



User Guide

# AWS BugBust



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# What is AWS BugBust?

AWS BugBust is a code challenge that helps you improve your code quality and optimize your applications. It is used by administrators who create a fun and challenging bug bash and by players who are invited to compete to see who can fix the most bugs and make the greatest efficiency improvement in your applications.

AWS BugBust works with the following machine learning AWS services that find issues in your applications and generate recommendations to help solve them.

- **Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer** – An AWS BugBust event can include issues found by CodeGuru Reviewer during a *repository analysis* of your Java or Python code. A repository analysis reviews code in a repository that you specify, then identifies problems and provides recommendations to help solve them. For more information, see [Get recommendations using repository analysis](#) and [Create code reviews with security analysis](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*.
- **Amazon CodeGuru Profiler** – An AWS BugBust event can include issues found by CodeGuru Profiler during analysis of runtime performance data from your live applications in a *profiling group*. A profiling group is a set of applications that are profiled together as a unit. For each performance issue found, CodeGuru Profiler generates a recommendation to help address it. CodeGuru Profiler finds issues such as latency concerns and problems with heap and CPU utilization. For more information, see [Working with profiling groups](#) in the *CodeGuru Profiler User Guide*.

As an *administrator*, you create an AWS BugBust bug bash event with a new or existing repository analysis, a specified profiling group, or both. You invite players from your organization who compete to see who can fix the most bugs and make the most performance improvements. To get started as an administrator, create an event. For more information, see [Create an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).

As a *player*, you fix bugs identified by CodeGuru Reviewer, performance issues identified by CodeGuru Profiler, or both. You accumulate points with each fixed issue and compete with other players to see who can earn the most points. To get started as a player, join an event. For more information, see [Joining an AWS BugBust event](#).

**Note**

In the AWS BugBust player portal, a player is referred to as a *BugBuster*.

# What is the AWS BugBust player portal?

The AWS BugBust player portal is a meeting place for AWS BugBust players and administrators. Both players and administrators need AWS BugBust player portal accounts to use AWS BugBust. To learn how to create a AWS BugBust player portal account, see [Accessing the AWS BugBust player portal for AWS BugBust events](#).

**AWS BugBust players and administrators can use the AWS BugBust player portal to do the following.**

- View your standing on the global AWS BugBust leaderboard.
- View your standing in individual AWS BugBust events.
- View your AWS BugBust achievements.
- Customize your player avatar.
- Customize your player nickname.
- Add authorized email addresses.

For more information, see [How to customize your AWS BugBust player profile](#).

Your authorized email addresses are the keys to scoring points in AWS BugBust events.

If you create pull requests on GitHub with an email address *different* than the one you used to create your AWS BugBust player portal account you must authorize that email address by adding it to your AWS BugBust player portal account to score points. For more information, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#).

For more information about creating your first AWS BugBust event, see [Create an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).



## Create an AWS BugBust event (admin)

An AWS BugBust administrator can create a bug bash event. When you create an event, you specify issues for your players to fix. Players fix bugs, improve the performance of an application, or both. For each fixed bug or performance improvement, a player earns points.

To let players fix bugs, you specify a repository analysis for your event in Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer in your AWS account and Region. All issues CodeGuru Reviewer finds during the analysis are available for your players to claim and fix.

To let players improve the performance of an application, you specify a profiling group for your event in Amazon CodeGuru Profiler in your AWS account and Region. All performance issues CodeGuru Profiler finds during the analysis are available for your players to claim and fix.

For both bugs and performance enhancements, a player creates a pull request with the code changes that address the issue. After the updated code is merged, CodeGuru Reviewer and CodeGuru Profiler analyze the updated code base. If AWS BugBust doesn't detect the issue that the player attempted to fix, then it considers the issue fixed and awards points to the player. After a player checks in code to improve the performance of a profiling group, the AWS BugBust event administrator evaluates the performance effect of the checked-in code and awards points based on the complexity of fixed bugs and the level of performance improvement on a profiling group. For more information, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#).

After you create your event, you can do the following.

- Invite players to your event. For more information, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#).
- Import work items (bugs, profiling groups, or both) into your event for your players to work on. For more information, see [Import work items into an event \(admin\)](#).
- Edit your event before it starts. You can edit your event's name, description, start and end dates, prizes, work items, and players. After the event starts, the only change you can make is to invite more players. For more information, see [Update an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).

### Important

To create an AWS BugBust event, your AWS user must be granted permissions with the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` AWS managed policy.

## Topics

- [Step 1: Provision an IAM role to create an AWS BugBust event](#)
- [Step 2: Review rules and scoring](#)
- [Step 3: Create or log in to a player account](#)
- [Step 4: Enter AWS BugBust event details](#)
- [Step 5: Review your AWS BugBust event](#)

## Step 1: Provision an IAM role to create an AWS BugBust event

An AWS BugBust administrator must have permissions to create an AWS BugBust event. To create an event, you must have permissions in the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` managed policy attached to your IAM user, group, or role. For more information, see [AWSBugBustFullAccess managed policy for AWS BugBust event administrators](#).

Follow these instructions to prepare an IAM role for an AWS BugBust event administrator to create and update an event.

### Provision an IAM role to use AWS BugBust and create events

1. Create an IAM role, or use one that is associated with your AWS account.
  - If you're unfamiliar with creating IAM roles, see [Creating IAM roles](#) and [Policies and permissions in IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
2. Grant the IAM role access to AWS BugBust.
  - **Option 1:** Use the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` AWS managed policy. For more information, see [AWSBugBustFullAccess managed policy for AWS BugBust event administrators](#).

#### Important

The `AWSBugBustFullAccess` policy grants access to all AWS BugBust resources. We recommend that you always use the minimum permissions required to accomplish your task. For more information, see [IAM Best Practices](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

- **Option 2:** Create a custom IAM policy. With a custom IAM policy, you can provide the minimum required permissions. For more information, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

Continue creating your AWS BugBust event in [Step 2: Review rules and scoring](#).

## Step 2: Review rules and scoring

To start creating an event, open the AWS BugBust console page and then review details about event rules and scoring.

