



# DATA STRUCTURES Stack

# Agenda

- What is Stack?
- Stack ADT
- Stack Tracing
- Stack Implementation
- Applications on Stack
- Expressions Conversion
- Simple Calculator Project Hands on

# What is the Stack?

**Stack** : logical linear data structure that follows the Last-In-First-Out (**LIFO**) or First-In-Last-Out (**FILO**) order principle.

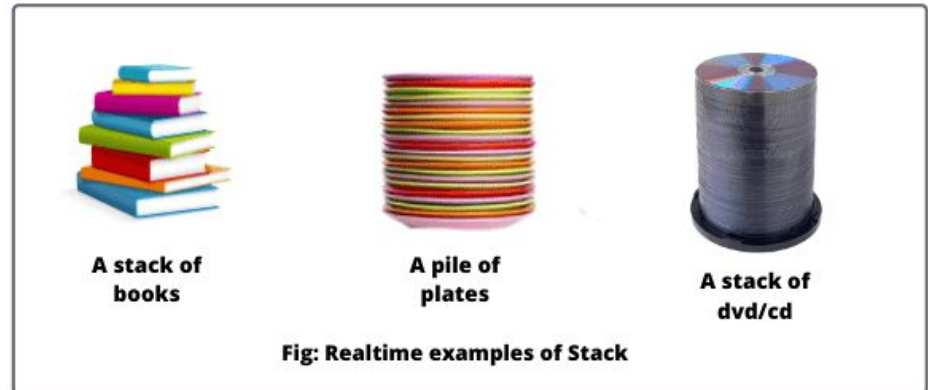
- *Logical* → Last-In-First-Out (**LIFO**) or First-In-Last-Out (**FILO**) logic
- *Linear* → Sequential Order

Ex: A pile of plates in a restaurant

- **The first** plate is placed, **the last** plate is washed

In C++: Main Function

- **The first** function called, **the last** function executed



# Stack ADT

Main functionalities of Stack:

- **push**(*val*) → Inserts *val* at the top.
- **pop**() → Removes and returns the top element.

Another Useful functionalities:

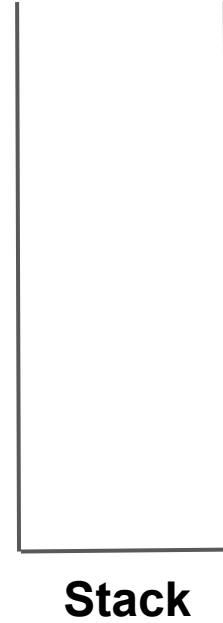
- **peek**() → Returns the top element without removing it.
- **isEmpty**() → Checks if the stack is empty.
- **isFull**() → As a helper function in array-based.
- **size**() → Return size of stack.

```
template<class _Tp>
class Stack{
public:
    //Main Operations
    void push(_Tp val);
    _Tp pop();

    //Auxiliary Operations
    _Tp peek(); //top in STLs
    bool isEmpty();
    bool isFull();
    void clear();
    int size();
};
```

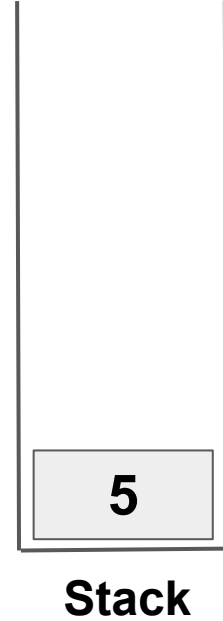
# Stack Tracing

- **isEmpty()** → *True*
- **size()** → *0*



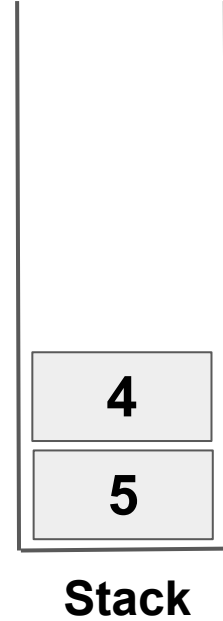
# Stack Tracing

- **push(5)**
- **peek()** → 5
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 1



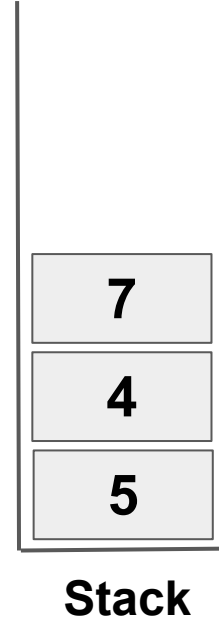
# Stack Tracing

- **push(4)**
- **peek()** → 4
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 2



# Stack Tracing

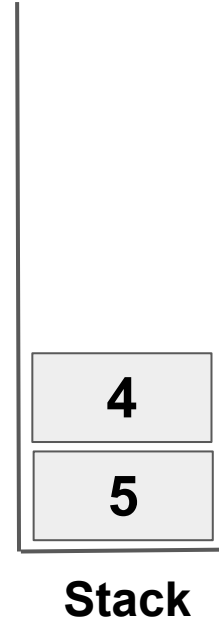
- **push(7)**
- **peek()** → 7
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 3





