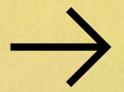
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## ASSESSING THE AWS SECURITY CHECKLIST



#IAM #RBAC

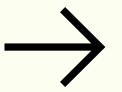
#### IAM

- MFA: Strongly recommended for all users.
- IAM Roles: Best practice for application access.
- Access Key Rotation: Regular rotation is essential for security.
- Least Privilege: Crucial to limit potential damage.
- CloudTrail: Essential for auditing and monitoring.



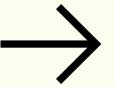
#### NETWORK SECURITY

- **VPC:** Fundamental for isolation.
- Security Groups and Network ACLs: Effective for traffic control.
- VPC Flow Logs: Valuable for network analysis.



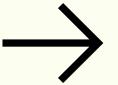
#### DATA PROTECTION

- Encryption at Rest:
  Essential for sensitive data.
- ACM: Simplifies SSL/TLS certificate management.
- Encryption in Transit: Mandatory for secure communication.



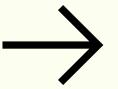
## MONITORING & LOGGING

- CloudTrail: Provides a detailed audit log.
- CloudWatch: Essential for monitoring and alerting.
- Config: Tracks resource configurations and changes.



#### INCIDENT RESPONSE

- Plan: A well-defined plan is crucial for effective response.
- IAM Roles: Streamline temporary access during incidents.
- GuardDuty: Provides continuous threat detection.

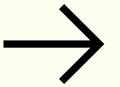


## COMPLIANCE & GOVERNANCE

- Organizations: Useful for managing multiple accounts.
- Config Rules: Enforce compliance policies.
- Trusted Advisor: Offers valuable recommendations.

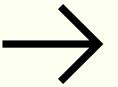
#### APPLICATION SECURITY

- WAF: Protects against common web attacks.
- Shield: Essential for DDoS protection.
- Updates and Patches:
   Regular patching is vital for security.



## BACKUP & RECOVERY

- AWS Backup: Simplifies backup management.
- Testing: Regular testing ensures plan effectiveness.
- Encryption and Storage: Essential for data protection.



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