## SET data type

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## Definition

- In Terraform, the data type "set" represents an unordered collection of unique values.
- It is used to define a set of distinct elements within a Terraform configuration.
- Sets are commonly used when you want to specify a list of values where duplicates are not allowed, and the order of elements is not important
- sets in Terraform are immutable, meaning you cannot modify or update individual elements once the set is defined.

## Example

```
variable "my_set" {
  type = set(string)
  default = ["value1", "value2", "value3"]
}
```

In the above example, the variable "my\_set" is defined as a set of strings. The type = set(string) declaration specifies that the variable should accept a set of string values. The default attribute provides an initial set of values for the variable.

## ..how to access

```
resource "example_resource" "example" {
  values = var.my_set
}
```

In this case, the values attribute of the "example\_resource" resource is assigned the value of the "my\_set" variable.