

# 1. Create one IAM user and assign EC2 and S3 full access roles.

Go to IAM and select user, create user.

The screenshot shows the AWS IAM 'Create user' page. The left sidebar indicates the current step is 'Step 1: Specify user details'. The main content area is titled 'User details'. Under 'User name', the text 'mujahed00' is entered in a text box. Below this, a note states: 'The user name can have up to 64 characters. Valid characters: A-Z, a-z, 0-9, and + = , . @ \_ - (hyphen)'. A checkbox labeled 'Provide user access to the AWS Management Console - optional' is checked. Below this, a section titled 'Are you providing console access to a person?' contains two radio button options: 'Specify a user in Identity Center - Recommended' (unselected) and 'I want to create an IAM user' (selected). The 'I want to create an IAM user' option has a sub-note: 'We recommend that you create IAM users only if you need to enable programmatic access through access keys, service-specific credentials for AWS CodeCommit or Amazon Keyspaces, or a backup credential for emergency account access.' Under 'Console password', there are two radio button options: 'Autogenerated password' (unselected) and 'Custom password' (selected). The 'Custom password' option has a text box with '\*\*\*\*\*' and a 'Show password' checkbox. At the bottom, a checkbox 'Users must create a new password at next sign in - Recommended' is checked.

Select ec2fullaccess,s3fullaccess.

The screenshot shows the AWS IAM 'Create user' page, Step 2: Set permissions. The left sidebar indicates the current step is 'Step 2: Set permissions'. The main content area is titled 'Set permissions'. Below the title, a note states: 'Add user to an existing group or create a new one. Using groups is a best-practice way to manage user's permissions by job functions. [Learn more](#)'. Under 'Permissions options', there are three radio button options: 'Add user to group' (unselected), 'Copy permissions' (unselected), and 'Attach policies directly' (selected). The 'Attach policies directly' option has a sub-note: 'Attach a managed policy directly to a user. As a best practice, we recommend attaching policies to a group instead. Then, add the user to the appropriate group.' Below this, a section titled 'Permissions policies (2/1390)' contains a search bar with 's3f' and a 'Filter by Type' dropdown set to 'All types'. A table lists the search results. The first row is 'AmazonS3FullAccess' with a type of 'AWS managed' and 0 attached entities. The table has columns for 'Policy name', 'Type', and 'Attached entities'.

Policy name	Type	Attached entities
AmazonS3FullAccess	AWS managed	0

Step 3  
● Review and create  
○ Step 4  
○ Retrieve password

**User details**

User name mujahed00	Console password type Custom password	Require password reset Yes
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**Permissions summary**

Name	Type	Used as
<a href="#">AmazonEC2FullAccess</a>	AWS managed	Permissions policy
<a href="#">AmazonS3FullAccess</a>	AWS managed	Permissions policy
<a href="#">IAMUserChangePassword</a>	AWS managed	Permissions policy

**Tags - optional**  
Tags are key-value pairs you can add to AWS resources to help identify, organize, or search for resources. Choose any tags you want to associate with this user.  
No tags associated with the resource.  
[Add new tag](#)  
You can add up to 50 more tags.

**User created successfully**  
You can view and download the user's password and email instructions for signing in to the AWS Management Console. [View user](#)

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● **Retrieve password**

**Retrieve password**  
You can view and download the user's password below or email users instructions for signing in to the AWS Management Console. This is the only time you can view and download this password.

**Console sign-in details** [Email sign-in instructions](#)

Console sign-in URL  
<https://Z35351028455.signin.aws.amazon.com/console>

User name  
[mujahed00](#)

Console password  
\*\*\*\*\* [Show](#)

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## 2. Create one group in IAM and assign read access for EC2.

Click on user groups create an usergroup give the name and add the user . attach permissions for only ec2readonlyaccess and create.

**User group name**  
Enter a meaningful name to identify this group.  
EC2-ReadOnly-Users  
Maximum 128 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+', '=', '@', '-', '.' characters.

**Add users to the group - Optional (1/1)** [Info](#)  
An IAM user is an entity that you create in AWS to represent the person or application that uses it to interact with AWS.

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	User name	Groups	Last activity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	mujaheed00	0	None

**Attach permissions policies - Optional (1/1072)** [Info](#)  
You can attach up to 10 policies to this user group. All the users in this group will have permissions that are defined in the selected policies.

