



Iteration [eh-tuh-ray-shuhn]

The repetition of a process or utterance.



Demystified:

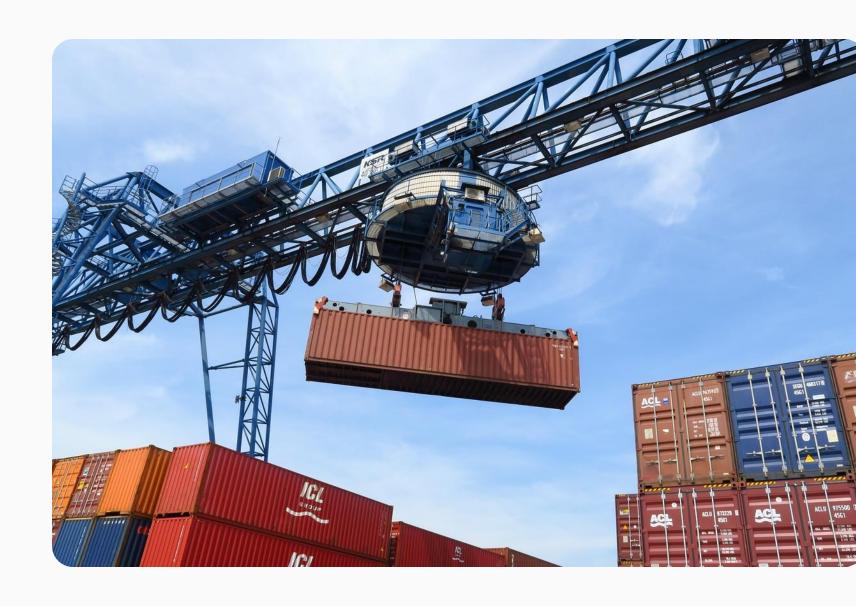
Repeating a recipe or sequence of steps for every item in a list.



