

PSO 3

Exam this Friday. Topics are

1. Run time Expressions/Asymptotic Analysis
2. Array
3. Linked List
4. Stack n' Queue
5. Trees
6. Heaps & Heap Sort

Question 1

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Every node is either a

- leaf or,
- inner node with two children

What is the answer?

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Thoughts?

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If the thought isn't a strong 'yes' then draw examples

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- Every level of the tree except the last is complete

(5) Given the number of nodes in a full binary tree, the number of its leaf nodes is determined.

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Implement Stack interface

- `s = Stack.init()`
- `s.push(x)`
- `x = s.pop()`

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General Strat for these types of problems

- Fulfill conditions incrementally,
- When things break, fix them.
- *Occam's razor*

Example: Starting with the Simplest Push Impl.

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Adding a Pop: Push, Pop?

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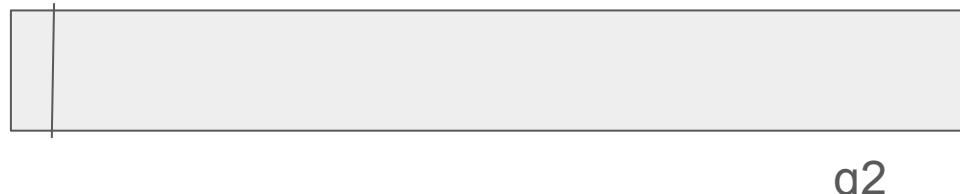
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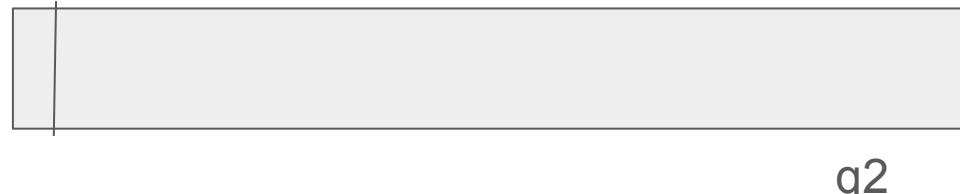
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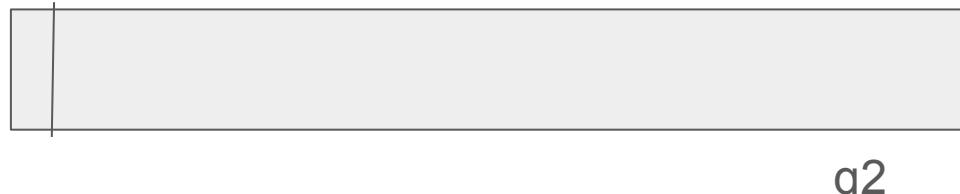
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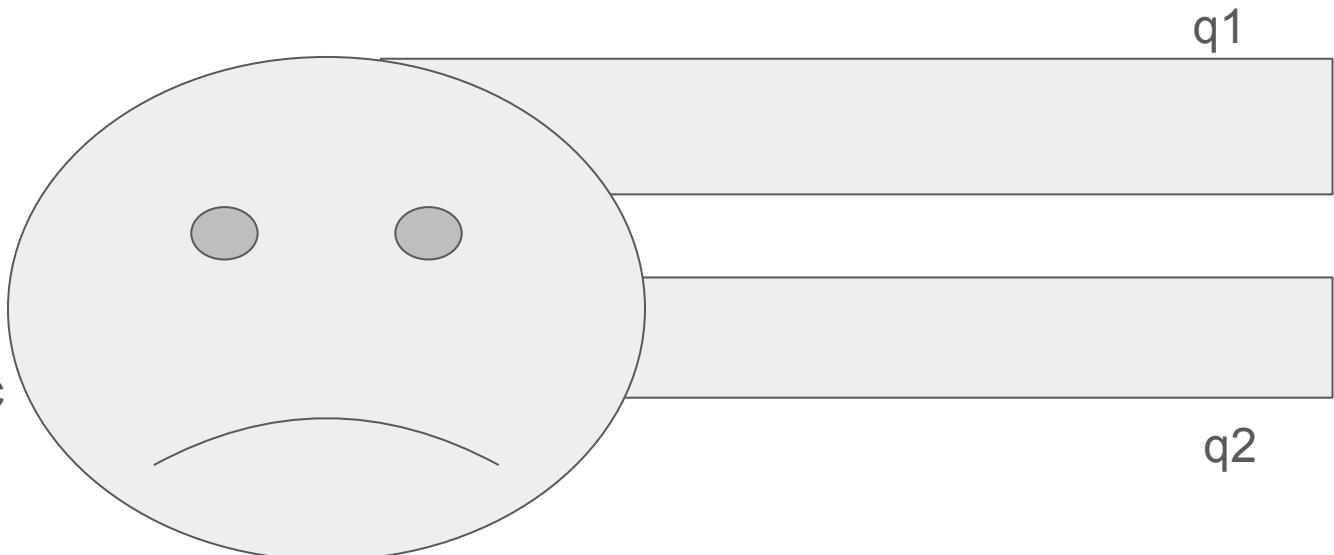
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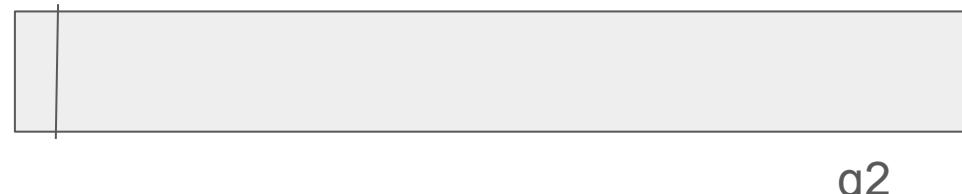
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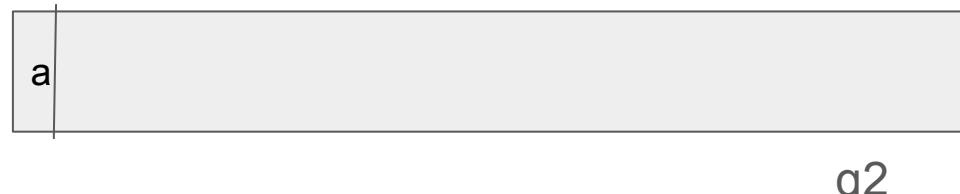
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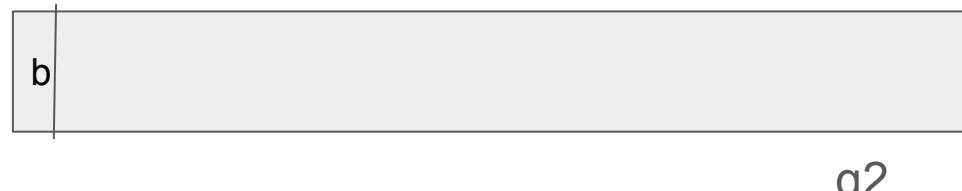
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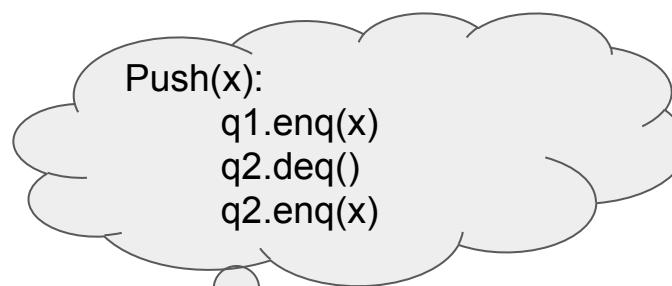
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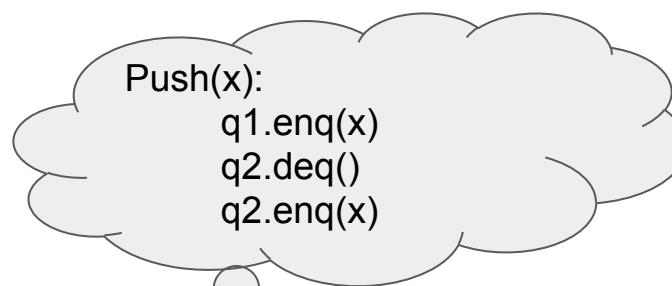