Search: ec2re [X](#) Filter by Type: All types 1 match

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Policy name	Type	Used as	Description
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	AmazonEC2ReadOnlyAc...	AWS managed	None	Provides read only acce

### 3. Create a new user named "Devops" and add to the group created in task 2.

Click on create user and give name as Devops.

**Specify user details**

**User details**

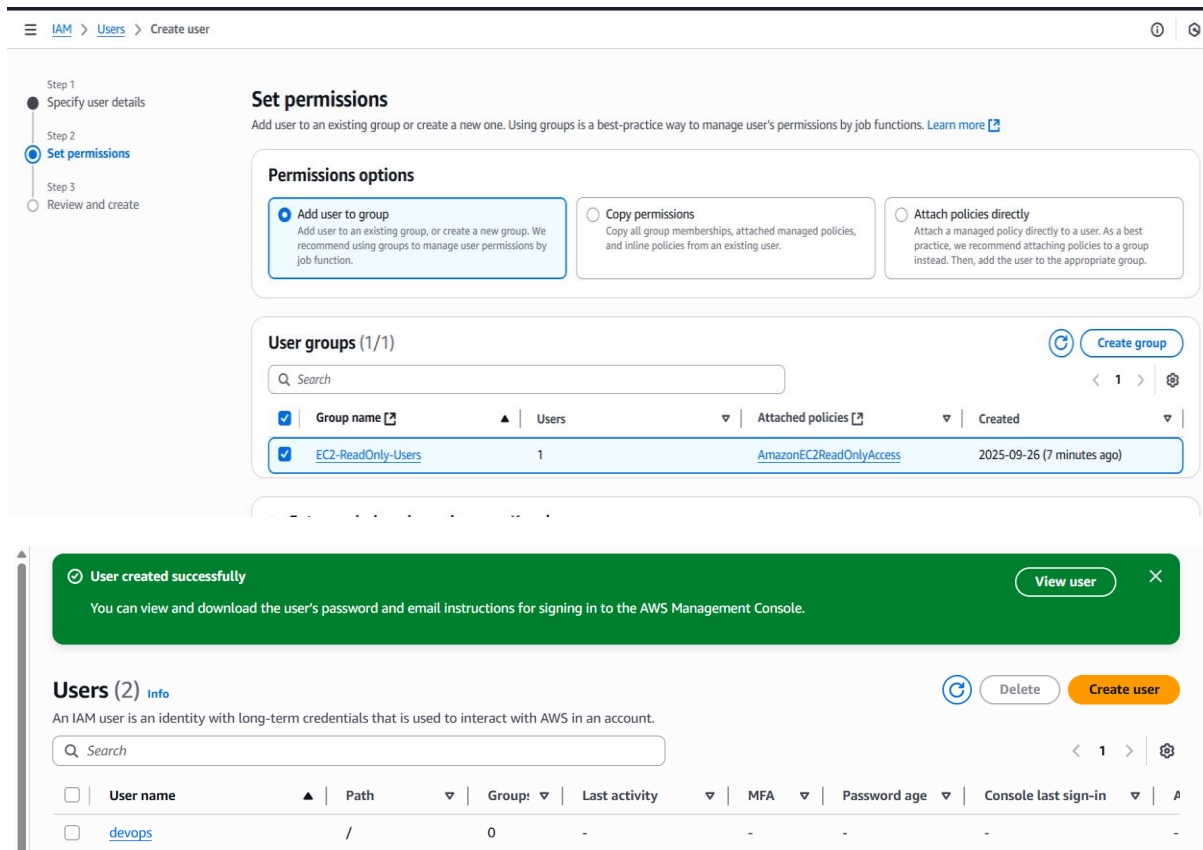
**User name**  
devops  
The user name can have up to 64 characters. Valid characters: A-Z, a-z, 0-9, and +, =, @, -, . (hyphen)

☐ **Provide user access to the AWS Management Console - optional**  
If you're providing console access to a person, it's a [best practice](#) to manage their access in IAM Identity Center.

[Info](#) If you are creating programmatic access through access keys or service-specific credentials for AWS CodeCommit or Amazon Keyspaces, you can generate them after you create this IAM user. [Learn more](#)

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In permissions give add user to the group and select the group.