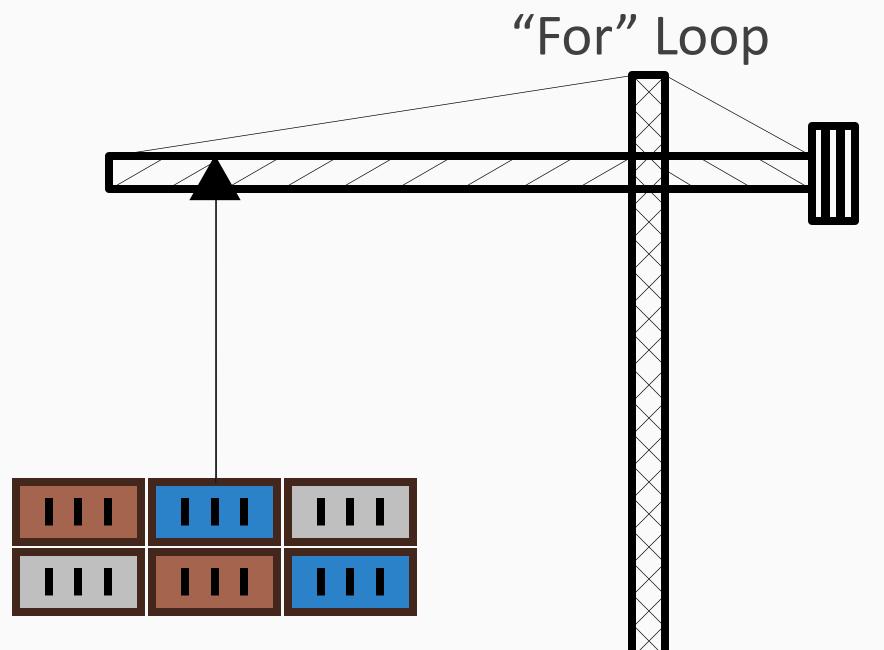


One By One

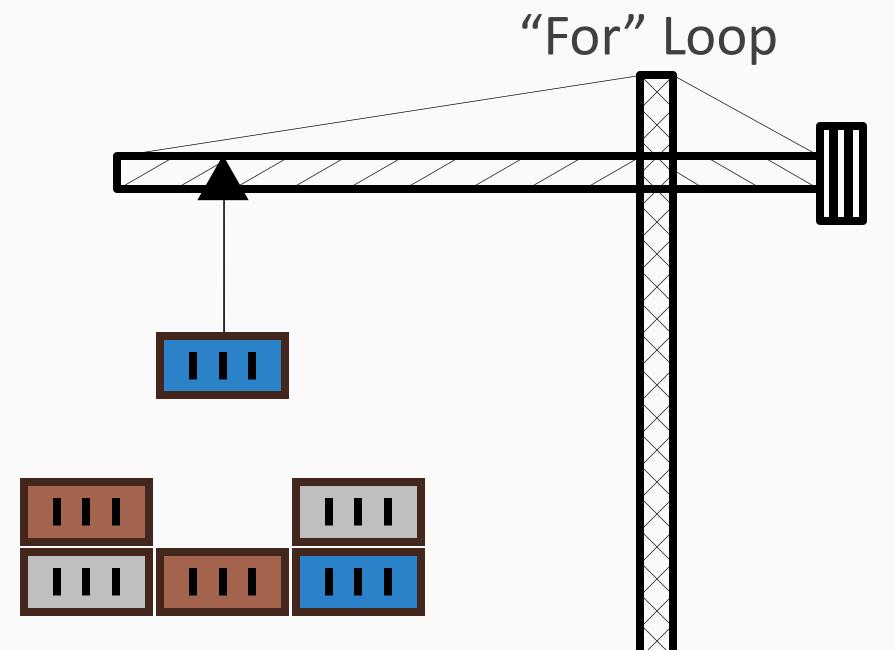
Breaking down big, repetitive tasks



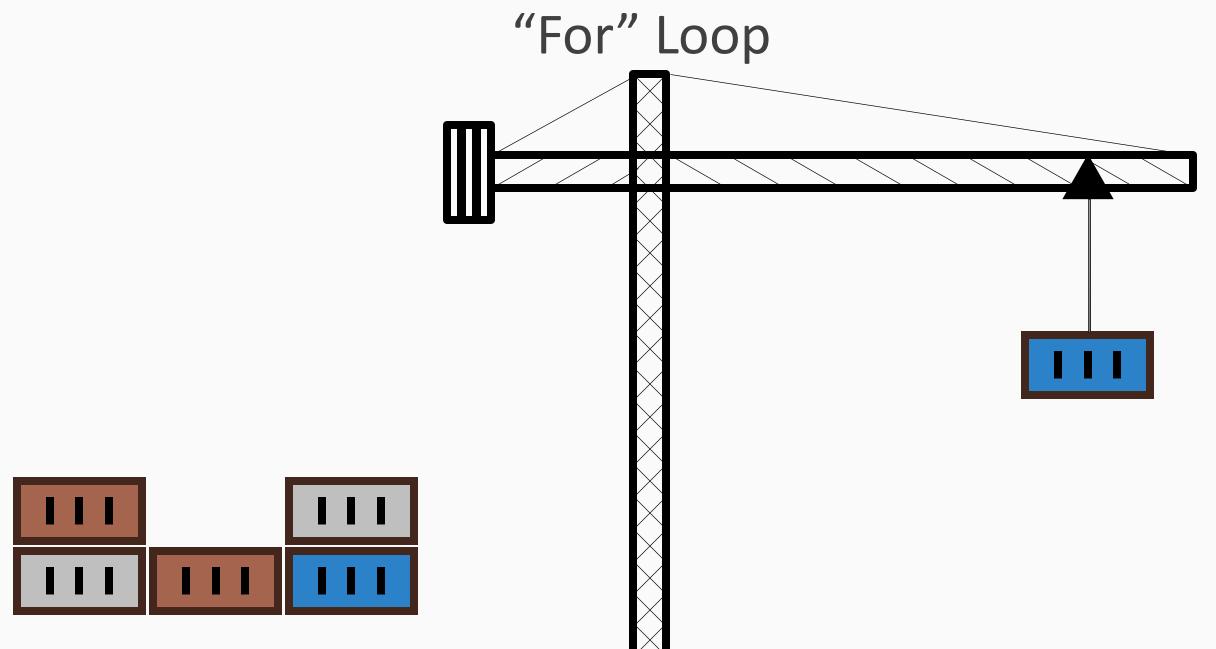




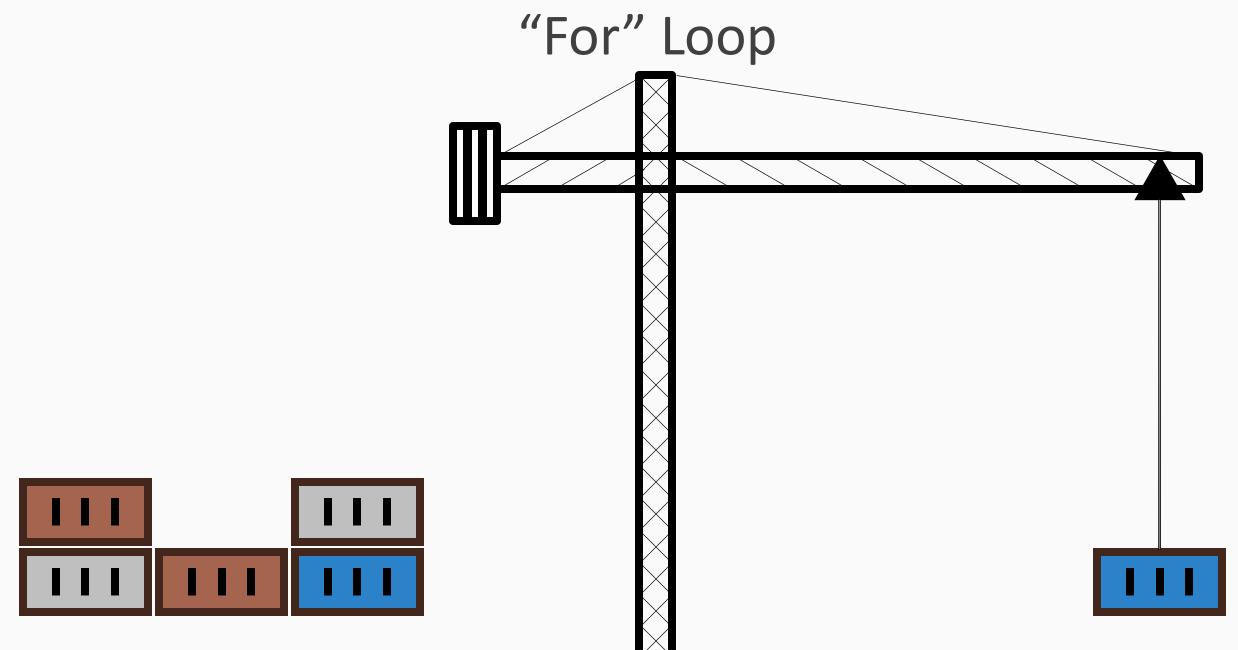




