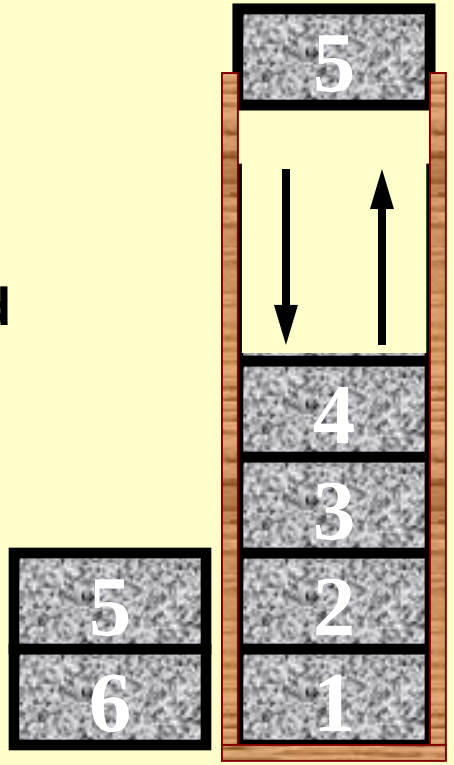
§3 The Stack ADT

1. ADT

A stack is a Last-In-First-Out (LIFO) list, that is, an ordered list in which insertions and deletions are made at the top only.



Objects: A finite ordered list with zero or more elements.

Operations:

- Int IsEmpty(Stack S);
- Stack CreateStack( );
- DisposeStack(Stack S);
- MakeEmpty(Stack S);
- Push(ElementType X, Stack S);
- ElementType Top(Stack S);
- Pop(Stack S);

Note: A Pop (or Top) on an empty stack is an error in the stack ADT.

Push on a full stack is an implementation error but not an ADT error.

2. Implementations

- Linked List Implementation (with a header node)

Push: ① TmpCell->Next = S->Next

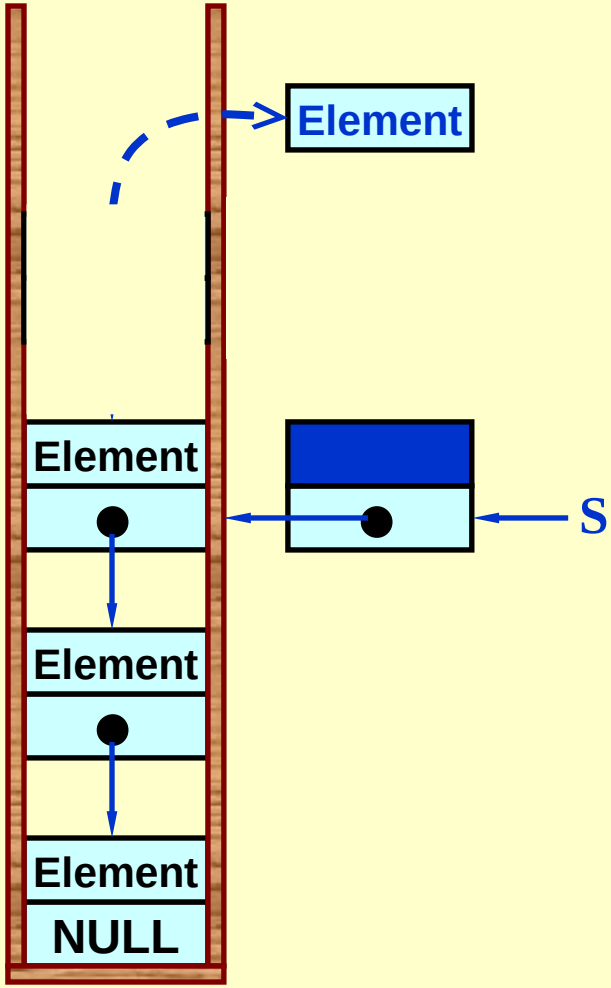
② S->Next = TmpCell

Top: return S->Next->Element

Pop: ① FirstCell = S->Next

② S->Next = S->Next->Next

③ free (FirstCell)



Array Implementation

```
struct  StackRecord {
          int     Capacity ;          /* size of stack */
          int     TopOfStack;         /* the top pointer */
          /* ++ for push, -- for pop, -1 for empty stack */
          ElementType  *Array;    /* array for stack elements */
 } ;
```

Note: ① The stack model must be well encapsulated. That is, no part of your code, except for the stack routines, can attempt to access the Array or TopOfStack variable.

