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# Continuous innovation in AWS Threat Detection and Monitoring services

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## Topics we will cover

Overview of AWS Threat Detection & Monitoring Service portfolio

New features and key capabilities

Demo overview

Q&A



## Continuously integrated security



Integrate AWS security services to achieve continuous threat detection, optimized route workflows, and minimal remediation time



Empower SecOps and DevOps teams to unify visibility and automate responses to help them achieve operational excellence in cloud security

## Threat detection, monitoring, and response



Security Monitoring and Threat Detection

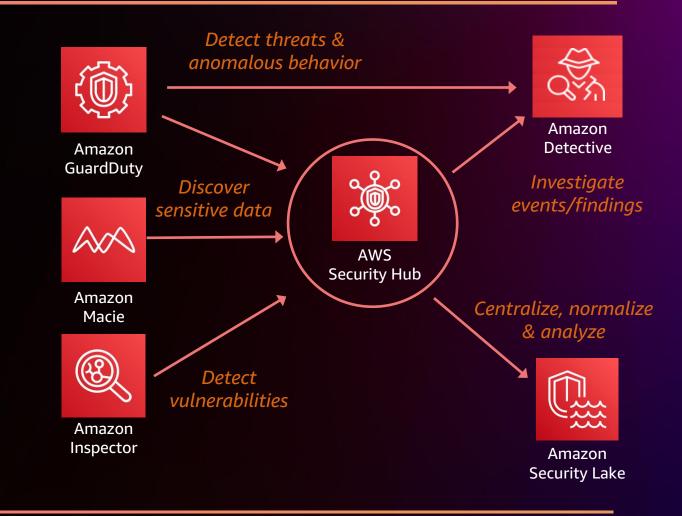








Integrated with AWS Workloads in an AWS Account, along with identities and network activity

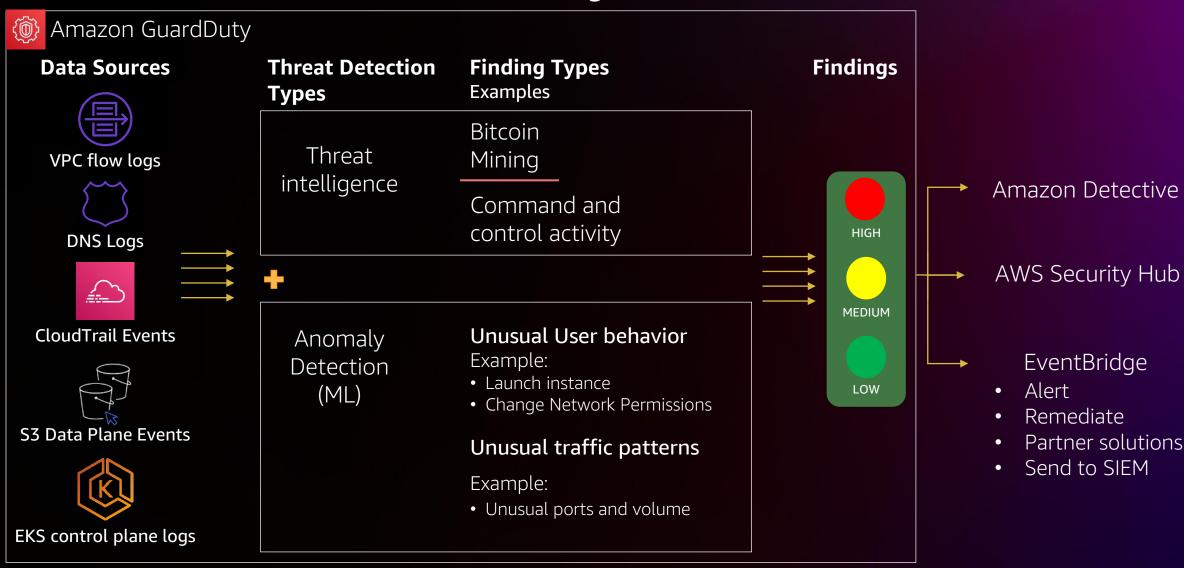




## Detection of threats and suspicious events



## **How Amazon GuardDuty works**





## An Expansion of GuardDuty

#### **Data Sources**



**VPC** flow logs



**DNS Logs** 





CloudTrail Events



S3 Data Plane Events



EKS control plane logs

#### **Security Analytics**

Machine Learning

Threat Intelligence Continuous learning







Incorporating new machine learning techniques that model RDS login activity to accurately detect suspicious logins to RDS databases

#### **Security Findings**



Actionable

Accurate

Contextual

Security findings are enriched with contextual data, so you can quickly answer questions such as, what database was accessed? Where was it accessed from? Has this user previously accessed the database?



