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Basic Python



Lesson Objectives

Dictionary

Nested Dictionary

Dictionary

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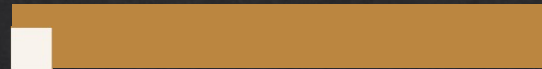
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Dictionary

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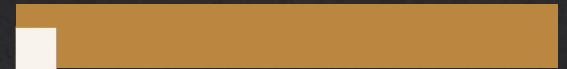


Collection of ordered items

By index

[]

Dictionary



Collection of unordered items

By key-value pairs

{}

Dictionary

```
{ key 1 : value 1,  
  key 2 : value 2,  
  ...  
  key n : value n }
```

Dictionary

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
            "brand" : "Brownny",  
            "qty" : 97,  
            "price" : 15.99 }
```

```
spanish_123 = { 1 : "uno", 2 : "dos", 3 : "tres" }
```

```
student = { "name" : "Big Bird",  
            "M number" : 1234567,  
            "courses" : ["iti100", "iti470"] }
```

Dictionary

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
            "brand" : "Brownny",  
            "qty" : 97,  
            "price" : 15.99 }
```

```
item = product [ "prod id" ]      # 12365401  
qty = product [ "qty" ]          # 97  
avail = product [ "stock" ]      # KeyError
```


Dictionary

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
            "brand" : "Brownny",  
            "qty" : 97,  
            "price" : 15.99 }
```

```
product [ "qty" ] = 19
```

```
# { "prod id" : 12365401,  
    "brand" : "Brownny",  
    "qty" : 19,  
    "price" : 15.99 }
```

Dictionary

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,
            "brand" : "Brownny",
            "qty" : 97,
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```

```
product [ "stock" ] = True    # { "prod id" : 12365401,  
                                "brand" : "Brownny",  
                                "qty" : 19,  
                                "price" : 15.99,  
                                "stock" : True }
```

Dictionary

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
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```

```
in_stock = product [ "stock" ]           # KeyError
```

```
If "stock" in product :                  # checks key  
    print ("In stock" )  
else :  
    print ("Not in stock" )
```




Classwork

- Exercise 1

Create an empty dictionary named book. Then, store information about a book's title, authors, genre, and ISBN. Print out the dictionary

.get(key, *default*)

Dictionary Method

```
states = { "MD" : "Maryland", "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

← Key

```
states.get( "MD" )
```

```
# "Maryland" ← returned value
```

```
states.get( "NY" )
```

```
# None
```

```
states.get( "NY", "Not Available" )
```

```
# "Not Available"
```

.pop (key, *default*)

Dictionary Method

```
states = { "MD" : "Maryland", "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
states.pop( "MD" )  
# "Maryland"; states → { "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
states.pop( "NY" )  
# KeyError
```

```
states.pop( "NY", "Not Available" )  
# "Not Available"
```

.popitem ()

Dictionary Method

```
states = { "MD" : "Maryland", "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
states.popitem()  
# ( "VA", "Virginia" ) ; states → { "MD", "Maryland" }
```

```
states.popitem()  
# ( "MD", "Maryland" ) ; states → { }
```

```
states.popitem()  
# KeyError
```

.clear()

Dictionary Method

```
states = { "MD" : "Maryland", "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
states.clear()  
# { }
```


del *object*

Built-In Function

```
states = { "MD" : "Maryland", "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
del states[ "MD" ]                                # { "VA" : "Virginia" }
```

```
del states                                         #
```

```
print (states)                                    # NameError
```



Classwork

Exercise 2

Create a dictionary to store information about a book: title, author, genre and ISBN.

Then, print out each item in the dictionary using a loop. (You can use your code from exercise 1)



.keys ()

Dictionary Methods

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
            "brand" : "Brownny",  
            "qty" : 97,  
            "price" : 15.99 }
```

```
for item in product.keys() :  
    print( item )           # prod id  
                           # brand  
                           # qty  
                           # price
```

.values ()

Dictionary Methods

```
polls = { "Bart" : "pizza",  
          "Marge" : "chicken",  
          "Lisa" : "chicken" }
```

```
for item in polls.values() :  
    print( item )           # "pizza"  
                           # "chicken"  
                           # "chicken"
```


.items ()



Dictionary Methods

```
product = { "prod id" : 12365401,  
            "brand" : "Brownny",  
            "qty" : 97,  
            "price" : 15.99 }
```

