

Lab: Associative Arrays

Problems for exercise and homework for the ["JS Fundamentals" Course @ SoftUni](https://softuni.org/Courses/JS-Fundamentals).

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1. Phone Book

Write a function that stores information about a **person's name** and **phone number**. The input is an **array of strings** with space-separated name and number. **Replace duplicate names**. Print the result as shown.

Example

| Input | Output |
|--|--|
| ['Tim 0834212554', 'Peter 0877547887', 'Bill 0896543112', 'Tim 0876566344'] | Tim -> 0876566344 Peter -> 0877547887 Bill -> 0896543112 |
| ['George 0552554', 'Peter 087587', 'George 0453112', 'Bill 0845344'] | George -> 0453112 Peter -> 087587 Bill -> 0845344 |

2. Meetings

Write a function that manages meeting appointments. The input comes as an **array of strings**. Each string contains a **weekday** and person's **name**. For each **successful** meeting, **print a message**. If you receive the **same weekday** twice, the meeting cannot be scheduled so print a **conflicting message**. In the end, print a list of all **successful** meetings.

Example

| Input | Output |
|--|---|
| ['Monday Peter', 'Wednesday Bill', 'Monday Tim', 'Friday Tim'] | Scheduled for Monday Scheduled for Wednesday Conflict on Monday! Scheduled for Friday Monday -> Peter Wednesday -> Bill Friday -> Tim |
| ['Friday Bob', 'Saturday Ted', 'Monday Bill', 'Monday John', 'Wednesday George'] | Scheduled for Friday Scheduled for Saturday Scheduled for Monday Conflict on Monday! Scheduled for Wednesday Friday -> Bob Saturday -> Ted Monday -> Bill Wednesday -> George |

3. Address Book

Write a function that stores information about a person's **name** and his **address**. The input comes as an **array of strings**. Each string contains the **name** and the **address** separated by a **colon**. If you receive the same name **twice** just **replace** the address. In the end, print the full list, **sorted alphabetically** by the person's name.

| Input | Output |
|--|---|
| ['Tim:Doe Crossing', 'Bill:Nelson Place', 'Peter:Carlyle Ave', 'Bill:Ornery Rd'] | Bill -> Ornery Rd Peter -> Carlyle Ave Tim -> Doe Crossing |
| ['Bob:Huxley Rd', 'John:Milwaukee Crossing', 'Peter:Fordem Ave', 'Bob:Redwing Ave', 'George:Mesta Crossing', 'Ted:Gateway Way', 'Bill:Gateway Way', 'John:Grover Rd', 'Peter:Huxley Rd', 'Jeff:Gateway Way', 'Jeff:Huxley Rd'] | Bill -> Gateway Way Bob -> Redwing Ave George -> Mesta Crossing Jeff -> Huxley Rd John -> Grover Rd Peter -> Huxley Rd Ted -> Gateway Way |

4. Storage

Write a function that takes a certain number of **items** and their **quantity**. If the same item appears **more than once**, **add the new amount** to the **existing one**. In the end, print all the items and their amount without sorting them. The input comes as an **array of strings**. Try using a **Map()**.

Example

| Input | Output |
|---|---|
| ['tomatoes 10', 'coffee 5', 'olives 100', 'coffee 40'] | tomatoes -> 10 coffee -> 45 olives -> 100 |
| ['apple 50', 'apple 61', 'coffee 115', 'coffee 40'] | apple -> 111 coffee -> 155 |

Hints

Create the **solve()** function and create a new **Map()**:

```
function solve(arr) {  
  let map = new Map();  
}  
  
solve([  
  'tomatoes 10',  
  'coffee 5',  
  'olives 100',  
  'coffee 40'  
]);
```

Loop through the array, split into tokens, and create variables for each one:

```
function solve(arr) {  
  let map = new Map();  
  
  for (let string of arr) {  
    let tokens = string.split(' ');  
    let product = tokens[0];  
    let quantity = Number(tokens[1]);  
  }  
}
```

- This time for the quantity we need a number because if we see the same product again, we must add the new quantity

Now let us make the checks for the keys on the map:

```
if (!map.has(product)) {  
  map.set(product, +quantity);  
} else {  
  let currQuantity = map.get(product);  
  let newQuantity = currQuantity += quantity;  
  map.set(product, newQuantity);  
}
```

- First, we check if the map does **NOT** have the product we are currently at and **if so, we set it to the given quantity**
- Otherwise, we get the **existing quantity**, we **add the new quantity**, and **set the product's quantity to the new one**

Now we just have to print the result:

```
for (let kvp of map) {  
  console.log(`${kvp[0]} -> ${kvp[1]}`);  
}
```

- Each key-value pair is and an **array of 2 elements** (the **key** and the **value**), so we use a **for-of** loop and print the key and the value

5. School Grades

Write a function that stores **students** and their **grades** throughout the year. If a student appears more than once, **add** the new **grades** to **existing ones**. Finally, **print** the students and their **average grades**, sorted **alphabetically** by **student name**. The input comes as an **array of strings**.

Note: The **average grades** must be fixed to the second decimal place.

Example

| Input | Output |
|--|---|
| ['Lilly 4 6 6 5', 'Tim 5 6', 'Tammy 2 4 3', 'Tim 6 6'] | Lilly: 5.25 Tammy: 3.00 Tim: 5.75 |
| ['Steven 3 5 6 4', 'George 4 6', 'Tammy 2 5 3', 'Steven 6 3'] | George: 5.00 Steven: 4.50 Tammy: 3.33 |

6. Word Occurrences

Write a function that **counts** the times each **word occurs** in a text. Print the words **sorted by count** in **descending** order. The input comes as an **array of strings**.

Example

| Input | Output |
|---|---|
| ["Here", "is", "the", "first", "sentence", "Here", "is", "another", "sentence", "And", "finally", "the", "third", "sentence"] | sentence -> 3 times Here -> 2 times is -> 2 times the -> 2 times first -> 1 times another -> 1 times And -> 1 times finally -> 1 times third -> 1 times |

| Input | Output |
|--|---|
| ["dog", "bye", "city", "dog", "dad", "boys", "ginger"] | dog -> 2 times bye -> 1 times city -> 1 times dad -> 1 times boys -> 1 times ginger -> 1 times |

Hint

- Create a map
- Loop through the elements of the array of words
- Update the map
- Sort the map by value in descending:

```
let sorted = Array.from(map).sort((a, b) => b[1] - a[1]);
```

- Finally, print the result in the format as the example above