

Data Structure

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Deletion operation of an Array

Delete - To delete an element from the selected position.

Deletion (Algorithm)

Take, Counter variable j

Array $AD[N]$, Where N is size of an array

Loc variable to store location of an existing element which is to be deleted

(Hint: Perform left shifting for an element)

Deletion (Algorithm-Cont..)

1. Initialize counter variable j with location of an element which is to be deleted

$j = \text{Loc}$

2. While $j < N$ repeat step 3 & 4
3. Move counter array position one step forwards

$A[j-1] = A[j]$

4. Increment counter j

$j = j + 1$

Deletion (Algorithm-Cont..)

5. Update the size of an array

$N=N-1$

6. Exit