② Error check must be done before Push or Pop (Top).

Read Figures 3.38-3.52 for detailed implementations of stack operations.

3. Applications

☆ Balancing Symbols

Check if parenthesis ( ), brackets [ ], and braces { } are balanced.

```
Algorithm {
   Make an empty stack S;
   while (read in a character c) {
      if (c is an opening symbol)
         Push(c, S);
      else if (c is a closing symbol) {
         if (S is empty) { ERROR; exit; }
         else { /* stack is okay */
            if (Top(S) doesn't match c) { ERROR, exit; }
            else Pop(S);
         } /* end else-stack is okay */
      } /* end else-if-closing symbol */
   } /* end while-loop */
   if (S is not empty) ERROR;
}
```

$T(N) = O(N)$ where N is the length of the expression. This is an on-line algorithm.

✯ Postfix Evaluation

〖Example〗 An infix expression: $a + b * c - d / e$

A prefix expression: $- + a * b\ c / d\ e$

A postfix expression: $a\ b\ c * + d\ e / -$

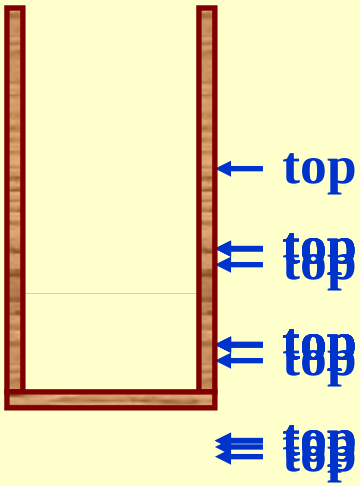
Reverse Polish notation

operand

operator with the highest precedence

operator

〖Example〗 6 2 / 3 - 4 2 * + 8 ?



Get token: 6 (operand)	Get token: 2 (operand)
Get token: / (operator)	Get token: 3 (operand)
Get token: - (operator)	Get token: 4 (operand)
Get token: 2 (operand)	Get token: * (operator)
Get token: + (operator)	Pop: 8

$T(N) = O(N)$. No need to know precedence rules.

✯ Infix to Postfix Conversion

〖Example〗 $a + b * c - d$ $a\ b\ c * + d -$

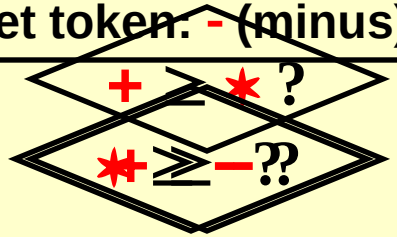
Note:

- The order of operands is the **same** in infix and postfix.
- [illegible] **higher** precedence appear **before** those [illegible]lence.

Isn't that simple?

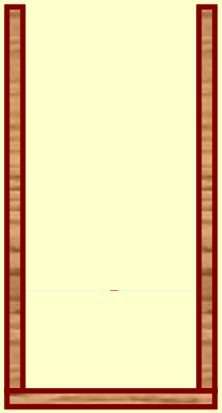
Wait till you see the next example...

Get [illegible]	[illegible]: + (plus)
Get token: [illegible]	Get token: * (times)
Get token: *c* (operand)	Get token: - (minus)
Get token: *d* (operand)	



〖 Example 〗 $a * (b + c) / d$ $a\ b\ c\ +\ *\ d\ /$

Output: $a\ b\ c\ +\ *\ d\ /$



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Get token: a (operand)	Get token: $*$ (times)
Get token: $($ (lparen)	Get token: b (operand)
Get token: $+$ (plus)	Get token: c (operand)
Get token: $)$ (rparen)	Get token: $/$ (divide)
Get token: d (operand)	

$* \geq (\ ?$

$* \geq / \ ?$

NO!!

