

Linear Data structures: Queues - ADT Queues, Types of Queues: Linear Queue, Circular Queue, Dequeue: operations on each type of Queues

Definition:- A queue is a linear list of elements in which deletions can take place only at one end, called the "front" and insertions can take place only at the other end called "rear".

Queues are called first-in-first-out (FIFO) lists, since the first element in a queue will be the first element out of the queue. In other words, the order in which elements enter a queue is the order in which they leave. This contrasts with stacks which are LIFO lists.

Applications:- 1) People waiting for their transaction in bank

2) Time sharing operating system - Process execution

REAR \downarrow (Insertions)

FRONT \uparrow (Deletions)

E	D	C	B	A
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primitive operations on queue:- 1) Insertion \rightarrow

2) Deletion

3) Display

size=4

0	1	2	3
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↑F ↑R

0	1	2	3	4
---	---	---	---	---

↑F ↑R

Rear = Rear + 1

0	1	2	3	4
---	---	---	---	---

↑F ↑R

FRONT = FRONT + 1

0	1	2	3	4
---	---	---	---	---

↑F ↑R

Representation of Queues:- Each linear array queue is represented with two pointer variables

1) FRONT: containing the location of the front element of the queue

2) REAR: containing the location of the rear element of queue

The condition FRONT = NULL will indicate that the queue is empty.

whenever an element is deleted from the queue, the value of FRONT is increased by 1 \Rightarrow FRONT = FRONT + 1

Similarly, whenever an element is added to the queue, the value of REAR is increased by 1 \Rightarrow REAR = REAR + 1

Initial conditions are FRONT = REAR = NULL.

Procedure QINSERT (Queue, n, front, rear, item)

This procedure inserts an element "item" into a queue.

1. [Queue already filled?]

If FRONT = 1 and REAR = n or if FRONT = REAR + 1 then

write: overflow and return

2. [Find new value of REAR]

If FRONT = NULL then: [Queue initially empty]

Set FRONT = 1 and REAR = 1

else if REAR = n then set REAR = 1

else:

set REAR = REAR + 1

[End of if structure]

3. Set Queue[REAR] = ITEM [This inserts new element]

4. Return.

Procedure DELETE (Queue, n, front, rear, item)

This procedure deletes an element from a queue and assigns it to the variable "item"

1. [Queue already empty?]
 If $front == NULL$ then: write: UNDERFLOWS and return
2. Set $ITEM := QUEUE[FRONT]$
3. [Find new value of FRONT]
 If $FRONT = REAR$, then [Queue has only one element to start]
 Set $FRONT := NULL$ and $REAR := NULL$
 else if $FRONT = N$ then: Set $FRONT := 1$
 else: Set $FRONT := FRONT + 1$
 [End of If structure]
4. Return.

Queue representation:-

1. Static Representation: Using arrays $int q[10]$ can store (n-1) maximum of 10 elements where index start with 0 and end by 9
2. Dynamic Representation. Using linked lists

Conditions in Queue:-

1. Overflow condition (full)
 If $rear = MAXSIZE - 1$ then overflow/full
2. Underflow condition (empty)
 If: $front == -1$ Queue is empty.

Algorithm for Insertion:-

Step 1: Start-

2. [Check the overflow condition in queue]
 If $(rear == (MAXSIZE - 1))$ then write "Queue is full"
 else goto step 3
3. [Insert an element into queue after incrementing rear]
 $rear = rear + 1$
 $Q[rear] = item$
 If $(front == -1)$ then $front = front + 1$
- 4: stop

Algorithm for Deletion:-

1. Start-
2. [Check the underflow condition]
 If $(front == -1)$ then print "Queue is empty"
 else goto step 3
3. [Deletion of an element]
 print "The deleted item is $Q[front]$ "
 If $(front == rear)$ then $front = rear = -1$
 else $front = front + 1$;
- 4: STOP

Algorithm for Display:-

1. Start
2. [Check the condition of underflow]
 If $(front == -1)$ then write "The queue is empty"
 else goto step 3
3. for $i = front$ up to $rear$
 print $Q[i]$
4. stop

Circular Queue :- (Special queue)

In classical queues, elements are inserted into the queue until the queue's capacity is reached. However, once this occurs, a new element can only be inserted when all the elements are deleted from the queue.

