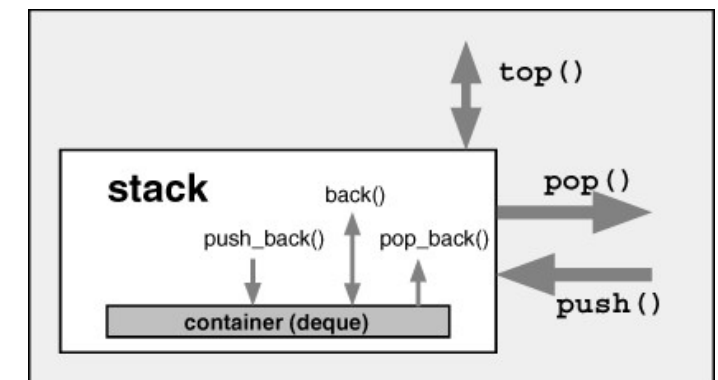
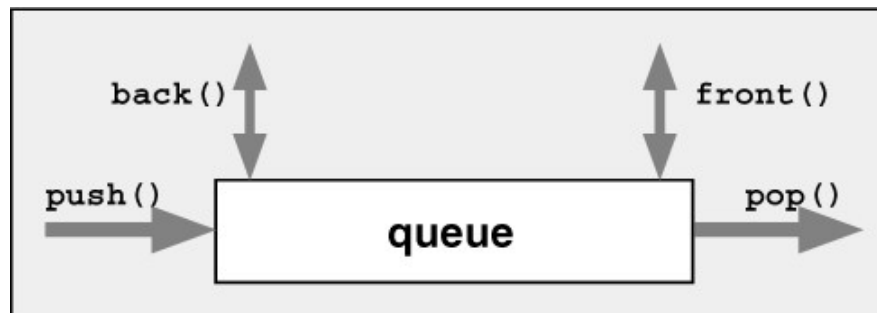


# CPSC 131 – Data Structures

## Stack and Queue Abstract Data Types

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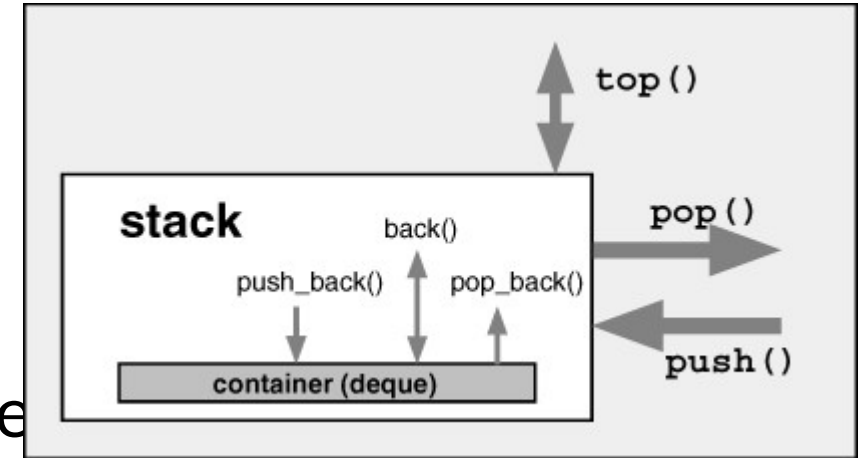
# Key terms

- An abstract data type (ADT) is an abstraction of a data structure that specifies
  - Data stored
  - Operations on the data
  - Error conditions associated with operations
- Does not talk about implementation
- Container Adapter (Wrapper class) implementation
  - Provides a public interface, but
  - Delegates the implementation to some other data structure

You must tell it what other structure to use

# Stack Concepts

- LIFO – Last In, First Out (Stack)
  - push() - insert elements into the stack
  - pop() - remove elements in the opposite order in which they were inserted (“last in, first out”)
  - top() - view the most recent element inserted

