

## Stack Interface\* and Implementation

```
public interface Stack
{
    // postcondition: returns true if stack is empty, false otherwise
    boolean isEmpty();

    // precondition: stack is [e1, e2, ..., en] with n >= 0
    // postcondition: stack is [e1, e2, ..., en, x]
    void push(Object x);

    // precondition: stack is [e1, e2, ..., en] with n >= 1
    // postcondition: stack is [e1, e2, ..., e(n-1)]; returns en
    // throws an unchecked exception if the stack is empty
    Object pop();

    // precondition: stack is [e1, e2, ..., en] with n >= 1
    // postcondition: returns en
    // throws an unchecked exception if the stack is empty
    Object peekTop();
}

public class ArrayStack implements Stack
{
    private java.util.ArrayList array;

    public ArrayStack()
    {
        array = new java.util.ArrayList();
    }

    public void push(Object obj)
    {
        array.add(obj);
    }

    public Object pop()
    {
        return array.remove(array.size() - 1);
    }

    public Object peekTop()
    {
        return array.get(array.size() - 1);
    }

    public boolean isEmpty()
    {
        return array.size() == 0;
    }
}
```

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```

public class ListStack implements Stack
{
    private java.util.LinkedList list;

    public ListStack()
    {
        list = new java.util.LinkedList();
    }

    public boolean isEmpty()
    {
        return list.isEmpty();
    }

    public void push(Object obj)
    {
        list.addFirst(obj);
    }

    public Object pop()
    {
        return list.removeFirst();
    }

    public Object peekTop()
    {
        return list.getFirst();
    }
}

```