

## tf.initialize\_variables

```
initialize_variables(  
    var_list,  
    name='init'  
)
```

Defined in [tensorflow/python/ops/variables.py](#).

See the guide: [Variables > Exporting and Importing Meta Graphs](#)

See [tf.variables\\_initializer](#) . (deprecated)

THIS FUNCTION IS DEPRECATED. It will be removed after 2017-03-02. Instructions for updating: Use [tf.variables\\_initializer](#) instead.

**NOTE** The output of this function should be used. If it is not, a warning will be logged. To mark the output as used, call its `.mark_used()` method.

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