### Open the create event console page

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. If an AWS BugBust information page is displayed, choose **Create AWS BugBust event**. Otherwise, in the navigation pane, expand **AWS BugBust**, choose **Getting started**, and then choose **Create AWS BugBust event**.
3. To understand how scoring works in your event, review its rules. For more information, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#). When you are done, choose **Next**.

Continue creating your AWS BugBust event in [Step 3: Create or log in to a player account](#).

## Step 3: Create or log in to a player account

To create an event, you must have an AWS BugBust player account so you can receive an AWS BugBust badge for creating the event. An AWS BugBust player account is not an AWS account. To create an AWS BugBust event, you must have a player account and an AWS account.

### Note

In the AWS BugBust player portal, a player is referred to as a *BugBuster*.

### Create or log in to an AWS BugBust player account

1. Do one of the following:

- If you have an AWS BugBust account, choose **Sign in**, then enter your email address and password.
  - If you are new to AWS BugBust, choose **Create an AWS BugBust player account**, enter your email address and a password, then choose **Sign in**.
2. Choose **Next**.

Continue creating your AWS BugBust event in [Step 4: Enter AWS BugBust event details](#).

## Step 4: Enter AWS BugBust event details

You must enter details for your event, including its name, description, start and end dates, and its prizes. You can change any of these details after you create the event, but not after the event's start date and time. The only changes you can make to an event after it starts is to add more players and update its tags. For more information, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#).

### Add details for your AWS BugBust event

1. In **Information about your AWS BugBust event**, enter the following information.
  - a. In **Event name**, enter a name for your event.
  - b. In **Event description**, enter a name for your event.
  - c. In **Start time**, enter the date and time your event starts. Players can start claiming bugs after the start time.
  - d. In **End time**, enter the date and time your event ends. Players can submit bug fixes and performance improvements for claimed bugs and profiling groups until the end time.
2. In **Prizes**, for each **Prize description** text box, enter a description of your first, second, and third place prizes.
3. (Optional) Expand **Tags** to add one or more tags to your event. For more information, see [Tagging an event in AWS BugBust \(admin\)](#).
  - a. Expand **Tags**.
  - b. Choose **Add new tag**.
  - c. In **Key**, enter a name for the tag. You can add an optional value for the tag in **Value**.
  - d. (Optional) To add another tag, choose **Add new tag** again.
4. Choose **Next**.

Continue creating your AWS BugBust event in [Step 5: Review your AWS BugBust event](#).

## Step 5: Review your AWS BugBust event

Review the details of your AWS BugBust event. Choose **Edit** in any section to make changes. After you've reviewed your event, choose **Create event**.

Next, you must do the following.

- Invite players to participate in your event. For more information, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#).
- Import work items (bugs and profiling groups) for your event players to claim and fix after you create the event. For more information, see [Import work items into an event \(admin\)](#).

After you create your event, you can update it before its start date by following the steps in [Working with an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#).

### Note

When you create an event, the AWS BugBust service-linked role is created on your behalf. You can safely delete this role after the state of the event is closed. For more information, see [Using Service-Linked Roles for AWS BugBust](#) and [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#).

# Working with an AWS BugBust event (admin and player)

The event page contains detailed information about an AWS BugBust bug bash event. You can see how many bugs and profiling groups are available to claim, and you can see how many players joined your event. If the event hasn't started, you can see when it starts. If the event already started, you can see how much time remains.

On the event page, an AWS BugBust administrator can edit and view details of an AWS BugBust event before the event starts. After the event starts, the event can't be changed. An AWS BugBust event player can claim bugs and profiling groups, see how many points they earned, and view event details.

During the lifecycle of an event, it goes through the following three or four states. For more information, see [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#).

- *Coming soon* – An event is *coming soon* after it is created and before its start time.
- *Active*– An event is *active* after its start time and before its end time.
- *Finalizing points*– An event enters the *finalizing points* state only if it contains profiling groups to work on. A event enters the *finalizing points* state after its end time and before all profiling groups have been evaluated to determine how many points each checked-in profiling group improvement is worth.
- *Closed*– An event is *closed* immediately after its end time if it only contains bugs. If it contains profiling groups, then it is *closed* after all profiling groups are evaluated and all points are allocated.

## Topics

- [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#)
- [Update an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#)
- [Tagging an event in AWS BugBust \(admin\)](#)
- [Import work items into an event \(admin\)](#)
- [Work with bugs in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#)
- [Work with profiling groups in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#)

## Invite AWS BugBust event players (admin)

After you create your event, an AWS BugBust administrator can start inviting players to it. An invited player cannot who joins an event cannot be removed.

Players who join your event can claim work items and compete with other players to see who can earn the most points by fixing bugs and improving the performance of applications. An invited player receives a special URL. When the invited player visits that URL, they choose **Join event**, which grants them the required permissions. An event player cannot invite another player into an event. For more information, see [Joining an AWS BugBust event](#).

For a player to access an event, you must do the following.

1. Grant each player the permissions in the `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess` AWS managed policy. For more information, see [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#).
2. Send them a URL to join your event.
  - If your organization uses a SSO (single sign-on) sign-in URL to log in to AWS, send them that URL.
  - If your organization doesn't use a SSO (single sign-on) sign-in URL to log in to AWS, send them the automatically generated URL that appears in the email text in the AWS BugBust console. For more information, see the procedure later in this topic.

If you use IAM Identity Center, see [How to sign in to the player portal](#) in the *IAM Identity Center User Guide* for more information.

### Invite players to an event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. On the navigation pane, expand **AWS BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event to which you want to add players.
3. Do one of the following.
  - Choose the **Invite players**.
  - Choose **Dashboard**, then choose **Invite players**.
  - Choose **Leaderboard**, then choose **Invite players**.

4. Choose **Copy all** to copy the event invitation. The invitation includes the link your players use to join the event and information about AWS BugBust events.
5. Choose **Done**.
6. Paste the copied text into an email, make any edits you'd like to change, then send it to the players you want to invite.

### **Important**

If your company uses a unique SSO (single sign-on) URL to log in to AWS, replace the link to join in the invite email with your organization's SSO URL.

## Update an AWS BugBust event (admin)

An AWS BugBust event administrator can update an event after it's created and before it starts. After an event starts, the only update you can make is to invite more players.