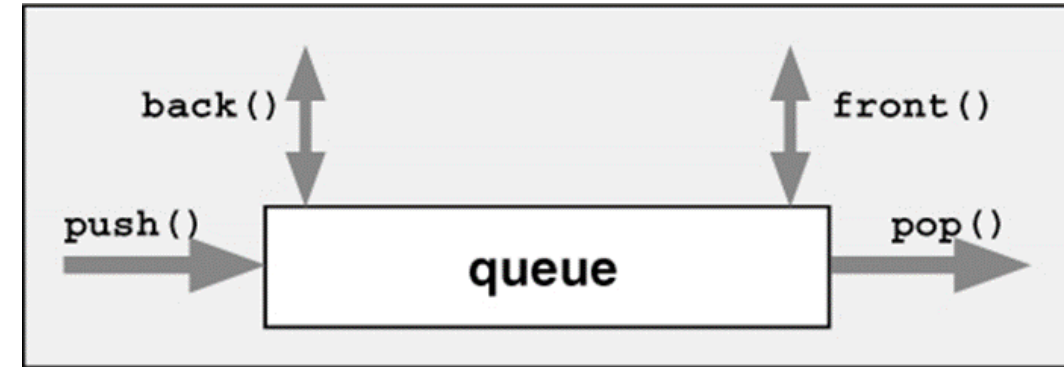


*Example: spring-loaded plate dispenser*

# Queue Concepts

- FIFO – First In, First Out (Queue)
  - push() - insert elements into the queue
  - pop() - remove elements in the same order in which they were inserted (“first in, first out”)
  - back() - view the most recent element inserted (the one at the back)
  - front() - view the least recent element inserted (the one at the front)

zyBook calls this  
peek()



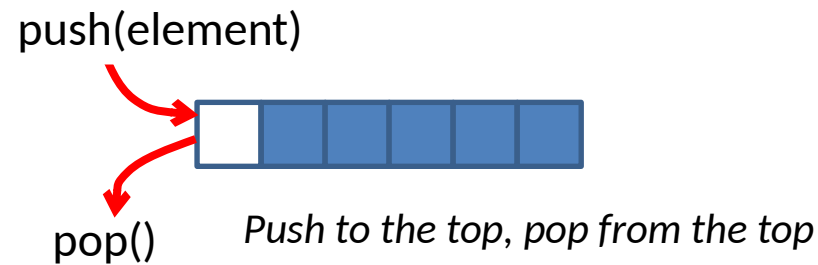
*Push to the back, pop from the front*



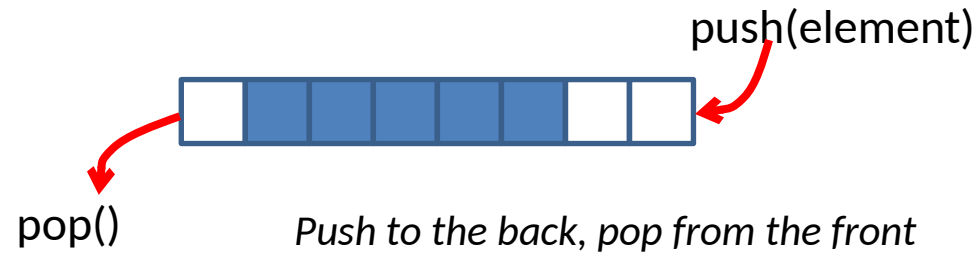
*Example: standing in line*

# Stack vs Queue

- Stack (Last-In First-Out)



- Queue (First-In First-Out)



# Performance

- Performance
  - Let  $n$  be the number of elements in the stack or queue
  - The space used is  $O(n)$
  - Each operation runs in time  $O(1)$

Operation	Time	Applicability
void push(element)	$O(1)$	stack, queue
void pop()	$O(1)$	stack, queue
element top()	$O(1)$	stack
element front()	$O(1)$	queue
element back()	$O(1)$	queue
size_t size()	$O(1)$	stack, queue
bool empty()	$O(1)$	stack, queue

