

Infix to Postfix Conversion using Stack

1. Initialize:

- Create an empty stack for operators.
- Create an empty string for the postfix expression.

$(A + B)$

2. Process Each Character:

- **Operands:** If the character is an operand (e.g., a variable or number), add it directly to the postfix expression.
- **Operators:**
 - If the character is an operator (e.g., +, -, *, /):
 1. Pop operators from the stack and append them to the postfix expression **until the stack is empty or the operator at the top of the stack has less precedence than the current operator.**
 2. Push the current operator onto the stack.
- **Parentheses:**
 - If the character is an opening parenthesis (, push it onto the stack.
 - If the character is a closing parenthesis), pop from the stack and append to the postfix expression **until an opening parenthesis** is encountered. Discard the opening parenthesis.

3. End of Expression:

- After the infix expression has been processed, pop all remaining operators from the stack and append them to the postfix expression.

4. Result:

- The postfix expression is now complete.

Operator Precedence Table

Operator	Precedence
(1
**	2
*, /, %	3
+, -	4

Example: Infix to Postfix Conversion

Convert: $(A + B) * C - D$

Step	Stack	Postfix Expression
Read ((
Read A	(A
Read +	(+	A
Read B	(+	A B
Read)		A B +
Read *	*	A B +
Read C	*	A B + C

Read -	-	A B + C *
Read D	-	A B + C * D
Pop Remaining		A B + C * D -

$(A+B) * (C-D)$

$A * (B - C + D) \wedge E \xrightarrow{K*}$

Stop

A
*
(
B
-
C
+
D
)
^
E

Stack

*
*(
*(
*(-
*(-
*(+
*(+
*
*, ^
*, ^

Postfix

A
A
A
AB
AB
ABC
ABC-
ABC-D
ABC-D+
ABC-D+
ABC-D+E
ABC-D+E^*

Pop from Stack