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Amazon Route 53: API Reference

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Welcome

This is the *Amazon Route 53 API Reference*. Route 53 is a web service that enables you to manage your DNS records.

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Actions on Hosted Zones

Topics

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This section describes actions you can perform on hosted zones.

For more information, see Hosted Zones in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide.

POST CreateHostedZone

Topics

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Description

This action creates a new hosted zone.

To create a new hosted zone, send a POST request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone resource. The request body must include an XML document with a CreateHostedZoneRequest element. The response returns the CreateHostedZoneResponse element that contains metadata about the hosted zone.

Important

You cannot create a hosted zone for a top-level domain (TLD).

Amazon Route 53 automatically creates a default SOA record and four NS records for the zone. The NS records in the hosted zone are the name servers you give your registrar to delegate your domain to. For more information about SOA and NS records, see NS and SOA Records that Route 53 Creates for a Hosted Zone in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

When you create a zone, its initial status is PENDING. This means that it is not yet available on all DNS servers. The status of the zone changes to INSYNC when the NS and SOA records are available on all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers. For more information on creating hosted zones, see Creating a Hosted Zone in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Requests

Syntax

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description	Required
CreateHostedZoneRequest	A complex type containing the hosted zone request information. Type: Complex Default: None Children: Name, CallerReference, HostedZoneConfig	Yes
Name	The name of the domain. For resource record types that include a domain name, specify a fully qualified domain name, for example, www.example.com. The trailing dot is optional; Route 53 assumes that the domain name is fully qualified. This means that Route 53 treats www.example.com (without a trailing dot) and www.example.com. (with a trailing dot) as identical. This is the name you have registered with your DNS registrar. You should ask your registrar to change the authoritative name servers for your domain to the set of NameServers returned in DelegationSet. Type: String Default: None	Yes
CallerReference	A unique string that identifies the request and that allows failed CreateHostedZone requests to be retried without the risk of executing the operation twice. You must use a unique CallerReference string every time you create a hosted zone. CallerReference can be any unique string; you might choose to use a string that identifies your project, such as MyDNSMigration_01. Type: String Default: None Constraints: Allowable characters are any Unicode code points that are legal in an XML 1.0 document. The UTF-8 encoding of the value must be less than 128 bytes.	Yes
HostedZoneConfig	A complex type that contains configuration information for your hosted zone. Type: Complex Default: None Children: Comment	No
Comment	Any comments you want to include about the hosted zone. Type: String Default: None Constraints: Maximum 256 characters Parent: HostedZoneConfig	No

Responses

Syntax

```
HTTP/1.1 201 Created
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<CreateHostedZoneResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/</pre>
2012-02-29/">
  <HostedZone>
     <Id>/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID</Id>
     <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
     <CallerReference>unique description</CallerReference>
        <Comment>optional comment//Comment>
     </Config>
     <ResourceRecordSetCount>number of resource record sets
        in the hosted zone</ResourceRecordSetCount>
  </HostedZone>
  <ChangeInfo>
     <Id>/change/unique identifier for the
      change batch request</Id>
     <Status>PENDING | INSYNC</Status>
     <SubmittedAt>date and time in Coordinated Universal Time
        format</SubmittedAt>
  </ChangeInfo>
  <DelegationSet>
     <NameServers>
        <NameServer>DNS name for Route 53 name server
        <NameServer>DNS name for Route 53 name server
        <NameServer>DNS name for Route 53 name server
        <NameServer>DNS name for Route 53 name server
     </NameServers>
  </DelegationSet>
</CreateHostedZoneResponse>
```

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
CreateHostedZoneResponse	A complex type containing the response information for the hosted zone. Type: Complex Children: HostedZone, ChangeInfo, DelegationSet
HostedZone	A complex type containing the specific identifying information about the hosted zone. Type: Complex Children: Id, Name, CallerReference, Config

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Name	Description
Id	The ID of the hosted zone. Type: String Parent: HostedZone
Name	The name of the domain. For resource record types that include a domain name, specify a fully qualified domain name, for example, www.example.com. The trailing dot is optional; Route 53 assumes that the domain name is fully qualified. This means that Route 53 treats www.example.com (without a trailing dot) and www.example.com. (with a trailing dot) as identical. This is the name you have registered with your DNS registrar. It is also
	the name you delegate from your registrar to the Route 53 delegation servers returned in response to this request. Type: String Parent: HostedZone
CallerReference	A unique string that identifies the request to create the hosted zone. Type: String Parent: HostedZone
Config	A complex type that includes the Comment element. Type: Complex Parent: HostedZone Children: Comment
Comment	The comment included in the CreateHostedZoneRequest element. Type: String Constraints: Maximum 256 characters Parent: Config
ResourceRecordSetCount	The number of resource record sets in the hosted zone. Type: Unsigned long integer Parent: HostedZone
ChangeInfo	A complex type that describes change information about changes made to your hosted zone. This element contains an ID that you use when performing a GetChange action to get detailed information about the change. Type: Complex Children: Id, Status, SubmittedAt
Id	The ID of the request. Use this ID to track when the change has completed across all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Parent: ChangeInfo

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Name	Description
Status	The current state of the request. PENDING indicates that this request has not yet been applied to all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Valid Values: PENDING INSYNC Parent: ChangeInfo
SubmittedAt	The date and time the change was submitted, in the format YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ssZ, as specified in the ISO 8601 standard (for example, 2012-03-19T19:37:58Z). The z after the time indicates that the time is listed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), which is synonymous with Greenwich Mean Time in this context. Type: Timestamp Parent: ChangeInfo
DelegationSet	A complex type that describes name server information. Type: Complex Children: NameServers
NameServers	A complex type that identifies the authoritative name servers for the hosted zone. You ask your registrar to add an NS record to your domain for each NameServer assigned to your hosted zone. Type: Complex Parent: DelegationSet Children: NameServer
NameServer	Identifies a name server that is authoritative for your domain. Type: String Parent: NameServers

Note

In the context of CreateHostedZone, the ChangeInfo element indicates the creation of the SOA records and records for the NameServer names.

Errors

The following table lists the errors returned for this action.