# Perspective

Two ways of working with data structures

1. As a class consumer (client) - using a data structure
2. As the class designer - implementing a data structure



As a class consumer (client) - using a data structure

# USING A STACK



# Example - Using a Stack

Client creates instances of stacks specifying what underlying container to use

```
int main()
{
    try
    {
        // array based Stack, not in zyBook
        // empty stack where stack is implemented over a fixed sized standard
        array
        Stack<Student, std::array<Student, 10>> myStack_3;
        test( myStack_3 );

        // Standard Stack usage with standard containers
        // default standard stack (uses std::deque as underlying container)
        std::stack<Student> myStack_4;
        test( myStack_4 );

        // standard stack with standard doubly linked list as underlying container
        std::stack<Student, std::list<Student>> myStack_5;
        test( myStack_5 );

        // standard stack with standard vector as underlying container
        std::stack<Student, std::vector<Student>> myStack_6;
        test( myStack_6 );
    }
    catch (const std::exception & ex)
    {
        std::cerr << ex.what() << '\n';
    }
}
```

Stack class that we wrote

Stack class from the STL

```
// A simple test driver to exercise the container. Sense stacks and
// queues have
// (nearly) the same interface, the same test driver is used for both.
// The
// container tested is intentionally passed by value (makes a local copy).
template<class Container_Type>
void test( Container_Type myContainer )
{
    // A stack is an Abstract Data Type, usually implemented as a limited
    // interlace over some other data structure Things you can do to a
    stack:
    myContainer.push( {"Tom" } );
    myContainer.push( {"Aaron" } );
    myContainer.push( {"Brenda"} );
    myContainer.pop();
    myContainer.push( {"Katelyn"} );

    // Display the contents. Stacks and queues do not allow traversal (you
    can't
    // see anything but the top (stack and queue) and both (queue only), so
    to
    // display the contents we have to inspect each element at the top and
    then
    // remove it until the container is
    while( !myContainer.empty() )
    {
        std::cout << myContainer.top();
        myContainer.pop();
    }
    std::cout << '\n';
}
```

Client inserts and removes from the stack

Client views element at the top of the stack



main.cpp

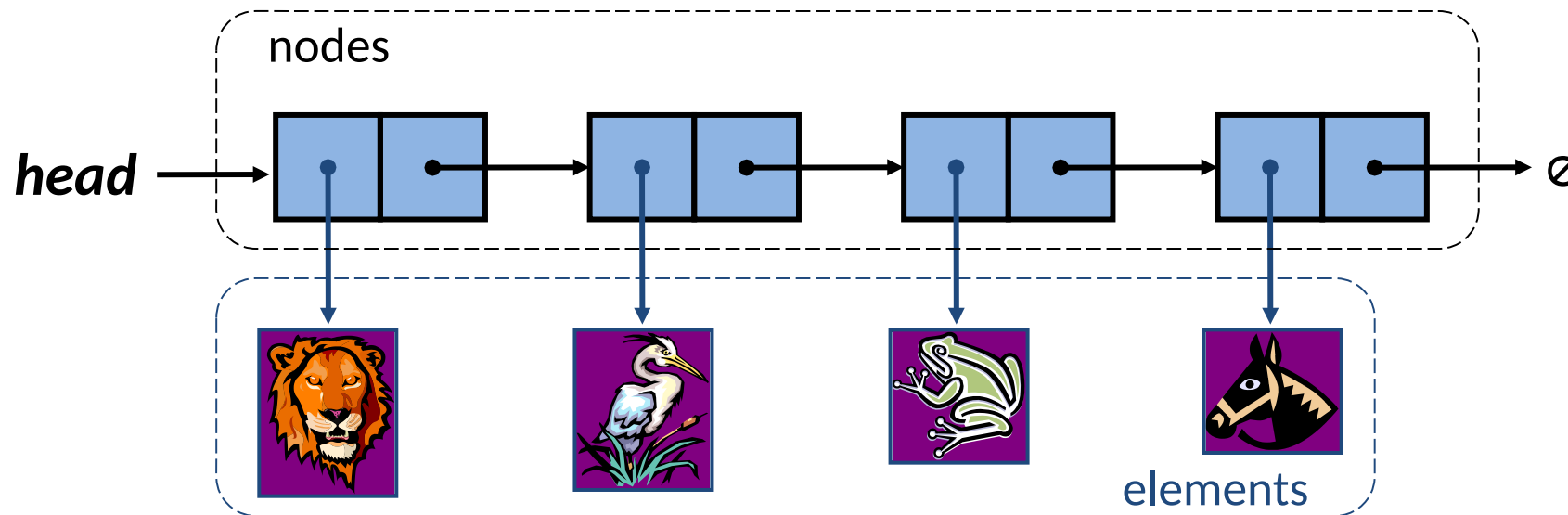
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As the class designer - implementing a data structure

