

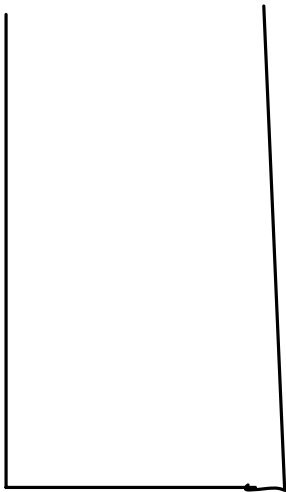
# Stacks

- 1) Stack of plates
- 2) Stack of book
- 3) Stack of chairs

LIFO

[Last in First Out]

#



1 2 3 4  
← insertion order

if  
elements  
are taken  
out → 4 3 2 1

ORDER is reversed!

# Operations supported by Stacks

- 1) push(x)  $\Rightarrow$  inserts x into Stack
- 2) pop()  $\Rightarrow$  remove the last inserted item from Stack.
- 3) top() / peek()  $\Rightarrow$  return the last inserted item.
- 4) isEmpty()  $\Rightarrow$  true if Stack is empty  
false if not.
- 5) size()  $\Rightarrow$  size of stack.

TC:  $O(1)$  for  
every operation

## Application of Stack

- $\rightarrow$  Undo & redo
- $\rightarrow$  Recursion
- $\rightarrow$  browser back & forth
- $\rightarrow$  bracket evaluation
- $\rightarrow$  Evaluate Equation

# Stack Implementation using Arrays

→ push(3)

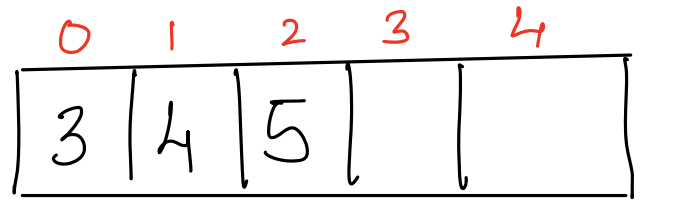
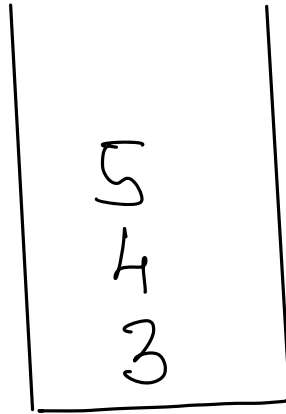
→ push(4)

→ top()

→ push(5)

→ pop()

→ push(10)



top = 2

Capacity = 5

top = -1

↳ array is filled till top.

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void push(int x) {  
    if (top == (capacity - 1))  
        return;
```

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    top++;
```

```
    arr[top] = x;
```

}

```
bool isEmpty() {
```

```
    if (top == -1)  
        return true;
```

```
    return false;
```

}

```
int top() {
```

```
    if (isEmpty())  
        throw error;
```

```
    return arr[top];
```

}

```
void pop() {
```

```
    if (isEmpty())  
        throw error;
```

```
    top--;
```