Name	Description
DelegationSetNotAvailable	Amazon Route 53 allows some duplication, but Amazon Route 53 has a maximum threshold of duplicated domains. This error is generated when you reach that threshold. In this case, the error indicates that too many hosted zones with the given domain name exist. If you want to create a hosted zone and Amazon Route 53 generates this error, contact Customer Support.
InvalidDomainName	The specified domain name is not valid.

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Name	Description
HostedZoneAlreadyExists	The hosted zone you are attempting to create already exists. Amazon Route 53 returns this error when a hosted zone has already been created with the supplied CallerReference.
TooManyHostedZones	This hosted zone cannot be created. The hosted zone limit has been exceeded. To request a limit increase, contact Customer Support.
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.

Examples

Example Request

Example Response

```
HTTP/1.1 201 Created
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<CreateHostedZoneResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/</pre>
2012-02-29/">
   <HostedZone>
      <Id>/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9</Id>
      <Name>example.com.</Name>
      <CallerReference>myUniqueIdentifier</CallerReference>
         <Comment>This is my first hosted zone.</Comment>
      <ResourceRecordSetCount>2</ResourceRecordSetCount>
   </HostedZone>
   <ChangeInfo>
      <Id>/change/C1PA6795UKMFR9</Id>
      <Status>PENDING</Status>
      <SubmittedAt>2012-03-15T01:36:41.958Z</SubmittedAt>
   </ChangeInfo>
   <DelegationSet>
      <NameServers>
         <NameServer>ns-2048.awsdns-64.com</NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2049.awsdns-65.net/NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2050.awsdns-66.org</NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2051.awsdns-67.co.uk</NameServer>
      </NameServers>
```

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GET GetHostedZone

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Description

To retrieve information about a hosted zone, send a GET request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID resource.

For more information about using this action to get name server information, see Getting the Name Servers for a Hosted Zone in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Requests

Syntax

```
GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID
```

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Parameters

The request must contain the hosted zone ID. Route 53 returns the hosted zone ID in the HostedZone element as part of the CreateHostedZoneResponse or ListHostedZoneResponse. For more information, see POST CreateHostedZone (p. 3) or GET ListHostedZones (p. 17).

Responses

Syntax

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Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
GetHostedZoneResponse	A complex type containing information about a hosted zone. Type: Complex Children: HostedZone, DelegationSet
HostedZone	A complex type containing the specific identifying information about the hosted zone. Type: Complex
	Children: Id, Name, CallerReference, Config
Id	The ID of the hosted zone.
	Type: String
	Parent: HostedZone
Name	The name of the domain. For resource record types that include a domain name, specify a fully qualified domain name, for example, www.example.com. The trailing dot is optional; Route 53 assumes that the domain name is fully qualified. This means that Route 53 treats www.example.com (without a trailing dot) and www.example.com. (with a trailing dot) as identical.
	This is the name you have registered with your DNS registrar. It is also the name you delegate from your registrar to the Route 53 delegation servers returned in response to this request.
	Type: String
	Parent: HostedZone
CallerReference	A unique string that identifies the request to create the hosted zone.
	Type: String
	Parent: HostedZone

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Name	Description
Config	A complex type that includes the Comment element.
	Type: Complex
	Parent: HostedZone
	Children: Comment
Comment	The comment included in the CreateHostedZoneRequest element.
	Type: String
	Constraints: Maximum 256 characters
	Parent: Config
ResourceRecordSetCount	The number of resource record sets in the hosted zone.
	Type: Unsigned long integer
	Parent: HostedZone
DelegationSet	A complex type that describes name server information.
	Type: Complex
	Children: NameServers
NameServers	A complex type that identifies the authoritative name servers for the hosted zone. You ask your registrar to add an NS record to your domain for each NameServer assigned to your hosted zone. Type: Complex
	Parent: DelegationSet
	Children: Name Server
NameServer	Identifies a name server that is authoritative for your domain.
	Type: String
	Parent: NameServers

Errors

This action returns the following error.

Name	Description
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.
NoSuchHostedZone	A hosted zone with the specified hosted zone ID does not exist.

Examples

Example Request

The following shows a GET request for information about a hosted zone with an ID of Z1PA6795UKMFR9.

GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9

Example Response

The following shows the response to the GET request.

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<GetHostedZoneResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-02-29/">
   <HostedZone>
      <Id>/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9</Id>
      <Name>example.com.</Name>
      <CallerReference>myUniqueIdentifier</CallerReference>
         <Comment>This is my first hosted zone.</Comment>
      <ResourceRecordSetCount>17</ResourceRecordSetCount>
  </HostedZone>
   <DelegationSet>
      <NameServers>
         <NameServer>ns-2048.awsdns-64.com</NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2049.awsdns-65.net/NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2050.awsdns-66.org</NameServer>
         <NameServer>ns-2051.awsdns-67.co.uk</NameServer>
      </NameServers>
   </DelegationSet>
</GetHostedZoneResponse>
```

DELETE DeleteHostedZone

Topics

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Description

This action deletes a hosted zone. To delete a hosted zone, send a DELETE request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID resource.

For more information about deleting a hosted zone, see Deleting a Hosted Zone in the *Amazon Route* 53 Developer Guide.

Important

You can delete a hosted zone only if there is no resource record set other than the default SOA record and NS records. If your hosted zone contains resource records other than the default SOA record and NS records, you must delete those resource records before you can delete your hosted zone. Any records you added to the hosted zone must be deleted first. If you try to delete a hosted zone that contains resource records other than the default records, Amazon Route 53 will deny your request with a HostedZoneNotEmpty error. For information about deleting records from your hosted zone, see POST ChangeResourceRecordSets (p. 24).

Requests

Syntax

DELETE /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Parameters

The request must contain the hosted zone ID. Route 53 returns the hosted zone ID in the HostedZone element as part of the CreateHostedZoneResponse or ListHostedZonesResponse. For more information, see POST CreateHostedZone (p. 3) or GET ListHostedZones (p. 17).

Responses

Syntax

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
DeleteHostedZoneResponse	A complex type containing the response information for the request. Type: Complex Children: ChangeInfo
ChangeInfo	A complex type that describes change information about changes made to your hosted zone. This element contains an ID that you use when performing a GetChange action to get detailed information about the change. Type: Complex Children: Id, Status, SubmittedAt
Id	The ID of the request. Use this ID to track when the change has completed across all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Parent: ChangeInfo
Status	The current state of the request. PENDING indicates that this request has not yet been applied to all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Valid Values: PENDING INSYNC Parent: ChangeInfo

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Name	Description
SubmittedAt	The date and time the change was submitted, in the format YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ssZ, as specified in the ISO 8601 standard (for example, 2012-03-19T19:37:58Z). The z after the time indicates that the time is listed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), which is synonymous with Greenwich Mean Time in this context. Type: Timestamp Parent: ChangeInfo

Errors

The server might respond to this action with any of the following errors.

Name	Description
HostedZoneNotEmpty	The hosted zone contains resource records that are not SOA or NS records.
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.
NoSuchHostedZone	A hosted zone with the specified hosted zone ID does not exist.

Examples

Example Request

The following example shows the DELETE request with the hosted zone ID (beginning with the letter Z).