## 4. Write a bash script to create an IAM user with VPC full access.

Configure AWS in CLI.

```
MUJUU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ aws configure
AWS Access Key ID [*****PVBX]: AKIATNTADWLTZJVQPVBX
AWS Secret Access Key [*****Eoeh]: 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
Default region name [eu-north-1]: eu-north-1
Default output format [json]: json

MUJUU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ aws configure list
      Name                               Value                               Type    Location
      ----                               -
profile                               <not set>                          None    None
access_key                            *****PVBX                         shared-credentials-file
secret_key                             *****Eoeh                         shared-credentials-file
region                                eu-north-1                          config-file  ~/.aws/config

MUJUU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ |
```

Enter the bash script.

```

#!/bin/bash

# ===== VARIABLES =====

IAM_USER="VpcUserDemo"

POLICY_ARN="arn:aws:iam::aws:policy/AmazonVPCFullAcce"

# ===== CREATE IAM USER =====

echo "Creating IAM user: $IAM_USER ..."

aws iam create-user --user-name $IAM_USER

# ===== CREATE ACCESS KEYS =====

echo "Creating access keys for $IAM_USER ..."

aws iam create-access-key --user-name $IAM_USER >
${IAM_USER}_creds.json

echo "Access keys saved in ${IAM_USER}_creds.json"

# ===== ATTACH POLICY =====

echo "Attaching VPC Full Access policy to $IAM_USER ..."

aws iam attach-user-policy --user-name $IAM_USER policyarn
$POLICY_ARN

echo "User $IAM_USER created successfully with VPC Full
Access."

```

Write script and give the permissions as chmod 755.

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ vi fullaccess.sh
```

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ chmod 755 fullaccess.sh
```

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ vi fullaccess.sh
```

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ chmod 755.sh
chmod: missing operand after '755.sh'
Try 'chmod --help' for more information.
```

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ chmod 755 fullaccess.sh
```

```
MUJJU SK@DESKTOP-LU541U4 MINGW64 ~/Downloads
$ ./fullaccess.sh
```

```
Creating IAM user: VpcUserDemo ...
```

```
{
  "User": {
    "Path": "/",
    "UserName": "VpcUserDemo",
    "UserId": "AIDATNTADWLTGXGGRM2QBX",
    "Arn": "arn:aws:iam::235351028455:user/VpcUserDemo",
    "CreateDate": "2025-09-30T10:55:21+00:00"
  }
}
```

```
Creating access keys for VpcUserDemo ...
```

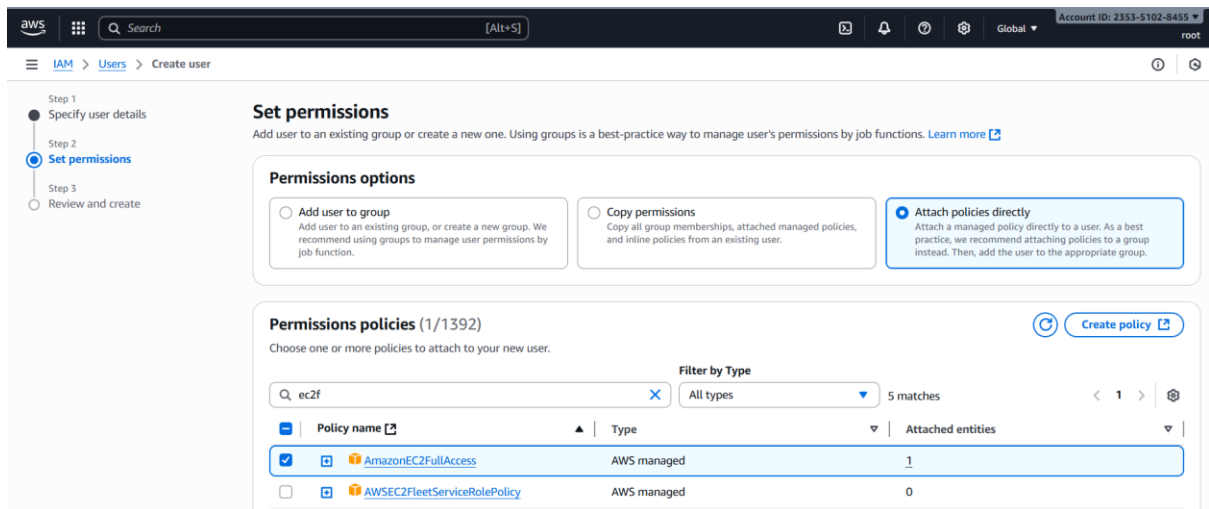
```
./fullaccess.sh: line 11: _creds.json: command not found
```

