

C Language



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Topic: C language notes

I wish I was able to help in some way

1) Data Types.

Primary	derived	user defined
$\text{char} \rightarrow 1 \text{ byte}$	array []	struct
$\text{int} \rightarrow 4 \text{ } "$	Pointer *	union
$\text{short} \rightarrow 2 \text{ } "$	functions	enum
$\text{long} \rightarrow 4 \text{ } "$		typedef
$\text{double} \rightarrow 8 \text{ } "$		
$\text{float} \rightarrow 4 \text{ } "$		

* Range of datatype

- Signed "+,-" $\rightarrow -2^{n-1} \rightarrow 2^{(n-1)} - 1$

- Unsigned "+" $\rightarrow 0 \rightarrow 2^n - 1$

$n \rightarrow$ Refer to number of bits.

* Type Casting \rightarrow Convert datatype to another without losing its original meaning.

- implicit \rightarrow done by compiler.

- explicit \rightarrow by user

- Syntax \rightarrow $\square 1 = (\text{datatype}) \square$.

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* output function

Global

Printf("%d", \square);

char

Putchar();

String

Putsc();

2 * Operators

Relational operator

Logic operator

assignment operator

<, >, <=, >=, !=

58, 11, !

+=, -=, *=, /=, %

bitwise operator

Conditional operator

unary operator

&, |, ^, ~

?

++ , -- , ~ "complement"

<< → left shift

□ = (condition) ? □1 : □2

↑

>> → Right shift

True → □ = □1

Postfix

False → □ = □2

↓

Prefix

□ ++;

++ □;

* input function

Global

Scanf("%d", & \square);

char

getchar();
getche();
getch();

String

get();

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3* Flow Control

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if (Condition)

{
 }
 !=

else
{
 }

 }

5)

switch (variable)

{
 }

 case 1: or case ' + ';

 {
 break;
 }

 35 break;
 {
 }

②

for (initialize; condition, update)

{
 }
 !=

 }

③

while (condition)

{
 }
 !=

 update exp;
 }

 }

④

do

{
 }

* update exp

3 white (exp);

6)

goto & Label

EX → char RE;

RE: ↗ label

printf(" — ");

goto RE;

→ under conditional flow of control

Continue, Break, Return

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- 9 * Functions
- 1- Easy to debug
 - 2- Code Reusability
 - advantage → 3- Reduce Code Size
 - 4- Calling more than one Time
 - 1- Standard → 1) build in Processor "library"
 - Types → 2- userdefined

↳ ProtoType → ReturnType funname (arguments);
 ↳ Fun → Calling → funname (variable)
 ↳ Definition → ReturnType funname (arguments)

statements & declarations.

Calling

1) Call by value

- Pass Value of Parameter during

Call

- Copy to function's actual local Argu

2) Call by reference

- Pass Parameter Location

- Copy and assign them to local Argu.

* Recursive fun → calling function inside fun

disadvantage: 1- waste memory

2- Large execution time.

advantage → Solving math problems.

* Types of user defined fun

1- static fun "helper fun"

2- inline fun → Less execution time

3- API fun.

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5 * (PreProcessor

1- file inclusion 2- Macro 3- Fun Like Macro

1) file inclusion

→ "file1" → in case of double quote

→ Searching for the file TYPically where source program found
and locate it

→ <file2> → in case of enclosed

→ Searching for system path To locate this file

2) Macro - Text Replacement

Ex. #define AA 10

→ Variable name should be Capitalize.

2- Macro To Replace tiny fun

adv → Reduce code size

1- #ifdef = #if defined

2- #warning → 3- #error

4- #debug

5- #ifndef = #if !defined

6- #if #else #endif → do need for { } omit.

7- #undef → build from scratch

8- #Pragma → depend on compiler.

→ used for Packing.

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3- Function Macro

adv = less execution time

disadv: Large space

Ex: ~~#define ADD(v1,v2) (v1+v2)~~

* for multi-line Macro use "\"

Ex → ~~#define MUL(x,y) \~~

int i=0; \

int x=0; i \

i=x;

4- Storage classes

	Storage	initial value	Scope	Life
1- auto	stack	garbage	within block	end of block
2- extern	data segment	zero	global files	end of program
3- static	data segment	zero	within block	end of program
4- register	CPU Register	garbage	within block	end of block

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* header files

- files initialized and saved to use it more than once

Note → Make "header guard" to avoid double inclusion

Ex:

```
*#ifndef Header-H  
*#define Header-H  
*#endif
```

* Modular Programming

- Separate Program codes into interchangeable units and ease of modification
- Improve maintainability.