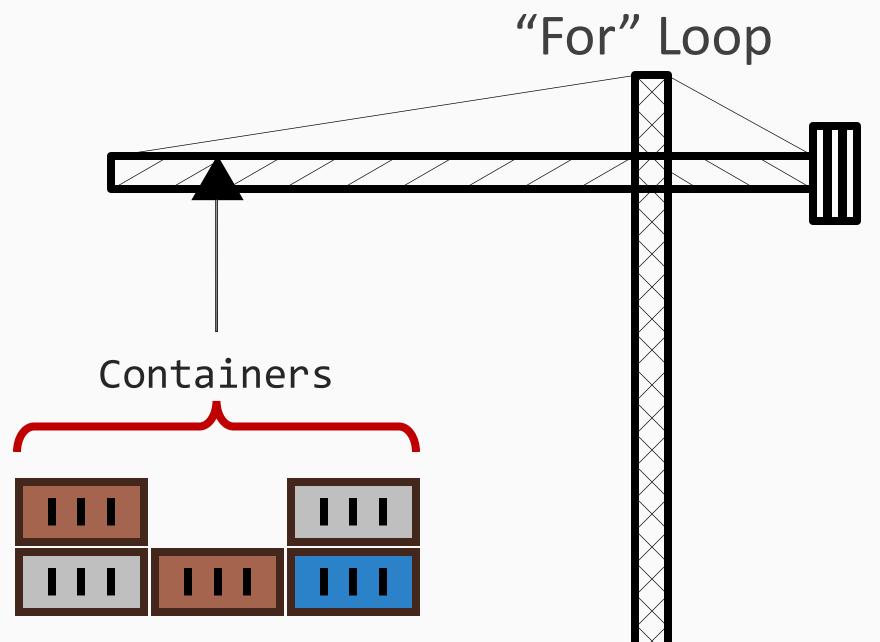




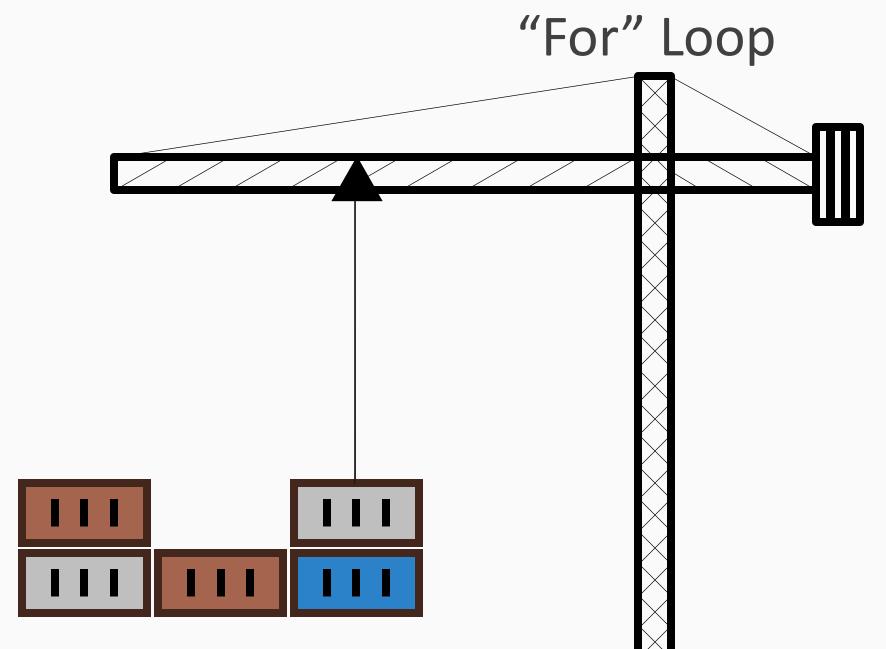






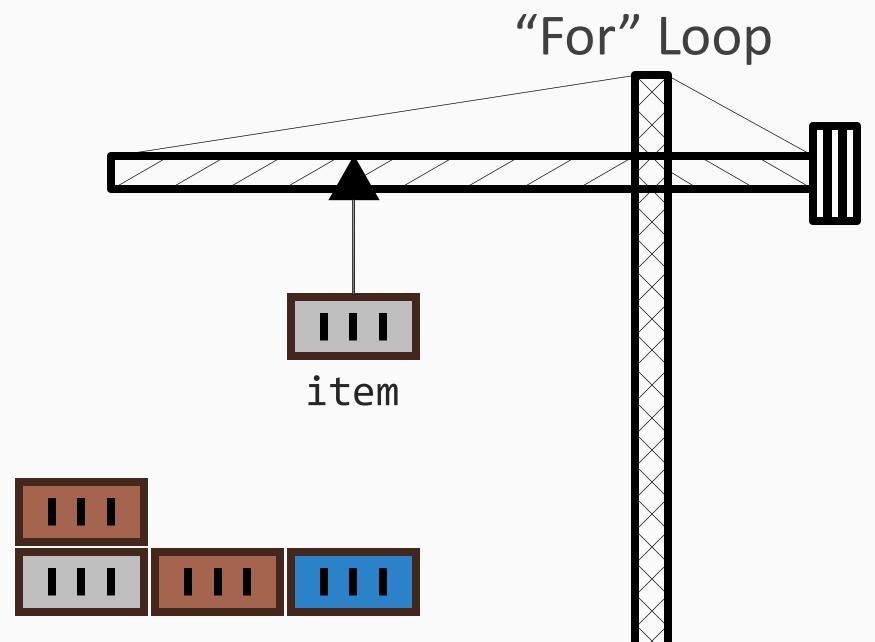
















"For" Loop

{% for item in Containers %}

```
Containers

item
```



"For" Loop

{% for container in Containers %}

```
Containers

container

container
```



```
1 {% for item in Containers %}
```

An array (list)



What's in an Array?

{% for item in Containers %}

Array of Primitives





What's in an Array?

