

## Lecture :- Stacks - I

### Agenda

- Introduction
- Implementation using arrays
- " " stacks
- Balanced parentheses
- Remove consecutive duplicates
- Evaluate postfix

## Introduction to stacks

→ A linear data structure that works on LIFO principle.  
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### Example

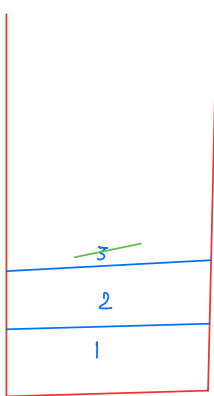
Pile of plates.  
Stack of chairs

### Algorithmic example

Recursion.  
Undo.

## Operation on stack

Operation	Understanding
push	insert a new el in stack.
pop	Remove top element of stack return.
peek	Returns top element of stack
isEmpty	if stack is empty or not?
size.	size of stack.



```
push(1)
push(2)
push(3)
peek()  → 3
pop()   →
peek()  → 2
size()  → 2
isEmpty() → false
```

## Implementation of stack using array

fixed size.

arr[5] = 

10	20	30	40	50
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idx = -1

push(10) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 10

push(20) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 20

push(30) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 30

push(40) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 40

push(50) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 50

push(60) → idx++ // 5  
arr[idx] = 60 idx out of bound.

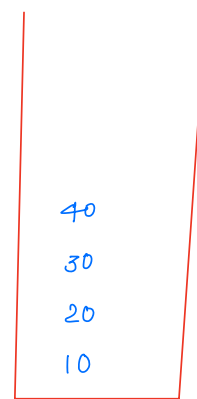
pop() → idx--

peek() → return arr[idx] // 40

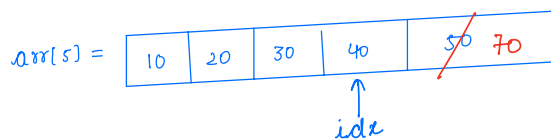
push(70) → idx++  
arr[idx] = 70

size() → return idx+1.

isEmpty → check for size.



Visual representation



## Pseudocode

```
int[] A
int idx = -1;

void push(int val) {
    if (idx == A.length - 1) {
        overflow;
    }
    idx++;
    A[idx] = val;
}

void pop() {
    if (isEmpty()) {
        return;
    }
    idx--;
}

int peek() {
    if (isEmpty()) {
        underflow;
    }
    return arr[idx];
}

boolean isEmpty() {
    return idx == -1;
}

int size() {
    return idx + 1;
}
```

ArrayList → taken care of fixed size

## Implementation using linked list

push(10)

push(20)

push(30)

push(40)

push(50)

push(60)

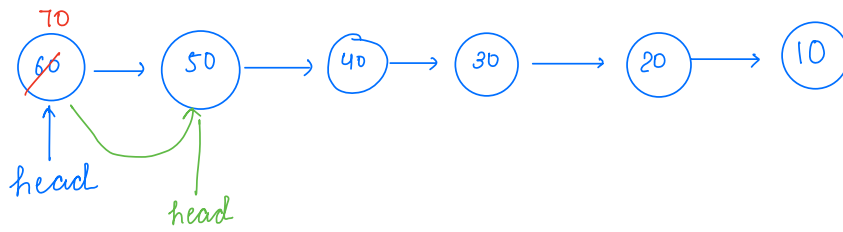
pop()

peek()

push(70)

size()

isEmpty



## Pseudocode

```
void push(int x) {  
    xn = new Node(x);  
    xn.next = head;  
    head = xn;  
    t++;  
}
```

```
int pop() {  
    if (isEmpty()) {  
        return -1;  
    }  
    int top = head.data;  
    head = head.next;  
    t--;  
    return top;  
}
```

```
int top() {  
    if (isEmpty()) {  
        return -1;  
    }  
    return head.data;  
}
```

```
boolean isEmpty() {  
    return t == 0;  
    size() == 0;  
}
```

```
int size() {  
    return t;  
}
```

Qn Balanced parentheses

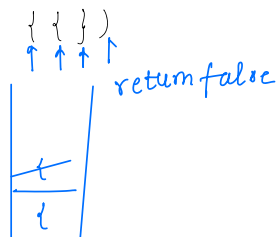
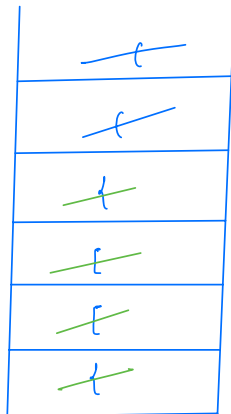
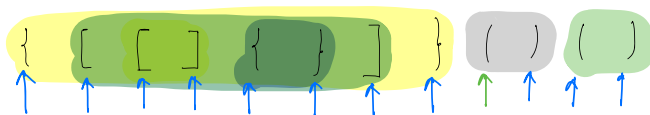
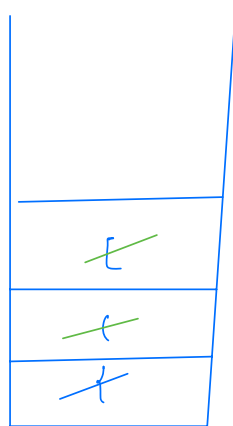
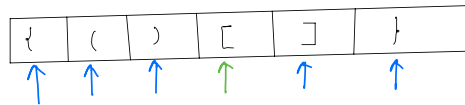
Check whether given sequence of parentheses is valid?