```
Access keys saved in VpcUserDemo_creds.json
```

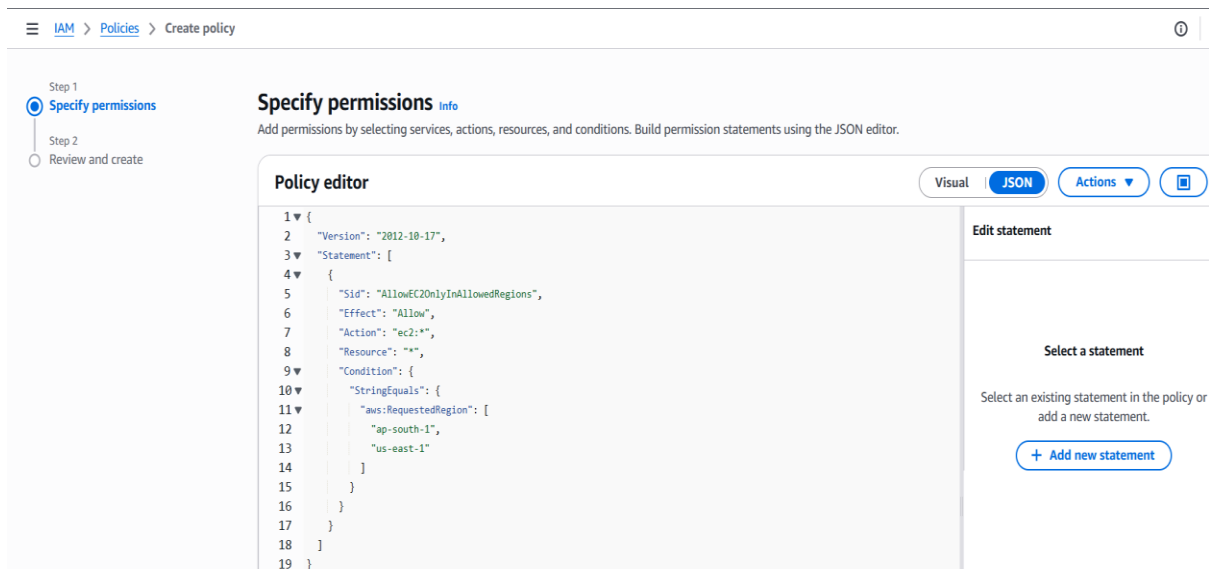
```
Attaching VPC Full Access policy to VpcUserDemo ...
```

## 5. Create an IAM policy to allow EC2 access for a specific user in specific regions only.

I created an IAM user name, EC2-Region-Restrict-Policy and give amazon ec2fullaccess for specific user for specific region.



Create permissions to allow only specific user to specific region.



As this a custom policy, we will be using JSON to write it from scratch.

1. Select the JSON tab to write the policy manually. This policy above will prevent users Launching EC2 instances in any region other than us-east-1.
2. Creating S3 buckets in any region other than us-east-1.
3. Give the Policy a name and click "create policy"

IAM > Policies > Create policy

**Policy name**  
Enter a meaningful name to identify this policy.  
ec2-region-restrict-south1-us-east1  
Maximum 128 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+,=,\_,@,-' characters.

**Description - optional**  
Add a short explanation for this policy.  
Maximum 1,000 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+,=,\_,@,-' characters.

**Permissions defined in this policy** [info](#)  
Permissions defined in this policy document specify which actions are allowed or denied. To define permissions for an IAM identity (user, user group, or role), attach a policy to it.

Allow (1 of 450 services) Show remaining 449 services

Service	Access level	Resource	Request condition
EC2	Full access	All resources	aws:RequestedRegion = ap-south-1,us-east-1

Add tags - optional [info](#)

We have created the policy .

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**Policy details**

Type	Creation time	Edited time	ARN
Customer managed	September 28, 2025, 15:44 (UTC+05:30)	September 28, 2025, 15:44 (UTC+05:30)	arn:aws:iam::235351028455:policy/ec2-region-restrict-south1-us-east1

[Permissions](#) [Entities attached](#) [Tags](#) [Policy versions \(1\)](#) [Last Accessed](#)

**Permissions defined in this policy** [info](#) [Edit](#) [Summary](#) [JSON](#)  
Permissions defined in this policy document specify which actions are allowed or denied. To define permissions for an IAM identity (user, user group, or role), attach a policy to it.

