

# Amazon S3 Overview



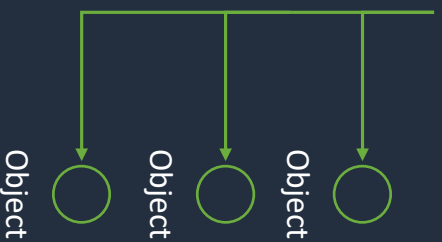


# Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3)



A **bucket** is a container for objects

S3 Bucket



An **object** is a file you upload

You can store millions of **objects** in a **bucket**



Accessing objects in a bucket:

[https://\*bucket\*.s3.\*aws-region\*.amazonaws.com/\*key\*](https://bucket.s3.aws-region.amazonaws.com/key)

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The **HTTP protocol** is used with a **REST API** (e.g. GET, PUT, POST, SELECT, DELETE)



## Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3)

- You can store any type of file in S3
- Files can be anywhere from 0 bytes to 5 TB
- There is unlimited storage available
- S3 is a universal namespace so **bucket names** must be **unique globally**
- However, you create your buckets within a **REGION**
- It is a best practice to create buckets in regions that are physically closest to your users to reduce latency
- There is no hierarchy for objects within a bucket
- Delivers strong read-after-write consistency

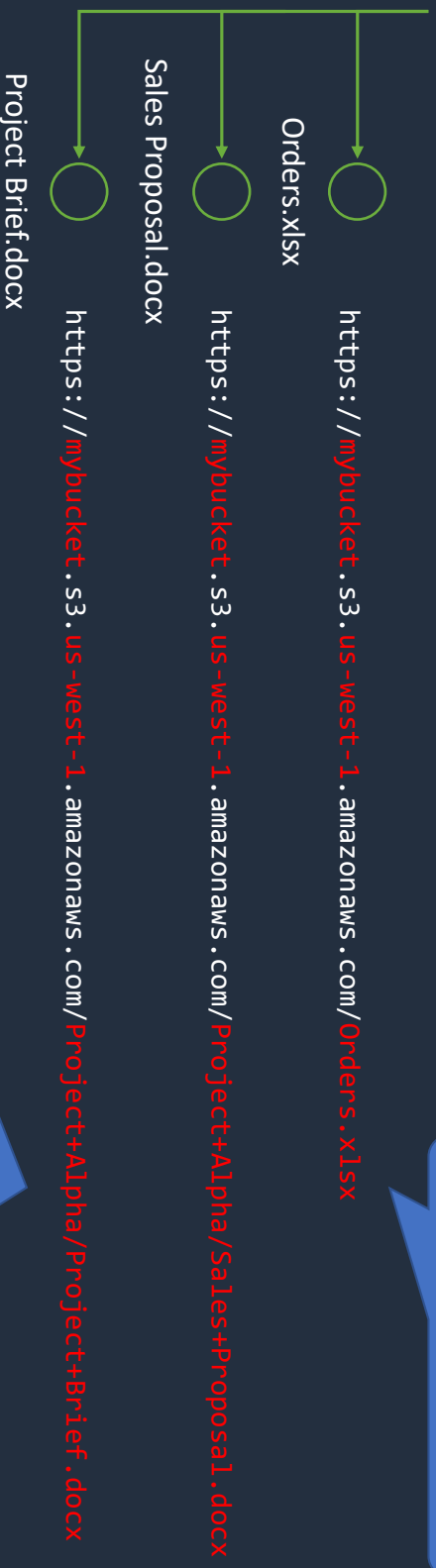


# Buckets, Folders, and Objects



`https://mybucket.s3-website-us-west-1.amazonaws.com`

mybucket



The object name is the **Key** the data is the **Value**

A **Folder** is a shared **prefix** for grouping objects

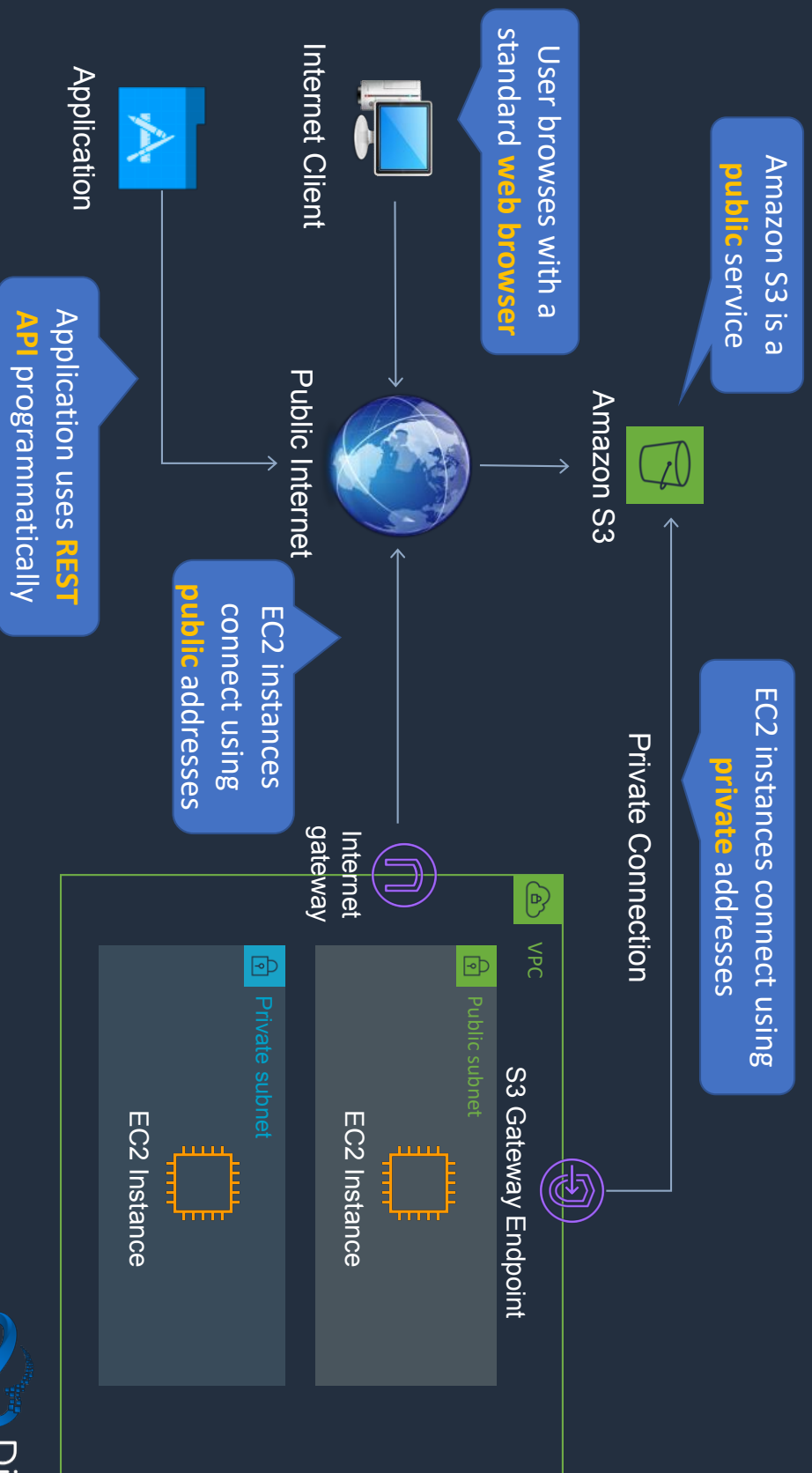


## Buckets, Folders, and Objects

- Folders **can** be created within folders
- Buckets **cannot** be created within other buckets
- An objects consists of:
  - Key (the name of the object)
  - Version ID
  - Value (actual data)
  - Metadata
  - Subresources
  - Access control information



# Accessing Amazon S3



# Amazon S3 Storage Classes





## Durability and Availability in S3

### Durability

Durability is protection against:

- Data loss
- Data corruption
- S3 offers 11 9s durability (99.99999999)

If you store 10 million objects, then you expect to lose one object every 10,000 years!

### Availability

Availability is a measurement of:

- The amount of time the data is available to you
- Expressed as a percent of time per year
- E.g. 99.99%





# S3 Storage Classes

	S3 Standard		S3 Intelligent Tiering		S3 Standard-IA		S3 One Zone-IA		S3 Glacier Instant Retrieval		S3 Glacier Flexible Retrieval		S3 Glacier Deep Archive	
<b>Designed for durability</b>	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%	99.999999999%
<b>Designed for availability</b>	99.99%	99.99%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.5%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.99%	99.99%	99.99%	99.99%	99.99%
<b>Availability SLA</b>	99.9%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%
<b>Availability Zones</b>	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	1	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3	≥3
<b>Minimum capacity charge per object</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	128KB	128KB	128KB	128KB	40KB	40KB	40KB	40KB	40KB	40KB	40KB
<b>Minimum storage duration charge</b>	N/A	N/A	30 days	30 days	30 days	90 days	90 days	180 days	180 days	180 days	180 days	180 days	180 days	180 days
<b>Retrieval fee</b>	N/A	N/A	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved	Per GB retrieved
<b>First byte latency</b>	milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	milliseconds	minutes or hours	minutes or hours	minutes or hours	minutes or hours	minutes or hours	minutes or hours	minutes or hours
<b>Storage type</b>	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object	Object
<b>Lifecycle transitions</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