(( { } ))  $\longrightarrow$  valid

{ { } } )  $\longrightarrow$  invalid

{ [ [ ] { } ] } ( ) ( )  $\longrightarrow$

Approach





### Pseudocode

```
boolean isValid (string ip) {  
    stack<Character> st = new stack<>();  
    for (i=0; i < ip.length(); i++) {  
        char ch = ip.charAt(i);  
        if (isOpenBracket(ch)) {  
            st.push(ch);  
        } else {  
            if (st.isEmpty()) {  
                return false;  
            }  
            char top = st.pop();  
            if (!isValid(ch, top)) {  
                return false;  
            }  
        }  
    }  
    if (st.isEmpty()) {  
        return true;  
    }  
    return false;  
}
```

TC:  $O(n)$

SC:  $O(n)$

Q. Given a string, remove equal no. of consecutive elements if possible.

Example

a b c d d c.  
       ↓  
 a b c c.  
       ↓  
ab

a a b c c b a  
       ↓  
 b b a.  
       ↓  
a

a a a a b c c. → b  
a a a b c c. → ab

a a b c c b a  
 ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑

a  
~~c.~~  
~~b~~  
~~a~~

Ans = a

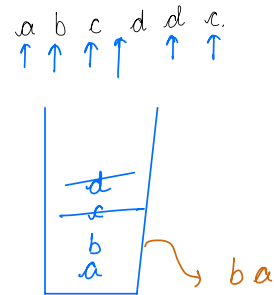
a a a b c c c :-  
 ↑ abc.

a b c a b c a :-  
 ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑ ↑

a.  
 c  
 b  
 a  
 c  
 b  
 a

Pseudocode

```
String removeConsDupCharacter(string input) {  
    stack<Character> st = new stack<>();  
    for(i=0; i<input.length(); i++) {  
        char ch = input.charAt(i);  
        if(!st.isEmpty() && ch == st.peek()) {  
            st.pop();  
        } else {  
            st.push(ch);  
        }  
    }  
    string ans = "";  
    while(!st.isEmpty()) {  
        ans = ans + st.pop();  
        st.pop() + ans;  
    }  
    return ans.reverse();  
}
```



TC:  $O(n)$   
SC:  $O(n)$

Break: 8:40 - 8:50

a b b c b b c a c x  
a c c a c x  
a a c x  
c x }

Q. Evaluate postfix expression

$2 + 3$ 
Postfix

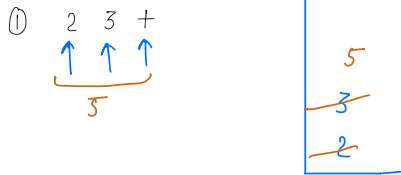
 $\xrightarrow{\quad}$ 
 $\overset{\text{operands}}{\underset{\text{operator}}{2\ 3\ +}}$

$$4\ \underbrace{3\ 3\ *}_{3*3}\ +\ 2\ - \implies \text{ans} = 11$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 4\ 9\ +\ 2\ - \\ \hline 13\ 2\ - \\ \hline 11 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3) \quad 100\ 200\ +\ 2\ |\ 5\ * \ 7\ + \\ \hline 300\ 2\ |\ 5\ * \ 7\ + \\ \hline 150\ 5\ * \ 7\ + \\ \hline 750\ 7\ + \\ \hline 757\ \text{Ans} \end{array}$$

Approach



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$$\begin{array}{c} 4\ 3\ 3\ * \ +\ 2\ - \\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow \\ \hline 9 \\ \hline 13\ 2\ - \\ \uparrow\ \uparrow \\ \hline 11 \end{array}$$

$\begin{array}{c} 11 \\ \hline 2 \\ \hline 13 \\ \hline 9 \\ \hline 3 \\ \hline 3 \\ \hline 4 \end{array}$

ans = 11

wrong exp.

$$\begin{array}{c} 3\ 5\ +\ 2\ -\ 2\ 5\ * \ - \\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow\ \uparrow \\ \hline 8\ 2\ -\ 2\ 5\ * \ - \\ \hline 6\ 2\ 5\ * \ - \\ \hline 6\ 10\ - \\ \hline -4 \end{array}$$

$\begin{array}{c} -4 \\ \hline 10 \\ \hline 5 \\ \hline 2 \\ \hline 6 \\ \hline 2 \\ \hline 8 \\ \hline 5 \\ \hline 3 \end{array}$

Pseudocode

```
int evaluatePostfix(string input) {  
    stack<character> st = new stack<>();  
    for(i=0; i<input.length(); i++) {  
        char ch = input.charAt(i);  
        if(ch is operand) {  
            st.push(ch);  
        } else {  
            el2 = st.pop();  
            el1 = st.pop();  
            perform op on el1 & el2.  
            if(ch == '+') {  
                st.push(el1 + el2);  
            }  
            if(ch == '-') {  
                st.push(el1 - el2);  
            }  
            if(ch == '*') {  
                st.push(el1 * el2);  
            }  
            if(ch == '/') {  
                st.push(el1 / el2);  
            }  
        }  
    }  
    top el of stack = ans  
    return st.pop();  
}
```

TC:  $O(n)$   
SC:  $O(n)$

Thank you 😊