{% for item in Containers %}

Array of Objects



Remember:

Objects are made up of properties

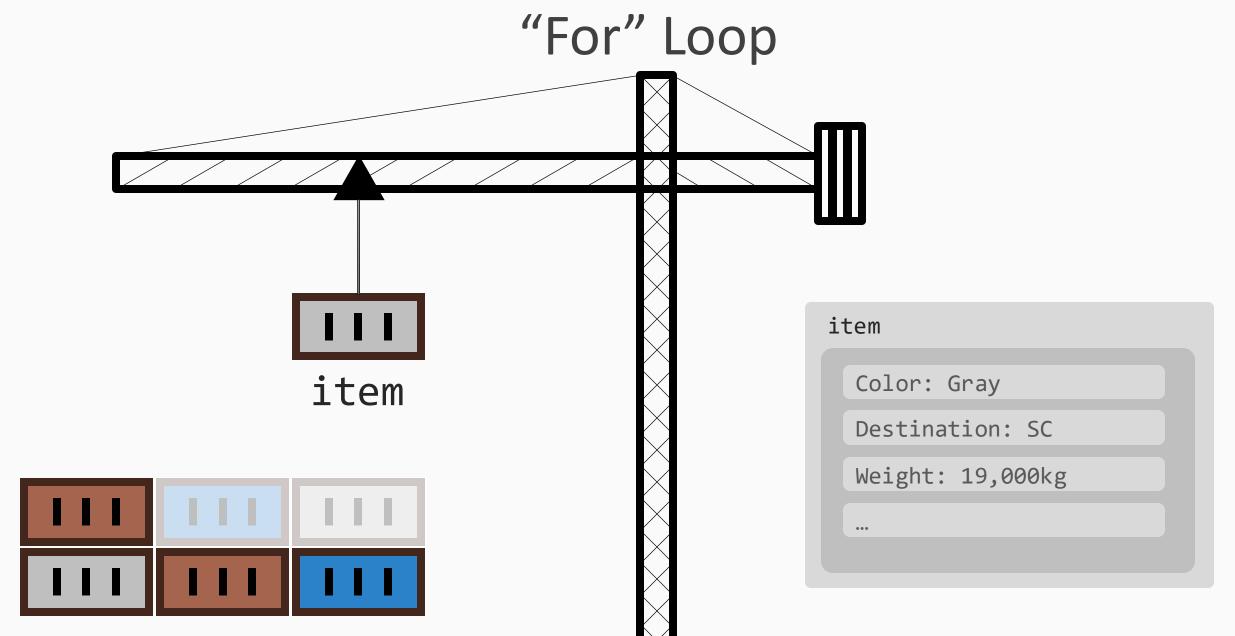




```
1 {% for item in Containers %}
```

Your variable







```
{% for item in Containers %}
```

```
1 {% if item.Color = "Gray" %}
2 Gray container weighing {{ item.Weight }}
3 {% endif %}
```

{% endfor %}





This means:

Check if there's anything we haven't gotten out of the array.

- 1. If there is, repeat the process.
- 2. If not, go on.



```
1 {% for item in Containers %}
2     {% if item.Color = "Gray" %}
3         Gray container weighing {{ item.Weight }}
4         {% endif %}
5         {% endfor %}
```

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Gray container weighing 19,000 kg Gray container weighing 26,050 kg



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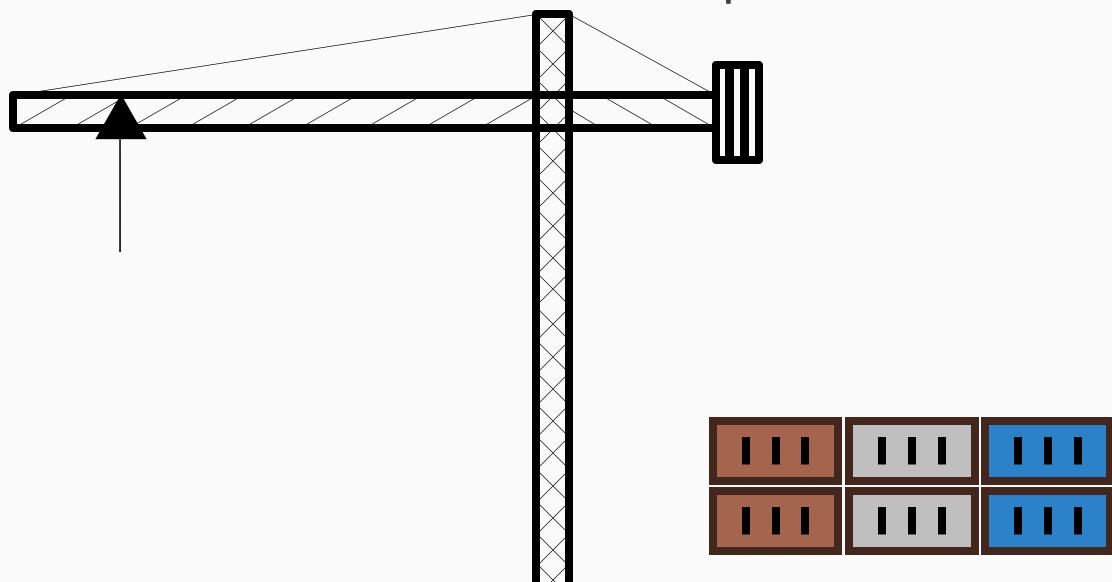
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Blue container weighing 30,000 kg
Gray container weighing 19,000 kg
Orange container weighing 17,900 kg
Gray container weighing 26,050 kg

