

QUEUE

INTRODUCTION

- ① capable of passing information between tasks without incurring overwrites from other tasks. (race condition)

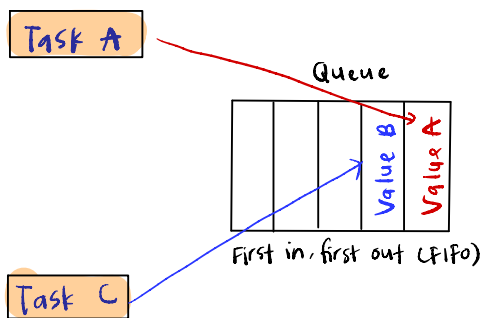
← QUEUE →
(kernel object)

- ② First in, first out (FIFO) system where items are removed from the queue once read.

CONCEPTS

- ① A simple FIFO system with Atomic reads and writes.
- ② Atomic operation: cannot be interrupted by other tasks during the execution.
- ③ Ensure another task cannot overwrite the data before it is read by the intended target.

EXAMPLE



- ① Task A writes some data to queue.
- ② No other task can interrupt Task A during the writing process.
- ③ Task B can write data to the queue **after** task A.
- ④ Task B will appear **behind** task A.

In FreeRTOS, information is copied by value, not by reference.

If `xQueueSend()` function is used to send the data, all of the data will be copied into the queue atomically.

HARDWARE

- ① Any ESP32 development board (supported by Arduino IDE)
- ② Development board capable of running FreeRTOS