for an element
- Delete from beginning
- Delete from end
- Display list

This experiment helps understand self-referential structures and pointer-like behavior in Python.

4. Algorithm

A. Insert at Beginning

1. Create a new node.
2. Point its Link to current Start.
3. Update Start to new node.

B. Insert at End

1. Create a new node.
2. If list empty → new node becomes Start.
3. Otherwise traverse to last node and link it to new node.

C. Insert at Middle (Position-based)

1. If position = 1 → insert at beginning.
2. Traverse until position – 1.
3. Insert new node in between nodes.

4. If position exceeds length → append at end.

D. Search

1. Traverse from Start.
2. Compare each node's element with key.
3. Return result.

E. Delete from Beginning

1. If list empty → print error.
2. Move Start to next node.

F. Delete from End

1. If list empty → error.
2. If only one node → set Start to None.
3. Otherwise find second-last node and set its link to None.

G. Display

1. Traverse from Start.
2. Print each node until None.

5. Program Code

```

1  class Node:
2      def __init__(self, Element):
3          self.Element = Element
4          self.Link = None
5
6
7  class Linked_List:
8      def __init__(self):
9          self.Start = None
10
11
12
13
14      def insert_at_beginning(self, Element):
15          new_node = Node(Element)
16          new_node.Link = self.Start
17          self.Start = new_node
18
19
20
21

```

```
22     def insert_at_end(self, Element):
23
24         new_node = Node(Element)
25
26         if self.Start is None:
27
28             self.Start = new_node
29             return
30
31         temp = self.Start
32
33         while temp.Link:
34             temp = temp.Link
35
36         temp.Link = new_node
37
38     def insert_at_middle(self, Element, position):
39         new_node = Node(Element)
40
41         if position ==1:
42             new_node.Link = self.Start
43             self.Start = new_node
44             return
45
46         temp = self.Start
47         current_pos = 1
48
49         while temp is not None and current_pos < position - 1:
50             temp = temp.Link
51             current_pos += 1
52
53         if temp is None:
54             print("Position outside list range - inserting at end.")
55             self.insert_at_end(Element)
56             return
57
58
59         new_node.link = temp.Link
60         temp.Link = new_node
61
62
63     def search(self, key):
64         temp = self.Start
65
66         while temp.Link:
67             if temp.Element == key:
68                 print("Found")
69                 return True
70
71             temp = temp.Link
72         print("Not Found")
73         return False
74
75
76
77     def delete_from_beggining(self):
78         if self.Start is None:
79             print("List is Empty!")
80             return
81
82         self.Start = self.Start.Link
83
84
85
86     def delete_from_end(self):
87         if self.Start is None:
88             print("List is Empty!")
89             return
90
91         if self.Start.Link is None:
92             self.Start = None
93             return
94
```

```

95     temp = self.Start
96     while(temp.Link.Link):
97         temp = temp.Link
98
99     temp.Link = None
100
101
102
103     def display(self):
104         temp = self.Start
105
106         while temp:
107             print(temp.Element, end=" -> ")
108             temp = temp.Link
109
110         print("None")
111
112
113
114     LL = Linked_List()
115
116     LL.insert_at_beginning(10)
117     LL.insert_at_beginning(20)
118     LL.insert_at_end(30)
119     LL.insert_at_end(40)
120     LL.display()
121
122     LL.insert_at_middle(50,2)
123     LL.display()
124
125     LL.search(20)
126     LL.search(2)
127
128     LL.delete_from_beginning()
129     LL.display()
130     LL.delete_from_end()
131     LL.display()

```

6. Sample Output

```

● 20 -> 10 -> 30 -> 40 -> None
20 -> 50 -> 10 -> 30 -> 40 -> None
Found
Not Found
50 -> 10 -> 30 -> 40 -> None
50 -> 10 -> 30 -> None

```

7. Time Complexities

Operation	Complexity
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Insert (begin/end) O(1) / O(n)

Insert at position O(n)

Delete (begin/end) O(1) / O(n)

Search O(n)

Operation	Complexity
Display	$O(n)$

8. Conclusion

The linked list program successfully performs insertion at various positions, deletion, search, and traversal.

This demonstrates how dynamic memory links nodes and how pointer manipulation affects the structure.