### Update an event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. On the navigation pane, expand **BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event for which you want to view tags.
3. Choose **Dashboard**.
4. Choose **Edit event details**.
  - a. Choose **Edit** in **Basic information** to update the name, description, start time, or end time of your event. When you are done, choose **Save changes**.
  - b. Choose **Edit** in **Prizes** to update your event prizes. When you are done, choose **Save changes**.
  - c. Choose **Manage tags** in **Tags** to add or update event tags. When you are done, choose **Save changes**. For more information, see [Tagging an event in AWS BugBust \(admin\)](#).
5. Choose **Invite players** to add players to your event. For more information, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#). You can add more players after your event starts. This is the only change you can make to your event after it starts.



6. Choose **Import work items** to add bugs, profiling groups, or both to your event for your players to work on. For more information, see [Import work items into an event \(admin\)](#).

## Tagging an event in AWS BugBust (admin)

In AWS BugBust, you can use the AWS BugBust console to add, manage, and remove tags for one resource type, an AWS BugBust event. In addition to identifying, organizing, and tracking your event with tags, you can use tags in IAM policies to help control who can view and interact with your event.

A *tag* is a custom attribute label that you or AWS assigns to an AWS resource. Each AWS tag has two parts:

- A tag *key* (for example, CostCenter, Environment, Project, or Secret). Tag keys are case sensitive.
- An optional field known as a tag *value* (for example, 111122223333, Production, or a team name). Omitting the tag *value* is the same as using an empty string. Like tag *keys*, tag *values* are case sensitive.

Together these are known as *key-value pairs*. For limits on the number of tags you can have on an event and restrictions on tag keys and values, see [Tags](#).

Tags help you identify and organize your AWS resources. Many AWS services support tagging, so you can assign the same tag to resources from different services to indicate that the resources are related. For example, you can assign the same tag to an AWS BugBust event that you assign to an Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer associated repository. For more information about using tags, see the [Tagging best practices](#) whitepaper.

### Topics

- [Add a tag to an AWS BugBust event](#)
- [View tags for an AWS BugBust event](#)
- [Add, update, or remove AWS BugBust event tags](#)

## Add a tag to an AWS BugBust event

Adding tags to an event can help you identify and organize your AWS resources and manage access to them. First, you add one or more tags (key-value pairs) to an AWS BugBust event. Keep in mind that there are limits on the number of tags you can have on an event. There are restrictions on the characters you can use in the key and value fields. For more information, see [Tags](#). After you have tags, you can create IAM policies to manage access to the event based on these tags. You can use the AWS BugBust console to add tags to an event.

You can use the console to add a tag when you create an event or to one that already exists.

### Topics

- [Add a tag when you create an AWS BugBust event](#)
- [Add a tag to an existing AWS BugBust event](#)

## Add a tag when you create an AWS BugBust event

You can use the AWS BugBust console to add one or more tags when you create an AWS BugBust event.

### Add a tag when you create an event

1. Follow steps 1-3 in the following topic to start creating an AWS BugBust event.
2. In step 4, expand **Tags**.
3. Choose **Add new tag**.
4. In **Key**, enter a name for the tag. You can add an optional value for the tag in **Value**.
5. (Optional) To add another tag, choose **Add new tag** again.
6. Complete the rest of the steps to create your event.

## Add a tag to an existing AWS BugBust event

You can use the AWS BugBust console to add one or more tags to an existing AWS BugBust event.

### Add a tag to an existing event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.

2. On the navigation pane, expand **BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event you want to update.
3. Choose **Event details**.
4. Choose **Manage tags**.
5. Choose **Add new tag**.
6. In **Key**, enter a name for the tag. You can add an optional value for the tag in **Value**.
7. Choose **Save changes** when you are finished.

## View tags for an AWS BugBust event

Tags can help you identify and organize your AWS resources and manage access to them. For more information about tagging strategies, see [Tagging AWS resources](#).

You can use the AWS BugBust console to view the tags associated with an AWS BugBust event.

### To view tags for an event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. On the navigation pane, expand **BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event for which you want to view tags.
3. Choose **Dashboard**.
4. Choose **Event details**.
5. Look under **Tags** to see the tags associated with the event.

## Add, update, or remove AWS BugBust event tags

You use the AWS BugBust console to update, add, or remove the tags associated with an event. You can also change the name of the key, which is equivalent to removing the current tag and adding a different one with the new name and the same value. Keep in mind that there are limits on the characters you can use in the key and value fields. For more information, see [Limits](#).

### To add or update tags for an event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.

2. On the navigation pane, expand **BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event for which you want to view tags.
3. Choose **Event details**.
4. Choose **Manage tags**.
5. Enter new values in **key** and **value** to edit tags. Choose **Remove** next to a tag to remove it. Choose **Add new tag** to add a new tag.
6. Choose **Save changes** when you are finished.

## Import work items into an event (admin)

A work item is a bug or performance issue for AWS BugBust event players to claim and fix. Players compete with other event players to see who can earn the most points by fixing bugs and performance issues. AWS BugBust administrators import work items when setting up an event. After an AWS BugBust administrator creates an event, the administrator can update the event by importing more work items. You can import more work items after you create your event, but not after your event starts.

### Important

If you import bugs from Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer into your event, do not disassociate the associated repository that contains the code with the bugs. Players cannot score points by fixing bugs in a disassociated repository. For more information, see [Disassociate a repository](#) in the *CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*.

## Start importing work items

You can import CodeGuru Reviewer work items after you create an AWS BugBust event.

### Start importing work items into an event

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. On the navigation pane, expand **AWS BugBust**, choose **Events**, and then choose the name of the event into which you want to import work items.
3. Choose **Dashboard**.

4. Choose **Import work items**. Continue with one of the import topics later in this section.

## Topics

- [Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer code analyses](#)
- [Import performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups](#)
- [Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer and performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler](#)

## Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer code analyses

Bugs imported from Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer are detected during code analysis of a branch in a repository. For more information, see [Working with code reviews](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*. You can choose up to 5 repository analyses.

All bugs CodeGuru Reviewer finds in the repository analyses you choose are imported into your AWS BugBust event for players to claim and fix.

### Note

You cannot import bugs into AWS BugBust found during a CodeGuru Reviewer pull request code review.

