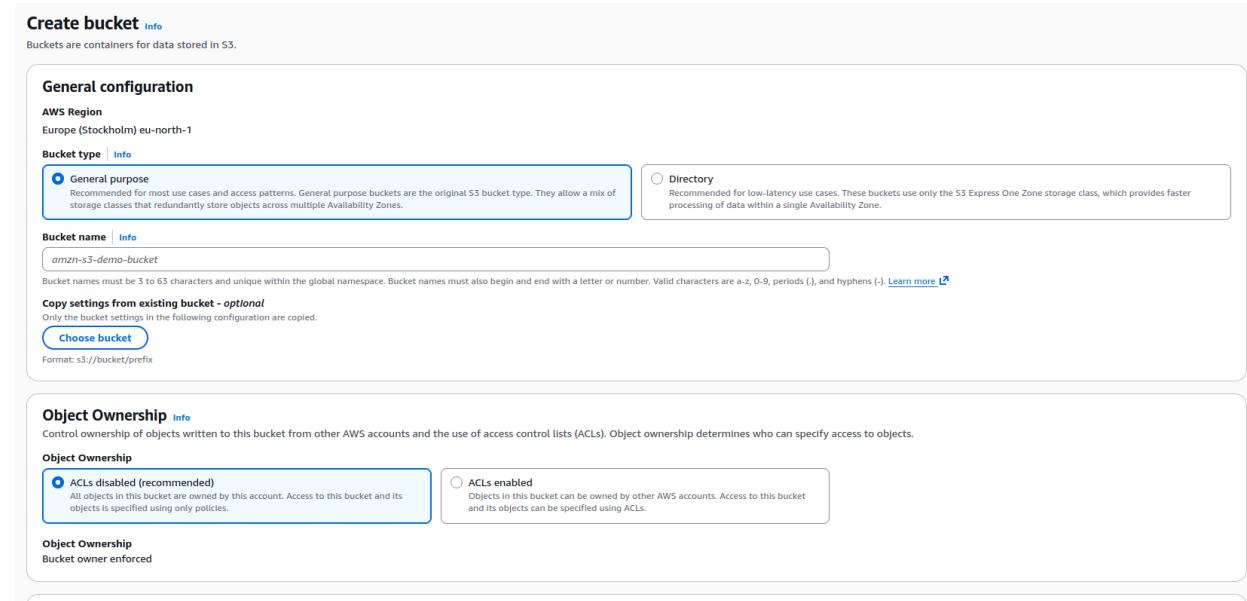


## Handle AWS Part

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### 1.Create S3 Bucket with the following settings to use as staging layer

Make Prefix Kafka/ for kafka and spark data



**Create bucket** [Info](#)  
Buckets are containers for data stored in S3.

**General configuration**

**AWS Region**  
Europe (Stockholm) eu-north-1

**Bucket type** [Info](#)

**General purpose**  
Recommended for most use cases and access patterns. General purpose buckets are the original S3 bucket type. They allow a mix of storage classes that redundantly store objects across multiple Availability Zones.

**Directory**  
Recommended for low-latency use cases. These buckets use only the S3 Express One Zone storage class, which provides faster processing of data within a single Availability Zone.

**Bucket name** [Info](#)  
`amzn-s3-demo-bucket`

Bucket names must be 3 to 63 characters and unique within the global namespace. Bucket names must also begin and end with a letter or number. Valid characters are a-z, 0-9, periods (.), and hyphens (-). [Learn more](#)

**Copy settings from existing bucket - optional**  
Only the bucket settings in the following configuration are copied.  
[Choose bucket](#)

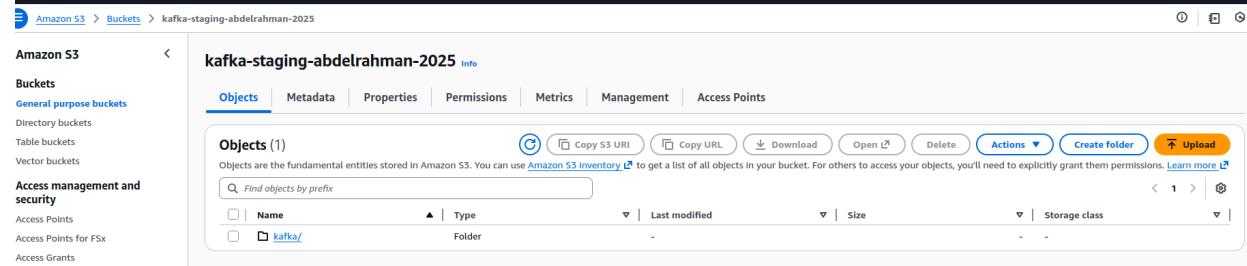
Format: s3://bucket/prefix

**Object Ownership** [Info](#)  
Control ownership of objects written to this bucket from other AWS accounts and the use of access control lists (ACLs). Object ownership determines who can specify access to objects.