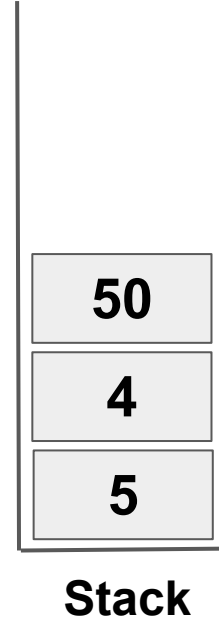
# Stack Tracing

- **pop()** → 7
- **peek()** → 4
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 2



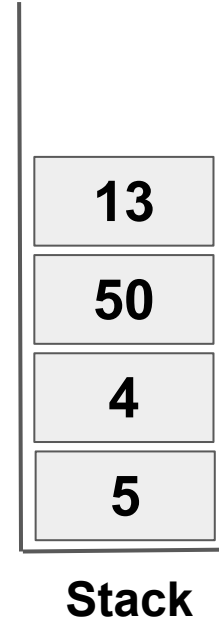
# Stack Tracing

- **push(50)**
- **peek()** → 50
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 3



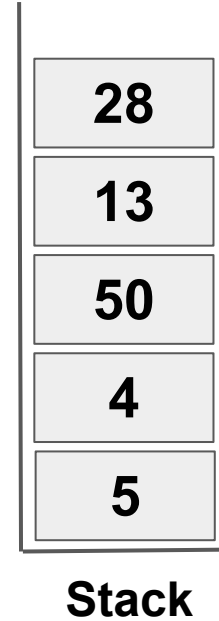
# Stack Tracing

- **push(13)**
- **peek()** → 13
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 4



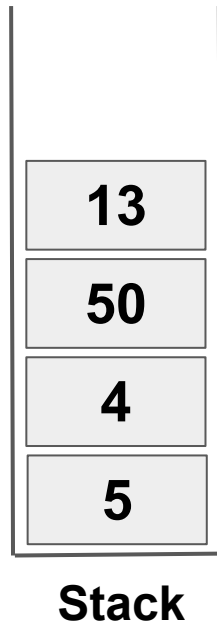
# Stack Tracing

- **push(28)**
- **peek()** → 28
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 5



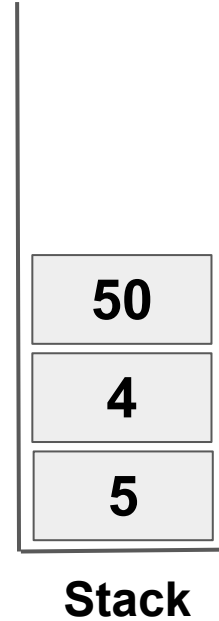
# Stack Tracing

- **pop()** → 28
- **peek()** → 13
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 4



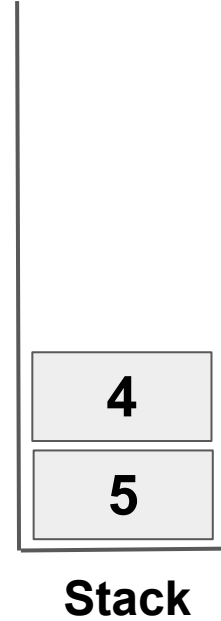
# Stack Tracing

- **pop()** → 13
- **peek()** → 50
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 3



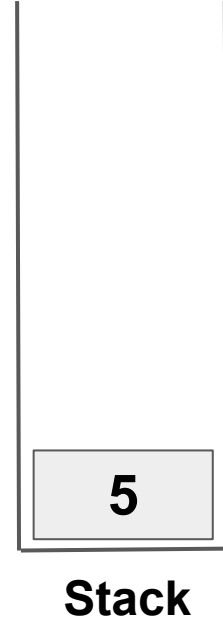
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- **pop()** → 50
- **peek()** → 4
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 2



# Stack Tracing

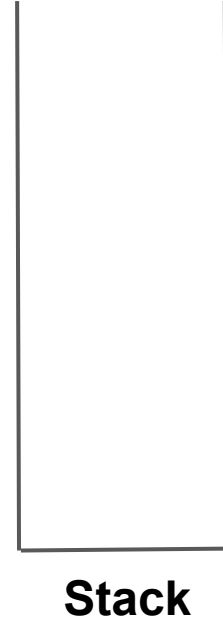
- **pop()** → 4
- **peek()** → 5
- **isEmpty()** → *False*
- **size()** → 1





# Stack Tracing

- **isEmpty()** → *True*
- **size()** → *0*



# Stack Implementation

- Challenge yourself to implement it , take 10 minutes for thinking  
implement any code to satisfy LIFO

# Stack Applications

```
static void F3()
{
    StackTrace stackTrace = new StackTrace();
    StackFrame[] frames = stackTrace.GetFrames();
    for (int i = 0; i < frames?.Length; i++)
        Console.WriteLine(frames[i].GetMethod());
}
1 reference
static void F2() { F3(); }
1 reference
static void F1() { F2(); }
0 references
static void Main()
{
    F1();
}
```