## Import bugs using repository analysis

1. In **Import work items**, choose **Only import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer**.
2. In **Choose a repository analysis in your AWS account and Region**, choose up to five repository analyses. You can choose from the repository analyses in associated repositories in your AWS account and Region. For more information, see [Working with repository associations in CodeGuru Reviewer](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*.
3. If you want to import a new repository analysis, choose **Create new repository analysis**. Follow the steps in CodeGuru Reviewer. For more information, see [Get recommendations using repository analysis](#) and [Create code reviews with security analysis in CodeGuru Reviewer](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*.
4. Choose **Next**.

## Import performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups

An Amazon CodeGuru Profiler *profiling group* is a group of applications that CodeGuru Profiler analyzes for performance issues. You can import up to 25 profiling groups.

### Note

It takes approximately one or two days of profiling by CodeGuru Profiler to populate a profiling group with information required to improve it. Because of this, you should import profiling groups that are at least two days old. If you choose to create a new profiling group in the following procedure, be sure to do that at least two days before your event starts.

### Import profiling groups

1. In **Import work items**, choose **Only import profiling groups from CodeGuru Profiler**.
2. In **Choose a profiling group in your AWS account and Region**, choose one or more profiling groups. You can choose from the profiling groups in your AWS account and Region. For more information, see [Working with profiling groups](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Profiler User Guide*.
3. If you want to import a new profiling group, choose **Create new profiling group**. Follow the steps in CodeGuru Profiler. For more information, see [Create a CodeGuru Profiler profiling group](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Profiler User Guide*.
4. Choose **Next**.

## Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer and performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler

You can import bugs and performance issue work items for into your AWS BugBust event. These work items are available to your event's players to claim and fix.

### Import bugs and performance issues

1. In **Import work items**, choose **Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer and profiling groups from CodeGuru Profiler**.
2. Follow the steps in [Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer code analyses](#) to import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer beginning with step 2. Do not choose **Next** until you complete the next step.

3. Follow the steps in [Import performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups](#) to import performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler beginning with step 2. Be sure to choose **Next** in the last step.

## Work with bugs in an AWS BugBust event (admin and player)

On an AWS BugBust event page, you can view the event's bugs, see how many are claimed and unclaimed, and see how many are fixed. On an event page, players can also claim bugs to work on. A player can claim up to ten bugs at a time. For information about how many points are awarded for fixing a bug, see [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes](#).

### Topics

- [Find bugs in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#)
- [Setting the status of a bug \(admin\)](#)
- [Claim or unclaim a bug \(player\)](#)
- [Submit a bug fix \(player\)](#)
- [View bug fix pull requests \(player\)](#)

## Find bugs in an AWS BugBust event (admin and player)

You can view your event's bugs on its event page. Your event page has bugs if the AWS BugBust event administrator imported bugs for players to work on. For more information, see [Import bugs from CodeGuru Reviewer code analyses](#).

### View an event's imported bugs

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Bugs**.

An event can have many more bugs than can appear in the event console page at a time. Enter a term in **Find bugs** to find a bug you want to claim and fix. You can search on the following properties.

- **Repository** – The name of the repository that contains the code in which a bug is found.
- **Branch** – The branch in a repository that contains the code in which a bug is found.

- **Path** – The path of the file that contains the code in which a bug is found.
- **Status** – The status of the bug, which is *claimed*, *unclaimed*, or *fixed*.
- **Category** – The category of the bug, which determines how many points it's worth. For the list of categories, see [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes](#).
- **Points** – The number of points awarded when a bug is fixed. The valid scores are 5, 3, and 1. For more information, see [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes](#).

You can also sort the bugs by how many points they are worth.

## Setting the status of a bug (admin)

You can set the status of a bug to *unclaimed*, *fixed*, or *false positive*. If you set the status of a bug to *unclaimed*, then any player can claim that bug to fix. After a bug is marked *false positive* or *fixed*, its status cannot be updated again.

A *false positive* bug is a bug found by Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer that isn't actually a bug. Because CodeGuru Reviewer uses machine learning to detect bugs, on rare occasions it detects a bug that doesn't exist in clean code.

To override the review process, set the status of a bug to *fixed*. This automatically assigns the player the number of points that corresponds with the bug's category and bypasses the process to submit its fix. For more information, see [Submit a bug fix \(player\)](#).

### Change the status of a bug

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Bugs**.
3. Select a bug. For information about finding a specific type of bug, see [Find bugs in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#).
4. From the **Mark as** dropdown list, choose **Mark as unclaimed**, **Mark as fixed** or **Mark as false-positive**.

## Claim or unclaim a bug (player)

You must claim a bug before you start working on fixing it. When you claim a bug, no one else can claim the bug. If the code you submit doesn't actually fix the bug, then the status of the bug



returns to *unclaimed* for any player in your event to claim. You can claim up to ten bugs at a time. To earn points, you must fix and then submit a claimed bug before your event ends. For more information, see [Submit a bug fix \(player\)](#).

## Claim or unclaim a bug

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Bugs**.
3. Select a bug. For information about finding a specific type of bug, see [Find bugs in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#).
  - a. Choose **Claim** to claim a bug. You can only claim bugs with a status of *unclaimed*.
  - b. Choose **Unclaim** to unclaim a bug. You can only unclaim bugs that are claimed by you.

## Submit a bug fix (player)

After you are done fixing your bug, submit it to earn points for your bug fix. Do the following to submit your bug.

- Create a pull request to submit the code with your bug fix. The pull request initiates a new Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer code review.
- Merge your code into its branch.

If the bug you fixed is not found during the code review, then you are assigned the number of points associated with your bug's category.

If the code review determines your submitted code did not fix the bug, then the bug continues to be claimed by you until you fix or unclaim it. You can attempt to fix the same bug multiple times until a code review no longer detects it. For each attempted fix, create a new pull request and merge your code to submit it again. When the bug is no longer detected, you earn points. For more information, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#).

### Important

If the email you use for the commit that creates the pull request to submit a bug fix is not added as an authorized email in your AWS BugBust player portal, you cannot score points.

