STACK AND QUEUE

Problem Solving with Computers-II

C++STL

- The C++ Standard Template Library is a very handy set of three built-in components:
  - Containers: Data structures
  - Iterators: Standard way to search containers
  - Algorithms: These are what we ultimately use to solve problems

C++ STL container classes

```
array
vector
forward_list
list
set
stack
queue
priority_queue
multiset (non unique keys)
deque
unordered_set
map
unordered_map
multimap
bitset
```

Stacks – container class available in the C++ STL

- Container class that uses the Last In First Out (LIFO) principle
- Methods

i. push()
ii. pop()
iii. top()
iv. empty()

Lab05: Evaluate a fully parenthesized infix expression

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Checking if the parenthesis are balanced

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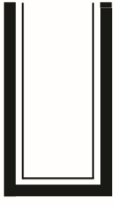

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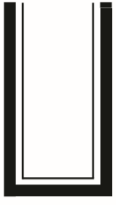

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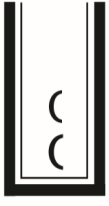

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What should **be the next step after the first right parenthesis is encountered**?

A. Push the right parenthesis onto the stack
B. If the stack is not empty pop the next item on the top of the stack
C. Ignore the right parenthesis and continue checking the next character
D. None of the above

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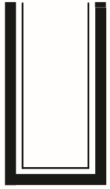

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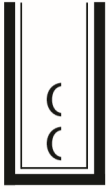
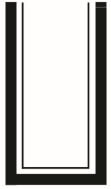


Read second) and pop matching (

Read third) and pop the last (



Evaluating a fully parenthesized infix expression

s.pop() // just deletes the top element
s.top()

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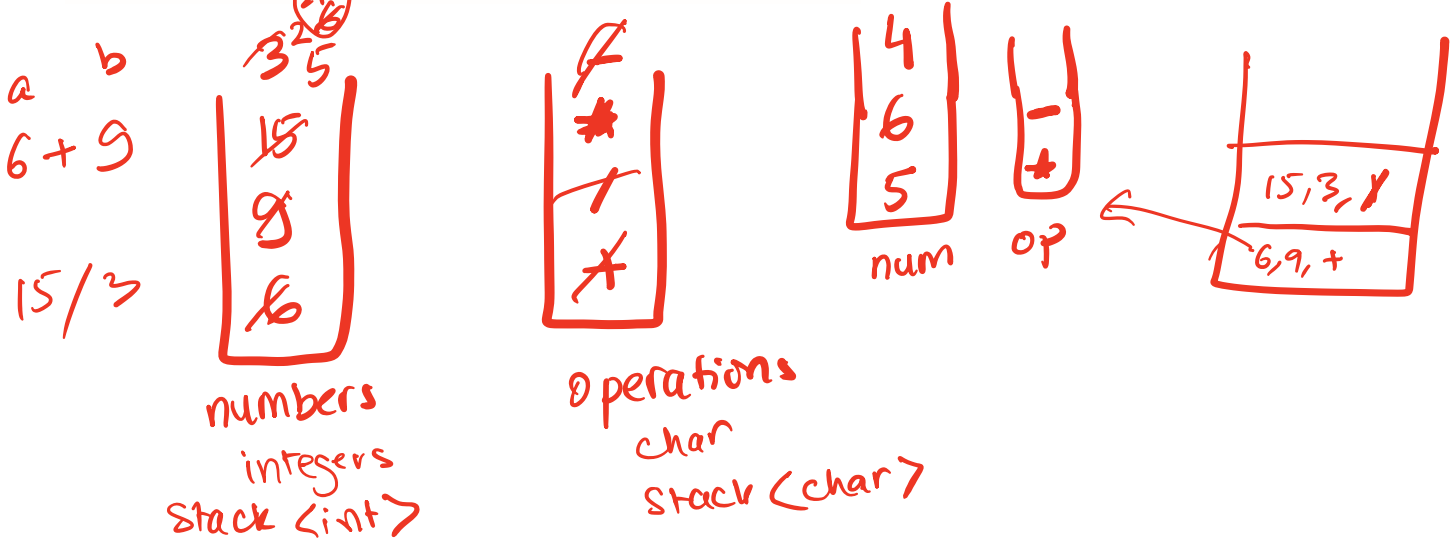