**IMPLEMENTING A STACK WITH A:  
SINGLY LINKED LIST**  
FIXED SIZE ARRAY

# Stack as a Linked List

- Stack can be implemented with a singly linked list
- The top element is stored at the first node of the list
- The space used is  $O(n)$  and each operation of the Stack ADT takes  $O(1)$  time



# Example - Implementing a stack with a Singly Linked List

Stack ADT takes two template arguments, the type of data to store, and the underlying container, usually defaulted to a recommended choice.

```
template<typename T, class UnderlyingContainer = SLinkedList<T>>
class Stack{
public:
    void push( const T & element );
    T pop();
    T & top(); // peek() in zyBook
    bool empty(); // isEmpty() in zyBook
    std::size_t size(); // getLength() in zyBook

private:
    UnderlyingContainer collection;
};
```

Class designer creates a Stack ADT interface

The underlying container is a private attribute of the Stack ADT.



Stack.hpp

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```
void push( const T & element )
{ collection.prepend( element ); }
```

Error checking is performed, but delegated

```
T pop()
{
    // Note: zyBook returns the value popped, the C++ standard template
    // library does not. popping an element from an empty stack error
    // handling is handled by the underlying
    auto element = collection.front();
    collection.removeFront();
    return element;
}
```

The real work is delegated to the underlying container, called collection in this example

```
T & top()
{
    // Note: viewing an element from an empty stack error handling is
    // handled by the underlying container
    return collection.front();
}
```

```
bool empty()
{ return collection.empty(); } Stack.hxx
```



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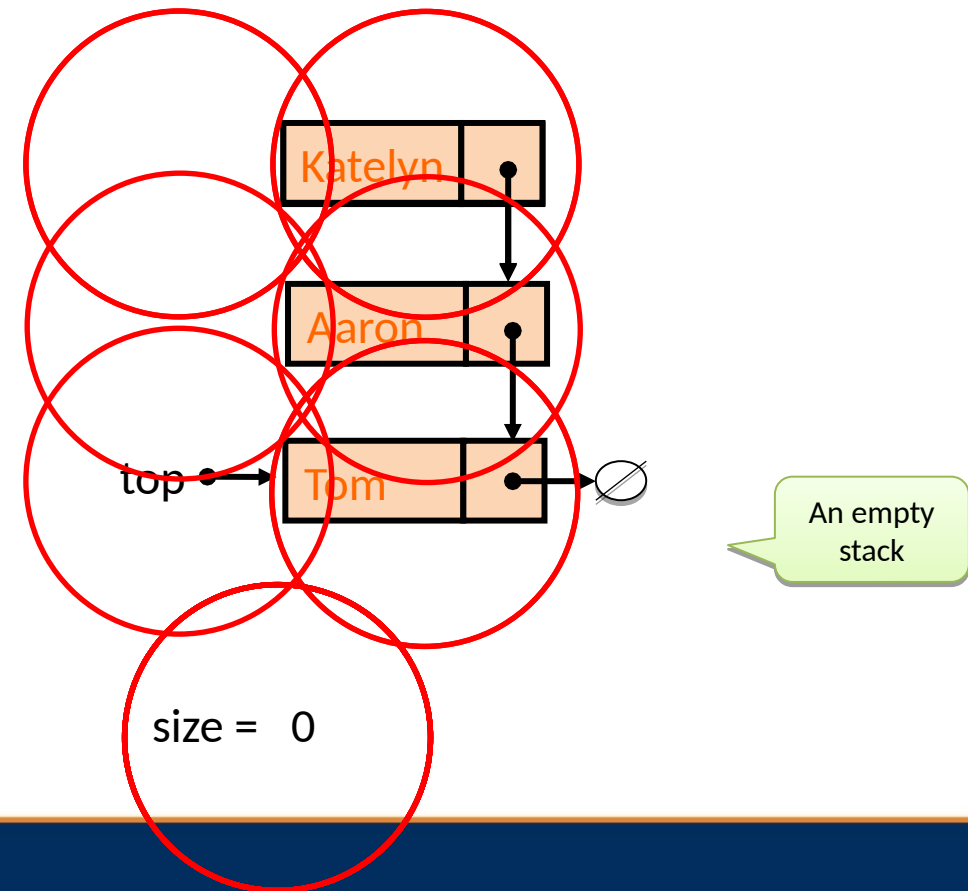
```
std::size_t size()
{ return collection.size(); }
```

# Example - Sketching a stack with a Singly Linked List

→ `Stack<Student,`  
`SLinkedList<Student>> myContainer;`