To learn how to add additional authorized email addresses, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#)

## View bug fix pull requests (player)

After you submit a bug fix, you can view the pull request you used to check in the code. All your pull request appear in the same place.

Your pull requests appear with their status. A pull request can have one of six statuses.

- *Analyzing* – An *analyzing* pull request has been recently submitted and Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer is analyzing the updated code.
- *Error* – An *error* pull request is in an error state.
- *No fix detected* – CodeGuru Reviewer has analyzed a *no fix detected* pull request and found the bug you attempted to fix. You do not earn points when the bug was not fixed. You can continue to try fixing the bug by submitting an updated bug fix with a new pull request.
- *Waiting for merge* – CodeGuru Reviewer has analyzed a *waiting for merge* pull request and it did not find the bug you attempted to fix. This means your bug fix succeeded. You must merge the code of pull requests in this state in order to earn points for the bug fix.
- *Merging* – A *merging* pull request is merging. A pull request enters this state after the code merge into its branch is initiated.
- *Success* – A *success* pull request is merged. The code in the pull request fixed the bug and points for the bug have been assigned to you.

### View your pull requests

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Bugs**.
3. Choose **My pull requests**.

#### **Important**

If you created a pull request for a bug fix and don't see it in your event, try the following.

- Make sure the email you used to create your pull request is added as an authorized email to your AWS BugBust account. For more information, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#).
- Make sure the email you use to create your pull request is public, not private. Refer to your repository vendor's documentation to learn how to verify this.

If you see your pull request, but have not received points for fixing the bug, make sure you have merged the request. To earn points for a bug fix, you must create a pull request and merge it into your branch.

## Work with profiling groups in an AWS BugBust event (admin and player)

On an AWS BugBust event page, you can view the event's profiling groups, see how many are claimed and unclaimed, and see how many have been improved. On an event page, players can also claim profiling groups to work on. A player can claim up to three profiling groups at a time. A player can work on a profiling group until the state of the event is set to *finalizing points*. When an event's state is finalizing points, the event is over and players' scores and rankings are being calculated. For more information, see [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#) and [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Profiler performance improvements](#).

### Topics

- [Find profiling groups in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#)
- [Evaluate a profiling group \(admin\)](#)
- [Setting the status of a profiling group \(admin\)](#)
- [Claim a profiling group \(player\)](#)
- [Submit a profiling group improvement \(player\)](#)

## Find profiling groups in an AWS BugBust event (admin and player)

You can view your event's profiling groups on its event page. Your event page has profiling groups if its administrator imported profiling groups for players to work on. For more information, see [Import performance issues from CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups](#).

## View an event's imported profiling groups

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Profiling groups**.

An event can have more profiling groups than can appear in the event console page at a time. To find a profiling group you want to claim and work on, you can search for the following properties by entering a term in **Find bugs**.

- **Profiling group** – The name of the profiling group that contains the set of applications on which you want to work.
- **Status** – The status of the profiling group, which is *claimed*, *unclaimed*, *checked-in*, or *evaluated*.
- **Points** – The number of points that can be awarded when you check in code that improves the performance of the applications in a profiling group. For more information, see [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes](#).

You can also sort the profiling groups by how many points they are worth.

## Evaluate a profiling group (admin)

The administrator evaluates an update to a profiling group that is submitted by a player. To submit the update, the player creates a pull request to check in their code, then notifies the administrator that their code is checked in. For more information, see [Submit a profiling group improvement \(player\)](#).

### Evaluate a checked-in profiling group

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Profiling groups**.
3. If there are checked-in profiling groups in your event that have not been evaluated, choose **Evaluate n checked-in profiling groups**, where **n** is the number of checked-in profiling groups that haven't been evaluated.

When the profiling groups are evaluated, CodeGuru Profiler determines how much more efficient their CPU usage is. Points are assigned based on the percent of improvement. When evaluation is complete, the status of the evaluated profiling groups updates to *evaluated*.

## Setting the status of a profiling group (admin)

A profiling group can have one of four statuses.

- *Unclaimed* – An *unclaimed* profiling group is available for any player to claim and work on. After a profiling group is claimed, another player cannot claim it.
- *Claimed* – A *claimed* profiling group is claimed by an event player. Only that player can work on the profiling group and check in code to improve it.
- *Checked-in* – A *checked-in* profiling group has been checked in by the player who claimed it. A checked-in profiling group is ready for the admin to evaluate to determine how much the player's code improved the profiling group and then assign the appropriate points.
- *Evaluated* – An *evaluated* profiling group has been evaluated and points have been assigned based on how much more efficient the player's code made the profiling group. After the event has ended and all checked-in profiling groups have been evaluated, the event's status updates to *closed*.

An administrator can set the status of a profiling group from *claimed* to *unclaimed*. If you set the status of a profiling group to *unclaimed*, then any player can claim that profiling group to improve it.

### Change the status of a profiling group from *claimed* to *unclaimed*.

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Profiling groups**.
3. Select a profiling group. For information about finding a specific type of profiling group, see [Find profiling groups in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#).
4. From the **Mark as** dropdown list, choose **Mark as unclaimed**.

## Claim a profiling group (player)

You must claim a profiling group before you start working on improving it. When you claim a profiling group, no one else can claim the profiling group. You can claim up to three profiling groups at a time.

### Claim a profiling group

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Profiling groups**.
3. Select a profiling group. For information about finding a specific type of profiling group, see [Find bugs in an AWS BugBust event \(admin and player\)](#). You can also choose **Unclaimed profiling groups** to view all profiling groups you can claim.
4. Choose **Claim** on a profiling group on which you want to work. When you do this, its status updates to *claimed*.

## Submit a profiling group improvement (player)

After you are done writing code that improves a claimed profiling group, you submit it by creating a pull request in your code's repository. Next, you check it in from the AWS BugBust console. This notifies your event's administrator that it is ready to be evaluated. During evaluation of your code, the admin determines how much more efficient your code made the profiling group. The greater the improvement, the more points you earn. For more information, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#).

There is no time limit to improving a profiling group as long as it is submitted and checked in before its event ends.

### Submit a profiling group improvement

1. Submit your updated code by creating a pull request in your code's repository.
2. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
3. Choose **Profiling groups**.
4. Find the profiling group you want to check in. Only check in profiling groups for which you have submitted fixes.

