

# **TencentDB for CTSDB**

## **Glossary**

### **Product Documentation**



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## **data point**

It refers to a data record.

## **metric**

It is used to store data. It contains multiple data records, and one data record contains multiple columns.

## **tag**

It describes the system or device and supports filtering and aggregate operations. It is similar to a column in a relational database.

## **field**

It records the system or device status and supports the aggregate operation. It is similar to a column in a relational database.

## **options**

It is the configuration information for metric creation, including common settings such as data expiration time, number of metric shards, and number of replicas.

## **timestamp**

It records the data occurrence time.