## **NAME**

gma go map-update - update the format of a saved GMA map file

# **SYNOPSIS**

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(If using the full GMA core tool suite) gma go map-update file ...
(Otherwise)
map-update file ...
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# **DESCRIPTION**

Map-update reads each *file* named on the command line and rewrites the file in the current map file format. A copy of the original is kept with the same name plus a .bak suffix.

The map file format changed significantly between format version 17 and 20. The map-update program can read format 17 files, so this provides a way to update existing map files to the newer format.

### **SEE ALSO**

```
gma(6), gma-mapper(5), gma-mapper(6).
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