It also highlights how linked lists differ from arrays in flexibility and memory usage.

LAB EXPERIMENT 04

Circular Singly Linked List (Insert, Search, Delete, Display)

1. Problem Statement

Create a Python program to implement a **Circular Singly Linked List** that supports the following operations:

- Insertion at the beginning
- Insertion at the end
- Insertion at a specific position
- Searching for an element
- Deleting from beginning
- Deleting from end
- Displaying the list

2. Objective

- To understand circular linked list structure and pointer management.
- To implement node-based dynamic memory linking.
- To perform insert, delete, and search operations.
- To visualize how the last node loops back to the first node.
- To practice traversal in circular structures.

3. Theory / Description

A Circular Linked List is a variation of a singly linked list in which the last node points back to the first node, forming a loop.

Node Structure

| Element | Link → Next Node |

Key Features of CLL

- No node has None as the next link.
- Traversal continues until the pointer returns to the Start node.
- Useful in round-robin scheduling, cyclic data access, multiplayer turn systems, etc.

Operations Implemented:

- Insert at beginning
- Insert at end
- Insert at middle (given position)
- Search element
- Delete from beginning
- Delete from end
- Display list with circular indication

This program covers almost all fundamental operations of a CLL.

4. Algorithm

A. Insert at Beginning

1. Create new node.
2. If list empty:
 - Point node to itself and set Start.
3. Else:
 - Traverse to last node.
 - Point new node → Start

- Last node → new node
- Update Start to new node.

B. Insert at End

1. Create new node.
2. If list empty: create self-link and set Start.
3. Else traverse to last node and attach new node.
4. Point new node back to Start.

C. Insert at Middle (Position-Based)

1. If list empty → insert as first node.
2. If position = 1 → call beginning insertion.
3. Traverse until position – 1 or reaching Start again.
4. If position out of range → insert at end.
5. Insert node between nodes.

D. Search

1. Start at Start node.
2. Traverse until loop returns to Start.
3. Compare each element with key.
4. Print “Found” or “Not Found”.

E. Delete from Beginning

1. If list empty → cannot delete.
2. If only one node → remove and set Start to None.
3. Traverse to last node.
4. Point last node → second node.
5. Update Start to second node.

F. Delete from End

1. If list empty → no deletion.
2. If only one node → empty the list.
3. Traverse to second-last node.
4. Point its link to Start.

G. Display

1. Start at Start node.
2. Print each element until pointer returns to Start.
3. End with (back to Start) for clarity.

5. Program Code

```

1  class Node:
2      def __init__(self, Element):
3          self.Element = Element
4          self.Link = None
5
6
7  class Circular_Linked_List:
8      def __init__(self):
9          self.Start = None
10
11
12
13      def insert_at_beginning(self, Element):
14          new_node = Node(Element)
15
16          if self.Start is None:
17
18              self.Start = new_node
19              new_node.Link = self.Start
20
21          return
22
23
24          temp = self.Start
25
26          while temp.Link != self.Start:
27              temp = temp.Link
28
29          new_node.Link = self.Start
30          temp.Link = new_node
31          self.Start = new_node
32
33
34      def insert_at_end(self, Element):
35          new_node = Node(Element)
36
37          if self.Start is None:
38
39              self.Start= new_node
40              new_node.Link = self.Start
41
42
43          return
44
45          temp = self.Start
46
47          while temp.Link != self.Start:
48              temp = temp.Link
49
50          temp.Link = new_node
51          new_node.Link = self.Start