6 *Pointers

Size → Word Size

* Syntax → dataType * pointername ;

Ex: int a = 5, *ptr;

ptr = &a;

*ptr = 10;

assign → refers address of a

Get reference

→ here it will change value of a to be 10

* Pointer Cast:

dataType * ptr = (dataType*) & variable

Ex: Char x;

int *ptr = (int*) &x;

It's important to cast pointer if you will make any operation like step.

* Pointer Types

1- void Pointer "void *"

→ Point to some data storage which doesn't have specific type
in case we need to use void pointer
we need to cast "specify" to data type

Ex: void *ptr; → void pointer

(int*) PTR; → change to integer pointer

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3) Null Pointer → Pointer which Point To nothing

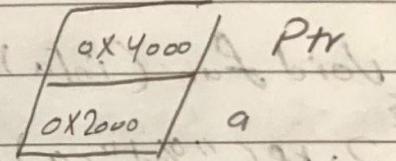
3) Dangling Pointer → Point To memory location that has been deleted "Run Time error"

4) Wild Pointer → Pointer has not been initialized.

Ex: int a = 5;

int *ptr;

ptr = &a; *ptr = 10



printf("%P, %P %d %d %P", &a, ptr, a, *ptr, &ptr);
 0x2000 0x4000 10 10 0x2000

* difference between

1) Const char *ptr

→ Pointer to Constant char → Cannot change the value by ptr
but we can change pointer "Const char"

2) char *const ptr → Constant Pointer To char

- Can not change pointer

- Can change value

3) Const char * const ptr → Constant Pointer to constant char

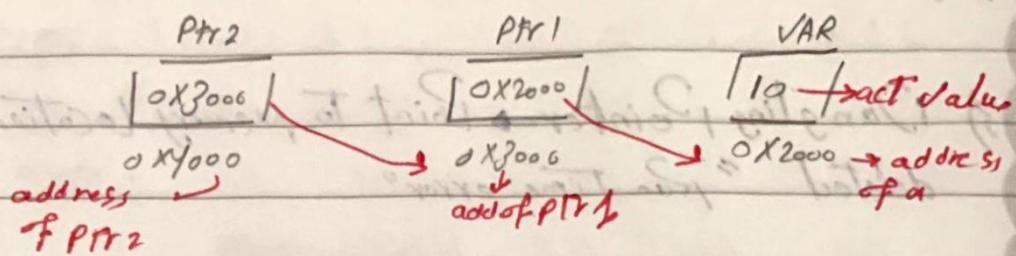
→ Can not change pointer or its value

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double pointer

→ int **ptr;



* Pointer to function

Ex: void (*ptrtofun) (int);

Ex: 2 void fun (int a)

{ printf ("%d", a); }

}

int main()

{

void (*ptr) (int) = &fun;

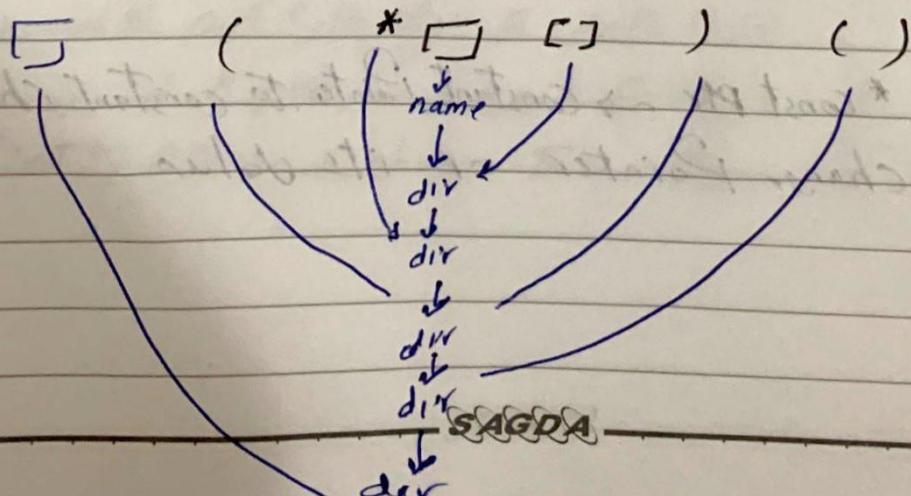
(*ptr) (10);