# Amazon S3 Lifecycle Policies





## S3 Lifecycle Management

There are two types of actions:

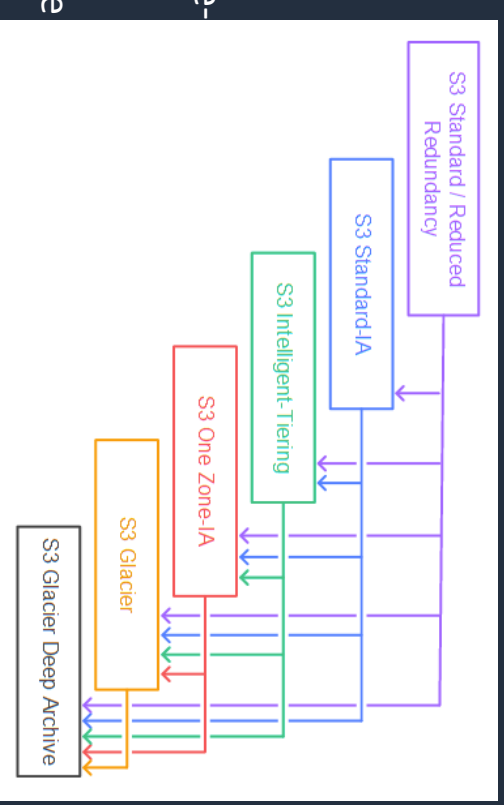
- **Transition actions** - Define when objects transition to another storage class
- **Expiration actions** - Define when objects expire (deleted by S3)



# S3 LM: Supported Transitions

You can transition from the following:

- The S3 Standard storage class to any other storage class
- Any storage class to the S3 Glacier or S3 Glacier Deep Archive storage classes
- The S3 Standard-IA storage class to the S3 Intelligent-Tiering or S3 One Zone-IA storage classes
- The S3 Intelligent-Tiering storage class to the S3 One Zone-IA storage class
- The S3 Glacier storage class to the S3 Glacier Deep Archive storage class

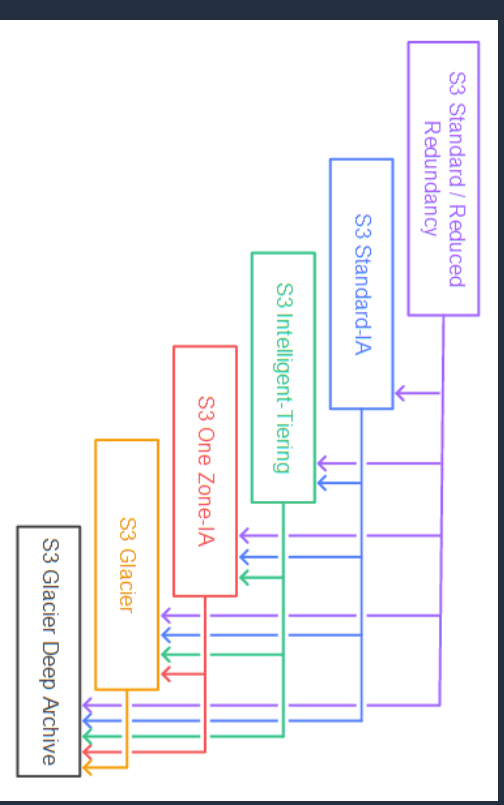




# S3 LM: Unsupported Transitions

You can't transition from the following:

- Any storage class to the S3 Standard storage class
- Any storage class to the Reduced Redundancy storage class
- The S3 Intelligent-Tiering storage class to the S3 Standard-IA storage class
- The S3 One Zone-IA storage class to the S3 Standard-IA or S3 Intelligent-Tiering storage classes





# S3 Lifecycle Management

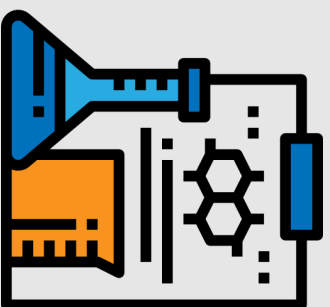
- Can create a lifecycle policy through the console or CLI/API
- When configured using the CLI/API an XML or JSON file must be supplied
- API actions to create/update/delete lifecycle policies:
  - **PutBucketLifecycleConfiguration** - Creates a new lifecycle configuration for the bucket or replaces an existing lifecycle configuration
  - **GetBucketLifecycleConfiguration** - Returns the lifecycle configuration information set on the bucket
  - **DeleteBucketLifecycle** - Deletes the lifecycle configuration from the specified bucket



