

Application of stack:-

- 1) Infix to Postfix
- 2) Balancing of ~~parenthesis~~ parentheses
- 3) Evaluation of an expression.

1) Infix expression:-

operator, operand.

Expression:- $A+B$
 $A \times B + C \times D$
 $A+B+C+D.$

Infix:- $\langle \text{operand} \rangle \text{ operator } \langle \text{operand} \rangle$

2) Postfix Expression

$\langle \text{operand1} \rangle \langle \text{operand2} \rangle \langle \text{operator} \rangle$
 $A \ B \ +$

3) Prefix Expression:-

$\text{operator } \langle \text{operand1} \rangle \langle \text{operand2} \rangle$

⇒ Conversion of Infix to Postfix Expression:-Steps:-

- (a) If the character is left parenthesis, Push to the stack
- (b) " " is an operand, Add it to the Postfix expression.
- (c) If the character is an operator, check whether the stack is empty.
 - ① If the stack is empty, Push operator into the stack

1) If the stack is not empty, check the priority of the operator.

i) If the priority of the operator $>$ operator present at the 'top' of the stack, then push operator into the top of the stack.







ii) If the priority of operator \leq operator present at top of the stack, then pop the operator from stack and add to postfix expression. expression goto step (i)

d) If the character is right Paranthessy, then Pop all the ~~characters~~ operators from the stack until it reaches left Paranthessy and add to Postfix expression.

e) After reading all characters if stack is not empty, then Pop and add to Postfix expression.

Example:-

$$a - (b * c - d) / c$$

<u>character</u>	<u>stack</u>	<u>Postfix</u>
a	-	a
-		a
(	a
b		ab
*		ab
c		abc
-		abc*

d
)
/
e



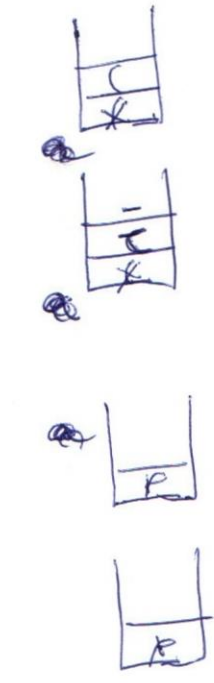
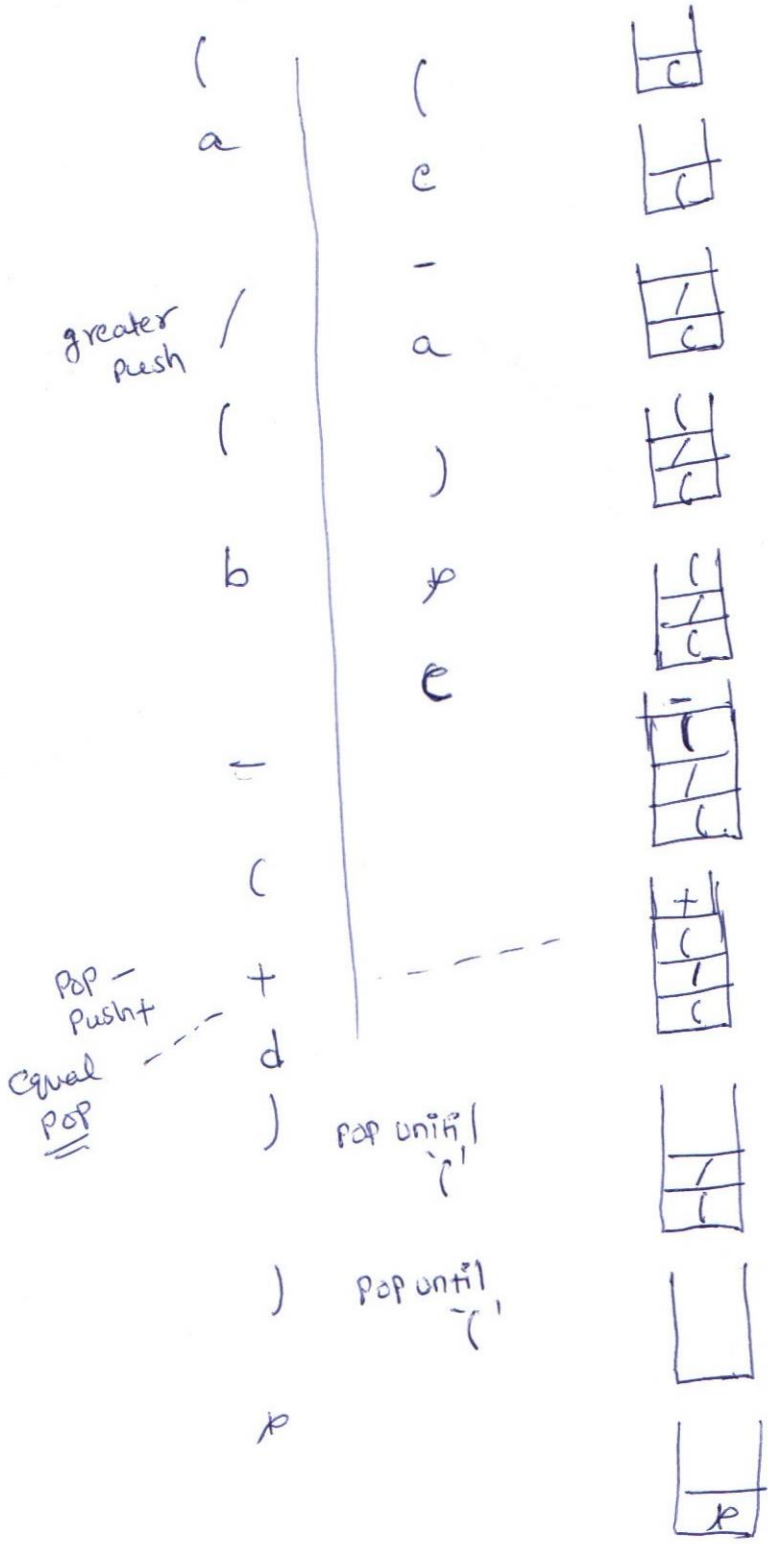
abc * d
abc * d -
abc * d -

abc * d e / -

EX2:- a / b - c + d * e - a * c : ab / c - d e * + a c * -

EX3:- (a / (b - c + d)) * (e - a) * c

Read - greater
push
Less - pop then
push



a | abc * / e
a | abc * + / e
a | abc * + / e a
ab | abc * + / e a -
ab | abc * + / e a - * c *
abc

abc - d
abc - d
abc - d /
abc - d /

abc - d + e / e a -
* c *