}

Complex declaration

From left to right for reading

1 - int *fun () → fun that returns 1 pointer of integer
5 steps for Read



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7 * array

Syntax → dataType arr-name [] ;

int arr[5] = { , , , } ;

* Notes:

1- array name → has no memory address

2- do assign to array name → Err arr++ XXX

3- Size of array = (dataType * No. of elements)

4- int arr[5] = {1,2,3} → ~~declared on compiler~~

* Start of code ~~is not known~~ (garbage values ~~will be generated by compiler~~) will be all

5- int arr[5] = 1; → error

6- int arr[] = {1,2,3}; → depends on compiler

* get data

```
for (int i=0 ; i< sizeofarray ; i++)
    { scanf(" %d ", &arr[i]); }
```

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* multi-dimension array

```
int arr[2][3][3][3] = {{1,2,3}, {1,2,3}, {1,2,3}, {1,2,3}};
```

* get data

```
for (i=0; i<size1; i++)
```

```
{ for (j=0; j<size2; j++)
```

```
{
```

```
scanf("%d", &arr[i][j]);
```

```
}
```

Example → int arr[2][3][5]; ↗²

	1	2	3	4	5
1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

*array of Pointers.

For first element address

```
int arr[5];  
int *ptr = arr;
```

for whole array address

```
int (*ptr)[5];
```

*Complex Pointer

Priority → 1) (), [] 2) *, VAR name 3) dataType

Ex

1) char (*ptr)(short) → Pointer To function that take short and return data type of char

2) char *(*ptr[3])(int *const, const *int)

→ 1) Pointer To array of three element to function that take parameter integer Pointer To constant and constant Pointer To integer and return character pointer

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8) * Structure

→ user defined data type

→ Syntax

```
Struct structname
{
    data
};
```

```
struct structname
{
    data
}; variable;
```

* to use struct we should create element from struct
To use it.

Ex: struct data

```
{ int x, y;
```

```
};
```

```
int main()
```

```
{ struct data P1;
```

To access

P1.x = 5; or struct data P1 = { .x=5, .y=10 };

3

→ To Access struct
we use dot operator (.)

Note → We can not assign to any variable inside struct
→ Compiler error

Struct A

```
{
```

int x=10; XXX Compiler error

```
};
```

→ we can declare more than variable over one struct

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- We can create struct inside struct
- Call nested struct

Ex Struct data

```
char name[20];
int ID;
```

```
int main()
{
```

```
    Struct data P[10];
```

```
    int i;
```

```
    for(i=0, i<10, i++)
    {
```

```
        printf("No of is %d ", i)
```

```
        scanf(" %d", &P[i].ID);
```

```
        printf(" name ");
```

```
        scanf(" %s", &P[i].name);
```

```
}
```

* Structure with pointer

Syntax → struct name *ptrToStruct

struct name P1; ~~~ ptrToStruct = &P1

→ for access struct

1 - → ~~~ ptrToStruct → var = value;

2 - (*ptrToStruct) . var = value;

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* Struct with function

Rules → 1 - Create struct first

2 - Create fun and create element from struct data

Note → error ~~use struct before fun define~~
~~use struct before fun define~~ → fix
Struct

Ex:

Struct data ADD_number()

{

int x, y;

};

void display (struct data object)

{

printf ("%d", object.x);

printf ("%d", object.y);

}

main()

{

struct data P1,

" " P2;

P1 = ADD_Number(); P2 = ADD_Number();

display(P1);

" (P2);

}

* Padding & Packing

* default → Padding

~~Padding and Unaligned~~ **Packing** → collect data side by side

adv - lesser execution time | adv → less size

- Performance is high | but large in terms of execution time

disadv

- waste memory

→ Packing → by directives

1) * Pragma Pack (1)

(2)

(3)

2) --attribute-- (Packed)

→ Padding → for reduce cycle make large data type at first

* bitfield → Select no of bits

(:)

