Numpy Python for Ecologists

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Install Numpy

Windows

- Official http://sourceforge.net/projects/numpy/?source=dlp
- Unofficial (Windows binaries)
 http://www.lfd.uci.edu/~gohlke/pythonlibs/
- Portable Python http://portablepython.com/wiki/PortablePython2.7.5.1/

Mixing types

Can be used to track properties of individuals in an individual-based model

```
male43 = {"sp":"Orca", "bw":10., "status":"suscept"}
male43["status"] = "infected"
male43
```

Dictionary name (e.g., male43) can be nested and itself be a key

```
male4 = {"male43" : male43}
male4
male4['male43']["status"]
```

Using variables to map dictionaries

```
bw_grams = {}
frog = 'Cricket_frog'
weight = '10'
bw_grams['frog'] = frog
bw_grams['weight'] = weight
```

Deleting a key

Compare

```
del bw_grams['infected']
bw_grams.pop('infected')
```

Other methods

```
List all contents
  bw grams.items()
List keys
  bw grams.keys()
List values
  bw grams.values()
 Iterable
 tmp= bw grams.iteritems()
  for i in tmp:
  Compare
  for i in bw grams:
    print i
```