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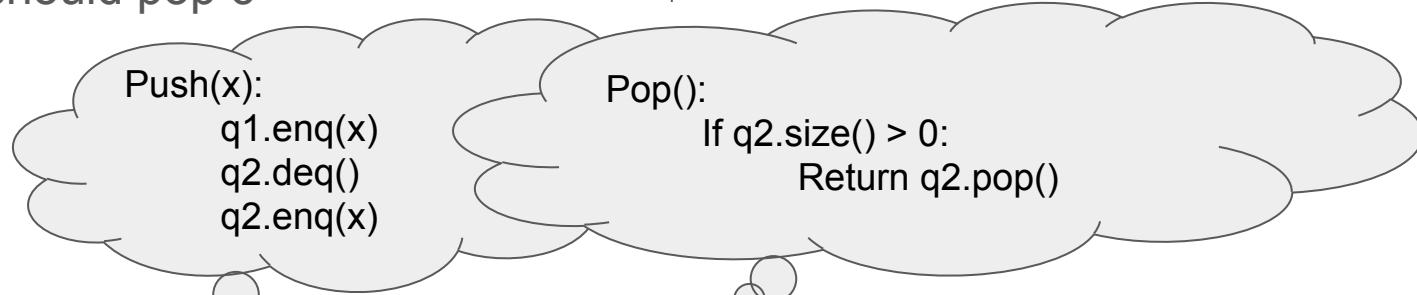
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Pop():