```
product.items()  
# dict_values( [ ( "prod id", 12365401 ),  
                ( "brand", "Brownny" ),  
                ( "qty", 97 ),  
                ( "price", 15.99 ) ] )
```



Classwork

- Exercise 3

Create a program to ask several people for their name and their favorite drink. Then, summarize your finding.

Fix errors and run to show it works.



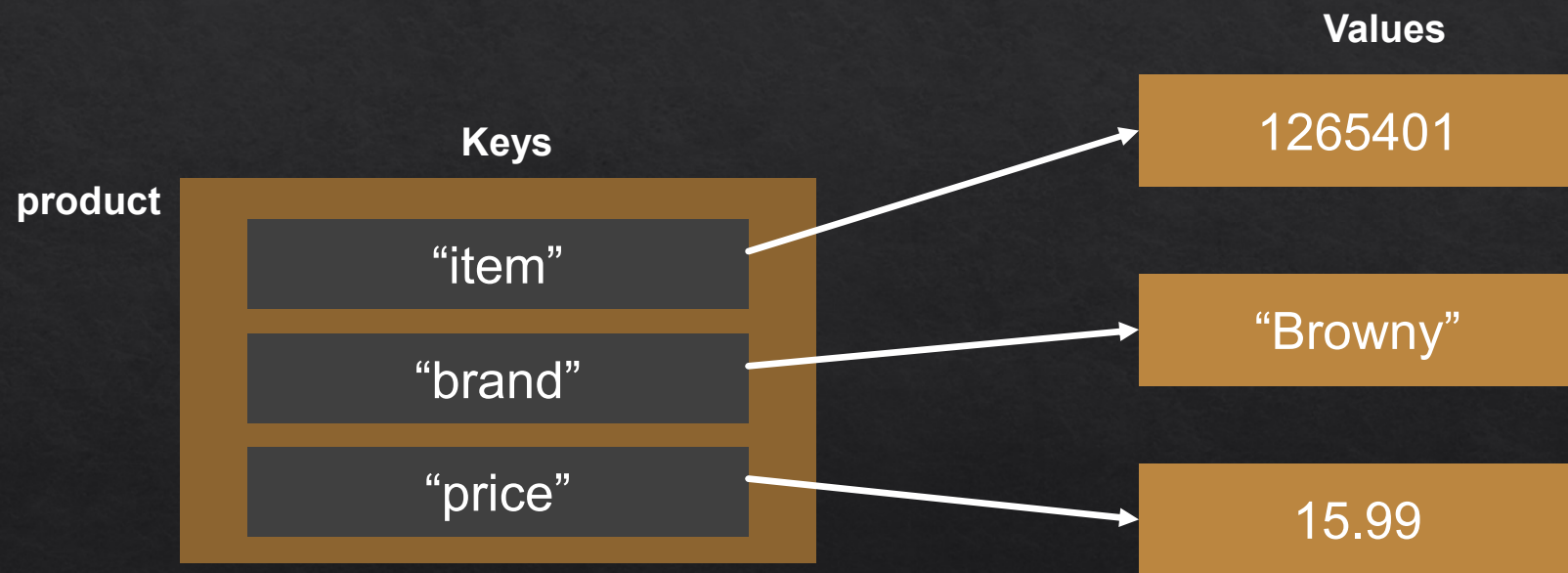
Break

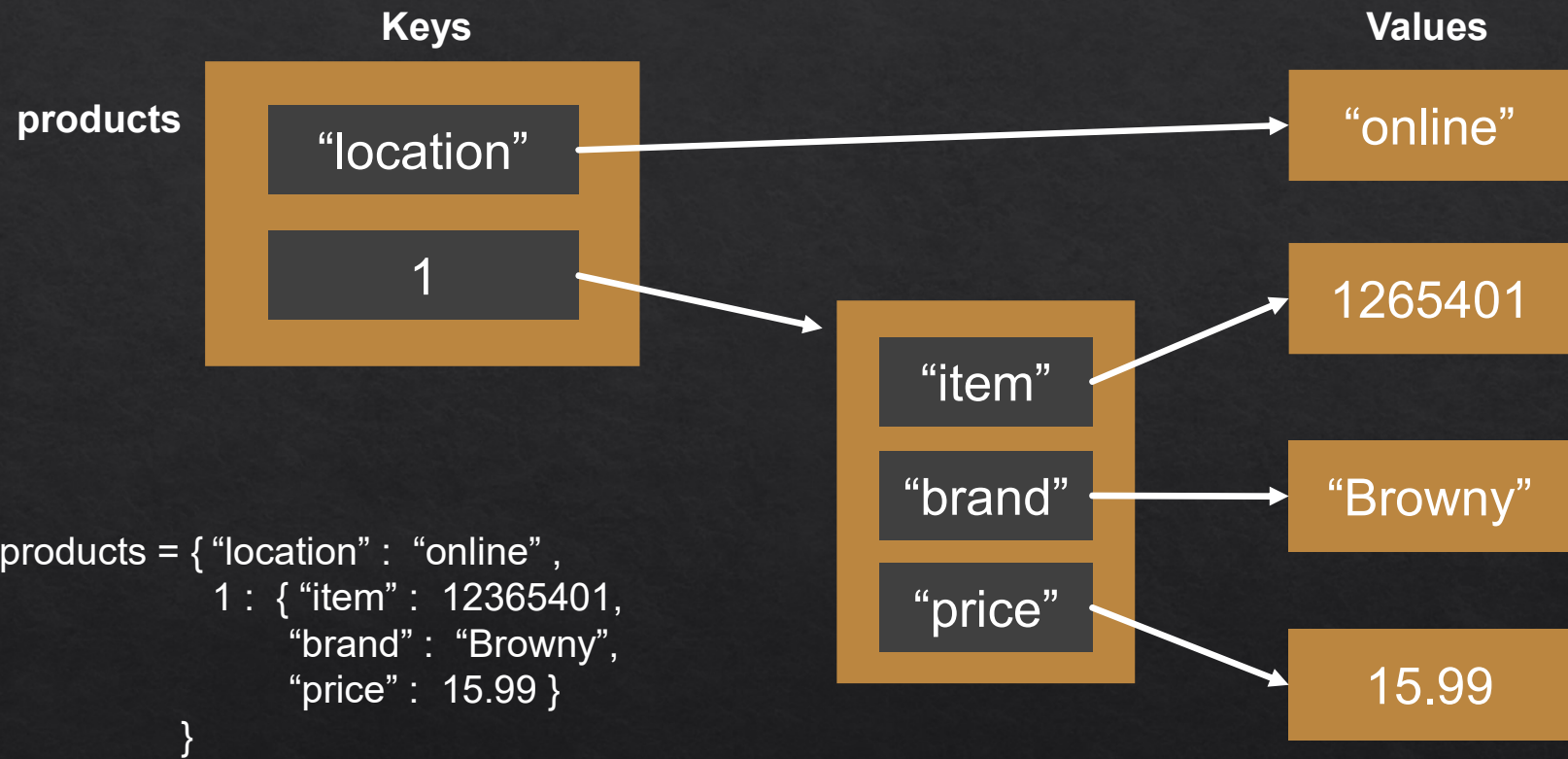