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End of a For Loop





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Containers loaded:

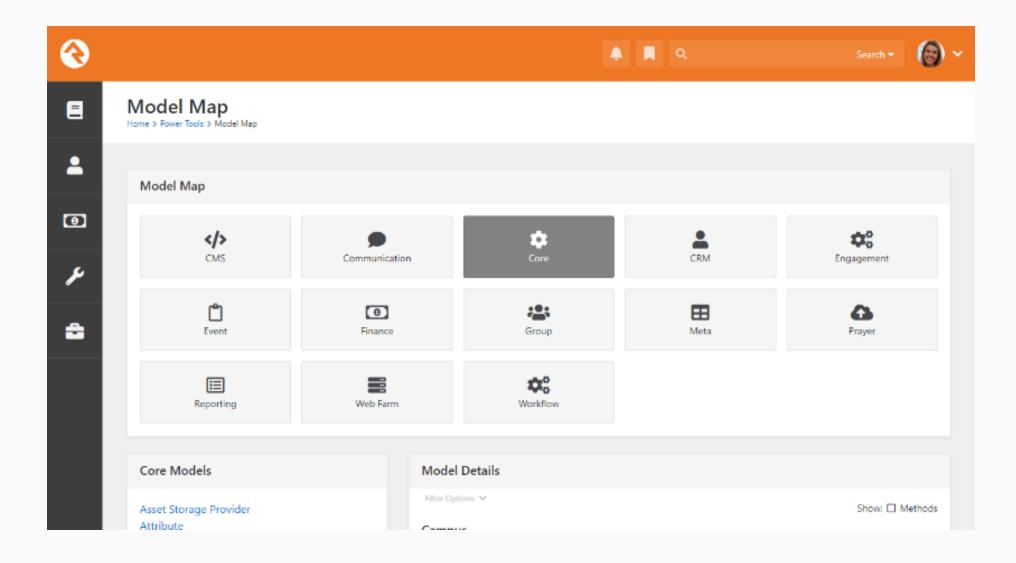
- Blue container weighing 30,000 kg
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- Orange container weighing 17,900 kg
- Gray container weighing 26,050 kg
- Orange container weighing 31,500 kg
- Blue container weighing 21,000 kg