## Example S3 Lifecycle Policy (XML)

```
<LifecycleConfiguration>
  <Rule>
    <ID>ExampleRule</ID>
    <Filter>
      <Prefix>documents/</Prefix>
    </Filter>
    <Status>Enabled</Status>
    <Transition>
      <Days>365</Days>
      <StorageClass>GLACIER</StorageClass>
    </Transition>
    <Expiration>
      <Days>3650</Days>
    </Expiration>
  </Rule>
</LifecycleConfiguration>
```

# Configure Replication and Lifecycle





# S3 Versioning and Replication





## S3 Versioning

- Versioning is a means of keeping multiple variants of an object in the same bucket
- Use versioning to preserve, retrieve, and restore every version of every object stored in your Amazon S3 bucket
- Versioning-enabled buckets enable you to recover objects from accidental deletion or overwrite

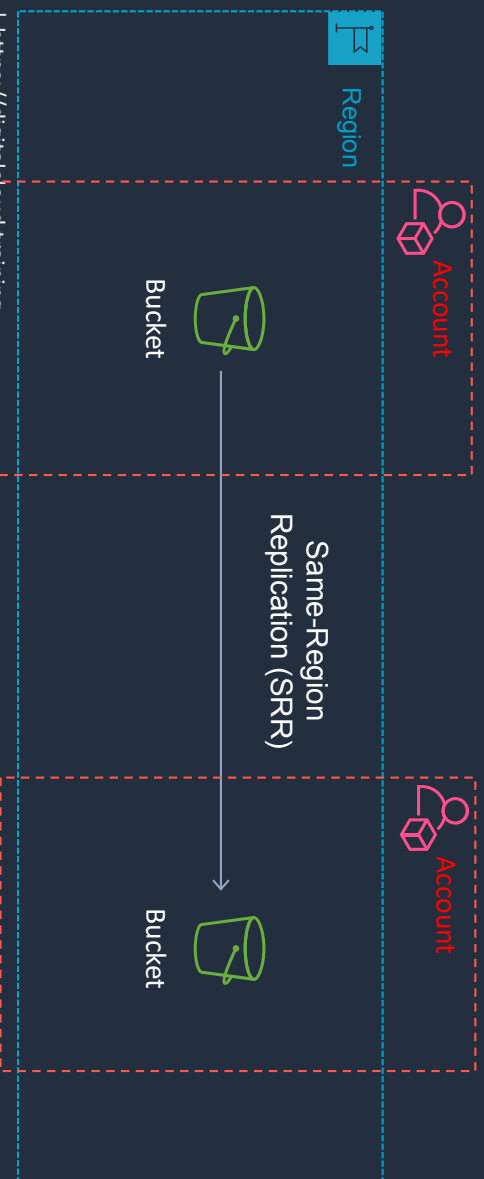


# S3 Replication

Cross-Region Replication (CRR)



Same-Region Replication (SRR)



Buckets must have  
**versioning** enabled

# Amazon S3 Encryption





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## Server-side encryption with S3 managed keys (SSE-S3)



- S3 managed keys
- Unique object keys
- Master key
- AES 256



Encryption /  
decryption



User

## Server-side encryption with AWS KMS managed keys (SSE-KMS)



- KMS managed keys
- Can be AWS managed keys
- Or customer managed KMS keys



Encryption /  
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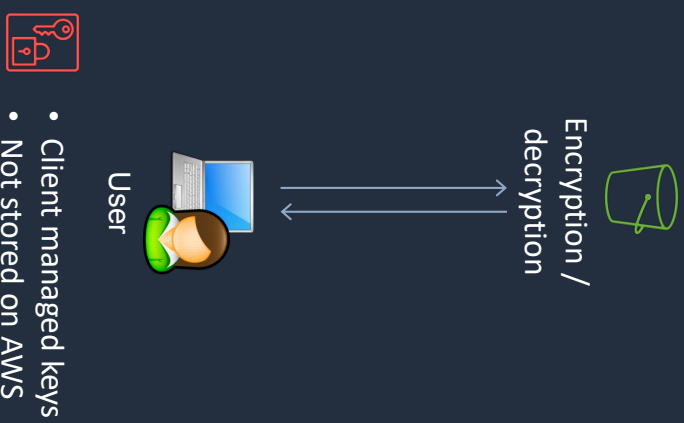