Take a 5-minute break

Nested Dictionary

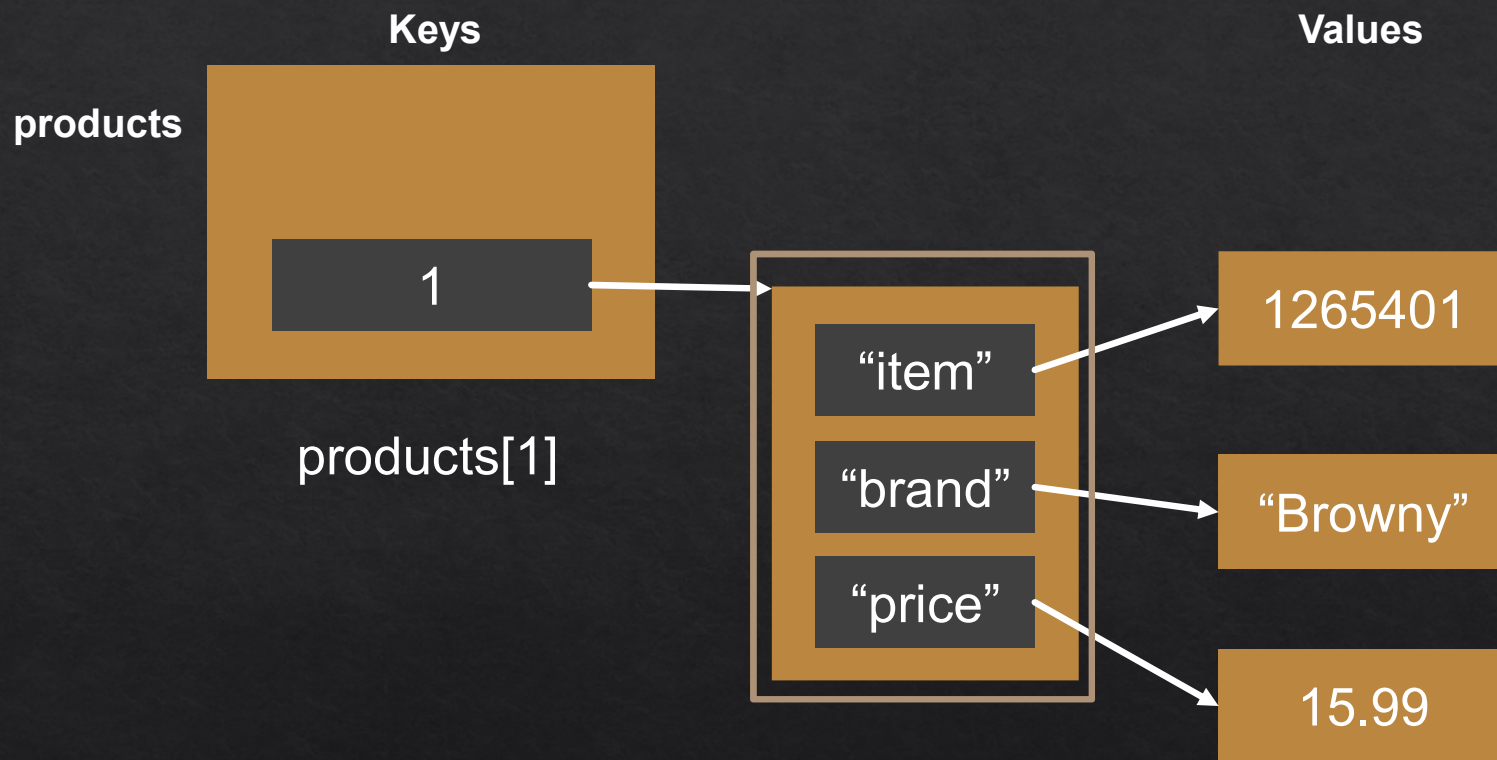
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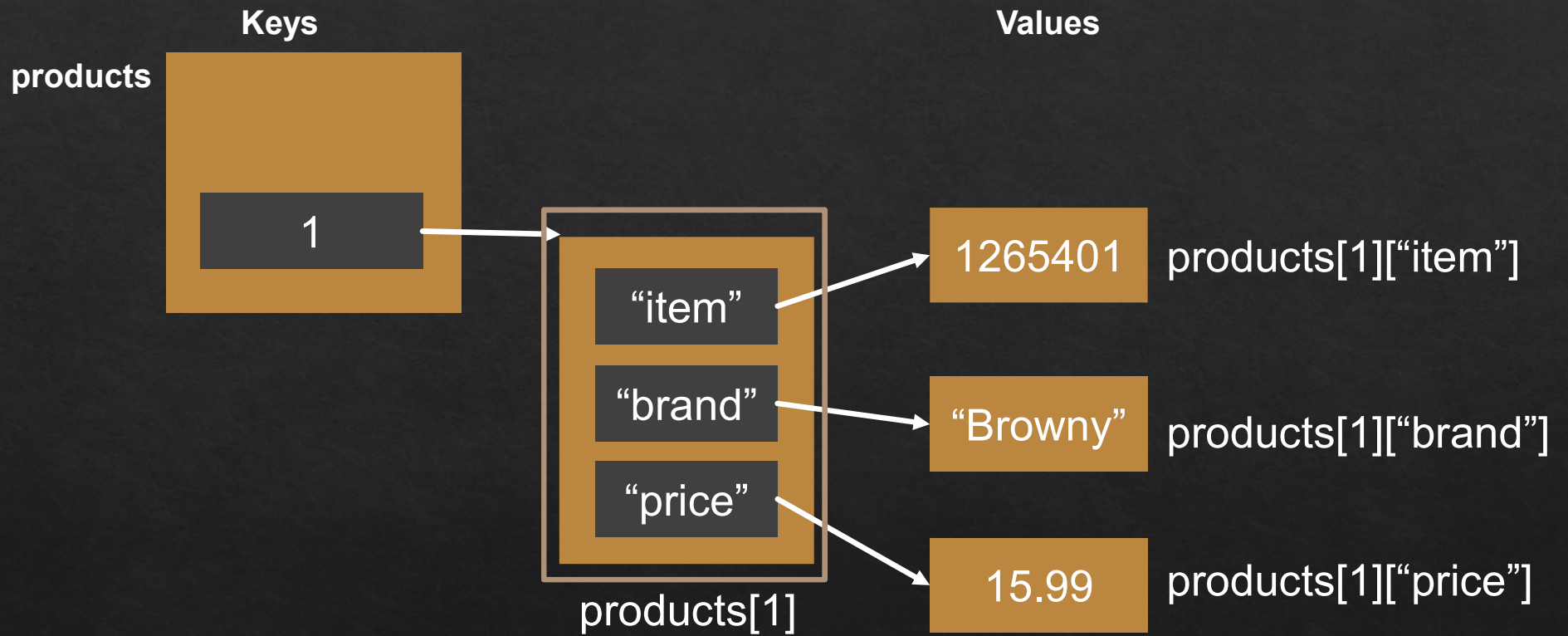

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