Allow (1 of 450 services) Show remaining 449 services

Service	Access level	Resource	Request condition
EC2	Full access	All resources	aws:RequestedRegion = ap-south-1,us-east-1

Go to users and select the user what you need to add the specific policy that you are created.

Go to IAM → Users, click the target user, Permissions → Add permissions → Attach existing policies



Step 1  
● Add permissions

Step 2  
○ Review

## Add permissions

Add user to an existing group or create a new one. Using groups is a best-practice way to manage user's permissions by job functions. [Learn more](#)

☐ Add user to group  
Add user to an existing group, or create a new group. We recommend using groups to manage user permissions by job function.

☐ Copy permissions  
Copy all group memberships, attached managed policies, inline policies, and any existing permissions boundaries from an existing user.

☒ Attach policies directly  
Attach a managed policy directly to a user. As a best practice, we recommend attaching policies to a group instead. Then, add the user to the appropriate group.

### Permissions policies (1/1392)

Filter by Type

ec2- 1 match

Policy name	Type	Attached entities
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">ec2-region-restrict-south1-us-east1</a>	Customer managed	0

Cancel Next

Click next.

Step 1  
● Add permissions

Step 2  
● Review

## Review

The following policies will be attached to this user. [Learn more](#)

### User details

User name  
EC2-region-restrict-policy

### Permissions summary (1)

Name	Type	Used as
<a href="#">ec2-region-restrict-south1-us-east1</a>	Customer managed	Permissions policy

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ARN	Console access	Access key 1
<a href="#">arn:aws:iam::235351028455:user/EC2-region-restrict-policy</a>	Disabled	<a href="#">Create access key</a>

Created September 28, 2025, 15:30 (UTC+05:30)

Last console sign-in -

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### Permissions policies (2)

Permissions are defined by policies attached to the user directly or through groups.