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Not exactly a stack, but...
this stack impl is “correct” for the **first two** rules!

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Try our implementation as-is

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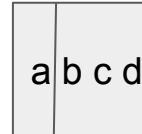
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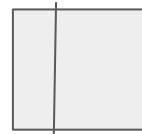
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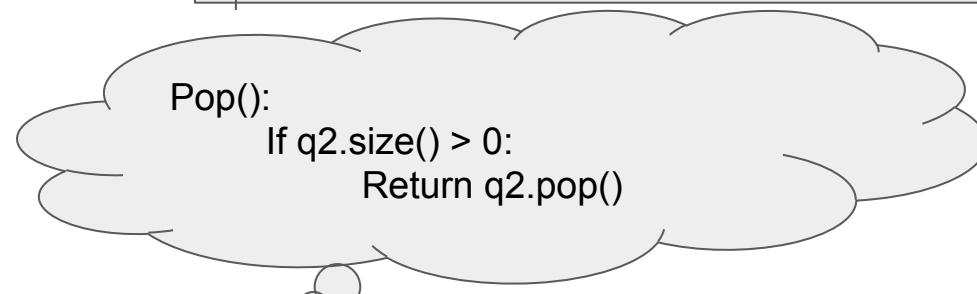
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Cool we have our result!

But our “stack” is ugly now.. How do we push/pop again?

Philosophy of Data Structures: Culling Chaos

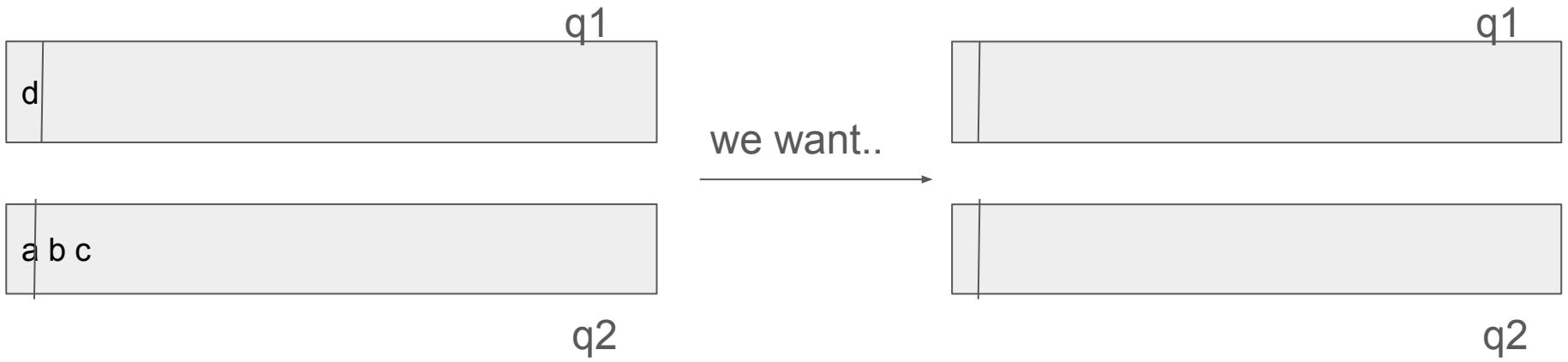
Sure fire design philosophy of data structures is **maintaining Invariants**

If I can make sure my data structures always look the same then easy to...

- Satisfy time efficiencies
- Write elegant pseudocode
- Prove/guarantee your impl. is efficient/correct

Example?