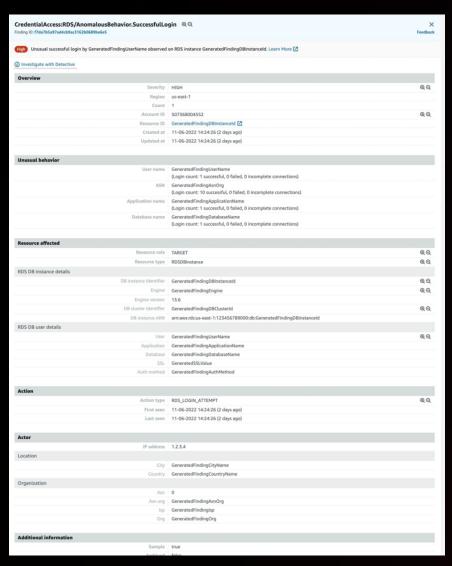
**AWS Partner** 

Network

Integration



## Context to quickly investigate and respond



Finding name indicates whether the anomalous behavior was a successful or failed login

Unusual behavior section allows you to quickly see what suspicious behavior triggered the alert, including user, database, and application names, and the ASN the database was accessed from

Resource section provides details on the database, and the user that accessed it

Actor section provides details on the IP address that the database was accessed from, including country, and ASN



### **GuardDuty S3 Protection**

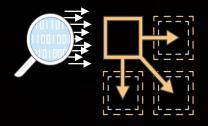


NEW MACHINE LEARNING CAPABILITIES AND THREAT DETECTIONS

The new machine learning approach can more accurately identify malicious activity associated with known attack tactics, including data discovery, tampering, and exfiltration.



This new capability continuously models S3 data plane API invocations (e.g. GET, PUT, and DELETE) within an account, incorporating probabilistic predictions to more accurately alert on highly suspicious user access to data stored in S3 buckets, such as requests coming from an unusual geo-location, or unusually high volumes of API calls consistent with attempts to exfiltrate data.



GuardDuty's S3 protection includes 19 managed threat detections tailored to help protect your data stored in S3. These threat detections are available to customers that have enabled S3 protection in GuardDuty.



## **GuardDuty for EKS Finding Types**

#### **Policy**

- Exposed dashboard
- Admin access to default service account
- Anonymous access granted

#### Malicious access

- Data discovery, exfiltration, or modification from:
  - Tor
  - Successful anonymous access
  - Malicious IPs

#### **Suspicious behavior**

- Execution in Kubernetes system pod
- Container with sensitive mount
- Privilege container

GuardDuty immediately begins to analyze Kubernetes data sources from your Amazon EKS clusters and monitors them for malicious and suspicious activity.

GuardDuty aligns findings using the MITRE ATT&CK framework

Credential Access

Defense Evasion

Discovery

Impact

Privilege Escalation Policy

Execution

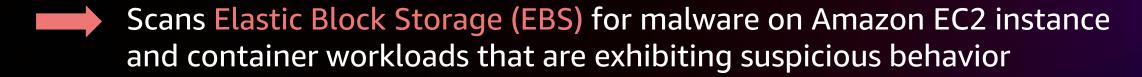
Persistence



### **Amazon Guard Duty Malware Protection**

**GuardDuty Malware Protection** – a fully managed malware detection service supports detection of malicious software by scanning Amazon Elastic Block Storage (EBS) and container workloads running on Amazon EC2.





- Automatic malware scanning triggered on GuardDuty findings
- Agentless no security software required to install or maintain



NEW

## Amazon GuardDuty EKS runtime monitoring

Lightweight, fully managed security agent that monitors on-host operating system-level behavior

Provide visibility into the activity of the containers themselves and the EC2 host they run on

Detect early signs of an attack like suspicious script executions or communications with a C&C server

Integrated to Amazon Detective to make it easier to investigate and find root cause





#### Container runtime threat detection

DETECT THREATS TO CONTAINERS BY MONITORING OPERATING SYSTEM-LEVEL BEHAVIOR

#### **Improved Safety**

Detects suspicious script executions, which is an early sign of an attack

Identifies specific containers trying to communicate with a command & control server

#### **High Performance**

Lightweight, fully managed security agent

Integrates with EKS for automated resource discovery and agent deployment

#### **More Visibility**

Detects malicious activity earlier in attack cycle

Monitors on-host OSlevel behavior, such as file access, process execution, and network connections



## **EKS Runtime Monitoring**

#### Threat Intel Findings

Applies threat intelligence to IP and DNS requests.