```
DELETE /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9
```

Example Response

When the status of this change becomes ${\tt INSYNC}$, your hosted zone has been removed from all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers.

GET ListHostedZones

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Description

To retrieve a list of your hosted zones, send a GET request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone resource. The response to this request includes a HostedZones element with zero, one, or multiple HostedZone child elements. By default, the list of hosted zones is displayed on a single page. You can control the length of the page that is displayed by using the MaxItems parameter. You can use the Marker parameter to control the hosted zone that the list begins with. For more information about listing hosted zones, see Listing the Hosted Zones for an AWS Account in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide.

Note

Route 53 returns a maximum of 100 items. If you set MaxItems to a value greater than 100, Route 53 returns only the first 100 hosted zones. To get the next group of maxitems hosted zones, submit another request to ListHostedZones.

Requests

Syntax

GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone?marker=Route 53 hosted zone ID& maxitems=maximum number of hosted zones to include in the response

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Parameters

Name	Description	Required
marker	If you have more hosted zones than the value of maxitems, ListHostedZones returns only the first maxitems hosted zones. To get the next group of maxitems hosted zones, submit another request to ListHostedZones. For the value of marker, specify the value of the NextMarker element that was returned in the previous response. Hosted zones are listed in the order in which they were created. Type: String	No
maxitems	The maximum number of hosted zones to be included in the response body for this request. If you have more than maxitems hosted zones, the value of the IsTruncated element in the response is true, and the value of the NextMarker element is the hosted zone ID of the first hosted zone in the next group of maxitems hosted zones. Type: String Default: 100 Constraint: maximum value is 100. If you specify a value greater than 100, ListHostedZones returns the first group of 100 hosted zones.	No

Responses

Syntax

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ListHostedZonesResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-02-29/">
   <HostedZones>
      <HostedZone>
         <Id>/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID</Id>
         <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
         <CallerReference>unique description that you specified
            when you created the hosted zone</CallerReference>
         <Config>
            <Comment>comment that you specified when you
               created the hosted zone</Comment>
         </Config>
         <ResourceRecordSetCount>number of resource record sets
            in the hosted zone</ResourceRecordSetCount>
      </HostedZone>
   </HostedZones>
   <Marker>value of the marker parameter,
      if any, in the previous request</Marker>
   <IsTruncated>true | false</IsTruncated>
```

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```
<NextMarker>if IsTruncated is true,
    the hosted zone ID of the first hosted zone
    in the next group of maxitems hosted zones</NextMarker>
    <MaxItems>value of the maxitems parameter,
        if any, in the previous request</MaxItems>
</ListHostedZonesResponse>
```

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
ListHostedZoneResponse	A complex type containing the response information for the request. Type: Complex Children: Marker, HostedZones, MaxItems, IsTruncated, NextMarker
HostedZones	The parent element to HostedZone, this element can contain zero, one, or more HostedZone elements. Type: Complex Children: HostedZone
HostedZone	A complex type containing the specific identifying information about the hosted zone. Type: Complex Children: Id, Name, CallerReference, Config
Id	The ID of the hosted zone. Type: String Parent: HostedZone
Name	The name of the domain. For resource record types that include a domain name, specify a fully qualified domain name, for example, www.example.com. The trailing dot is optional; Route 53 assumes that the domain name is fully qualified. This means that Route 53 treats www.example.com (without a trailing dot) and www.example.com. (with a trailing dot) as identical. This is the name you have registered with your DNS registrar. It is also the name you delegate from your registrar to the Route 53 delegation servers returned in response to this request. Type: String Parent: HostedZone
CallerReference	A unique string that identifies the request to create the hosted zone. Type: String Parent: HostedZone

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Name	Description
Config	A complex type that includes the Comment element. Type: Complex Parent: HostedZone Children: Comment
Comment	The comment included in the CreateHostedZoneRequest element. Type: String Constraints: Maximum 256 characters Parent: Config
ResourceRecordSetCount	The number of resource record sets in the hosted zone. Type: Unsigned long integer Parent: HostedZone
Marker	For the second and subsequent calls to ListHostedZones, Marker is the value that you specified for the marker parameter in the request that produced the current response. Type: String
IsTruncated	A flag indicating whether there are more hosted zones to be listed. If the response was truncated, you can get the next group of maxitems hosted zones by calling ListHostedZones again and specifying the value of the NextMarker element in the marker parameter. Type: String Valid Values: true false
NextMarker	If IsTruncated is true, the value of NextMarker identifies the first hosted zone in the next group of maxitems hosted zones. Call ListHostedZones again and specify the value of NextMarker in the marker parameter. This element is present only if IsTruncated is true. Type: String
MaxItems	The value that you specified for the maxitems parameter in the call to ListHostedZones that produced the current response. Type: String

Errors

This action returns the following error.

Name	Description
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.

Examples

Example Request

The following example shows a request in which maxitems is 1.

```
GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone?maxitems=1
```

Example Response

This example shows the response for the previous request.

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ListHostedZonesResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-02-29/">
   <HostedZones>
      <HostedZone>
         <Id>/hostedzone/Z1111111QQQQQQQ</Id>
         <Name>example2.com.</Name>
         <CallerReference>MyUniqueIdentifier2</CallerReference>
         <Config>
            <Comment>This is my second hosted zone.</Comment>
         </Config>
         <ResourceRecordSetCount>42</ResourceRecordSetCount>
      </HostedZone>
   </HostedZones>
   <IsTruncated>true</IsTruncated>
   <NextMarker>Z222222VVVVVVV</NextMarker>
   <MaxItems>1</MaxItems>
</ListHostedZonesResponse>
```

Example Follow-up Request

This example shows the follow-up request to the previous request. In this request, the maxitems parameter has been changed to 10, and the marker parameter is the value of the NextMarker element (Z222222VVVVVVV) in the previous response.

```
GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone?marker=Z222222VVVVVVV&maxitems=10
```

Example Follow-up Response

This example shows the response for the previous request.