5. On the profiling group, choose **Check in**.

# View AWS BugBust event information (admin and player)

The event page contains detailed information about an AWS BugBust bug bash event. You can see how many bugs and profiling groups are available to claim, and you can see how many players joined your event. If the event hasn't started, you can see when it starts. If the event already started, you can see how much time remains.

An AWS BugBust administrator can edit and view details of an AWS BugBust event before the event starts. A player can view details of an event, but cannot edit it. For more information, see [Update an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).

The steps to view an events details are different for administrators and players.

## View AWS BugBust event details (admin)

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/#/home>.
2. Choose **Events**.
3. Choose the name of the event you want to view.

## View AWS BugBust event details (player)

Your event administrator sent you a link to join your event. Visit that link to view your event in the player portal. If you do not have that link, do the following.

1. Open the AWS BugBust console at <https://console.aws.amazon.com/codeguru/bugbust/participant>.
2. Choose **Events**.
3. Choose the name of the event you want to view.

On your AWS BugBust event page, you can view the following for more details.

### Topics

- [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#)
- [View an AWS BugBust event dashboard](#)
- [View an AWS BugBust event leaderboard](#)



- [View an AWS BugBust event's details](#)
- [View AWS BugBust rules and scoring](#)

## View the state of an AWS BugBust event

An event can be in one of four states.

1. **Coming soon** – Immediately after you create an event, its status is *coming soon*. Its remains *coming soon* until the event's start date and time. You can update all event details in this state.
2. **Active** – At the event's start time, its status changes to *active*. When an event is *active*, players can claim and fix bugs and performance issues. You can import more items and invite more players to an event while it's active. You cannot update its details, such as its name, description, allowed domains, and prizes while it's *active*.
3. **Finalizing points** – If an event contains imported profiling groups, then after its end time, its status changes to *finalizing points*. When an event is finalizing points, profiling group improvements submitted by players are evaluated to determine by what percentage they improve the profiling group's application's CPU usage. When this process is complete, the appropriate points are assigned to players who submitted profiling group performance improvements.
4. **Closed** – After the event's end time, and, if the event contains profiling groups after the *finalizing points* status, the event status changes to *closed*. When an event is *closed*, all points are assigned and the ranking of all players is complete. The event administrator is responsible for prize delivery after the event is *closed*.

### Note

After an event is closed, you can safely delete the service-linked role. For more information, see [Using Service-Linked Roles for AWS BugBust](#).

### View an AWS BugBust event state

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. You can view the state of an event in the following places.

- The state appears next to the name of the event.
- Choose **Dashboard**. The event states appear on the dashboard and the current state is highlighted.

## View an AWS BugBust event dashboard

The dashboard of an AWS BugBust event shows high-level information about its bugs and profiling groups. If the event hasn't started, you can also use the dashboard to update some of its details.

### View an AWS BugBust event dashboard

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Dashboard**.

The event dashboard shows information about the following.

- **Bugs** – The total number of bugs in your event, and how many are claimed, unclaimed, and fixed. If you are a player, you can see how many bugs you have claimed and fixed.
- **Profiling groups** – The total number of profiling groups in your event, how many are claimed, checked in, and evaluated. An evaluated profiling group has been analyzed to determine how many points its checked-in code is worth based its CPU usage performance improvement. If you are a player, you can see how many profiling bugs you have claimed and how many of your claimed profiling groups are evaluated. For more information, see [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Profiler performance improvements](#). You can also see an estimate of how much money is saved by the improvements in the evaluated profiling groups.
- **Points and ranking** – If you are a player, you can view your rank among all of the event's players and how many points you have earned.
- **The state of the event** – For more information, see [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#).

If the event hasn't started, you can update the following from the dashboard.

- **Details** – Choose **Edit event detail** to update an event's name, description, start and end time, and prizes. For more information, see [Enter AWS BugBust event details](#).

- **Work items** – Choose **Import work items** to import more bugs, profiling groups, or both into the event. For more information, see [Import work items \(admin\)](#).
- **Players** – Choose **Invite players** to invite more players to the event. For more information, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#).

## View an AWS BugBust event leaderboard

You can the top scoring players in your event on its leaderboard. The leaderboard is updated as points are assigned from fixing bugs and improving profiling groups. For more information, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#).

### View an event's leaderboard

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Leaderboard**.

## View an AWS BugBust event's details

An AWS BugBust administrator and player can view details about an event on the event dashboard. A player cannot change an event from the dashboard. An administrator can update an event from the dashboard. For more information, see [Update an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).

### View an event's details

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Event detail**.

## View AWS BugBust rules and scoring

You can view the AWS BugBust event rules and how points are scored. The rules and scoring for all AWS BugBust events is the same. For more information, see [Rules and scoring](#).

## View rules and scoring in AWS BugBust

1. If you are not on your event details page, follow the appropriate steps in [View AWS BugBust event information \(admin and player\)](#) to open it.
2. Choose **Rules and scoring**.

# Creating the AWS BugBust accounts required to use AWS BugBust

AWS BugBust administrators and players are required to have a AWS BugBust player portal account and have access to the AWS Management Console to use AWS BugBust.

## Accessing the AWS Management Console for AWS BugBust events

An AWS BugBust administrator uses their AWS credentials to access the AWS BugBust console to create an event. For information about how to create an event and the required permissions, see [Create an AWS BugBust event \(admin\)](#).

For a player to access an AWS BugBust event on the AWS Management Console:

1. Grant each player the permissions in the `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess` AWS managed policy. For more information, see [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#).
2. Send them a URL to join your event.
  - If your organization uses a SSO (single sign-on) sign-in URL to log in to AWS, send them that URL.
  - If your organization doesn't use a SSO (single sign-on) sign-in URL to log in to AWS, send them the automatically generated URL that appears in the email text in the AWS BugBust console. For more information, see [Invite players \(admin\)](#).

To learn how to sign in as an IAM user, see [How IAM Users Sign In to AWS](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

If you use IAM Identity Center, see [How to sign in to the player portal](#) in the *IAM Identity Center User Guide* for more information.

