

TD 1 - Stacks and Queues

Exercise 1: Implementation of a stack or a queue

Propose an implementation of a stack and a queue by writing following functions:

```
def create_stack():  
    # Return a new empty stack.  
def push( P, e ):  
    # Push an element 'e' in a stack 'P'.  
def pop( P ):  
    # Pop an element from the stack 'P' and return this element.  
def create_queue():  
    # Return a new empty queue.  
def enqueue( F, e ):  
    # Enqueue the element 'e' in the queue 'F'.  
def dequeue( F ):  
    # Dequeue an element from the queue 'F' and return this element.
```

Draw the stack and queue contents during the run of the following programs. You will give the contents of the terminal also.

```
theStack=create_stack()  
push(theStack, 1)  
push(theStack, 2)  
push(theStack, 3)  
print(pop(theStack))  
print(pop(theStack))  
print(pop(theStack))
```

```
theQueue = create_queue()  
enqueue(theQueue,1)  
enqueue(theQueue,2)  
enqueue(theQueue,3)  
print(dequeue(theQueue))  
print(dequeue(theQueue))  
print(dequeue(theQueue))
```

Exercise 2

Suppose we cannot create or manipulate lists, dictionaries or tuples. Suppose one give you the following primitives to manipulate stacks:

```
def create_stack()  
def push( P, e )  
def pop( P )
```

- 1) Propose an implementation of queues by only using stacks, i.e. the previous primitives. To do that, implement the following primitives:

```
def create_queue()  
def enqueue( F, e )  
def dequeue( F )
```

Evaluate the complexity of these functions.

- 2) Propose an implementation of arrays by only using previous primitives. To do that , implement the following primitives:

```
def create_array():  
    # Create et return an empty array.  
def insert_element( T, id, e ):   
    # Insert a new element 'e' to the position 'id' in the array.  
    # 'T'. The array size is increased by 1.  
def suppress_element( T, id ):   
    # Suppress the element at the position 'id' in the array 'T'.  
    # The size of the array is decreased by 1.  
def replace_element( T, id, e ):   
    # Replace the element at the position 'id' in 'T' by 'e'.  
    # The size of the array has not changed.  
def get_element( T, id ):   
    # Return the element into the position 'id' in the array.
```

Evaluate the complexity of each function.

- 3) Propose an implementation of dictionaries by only using previous primitives. To do that, implement the following primitives:

```
def create_dictionary():  
    # Create and return a new dictionary.  
def insert_association( D, key, value ):   
    # Add a new association ('key','value') in the  
    # dictionary D.  
    # If an association ('key', 'OtherValue') already exists in D,  
    # this association is replaced by ('key', 'value') .  
def suppress_association( D, key ):   
    # Suppress the association with the key 'key' from D.  
def is_in_dictionary( D, key ):   
    # Return True if 'key' is a key in the dictionary D.  
def get_value( D, key ):   
    # Return the value associated to the key in D.
```

Evaluate the complexity of each function.