Invariant for our stack? After pop pop

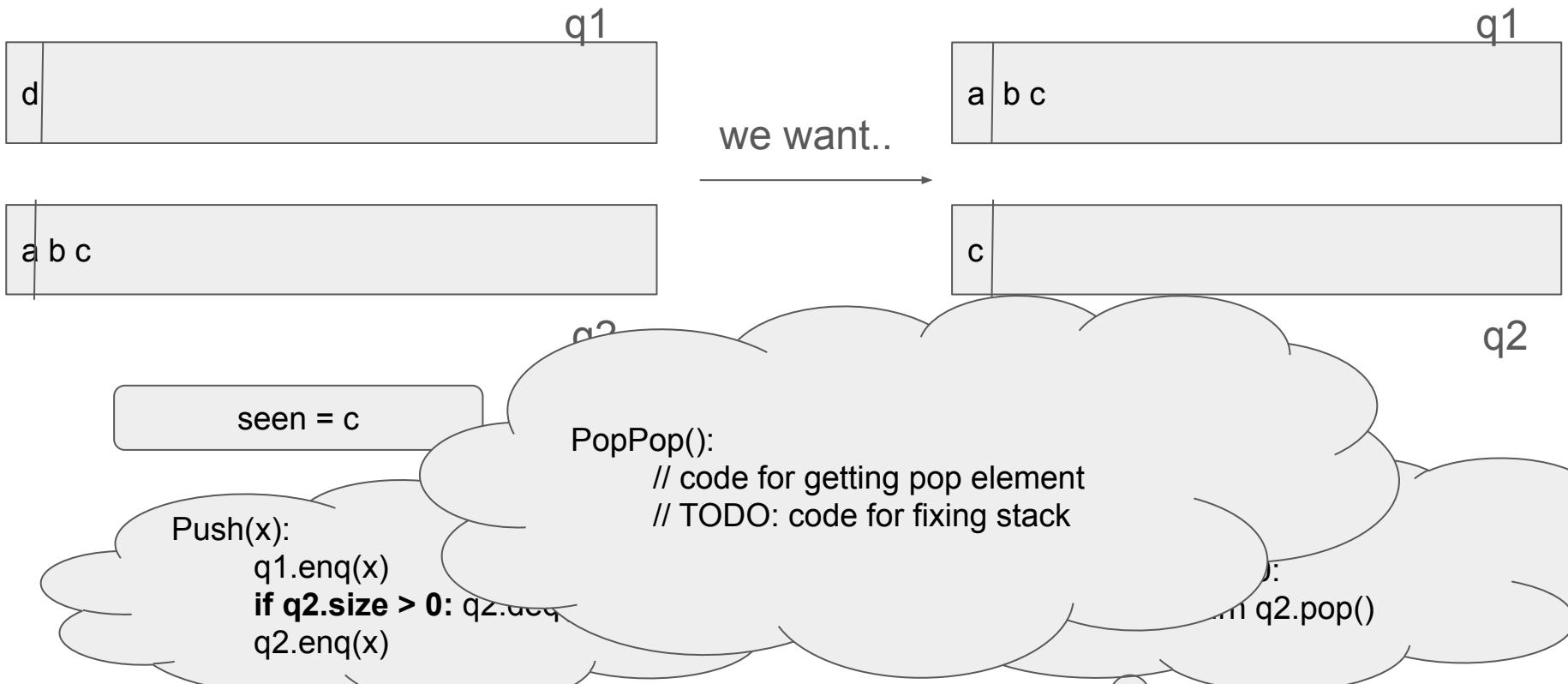


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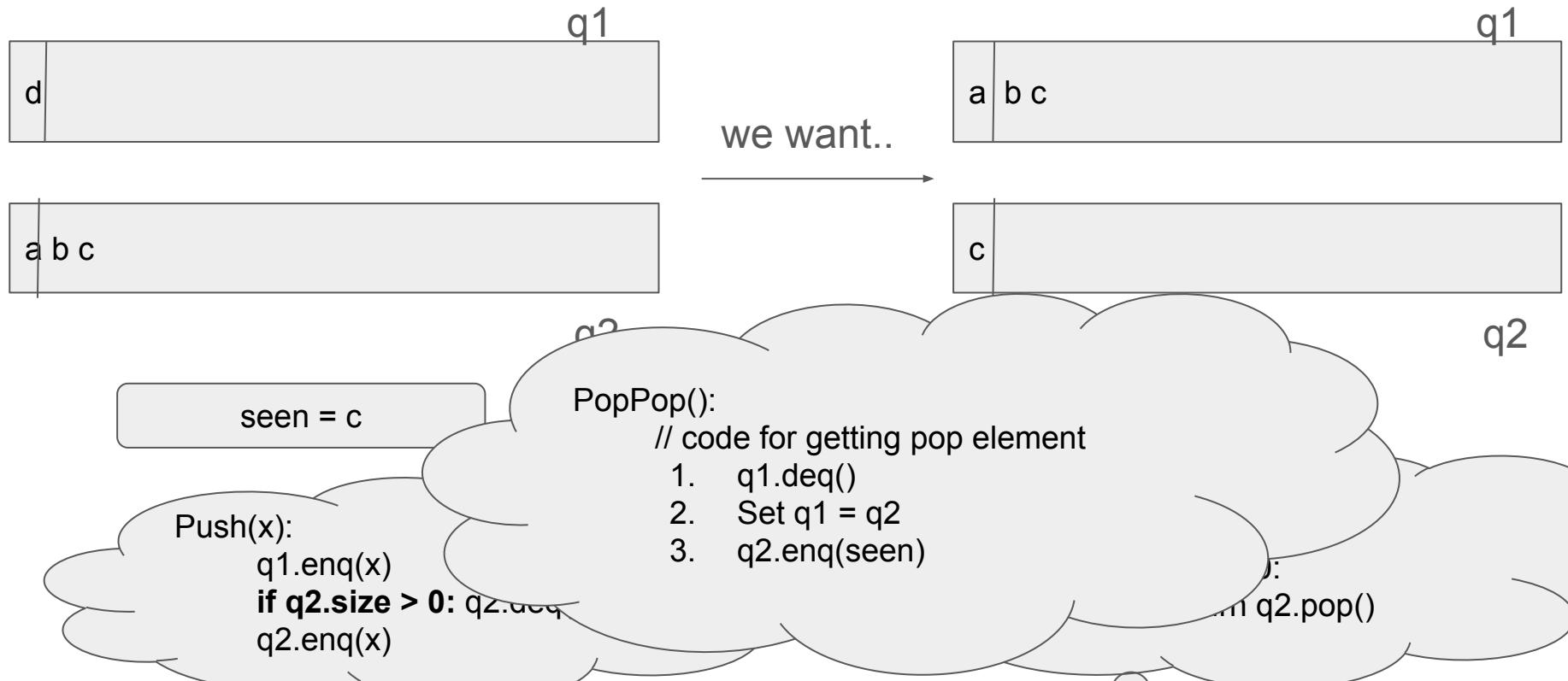
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