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```
<CallerReference>MyUniqueIdentifier3</CallerReference>
         <Config>
            <Comment>This is my third hosted zone.</Comment>
         </Config>
         <ResourceRecordSetCount>17</ResourceRecordSetCount>
     </HostedZone>
     <HostedZone>
         <Id>/hostedzone/Z2682N5HXP0BZ4</Id>
         <Name>example.com.</Name>
         <CallerReference>MyUniqueIdentifier4</CallerReference>
        <Config>
            <Comment>This is my fourth hosted zone.</Comment>
         </Config>
         <ResourceRecordSetCount>117</ResourceRecordSetCount>
     </HostedZone>
  </HostedZones>
  <Marker>Z222222VVVVVVV</marker>
  <IsTruncated>true</IsTruncated>
  <NextMarker>Z333333YYYYYYY</NextMarker>
  <MaxItems>10</MaxItems>
</ListHostedZonesResponse>
```

Actions on Resource Record Sets

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- GET ListResourceRecordSets (p. 41)
- GET GetChange (p. 49)

This section describes actions you can perform on resource record sets:

Action	Description	
ChangeResourceRecordSets	Adds, deletes, and changes resource record sets in an Amazon Route 53 hosted zone.	
ListResourceRecordSets	Lists details about all of the resource record sets in a hosted zone.	
GetChange	Returns the current status of a change batch request that you submitted by using ChangeResourceRecordSets.	

For more information, see Working with Resource Record Sets in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide.

POST ChangeResourceRecordSets

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Description

Use this action to create or change your authoritative DNS information. To use this action, send a POST request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset resource. The request body must include an XML document with a ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest element.

Changes are a list of change items and are considered transactional. For more information on transactional changes, also known as change batches, see Creating, Changing, and Deleting Resource Record Sets Using the Route 53 API in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Important

Due to the nature of transactional changes, you cannot delete the same resource record set more than once in a single change batch. In addition, if you submit the same change batch request more than once, Route 53 returns an InvalidChangeBatch error.

In response to a ChangeResourceRecordSets request, your DNS data is changed on all Route 53 DNS servers. Initially, the status of a change is PENDING. This means the change has not yet propagated to all the authoritative Route 53 DNS servers. When the change is propagated to all hosts, the change returns a status of INSYNC.

Note the following limitations on a ChangeResourceRecordSets request:

- A request cannot contain more than 100 Change elements.
- A request cannot contain more than 1000 ResourceRecord elements.
- The sum of the number of characters (including spaces) in all Value elements in a request cannot exceed 32,000 characters.

For more information about changing resource record sets using the Route 53 API, see Creating, Changing, and Deleting Resource Record Sets Using the Route 53 API in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Requests

Syntax

The syntax for each <Change> element in a change batch request depends on the type of resource record set that you want to create or delete. See the applicable syntax:

- Basic Syntax (p. 25)
- Weighted Resource Record Set Syntax (p. 25)
- Alias Resource Record Set Syntax (p. 26)
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- Latency Resource Record Set Syntax (p. 27)
- Latency Alias Resource Record Set Syntax (p. 27)

Basic Syntax

```
POST /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset HTTP/1.1
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ChangeBatch>
      <Comment>
     optional comment about the changes in this change batch request
      </Comment>
      <Changes>
         <Change>
            <Action>CREATE | DELETE</Action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
               <Type>DNS record type</Type>
               <TTL>time to live in seconds</TTL>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>applicable value for the record type</Value>
                  </ResourceRecord>
               </ResourceRecords>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
         . . .
      </Changes>
   </ChangeBatch>
</ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest>
```

Weighted Resource Record Set Syntax

```
POST /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset HTTP/1.1
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ChangeBatch>
      <Comment>
      optional comment about the changes in this change batch request
      </Comment>
      <Changes>
         <Change>
            <action>CREATE | DELETE</action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
               <Type>DNS record type</Type>
               <SetIdentifier>unique description for this
                  resource record set</SetIdentifier>
               <Weight>value between 0 and 255</Weight>
               <TTL>time to live in seconds</TTL>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>applicable value for the record type</Value>
```

Alias Resource Record Set Syntax

```
POST /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset HTTP/1.1
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ChangeBatch>
     <Comment>
      optional comment about the changes in this change batch request
      </Comment>
      <Changes>
         <Change>
            <action>CREATE | DELETE</action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
               <Type>DNS record type</Type>
               <AliasTarget>
                  <HostedZoneId>hosted zone ID for your Route 53
                     hosted zone or your load balancer</HostedZoneId>
                  <DNSName>load balancer DNS domain name or DNS domain name
                     for another resource record set in this
                     Route 53 hosted zone</DNSName>
               </AliasTarget>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
         . . .
      </Changes>
   </ChangeBatch>
</ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest>
```

Weighted Alias Resource Record Set Syntax

Latency Resource Record Set Syntax

```
POST /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset HTTP/1.1
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ChangeBatch>
      <Comment>
      optional comment about the changes in this change batch request
      </Comment>
      <Changes>
         <Change>
            <Action>CREATE | DELETE</Action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
               <Type>DNS record type</Type>
               <SetIdentifier>unique description for this
                  resource record set</SetIdentifier>
               <Region>Amazon EC2 region name</Region>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>applicable value for the record type</Value>
                  </ResourceRecord>
               </ResourceRecords>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
      </Changes>
   </ChangeBatch>
</ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest>
```

Latency Alias Resource Record Set Syntax

```
POST /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset HTTP/1.1 <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?> <ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-02-29/"> <ChangeBatch>
```

