# Proving with ACL2 the correctness of simplicial sets in the Kenzo system<sup>1</sup>

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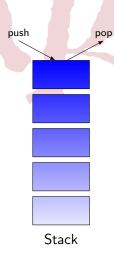
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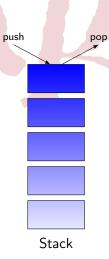
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# Introductory Example



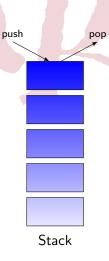
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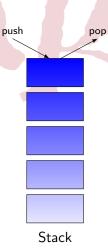


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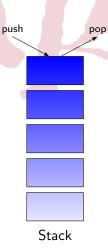
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(defun stack-p (stack)
  (consp stack))

(defun push (elem stack)
  (cons elem stack))

(defun pop (stack)
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- → Our implementation of a stack is really a stack

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(defthm push-pop
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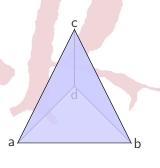
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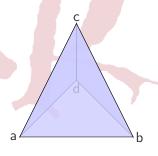
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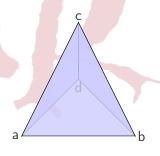


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      (list (face-absm-dgop i dgop) (face ss (face-absm-indx i dgop) gmsm)))))
(defun imp-degeneracy-Kenzo (ss i g (dgop gmsm))
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               (cons (cond ((< d j) (1- j))
                           (t (decf d) j))
                               rs1))))
      ((endp p) (nreverse rsl))
    (when (<= 0 (- d (car p)) 1)
      (return (nreconc rsl (rest p)))))
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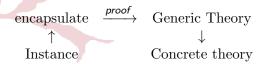
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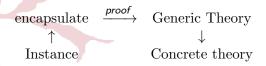


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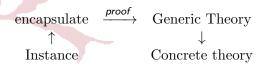
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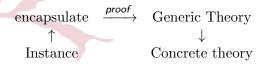




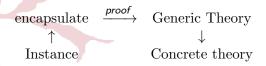
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