```
myContainer.push( {"Tom" } );  
myContainer.push( {"Aaron" } );  
myContainer.push( {"Brenda" } );  
myContainer.pop();  
myContainer.push( {"Katelyn" } );
```

```
while( !myContainer.empty() )  
{  
    std::cout << myContainer.top();  
    myContainer.pop();  
}
```



As the class designer - implementing a data structure

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# Array-based Stack – Size & Pop

- A simple way of implementing the Stack ADT uses an array
- We add elements from left to right
- A variable keeps track of the index of the next available slot to fill

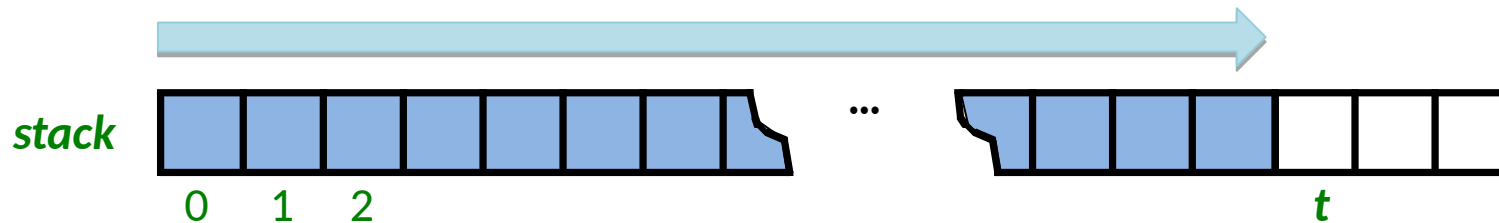
Algorithm **getlength()**

return  **$t$**  // slots  $0..(t-1)$  are occupied

Algorithm **pop()**

if **isempty()** then  
throw **exception**  
else

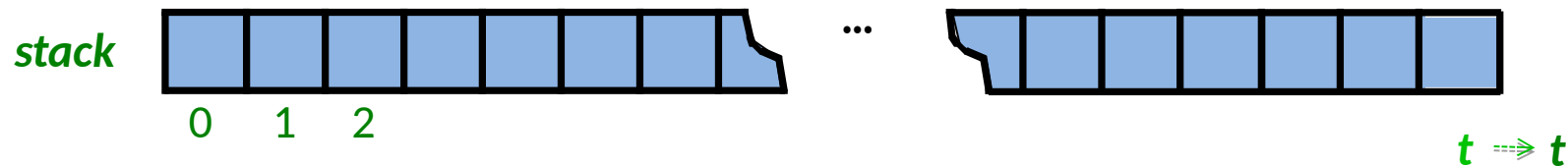
**$t \leftarrow t - 1$**



# Array-based Stack - Push