#### **Privilege Escalation**

- RunC Container Escapes
- CGroup agent modification
- Host directory mounts
- Userfaultd usage
- Containers accessing docker socket

#### **Suspicious behavior**

- Execution of new binaries or scripts in running containers.
- LD\_Preload function hijacks
- Memory marked as executable
- New kernel modules

- EKS integration allows for 1-Click deployment and AWS Organizations integration
- Findings include Pod details as well as detailed process metadata
- Existing GuardDuty backend VPC Flow Log and DNS monitoring in event of agent failures

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## Investigate events



#### **Amazon Detective Use Case Benefits**

INVESTIGATE ISSUES FASTER AND WITH LESS EFFORT



#### 1) Finding / Alert triage

Accelerate triage and avoid unnecessary escalations



#### 2) Incident Investigation

Improve context and surface correlated behavior



#### 3) Threat Hunting

Simplify data collection, aggregation and pivoting

## Amazon Detective – Security behavior graph





### **Amazon Detective support for EKS**

Amazon Detective security investigations for Amazon Elastic Kubernetes Service (Amazon EKS) clusters to quickly analyze, investigate, and identify the root-cause of malicious or suspicious behavior that represents potential threats to container workloads.



Review Amazon EKS specific activity, such as pod volume patterns and container service user activity, including divergent behavior within and across EKS clusters



Investigate security findings with their EKS clusters, such as cryptocurrency mining, unintentional admin privilege exposure, container misconfigurations that allow access to underlying EC2 nodes, or behavioral patterns common to compromised container clusters.

## Manage vulnerabilities



## What is Amazon Inspector?

Amazon Inspector is an automated vulnerability management service that continually scans workloads for software vulnerabilities and unintended network exposure



## Added support for Lambda functions

With this expanded capability, Amazon Inspector now identifies software vulnerabilities (CVEs) in application package dependencies used in the Lambda function code and associated layers.



Simplified one-click enablement and Multiaccount support with AWS Organization



Automated discovery and continuous monitoring of all functions

- ✓ Automated discovery upon deployment
- ✓ Continuous scanning based on:
  - ✓ Updates to the function
  - ✓ New CVEs being published
- ✓ No agents needed



Easy prioritization and remediation with exploitability and Fixed-in package details



Automation through integration with Amazon EventBridge



Amazon Inspect<u>or</u>



A single pane of glass for vulnerabilities across all resources

- ✓ Lambda functions
- ✓ EC2 instances
- Container images in ECR

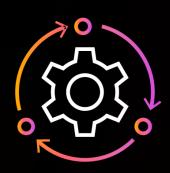


Note: Automated exclusion of stale functions that have not been invoked in 90 days plus manual tag based exclusion available

# Continuous monitoring with automated response & remediation



## Security Hub – response & remediation



Enable
automated
remediation for
high-severity
configuration
findings



Use **custom actions** to invoke runbooks for automated response



Use partner integrations to consolidate and normalize security findings



Integrate with ticketing and workflow tools



## Centralized management of your security data



## **Amazon Security Lake**

AUTOMATICALLY CENTRALIZE SECURITY DATA INTO A PURPOSE-BUILT DATA LAKE IN A FEW CLICKS



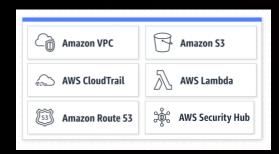
**Centralize** data automatically from cloud, onpremises, and custom security sources across AWS Regions

