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Im using this construct a lot:

```
if dict.has_key(whatever):
    dict[whatever] += delta
else:
    dict[whatever] = 1
```

sometimes even nested:

```
if dict.has_key(whatever):
    if dict[whatever].has_key(someother):
        dict[whatever][someother] += delta
    else:
        dict[whatever][someother] = 1
else:
    dict[whatever]={ }
    dict[whatever][someother] = 1
```

there must be a more compact, readable and less redundant way to do this, no?

Thanks,

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