$T(N) = O(N)$

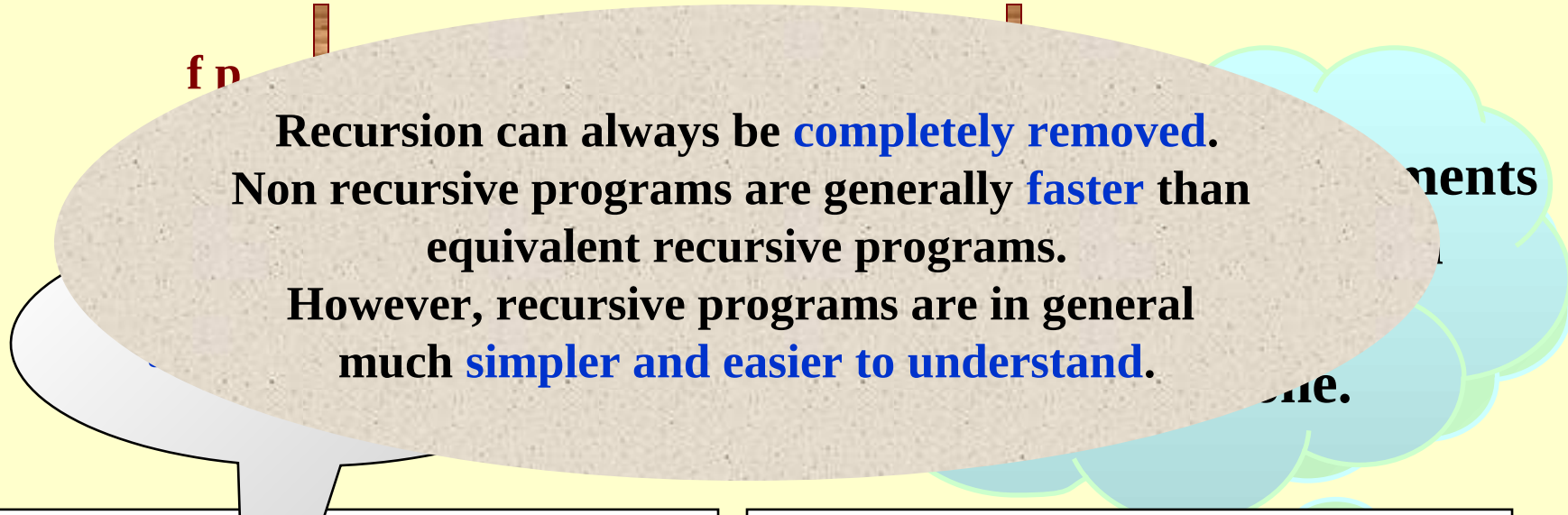
Solutions:

① Never pop a (from the stack except when processing a) .

② Observe that when (is not in the stack, its precedence is the highest; but when it is in the stack, its precedence is the lowest. Define in-stack precedence and incoming precedence for symbols, and each time use the corresponding precedence for comparison.

Note: *a* – *b* – *c* will be converted to *a b* – *c* –. However, 2^2^3 (2^{2^3}) must be converted to 2 2 3 ^ ^, not 2 2 ^ 3 ^ since exponentiation associates right to left.

✯ Function Calls -- System Stack




```
void  PrintLi    List L )
{
   if ( L != NU   L )  {
      PrintEle ment ( L->Element );
      PrintList( L->next );
   }
}  /* a bad use of recursion */
```

```
void  PrintList ( List L )
{
top:  if ( L != NULL )  {
         PrintElement ( L->Element );
         L = L->next;
         goto top; /* do NOT do this */
      }
}  /* compiler removes recursion */
```

