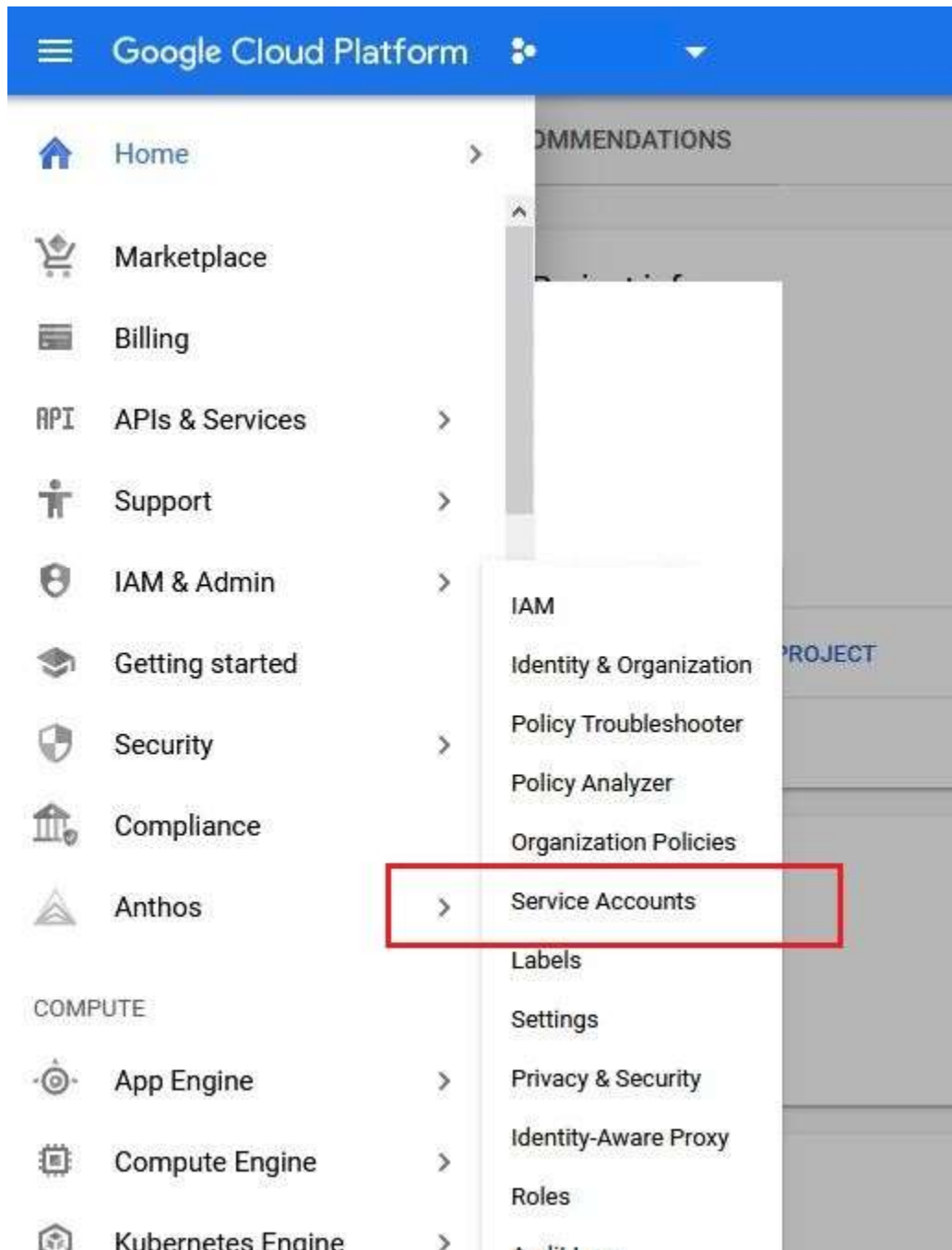# Creating a Google Cloud Platform (GCP) Service Account

1. From the GCP Console, go to "IAM & Admin"

2. Create Service Account

3. Go through Create Service Account steps

4. When setting Service Account Access (permissions) , "Storage Object Viewer" role is recommended

5. Once the account has been created, go to the "Actions" column and click on the icon next to the newly created service account. Select "Create Key" then download a copy of the key to a secure location that can be accessed from the Auto Trader Client. A "config" directory within Auto Trader Client is recommended.