```
Algorithm push(e)  
  if t == capacity then  
    throw exception  
  else {  
    stack[t] ← e  
    t ← t + 1  
  }
```

- ❑ The array storing the stack elements may become full
- ❑ A push operation will then throw an exception
  - Limitation of the fixed size array implementation
  - Not limitation of the Stack ADT





# Example - Implementing an Array-Based Stack

```
template<typename T, std::size_t CAPACITY>
class Stack<T, std::array<T, CAPACITY>>
```

```
public:
    void push( const T & element );
    T pop();
    T & top();
    bool empty();
    std::size_t size();
```

```
private:
    std::array<T, CAPACITY> collection;
    std::size_t nextAvailableSlot = 0; // index of the next
    // available slot that an
    // element can be inserted into.
    // Note, zyBook returns the value popped, the C++ standard template library does
    // A value of zero implies
    // an empty stack
```

Note the fixed sized array as the underlying container

Class designer creates a Stack ADT interface

Note the addition of the nextAvailableSlot attribute

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Stack.hpp



Stack.hxx

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```
void push( const T & element )
{
    if( nextAvailableSlot >= collection.size() )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to add to an already full stack of "
+
                                std::to_string( collection.size() ) + "
elements." );
    collection[nextAvailableSlot++] = element;
```

Insert, then increment

Error checking is explicitly performed, not delegated

```
pop()
{
    if( empty() )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to remove an element from an empty
stack" );
    // Note, zyBook returns the value popped, the C++ standard template library does
    return collection[--nextAvailableSlot];
```

Decrement, then return element

```
T & top()
{
    if( empty() )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to view an element from an empty
stack" );
    return collection[nextAvailableSlot-1];
}
```

Element returned is at top-1

```
bool empty()
{
    return nextAvailableSlot == 0;
}
```



As a class consumer (client) - using a data structure

# USING A QUEUE

# Example – Using a Queue

```
int main()
{
    try
    {
        // array based Queue, not in zyBook
        // empty queue where queue is implemented over a doubly linked list (the default)
        Queue<Student> myQueue_1;
        test( myQueue_1 );

        // empty queue where queue is implemented over a fixed sized standard array
        Queue<Student>, std::array<Student, 3>> myQueue_2;
        test( myQueue_2 );

        // Standard Queue usage with standard containers
        // default standard queue (uses std::deque as underlying container)
        std::queue<Student> myQueue_4;
        test( myQueue_4 );

        // standard queue with standard doubly linked list as underlying container
        std::queue<Student>, std::list<Student>> myQueue_5;
        test( myQueue_5 );
    }

    catch (const std::exception & ex)
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    // remove it until the container is
    while( !myContainer.empty() )
    {
        std::cout << myContainer.front();
        myContainer.pop();
    }
    std::cout << '\n';
}
```

Client inserts and removes from the queue

Client views element at the top of the queue



main.cpp

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As the class designer - implementing a data structure

## **IMPLEMENTING A QUEUE WITH A :** **DOUBLY LINKED LIST** FIXED SIZE ARRAY



# Example- Implementing a queue with Doubly Linked List

Queue ADT takes two template arguments, the type of data to store, and the underlying container, usually defaulted to a recommended choice.

```
template<typename T, class UnderlyingContainer = DLinkedList<T>>
class Queue
{
public:
    void        push( const T & element );
    T          pop();
    T &        top();    // peek() in zyBook
    bool        empty(); // isEmpty() in zyBook
    std::size_t size();  // getLength() in zyBook

private:
    UnderlyingContainer collection;
};
```

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Queue.hpp

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```
void push( const T & element )
{
    collection.prepend( element );    // insert at front
}
```

Error checking is performed, but delegated

```
T pop()
{
    // Note: zyBook returns the value popped, the C++ standard template library
    //       does not. popping an element from an empty queue error handling is
    //       handled by the underlying container
    auto element = collection.back();
    collection.removeBack();
    return element;
}
```

The real work is delegated to the underlying container, called collection in this example

```
T & top()
{
    // Note: viewing an element from an empty queue error handling is handled
    //       by the underlying container
    return collection.back();
}
```

