

The REST API is now versioned. For more information, see "About API versioning."

Codespaces organization secrets

Use the REST API to manage your organization-level Codespaces secrets.

Note: These endpoints are currently in public beta and subject to change.

List organization secrets [↗](#)

Lists all Codespaces secrets available at the organization-level without revealing their encrypted values. You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "List organization secrets"

Headers

accept string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

org string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

Query parameters

per_page integer
The number of results per page (max 100).
Default: `30`

page integer
Page number of the results to fetch.
Default: `1`

HTTP response status codes for "List organization secrets"

Status code	Description
<code>200</code>	OK

Code samples for "List organization secrets"

GET /orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI

curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets

Response

Example response

Response schema

Status: 200

{ "total_count": 2, "secrets": [{ "name": "GH_TOKEN", "created_at": "2019-08-10T14:59:22Z", "updated_at": "2020-01-10T14:59:22Z", "visibility": "all" }, { "name": "GIST_ID", "created_at": "2020-01-10T10:59:22Z", "updated_at": "2020-01-11T11:59:22Z", "visibility": "all" }] }

Get an organization public key [↗](#)

Gets a public key for an organization, which is required in order to encrypt secrets. You need to encrypt the value of a secret before you can create or update secrets. You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Get an organization public key"

Headers

`accept` string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

`org` string **Required**

The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

HTTP response status codes for "Get an organization public key"

Status code	Description
200	OK

Code samples for "Get an organization public key"

GET /orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/public-key

cURLJavaScriptGitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/public-key
```

Response

Example responseResponse schema

Status: 200

```
{ "key_id": "012345678912345678", "key": "2Sg8iYjAxxmI2LvUXpJjkYrMxURPc8r+dB7TJyvv1234" }
```

Get an organization secret [↗](#)

Gets an organization secret without revealing its encrypted value. You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Get an organization secret"

Headers

`accept` string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

`org` string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

`secret_name` string **Required**
The name of the secret.

HTTP response status codes for "Get an organization secret"

Status code	Description
200	OK

Code samples for "Get an organization secret"

GET

/orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI

curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME

Response

Example response

Response schema

Status: 200

{ "name": "GH_TOKEN", "created_at": "2019-08-10T14:59:22Z", "updated_at": "2020-01-10T14:59:22Z", "visibility": "all" }

Create or update an organization secret

Creates or updates an organization secret with an encrypted value. Encrypt your secret using [LibSodium](#). For more information, see "[Encrypting secrets for the REST API](#)."

You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Create or update an organization secret"

Headers

`accept` string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

`org` string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

`secret_name` string **Required**
The name of the secret.

Body parameters

`encrypted_value` string
The value for your secret, encrypted with [LibSodium](#) using the public key retrieved from the [Get an organization public key](#) endpoint.

`key id` string

The ID of the key you used to encrypt the secret.

visibility string **Required**

Which type of organization repositories have access to the organization secret. `selected` means only the repositories specified by `selected_repository_ids` can access the secret.

Can be one of: `all`, `private`, `selected`

selected_repository_ids array of integers

An array of repository IDs that can access the organization secret. You can only provide a list of repository IDs when the `visibility` is set to `selected`. You can manage the list of selected repositories using the [List selected repositories for an organization secret](#), [Set selected repositories for an organization secret](#), and [Remove selected repository from an organization secret](#) endpoints.

HTTP response status codes for "Create or update an organization secret"

Status code	Description
201	Response when creating a secret
204	Response when updating a secret
404	Resource not found
422	Validation failed, or the endpoint has been spammed.

Code samples for "Create or update an organization secret"

Example 1: Status Code 201 (application/json) ↕

PUT /orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}

cURL JavaScript GitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -X PUT \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME \ -d '{"encrypted_value":"c2Vjc mV0","key_id":"012345678912345678","visibility":"selected","selected_repository_ids":[1296269,1296280]}'
```

Response when creating a secret

Example response Response schema

Status: 201

Delete an organization secret [↗](#)

Deletes an organization secret using the secret name. You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Delete an organization secret"

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

org string **Required**

The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

secret_name string **Required**

The name of the secret.