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

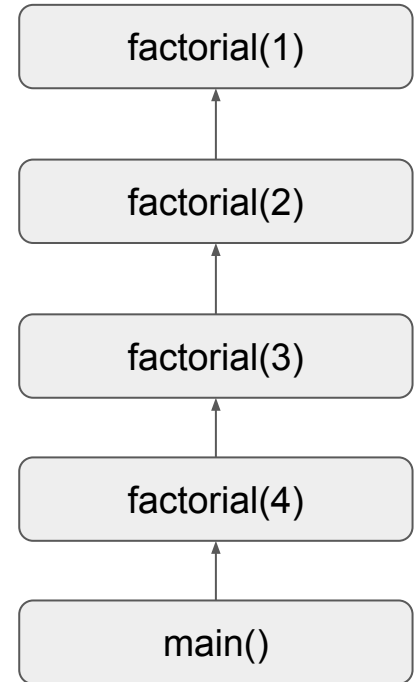
```
Void F3()
Void F2()
Void F1()
Void Main()
```

```
int factorial(int n){
    return n == 1 ? 1 : n * factorial(n - 1);
}

static void F3()
{
    int zero = 0;
    Console.WriteLine(2/zero);
}
1 reference
static void F2() { F3(); }
1 reference
static void F1() { F2(); }
0 references
static void Main()
{
    F1();
}
```

Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
Unhandled exception. System.DivideByZeroException: Attempted to divide by zero.
at Learning.Program.F3() in D:\...
at Learning.Program.F2() in D:\...
at Learning.Program.F1() in D:\...
at Learning.Program.Main() in D:\...
```



**Functions Call Stack**

# Stack Applications

*//This function to print vectors of any type*

```
template<class _Tp>
void print(const vector<_Tp>& container){
    for(const _Tp& element : container)
        cout << element << ' ';
    cout << endl;
}
```

*//This is a general function to reverse vectors of any type*

```
template<class _Tp>
void reverseVector(vector<_Tp>& v){
    //Put the content of vector in stack to apply (LIFO) principle
    stack<_Tp> stk;

    //Fill the stack
    for(const _Tp& i : v)
        stk.push(i);

    //Again refill the vector
    for(int i = 0; stk.size() and i < (int) v.size(); ++i , stk.pop())
        v[i] = stk.top();
}
```