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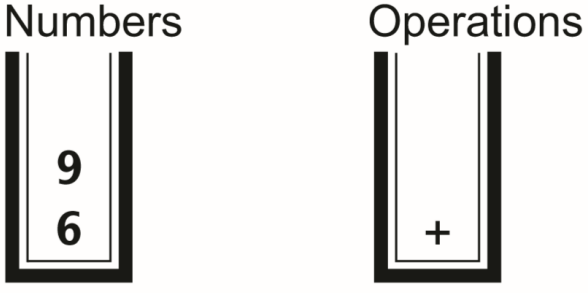

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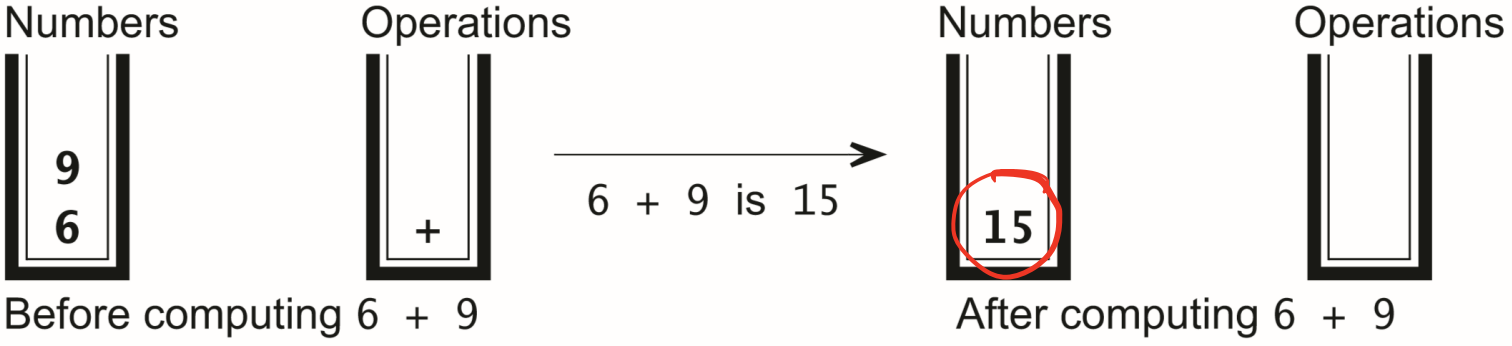

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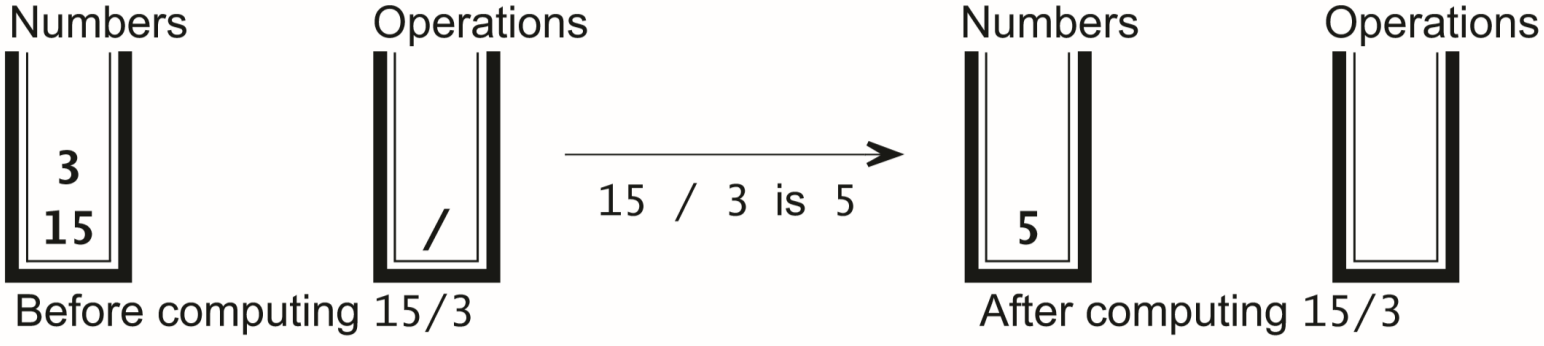