HTTP response status codes for "Delete an organization secret"

Status code	Description
204	No Content
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "Delete an organization secret"

DELETE /orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}

cURLJavaScriptGitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -X DELETE \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME
```

Response

Status: 204

List selected repositories for an organization secret [↗](#)

Lists all repositories that have been selected when the `visibility` for repository access to a secret is set to `selected` . You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "List selected repositories for an organization secret"

Headers

accept string

Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

org string **Required**

The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

secret_name string **Required**

The name of the secret.

Query parameters

page integer

Page number of the results to fetch.

Default: `1`

per_page integer

The number of results per page (max 100).

Default: `30`

HTTP response status codes for "List selected repositories for an organization secret"

Status code	Description
200	OK
404	Resource not found

Code samples for "List selected repositories for an organization secret"

GET `/orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}/repositories`

cURLJavaScriptGitHub CLI

```
curl -L \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME/repositories
```

Response

Example responseResponse schema

Status: 200

```
{ "total_count": 1, "repositories": [ { "id": 1296269, "node_id": "MDEwOlJlcG9zaXRvcnkxMjk2MjY5", "name": "Hello-World", "full_name": "octocat/Hello-World", "owner": { "login": "octocat", "id": 1, "node_id": "MDQ6VXNlcjE=", "avatar_url": "https://github.com/images/error/octocat_happy.gif", "gravatar_id": "", "url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat", "html_url": "https://github.com/octocat", "followers_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/followers", "following_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/following{/other_user}", "gists_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/gists{/gist_id}", "starred_url": "https://api.github.com/users/octocat/starred{/owner}/{repo}", "subscriptions_url":
```

Set selected repositories for an organization secret

Replaces all repositories for an organization secret when the `visibility` for repository access is set to `selected` . The visibility is set when you [Create or update an organization secret](#). You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Set selected repositories for an organization secret"

Headers

accept string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

org string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

secret_name string **Required**
The name of the secret.

Body parameters

selected_repository_ids array of integers **Required**
An array of repository ids that can access the organization secret. You can only provide a list of repository ids when the `visibility` is set to `selected` . You can add and remove individual repositories using the [Set selected repositories for an organization secret](#) and [Remove selected repository from an organization secret](#) endpoints.

HTTP response status codes for "Set selected repositories for an organization secret"

Status code	Description
204	No Content
404	Resource not found
409	Conflict when visibility type not set to selected

Code samples for "Set selected repositories for an organization secret"


PUT

`/orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}/repositories`

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI



```
curl -L \
-X PUT \
-H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \
-H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \
https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME/repositories \
-d '{"selected_repository_ids": [64780797]}'
```


Response

Status: 204

Add selected repository to an organization secret

Adds a repository to an organization secret when the `visibility` for repository access is set to `selected` . The visibility is set when you [Create or update an organization secret](#). You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Add selected repository to an organization secret"

Headers

`accept` string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

`org` string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

`secret_name` string **Required**
The name of the secret.

`repository_id` integer **Required**

HTTP response status codes for "Add selected repository to an organization secret"

Status code	Description
204	No Content when repository was added to the selected list
404	Resource not found
409	Conflict when visibility type is not set to selected
422	Validation failed, or the endpoint has been spammed.

Code samples for "Add selected repository to an organization secret"

PUT

`/orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}/repositories/{repository_id}`

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI



```
curl -L \
-X PUT \
-H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \
-H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \
-H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \
https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME/repositories/REPOSITORY_ID
```

No Content when repository was added to the selected list

Status: 204

Remove selected repository from an organization secret

Removes a repository from an organization secret when the `visibility` for repository access is set to `selected` . The visibility is set when you [Create or update an organization secret](#). You must authenticate using an access token with the `admin:org` scope to use this endpoint.

Parameters for "Remove selected repository from an organization secret"

Headers

accept string
Setting to `application/vnd.github+json` is recommended.

Path parameters

org string **Required**
The organization name. The name is not case sensitive.

secret_name string **Required**
The name of the secret.

repository_id integer **Required**

HTTP response status codes for "Remove selected repository from an organization secret"

Status code	Description
204	Response when repository was removed from the selected list
404	Resource not found
409	Conflict when visibility type not set to selected
422	Validation failed, or the endpoint has been spammed.

Code samples for "Remove selected repository from an organization secret"

DELETE

`/orgs/{org}/codespaces/secrets/{secret_name}/repositories/{repository_id}`

cURL

JavaScript

GitHub CLI



```
curl -L \ -X DELETE \ -H "Accept: application/vnd.github+json" \ -H "Authorization: Bearer <YOUR-TOKEN>" \ -H "X-GitHub-API-Version: 2022-11-28" \ https://api.github.com/orgs/ORG/codespaces/secrets/SECRET_NAME/repositories/REPOSITORY_ID
```

Response when repository was removed from the selected list

Status: 204

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