```

```

52
53     def insert_at_middle(self, Element, position):
54         new_node = Node(Element)
55
56         if self.Start is None:
57
58             print("List is empty, it will be inserted as first node! ")
59
60             self.Start = new_node
61             new_node.Link = self.Start
62
63
64             return
65
66         if position == 1:
67             self.insert_at_beginning(Element)
68
69             return
70
71         temp = self.Start
72         current_pos = 1
73
74         while current_pos < position - 1 and temp.Link != self.Start:
75
76             temp = temp.Link
77             current_pos += 1
78
79         if temp.Link == self.Start and current_pos < position - 1:
80
81             print("Position outside range - inserting at end.")
82             self.insert_at_end(Element)
83
84             return
85
86         new_node.Link = temp.Link
87         temp.Link = new_node
88
89
90     def search(self, key):
91         temp = self.Start
92
93         while temp.Link:
94             if temp.Element == key:
95                 print("Found")
96                 return True
97
98             temp = temp.Link
99         print("Not Found")
100        return False
101
102
103
104    def delete_from_beggining(self):
105        if self.Start is None:
106            print("List is empty, nothing to delete.")
107            return
108
109        temp = self.Start
110
111        # If there is only one node
112        if self.Start.next == self.Start:
113            self.Start = None
114            print("Deleted the only node in the list.")
115            return
116
117        # Move to the last node
118        last = self.Start
119        while last.next != self.Start:
120            last = last.next
121
122        # Point last node to next of Start
123        last.next = self.Start.next
124        self.Start = self.Start.next
125        print("Node deleted from beginning.")
126

```

```

127
128
129     def delete_from_end(self):
130         if self.Start is None:
131             print("List is Empty!")
132             return
133
134         if self.Start.Link is None:
135             self.Start = None
136             return
137
138         temp = self.Start
139         while(temp.Link.Link):
140             temp = temp.Link
141
142         temp.Link = None
143
144
145
146     def display(self):
147
148         if self.Start is None:
149
150             print("List is empty")
151             return
152
153         temp = self.Start
154
155         while True:
156
157             print(temp.Element, end=" -> ")
158             temp = temp.Link
159
160             if temp == self.Start:
161                 break
162
163         print("(back to Start)")
164
165
166     # Example usage
167     cll = Circular_Linked_List()
168
169     cll.insert_at_end(10)
170     cll.insert_at_end(20)
171     cll.insert_at_end(30)
172
173     print("After inserting 10, 20, 30 at end:")
174     cll.display()
175
176     cll.insert_at_beginning(5)
177     print("\nAfter inserting 5 at beginning:")
178     cll.display()
179
180     cll.insert_at_end(40)
181     print("\nAfter inserting 40 at end:")
182     cll.display()
183
184     cll.insert_at_middle(15, 4)
185     print("\nAfter inserting 15 at 4th position:")
186     cll.display()
187
188     print("\nSearching 20:")
189     cll.search(20)
190
191     print("\nSearching 99:")
192     cll.search(99)
193
194     print("\nDeleting from beginning:")
195     cll.delete_from_beggining()
196     cll.display()
197
198     print("\nDeleting from end:")
199     cll.delete_from_end()
200     cll.display()

```

6. Sample Output

```

After inserting 5 at beginning:
5 -> 10 -> 20 -> 30 -> (back to Start)

After inserting 40 at end:
5 -> 10 -> 20 -> 30 -> 40 -> (back to Start)

After inserting 15 at 4th position:
5 -> 10 -> 20 -> 15 -> 30 -> 40 -> (back to Start)

Searching 20:
Found

Searching 99:
Not Found

Deleting from beginning:
Node deleted from beginning.
10 -> 20 -> 15 -> 30 -> 40 -> (back to Start)

Deleting from end:
Node deleted from end.
10 -> 20 -> 15 -> 30 -> (back to Start)

```

7. Time Complexities

Operation	Complexity
Insert (begin/end)	$O(n)$
Insert at position	$O(n)$
Delete (begin/end)	$O(n)$
Search	$O(n)$
Display	$O(n)$

8. Conclusion

The circular linked list correctly maintains the looped structure during all operations.

Insertion, deletion, and search work at all positions.

Traversal stops when coming back to Start, showing proper circular linking.

This experiment strengthens understanding of dynamic node-based structures beyond linear linked lists.

LAB EXPERIMENT 05

Reverse a String Using Stack

1. Problem Statement

Write a Python program to reverse a string using the concept of a **stack**.

2. Objective

- To understand stack operations (push and pop).
- To use a list as a stack for character-level processing.
- To reverse a string using Last-In-First-Out (LIFO) behavior.
- To practice basic string and list manipulation in Python.

3. Description

A **stack** is a linear data structure based on the **LIFO (Last In, First Out)** principle.