```
bool empty()
{
    return collection.empty();
}
```

```
std::size_t size()
{
    return collection.size();
}
```



Queue.hxx

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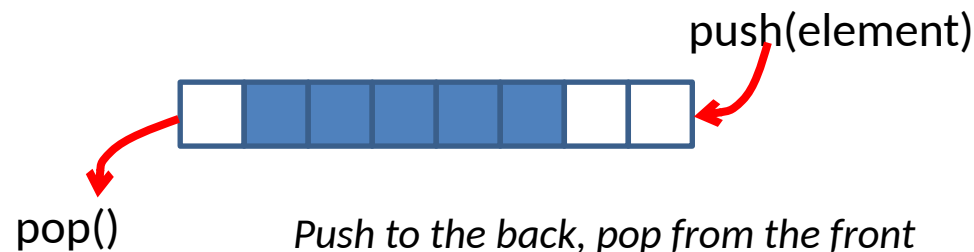
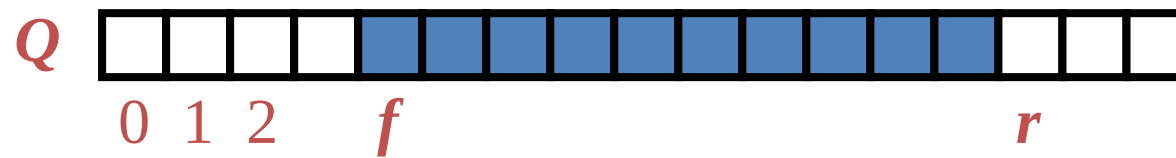
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# Array-based Queue – Attributes

- Use *two* integers to keep track of front and rear of the queue
  - **f**: index of the front element
  - **r**: index of the empty location where the next element will enter (the rear of the queue)
- Use *two* more to keep track of the size and capacity of the queue
  - n: number of elements in the queue
  - c: capacity of the fixed sized array

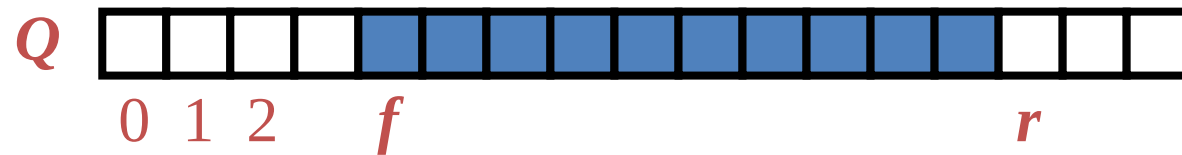


# Array-based Queue – Size & Empty

- Use  $n$  to determine size and emptiness

Algorithm *size()*  
return  $n$

Algorithm *empty()*  
return  $(n == 0)$



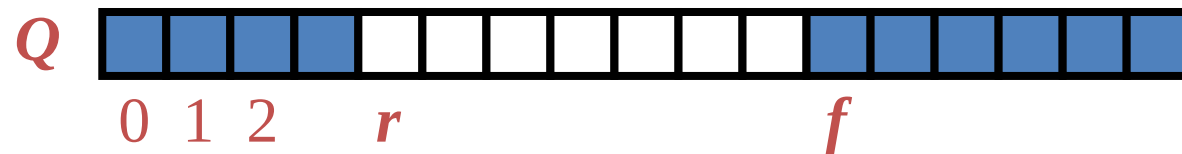
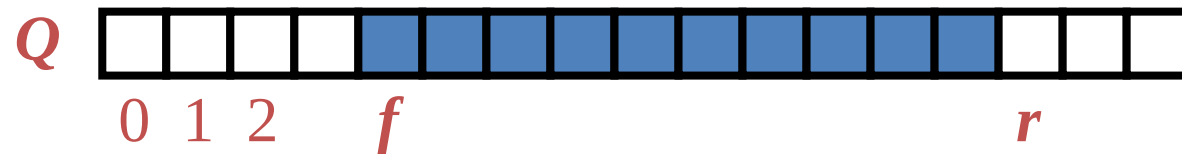


# Array-based Queue – Push

- Operation `Push()` throws an exception if the array is full

## Algorithm *Push(value)*

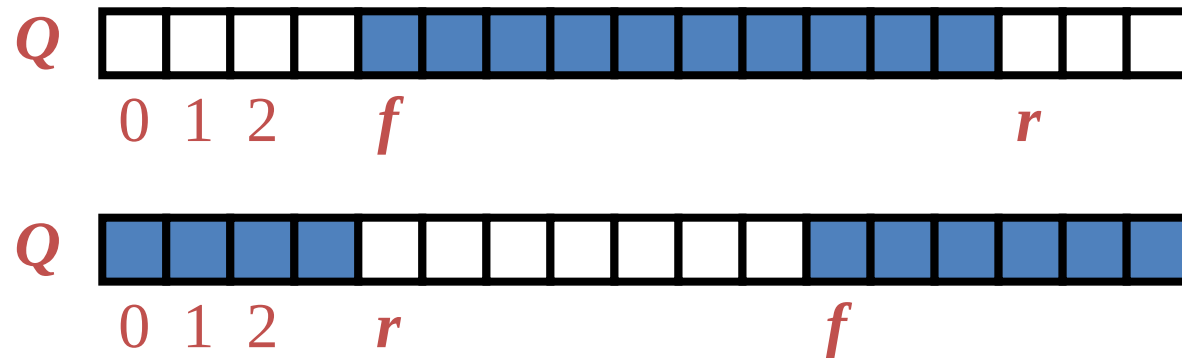
```
if  $n == c$  then           // size == capacity
    throw QueueFull
else
     $Q[r] \leftarrow value$ 
     $r \leftarrow (r + 1) \bmod N$ 
     $n \leftarrow n + 1$ 
```



# Array-based Queue – Pop

- Operation `Pop()` throws an exception if the queue is empty
- This exception is specified in the queue ADT