Notations for evaluating expression

- Infix number operator number
- (Polish) Prefix operators precede the operands
- (Reverse Polish) Postfix operators come after the operands

7 * 3

Infix

* 7 3 Prefix

7 3 * Postfix

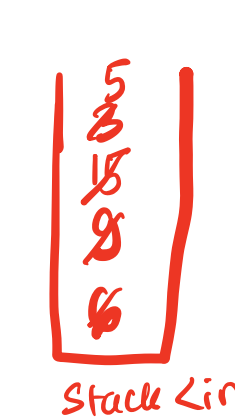
Evaluating post fix expressions using a single stack

Postfix: 6 9 + 3 / 6 4 - *

Infix: ((6 + 9) / 3) * (6 - 4)

6 9 + 3 / 6 4 - *

0 1 2 3 4



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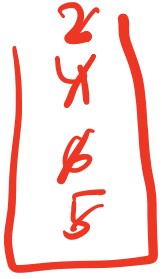

Finally pop 2 and 5 and multiply to get

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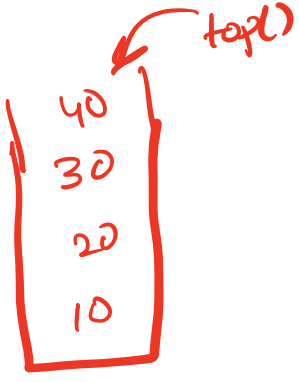
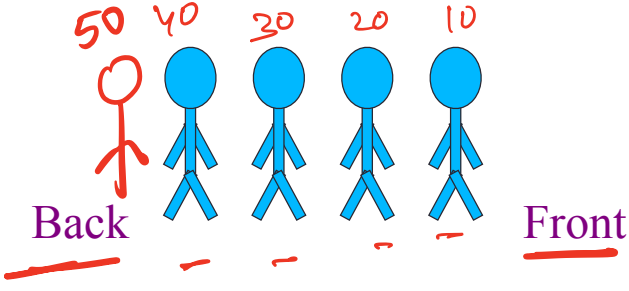
Queue Operations

- A queue is like a queue of people waiting to be serviced
- The queue has a **front** and a **back**.

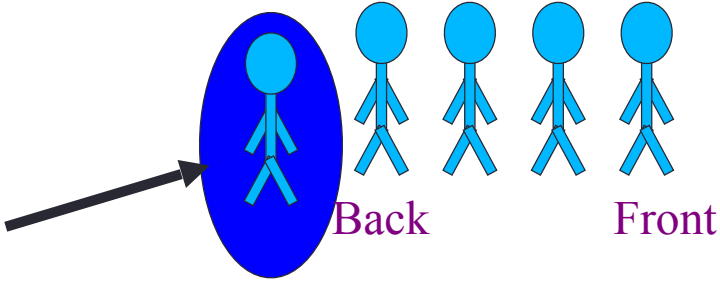




empty()
push(50)
back()//50
front()//10
pop()//
// deletes 10

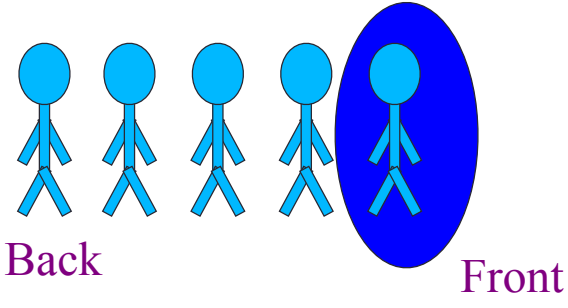
Queue Operations

- New people must enter the queue at the back. The C++ queue class calls this a **push**, although it is usually called an **enqueue** operation.