Filter by Type

Search All types 1

Policy name	Type	Attached via
<input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">AmazonEC2FullAccess</a>	AWS managed	Directly
<input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">ec2-region-restrict-south1-us-east1</a>	Customer managed	Directly

Remove Add permissions

6. We have two accounts: Account A and Account B.  
Account A user should access an S3 bucket in Account B.

Create an IAM role in account A.

The screenshot shows the AWS IAM console interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with 'Identity and Access Management (IAM)' selected. The main content area is titled 'Roles (7)' and includes a search bar and a table of existing roles. The table has columns for 'Role name', 'Trusted entities', and 'Last activity'. Below the table is a 'Roles Anywhere' section with a 'Manage' button.

Role name	Trusted entities	Last activity
<a href="#">AWSServiceRoleForSupport</a>	AWS Service: support (Service-Linker)	-
<a href="#">AWSServiceRoleForTrustedAdvisor</a>	AWS Service: trustedadvisor (Service-Linker)	-
<a href="#">AWSServiceRoleForVPCTransitGateway</a>	AWS Service: transitgateway (Service-Linker)	4 days ago
<a href="#">Cross-acc-role</a>	Account: 471451201019	-
<a href="#">s3curr_role_for_bucketnew57</a>	AWS Service: s3	24 hours ago
<a href="#">s3replicate_role_for_bucketnew57</a>	AWS Service: batchoperations.s3	24 hours ago
<a href="#">vpc-flow-logs</a>	AWS Service: vpc-flow-logs	3 minutes ago

Give account B's account id in account B.

The screenshot shows the 'Create role' wizard in the AWS IAM console, specifically Step 1: 'Select trusted entity'. The wizard has three steps: 'Select trusted entity', 'Add permissions', and 'Name, review, and create'. Under 'Trusted entity type', 'AWS account' is selected. Below this, under 'An AWS account', 'Another AWS account' is selected, and the 'Account ID' field contains '801341413951'.

**Trusted entity type**

- ☐ AWS service: Allow AWS services like EC2, Lambda, or others to perform actions in this account.
- ☒ AWS account: Allow entities in other AWS accounts belonging to you or a 3rd party to perform actions in this account.