Ex: struct data

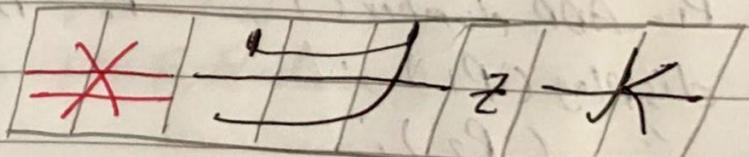
char x:2;

.. y:3

.. z:1

.. lc:2

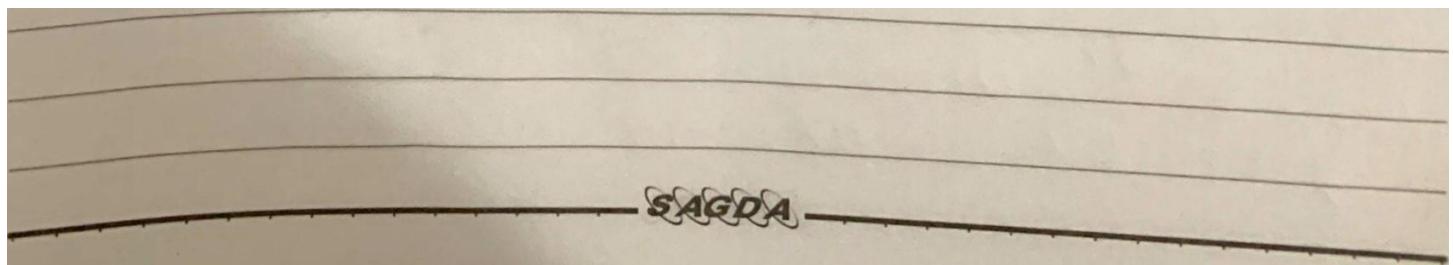
};



size → ① byte

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9) **Union

→ reduce code size by make operation before over write

→ Reserve biggest data TYPE

(Ex) union personal

{ int x;

double y;

char z;

};

Size of union = 8 byte

$$\begin{array}{l} 1-x=10 \\ 2-y=20 \\ 3-z=9 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 1-x=10 \\ 2-y=20 \\ 3-z=9 \end{array}$$

as overwrite

10) **Enum

- Size → word size

- important of using flags

- assign first element "zero" and provide in order

Ex:

Enum week

{

out

Sat, #

→ 0

Sun, #

→ 1

Mon, → 2

Tue, → 3

Wed, → 4

Thur, → 5

Friday → 6

}

if we assign it will provide in order after it

Ex, if we make monday = 22

Then

Tues → 26

Wed → 27

Thur → 28

Friday → 29

11) **Typedef → for create data type names

1) #include <string.h>

→ Collection of letters

Function

1) strcpy (s1, s2)

Make copy of s2 to s1

2) strcmp (s1, s2)

return → zero if equal

" " → negative if s1 < s2

" " → positive if s1 > s2

3) strlen (s1) → return length of s1

4) strcat (s1, s2) → Concatenate s2 to end of s1

5) strtol → Tokenization

6) gets (s) → for input

7) puts (s) → output

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	Stack	
	Local VAR	
heap		DMA
Data	global VAR static VAR	

* 13) DMA → dynamic memory allocation

Store in → heap "runtime"

library → <stdlib.h>

has specific four function

1- malloc() 2- calloc() 3- realloc() 4- free()

1) malloc()

reserves location in memory and return pointer point to first element
syntax

data type *ptr = (datatype*) malloc (bytesize);

Ex

int *ptr = (int*) malloc (5 * sizeof (char));

for check memory reserved

if (ptr != NULL)

{ true }

{ else }

{ false }

size = 56 bytes

has garbage data

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2) `malloc()`

allocate specific number & give it value = zero

~~Ex~~ syntax

~~int~~ datatype *ptr = (datatype*) malloc (N, elementSize)

Ex

~~int~~ *ptr = (int*) malloc (5, sizeof(int));

3) `realloc()`

→ adjust the space reserved.