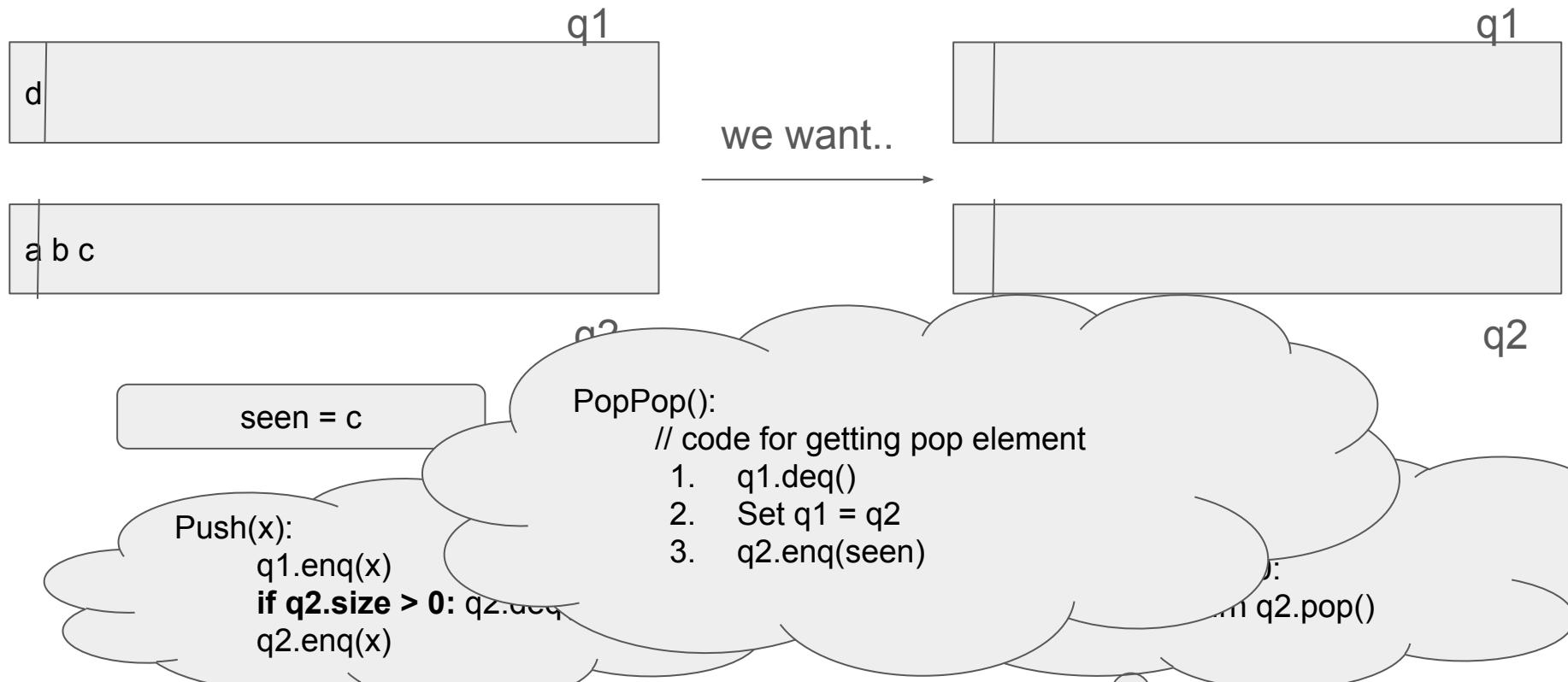
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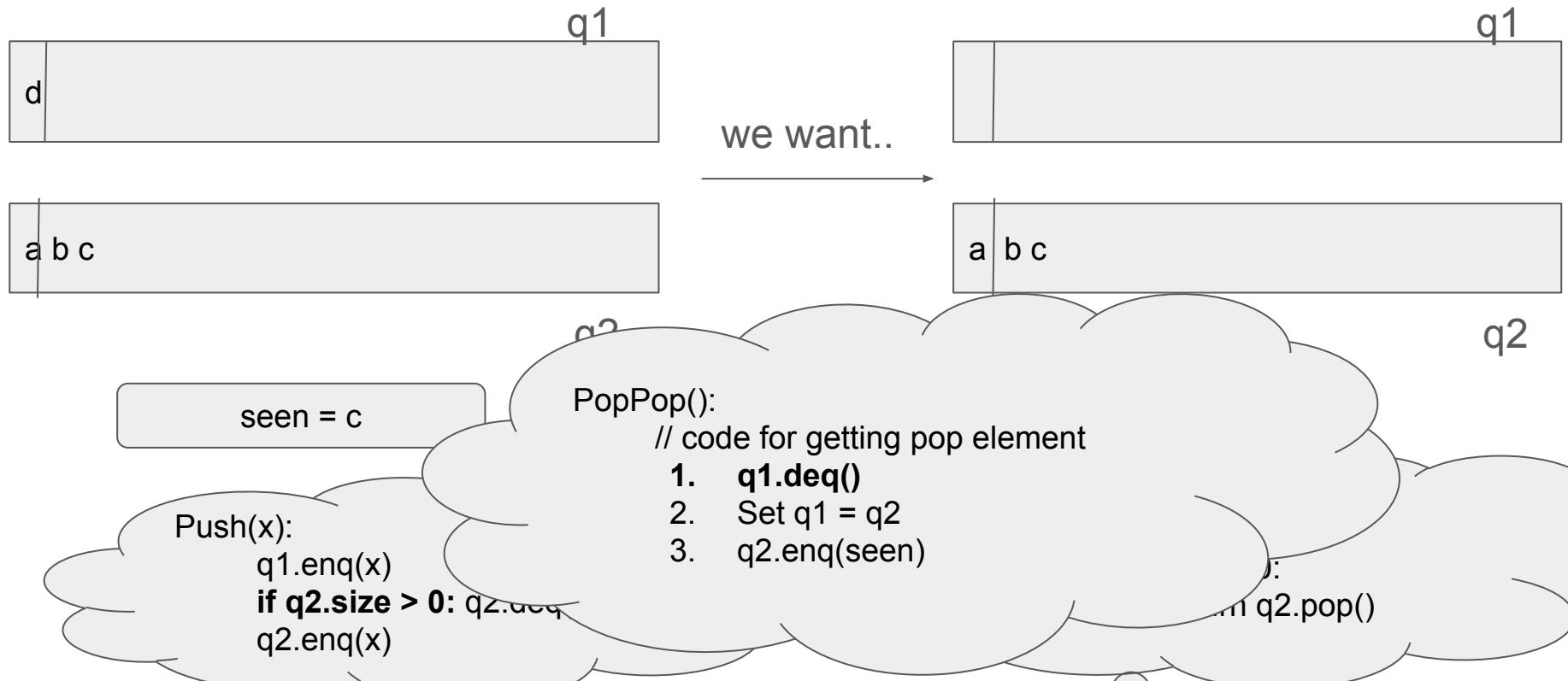
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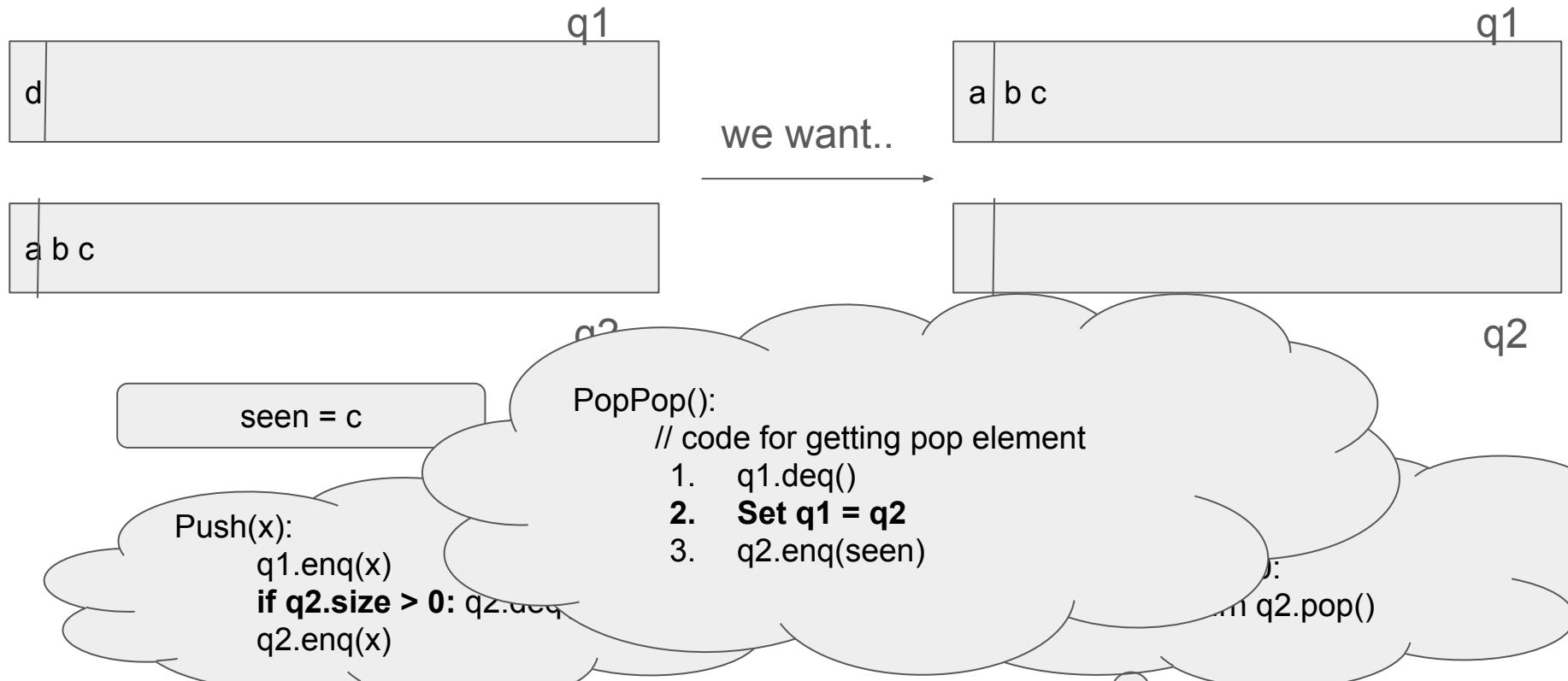