- ☐ Web identity: Allows users federated by the specified external web identity provider to assume this role to perform actions in this account.
- ☐ SAML 2.0 federation: Allow users federated with SAML 2.0 from a corporate directory to perform actions in this account.
- ☐ Custom trust policy: Create a custom trust policy to enable others to perform actions in this account.

**An AWS account**  
Allow entities in other AWS accounts belonging to you or a 3rd party to perform actions in this account.

- ☐ This account (235351028455)
- ☒ Another AWS account

**Account ID**  
Identifier of the account that can use this role

801341413951

Give the role name as s3\_account\_access and save it.

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IAM > Roles > Create role

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Select trusted entity

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**Name, review, and create**

## Name, review, and create

**Role details**

**Role name**

Enter a meaningful name to identify this role.

s3\_account\_access

Maximum 64 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+', '@', '-' characters.

**Description**

Add a short explanation for this role.

Maximum 1000 characters. Use letters (A-Z and a-z), numbers (0-9), tabs, new lines, or any of the following characters: '\_', '=', '@', '-', '/', '[', ']', '&', '%', '!', '~', '.', ',', '<', '>', '"', ''', '&#x2D;', '&#x2F;', '&#x5B;', '&#x5D;', '&#x27;', '&#xA0;'.

Go to that created role and add permissions create inline policy.

IAM > Roles > s3\_account\_access

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Creation date  
September 30, 2025, 18:50 (UTC+05:30)

Last activity  
-

ARN  
arn:aws:iam::235351028455:role/s3\_account\_access

Maximum session duration  
1 hour

Link to switch roles in console  
https://signin.aws.amazon.com/switchrole?roleName=s3\_account\_access&account=235351028455

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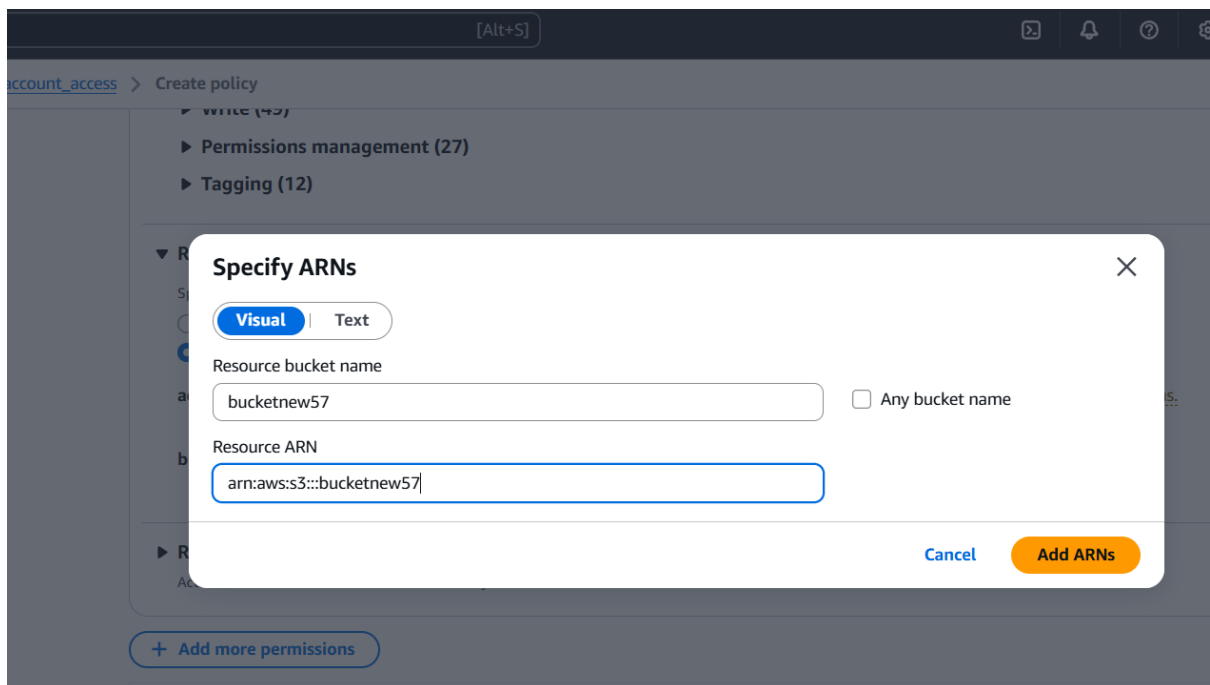
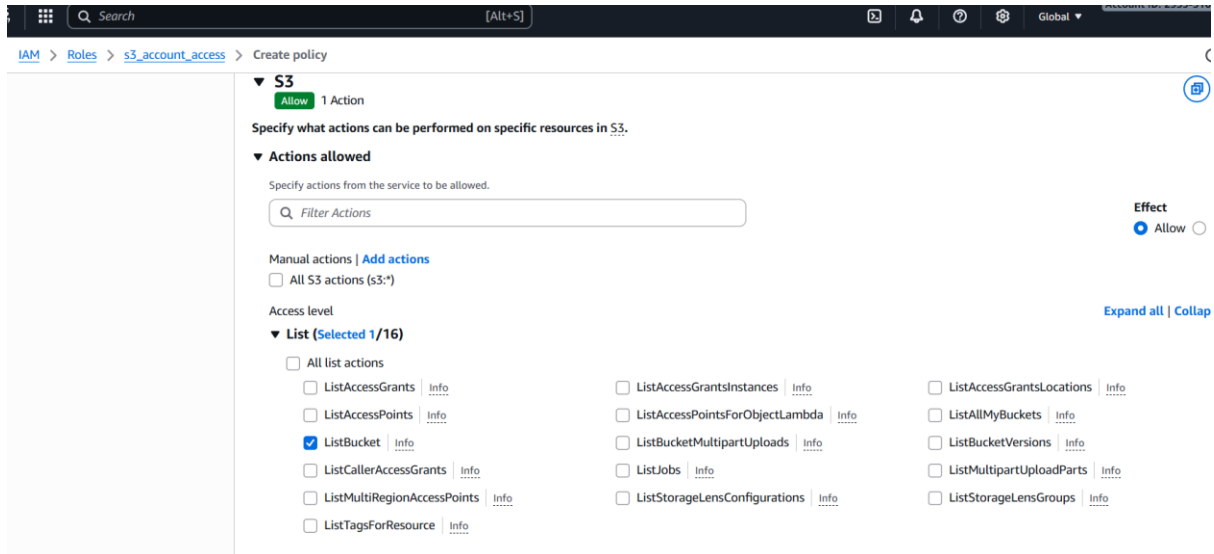
Revoke sessions

Permissions policies (0) info

You can attach up to 10 managed policies.

Filter by Type  
All types