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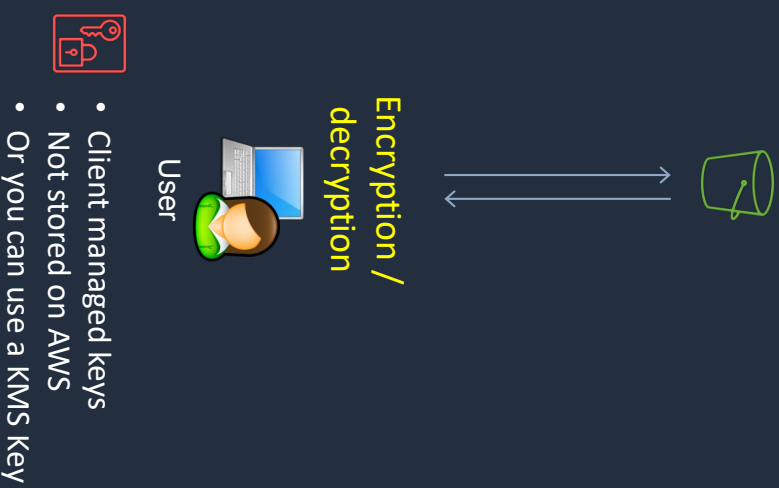


# Amazon S3 Encryption

## Server-side encryption with client provided keys (SSE-C)



## Client-side encryption





# Amazon S3 Default Encryption

- All Amazon S3 buckets have encryption configured by default
- All new object uploads to Amazon S3 are automatically encrypted
- There is no additional cost and no impact on performance
- Objects are automatically encrypted by using server-side encryption with Amazon S3 managed keys (SSE-S3)
- To encrypt existing unencrypted Amazon S3 objects, you can use Amazon S3 Batch Operations
- You can also encrypt existing objects by using the **CopyObject** API operation or the **copy-object** AWS CLI command



# Enforce Encryption with Bucket Policy

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Id": "PutObjPolicy",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "DenyIncorrectEncryptionHeader",
      "Effect": "Deny",
      "Principal": "*",
      "Action": "s3:PutObject",
      "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::<bucket_name>/*",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotEquals": {
          "s3:x-amz-server-side-encryption": "aws:kms"
        }
      }
    },
    {
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      "Effect": "Deny",
      "Principal": "*",
      "Action": "s3:PutObject",
      "Resource": "arn:aws:s3:::<bucket_name>/*",
      "Condition": {
        "Null": {
          "s3:x-amz-server-side-encryption": true
        }
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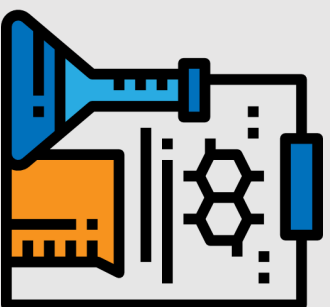
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## Example PUT request

```
PUT /example-object HTTP/1.1
Host: myBucket.s3.amazonaws.com
Date: Wed, 8 Jun 2016 17:50:00 GMT
Authorization: authorization string
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Length: 11434
x-amz-meta-author: Janet
Expect: 100-continue
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# S3 Presigned URLs





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AWS S3 CLI command to generate a presigned URL



```
aws s3 presign s3://dct-data-bucket/cool_image.jpeg
```



```
https://dct-data-bucket.s3.ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/cool_image.jpeg?X-Amz-Algorithm=AWS4-HMAC-SHA256&X-Amz-Credential=AKIA3KSVPH6MAHNW5YH%2F20200909%2Fap-southeast-2%2Fs3%2Faws4_request&X-Amz-Date=20200909T053538Z&X-Amz-Expires=3600&X-Amz-SignedHeaders=host&X-Amz-Signature=8b74653beee371da07a73dfdb4ff6883742383afa528aecdc5c95c326c97764db
```

This is the response; the URL expires after 1 hour

# Server Access Logging





# Server Access Logging

- Provides detailed records for the requests that are made to a bucket
- Details include the requester, bucket name, request time, request action, response status, and error code (if applicable)
- Disabled by default
- Only pay for the storage space used
- Must configure a separate bucket as the destination (can specify a prefix)
- Must grant write permissions to the Amazon S3 Log Delivery group on destination bucket

Server access logging

☒ Enable logging

Target bucket

dct-bucket-access-logs

Target prefix

logs/

☐ Disable logging

Enabled

Cancel

Save