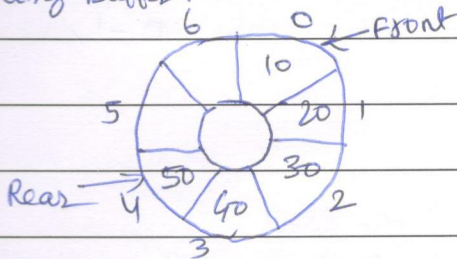
Ex:-

25 | 30 | 51 | 60 | 85 | 45

□ | □ | □ | 60 | 85 | 45

Now if the first three elements are deleted from the front of the queue (left hand side) we get queue remains full but we cannot insert a new element because, the back of the queue (right hand side) remains as it was before. This is the major limitation of classical queue i.e. even if there is a space available at the front of the queue we can not use that space.

It is a linear data structure in which the operations are performed based on FIFO principle and the last position is connected back to the first position to make a circle. It is also called a "Ring Buffer".



A circular queue is type of queue in which no beginning and no end.

Operations in Circular Queue :-

1. Front: Get the front item from queue
2. Rear: Get the last item from queue
3. enqueue(value): Used to insert an element into the circular queue (CQ). In CQ, the new element always inserted at Rear position
4. dequeue(): Used to delete an element from CQ. Here the element always deleted from front position.

Applications: 1. Memory Management: The unused memory locations in the case of ordinary queues can be utilised in circular queues.

2. Traffic System: In computer controlled traffic system, CQ are used to switch on the traffic lights one by one repeatedly as per the time slot.
3. CPU Scheduling: OS often maintains a queue of processes that are ready to execute or that are waiting for a particular event to occur.

Primitive Operations on Q:

1. Insertion:

set front = rear = -1

Step 1: Start

2. [Check the overflow condition]

if (rear == (size-1) & front == 0) front = rear + 1
then Print "The queue is full"

otherwise goto step 3

3. [Insert an element]

if (rear == -1) then front = rear = 0

else rear = (rear + 1) % size

Q[rear] = element

4. Stop

2. Deletion:

Step 1: Start

2. [Check the underflow condition]

if (front == -1) then print "Queue is empty"

otherwise goto step 3

3. [Delete an element]

print "The deleted element is Q[front]"

if (front == rear) then front = rear = -1;

else front = (front + 1) % size;

4. Stop

3. Display:

1. Start

2. [Check the emptiness of the queue]

if (front == -1) then print "Queue is empty"

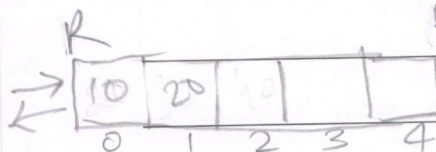
otherwise goto step 3

3. [Display the contents of queue]

for i in front upto rear
print Q[i]

4. Stop.

S = 5



F	f	R	IF	IF	DR	DR	x
-1	-1	20	10				10
0	0	20	10				20

Double-Ended Queue: DQUEUE

It is also a ordered collection of elements in which insertion and deletion operations are performed from both ends that is, we can insert elements from the rear end or from the front end, the deletion can be made either from front end or from the rear end. It is also referred as DQUEUE.

we can perform four operations on dequeue namely:

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1) Insert at rear-end | 3) Delete at front-end |
| 2) Insert at front-end | 4) Delete at Rear-End. |

Algorithm to perform Insert an element from rear end

Step 1: If (rear == (MAXSIZE - 1)) then
print "DQ is full"

else goto step 2

2: (Insert an element)

if (rear == -1) then front = rear = 0

else

rear = rear + 1

DQ[rear] = item;

3 stop.

Algorithm to perform Insert an element from front-end.

Step 1: If (front == 0) then print "DQ is full from front-end"
else goto step 2

2: (Insert an element)

If (front == -1) then front = rear = 0

else

front = front - 1

DQ[front] = item

3 stop.

Algorithm to perform Deletion from front-end.

Step 1: If (front == -1) then print "DQ is empty" else goto step 2

else item = DQ[front];

2: if (front == rear) then front = rear = -1

else front = front + 1

print "The deleted item from DQ is " ~~DQ~~ item"

3: stop.

