



Data types: Tuples and Sets



A tuple is a sequence of immutable Python objects just like lists.

Properties of Tuples :

- ❑ Like strings and lists tuples are ordered collections of arbitrary objects.

```
>>>T=(1,3,4,4,'hi!')
```

- ❑ Accessed by offset

```
>>>>T[0]  
1
```

Tuples

A tuple is a sequence of immutable Python objects just like lists.

Properties of Tuples :

- ❑ Immutable sequence

```
>>>>T[0] = 9
      'tuple' object does not support
      item assignment
```

- ❑ Fixed length, heterogeneous and arbitrarily nestable

```
>>>>T = (5,6,[7,8,[12,13]],9,('hi' ,
'python'),{'a' : 'b'})
```


Tuple Operations

| Operations | Interpretations |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| <code>len(T)</code> | Length of tuple |
| <code>T1 + T2</code> | Concatenation |
| <code>T * 3</code> | Repeat |
| <code>T.index('hi!')</code> | Search |
| <code>T.count(value)</code> | Count |

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Sets are lists with no duplicate entries.

Properties of Sets :

- ❑ Sets are unordered collection of objects.

```
>>>> set('abcde')
```

- ❑ Sets are iterable, can grow and shrink on demand.

```
>>>> set1.add('f')
```

Sets are lists with no duplicate entries.

Properties of Sets :

- ❑ Sets contain unique and immutable objects.
- ❑ Sets are unordered and do not map key to values, therefore they are neither sequence nor mapping types.

```
>>>> set1=set1.add([1,2])  
TypeError: unhashable type: 'list'
```

```
>>>> set1[0]  
'set' object does not support  
sequence operations.
```

Set Operations

| Operations | Interpretation |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| $a \text{ in set1}$ | Membership |
| $\text{Set1} > \text{set2}$ | Superset |
| $\text{Set1} < \text{set2}$ | Subset |
| $\text{Set1} \mid \text{set2}$ | Set union |
| $\text{Set1} \wedge \text{set2}$ | Set symmetric difference |
| $\text{Set1} \& \text{set2}$ | Set intersection |
| $\text{Set1} - \text{set2}$ | Set difference |



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