

Q1. Which of the following is the principle of stack?

- a) FIFO
- b) LIFO
- c) FILO
- d) Both B and C

Answer: d

Q2. Which operation inserts an element in a stack?

- a) Insert
- b) Append
- c) Push
- d) Add

Answer: c

Q3. Which operation removes an element from a stack?

- a) Delete
- b) Pop
- c) Remove
- d) Extract

Answer: b

Q4. Which operation allows you to see the top element of a stack without removing it?

- a) Pop
- b) Peek
- c) Push
- d) None

Answer: b

Q5. What happens when we try to pop from an empty stack?

- a) Underflow
- b) Overflow
- c) Error
- d) Deadlock

Answer: a

Q6. What happens when we try to push onto a full stack (array implementation)?

- a) Underflow
- b) Overflow
- c) Deadlock
- d) None

Answer: b

Q7. Which of the following is an application of stack?

- a) Expression evaluation
- b) Undo operation
- c) Function call management
- d) All of the above

Answer: d

Q8. A stack can be implemented using:

- a) Arrays
- b) Linked Lists
- c) Both
- d) None

Answer: c

Q9. Which symbol table implementation uses a stack?

- a) Compiler
- b) Interpreter
- c) Both
- d) None

Answer: a

Q10. What is the time complexity of push operation in a stack?

- a)  $O(1)$
- b)  $O(n)$
- c)  $O(\log n)$
- d)  $O(n \log n)$

Answer: a

Q11. What is the time complexity of pop operation in a stack?

- a)  $O(1)$
- b)  $O(n)$
- c)  $O(\log n)$
- d)  $O(n \log n)$

Answer: a

Q12. Infix to postfix conversion uses which data structure?

- a) Queue
- b) Stack

- c) Tree
- d) Graph

Answer: b

Q13. Which of these problems cannot be solved using stack?

- a) Tower of Hanoi
- b) Balanced parentheses
- c) Job scheduling
- d) Expression evaluation

Answer: c

Q14. Which of the following data structures is recursive in nature?

- a) Queue
- b) Stack
- c) Array
- d) Graph

Answer: b

Q15. The memory required to store n elements in a stack implemented using array is:

- a)  $O(1)$
- b)  $O(\log n)$
- c)  $O(n)$
- d)  $O(n^2)$

Answer: c

Q16. Which of the following can detect stack overflow?

- a) Compiler
- b) Interpreter
- c) Run-time system
- d) None

Answer: c

Q17. Which of the following applications use stack?

- a) Depth First Search
- b) Breadth First Search
- c) Dijkstra's Algorithm
- d) Kruskal's Algorithm

Answer: a

Q18. Which data structure is used to evaluate postfix expression?

- a) Queue
- b) Stack
- c) Array
- d) Tree

Answer: b

Q19. Which of the following is true for stack?

- a) Insertion at rear end
- b) Deletion at rear end
- c) Insertion and deletion at the same end
- d) None

Answer: c

Q20. Which of the following uses stacks internally?

- a) Recursion
- b) Iteration
- c) Compilation
- d) None

Answer: a

Q21. Which data structure is most suitable to check palindromes?

- a) Queue
- b) Stack
- c) Array
- d) Graph

Answer: b

Q22. What is the initial condition of an empty stack (array implementation)?

- a) Top = 0
- b) Top = -1
- c) Top = 1
- d) Top = null

Answer: b

Q23. Which of the following is not a stack operation?

- a) Push
- b) Pop
- c) Peek
- d) Append

Answer: d

Q24. Which algorithm is used for backtracking problems?

- a) BFS
- b) DFS
- c) Stack-based recursion
- d) Hashing

Answer: c

Q25. Which of the following is a limitation of array implementation of stack?

- a) Fixed size
- b) Complexity
- c) Traversal
- d) None

Answer: a

Q26. Stack can be used to reverse:

- a) Array
- b) String
- c) Linked List
- d) All of the above

Answer: d

Q27. Which of the following applications require stack?

- a) Browser history navigation
- b) Undo operation
- c) Arithmetic expression parsing
- d) All of the above

Answer: d

Q28. What is the default top value in linked list implementation of stack?

- a) NULL
- b) -1
- c) 0
- d) n

Answer: a

Q29. What will be the result of popping from a stack with one element?

- a) Stack underflow
- b) Stack empty
- c) Stack overflow

d) Deadlock

Answer: b

Q30. Which of the following uses both stack and queue?

a) BFS

b) DFS

c) Dijkstra's Algorithm

d) Tree Traversals

Answer: d

Q31. Which stack is used in recursive function calls?

a) Call stack

b) Function stack

c) Data stack

d) Control stack

Answer: a

Q32. Which of the following is used for implementing undo feature?

a) Queue

b) Stack

c) Graph

d) Tree

Answer: b

Q33. Which of the following is a postfix expression?

a) (A+B)

b) (A+B)\*

c) AB+

d) +AB

Answer: c

Q34. Which of the following is used in evaluation of arithmetic expressions?

a) Stack

b) Queue

c) Array

d) Tree

Answer: a

Q35. Which of the following is true about stack overflow?

a) Too many elements pushed

b) Too many elements popped

c) Stack empty

d) None

Answer: a

Q36. Which of the following expressions converts infix to prefix?

a) Reverse infix + postfix

b) Reverse infix + postfix + reverse again

c) Postfix directly

d) Prefix directly

Answer: b

Q37. Which of these is a postfix expression of  $A+B*C$ ?

a)  $ABC+*$

b)  $AB*C+$

c)  $A+BC*$

d)  $A*B+C$

Answer: b

Q38. Which of the following expressions is postfix for  $(A+B)*(C-D)$ ?

a)  $AB+CD-*$

b)  $A+B*C-D$

c)  $*+AB-CD$

d)  $AB*+CD-$

Answer: a

Q39. In which memory segment is stack stored in C/Java?

a) Heap

b) Code

c) Stack

d) Static

Answer: c

Q40. Which stack is used to store local variables of a function?

a) Function stack

b) Call stack

c) Heap stack

d) System stack

Answer: b

Q41. Which is an advantage of linked list stack over array stack?

- a) Fixed size
- b) Dynamic size
- c) Faster indexing
- d) None

Answer: b

Q42. Which stack is used by JVM internally?

- a) Operand stack
- b) Data stack
- c) Call stack
- d) Instruction stack

Answer: a

Q43. Which of these can be used to check palindromes using stack?

- a) Push first half, pop while comparing
- b) Push all, pop all
- c) Push only vowels
- d) None

Answer: a

Q44. Which of the following is true about stack data type?

- a) Abstract Data Type
- b) Primitive Type
- c) Derived Type
- d) None

Answer: a

Q45. Which is the minimum number of stacks required to implement a queue?

- a) 1
- b) 2
- c) 3
- d) 4

Answer: b

Q46. Which of these is a postfix evaluation of  $2\ 3 + 5\ *$ ?

- a) 10
- b) 25
- c) 30
- d) 15



Answer: b

Q47. Which of the following is NOT an application of stacks?

- a) Expression evaluation
- b) Recursion
- c) CPU scheduling
- d) Backtracking

Answer: c

Q48. Which of the following is the maximum size of stack in array implementation?

- a) Top
- b) n
- c) Size defined at creation
- d) Infinite

Answer: c

Q49. Which of the following is the time complexity of searching for an element in a stack?

- a)  $O(1)$
- b)  $O(\log n)$
- c)  $O(n)$
- d)  $O(n \log n)$

Answer: c

Q50. Which of the following statements is true for stack?

- a) It is FIFO
- b) It is FILO
- c) It is random
- d) It is non-linear

Answer: b