When reversing a string:

1. Each character is **pushed** onto the stack.
2. Characters are then **popped** one by one.
3. Since popping returns elements in reverse order, the result becomes the reversed string.

This demonstrates how stack logic can be used for string manipulation.

4. Algorithm

Reverse String Using Stack

1. Create an empty stack.
2. Traverse each character in the string and push it onto the stack.
3. Initialize an empty string `reversed_string`.

4. While stack is not empty:
 - o Pop characters and append them to reversed_string.
5. Return the reversed string.

5. Program Code

```

1  def reverse_string(string):
2
3      stack=[]
4
5      for i in string:
6          stack.append(i)
7
8      reversed_string=""
9
10     while stack:
11         reversed_string += stack.pop()
12
13     return reversed_string
14
15 Name="Kunal"
16 print("Original String:", Name)
17 print("Reversed String:", reverse_string(Name))

```

6. Sample Output

```

● Original String: Kunal
Reversed String: lanuK

```

7. Conclusion

The program successfully reverses the input string using a stack. It shows how stack operations naturally invert the sequence of elements, making them ideal for reversal tasks. This reinforces the concept of LIFO and its use in real applications.

LAB EXPERIMENT 06

Check Balanced Parentheses Using Stack

1. Problem Statement

Write a Python program to check whether a given expression has **balanced parentheses**, including:

- ()
- []
- {}

The program should use the **stack** data structure to validate the expression.

2. Objective

- To understand stack operations and LIFO behavior.
- To validate expressions containing multiple types of brackets.
- To learn how stacks are used in expression parsing and compiler design.

3. Description

Balanced parentheses mean:

- Every opening bracket must have a matching closing bracket.
- Brackets must close **in the correct order** (nested structure).

Example:

- Balanced $\rightarrow [()], \{[()]\}$
- Not Balanced $\rightarrow ([]), ((), {})$

The stack helps track opening brackets:

1. Push every opening bracket onto the stack.

2. When a closing bracket appears:

- The stack must not be empty.
- The top element must be the correct matching opening bracket.
- Pop if it matches.

3. At end:

- If the stack is empty → Balanced
- Else → Not Balanced

This is a classic application of stacks in compilers and syntax validation.

4. Algorithm

Check Balanced Parentheses

1. Initialize empty stack.
2. For each character in expression:
 - If it's an opening bracket → push to stack.
 - If it's a closing bracket:
 - If stack empty → not balanced.
 - Check top of stack for matching bracket.
 - If matches → pop, else → not balanced.
3. After traversal:
 - If stack empty → Balanced
 - Else → Not Balanced

5. Program Code

```

1  def check_paranthesis(input):
2      stack=[]
3
4      for i in input:
5          if i in "([{":
6              stack.append(i)
7
8          elif i == ')':
9              if not stack:
10                  return "Not Balanced"
11
12              if stack[-1] != '(':
13                  return "Not Balanced"
14              stack.pop()
15
16          elif i == ']':
17              if not stack:
18                  return "Not Balanced"
19
20              if stack[-1] != '[':
21                  return "Not Balanced"
22              stack.pop()
23
24          elif i == '}':
25              if not stack:
26                  return "Not Balanced"
27
28              if stack[-1] != '{':
29                  return "Not Balanced"
30              stack.pop()
31
32      if not stack:
33          return "Balanced"
34      else:
35          return "Not Balanced"
36
37 print(check_paranthesis("([[])"))
38 print(check_paranthesis("[]"))
39 print(check_paranthesis("[")"))
40 print(check_paranthesis("[[]]"))
41 print(check_paranthesis("[()]]"))
42 print(check_paranthesis("[({})]"))

```

6. Sample Output

```

● Not Balanced
Balanced
Not Balanced
Not Balanced
Balanced
Balanced

```

7. Conclusion

The program accurately checks whether parentheses are balanced using stack logic.

It handles all three bracket types and properly detects mismatches or incomplete expressions.

This experiment demonstrates real-world uses of stacks in expression evaluation and syntax checking.

LAB PROJECT

Inventory Stock Management System

1. Problem Statement

Create a Python-based inventory management system that supports adding products, searching items, deleting records, checking stock levels, tracking zero quantity items, performing sales, and generating stock analytics such as total, average, and maximum quantity.