```
Algorithm Pop()  
  if IsEmpty() then  
    throw QueueEmpty  
  else  
     $f \leftarrow (f + 1) \bmod N$   
     $n \leftarrow n - 1$ 
```



# Example - Implementing an Array-Based Queue

Note the fixed sized array as the underlying container

```
template<typename T, std::size_t CAPACITY>
class Queue<T, std::array<T, CAPACITY>>
{
```

```
public:
    void      push( const T & element );
    T         pop();
    T &       top();           // peek() in zyBook
    bool      empty();        // isEmpty() in zyBook
    std::size_t size();        // getLength() in zyBook
```

Class designer creates a Queue ADT interface

```
private:
    std::array<T, CAPACITY> collection;

    std::size_t _front = 0; // index of the front element
    std::size_t _rear  = 0; // index of an empty location where
                           // the next element will enter
    std::size_t _size  = 0; // number of elements in the queue,
                           // 0 indicates an empty queue;
```

Note the addition of the front, rear, and size attributes. Capacity is a template constant. See *Using a Queue*

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Queue.hpp



Queue.hxx

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```
void push( const T & element )
{
    if( _size >= CAPACITY )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to add to an already full queue of " +
                                   std::to_string( CAPACITY ) + " elements." );

    collection[_rear] = element;
    _rear = ( _rear + 1 ) % CAPACITY;
    ++_size;
}

T pop()
{
    if( empty() )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to remove an element from an empty queue" );

    auto temp = std::move( collection[_front] );
    _front = ( _front + 1 ) % CAPACITY;
    --_size;
    // Note, zyBook returns the value popped, the C++ standard template library does not.
    return temp;
}

T & top()
{
    if( empty() )
        throw std::out_of_range( "ERROR: Attempt to view an element from an empty queue" );
    return collection[_front];
}

bool empty()
{
    return _size == 0; }

std::size_t size()
{
    return _size; }
```

Insert, then increment the rear with modulo arithmetic

Error checking is explicitly performed, not delegated

Remove, then increment the front with modulo arithmetic

Element returned is at front of queue