Algorithm to perform Deletion from Rear-End.

Step 1: If (rear == -1) then print "DQ is empty"
else goto step 2

2: item = DQ[rear]

If (front == rear) then front = rear = -1

else

rear = rear - 1

print "The deleted item from DQ is: " item"

3 stop.

Algorithm to display contents of DQ:

Step 1: if (front == -1 || rear == -1) then print "DQ is empty"
else goto step 2

2: for i in front to rear

print DQ[i]

Reverse of a String Using Stack

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
int top = -1;
char stack[30];
void push(char item)
{
    top++;
    stack[top] = item;
}
char pop()
{
    return(stack[top--]);
}
void main()
{
    char ch;
    clrscr();
    printf("\n Enter a string");
    do
    {
        ch = getch();
        push(ch);
    } while (ch != '\n');
    printf("\n The Reverse of the string is");
    while (top >= 0)
        printf("%c", pop());
}
```

String palindrome Using input

restricted DS

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
int front = -1, rear = -1;
char DQ[20];
void rinsert(char c)
{
    if (rear == -1)
        rear = front = 0;
    else
        rear++;
    DQ[rear] = c;
}
char fdel()
{
    return(DQ[front++]);
}
char rdel()
{
    return(DQ[rear--]);
}
```

void main()

```
{
    char DQ[20], C;
    int
    clrscr();
    printf("\n Enter the string");
    while (1)
    {
        C = getch();
        if (C == '\n')
            break;
        else
            rinsert(C);
    }
    rinsert('0');
    C = rdel();
    while (front <= rear)
    {
        if (fdel() != rdel())
            break;
    }
    if (front < rear)
        printf("\n String is not a palindrome");
    else
        printf("\n String is a palindrome");
    getch();
}
```

Implementation of DEQUEUE using arrays

```
#include <stdio.h> <conio.h>
#define max 5
void finsert(), fdelete(), rinsert(),
rdelete(), display();
int DQ[max], front = -1, rear = -1;
void main()
{
    int option;
    clrscr();
    do
    {
        printf("\n Double-Ended Queue operations");
        printf("1. Front-Insert 2. Front-delete\n3. Rear-Insert 4. Rear-delete 5. Display 6. Exit");
        printf("\n Select your option");
        scanf("%d", &option);
        switch(option)
        {
            case 1: finsert(); break;
            case 2: fdelete(); break;
            case 3: rinsert(); break;
            case 4: rdelete(); break;
        }
    }
}
```



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        case 6: delete;
    }
    while (option != 6);
    getch();
}

```

```

void finsert()

```

```

{
    int item;
    if (front == 0)
    {
        printf("In DA is full from front-end");
        return;
    }
    printf("In Enter an item to insert");
    scanf("%d", &item);
    if (front == -1)
    {
        front = rear = 0;
    }
    else
        front--;
    DA[front] = item;
}

```

```

void rinsert()

```

```

{
    int item;
    if (rear == (max-1))
    {
        printf("In DA is full from rear-end");
        return;
    }
    printf("In Enter an item to insert");
    scanf("%d", &item);
    if (rear == -1)
    {
        front = rear = 0;
    }
    else
        rear++;
    DA[rear] = item;
}

```

```

void fdelete()

```

```

{
    int item;
    if (front == -1)
    {
        printf("In DA is empty");
        return;
    }
    item = DA[front];
    if (front == rear)
    {
        front = rear = -1;
    }
}

```

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else

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    front++;
    printf("In The deleted item from  
front-end is: %d", item);
}

```

```

void rdelete()

```

```

{
    int item;
    if (rear == -1)
    {
        printf("In DA is empty");
        return;
    }
    item = DA[rear];
    if (front == rear)
    {
        front = rear = -1;
    }
    else
        rear--;
    printf("In The deleted item  
from rear-end is %d", item);
}

```

```

void display()

```

```

{
    int i;
    if (front == -1 || rear == -1)
    {
        printf("In DA is empty");
        return;
    }
    for (i = front; i <= rear; i++)
        printf("%d", DA[i]);
}

```