```
void solve(){
    vector<int> v = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
    reverseVector(v);
    print(v);
}
```

## Reversing Processes

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5 4 3 2 1

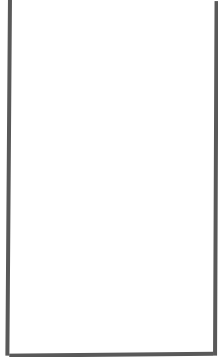
# Stack Applications

- **Open New Tab in Browser**

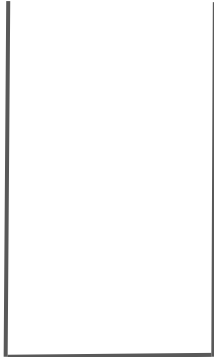
- Go to new page ?

Search about it  
put this in stack

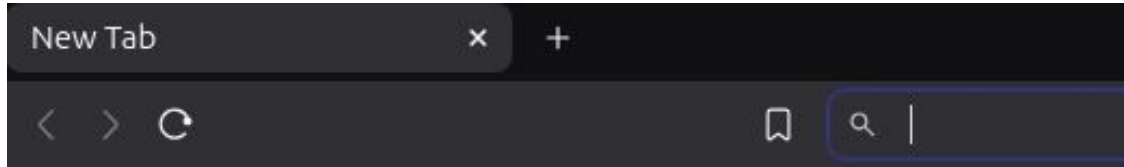
show the top of undo stack



Undo Stack



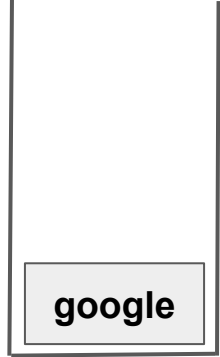
Forward Stack



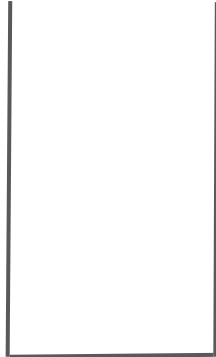
## Undo Operations

# Stack Applications

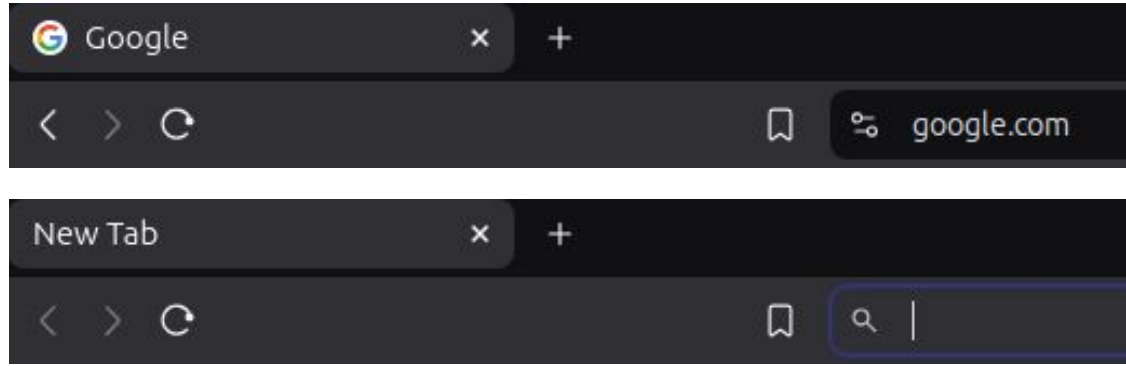
- Go to Google



Undo Stack



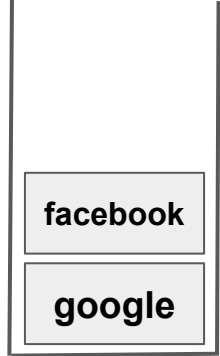
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# Stack Applications

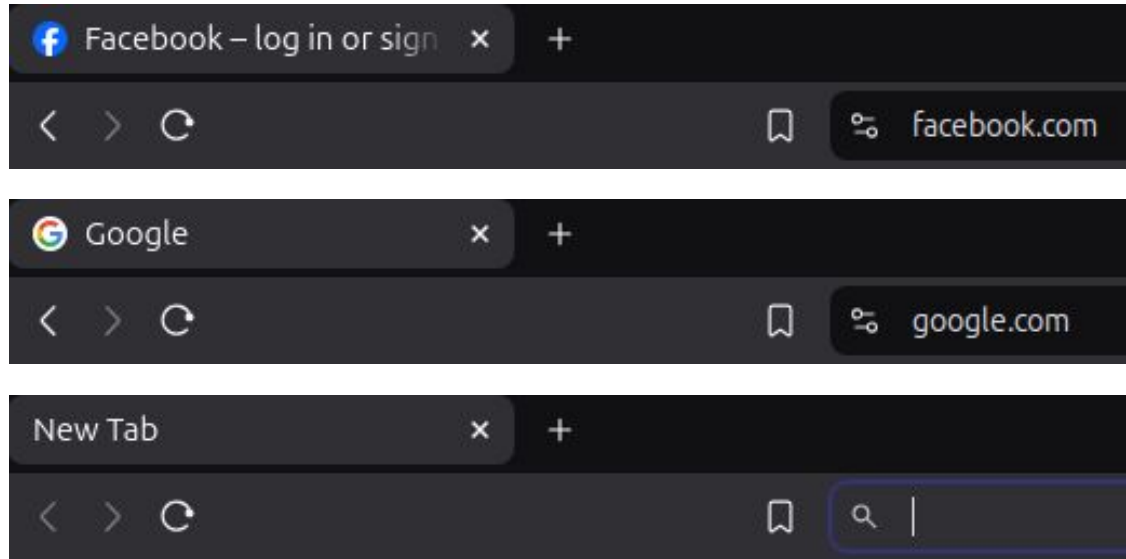
- Go to Facebook



Undo Stack



Forward Stack

