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# **namedtupled Documentation**

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`namedtuples` are immutable, performant and classy. `namedtupled` is a lightweight wrapper for recursively creating `namedtuples` from nested dicts, lists, json and yaml. Inspired by [hangtwenty](#).



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## Installation

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```
pip install namedtupled
```





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### Getting started

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```
import namedtuple

data = {'binks': {'says': 'meow'}}
cat = namedtuple.map(data)

cat # NT(binks=NT(says='meow'))

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```



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## Usage

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Create `namedtuples` with methods: *map*, *json*, *yaml*, *zip*, *env* and helper method *ignore*. Unpack nested `namedtuples` with *reduce*.

Optionally name `namedtuples` by passing a ‘name’ argument to any method, the default name is simply ‘NT’.

```
data = {'binks': {'says': 'meow'}}
cat = namedtupled.map(data, name='Cat')

cat # Cat(binks=NT(says='meow'))
```

### 3.1 map()

Recursively convert mappings like nested dicts, or lists of dicts, into `namedtuples`.

*args: mapping, name='NT'*

From dict:

```
data = {'binks': {'says': 'meow'}}
cat = namedtupled.map(data)

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```

From list:

```
data = [{'id': 'binks', 'says': 'meow'}, {'id': 'cedric', 'says': 'prrr'}]
cats = namedtupled.map(data)

cats[1].says # 'prrr'
```

### 3.2 reduce()

Recursively convert nested `namedtuples` to mappings.

*args: obj*

```
cat # NT(binks=NT(says='meow'))

data = namedtupled.reduce(cat)
```

```
data # {'binks': {'says': 'meow'}}
```

### 3.3 json()

Map namedtuples from json data.

*args: data=None, path=None, name='NT'*

Inline:

```
data = """{"binks": {"says": "meow"}}"""
cat = namedtuple.json(data)

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```

Or specify path for a json file:

```
cat = namedtuple.json(path='cat.json')

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```

### 3.4 yaml()

Map namedtuples from yaml data.

*args: data=None, path=None, name='NT'*

Inline:

```
data = """
binks:
  says: meow
"""
cat = namedtuple.yaml(data)

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```

Or specify path for a yaml file:

```
cat = namedtuple.yaml(path='cat.yaml')

cat.binks.says # 'meow'
```

### 3.5 zip()

Map namedtuples given a pair of key, value lists.

*args: keys=[], values=[], name='NT'*

Example:

```
keys, values = ['id', 'says'], ['binks', 'prrr']
cat = namedtuple.zip(keys, values)

cat.says # 'prrr'
```

## 3.6 env()

Returns a namedtuple from a list of environment variables. If not found in shell, gets input with *input* or *getpass*.

*args: keys=[], name='NT', use\_getpass=False*

In shell:

```
export USERNAME="binks"
export APIKEY="c4tnip!"
```

Then in python:

```
variables = ['USERNAME', 'APIKEY']
env = namedtuple.env(variables)

env.USERNAME # 'binks'
```

## 3.7 ignore()

Use ignore to prevent a mapping from being converted to a namedtuple.

*args: mapping*

Example usage:

```
data = {'binks': namedtuple.ignore({'says': 'meow'})}
cat = namedtuple.map(data)

cat.binks # {'says': 'meow'}
```



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**Alternatives**

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## Development

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Source on [github](#). Issues and PRs welcome, tests run with:

```
pip install pytest pytest-cov pytest-datafiles
python -m pytest --cov=namedtupled/ tests
```

Edit the docs [here](#).