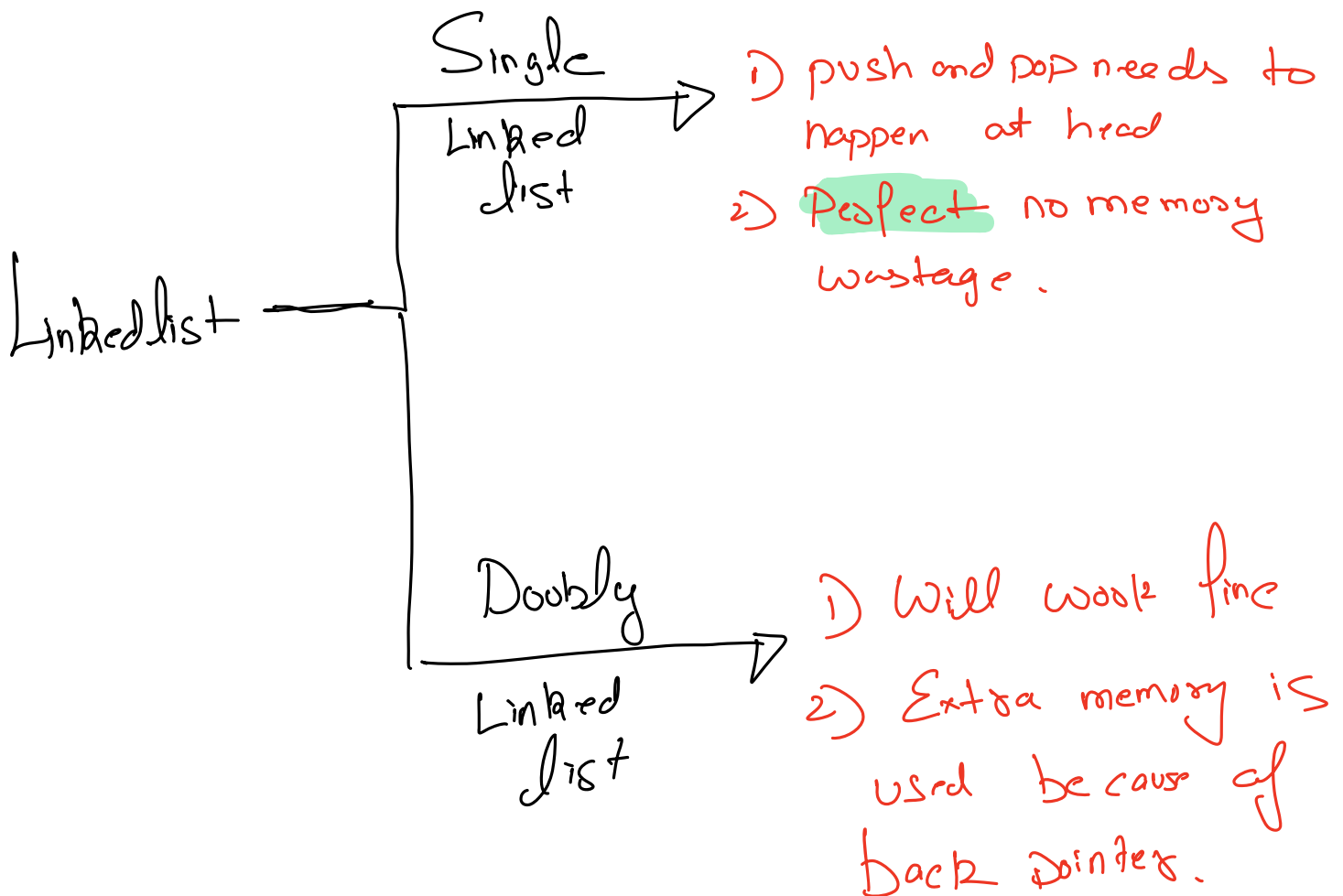
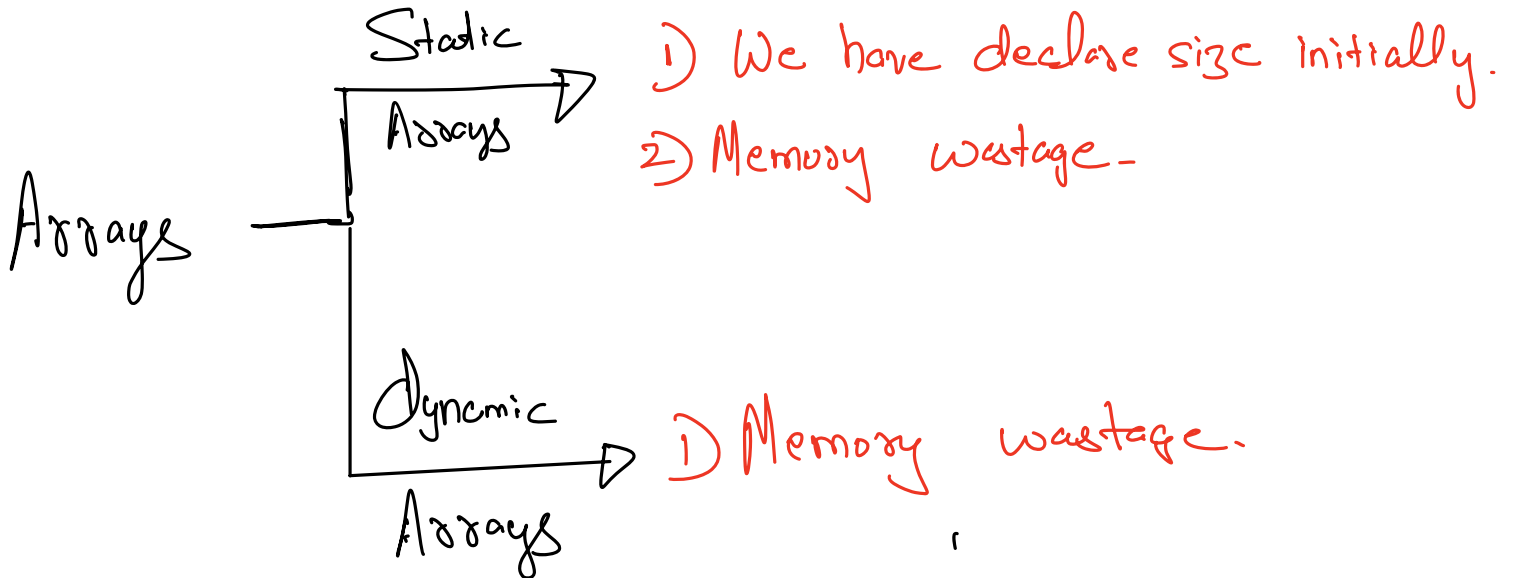
}