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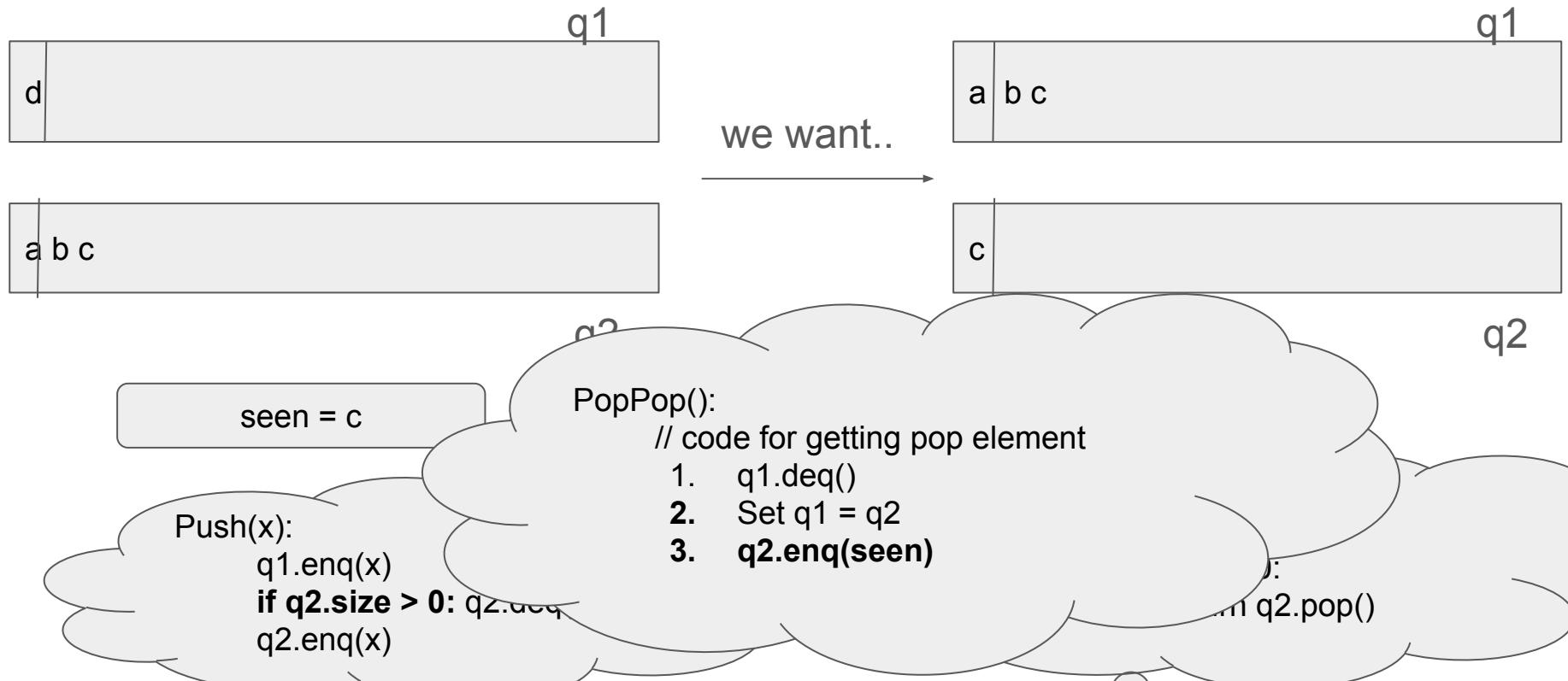
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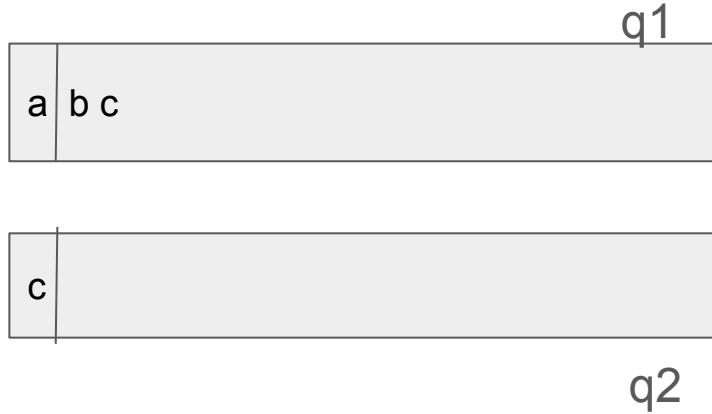
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We don't have to change our previous push/pop impl.!



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Question 4

(Review)

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Same as $T(n) = 2T(n / 2) + n$,
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Exercise

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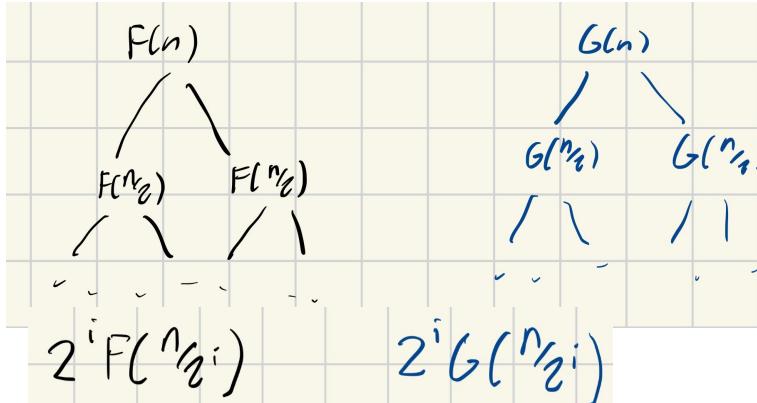
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