

Working with Maps



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Maps

**Key-sorted unless with a
range loop**

Maps

**Key-value pairs
(dictionary, hash table...)**



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 6

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Newcastle : 4



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 6

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 6

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 7
Man Utd : 20
Liverpool : 19
Chelsea : 6
Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 8

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 9

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 10

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 11

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



<key> : <value>

Sunderland : 12

Man Utd : 20

Liverpool : 19

Chelsea : 6

Man City : 7



Agenda



Getting started with maps

Iterating maps

Updating maps

Misc

Recap



Getting Started with Maps



```
map [ <key-type> ] <value-type>
```

Key type needs to be a comparable type (works with == and !=)

Keys must be unique

Misc.



Go maps

Reference types
Cheap to pass around

Specify size
(for larger maps)

Not thread-safe



Recap



Go maps recap

Declaring maps

```
map[string]float64
```

Map ordering

Unordered when retrieved with range loop

Maps are dynamic

```
myMap[<key>] = <value>  
delete(myMap, <key>)
```

Maps are reference types

Passed to functions by reference



Up Next:
Working with Structs