2. Objective

- To implement an extended menu-driven inventory program using Python.
- To practice list and dictionary usage for structured data handling.
- To implement CRUD operations (Create, Read, Update, Delete).
- To perform stock analysis (total stock, average stock, max stock).
- To handle exceptions and validate user inputs.
- To simulate real-world inventory behaviour like sales and zero-stock checking.

3. Description

Inventory management systems maintain product information such as **SKU**, **name**, and **quantity**.

In this program:

- **List** stores all products (`Inventory = []`).
- **Each product** is represented as a **dictionary**:
`{"sku": ..., "name": ..., "quantity": ...}`
- Functions provide modular operations like inserting, searching, deleting, and checking stock.

- **Menu-driven approach** allows the user to repeatedly choose operations.
- **Validation & exception handling** ensure the program doesn't crash due to invalid input.
- The program also provides **analytical features** such as:
 - Checking zero-stock items
 - Calculating total & average stock
 - Finding the product(s) with maximum stock
 - Simulating product sales with different outcomes (normal sale, insufficient stock, zero stock)

This makes the system closer to a real small-scale inventory management application.

4. Algorithm

A. Insert Product

1. Ask number of products to be added.
2. For each product:
 - Input SKU and check for duplicates.
 - Input valid product name.
 - Input quantity and ensure it's a positive number.
 - Store product in inventory as a dictionary.

B. Search Product

- **By SKU / By Name**
 1. Input key (SKU or name).
 2. Traverse inventory.
 3. If matched, display product details.

C. Delete Product

- Supports both **delete by SKU** and **delete by Name**.

1. Search inventory for match.
2. Remove product if found.

D. Selling a Product

1. Input SKU and quantity to sell.
2. Check three conditions:
 - Quantity \geq requested \rightarrow normal sale
 - Quantity > 0 but less \rightarrow insufficient stock
 - Quantity = 0 \rightarrow zero stock
3. Update inventory accordingly.

E. Check Zero Stock

1. Loop through inventory.
2. Display all items with quantity 0.

F. Total & Average Stock

1. Total = sum of all quantities.
2. Average = total / number of products.

G. Maximum Stock Item

1. Find the highest quantity.
2. Display all items that match that quantity.

H. Display Inventory

1. Print all product details in tabular form.

I. Main Menu Loop

- Repeatedly show options 1–9
- Perform selected operation
- Exit when user chooses option 9

5. Program Code

```

1  # Inventory list that will store all data
2  Inventory = []
3
4  # Inserting a new product
5  def insert_product():
6
7      try:
8          count = int(input("Enter how many products do you want to add:"))
9      except ValueError:
10         print("Invalid input. Please enter a number.")
11
12     for i in range(count):
13         print(f"\n-- Product {i+1} --")
14         sku = input("Enter SKU: ")
15
16         # Check for duplicate SKU
17         duplicate = False
18         for item in Inventory:
19             if item['sku'] == sku:
20                 print("Product with this SKU already exists! Skipping...")
21                 duplicate=True
22                 break
23         if duplicate:
24             continue
25
26
27         # Taking input for product name
28         name = input("Enter Product Name: ").strip()
29         while not name: # keep asking until valid
30             name = input("Please enter a valid Product Name: ").strip()
31
32
33         # Taking input for quantity also doing exception handling
34         try:
35             quantity=int(input("Enter Quantity: "))
36             if quantity<=0:
37                 print("Quantity must be greater than 0. Skipping this product.")
38                 continue
39
40         except ValueError:
41             print("Invalid input! Please enter quantity in numeric.")
42             continue
43
44         # Creating product dictionary for adding it to inventory
45         product = {'sku':sku,'name':name,'quantity':quantity}
46         Inventory.append(product)
47
48         print("Product inserted successfully!")
49
50 # Function to search product by SKU
51 def search_by_sku():
52     if not Inventory:
53         print("Inventory is empty! Nothing to search.")
54         return
55
56     sku = input("Enter SKU to search: ")
57     found = False
58     for item in Inventory:
59         if item['sku'] == sku:
60             print("\nProduct Found:")
61             print(f"SKU: {item['sku']}, Name: {item['name']}, Quantity: {item['quantity']}") 
62             found = True
63             break
64     if not found:
65         print("No product found with that SKU.")
66
67 # Function to search product by Name
68 def search_by_name():
69     if not Inventory:
70         print("Inventory is empty! Nothing to search.")
71         return
72
73     name = input("Enter Product Name to search: ").strip().lower()
74     found = False
75     for item in Inventory:
76         if item['name'].lower() == name: # case-insensitive search
77             print("\nProduct Found:")
78             print(f"SKU: {item['sku']}, Name: {item['name']}, Quantity: {item['quantity']}") 
79             found = True
80             break
81     if not found:
82         print("No product found with that Name.")
83