**Object Ownership**

**ACLs disabled (recommended)**  
All objects in this bucket are owned by this account. Access to this bucket and its objects is specified using only policies.

**ACLs enabled**  
Objects in this bucket can be owned by other AWS accounts. Access to this bucket and its objects can be specified using ACLs.



Amazon S3 > Buckets > kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025

**Amazon S3**

**Buckets**

**General purpose buckets**

Directory buckets

Table buckets

Vector buckets

**Access management and security**

Access Points

Access Points for FSx

Access Grants

**kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025** [Info](#)

[Objects](#) [Metadata](#) [Properties](#) [Permissions](#) [Metrics](#) [Management](#) [Access Points](#)

**Objects (1)**

Objects are the fundamental entities stored in Amazon S3. You can use [Amazon S3 Inventory](#) to get a list of all objects in your bucket. For others to access your objects, you'll need to explicitly grant them permissions. [Learn more](#)

[Find objects by prefix](#)

| Name                   | Type   | Last modified | Size | Storage class |
|------------------------|--------|---------------|------|---------------|
| <a href="#">kafka/</a> | Folder | -             | -    | -             |

### 2. Create IAM Policy for kafka and spark Streaming Using Json

Policy name S3andSpark

```
{  
  "Version": "2012-10-17",  
  "Statement": [  
    {"Action": "s3:PutObject", "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/*", "Effect": "Allow"},  
    {"Action": "s3:GetObject", "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/*", "Effect": "Allow"},  
    {"Action": "s3:ListBucket", "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025", "Effect": "Allow"}  
  ]}
```

```

"Statement": [
    {
        "Sid": "AllowListBucketRoot",
        "Effect": "Allow",
        "Action": "s3>ListBucket",
        "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025"
    },
    {
        "Sid": "AllowListSpecificPrefix",
        "Effect": "Allow",
        "Action": "s3>ListBucket",
        "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025",
        "Condition": {
            "StringLike": {
                "s3:prefix": [
                    "kafka/flights/*",
                    "kafka/flights/_spark_metadata/*"
                ]
            }
        }
    },
    {
        "Sid": "AllowObjectOperations",
        "Effect": "Allow",
        "Action": [
            "s3:GetObject",
            "s3:PutObject",
            "s3>DeleteObject"
        ],
        "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/*"
    }
]
}

```

Also, I created another one with full access for testing

FullS3Acces

```
{
    "Version": "2012-10-17",
    "Statement": [
        {
            "Sid": "AllowFullS3Access",

```

```

        "Effect": "Allow",
        "Action": "s3:*",
        "Resource": [
            "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025",
            "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/*"
        ]
    }
]
}

```

### 3. Create IAM User and assign policies

Create user “kafka\_local\_writer” with the following setting and choose the policy created

The screenshot shows the AWS IAM 'Create user' wizard at Step 2: Set permissions. The 'Attach policies directly' option is selected. A search bar shows 's3and'. The 'Permissions policies' section lists 's3andSpark' as a customer-managed policy.

### 4. Create an Access token and a secret Key

From the user page, go to Security credentials and Create access key

**kafka\_local\_writer info**

**Summary**

ARN: arn:aws:iam::066158986333:user/kafka\_local\_writer  
Console access: Disabled  
Created: November 20, 2025, 18:20 (UTC+02:00)  
Last console sign-in: -  
Access key 1: AKIAQ6Z3CAROZUIIDEMG - Active (Used 1 hour ago, 3 days old.)  
Access key 2: Create access key

**Permissions** | **Groups** | **Tags (1)** | **Security credentials** | **Last Accessed**

**Console sign-in**  
Console sign-in link: https://066158986333.signin.aws.amazon.com/console  
Console password: Not enabled  
Enable console access

**Multi-factor authentication (MFA) (0)**  
Use MFA to increase the security of your AWS environment. Signing in with MFA requires an authentication code from an MFA device. Each user can have a maximum of 8 MFA devices assigned. Learn more ↗  
Type Identifier Certifications Created on  
No MFA devices. Assign an MFA device to improve the security of your AWS environment  
Assign MFA device

**Access keys (1)**  
Use access keys to send programmatic calls to AWS from the AWS CLI, AWS Tools for PowerShell, AWS SDKs, or direct AWS API calls. You can have a maximum of two access keys (active or inactive) at a time. Learn more ↗  
AKIAQ6Z3CAROZUIIDEMG  
Description: Status: Active Actions

## Access key best practices & alternatives Info

Avoid using long-term credentials like access keys to improve your security. Consider the following use cases and alternatives.

