Implementations

Stack

- Python list
- Linked list

List Implementation

The elements in the stack have an order to them, so using a sequence makes sense. We can use a Python list. Due to the way Python manages memory for lists, we should add and delete at the end of the list to do it most efficiently.

- We add to the end of the list
- We take from the end of the list

Code

```
class Stack(object):
    def__init__(self):
        self._lst = []
    def push(self, element):
        self._lst.append(element)
    def pop(self):
        if len(self._lst) == 0:
            return None
        return self._lst.pop()
    def top(self):
        if len(self._lst) == 0:
            return None
        return self._lst[-1]
    def length(self):
        return len(self._lst)
    def is_empty(self):
        return len(self._lst) == 0
```

Complexity

- List.append and List.pop are O(1) on average (due to Python's memory reshuffling).
 - Our push and pop methods are O(1) on average.
- List index lookup is O(1).
 - Our top method is O(1).
- List length is O(1).
 - Our length method is O(1).

Linked List Implementation

```
def add_first(self, element):
    node = SSLNode(element, self.first)
    self.first = node
    self.size = self.size + 1
def get_first(self):
    if self.size == 0:
        return None
    return self.first.element
def remove_first(self):
    if self.size == 0:
        return None
    item = self.first.element
    self.first = self.first.next
    self.size = self.size - 1
    return item
def add_last(self, element):
    newnode = SLLNode(element, None)
    if self.first == None:
        self.first = newnode
    else:
        node = self.first
        while node.next is not None:
            node = node.next
        node.next = newnode
    self.size += 1
```

```
def get_last(self):
    if self.size == 0:
        return None
    node = self.first
    while node.next is not None:
        node = node.next
    return node.element
def remove_last(self):
    if self.size == 0:
        return None
    node = self.first
    while node.next is not None:
        node = node.next
def push(self, item):
    self.add_first(item)
def pop(self):
    return self.remove_first()
def top(self):
    return self.get_first()
def length(self):
    return self.size
def is_empty(self):
    return self.size == 0
```

Queue

The elements clearly have an order, so we can use a sequence.

List Implementation

- We'll maintain a head and tail reference.
- Every time we add, we move the tail reference forward one position.
 - If the reference would go beyond the end of the list, we wrap around to the start.
- Every time we remove, we move the head reference forward one position and replace the removed item with None.
 - If the reference would go beyond the end of the list, we wrap around to the start.
- If our list becomes full, we grow the list to twice the size.
 - When we do this, we might as well undo the wrapping by putting the head element back at the start of the new list.

Code

```
class Queue:
    def __init__(self):
        self.body = [None] * 10
        self.front = 0
        self.size = 0

def __str__(self):
        output = '<-'
        i = self.front

    while i != (self.front + self.size) %

len(self.body):
        output += str(self.body[i]) + '-'
        i = (i + 1) % len(self.body)</pre>
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```
output = output + '<'
        return output
    def grow(self):
        oldbody = self.body
        self.body = [None] * (2*len(self.body))
        oldpos = self.front
        pos = 0
        for _ in range(self.size):
            self.body[pos] = oldbody[oldpos]
            oldbody[oldpos] = None
            pos += 1
            oldpos = (oldpos + 1) % len(oldbody)
        self.front = 0
    def shrink(self):
        oldbody = self.body
        self.body = [None] * (math.ceil(0.5 *
len(self.body)))
        oldpos = self.front
        pos = 0
        for _ in range(self.size):
            self.body[pos] = oldbody[oldpos]
            oldbody[oldpos] = None
            pos += 1
            oldpos = (oldpos + 1) % len(oldbody)
        self.front = 0
    def enqueue(self,item):
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"""Note: uses modular arithmetic to wrap around"""
        if self.size == 0:
            self.body[0] = item #assumes an empty queue
has head at 0
            self.size = 1
        else:
            self.body[(self.front + self.size) %
len(self.body)] = item
            self.size += 1
            if self.size == len(self.body): #list is now
full
                self.grow()
                                            #so grow it
ready for next enqueue
    def dequeue(self):
        if self.size == 0: #empty queue
            return None
        item = self.body[self.front]
        self.body[self.front] = None
        if self.size == 1:
                                         #just removed last
element, so rebalance
            self.front = 0
            self.size = 0
        self.front = (self.front + 1) % len(self.body)
        self.size = self.size - 1
        if self.size / len(self.body) < 0.25:</pre>
            self.shrink()
        return item
    def length(self):
        return self.size
```

```
def first(self):
    return self.body[self.front] # will return None
if queue is empty

def is_empty(self):
    return self.size == 0
```

Complexity

enqueue and dequeue are O(1) on average, and everything else is O(1)