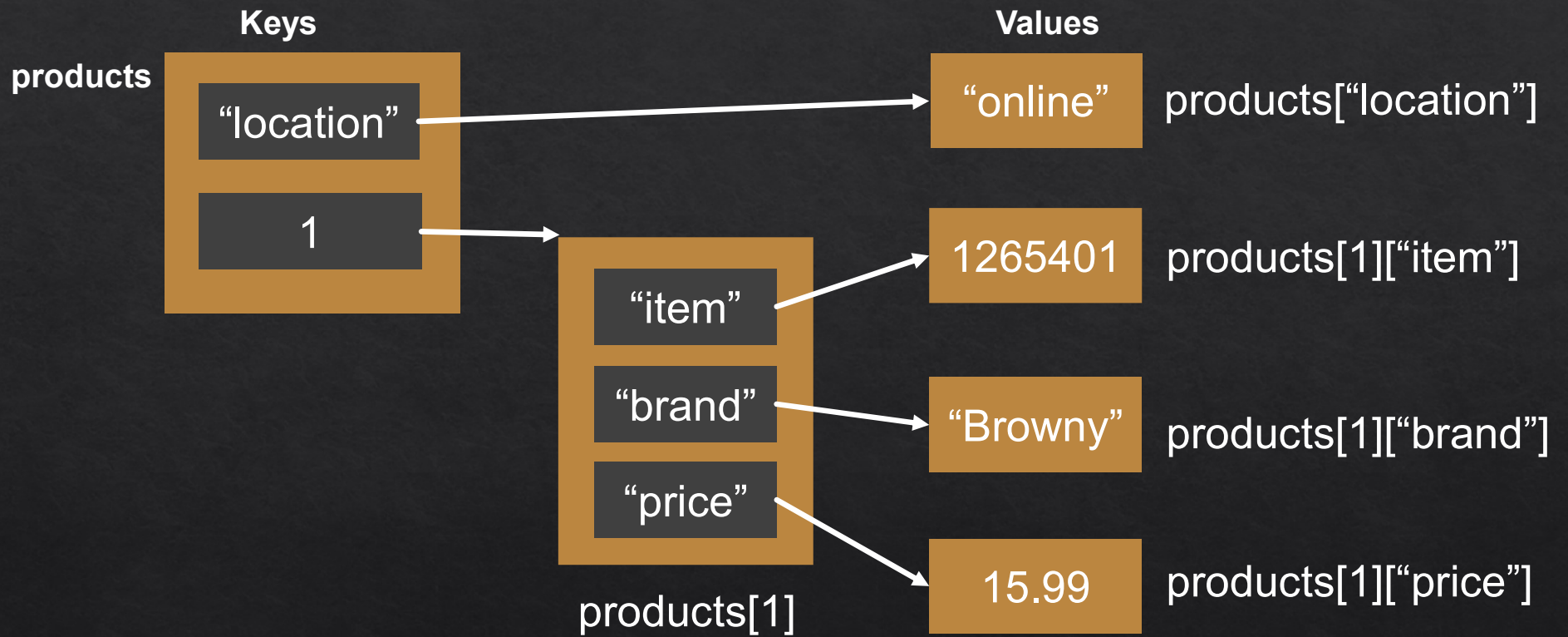














Homework

- Download Exercises from Canvas
- Change the file name to include your last name
- Submit your work to Canvas
- Watch recordings for review





Questions?



Thank you!

