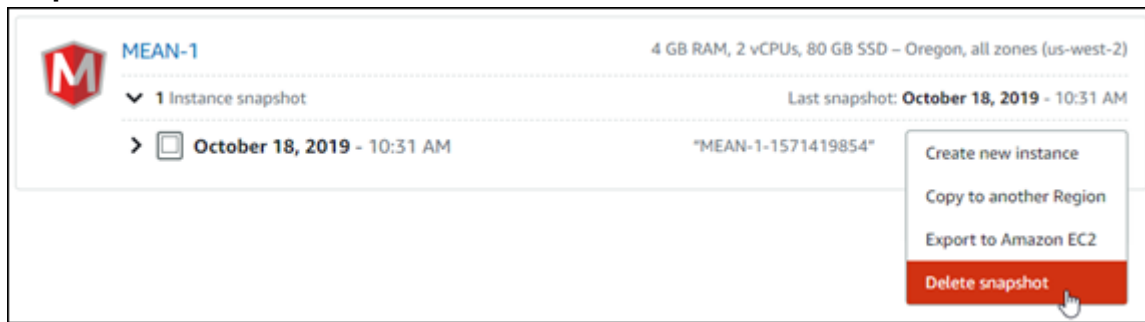# Deleting snapshots in Amazon Lightsail

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Delete instance, database, and disk snapshots in Amazon Lightsail if you no longer need them to avoid incurring a monthly charge.
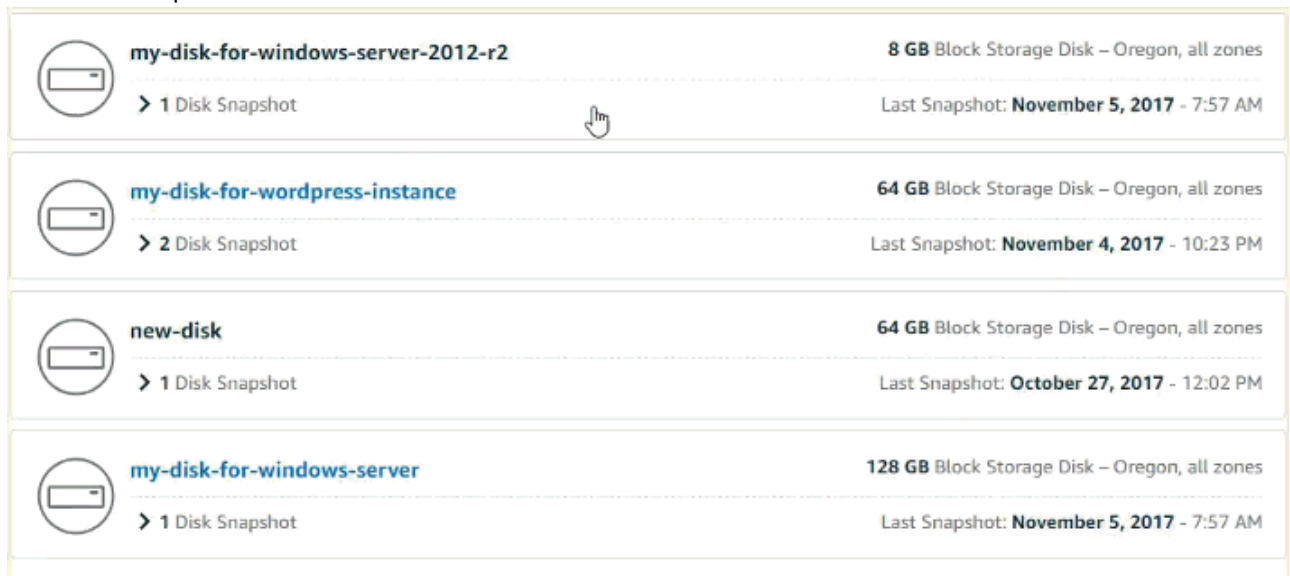
Delete an individual snapshot

1. On the Lightsail console, choose **Snapshots** tab.

2. Find the Lightsail resource whose snapshot you want to delete, and choose the right-arrow to expand the list of of available snapshots for that resource.

3. Choose the actions menu icon (⋮) next to the snapshot you want to delete, and choose **Delete snapshot**.

4. Choose **Yes** to confirm that you want to delete the snapshot. **Important**
   This is a permanent operation and can't be undone. You will lose all data on the snapshot when you delete it.

Delete multiple snapshots

1. From the Lightsail home page, choose **Snapshots**.

2. Find the Lightsail resource whose snapshots you want to delete, and choose the right-arrow to expand the list of snapshots.

3. Choose **Delete multiple**.

4. Choose the snapshots you want to delete, and choose **Delete**.

5. Choose **Yes** to confirm that you want to delete the snapshots. **Important**
   This is a permanent operation and can't be undone. You will lose all data on the snapshots when you delete them.