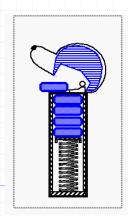
# Elementary Data Structures

Stacks, Queues, & Lists Amortized analysis Trees



### The Stack ADT

- The Stack ADT stores arbitrary objects
- Insertions and deletions follow the last-in first-out scheme
- Think of a spring-loaded plate dispenser
- Main stack operations:
  - push(object): inserts an element
  - object pop(): removes and returns the last inserted element



- Auxiliary stack operations:
  - object top(): returns the last inserted element without removing it
  - integer size(): returns the number of elements stored
  - boolean isEmpty(): indicates whether no elements are stored

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## **Applications of Stacks**



- Direct applications
  - Page-visited history in a Web browser
  - Undo sequence in a text editor
  - Chain of method calls in the Java Virtual Machine or C++ runtime environment
- Indirect applications
  - Auxiliary data structure for algorithms
  - Component of other data structures

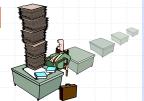
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#### Array-based Stack Algorithm *pop()*: if is Empty() then A simple way of throw EmptyStackException implementing the else Stack ADT uses an $t \leftarrow t - 1$ array return S[t+1]We add elements Algorithm *push*(o) from left to right if t = S.length - 1 then A variable t keeps throw FullStackException track of the index of else the top element (size is t+1) $t \leftarrow t + 1$ $S[t] \leftarrow o$ 0 1 2 **Elementary Data Structures**

## **Growable Array-based** Stack

- In a push operation, when the array is full, instead of throwing an exception, we can replace the array with a larger one
- How large should the new array be?
  - incremental strategy: increase the size by a constant c
  - doubling strategy: double the size



#### Algorithm *push(o)*

if t = S.length - 1 then  $A \leftarrow$  new array of

size ...

for  $i \leftarrow 0$  to t do  $A[i] \leftarrow S[i]$ 

 $S \leftarrow A$  $t \leftarrow t + 1$ 

 $S[t] \leftarrow o$ 

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#### The Queue ADT

- ◆ The Queue ADT stores arbitrary ◆ Auxiliary queue objects
- Insertions and deletions follow the first-in first-out scheme
- Insertions are at the rear of the queue and removals are at the front of the queue
- Main queue operations:
  - enqueue(object): inserts an element at the end of the
  - object dequeue(): removes and returns the element at the front of the queue



- object front(): returns the element at the front without removing it
- integer size(): returns the number of elements stored
- boolean isEmpty(): indicates whether no elements are stored
- Exceptions
  - Attempting the execution of dequeue or front on an empty queue throws an EmptyQueueException

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# **Applications of Queues**



- Direct applications
  - Waiting lines
  - Access to shared resources (e.g., printer)
  - Multiprogramming
- Indirect applications
  - Auxiliary data structure for algorithms
  - Component of other data structures

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