

# CompSci 101

## Introduction to Computer Science

dict
"Mary"   list 0 "White"
"Jackie"   list 0 "Long"   1 "Johnson"
"Susan"   list 0 "Smith"   1 "Brandt"   2 "Rodger"

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dict
"Mary" 1
"Jackie" 2
"Susan" 3

## LAST TIME:

### Problem: Popular Name

- Given a list of names, determine the **most popular first name** and print that name with all of its last names.
- Input: Names are always two words, names are in a file. If multiple names are on the same line they are separated by a “:”
- Output: Most popular first name, followed by a “:”, followed by corresponding last names separated by a blank

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## Announcements

- No Reading or RQ until after exam
- Assignment 6 out today
- APT 7 due Tues
- APT Quiz 2 – Sunday - Tuesday
  - Pick 3 hours to take it
- Today:
  - Finish from last time
  - Dictionaries – a way to organize data for fast lookup

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## Example Input File with 5 lines

Susan Smith:Jackie Long:Mary White

Susan Brandt

Jackie Johnson:Susan Rodger:Mary Rodger

Eric Long:Susan Crackers:Mary Velios

Jack Frost:Eric Lund

## Corresponding Output

Susan: Smith Brandt Rodger Crackers

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## Example – two lists

firstNames	lastNames
0 'Susan'	0 [ 'Smith', 'Brandt', 'Rodger', 'Crackers' ]
1 'Jackie'	1 [ 'Long', 'Johnson' ]
2 'Mary'	2 [ 'White', 'Rodger', 'Velios' ]
3 'Eric'	3 [ 'Long', 'Lund' ]
4 'Jack'	4 [ 'Frost' ]

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This function generates the list of lists of corresponding last names

```
def correspondingLastNames(data, firstNames):
    lastNames = []
    for name in firstNames:
        lastNames.append(allLastNames(data, name))
    return lastNames
```

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## Now can we solve the problem?

- Compute those two lists that are associated with each other
  - List of unique first names
  - List of corresponding last names
- Compute the max list of last names
- Now easy to print the answer.
- See popular.py

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Answer questions about  
[bit.ly/101f16-1103-1](http://bit.ly/101f16-1103-1)

- Printing first names with corresponding last names
- Reading data from files

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## Finish

```
maxnum = max([len(item) for item in lastNames])
print maxnum
lastIndex = [index for (index, v) in
enumerate(lastNames) if len(v) == maxnum]
print "first name with most last names is:"
```

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## Another way – list of lists

First word in each list is a first name

The rest are last names.

0	[ ‘Susan’, ‘Smith’, ‘Brandt’, ‘Rodger’, ‘Crackers’ ]
1	[ ‘Jackie’, ‘Long’, ‘Johnson’ ]
2	[ ‘Mary’, ‘White’, ‘Rodger’, ‘Velios’ ]
3	[ ‘Eric’, ‘Long’, ‘Lund’ ]
4	[ ‘Jack’, ‘Frost’ ]

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## Expanding the Problem

- Suppose we want to read from multiple data files  
names1.txt, names2.txt, names3.txt

See processFiles in popular.py

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## ACM Turing Award Winners 2015



ACM Turing Award Winners 2015

ACM A.M. TURING AWARD

2015 AWARD WINNERS BY...

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Whitfield Diffie and Martin Hellman

2015 AWARD WINNERS:

Cryptography Pioneers Receive 2015 ACM A.M. Turing Award

Whitfield Diffie, former Chief Security Officer of Sun Microsystems and Martin E. Hellman, Professor Emeritus of Electrical Engineering at Stanford University, are the recipients of the 2015 ACM A.M. Turing Award, for critical contributions to modern cryptography. The ability for two parties to communicate privately over a secure channel is fundamental for billions of people around the world.

## Dictionaries/Maps

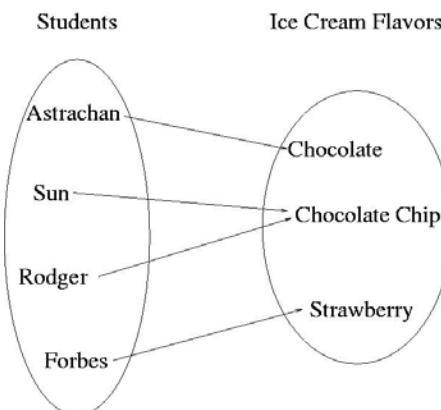
- Dictionaries/maps are another way of organizing data
- Keys and Values
  - Each key maps to a value
  - Some keys can map to the same value
  - Can change the value a key maps to

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## Example

- Each student could be mapped to their favorite ice cream flavor

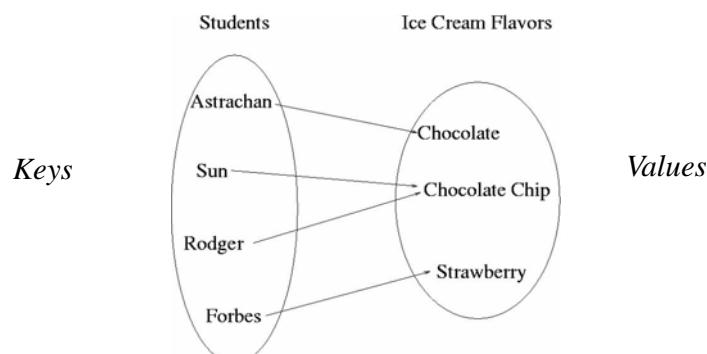


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## How is dictionary different than a list?

- List – have to search for name first
- Dictionary – each key maps to a value
- getting name (or key) is automatic! Fast!



