

Queue

A queue is a linear data structure in which Insertion and deletion happens at different end.

Insertion = enqueue

Deletion = dequeue

Queue can be implemented by array, stack or linked list.

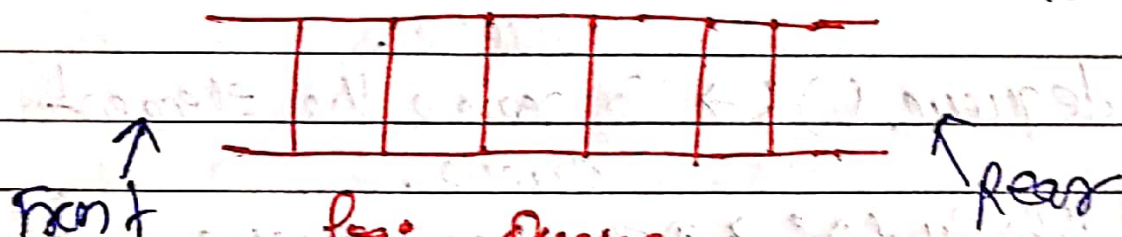


fig:- Queue

(Deletion from front end)

(Insertion from rear end)

Application

- ① It can be used in shareable resource.
- ② In real life scenario, call center phone system uses queues to hold people calling them in an order, until a service representative is free.

Queue ADT (Abstract Data Type)

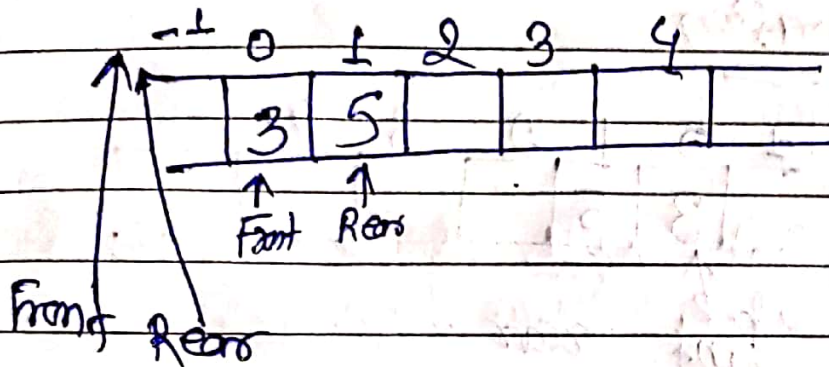
In order to create queue we need a front and rear pointer which stores the front data and rear data in queue.

Some of the queue ADT operations are:

- (i) enqueue () \rightarrow To push an element into the queue.
- (ii) dequeue () \rightarrow To remove the element from the queue.
- (iii) isEmpty () \rightarrow Determine queue is Empty or not.
- (iv) isFull () \rightarrow Determine queue is Full or not.
- (v) peek () \rightarrow Value at the front side.

enqueue operation

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#define MAX 5
int queue[MAX]
int front = -1;
int rear = -1;
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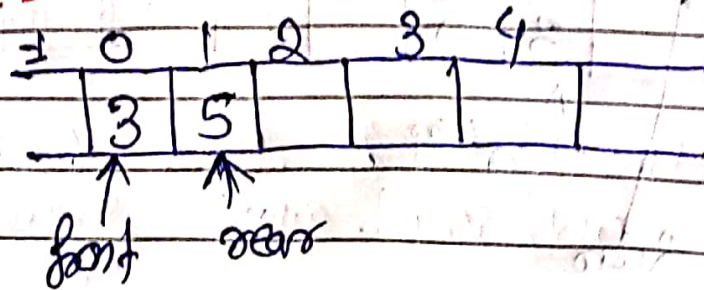


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void enqueue (int data) {
    if (rear == MAX - 1) {
        cout << "queue overflow" << endl;
    }
    else if (front == -1 & rear == -1) {
        front = rear = 0;
        queue[rear] = data;
    }
    else {
        rear = rear + 1;
        queue[rear] = data;
    }
}

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Dequeue operation



void dequeue () {

if (front == -1 & rear == -1) {
 cout << "queue underflow" << endl;

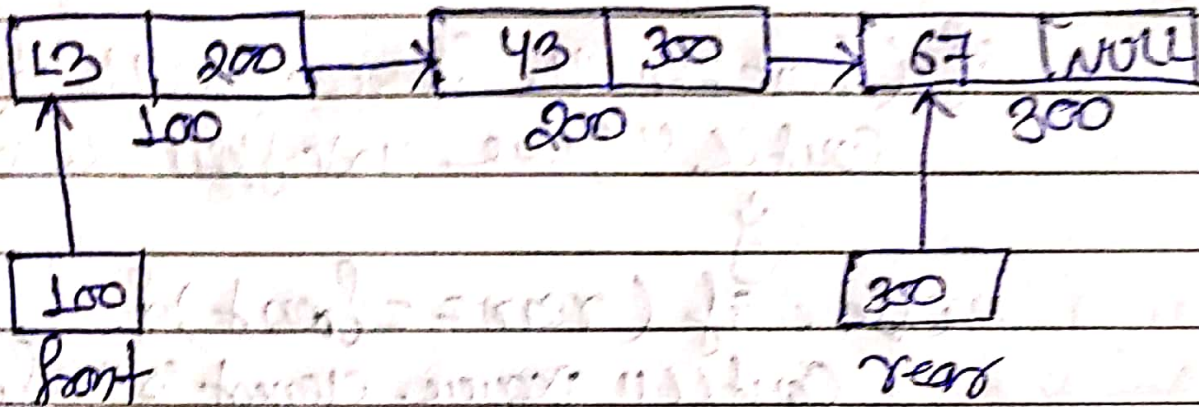
else if (front == rear) {

 cout << "dequeue element is" << queue[front];
 front = rear = -1;

else {
 cout << queue[front];
 front = front + 1;

 }
}

using linked list



void Enqueue (int data) {

node * temp = new node ();

if (temp == NULL) {

cout << "Queue overflow" << endl;

} else {

if (rear == NULL && front == NULL) {

temp->data = data;

temp->next = NULL;

rear = temp;

front = temp;

} else {

temp->data = data;

rear->next = temp;

temp->next = NULL;

rear = temp;

} }

void Dequeue() {

if (front == NULL && rear == NULL) {
 cout << "Queue underflow" << endl;

 }
 else if (rear == front) {
 cout << "Dequeue element is" << front->data;
 rear = front = NULL;

 }
 else {

 Node *p = front;
 cout << "Dequeue element is" << front->data;
 front = front->next;
 free(p);

 }
}