### Use case

- Command Line Interface (CLI)**  
You plan to use this access key to enable the AWS CLI to access your AWS account.
- Local code**  
You plan to use this access key to enable application code in a local development environment to access your AWS account.
- Application running on an AWS compute service**  
You plan to use this access key to enable application code running on an AWS compute service like Amazon EC2, Amazon ECS, or AWS Lambda to access your AWS account.
- Third-party service**  
You plan to use this access key to enable access for a third-party application or service that monitors or manages your AWS resources.
- Application running outside AWS**  
You plan to use this access key to authenticate workloads running in your data center or other infrastructure outside of AWS that needs to access your AWS resources.
- Other**  
Your use case is not listed here.

### ⚠ Alternative recommended

Use IAM Roles Anywhere to generate temporary security credentials for non AWS workloads accessing AWS services. [Learn more about providing access for non AWS workloads.](#) ↗

## 5. Prepare Full Needed Connection Info

```
{
  "connector.class": "io.confluent.connect.s3.S3SinkConnector",
```

```

"tasks.max": "1",
"topics": "my-topic",
"s3.bucket.name": "kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025",
"s3.region": "eu-north-1",
"aws.access.key.id": "AKIAQ6Z3*****",
"aws.secret.access.key": "WMzzoVfcbBW*****",
"s3.part.size": 5242880,
"flush.size": 1000,
"storage.class": "io.confluent.connect.s3.storage.S3Storage",
"format.class": "io.confluent.connect.s3.format.csv.CsvFormat",
"s3.prefix": "kafka/"
}

```

and you can test the connection by run this code in your local machine

```

from pyspark.sql import SparkSession

spark = SparkSession.builder \
    .appName("WriteToS3") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.impl",
"org.apache.hadoop.fs.s3a.S3AFileSystem") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.access.key", "AKIAQ6Z3*****") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.secret.key",
"WMzzoVfcbBW*****") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.endpoint", "s3.eu-north-1.amazonaws.com")
\
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.path.style.access", "true") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.aws.credentials.provider",
"org.apache.hadoop.fs.s3a.SimpleAWSCredentialsProvider") \
    .config("spark.hadoop.fs.s3a.fast.upload", "true") \
    .getOrCreate()

spark.sparkContext.setLogLevel("ERROR")

data = [("Alice", 25), ("Bob", 30)]
df = spark.createDataFrame(data, ["name", "age"])

df.write.mode("overwrite").parquet("s3a://kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/kafka/test-staging")

```

Tell this your data Should be uploaded normally into the staging layer in S3

The screenshot shows the AWS S3 console with the path: Amazon S3 > Buckets > kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025 > kafka > flights/. The left sidebar shows navigation options like Buckets, Access management and security, Storage management and insights, and Account and organization settings. The main area displays the 'flights/' folder with three objects listed:

| Name  | Type    | Last modified                           | Size    | Storage class |
|---|---------|---|---------|---------------|
| _spark_metadata/  | Folder  | -                                       | -       | -             |
| part-00000-1305f24a-07e1-4972-a303-bad014b1f53-c000.snappy.parquet  | parquet | November 27, 2025, 01:01:46 (UTC+02:00) | 3.9 KB  | Standard      |
| part-00000-46c41c83-c306-4f5d-8598-909eb8a294f9-c000.snappy.parquet | parquet | November 27, 2025, 01:04:10 (UTC+02:00) | 29.6 MB | Standard      |

During these steps, we encountered several different problems. For example, I modified the policy more than ten times, and there were problems with the Access Token, Connection config, and others. One of the most significant problems was that the signature had expired.

## 6. Create IAM Policy for Snowflake

Snowflakegetobj

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "s3:GetObject",
        "s3>ListBucket"
      ],
      "Resource": [
        "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025",
        "arn:aws:s3:::kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/kafka/*"
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

## 7. Create IAM Role for Snowflake

First, create a Role AWS Account without an external ID

Step 1  
 Select trusted entity

Step 2  
 Add permissions

Step 3  
 Name, review, and create

### Select trusted entity Info

#### Trusted entity type

AWS service Allow AWS services like EC2, Lambda, or others to perform actions in this account.

AWS account Allow entities in other AWS accounts belonging to you or a 3rd party to perform actions in this account.