## Accessing the AWS BugBust player portal for AWS BugBust events

Before you can join an event, you need to create a AWS BugBust player portal account. To create an account, you need to provide a valid email address and to create a password.

You cannot change the initial email address used to create your AWS BugBust account. To earn points during AWS BugBust events, you might need to add additional authorized email addresses. For more information, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#).

**⚠ Important**

If the email you use for the commit that creates the pull request to submit a bug fix is not added as an authorized email in your AWS BugBust player portal, you cannot score points. To learn how to add additional authorized email addresses, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#)

### To create a AWS BugBust player portal account

1. Open the <https://bugbust.aws> landing page.
2. Choose **New to AWS BugBust? Create an account**.
3. For **Your email address**, enter a valid email address.
4. For **Choose a password**, enter a valid password.

Passwords for AWS BugBust must be at least 8 characters and must contain at least one of the following: an uppercase character, a lowercase character, a number, and a symbol.

5. Choose **Create your account**.
6. Next, AWS BugBust emails you a verification code. Copy your verification code.
7. Enter your verification code under **Verification code** and then choose **Verify**.

# Joining an AWS BugBust event

To join an AWS BugBust event, you need an email invitation from your AWS BugBust administrator and access to the AWS Management Console. The invitation comes directly from your AWS BugBust administrator email address, not from AWS. If you can't find the invite, contact your AWS BugBust administrator.

Invitations to AWS BugBust events expire when the event has closed.

You may be asked to periodically reauthorize your registered AWS BugBust email address.

If you've received an email invite to a AWS BugBust event and cannot access your event, you might need AWS BugBust specific permissions added to your IAM user or role. Your event's administrator can grant you the required permissions. For more information see, [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#).

## To join an AWS BugBust event

1. Find the email from your AWS BugBust administrator and locate the link to your AWS BugBust event.
2. Choose the invitation link.
3. On the **AWS Management console**, use your IAM credentials to log in to AWS BugBust.

### Note

If you are not familiar with logging in to the AWS Management Console, see [Signing in to the AWS Management Console as an IAM user or root user](#).

If you receive an error message that says You don't have permission to access this event, contact your AWS BugBust event administrator. They may need to add additional permissions to your IAM users or role. For more information, see [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#).

4. On the AWS BugBust participants event details page, choose **Join event**.

After joining an event, you can see the event **Dashboard** and details about the status of your event. To see your event's leaderboard, choose **Leaderboard**.

To learn more about how to play the AWS BugBust game, see [Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust](#).

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To learn how to claim bugs, fix bugs, and submit your changes, see [Work with bugs in an event \(admin and player\)](#).

To learn how to claim profiling groups, fix profiling groups, and submit your changes, see [Work with profiling groups in an event \(admin and player\)](#).



# Rules and scoring in AWS BugBust

AWS BugBust administrators create bug bash events, then AWS BugBust players earn points by fixing the events' bugs and performance issues. Each bug bash event uses the same rules for scoring and determining how players rank and win.

## Note

In the AWS BugBust player portal, a player is referred to as a *BugBuster*.

## Topics

- [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes](#)
- [Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Profiler performance improvements](#)

## Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer bug fixes

If an AWS BugBust event is configured with bugs found during an Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer repository analysis, players can claim up to ten bugs at a time to work on.

Each bug is classified into one of 10 categories, and the number of points it is worth is determined by the complexity of its category.

### Bug categories , severities, and points

| Category            | Severity | Points |
|---------------------|----------|--------|
| Concurrency         | High     | 5      |
| Security            | High     | 5      |
| AWS best practices  | Medium   | 3      |
| Duplicated code     | Medium   | 3      |
| Input validations   | Medium   | 3      |
| Java best practices | Medium   | 3      |

| Category                  | Severity | Points |
|---------------------------|----------|--------|
| Resource leaks            | Medium   | 3      |
| AWS CloudFormation issues | Low      | 1      |
| Code maintenance issues   | Low      | 1      |
| Python best practices     | Low      | 1      |

For more information, see [Recommendations](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer User Guide*.

## Scoring with Amazon CodeGuru Profiler performance improvements

If an AWS BugBust event is configured with Amazon CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups, players claim up to three profiling groups at a time. Players earn points by fixing performance issues that CodeGuru Profiler detected in a profiling group. A claimed profiling group contains recommendations provided by CodeGuru Profiler to help fix the performance issues. You can also use advanced tools such as the flame graph associated with your profiling group. For more information, see [Working with anomalies and recommendation reports](#) and [Working with visualizations](#) in the *Amazon CodeGuru Profiler User Guide*.

A player deploys code to address the performance issues. Next, the AWS BugBust event administrator evaluates their solution to determine the percentage improvement in CPU usage. The greater the CPU usage improvement, the more points the player earns. The following shows how many points are scored for a performance improvement.

Scoring is based on the average for the day the improvement is calculated. Because of this, a player might earn more points if the evaluation happens at least one day after their changes are submitted. An administrator can evaluate an improvement more than once.

### CPU usage improvement and points

| CPU usage percent improvement | Points |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| 20% or more                   | 13     |

| CPU usage percent improvement | Points |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| 11% - 20%                     | 8      |
| 6% - 10%                      | 5      |
| 1% - 5%                       | 3      |

# How to customize your AWS BugBust player profile

When you join the AWS BugBust game, you can customize your player profile to reflect your personal persona.

## Note

In the AWS BugBust player portal, a player is referred to as a *BugBuster*.

The following procedures assume you've signed into the [AWS BugBust player portal](#).

**You can customize your AWS BugBust player profile by:**

- [Customizing your player avatar](#)
- [Customizing your player nickname](#)
- [Adding authorized e-mail addresses](#)

## Customizing your player avatar in AWS BugBust

You can update and change your default avatar at any time. Player avatars are not required to be globally unique.

**To customize your player avatar in AWS BugBust**

1. Open the [AWS BugBust player portal](#).
2. Choose your **Player nickname**.
3. Then, choose **Your profile**.
4. Hover over your current avatar and choose **Customize your avatar**.
5. On the avatar customization page, update the avatar traits that you want to change.
6. Choose **Save changes** when you are finished.

If you [delete your account](#), any avatar customizations you made are lost.

# Customizing your player nickname in the AWS BugBust player portal

You can update your player nickname at any time.