**Optimize** and manage security data for more efficient storage and query performance

**Normalize** data to an industry standard to easily share and use with multiple analytics tools

**Analyze** using your preferred analytics tools while retaining control and ownership of your security data

### How it works

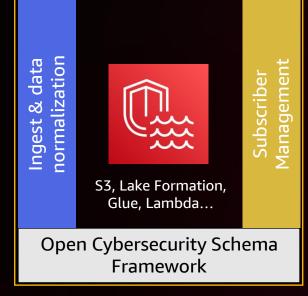


AWS logs sources + finding from over 50 security solutions

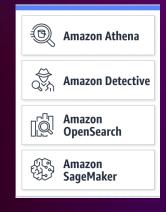


Enterprise security solutions

#### **Amazon Security Lake**



Customer owned, managed data lake



AWS security and analytics

Customers can use

any analytics



Analytics & XDR Platforms

sumo logic Trellix



## **Amazon Security Lake Partners**































































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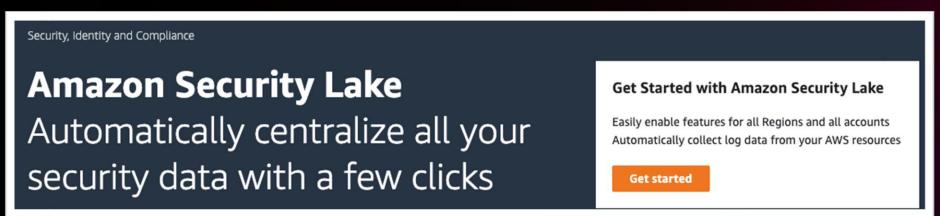




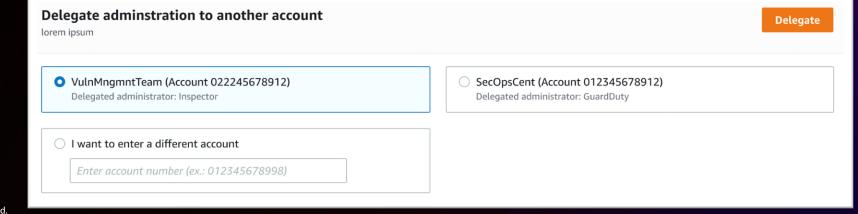


## **Getting Started – AWS Organizations**

- Security Lake works with AWS Organizations
- Define the delegated admin account in your organization





