# Lab: Lists as Stacks and Queues

Problems for in-class lab for the [Python Advanced Course @SoftUni](https://softuni.bg/courses/python-advanced). Submit your solutions in the SoftUni judge system at <https://judge.softuni.bg/Contests/1830>

## Reverse Strings

Write program that:

* **Reads** an **input string**
* **Reverses** it **using a** stack
* **Prints** the result back at the terminal

### Examples

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| **Input** | **Output** |
| I Love Python | nohtyP evoL I |
| Stacks and Queues | seueuQ dna skcatS |

## Matching Brackets

We are given an arithmetic expression with brackets. Scan through the string and extract each sub-expression.

Print the result back at the terminal.

### Examples

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| **Input** | **Output** |
| 1 + (2 - (2 + 3) \* 4 / (3 + 1)) \* 5 | (2 + 3)  (3 + 1)  (2 - (2 + 3) \* 4 / (3 + 1)) |
| (2 + 3) - (2 + 3) | (2 + 3)  (2 + 3) |

### Hints

* Scan through the expression searching for brackets
  + If you find an **opening** **bracket**, **push** the index into the stack
  + If you find a **closing** **bracket** **pop** the topmost element from the stack. This is the index of the opening bracket.
  + Use the current and the popped index to **extract** the sub-expression

## Supermarket

Write a program that **reads** an **input** consisting of a **name** and **adds** it to a **queue** until "**End**" is received. If you receive "Paid", **print** every customer name and empty the queue, otherwise we receive a client and we have to add him to the queue. When we receive **"**End**"** we have to print the count of the remaining people in the queue in the format: "{count} people remaining.**"**

### Examples

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| **Input** | **Output** |
| George  Peter  William  Paid  Michael  Oscar  Olivia  Linda  End | George  Peter  William  4 people remaining. |
| Anna  Emma  Alexander  End | 3 people remaining. |

## Water Dispenser

Write a program that reads the starting **quantity** of a water dispenser on the first line. Then on the next few lines you will be given the **names** of some people that want to **get water** (each on separate line) until you receive the command **"**Start**"**. Until the command **"**End**"**, you will receive lines in one of the two formats:

* **{liters}** - the litters that the current person wants to get (remember that the people are in a queue)
* **refill {liters}** - the litters you have to add in the dispenser (refilling)

When you receive a person, you have to check whether he/she can get the litters of water they want:

* if they can, print: **"{person} got water"**
* otherwise, print: **"{person} must wait"**

At the end print how many litters of water are left in the format: **"{left\_liters} liters left"**

### Examples

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| **Input** | **Output** |
| 2  Peter  Amy  Start  2  refill 1  1  End | Peter got water  Amy got water  0 liters left |
| 10  Peter  George  Amy  Alice  Start  2  3  3  3  End | Peter got water  George got water  Amy got water  Alice must wait  2 liters left |

## Hot Potato

Hot potato is a game in which children form a circle and start passing a hot potato. The counting starts with the first kid. **Every nth toss the child left with the potato leaves the game**. When a kid leaves the game, it passes the potato along. This continues **until there is only one kid left**.

Create a program that simulates the game of Hot Potato. **Print** everykidthat is **removed** fromthe **circle**. In the end, **print** the kidthat is left **last**.

### Examples

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| **Input** | **Output** |
| Tracy Emily Daniel  2 | Removed Emily  Removed Tracy  Last is Daniel |
| George Peter Michael William Thomas  10 | Removed Thomas  Removed Peter  Removed Michael  Removed George  Last is William |
| George Peter Michael William Thomas  1 | Removed George  Removed Peter  Removed Michael  Removed William  Last is Thomas |