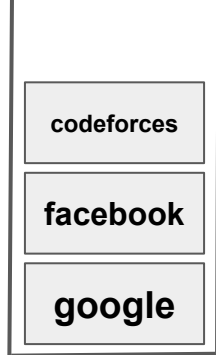


## Undo Operations

# Stack Applications

- **Go to Codeforces**

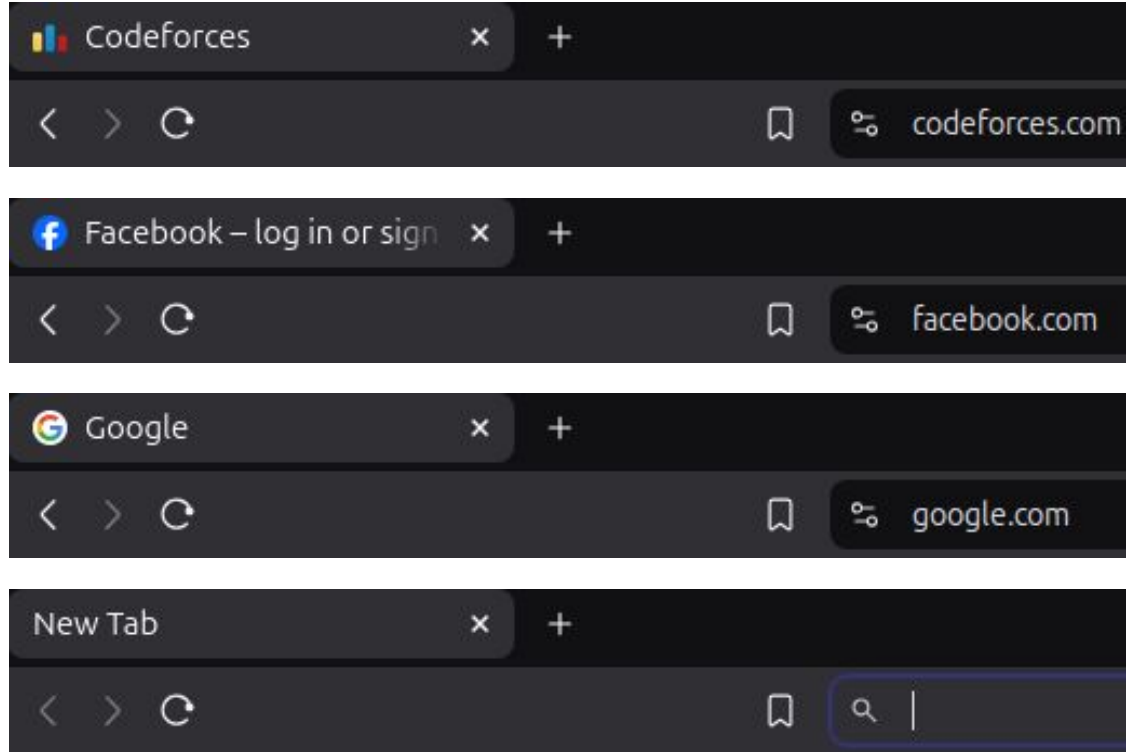
- Do you want to return to previous?  
Press on this <  
Take the top of Undo Stack  
Put this in Forward Stack



Undo Stack



Forward Stack



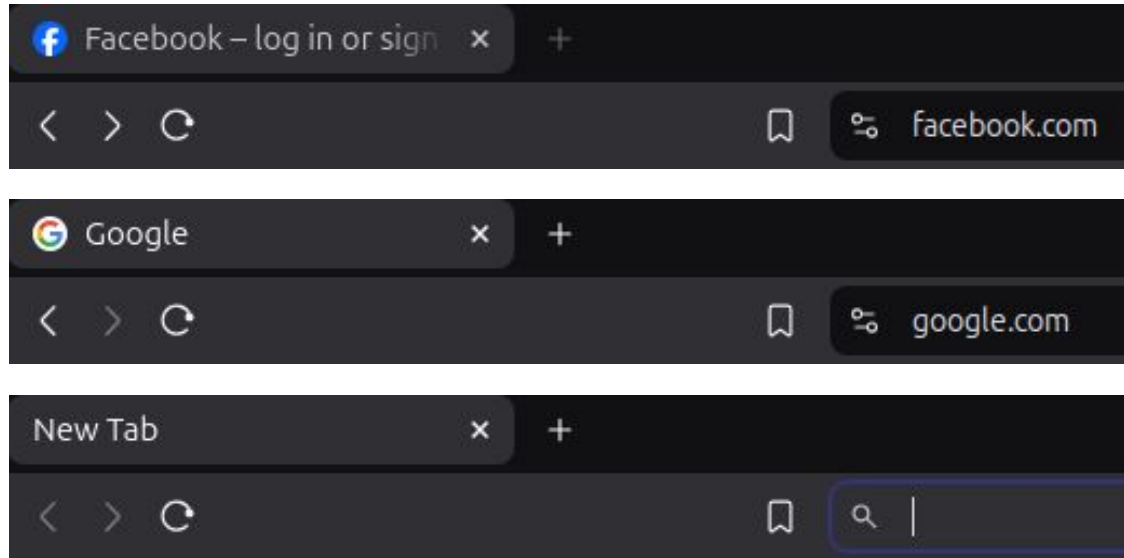
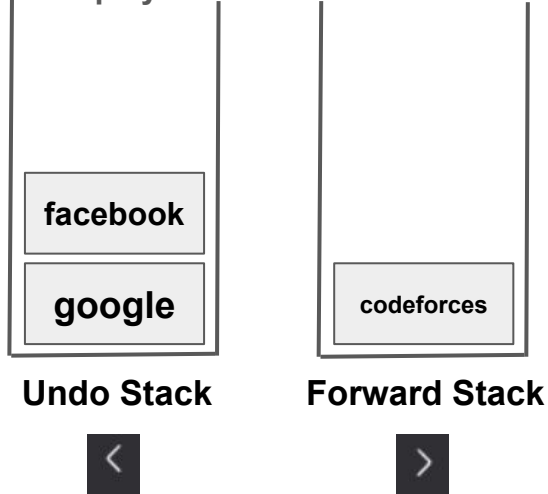
**Undo Operations**



# Stack Applications

- **Return to Facebook**

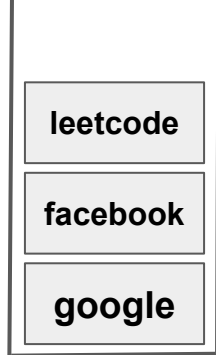
- Do you want to go to new page?  
Search about it  
Put it in Undo stack  
Clear Forward Stack  
Display Undo Stack



## Undo Operations

# Stack Applications

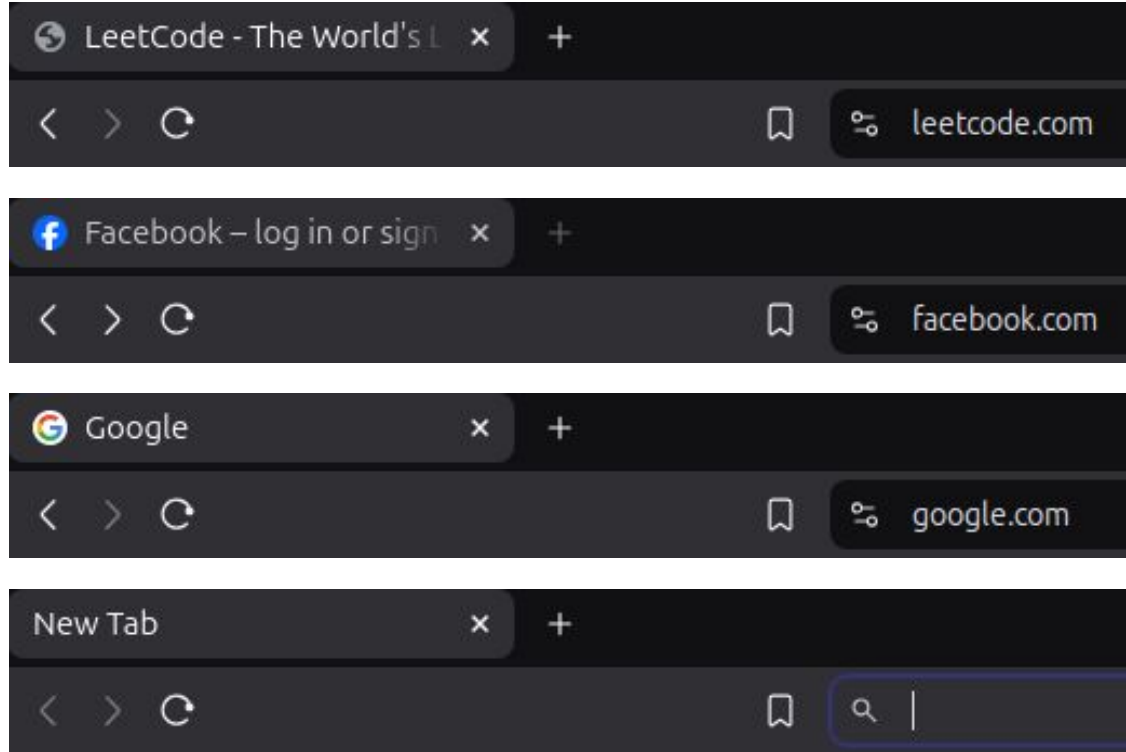
- Go to LeetCode



Undo Stack



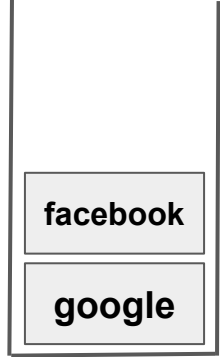
Forward Stack



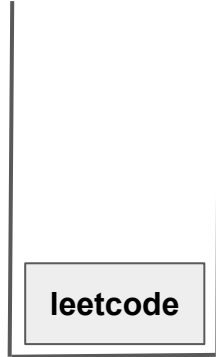
Undo Operations

# Stack Applications

- Return to Facebook



Undo Stack