```

```

84 # Function to delete product by Name
85 def delete_by_name():
86     if not Inventory:
87         print("Inventory is empty! Nothing to delete.")
88         return
89
90     name = input("Enter Product Name of the product to delete: ").strip().lower()
91     found = False
92     for item in Inventory:
93         if item['name'].lower() == name:
94             Inventory.remove(item) # delete the product
95             print(f"Product with Name '{item['name']}' deleted successfully.")
96             found = True
97             break
98     if not found:
99         print("No product found with that Name.")
100
101 # Function to delete product by SKU
102 def delete_by_sku():
103     if not Inventory:
104         print("Inventory is empty! Nothing to delete.")
105         return
106
107     sku = input("Enter SKU of the product to delete: ")
108     found = False
109     for item in Inventory:
110         if item['sku'] == sku:
111             Inventory.remove(item) # delete the product
112             print(f"Product with SKU {sku} deleted successfully.")
113             found = True
114             break
115     if not found:
116         print("No product found with that SKU.")
117
118 #normal sale,insufficient stock and zero stock
119 def normal_sale(sku, qty):
120     for item in Inventory:
121         if item['sku'] == sku:
122             if item['quantity'] >= qty:
123                 item['quantity'] -= qty
124                 print(f"Sale successful. Remaining stock of {item['name']}: {item['quantity']}") 
125             elif 0 < item['quantity'] < qty:
126                 print(f"Insufficient stock. Available quantity of {item['name']}: {item['quantity']}") 
127             else:
128                 print(f"Stock of {item['name']} is zero.")
129             return
130         else:
131             print("Product not found.")
132
133 #check zero stock
134 def check_zero_stock():
135     zero_stock_items = [item for item in Inventory if item['quantity'] == 0]
136     if zero_stock_items:
137         print("Products with zero stock:")
138         for item in zero_stock_items:
139             print(f"SKU: {item['sku']}, Name: {item['name']}")
140     else:
141         print("No products with zero stock.")
142
143 # Function to calculate total and average stock
144 def total_and_avg(inventory):
145     if not inventory:
146         print("Inventory is empty.")
147         return 0, 0
148     total = sum(item['quantity'] for item in inventory)
149     avg = total / len(inventory)
150     print(f"\nTotal stock: {total}, Average stock per product: {avg:.2f}")
151     return total, avg
152
153 # Function to find the item with maximum stock
154 def show_max_quantity_products():
155     if not Inventory:
156         print("Inventory is empty.")
157         return
158     max_qty = max(item["quantity"] for item in Inventory)
159     max_products = [item for item in Inventory if item["quantity"] == max_qty]
160     print(f"\nProducts with maximum quantity ({max_qty}):")
161     for p in max_products:
162         print(f"SKU: {p['sku']}, Name: {p['name']}, Quantity: {p['quantity']}")
163
164 # Function to display Inventory
165 def display_inventory():
166     if not Inventory:
167         print("Inventory is empty!")
168