```
<Comment>
     optional comment about the changes in this change batch request
      </Comment>
      <Changes>
         <Change>
            <action>CREATE | DELETE</action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
               <Type>DNS record type</Type>
               <SetIdentifier>unique description for this
                  resource record set</SetIdentifier>
               <Region>Amazon EC2 region name</Region>
               <AliasTarget>
                  <HostedZoneId>hosted zone ID for your Route 53
                     hosted zone or your load balancer</HostedZoneId>
                  <DNSName>load balancer DNS domain name or DNS domain name
                     for another resource record set in this
                     Route 53 hosted zone</DNSName>
               </AliasTarget>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
         . . .
      </Changes>
  </ChangeBatch>
</ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest>
```

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Parameters

The request must contain the hosted zone ID. Route 53 returns the hosted zone ID in the HostedZone element as part of the CreateHostedZoneResponse or ListHostedZonesResponse. For more information, see POST CreateHostedZone (p. 3) or GET ListHostedZones (p. 17).

Elements

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
ChangeResourceRecord SetsRequest	A complex type that contains change information for the resource record set. Type: Complex Default: None Children: ChangeBatch	Yes

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
ChangeBatch	The information for a change request. Type: Complex Default: None Children: Comment, Changes	Yes
Comment	Any comments you want to include about the changes in this change batch. Type: String Default: None Constraints: Maximum 256 characters Parent: ChangeBatch	No
Changes	Information about the changes to make to the record sets. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: ChangeBatch Children: Change	Yes
Change	The information for each resource record set that you want to change. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: Changes Children: Action, ResourceRecordSet	Yes
Action	The action to perform. Type: String Default: None Valid values: CREATE DELETE Parent: member	Yes
ResourceRecordSet	Information about the resource record set to create or delete. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: member Children: Name, Type, AliasTarget, SetIdentifier, Region, Weight, TTL, ResourceRecords	Yes

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
Name	The name of the domain you want to perform the action on. Enter a fully qualified domain name, for example, www.example.com., including the trailing dot. However, even if you omit the trailing dot, Route 53 assumes that the domain name that you specify is fully qualified. This means that Route 53 treats www.example.com (without a trailing dot) and www.example.com. (with a trailing dot) as identical. Type: String Default: None Parent: ResourceRecordSet	Yes
Туре	The DNS record type. For information about different record types and how data is encoded for them, see Supported DNS Resource Record Types in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide. Type: String Default: None Valid values: A AAAA CNAME MX NS PTR SOA SPF SRV TXT Values for Weighted Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Values for Latency Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Values for Alias Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Values for Alias Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT	Yes
SetIdentifier	Weighted and latency resource record sets only: An identifier that differentiates among multiple resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type. The value of SetIdentifier must be unique for each resource record set that has the same combination of DNS name and type. Type: String Default: None Valid values: 1-128 characters, including upper- and lower-case letters, numbers, spaces, and punctuation. Parent: ResourceRecordSet For more information and an example, see Creating Weighted Resource Record Sets or Creating Latency Resource Record Sets in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide.	Yes, for weighted and latency resource record sets

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
Weight	Weighted resource record sets only: Among resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type, a value that determines what portion of traffic for the current resource record set is routed to the associated location. Route 53 calculates the sum of the weights for the resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type. Queries are then routed based on the ratio of a resource's weight to the total. Note the following:	Yes, for weighted resource record sets
	 You must specify a value for the Weight element for every weighted resource record set. 	
	 To disable routing to a resource, set Weight to 0. If you set Weight to 0 for all resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type, traffic is routed to all resources with equal probability. 	
	You can only specify one ResourceRecord per weighted resource record set.	
	 You cannot create both weighted and latency resource record sets that have the same values for the Name and Type elements. 	
	Type: Integer	
	Default: None Valid values: 0-255	
	Parent: ResourceRecordSet	
	For more information and an example, see Creating Weighted Resource Record Sets in the <i>Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide</i> .	

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
Region	Latency resource record sets only: The Amazon EC2 region where the resource that is specified in this resource record set resides. The resource typically is an AWS resource, for example, Amazon EC2 instance or an Elastic Load Balancing load balancer, and is referred to by an IP address or a DNS domain name, depending on the record type.	Yes, for latency resource record sets
	When Route 53 receives a DNS query for a domain name and type for which you have created latency resource record sets, Route 53 selects the latency resource record set that has the lowest latency between the end user and the associated Amazon EC2 region. Route 53 then returns the value that is associated with the selected resource record set. Note the following:	
	You can only specify one ResourceRecord per latency resource record set.	
	You can only create one latency resource record set for each Amazon EC2 region.	
	You are not required to create latency resource record sets for all Amazon EC2 regions. Route 53 will choose the region with the best latency from among the regions for which you create latency resource record sets.	
	You cannot create both weighted and latency resource record sets that have the same values for the Name and Type elements.	
	Valid values include:	
	Asia Pacific (Tokyo) Region: ap-northeast-1	
	Asia Pacific (Singapore) Region: ap-southeast-1	
	EU (Ireland) Region: eu-west-1	
	South America (Sao Paulo) Region: sa-east-1	
	US East (Northern Virginia) Region: us-east-1	
	US West (Northern California) Region: us-west-1	
	US West (Oregon) Region: us-west-2 Type: String	
	Parent: ResourceRecordSet	

Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
TTL	The resource record cache time to live (TTL), in seconds. Note If you are creating an alias resource record set, omit TTL. Route 53 uses the Elastic Load Balancing TTL. For the current TTL value for Elastic Load Balancing, see the introduction to Using Domain Names With Elastic Load Balancing. Type: Integer Default: None Parent: ResourceRecordSet	Yes, for all except alias resource record sets
ResourceRecords	Information about the resource records to act upon. Note If you are creating an alias resource record set, omit ResourceRecords. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: ResourceRecordSet Children: ResourceRecord	Yes, for all except alias resource record sets
ResourceRecord	Information specific to the resource record. Note If you are creating an alias resource record set, omit ResourceRecord. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: ResourceRecords Children: Value	Yes, for all except alias resource record sets

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Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
Value	The current or new DNS record value, not to exceed 4,000 characters. In the case of a DELETE action, if the current value does not match the actual value, an error is returned. For descriptions about how to format Value for different record types, see Supported DNS Resource Record Types in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide. Note If you are creating an alias resource record set, omit Value. Type: String Default: None Parent: ResourceRecord	Yes, for all except alias resource record sets
AliasTarget	Alias resource record sets only: Information about the Elastic Load Balancing load balancer or the Route 53 resource record set to which you are redirecting queries. Type: Complex Default: None Parent: ResourceRecordSet Children: HostedZoneId, DNSName For more information and an example, see the following topics in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide: • Creating Alias Resource Record Sets for Elastic Load Balancing • Creating Latency Resource Record Sets	Yes, for alias resource record sets

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Name	Description	Required to Create or Delete Resource Record Sets
HostedZoneId	 Alias resource record sets only. If you are routing queries to: An Elastic Load Balancing load balancer, specify the value of the hosted zone ID for the load balancer (CanonicalHostedZoneNameId). Another Route 53 resource record set in your hosted zone, specify the hosted zone ID of your hosted zone. (An alias resource record set cannot reference a resource record set in a different hosted zone.) Type: String Default: None Parent: AliasTarget For more information, an example, and several ways to get the hosted zone ID for the load balancer, see the applicable topic in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide: How to Create an Alias Resource Record Set How to Create Weighted Alias Resource Record Sets 	Yes, for alias resource record sets
DNSName	 Alias resource record sets only: If you are routing queries to: An Elastic Load Balancing load balancer, specify the external DNS name associated with the load balancer. Another Route 53 resource record set, specify the value of the Name element for a resource record set in the current hosted zone. Type: String Default: None Parent: AliasTarget For more information, an example, and several ways to get the DNS name for the load balancer, see the applicable topic in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide: How to Create an Alias Resource Record Set How to Create Weighted Alias Resource Record Sets 	Yes, for alias resource record sets

Responses

Syntax

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
ChangeResourceRecord SetsResponse	A complex type containing the response information for the request. This element contains the hosted zone ID parameter. Type: Complex Children: ChangeInfo
ChangeInfo	A complex type that describes change information about changes made to your hosted zone. This element contains an ID that you use when performing a GetChange action to get detailed information about the change. Type: Complex Children: Id, Status, SubmittedAt
Id	The ID of the request. Use this ID to track when the change has completed across all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Parent: ChangeInfo
Status	The current state of the request. PENDING indicates that this request has not yet been applied to all Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Valid Values: PENDING INSYNC Parent: ChangeInfo

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Name	Description
SubmittedAt	The date and time the change was submitted, in the format YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ssZ, as specified in the ISO 8601 standard (for example, 2012-03-19T19:37:58Z). The z after the time indicates that the time is listed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), which is synonymous with Greenwich Mean Time in this context. Type: Timestamp Parent: ChangeInfo

Errors

The following table lists the errors returned for this action.

Name	Description
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.
NoSuchHostedZone	A hosted zone with the specified hosted zone ID does not exist.
InvalidChangeBatch	This exception contains a list of messages that might contain one or more error messages. Each error message indicates one error in the change batch. For more information, see Example InvalidChangeBatch Errors (p. 39).

Examples

For additional examples, see the applicable topics in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide:

- Creating Weighted Resource Record Sets
- Creating Alias Resource Record Sets for Elastic Load Balancing
- Creating Latency Resource Record Sets

Example Request

This example creates an A record for www.example.com and changes the A record for foo.example.com from 192.0.2.3 to 192.0.2.1.

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```
<Action>CREATE</Action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>www.example.com.</Name>
               <Type>TXT</Type>
               <TTL>600</TTL>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>"item 1" "item 2" "item 3"</Value>
                  </ResourceRecord>
               </ResourceRecords>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
         <Change>
            <Action>DELETE</Action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>foo.example.com.</Name>
               <Type>A</Type>
               <TTL>600</TTL>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>192.0.2.3</Value>
                  </ResourceRecord>
               </ResourceRecords>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
         <Change>
            <Action>CREATE</Action>
            <ResourceRecordSet>
               <Name>foo.example.com.</Name>
               <Type>A</Type>
               <TTL>600</TTL>
               <ResourceRecords>
                  <ResourceRecord>
                     <Value>192.0.2.1</Value>
                  </ResourceRecord>
               </ResourceRecords>
            </ResourceRecordSet>
         </Change>
      </Changes>
   </ChangeBatch>
</ChangeResourceRecordSetsRequest>
```