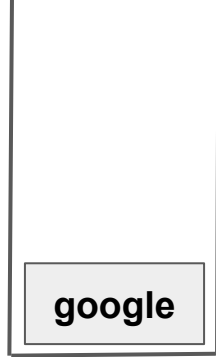
Forward Stack



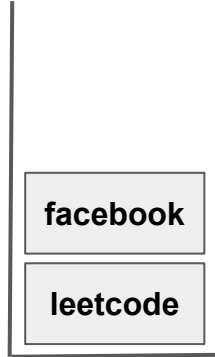
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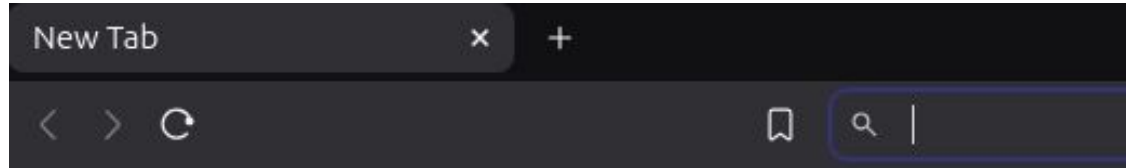
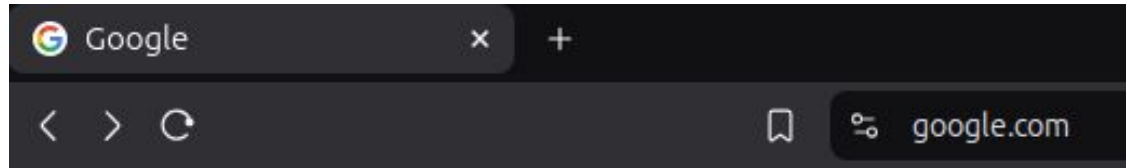
- Return to Google



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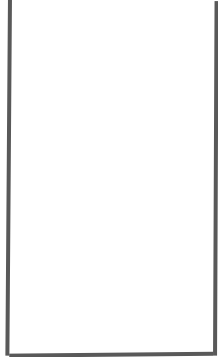
Forward Stack



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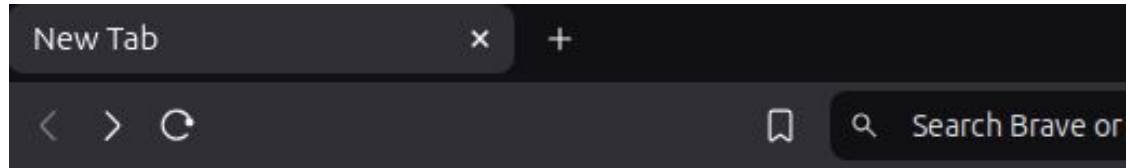
- Return to New Tab



Undo Stack



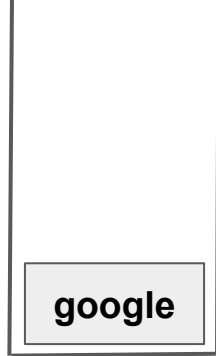
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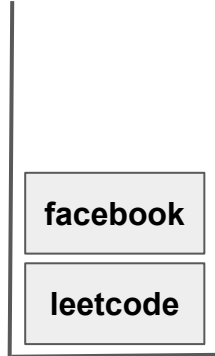
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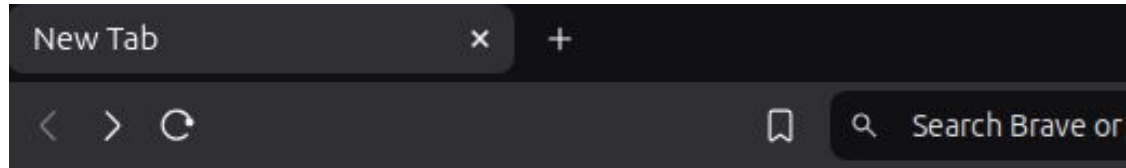
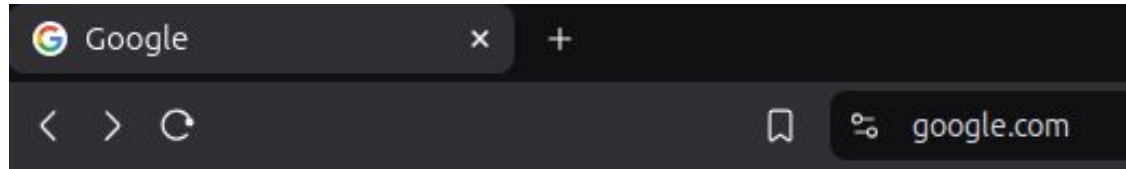
- Go to previous Google page



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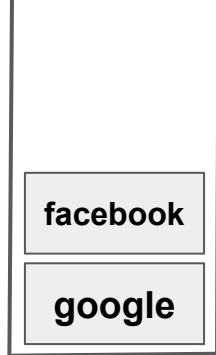