§4 The Queue ADT

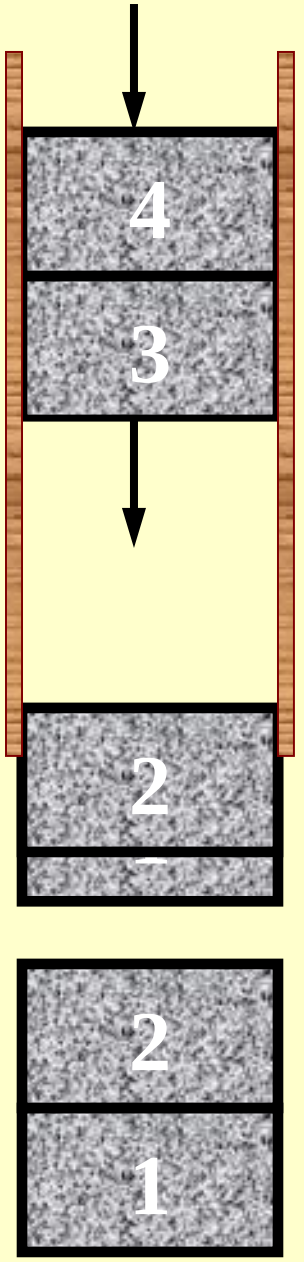
1. ADT

A queue is a First-In-First-Out (FIFO) list, that is, an ordered list in which insertions take place at one end and deletions take place at the opposite end.

Objects: A finite ordered list with zero or more elements.

Operations:

- int IsEmpty(Queue Q);
- Queue CreateQueue( );
- DisposeQueue(Queue Q);
- MakeEmpty(Queue Q);
- Enqueue(ElementType X, Queue Q);
- ElementType Front(Queue Q);
- Dequeue(Queue Q);

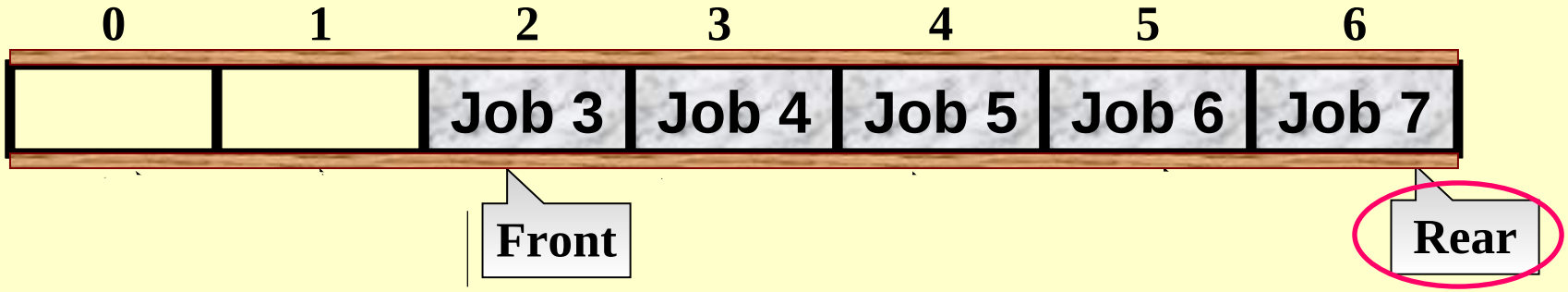


2. Array Implementation of Queues

(Linked list implementation is trivial)

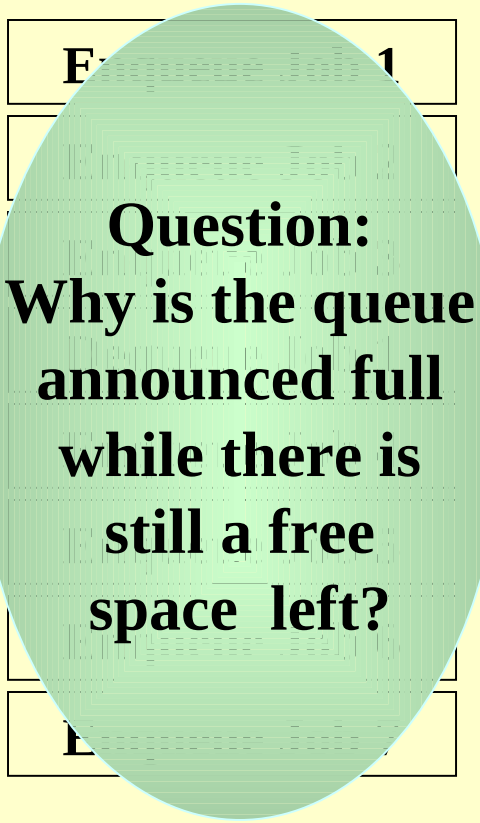
```
struct  QueueRecord {
            int     Capacity ;   /* max size of queue */
            int     Front;       /* the front pointer */
            int     Rear;        /* the rear pointer */
            int     Size;  /* Optional - the current size of queue */
            ElementType  *Array;    /* array for queue elements */
 } ;
```