Example Response

This is an example response to the request in the previous example.

Example InvalidChangeBatch Errors

The InvalidChangeBatch error contains a list of messages that contain zero, one or more error messages. This section describes InvalidChangeBatch and some of the errors it might return.

Note

Route 53 locates as many errors as possible, but some errors can only be detected after other errors are fixed. As a result, you might need to repeat your request to locate all the errors.

Example 1

If you already have a resource record set called duplicate.example.com. with type A records, and you try to create the same resource record set again, you receive the following InvalidChangeBatch exception.

Example 2

If you don't have the resource record set noexist.example.com. with type A records, but you try to delete it, you will get the following InvalidChangeBatch error.

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Example 3

If you put the above two changes into a single change batch and you call ChangeResourceRecordSets, you receive this error.

GET ListResourceRecordSets

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Description

To list your resource record sets, send a GET request to the 2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset resource.

The action retrieves a specified number of resource record sets in order, beginning at a position specified by the name and type elements. The action sorts results first by DNS name (with the labels reversed, for example com.amazon.www), and second by the record type.

You can use the name and type elements to adjust the beginning position of the list of resource record sets returned. For more information on using this action to retrieve information about your resource record sets, see Listing Resource Record Sets in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Note

This action returns the most current version of the records. This includes records that are PENDING, and that are not yet available on all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers.

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Syntax

```
GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Route 53 hosted zone ID/rrset?

name=DNS domain name at which to start listing resource record sets& type=resource record set type& identifier=value of SetIdentifier& maxitems=maximum number of resource record sets in the response
```

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

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Parameters

Name	Description	Required
Route 53 hosted zone ID	The ID of the hosted zone containing the resource records sets to be retrieved. Type: String Default: None	Yes
name	The first name in the lexicographic ordering of domain names to be retrieved in the response to the ListResourceRecordSets request. Type: String Default: None	No.
type	The type of resource record set to begin the record listing from. For information about different record types and how data is encoded for them, see Supported DNS Resource Record Types in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide. Type: String Default: None Valid values: A AAAA CNAME MX NS PTR SOA SPF SRV TXT Values for weighted resource record sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Values for alias resource record sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Values for latency resource record sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Constraint: Specifying type without specifying name returns an InvalidInput error.	No
identifier	Weighted and latency resource record sets only: If results were truncated for a given DNS name and type, the value of SetIdentifier for the next resource record set that has the current DNS name and type. Type: String Default: None	Yes, if you are using weighted or latency resource record sets.
maxitems	The maximum number of resource records sets to include in the response body for this request. If the response includes more than maxitems resource record sets, the value of the IsTruncated element in the response is true, and the values of the NextRecordName and NextRecordType elements in the response identify the first resource record set in the next next group of maxitems resource record sets. Type: String Default: 100 Constraint: maximum value is 100. If you specify a value greater than 100, ListResourceRecordSets returns the first 100 resource record sets.	No