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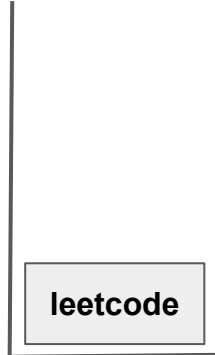
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# Stack Applications

- Go to previous Facebook page



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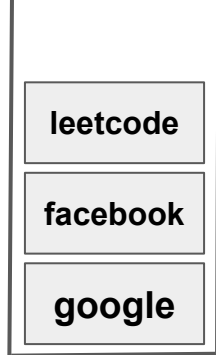
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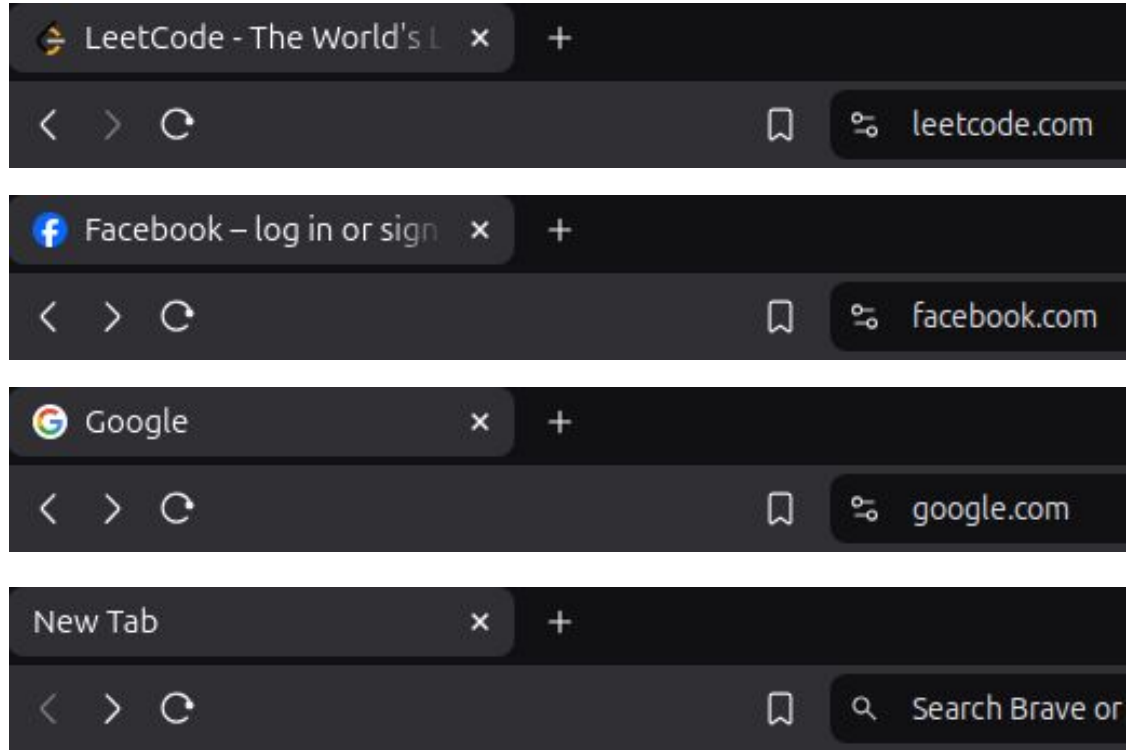
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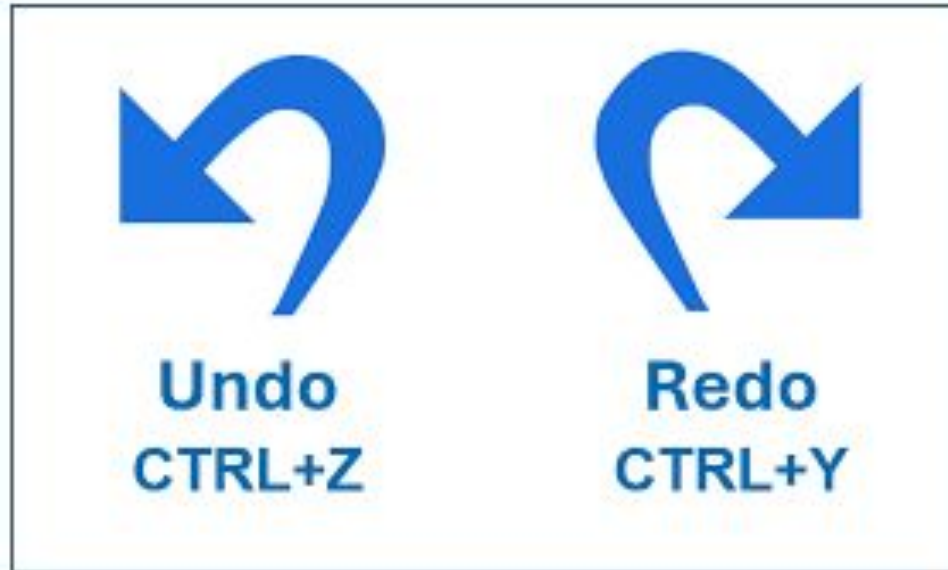


## Undo Operations



# Stack Applications

- You can apply pervious application on several another
- In other words: **Any application satisfies (Ctrl + Z), (Ctrly + Y)**



# Stack Applications

- **Syntax Validation** (matching parentheses, brackets, braces).
- **Managing scopes** (e.g., variable declarations, nested blocks).
- **Matching Tags** in HTML.

How it works ?

Try to Solve this problem ([leetcode 20](#))

And See this video ([link](#))