Implement using

Linked linked



TODO



Q<sub>1</sub> Check if sequence of parenthesis is valid.

Eg<sub>1</sub> { [ ] }  $\Rightarrow$  VALID

Eg<sub>2</sub> { [ ] )  $\Rightarrow$  NOT VALID

Eg<sub>3</sub> { ( } )  $\Rightarrow$  NOT VALID

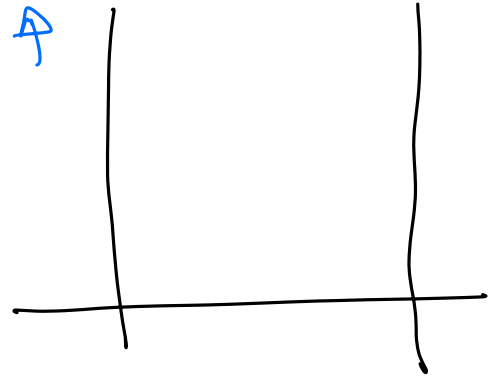
Eg<sub>4</sub> [ ] ( ) { }  $\Rightarrow$  VALID

# ( ) [ { } ( ) ]  $\Rightarrow$

$\rightarrow$  if you encounter an opening bracket push to stack.

$\rightarrow$  if you encounter a closing bracket check top of stack. It should have a opening bracket of similar type.

$\rightarrow$  If the stack is empty then sequence is valid.



# Pseudo Code !

bool isValid (String s) {

int len = s.size();

Stack<char> st;

for (int i = 0; i < len; i++) {

if (s[i] == '(' || s[i] == '[' ||  
s[i] == '{')

st.push(s[i]);

} else {

char c = st.top();

if (s[i] == ')' && c != '(')  
return false;

if (s[i] == ']' && c != '[')  
return false;

if (s[i] == '}' && c != '{')  
return false;

st.pop();

}

}



if (st.size() == 0)  
return true;  
else  
return false;

Tc:  $O(n)$

Sc:  $O(n)$

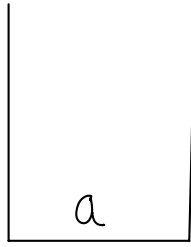
Q2 Given a string. Remove every consecutive duplicate pair of characters until there are no consecutive duplicate pairs.