Responses

Syntax

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ListResourceRecordSetsResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
  <ResourceRecordSets>
     <ResourceRecordSet>
         <Name>DNS domain name</Name>
         <Type>DNS record type</Type>
         <TTL>time to live in seconds</TTL>
         <ResourceRecords>
            <ResourceRecord>
               <Value>applicable value for the DNS record type</Value>
            </ResourceRecord>
         </ResourceRecords>
     </ResourceRecordSet>
  </ResourceRecordSets>
  <IsTruncated>true | false</IsTruncated>
  <MaxItems>value of maxitems parameter in the previous request/MaxItems>
  <NextRecordName>if IsTruncated is true,
     the DNS domain name of the first resource record set
      in the next group of maxitems resource record sets</NextRecordName>
  <NextRecordType>if IsTruncated is true,
     the DNS record type of the first resource record set
     in the next group of maxitems resource record sets</NextRecordType>
  <NextRecordIdentifier>if IsTruncated is true
     and results were truncated for a weighted or latency
     resource record set, the value of SetIdentifier for the
     first resource record set in the next group of maxitems
     resource record sets</NextRecordIdentifier>
<ListResourceRecordSetsResponse>
```

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Elements

Name	Description
ListResourceRecord SetsResponse	A complex type that contains list information for the resource record set. Type: Complex Children: ResourceRecordSets, IsTruncated, MaxItems, NextRecordName, NextRecordType
ResourceRecordSets	Information about multiple resource record sets. Type: Complex Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse Children: ResourceRecordSet

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Name	Description	
ResourceRecordSet	Information about multiple resource records. Type: Complex Parent: ResourceRecordSets Children: Name, Type, AliasTarget, SetIdentifier, Weight, TTL, ResourceRecords	
Name	The name of the domain. Type: String Parent: ResourceRecordSet	
Туре	The resource record set type the record listing begins from. For more information about resource record types, see Supported DNS Resource Record Types in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide. Type: String Valid Values: A AAAA CNAME MX NS PTR SOA SPF SRV TXT Valid Values for Weighted Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Valid Values for Latency Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Valid Values for Alias Resource Record Sets: A AAAA CNAME TXT Valid Values for Alias Resource Record Sets: A AAAA Parent: ResourceRecordSet	
AliasTarget	Alias resource record sets only: Information about the Elastic Load Balancing load balancer or the Route 53 resource record set to which you are redirecting queries. Type: Complex Parent: ResourceRecordSet Children: HostedZoneId, DNSName	
HostedZoneId	 Alias resource record sets only. If you are routing queries to: An Elastic Load Balancing load balancer, this is the value of the hosted zone ID, CanonicalHostedZoneNameId, for the load balancer. Another Route 53 resource record set, this is the hosted zone ID of the current hosted zone. Type: String Parent: AliasTarget 	
DNSName	 Alias resource record sets only: If you are routing queries to: An Elastic Load Balancing load balancer, this is the external DNS name associated with the load balancer. Another Route 53 resource record set, this is the value of the Name element for a resource record set in the current hosted zone. Type: String Parent: AliasTarget 	

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Name	Description
SetIdentifier	Weighted and latency resource record sets only: An identifier that differentiates among multiple resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type. Type: String Parent: ResourceRecordSet
Weight	Weighted resource record sets only: Among resource record sets that have the same combination of DNS name and type, a value that determines what portion of traffic for the current resource record set is routed to the associated location. Type: Integer Parent: ResourceRecordSet
Region	Latency resource record sets only: The Amazon EC2 region where the resource that is specified in this resource record set resides. Valid values include:
	Asia Pacific (Tokyo) Region: ap-northeast-1
	Asia Pacific (Singapore) Region: ap-southeast-1
	EU (Ireland) Region: eu-west-1
	South America (Sao Paulo) Region: sa-east-1
	US East (Northern Virginia) Region: us-east-1
	US West (Northern California) Region: us-west-1
	US West (Oregon) Region: us-west-2 Type: String Parent: ResourceRecordSet
TTL	All resource record sets except aliases: The resource record cache time to live (TTL), in seconds. Type: Integer Parent: ResourceRecordSet
ResourceRecords	Information about the resource records. Type: Complex Parent: ResourceRecordSet Children: ResourceRecord
ResourceRecord	Information about the resource record. Type: Complex Parent: ResourceRecords Children: Value
Value	Content for the resource record. Type: String Parent: ResourceRecord

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Name	Description
IsTruncated	A flag that indicates whether more resource record sets remain to be listed. If your results were truncated, you can make a follow-up pagination request by using the NextRecordName element. Type: String Valid Values: true false Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse
MaxItems	The maximum number of records you requested. Type: String representation of a number, not to exceed 100 Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse
NextRecordName	If the results were truncated, the name of the next record in the list. This element is present only if IsTruncated is true. Type: String Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse
NextRecordType	If the results were truncated, the type of the next record in the list. This element is present only if IsTruncated is true. Type: String Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse
NextRecordIdentifier	Weighted and latency resource record sets only: If results were truncated for a given DNS name and type, the value of SetIdentifier for the next resource record set that has the current DNS name and type. Type: String Default: None Parent: ListResourceRecordSetsResponse

Errors

The following table lists the error returned for this action.

Name	Description
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.
NoSuchHostedZone	A hosted zone with the specified hosted zone ID does not exist.

Example 1

This example returns a single known record set by setting MaxItems to 1.

Example Request

GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9/rrset?maxitems=1

Example Response

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ListResourceRecordSetsResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ResourceRecordSets>
      <ResourceRecordSet>
         <Name>example.com.</Name>
         <Type>SOA</Type>
         <TTL>900</TTL>
         <ResourceRecords>
            <ResourceRecord>
               <Value>ns-2048.awsdns-64.net. hostmaster.awsdns.com. 1 7200 900
 1209600 86400</Value>
            </ResourceRecord>
         </ResourceRecords>
      </ResourceRecordSet>
   </ResourceRecordSets>
   <IsTruncated>true</IsTruncated>
   <MaxItems>1</MaxItems>
   <NextRecordName>testdoc2.example.com</NextRecordName>
   <NextRecordType>NS</NextRecordType>
</ListResourceRecordSetsResponse>
```

Example 2

This example returns a list of record sets by specifying Name and Type, and setting MaxItems to 10.