```
for( int i = 0; i < 10; ++i
int main() {
    cout << "Code Salad" << endl;
}
}
```

**Balancing and Matching Symbols**

# Stack Applications

- Some Traversal Algorithms (e.g. DFS, Tree traversals (inorder, preorder, postorder),..) and Backtracking Techniques.

We will explain this in Graphs.

# Expression Conversions

In **math**, this expression  $2 + 4 + 5$  called **infix expression**.

- We know that any binary operators have two operands (e.g.  $2 + 4$  ).
- 2 and 4 → **Operands** of this **operator +** and above order called **infix order**.
- If the **operator** before has **operands** (  $+ 2 4$  ) → called (**prefix order**)
- If the **operator** after has **operands** (  $2 4 +$  ) → called (**postfix order**)

In **Computers**, Evaluation of math expression in infix order not easy.

- **Shunting Yard Algorithm** (**Dijkstra's Algorithm**)
  - One of **stack-based** algorithm that uses in **parsing techniques** before evaluating expressions.
  - This algorithm converts an **infix** expression ( $2 + 4 * 5$ ) into **postfix** expression ( $2 4 5 * +$ ), which is **easier to evaluate** using a stack.

# Precedence and Associativity Rules

Token	Operator	Precedence	Associativity
() [] → .	function call array element struct or union member	17	left-to-right
-- ++	increment, decrement	16	left-to-right
-- ++ ! - - + & * sizeof	decrement, increment logical not one's complement unary minus or plus address or indirection size (in bytes)	15	right-to-left
(type)	type cast	14	right-to-left
* / %	multiplicative	13	Left-to-right
+ -	binary add or subtract	12	left-to-right
<< >>	shift	11	left-to-right
> >= < <=	relational	10	left-to-right
== !=	equality	9	left-to-right
&	bitwise and	8	left-to-right
^	bitwise exclusive or	7	left-to-right
	bitwise or	6	left-to-right
&&	logical and	5	left-to-right
	logical or	4	left-to-right
?:	conditional	3	right-to-left
= += -= /= *= %= <<= >>= &= ^=	assignment	2	right-to-left
,	comma	1	left-to-right

# Expression Conversions

Convert the following expressions to prefix and postfix notations:

- $2 + 4 * 5$ 
  - $2\ 4\ 5\ *\ +$  (**Postfix**)
  - $+\ 2\ *\ 4\ 5$  (**Prefix**)

- $(4 + 8) * (6 - 5) / ((3 - 2) * (2 + 2))$ 
  - $4\ 8\ +\ 6\ 5\ -\ *\ 3\ 2\ -\ 2\ 2\ +\ *\ /\$  (**Postfix**)
  - $/\ *\ +\ 4\ 8\ -\ 6\ 5\ *\ -\ 3\ 2\ +\ 2\ 2$  (**Prefix**)

- Try to Solve this Problem([link](#)) first then, see this video ([link](#))

# Simple Calculator Project

- Make the simple calculator
  - Supports these operators:  $()$  ,  $+$  ,  $-$  ,  $/$  ,  $*$  ,  $^$
  - Implement it in **C++**
  - Ignore input validation (Suppose that input in true format always)
  - **Think** well in all scenarios! (improve testing and debugging skills)
  - Challenge yourself to improve your **problem-solving skills**
  - **Don't ask any chatbots**

To participate in activity, go to [Discord Channel](#) to see more details

Sample Run:

```
(4+8)*(6-5)/((3-2)*(2+2))
```

```
3
```

Sheet link: ([Link](#))

Problems solution playlist: ([Link](#))

**"Practice Makes Perfect"**

**Thank You!**

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