

Live AWS Resource manager Project using SHELL SCRIPTING for DevOps

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gx5E47R9fGk&list=PLdpzxOOAlwvIKMhk8WhzN1pYoJ1YU8Csa&index=13>)

Create a Linux image in the EC2 instance and connect to it.

```
pwd
```

```
/home/ec2-user
```

```
Vim aws_resource_tracker.sh
```

Click i to write then paste the script and type esc , :wq

Give the execute permission to the script

```
chmod 777 aws_resource_tracker.sh
```

For a Bash script used in a cron job, you should ensure the following permissions:

Permissions for Bash Script:

- **Read and execute** permissions for the user running the cron job.
- Typically, you'll want to use `chmod 700` to allow only the script owner to read, write, and execute the script.

```
bash
```

```
chmod 700 /path/to/your-script.sh
```

To schedule a cron job, you can edit the crontab using:

```
bash
```

```
crontab -e
```

Add the Cron Job:

- Add the following line to schedule the script to run
bash

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```
* * * * * /home/ec2-user/aws-resource-tracker.sh >>  
/home/ec2-user/log/aws-resource-ouput.txt 2>&1
```

Here's a breakdown of the cron job line:

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- This defines the schedule for the cron job:
 - **First *** (minute): Runs every minute.
 - **Second *** (hour): Every hour.
 - **Third *** (day of the month): Every day of the month.
 - **Fourth *** (month): Every month.
 - **Fifth *** (day of the week): Every day of the week.

So, this job will run **every minute**.

 `/home/ec2-user/aws-resource-tracker.sh`

- This is the path to the script that will be executed (`aws-resource-tracker.sh`).

 `>> /home/ec2-user/log/aws_resource-output.txt`

- The `>>` operator appends the output (stdout) of the script to the file `/home/ec2-user/log/aws_resource-output.txt`. If the file doesn't exist, it will be created.





 `2>&1`

- This redirects **stderr (2)** to the same file as **stdout (1)**. So, both standard output and error messages from the script will be logged into the same file.

Full Explanation

Every minute, the cron job runs the script `/home/ec2-user/aws-resource-tracker.sh`. Both the output and error messages from the script are logged to `/home/ec2-user/log/aws_resource-output.txt`.

Also, you have to create an IAM role that gives this permission to the EC2 instance.

Policy name	Type	Attached entities
 AmazonEC2ReadOnlyAccess	AWS managed	1
 AmazonRDSReadOnlyAccess	AWS managed	1
 AmazonS3ReadOnlyAccess	AWS managed	1
 IAMReadOnlyAccess		

Attach the IAM Role to the EC2 Instance:

- Go to the [EC2 Management Console](#).
- Select the instance where you want to run the script.
- Click **Actions** → **Security** → **Modify IAM role**.
- Select the IAM role you created ([EC2-AWS-Resource-Tracker-Role](#)) from the dropdown and click **Update IAM role**.