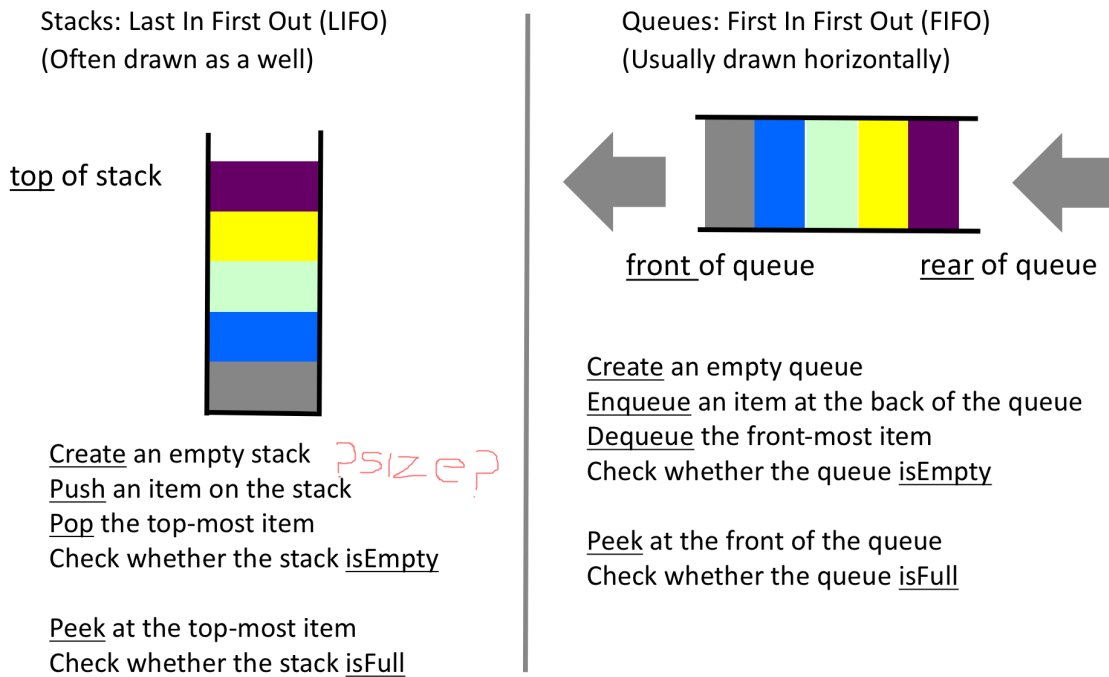


Outline of topics:

- Review. Abstraction: Complexity (Correctness?) versus Efficiency
 Illustrated last time for *Stack of doubles* – `java.util.Stack` versus “roll-my-own” versus in-line implementation
- Stacks and Queues

Stacks and queues



- *Abstraction* – the size constraint should be respected in a LL implementation as well
- What if we do a `pop()` on an empty Stack?
Preconditions represent a contract between user and the ADT. (Implementation need not be **robust** beyond the preconditions.)

- Implementation: arrays and Linked Lists

- Did in class: Stack in array; Queue in LL
- **Generics** in Java; create an array of `Object` and then *cast*
- Discuss efficiency issues:
 - 1) Top of stack in array should be to the right (otherwise, each push, pop, is $\Theta(n)$)
 - 2) Queue in linked list: having each element point to the one in front of it is inefficient (the queue `[a, b, c]` should be stored as `a-->b-->c` rather than `a<--b<--c`)
 - 3) Enqueue in array should wrap-around (otherwise, $\Theta(n)$ worst-case)