

## Infix to postfix

### • Postfix

Step 1: Add ")" to the end of the infix expression

Step 2: Push "(" onto the stack

Step 3: Repeat until each character in the infix notation is scanned

- IF "(" is encountered, push it on the stack
- IF an operand is encountered add it postfix expression.
- IF a ")" is encountered, then
  - a. Repeatedly pop from stack and add it to the postfix expression until a "(" is encountered
  - b. Discard the "(" . That is remove the "(" from stack and do not add it to the postfix expression
- IF an operator O is encountered, then
  - a. Repeatedly pop from stack and add each operator (popped from stack) to the postfix expression which has the same precedence or a higher precedence than O.
  - b. Push the operator to the stack

[end of IF]

Step 4: Repeatedly pop from stack and add it to the postfix expression until stack is empty.

Step 5: EXIT

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