End of list



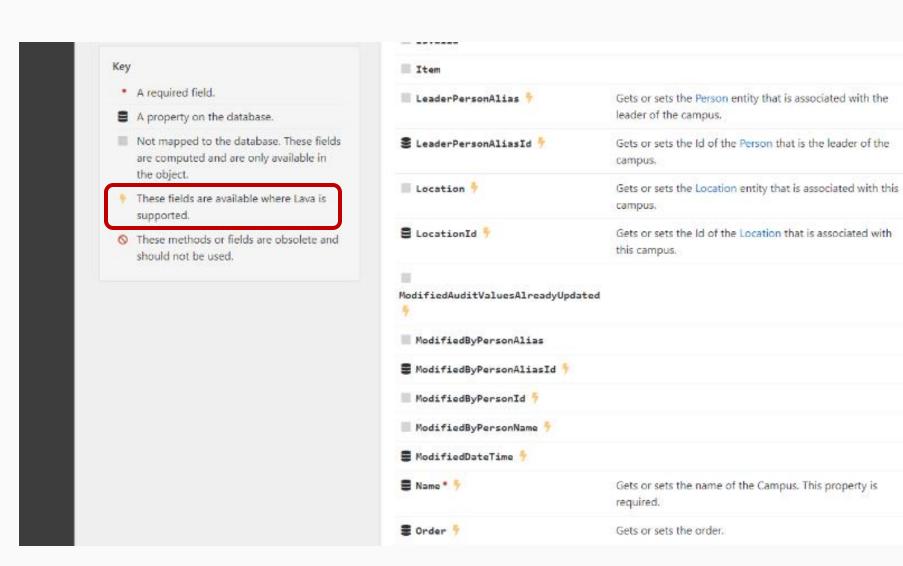


Campuses



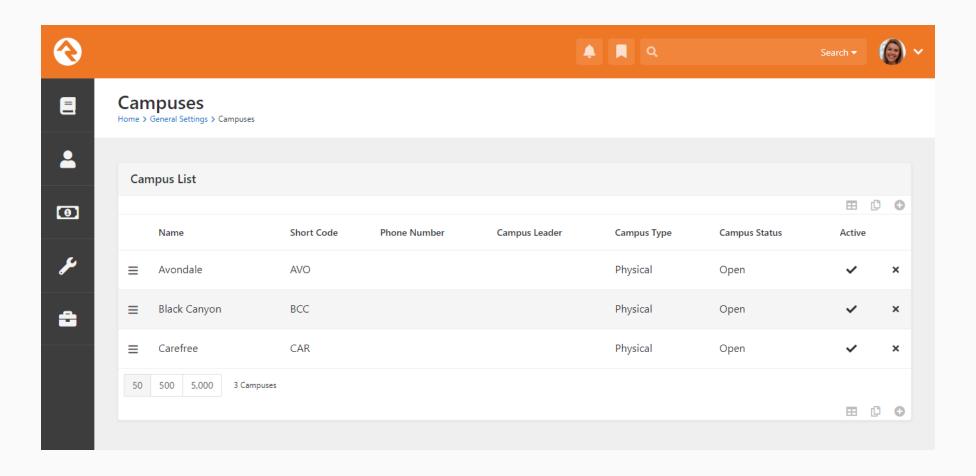


Campuses





Campuses





- •
 - Avondale Campus
 - Black Canyon Campus
 - Carefree Campus



Reversed

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- Carefree Campus
- Black Canyon Campus
- Avondale Campus



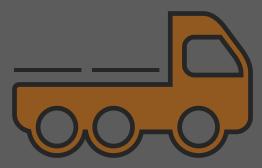


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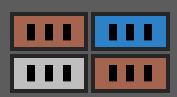


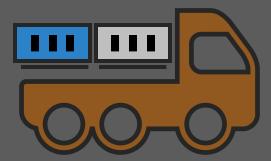




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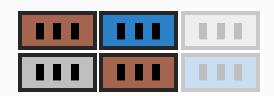


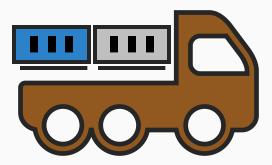
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Limit doesn't change the list of what's available.

Limit changes how many times the loop runs.







Offset

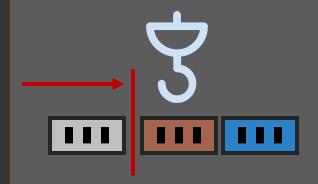


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Offset



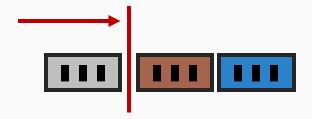
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Offset

Offset skips items in the array, to change the starting point of the loop

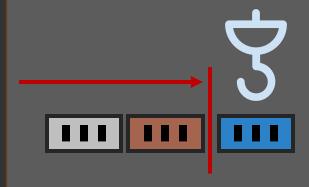




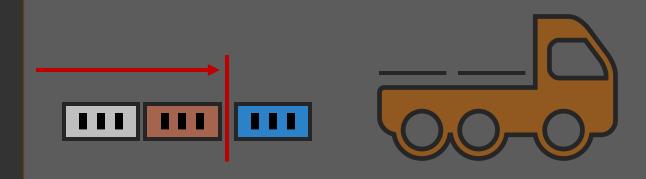




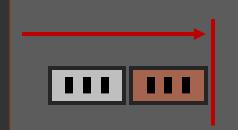


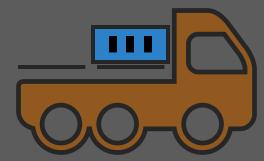














Else

```
1 {% for campus in Campuses offset:4 limit:2 %}
2 {{ campus.Name }} Campus
3 {% else %}
4 That's all of our campuses!
5 {% endfor %}
```

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That's all of our campuses!



Flexible Number of Items to Show

You can always use {% if %} inside your loop to suppress output.



Conditionals in For Loops

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 - Black Canyon Campus
 - Carefree Campus



Conditionals in For Loops

First campus:

Physical?

Needed?

Second campus:

Physical? Needed?

