

Infix to Postfix

$$a + b \Rightarrow ab +$$

$$\text{Ex: } x + y * z \Rightarrow (x + (y * z)) \Rightarrow (x + (yz *)) \Rightarrow x yz * +$$

Algorithm:

- ① create two empty stacks, one for operands and one for operators
- ② start iterating over element x
- ③ If x is "(" add it to the operators stack
- ④ If x is ")", Traverse the whole operators stack, perform all the operator's operation until you find "(" once "(" is found, remove it
- ⑤ If x is from $[+, -, *, /, ^]$
 - ⑤.1 If operators stack is empty Add the operator x to the stack
 - ⑤.2 If stack is not empty
 - ⑤.2.1 If x 's precedence is higher than the top most operator in the operators stack, Add it to the stack
 - ⑤.2.2 If x 's precedence is lower than the top most operator in the operators stack.
 - ⑤.2.2.1 Perform all the operations in operator's stack and then Add the element x into the operators stack.
- ⑥ Return the top most element from operand stack

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def InfixToPostfix (expression)
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    operators = [ ]
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    operands = [ ]
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    i = 0
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    while i < len(expression):
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        e = expression[i]
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        if e == "(":
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```
            operators.append(e):
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```
        elif e == ")":
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```
            while operators and operators[-1] != "(":
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```
                operator = operators.pop()
```

```
                value2 = operands.pop()
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```
                value1 = operands.pop()
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```
                operation = value1 + value2 + operator
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            // Remove "("  
            operators.pop()
```

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        elif e in { "+", "-", "*", "/", "^ }:
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            while operators and self.Pre(e) > self.Pre(operators[-1]):
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```
                operator = operators.pop()
```

```
                value2 = operands.pop()
```

```
                value1 = operands.pop()
```

```
                operation = value1 + value2 + operator
```

```
            operands.append(operation)
```

```
            // Add the current operator
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```
            operators.append(e)
```

```
        // if it is a number
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```
        else:
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```
            operands.append(e)
```

// if still there are operators left in the stack.

while operators:

operator = operators.pop()

value2 = operands.pop()

value1 = operands.pop()

operation = value1 + value2 + operator

operands.append(operation)

// return top most element

return operands[-1]

// Returns the precedence of an operator

def pre(self, op):

if op == "+" or op == "-":

return 0

else:

return 1