

# **Stacks**

A stack is like a stack of plates. It's "last in, first out" (LIFO), which means the item that was put in the stack *most recently* is the first item that comes out.







Stacks have two main methods:

1. push(): adds an item

2. pop(): removes and returns the top item

They also include some utility methods:

1. **peek()**: returns the item on the top of the stack, without removing it.

2. **isEmpty()**: returns true if the stack is empty, false otherwise

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