Example Request

GET /2012-02-29/hostedzone/Z1PA6795UKMFR9/rrset?type=NS&name=example.com&max items=10

Example Response

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<ListResourceRecordSetsResponse xmlns="https://route53.amazonaws.com/doc/2012-</pre>
02-29/">
   <ResourceRecordSets>
      <ResourceRecordSet>
         <Name>example.com.</Name>
         <Type>NS</Type>
         <TTL>172800</TTL>
         <ResourceRecords>
            <ResourceRecord>
               <Value>ns-2048.awsdns-64.com.</Value>
            </ResourceRecord>
            <ResourceRecord>
               <Value>ns-2049.awsdns-65.net.</Value>
            </ResourceRecord>
            <ResourceRecord>
```

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GET GetChange

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Description

This action returns the current status of a change batch request. The status is one of the following values:

- PENDING indicates that the changes in this request have not replicated to all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers. This is the initial status of all change batch requests.
- INSYNC indicates that the changes have replicated to all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers.

Requests

Syntax

GET /2012-02-29/change/*change ID*

Headers

The request must include the headers that are required in all Route 53 requests. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Parameters

Name	Description	Required
change ID	The ID of the change batch request. The value that you specify here is the value that POST ChangeResourceRecordSets (p. 24) returned in the Id element when you submitted the request. Type: String Default: None	Yes

Responses

Syntax

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
```

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Elements

Name	Description
GetChangeResponse	A complex type that contains the ChangeInfo element. Type: Complex Children: ChangeInfo
ChangeInfo	A complex type that contains information about the specified change batch. Type: Complex Parent: GetChangeResponse Children: Id, Status, SubmittedAt
Id	The ID of the change batch. This is the value that you specified in the change ID parameter when you submitted the request. Type: String Parent: ChangeInfo
Status	 The current status of the change batch request: PENDING indicates that the changes in this request have not replicated to all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers. INSYNC indicates that the changes have replicated to all Amazon Route 53 DNS servers. Type: String Valid Values: PENDING INSYNC Parent: ChangeInfo
SubmittedAt	The date and time that the change batch request was submitted. The z after the time indicates that the time is listed in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), which is synonymous with Greenwich Mean Time in this context. Type: Timestamp Parent: ChangeInfo

Headers

The response will include the headers in all Route 53 responses. For more information, see Common Headers (p. 52).

Errors

This action returns the following error.

Name	Description
InvalidInput	The input is not valid.
NoSuchChange	A change with the specified change ID does not exist.

Examples

Request

GET /2012-02-29/change/C2682N5HXP0BZ4

Response

Common Headers

This section lists the common HTTP headers that Route 53 uses in REST requests.

Request Headers

Header Name	Description	Required
X-Amzn-Authorization	The information required for request authentication. For more information, go to Authenticating REST Requests in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide.	Yes
Content-Length	Length of the message (without the headers) according to the RFC 2616 specification. Condition: Required if the request body itself contains information (most toolkits add this header automatically).	Conditional
Content-Type	The content type of the resource. Example: text/plain. Condition: Required for POST and PUT requests.	Conditional
Date	The date used to create the signature contained in the X-Amzn-Authorization header. Condition: Required unless you provide the x-amz-date header. For more information about the request time stamp, and for information on formatting dates, go to REST Requests in the Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide).	Conditional
Host	The host being requested. The value must be route53.amazonaws.com. Condition: Required for HTTP 1.1 (most toolkits add this header automatically)	Conditional

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Header Name	Description	Required
x-amz-date	The date used to create the signature contained in the X-Amzn-Authorization header. Condition: Required if you do not provide the Date header. If both this header and the Date header are present, the Date header is ignored. For more information about the request time stamp, and for	Conditional
	information on formatting date, go to REST Requests in the <i>Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide</i>).	

Request ID Response Header

Each response contains a request ID that you can use if you need to troubleshoot a request with Route 53. The ID is contained in an HTTP header called x-amz-request-id. An example of a request ID is 647cd254-e0d1-44a9-af61-1d6d86ea6b77.

Common Errors

The following table lists the errors that all Amazon Route 53 actions return. Errors specific to a particular action are listed in the topic for that action. For information about the format of error responses, go to REST Responses in the *Amazon Route 53 Developer Guide*.

Error	Description	HTTP Status Code
AccessDenied	Access denied.	403
InappropriateXML	The XML document you provided was well-formed and valid, but not appropriate for this operation.	400
InternalError	We encountered an internal error. Please try again.	500
InvalidAction	The action specified is not valid.	400
InvalidArgument	<parameter and="" name="" problem=""></parameter>	400
UnrecognizedClient	The security token included in the request is invalid.	403
MissingAuthenticationToken	The HTTP authorization header is bad, use the format:	403
	AWS3-HTTPS AWSAccessKeyId=Access Key, Algorithm=ALGORITHM,Signa ture=Base64(Algorithm((ValueOfD ateHeader), SigningKey))	
InvalidHTTPRequest	There was an error in the body of your HTTP request.	400
InvalidURI	Could not parse the specified URI.	400

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Error	Description	HTTP Status Code
MalformedXML	The XML you provided was not well-formed or did not validate against our published schema.	400
MissingRequiredParameter	Authorized request must have a date or x-amz-date header.	400
AccessDenied	The API version specified does not exist.	400
NotImplemented	Not implemented.	501
OptInRequired	The AWS Access Key ID needs a subscription for the service.	403
RequestExpired	Request has expired. Time stamp date is <the date="" header<br="" of="" or="" the="" value="" x-amz-date="">you submitted in the request>.</the>	400
InvalidSignature	The request signature Amazon Route 53 calculated does not match the signature you provided. Check your AWS Secret Access Key and signing method. Consult the service documentation for details.	403