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## Implementing a Dictionary/Map Keys map to values

- Create Empty dictionary  
`somemap = {}`
- Put in a key and its value  
`somemap["Forbes"] = "Strawberry"`
- Get a value for a dictionary  
`value = somemap["Forbes"]`  
OR  
`value = somemap.get("Forbes", "default")`
- Change a value for a dictionary  
`somemap["Forbes"] = "Chocolate"`

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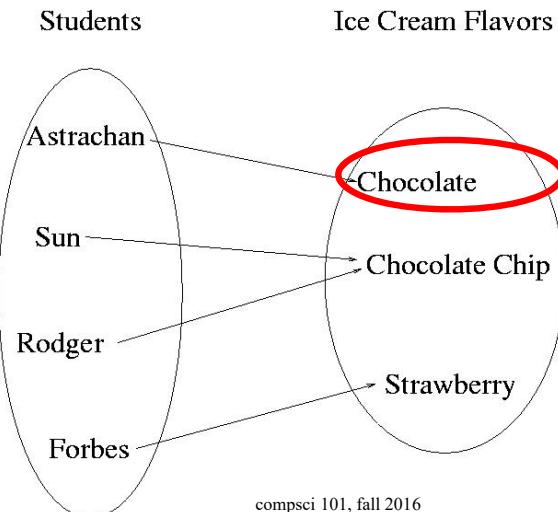
## More on using a Dictionary/Map

- Get all the keys (as a list)
  - `listKeys = somemap.keys()`
- Get all the values (as a list)
  - `listValues = somemap.values()`
- Other methods
  - `clear` - empty dictionary
  - `items` - return (key,value) pairs
  - `iteritems` - return (key,value) pairs more efficiently, *iterator – must use with for*
  - `update` – update with another dictionary

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Change Astrachan's value  
`somemap["Astrachan"] = Coffee Mocha`



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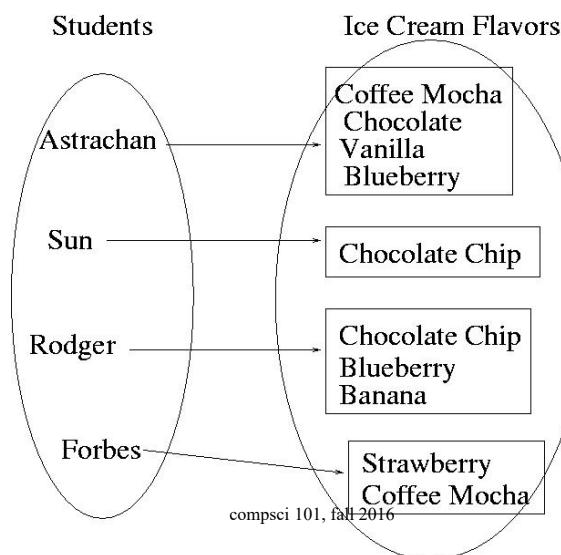
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Value could be a set or list



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## Back to Popular Name Problem:

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Use a dictionary/map  
[www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-2](http://www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-2)

- Map first names to **count** of corresponding last names

```
def mapNameToNumberLastNames(data):
```

Use a dictionary/map

- popularMap.py

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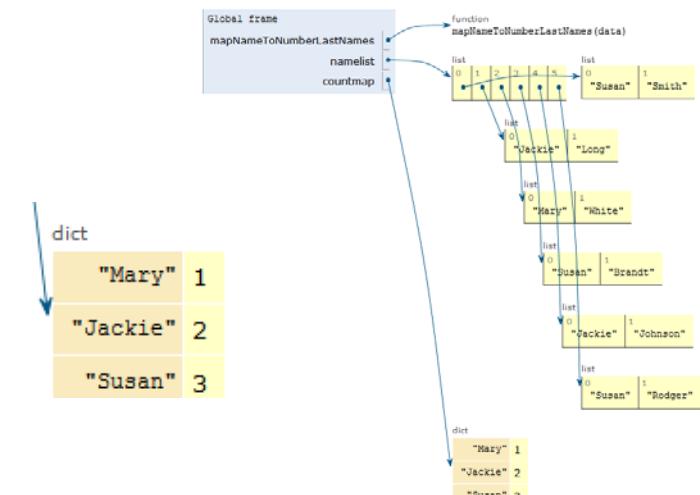
## Corresponding Output

Susan: Smith Brandt Rodger Crackers

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Trace example with Python Tutor  
see popularMapSolnSmall.py



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## Use a dictionary/map

[www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-3](http://www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-3)

- Map first name to **list** of corresponding last names

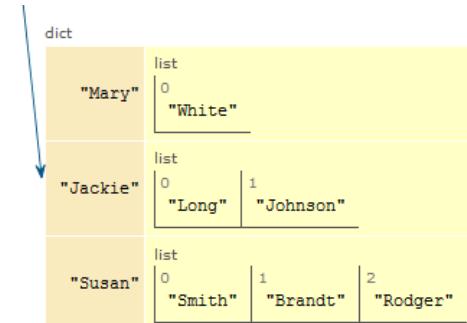
```
def mapNameToLastNames(data):
```

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## Trace through example with Python Tutor

- See the small example  
`popularMapSolnSmall.py`



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## Use a dictionary/map

[www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-4](http://www.bit.ly/101f16-1103-4)

- Map first name to **set** of corresponding last names

```
def mapNameToSetLastNames(data):
```

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## Compare

- Using two parallel lists?
- Using one dictionary/map
- Which dictionary is most useful to solve the most popular name problem?

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