

## About Filter Data Types

The properties of a field describe the characteristics and behavior of data added to that field. A field's data type is the most important property because it determines what kind of data the field can store. This article describes the data types and other field properties.

Fields contain the following types of data:

Data types	Description
string	Field contains characters, symbols, or numbers.
float, integer, short, long	Field contains a numeric value.
timestamp	Field contains a date. Select the day and time using the calendar widget.
boolean	Field contains true or false.