```

```

169     print("\nCurrent Inventory:")
170     print("SKU\tProduct Name\tQuantity")
171     print("-----")
172
173     for item in Inventory:
174         print(f"{item['sku']}\t{item['name']}\t{item['quantity']}")
175     print()
176
177 # Main Program loop
178 def main():
179     while True:
180         print("\nInventory Stock Manager")
181         print("1. Insert New Product")
182         print("2. Display Inventory")
183         print("3. Search Product")
184         print("4. Delete product")
185         print("5. Sell a product")
186         print("6. Check Zero quantity")
187         print("7. Calculate Total and Average Stock")
188         print("8. Find Maximum Stock Item")
189         print("9. Exit")
190
191         choice = input("Enter your choice (1-6): ")
192
193         if choice == '1':
194             insert_product()
195         elif choice == '2':
196             display_inventory()
197         elif choice == '3':
198             print("1. Search by SKU")
199             print("2. Search by Name")
200             option=int(input("Select the searching option:"))
201             if option==1:
202                 search_by_sku()
203             elif option==2:
204                 search_by_name()
205             else:
206                 option=int(input("Invalid option! Please Enter again:"))
207
208         elif choice == '4':
209             print("1. Delete by SKU")
210             print("2. Delete by Name")
211             option=int(input("Select the Deleting option:"))
212             if option==1:
213                 delete_by_sku()
214             elif option==2:
215                 delete_by_name()
216
217         elif choice == '5':
218             sku = input("Enter SKU for sale: ")
219             try:
220                 qty = int(input("Enter quantity to sell: "))
221                 normal_sale(sku, qty)
222             except ValueError:
223                 print("Invalid input. Quantity must be a number.")
224
225         elif choice == '6':
226             check_zero_stock()
227
228         elif choice =='7':
229             total_and_avg(Inventory)
230
231         elif choice == '8':
232             show_max_quantity_products(Inventory)
233
234         elif choice == '9':
235             print("Exiting Inventory Manager.goodbye")
236             break
237         else:
238             print("Invalid choice. Please select from 1 to 9.")
239
240     main()

```

6. Sample Output

```
Inventory Stock Manager
1. Insert New Product
2. Display Inventory
3. Search Product
4. Delete product
5. Sell a product
6. Check Zero quantity
7. Calculate Total and Average Stock
8. Find Maximum Stock Item
9. Exit
Enter your choice (1-6):
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 1
Enter how many products do you want to add:2

--- Product 1 ---
Enter SKU: 101
Enter Product Name: Pen
Enter Quantity: 5
Product inserted successfully!

--- Product 2 ---
Enter SKU: 102
Enter Product Name: pencil
Enter Quantity: 10
Product inserted successfully!
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 2

Current Inventory:
SKU          Product Name      Quantity
-----
101          Pen              5
102          pencil           10
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 3
1. Search by SKU
2. Search by Name
Select the searching option:1
Enter SKU to search: 101

Product Found:
SKU: 101, Name: Pen, Quantity: 5
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 3
1. Search by SKU
2. Search by Name
Select the searching option:2
Enter Product Name to search: Pencil

Product Found:
SKU: 102, Name: pencil, Quantity: 10
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 5
Enter SKU for sale: 101
Enter quantity to sell: 2
Sale successful. Remaining stock of Pen: 3
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 6
No products with zero stock.
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 7
Total stock: 13, Average stock per product: 6.50
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 4
1. Delete by SKU
2. Delete by Name
Select the Deleting option:1
Enter SKU of the product to delete: 101
Product with SKU 101 deleted successfully.
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 2
Current Inventory:
SKU          Product Name      Quantity
-----
102          Pencil            10
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 5
Enter SKU for sale: 102
Enter quantity to sell: 10
Sale successful. Remaining stock of Pencil: 0
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 6
Products with zero stock:
SKU: 102, Name: Pencil
```

```
Enter your choice (1-6): 9
Exiting Inventory Manager.goodbye
```

7. Time Complexity Summary

Operation	Complexity
Insert	$O(n)$
Search (SKU/Name)	$O(n)$
Delete	$O(n)$
Sale	$O(n)$
Display	$O(n)$
Max Stock	$O(n)$

Advantages

- Simple, interactive, and menu-driven
- Good for beginners learning data structures
- Supports stock analytics
- Handles errors gracefully

Limitations

- No database support (data lost on exit)
- Search and delete are linear (can be optimized using dict or map) 36

Future Enhancements

- Add file handling to save inventory permanently
- Add update product details feature
- Add sorting options
- Add barcode/SKU auto-generator

7. Conclusion

This program successfully manages inventory in a structured way. It covers all essential operations of a real inventory system — insertion, deletion, search, sale, and stock analysis. The use of lists, dictionaries, functions, and exception handling makes the solution modular and robust.