Ex1 S: a c b b c k  
a c c k  
a k

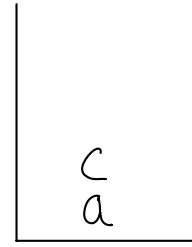
Ex2 S: a a a k  
a k

Ex3 S: a b c k k c b a d m m c  
→ dc

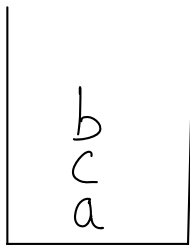
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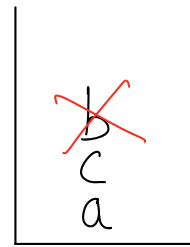
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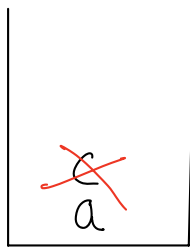
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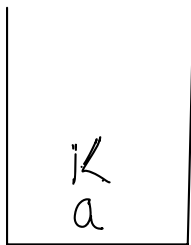
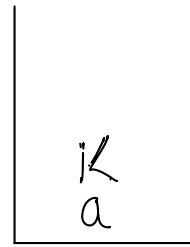
a c b b c k



a c b b c k



a c b b c k



$\Rightarrow$  ka  $\xrightarrow{\text{reverse}}$  ak

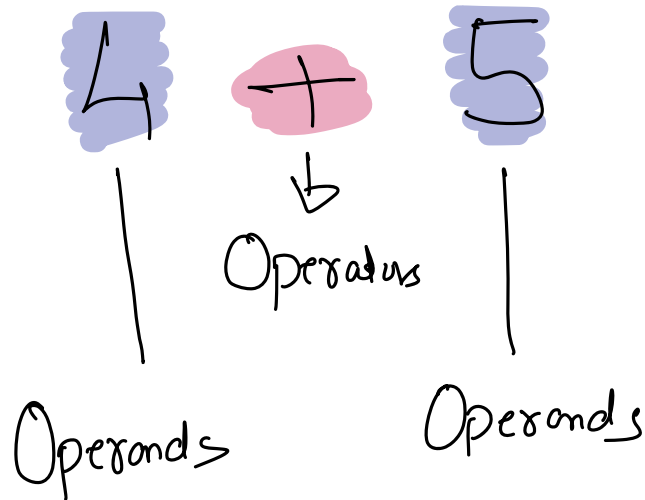
Final Stack

$Tc: o(n)$   
 $Sc: o(n)$



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Infix Expression  $\Rightarrow$  Operators come between Operands



Postfix Expression : Operands come before operators.

Infix

Postfix

1)  $4 + 5$



$4\ 5\ +$

2)  $a + b \times c$   
 $a + bc$

$\Rightarrow abc +$

3)  $10 + 3 \times 4 - 7$   
 $10 + 34 \times - 7$   
 $10\ 3\ 4 \times + - 7$

$\Rightarrow 10\ 3\ 4\ * + 7 -$

$* = \times$

⇒ ( ) , ~~/x~~ , + -

⇒ If you have some priority, go left-right!

#  $(10 + 3) * 2 - (7 - 6) * (4 + 8)$

$10 + 3 * 2 - 76 - * 48 +$

$10 + 3 + 2 * - 76 - * 48 +$

$10 + 3 + 2 * 76 - 48 + *$

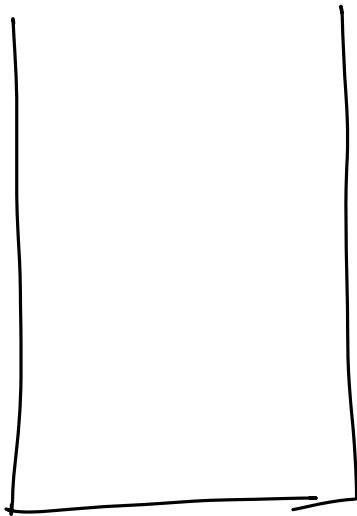
$10 + 3 + 2 * 76 - 48 + * -$

$$10 / (4 - 2) \times 6 + 9 \Rightarrow 39$$

$$\frac{10}{42 -} \times 6 + 9$$

$$10 \ 42 - / \times 6 + 9$$

$$10 \ 42 - / 6 \times + 9$$



$$10 \ 42 - / 6 \times 9 +$$



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