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# Protocol Documentation

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## helloworld.proto

### HelloReply

Field	Type	Label	Description
message	string	required	

### HelloRequest

Field	Type	Label	Description
name	string	required	

## Scalar Value Types

.proto Type	Notes	C++ Type	Java Type	Python Type
double		double	double	float
float		float	float	float
int32	Uses variable-length encoding. Inefficient for encoding negative numbers – if your field is likely to have negative values, use sint32 instead.	int32	int	int

<b>.proto Type</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>C++ Type</b>	<b>Java Type</b>	<b>Python Type</b>
int64	Uses variable-length encoding. Inefficient for encoding negative numbers – if your field is likely to have negative values, use sint64 instead.	int64	long	int/long
uint32	Uses variable-length encoding.	uint32	int	int/long
uint64	Uses variable-length encoding.	uint64	long	int/long
sint32	Uses variable-length encoding. Signed int value. These more efficiently encode negative numbers than regular int32s.	int32	int	int
sint64	Uses variable-length encoding. Signed int value. These more efficiently encode negative numbers than regular int64s.	int64	long	int/long
fixed32	Always four bytes. More efficient than uint32 if values are often greater than 2 <sup>28</sup> .	uint32	int	int
fixed64	Always eight bytes. More efficient than uint64 if values are often greater than 2 <sup>56</sup> .	uint64	long	int/long
sfixed32	Always four bytes.	int32	int	int
sfixed64	Always eight bytes.	int64	long	int/long
bool		bool	boolean	boolean
string	A string must always contain UTF-8 encoded or 7-bit ASCII text.	string	String	str/unicode
bytes	May contain any arbitrary sequence of bytes.	string	ByteString	str