

- and get alerts advanced - track usage, costs, RI, Savings plans: easy way to save based on long term usage of AWS.

## → Advanced Identity Section → AWS STS (Security Token Service)

- Enables you to create temporary, limited-privileges credentials to access your AWS resources.
- Short-term credentials: you configure expiration period.
- Use cases:
  - 1) Identity federation: Provide external systems with STS tokens.
  - 2) IAM Roles for cross (same) account access
  - 3) IAM roles for Amazon EC2.



Temporary Role  
(Same / cross account)

assumes role  
User → Temporary Access  
Security Credentials

STS Service

AWS Resources

→ Amazon Cognito (Simplified) of two types: Identity for your web & mobile application users & potentially millions of users. Instead of creating them an IAM, you create a user in Cognito by having

Mobile Application

login

Amazon Cognito

Login with Facebook, Google, Twitter

Web Application

Database of users

→ What is Amazon Microsoft Active Directory (AD)?

1) Found on any Windows Servers with AD Domain Services



2)

Database of objects: User accounts, Computer, Printers, File share, Security Groups.  
Centralized security management, create account, assign permissions.

### AWS Directory Services

1) AWS Managed Microsoft AD

2) Create your own AD in AWS, manage users locally, supports MFA. Establish trust connection with your on-premise AD.

2)

AD Connector: Directory Gateway (proxy) to redirect sign-on requests to on-premise AD, supports MFA. Users are managed with the on-premise AD.

3)

Simple AD:

AD compatible managed directory on AWS. Cannot be joined with on-premise AD.

### AWS Single-Sign-On (SSO)

Centrally manage

Access multiple accounts and 3rd party business applications.

Integrated with AWS organisations

Supports SAML 2.0

Integration with on-premise AD.



# \* Advanced Identity Summary \*

**IAM:** Identity and Access Management

1) For users that you trust and belong to your company.

2) **Organizations:** Manage multiple AWS accounts

**STS:** Temporary & limited privileges credentials for access to AWS resources.

**Cognito:** Create a database of users for your mobile & web applications.

**Directory Service:** Integrate Microsoft Active Directory with AWS.

**Single Sign-On (SSO):** One login for multiple AWS accounts & applications.

**2FA:** no problem managing multiple 2FA. AD cannot be joined with on-premise AD.

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control panel

Access multiple accounts and 2FA. Review obligations.

Integrated with AWS Organizations.

Support IAM 5.0

Integrated with on-premise AD.