Select S3 , select listbucket. In the bucket arn give the your bucket arn and add it.



In the policy give the policy name as cross\_account\_access and create policy

M > Roles > s3\_account\_access > Create policy

Review the permissions, specify details, and tags.

Policy details

Policy name  
Enter a meaningful name to identify this policy.  
cross\_account\_access  
Maximum 128 characters. Use alphanumeric and '+-.\_@-' characters.

Permissions defined in this policy [info](#) [Edit](#)

Permissions defined in this policy document specify which actions are allowed or denied. To define permissions for an IAM identity (user, user group, or role), attach a policy to it

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Allow (1 of 450 services) ☒ Show remaining 449 services

Service	Access level	Resource	Request condition
S3	Limited: List	BucketName  string like  bucketnew57	None

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Give the arn id of another account's that who need to access your bucket.

aws IAM > Roles > s3\_account\_access

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Policy cross\_account\_access created.

Last activity - Maximum session duration 1 hour

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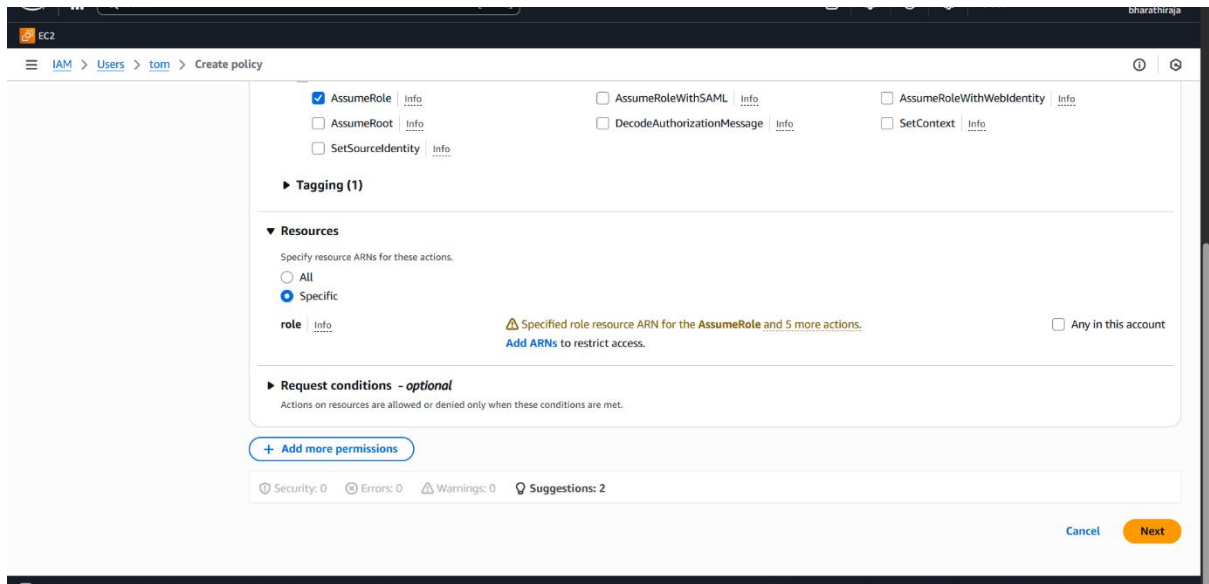
Trusted entities [Edit trust policy](#)

Entities that can assume this role under specified conditions.

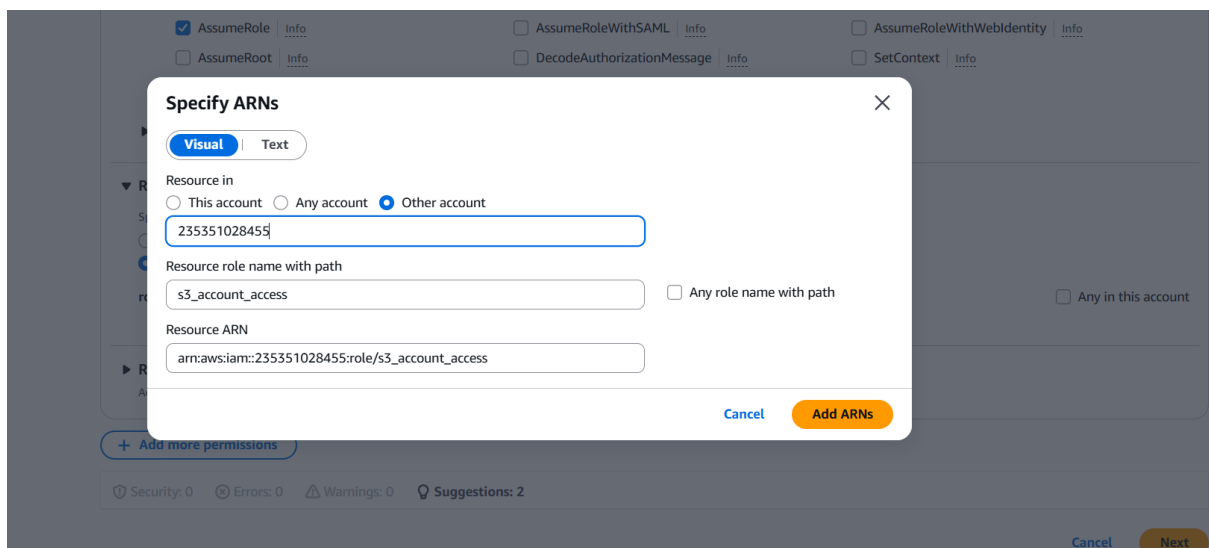
```

1 {
2   "Version": "2012-10-17",
3   "Statement": [
4     {
5       "Effect": "Allow",
6       "Principal": {
7         "AWS": "arn:aws:iam::801341413951:root"
8       },
9       "Action": "sts:AssumeRole",
10      "Condition": {}
11    }
12  ]
13 }
```

Go to account b's bucket and add the policy to assume the role go to permissions and create inline policy and choose STS. In the write section select assume role



In the role arn give the role arn of A's account .it will only generate the account id's of A and role path.



Execute with the command: `sts assume-role \ --role-arn <role arn of the account B's policy>s3_account_access --role-session-name cross_account --profile-tom`

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