SAML 2.0 federation Allows users federated with SAML 2.0 from a corporate directory to perform actions in this account.

Custom trust policy Create a custom trust policy to enable others to perform actions in this account.

#### An AWS account

Allow entities in other AWS accounts belonging to you or a 3rd party to perform actions in this account.

This account (066158986333)

Another AWS account

**Options**

Require external ID (Best practice when a third party will assume this role)

Require MFA Requires that the assuming entity use multi-factor authentication.

## Add the policy

Step 1  
 Select trusted entity

Step 2  
 Add permissions

Step 3  
 Name, review, and create

### Add permissions Info

#### Permissions policies (1/1101) Info

Choose one or more policies to attach to your new role.

Filter by Type   All types  1 match

| Policy name     | Type             | Description |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------|
| Snowflakegetobj | Customer managed | -           |

► Set permissions boundary - optional

Canc

Step 3  
Name, review, and create

**Role name**  
Enter a meaningful name to identify this role.  
**SnowflakeS3ReadRole**  
Maximum 64 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+', '@', '-' characters.

**Description**  
Add a short explanation for this role.

**Step 1: Select trusted entities**

**Trust policy**

```

1- [ "Version": "2012-10-17",
2-   "Statement": [
3-     {
4-       "Effect": "Allow",
5-       "Action": "sts:AssumeRole",
6-       "Principal": {
7-         "AWS": "066158986333"
8-       },
9-       "Condition": {}
10-     }
11-   ]
12- ]
13- ]
```

**Step 2: Add permissions**

**Permissions policy summary**

| Policy name                     | Type             | Attached as        |
|---------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| <a href="#">Snowflakegetobj</a> | Customer managed | Permissions policy |

## 8. Additional Steps to make a connection with Snowflake

Now the Role is ready. We need the Role ARN

### SnowflakeS3ReadRole [Info](#)

#### Summary

##### Creation date

November 21, 2025, 14:39 (UTC+02:00)

##### ARN

[arn:aws:iam::066158986333:role/SnowflakeS3ReadRole](#)

Next, go to Snowflake and run the following

```
DESC INTEGRATION KAFKA_S3_INT;
```

```

CREATE OR REPLACE STORAGE INTEGRATION KAFKA_S3_INT
  TYPE = EXTERNAL_STAGE
  STORAGE_PROVIDER = S3
  ENABLED = TRUE
  STORAGE_AWS_ROLE_ARN = arn:aws:iam::066158986333:role/SnowflakeS3ReadRole
  STORAGE_ALLOWED_LOCATIONS =
  ('s3://kafka-staging-abdelrahman-2025/kafka/');

```

```
DESC INTEGRATION KAFKA_S3_INT;
```

Then a Table will be shown we need the following information from it  
External ID and Principal code

Then, go to the Role and edit Trusted entities :

```
{  
    "Version": "2012-10-17",  
    "Statement": [  
        {  
            "Effect": "Allow",  
            "Principal": {  
                "AWS": "arn:aws:iam::<aws-snowflake arn code >:root"  
            },  
            "Action": "sts:AssumeRole",  
            "Condition": {  
                "StringEquals": {  
                    "sts:ExternalId": "<ExternalId>"  
                }  
            }  
        }  
    ]  
}
```

Now you can see the data in Snowflake

The screenshot shows the Database Explorer interface in the HORIZON CATALOG. On the left, the 'Databases' tree view is expanded, showing various schema nodes like TEST, SNOWFLAKE, and several internal schema nodes such as ACCOUNT\_USAGE, ALERT, BCR\_ROLLOUT, CORE, CORTEX, DATA\_PRIVACY, DATA\_SHARING\_USAGE, DEFAULT\_IMAGE\_STORE, IMAGES, INFORMATION\_SCHEMA, LOCAL, MARKETPLACE\_NOTIFICATION, and ML.

The main panel displays the 'GP / RAW / KAFKA\_STREAM' stage details. It shows the stage was created by External Stage, last modified by ACCOUNTADMIN, and updated 2 days ago. The 'Stage Files' tab is selected, showing four files in the KAFKA\_STREAM stage:

| NAME  | SIZE   | LAST MODIFIED | ... (Actions) |
|---|--------|---------------|---------------|
| _spark_metadata   | 500.0B | 1 hour ago    | ...           |
| part-00000-46c41c83-c306-4f5d-8598-909eb8a294f9-c000.snappy.par...  | 29.6MB | 1 hour ago    | ...           |
| part-00000-1305f24a-07e1-4972-a303-8adb014b1f33-c000.snappy.parq... | 3.9KB  | 1 hour ago    | ...           |