Syntax

datatype *ptr = (datatype*) realloc (ptr, newSize);

Ex

~~int~~ *ptr = (int*) malloc (5, sizeof(int)) → 20 bytes

Ptr = realloc (ptr, (10, sizeof(int))) ; → 40 bytes

4) `free()`

→ remove location

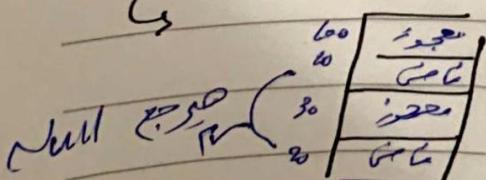
Syntax

free (ptr);

disadvantages

1 - memory leak →

2 - memory fragmentation →



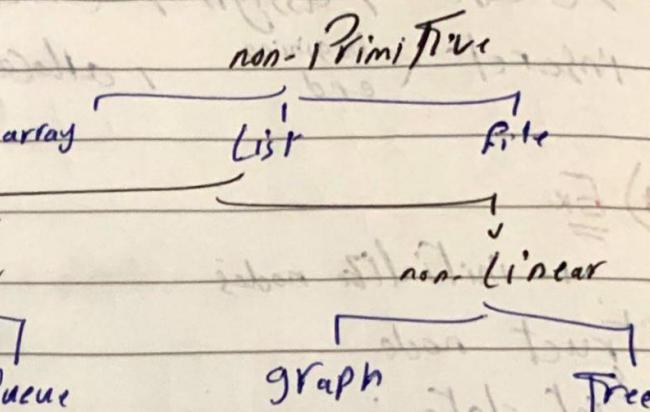
Null zone before main

14* Data Structure Type

Primitive

-int -char

-float -pointer



→ Linear data has Sequence .

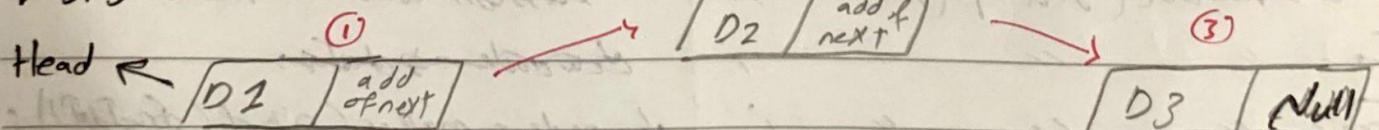
→ non linear data has no sequence .

1- Linear data structure " stack , queue , linked list "

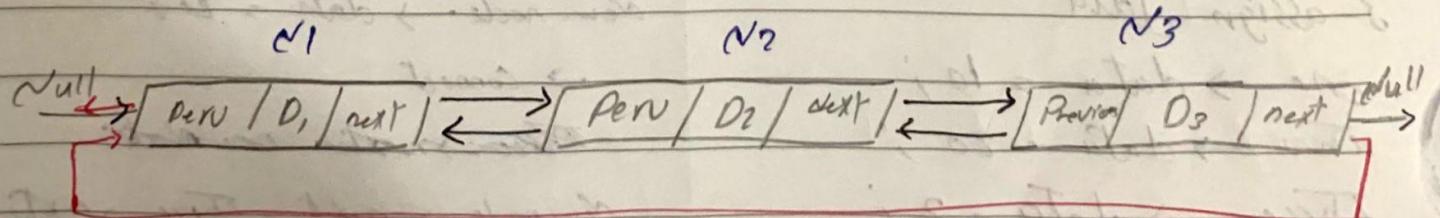
1- Linked list → RAM →
 Random Access memory

- data can link each other by 1 pointer

1-Single Link



2- doubly linked list



(Can access any node)

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Operation of Linked list

→ Create, assign, Connect, Save
 Insert \leftarrow beginning, end, allocate, delete.

1) Ex

1- initialize nodes

Struct node

~~int~~ int data;

Struct node * next;

};

main()

Struct node * Head;

" " " * one = NULL;

" " " * Two = NULL;

" " " * Three = NULL;

2-allocate memory

one = malloc (sizeof (struct node));

Two = " " " " " ;

Three = " " " " " ;

3-assign data

one → data = 10;

Two → data = 20;

Three → data = 30;

4- Connect nodes

one → next = Two

Two → next = Three

Three → next = NULL

5) Save address

Head = one;

→ insert at end

→ create node

Struct data * New node = NULL;

→ assign allocate memory

Newnode → data;

Newnode = malloc (sizeof (struct data));

→ assign data

Newnode → data = 40;

→ connect

~~Three → next = newnode;~~

Three → next = Three → next;

Three → next = Newnode;

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* for Print data

Struct data * current;

current = Head;

while (current != null)
{

printf ("%d", current → data);

current = current → next;

}

→ insert at first

→ insert at delete node

"check my git hub" → Mahmoud ramadan

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white claud shiny duck s

(2^t) white shiny duck s
3

i: 1-2 90° ← →

white shiny duck s

(2^t) white shiny duck s
3

(1-2 90° 2) white shiny duck s
3

white shiny duck s
3

white shiny duck s

shiny duck s

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2- Stack \rightarrow ADT \rightarrow abstract data type

\rightarrow Pile of Plates Kept on top of each other.