Queue Operations

- When an item is taken from the queue, it always comes from the front. The C++ queue calls this a **pop**, although it is usually called a **dequeue** operation.

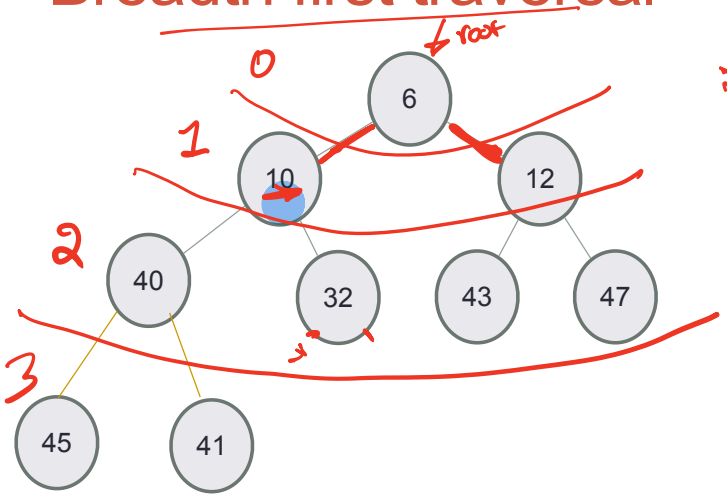


Queue Class

- The C++ standard template library has a queue template class.
- The template parameter is the type of the items that can be put in the queue.

```
template <class Item>
class queue<Item>
{
public:
        queue( );
        void push(const Item& entry);
        void pop( );
        bool empty( ) const;
        Item front( ) const;
        …
```

Breadth first traversal



Algo: shortestest algo

- Take an empty Queue.
- Start from the root, insert the root into the Queue.
- Now while Queue is not empty,
  - Extract the node from the Queue and insert all its children into the Queue.
  - Print the extracted node.

6 10 12 40 32 43 47 45 41

front back

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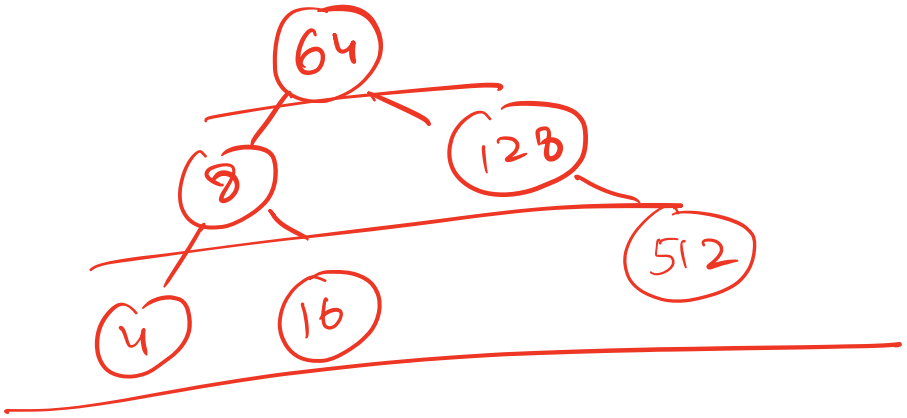

64 8 128 4 16 512

Summary of operations

Operation	Sorted Array	Binary Search Tree	Linked List
Min			
Max			
Median			
Successor			
Predecessor			
Search			
Insert			
Delete			