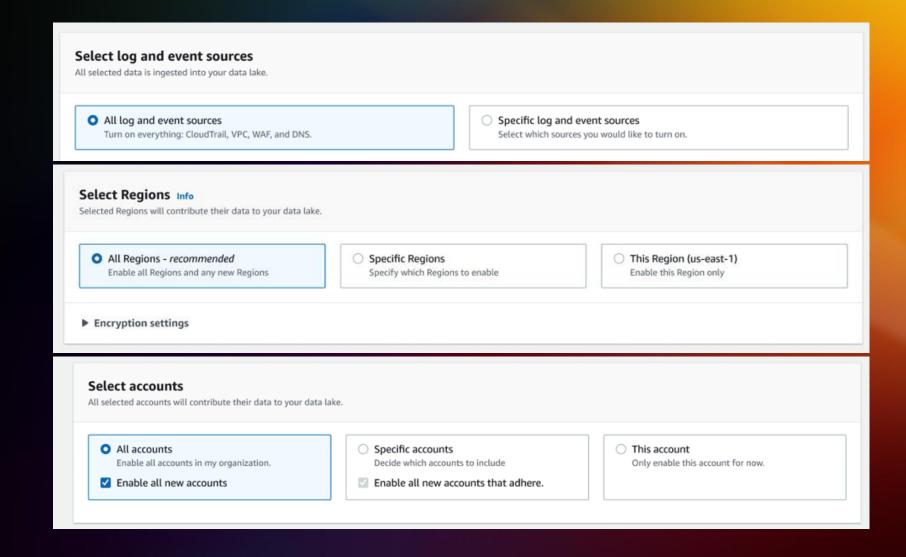


## **Getting Started – Collect everything**

Everything on by default

Multi-Region enablement

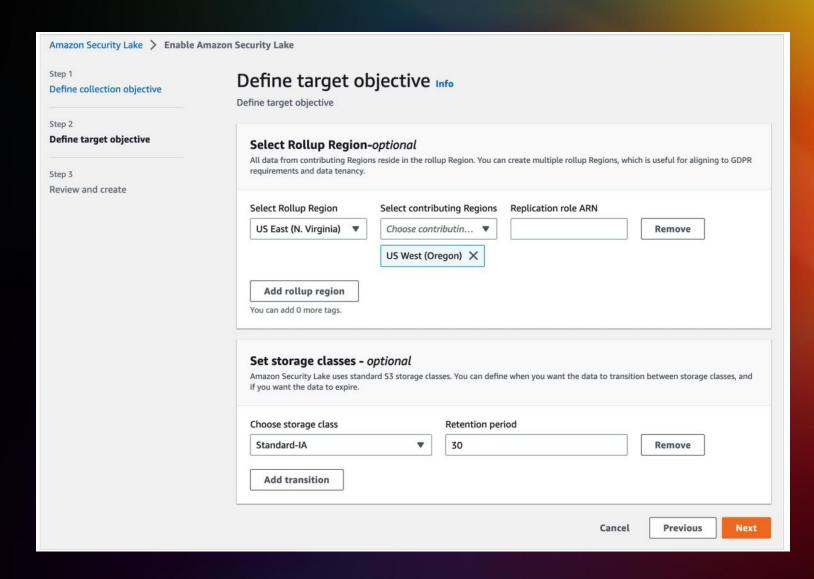
All accounts of your organization



## **Getting Started – Centralization and Retention**

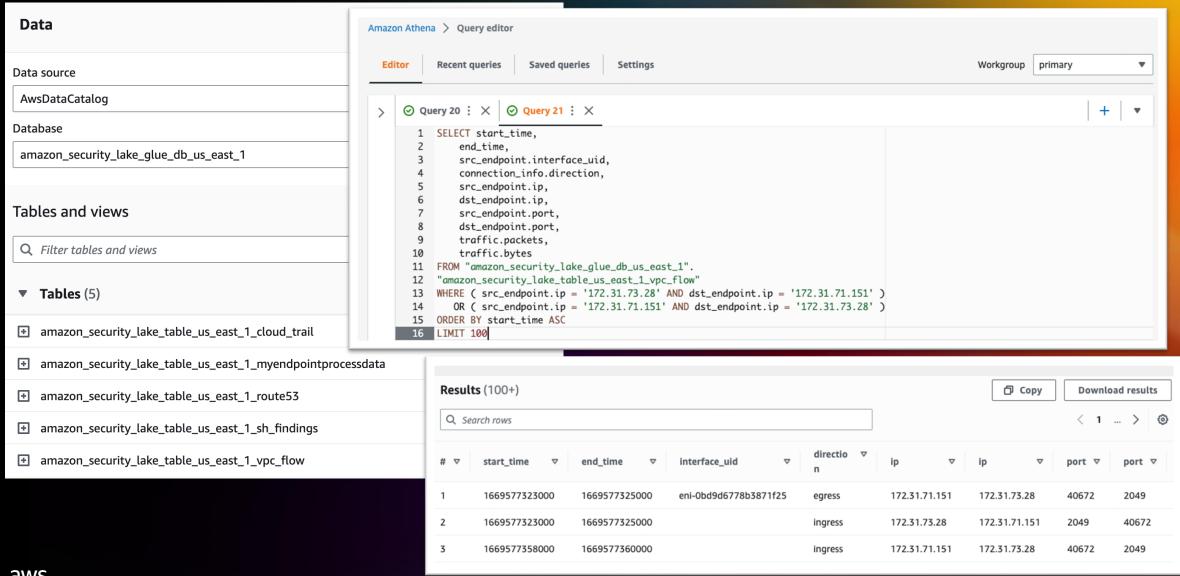
One or multiple central Regions

Define storage class transitions



Done!

## You can immediately query your data



## Summary: Simple and Scalable Security Monitoring

#### Scale existing services

Customers use same console, findings, and experience

#### Simple and easy deployment

One-click enables container support
AWS Orgs assures environment-wide enablement
(new customers have support on by default)

#### **Continuous monitoring**

Centralization of security findings scales and automates operations

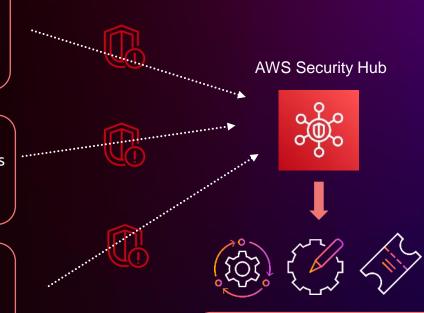


#### **GuardDuty RDS Protection**

Protect your data stored in Amazon RDS databases (starting with Amazon Aurora)

#### <u>GuardDuty Malware</u> <u>Protection</u>

At launch is aware of containers running on EC2



**Amazon Detective** 

#### **Detective EKS Investigation**

Detective is container-aware and continuously aggregates EKS logs into graph model and analytics. Pivot from GuardDuty console to immediately investigate findings for root cause analysis.

**Amazon Inspector** 

#### **Inspector Serverless Support**

Inspector now identifies software vulnerabilities (CVEs) in application package dependencies used in the Lambda function code

#### **Automate Response**

Initiate automated remediation, invoke runbooks, integrate with ticketing and workflow tools



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