Third campus:

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One of our physical campuses is the

Black Canyon Campus



Flexible Number of Items to Show

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Deeper Insights

Using If statements to skip items isn't very efficient. And... it's difficult to read



Break

```
1 One of our physical campuses is the
2 {% for campus in Campuses %}
3 {% if campus.CampusTypeValue.Value == "Physical" %}
4 <a href="{{ campus.Url }}">{{ campus.Name }} Campus</a>
5 {% break %}
6 {% endif %}
7 {% endfor %}
8
```



One of our physical campuses is the Black Canyon Campus



Continue

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Visit us at our:

- Black Canyon Campus
- Carefree Campus



Mixing in Cycle

Loops within loops





```
1 {% cycle 'John', 'Paul', 'George', 'Ringo' %}
2 {% cycle 'John', 'Paul', 'George', 'Ringo' %}
3 {% cycle 'John', 'Paul', 'George', 'Ringo' %}
4 {% cycle 'John', 'Paul', 'George', 'Ringo' %}
5 {% cycle 'John', 'Paul', 'George', 'Ringo' %}
```

John Paul George Ringo John



Avondale Campus
Black Canyon Campus
Carefree Campus



```
1 <span style="background-color: #999;">Avondale Campus
2 <span style="background-color: #fff;">Black Canyon Campus
3 <span style="background-color: #999;">Carefree Campus
$\forall \text{span}$
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Avondale Campus Black Canyon Campus Carefree Campus



Additional Options

- **1. Key**: An identifier to keep one list separate from another.
- **2. Values**: The values to cycle through.

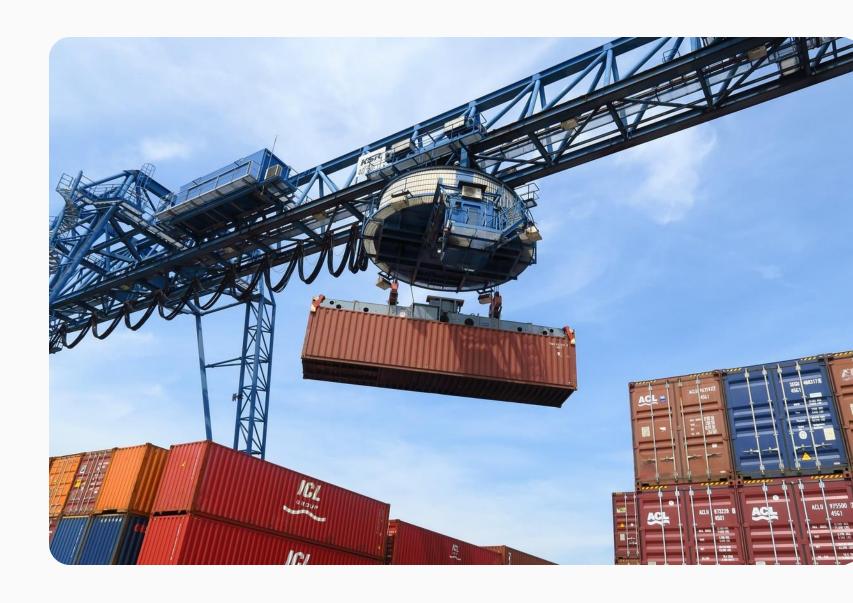
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Avondale CampusBlack Canyon Campus **Carefree Campus**



Going Meta

Getting information about the {% for %} loop itself





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1: Avondale Campus

2: Black Canyon Campus



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2: Avondale Campus

1: Black Canyon Campus



```
1 {% for campus in Campuses limit:2 %}
2 {{ forloop.index }}/{{ forloop.length }}:
3 <a href="{{ campus.Url }}">{{ campus.Name }} Campus</a>
4 {% endfor %}
```

lacktriangledown

1/2: Avondale Campus

2/2: Black Canyon Campus



Other Variations

```
{{ forloop.index }}

VS

{{ forloop.index0 }}

VS

{{ forloop.rindex0 }}
```



Never Fear!

If you need these variations, you'll know it. For now, it's just good to know they exist.



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Avondale Campus, Black Canyon Campus, Carefree Campus,



```
1 <span style="background-color: yellow;">Avondale Campus, </span>
2 <span>Black Canyon Campus, </span>
3 <span>Carefree Campus, </span>
```





Take note:

You might be surprised at how often this filter is used!

Avondale Campus, Black Canyon Campus, Carefree Campus