

## Questions that appeared in past tests

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0 **X:** Which of the following code snippets is a correct implementation of the **push** operation in a stack:

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| a) <pre>void push(double v) {     assert(cur_size &lt; max_size);     data[cur_size++] = v; }</pre> | c) <pre>double push(void) {     assert(cur_size &lt; max_size);     return data[cur_size++]; }</pre> |
| b) <pre>void push(double v) {     assert(cur_size &gt; 0);     data[--cur_size] = v; }</pre>        | d) <pre>double push(void) {     assert(cur_size &gt; 0);     return data[--cur_size]; }</pre>        |

0 **X:** In a double-linked list, which of the following code snippets is a correct implementation of a function that counts the number of nodes located after the node given as argument to the function?

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| a) <pre>int count_after(node *n) {     int i;      for(i = 0; n-&gt;next != NULL; n = n-&gt;next)         i++;     return i; }</pre> | c) <pre>int count_after(node *n) {     int i;      for(i = 0; n-&gt;prev != NULL; n = n-&gt;next)         i++;     return i; }</pre> |
| b) <pre>int count_after(node *n) {     int i;      for(i = 0; n-&gt;next != NULL; n = n-&gt;prev)         i++;     return i; }</pre> | d) <pre>int count_after(node *n) {     int i;      for(i = 0; n-&gt;prev != NULL; n = n-&gt;prev)         i++;     return i; }</pre> |

0 **X:** Which of the following functions can be used to increment an index in a circular buffer of size `size`?

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| a) <pre>int inc_index(int i) {     return (i + 1 &lt; size) ? i + 1 : 0; }</pre> | c) <pre>int inc_index(int i) {     return (i &lt; size) ? i + 1 : 0; }</pre>    |
| b) <pre>int inc_index(int i) {     return (i + 1 &lt; size) ? 0 : i + 1; }</pre> | d) <pre>int inc_index(int i) {     return (i &lt; size) ? i + 1 : size; }</pre> |

0 **X:** Explain what is a stack. Describe the operations it provides and what they do.

- 0 **X:** Explain how the information is organized in a max-heap.
- 0 **X:** Write on the left C++ code that implements the pop function (stack implemented as an array, data items are of type T), using some of the lines of code presented on the right.

	<code>T pop(void)</code>
	<code>void pop(T v)</code>
<code>{</code>	<code>assert(cur_size &gt; 0);</code>
	<code>assert(cur_size &lt; max_size);</code>
	<code>return data[cur_size++];</code>
	<code>return data[cur_size--];</code>
	<code>return data[++cur_size];</code>
	<code>return data[--cur_size];</code>
	<code>data[cur_size++] = v;</code>
<code>}</code>	<code>data[cur_size--] = v;</code>
	<code>data[++cur_size] = v;</code>
	<code>data[--cur_size] = v;</code>

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Expect one question that asks for an explanation of a short piece of C code. It can be about a linked list, a stack, a queue, a min- or max-heap, or about an ordered or unordered binary tree.