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## Manage users and permissions

A *user* is defined as any individual who can log in to Grafana. Each user is associated with a *role* that includes *permissions*. Permissions determine the tasks a user can perform in the system. For example, the **Admin** role includes permissions for an administrator to create and delete users.

The following topics describe how to use permissions to control user access to data sources, dashboards, users, and teams.

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