LIFO \rightarrow Last in first out

Operation \rightarrow Push, Pop, is empty, is full

TOP = -1

TOP = 0
S[0] = 1

TOP = 1
S[1] = 2

TOP = 2
S[2] = 3

TOP = 3
S[3] = 2

empty

Push

Push

Push

Pop

Push \rightarrow TOP + 1

Pop \rightarrow TOP - 1

steps

1- initialize pointer called TOP and assign it to -1

2- check can check both increment "push" decrement "pop"

Ex

1- Create stack

struct stack

{

int items [y];
int Top; \nearrow max

}

TYPE def struct stack st;

2- check create Empty stack

void CreateEmptyStack(st *s)

{

s \rightarrow Top = -1;

}

3- check if stack full

int isfull (st *s)

{

if (s \rightarrow Top == max - 1)

{

return 1 \rightarrow full

}

else

{

return 0 \rightarrow not full

}

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4) check for empty

```
int IsEmpty(st*s)
```

```
{ if (s->Top == -1)
```

```
    return 1;
```

```
}
```

```
else
```

```
2
```

```
return 0;
```

```
3
```

```
}
```

5- Push " add "

```
void Push(st*s, int newItem)
```

```
{
```

```
if (isFull(s))
```

```
{ printf("Stack full");
```

```
else
```

```
{ s->Top++;
```

```
s->items[s->Top] = newItem;
```

```
3
```

```
3
```

6- Pop item

```
void Pop(st*s)
```

```
{
```

```
if (isEmpty(s))
```

```
{
```

```
printf("Stack Empty");
```

```
}
```

```
else
```

```
{
```

```
s->Top--;
```

```
3
```

```
}
```

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3) Queue →

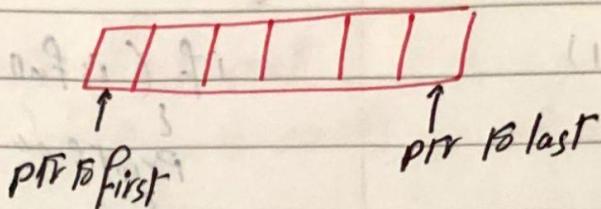
operation

FIFO → first in first out

→ enqueue

→ dequeue

→ is empty
is full



* work principle

Two pointer → first & last

Set value of last = -1 & first = -1

1- Enqueue

- check if queue full
- set value of first ptr = 0
- increase last ptr by 1
- add element in position of last ptr

2- Dequeue

- check if queue empty
- return value pointed by first
- increase first by 1
- for last element set first & last to -1

queue

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Ex

```
** define SIZE 5  
void enqueue(int);  
void dequeue(void);  
int item [SIZE], First = -1, last = -1
```

main()

{

```
dequeue();  
enqueue(1);  
" (2);  
" (3);  
" (4);  
" (5);  
" (6); ➔ queue full
```

void enqueue (int value)

{

if (last == SIZE - 1)

{ "queue full"

}
else

{ if (first == -1)

{ first = 0

last++;

item [last] = value;

, }
,

void dequeue (void)

{

if (first == -1)

{ "queue empty"

}
else

{ first++;

if (first > last)

{ first = last = -1

, }
,

→ 7 points for C

1- Same name → Combination error
else if created inside within block

2- `Printf ("%d", x,y,z);` → Print x
" " " , (x,y,z) → " z

3- `continue;` → skip one loop

4- `break;` → exit loop

5- `while (1);` → infinite loop

6- `if (condition);`

 □ ; → if valid → execute this line

 □ ; → valid forever.

7) `if () - else` → Cannot unplug them by logic

 if ()

 3
 else
 □
 not logic (X X X)

8) Can not assign struct from struct should use strcpy fun

9) extern int x;

 int x; → error x → undefined

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- 10) Volatile → 1-for access by Hw or Reg "interview dues"
2-Save from compiler optimization.
- 11) Size of Pointer = word size

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