〖Example〗 Job Scheduling in an Operating System

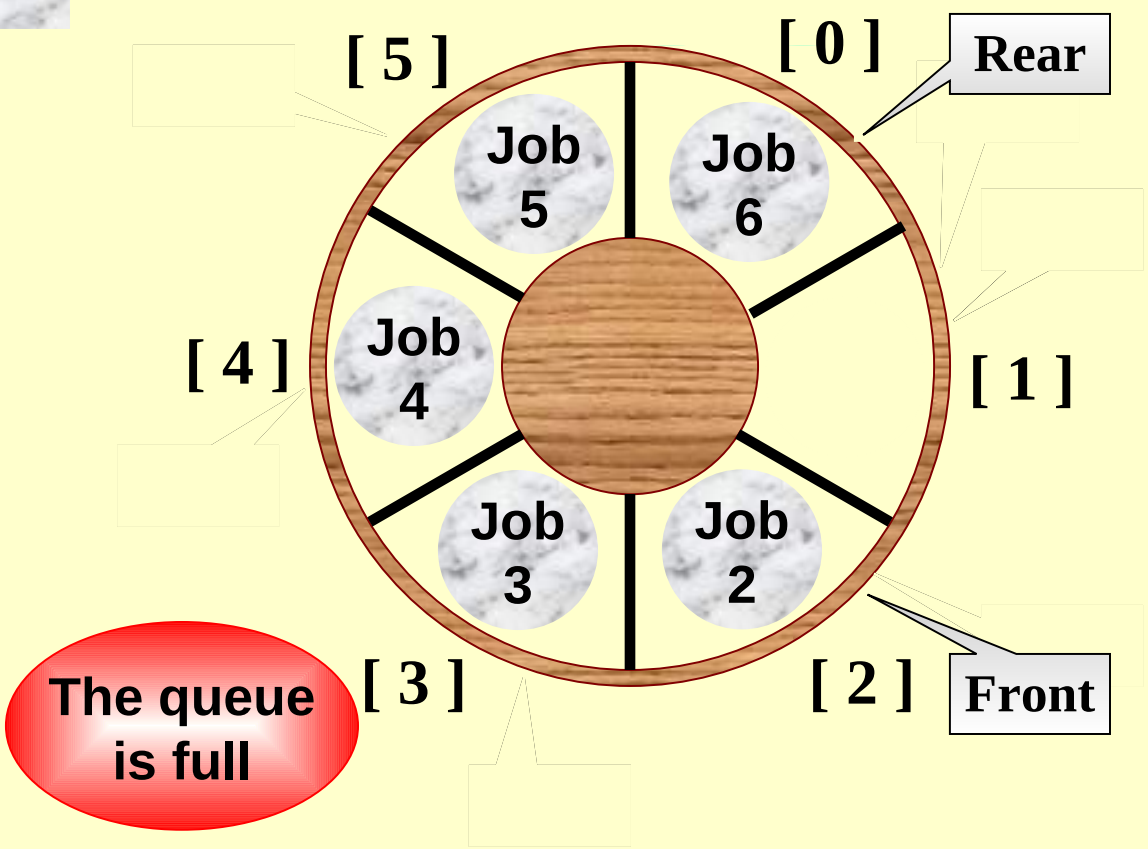


Enqueue Job 1	Enqueue Job 2	Enqueue Job 3	Dequeue Job 1
Enqueue Job 4	Enqueue Job 5	Enqueue Job 6	Dequeue Job 2
Enqueue Job 7	Enqueue Job 8		

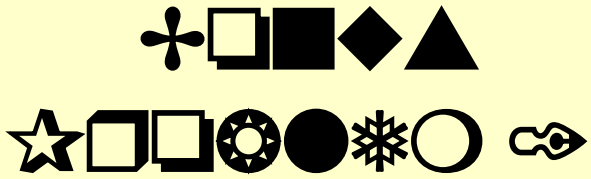
Circular Queue:



Question:
Why is the queue announced full while there is still a free space left?



Note: Adding a **Size** field can avoid wasting one empty space to distinguish "full" from "empty". Do you have any other ideas?



One Way In, Two Ways Out

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