Player nicknames must be globally unique. Nicknames have fewer than 24 characters and can contain a mixture of characters, symbols, and numbers.

## To customize your player nickname in AWS BugBust

1. Open the [AWS BugBust player portal](#).
2. Choose your **Player nickname**.
3. Then choose **Your account**.
4. Under **Your account**, choose **Change nickname**.
5. On the **Change your nickname** modal, update your nickname.
6. Next, choose **Save nickname** to save your changes.

If you [delete your account](#), any changes made to your nickname are lost.

# Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal

Authorized email addresses are used in AWS BugBust events to score points. Points are scored based on pull requests created on GitHub for AWS BugBust Bugs. To collect points, you must link any email addresses you use on GitHub prior to submitting a pull request.

If you check in a bug without first linking your email address, contact your AWS BugBust administrator for next steps.

If you [delete your account](#), any authorized email addresses you have added are deleted.

### Important

If the email you use for the commit that creates the pull request to submit a bug fix is not added as an authorized email in your AWS BugBust player portal, you cannot score points.

To learn how to add additional authorized email addresses, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#)

## To add an authorized email address to your AWS BugBust account

1. Open the [AWS BugBust player portal](#).
2. Choose your **Player nickname**.
3. Choose **Your account**.
4. Under **Authorized emails**, add your email address in the **Add an authorized email address** field.
5. Choose **Verify**.
6. In your email, you receive an alphanumeric code. Enter that code into the **Your secret code** field.
7. Choose **Verify and authorize**.

AWS BugBust events use authorized email addresses to award points. You score points based on pull requests created on GitHub for AWS BugBust bugs. To collect points, you must link any email addresses you use on GitHub prior to submitting a pull request.

If you check in a bug without first linking your email address, contact your AWS BugBust administrator for next steps.

If you [delete your account](#), any authorized email addresses you have added are deleted.

# Security in AWS BugBust (admin)

Cloud security at AWS is the highest priority. As an AWS customer, you benefit from a data center and network architecture that is built to meet the requirements of the most security-sensitive organizations.

Security is a shared responsibility between AWS and you. The [shared responsibility model](#) describes this as security of the cloud and security in the cloud:

- **Security of the cloud** – AWS is responsible for protecting the infrastructure that runs AWS services in the AWS Cloud. AWS also provides you with services that you can use securely. Third-party auditors regularly test and verify the effectiveness of our security as part of the [AWS Compliance Programs](#). To learn about the compliance programs that apply to AWS BugBust, see [AWS Services in Scope by Compliance Program](#).
- **Security in the cloud** – Your responsibility is determined by the AWS service that you use. You are also responsible for other factors including the sensitivity of your data, your company's requirements, and applicable laws and regulations.

This documentation helps you understand how to apply the shared responsibility model when using AWS BugBust. It shows you how to configure AWS BugBust to meet your security and compliance objectives. You also learn how to use other AWS services that help you to monitor and secure your AWS BugBust resources.

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## Data protection in AWS BugBust

The following sections explain what data is captured by AWS BugBust, and where AWS BugBust uses data encryption to protect your data. Based on whether you are a *player* participating in

a AWS BugBust event or an *administrator* creating AWS BugBust events, different sections are relevant to you.

You can learn more about AWS data privacy and data protection commitments on the [Privacy Notice](#) page.

## Topics

- [Captured data in AWS BugBust for players and administrators](#)
- [Encryption at rest for AWS BugBust players and administrators](#)
- [Encryption in transit for AWS BugBust players and administrators](#)

## Captured data in AWS BugBust for players and administrators

To participate in AWS BugBust events, AWS BugBust stores the required data.

For example, an email and password are required to create an AWS BugBust player account. When you customize your player profile, you can choose a nickname and avatar. During the duration of an event, AWS BugBust keeps track of players' scores on the global leaderboard and the event leaderboard. If a player uses a different email address to create pull requests to submit bug fixes, then those email addresses must be added as authorized emails in order to receive points.

For more information, see [Accessing the AWS Management Console for AWS BugBust events](#), [Joining an AWS BugBust event](#), and [How to customize your AWS BugBust player profile](#) in the *AWS BugBust user guide*.

### Captured data in AWS BugBust

The following is a summary of data stored by AWS BugBust.

- Your email address and password used to register an AWS BugBust player portal account.
- Email addresses you've authorized on AWS BugBust for pull requests on GitHub
- Your player nickname
- Your avatar
- Your global leaderboard standing
- Your AWS BugBust event standing

### Captured data from Amazon CodeGuru Reviewer for AWS BugBust events



When you create a AWS BugBust event, you can import bugs found by CodeGuru Reviewer into an event. If you import bugs, AWS BugBust retrieves the recommendations to fix them so they can be displayed to help players. The recommendations are not stored. Use the [Captured data in CodeGuru Reviewer](#) section to learn more about data stored by CodeGuru Reviewer to create code reviews.

### **Captured data from Amazon CodeGuru Profiler for AWS BugBust event**

If you import profiling groups for players to work on, the ARN, initial CPU usage, final CPU usage after a player submits improvements, and the estimated cost for each profiling group is stored in AWS BugBust

When you create a AWS BugBust event and subsequently choose to add profiling groups, CodeGuru Profiler captures data.

Use the [Captured data in CodeGuru Profiler](#) section to learn more about the data captured when you use profiling groups in AWS BugBust events.

### **Encryption at rest for AWS BugBust players and administrators**

AWS BugBust uses Amazon Cognito to encrypt and store the email and password used to create AWS BugBust player accounts. For more information, see [Data Protection in Amazon Cognito](#).

All other data captured in AWS BugBust, including additional emails a player might add to their account, is encrypted at rest in the cloud using AWS owned keys through AWS Key Management Service with AES-GCM and using keys of size 256-bits. This data is stored and encrypted in Amazon Simple Storage Service (S3) and Amazon DynamoDB For more information about adding authorized email addresses, see [Adding authorized email addresses in the AWS BugBust player portal](#).

### **Encryption in transit for AWS BugBust players and administrators**

For AWS BugBust players, your registered and authorized email addresses are encrypted with client-side encryption. All other [data captured in AWS BugBust](#) is copied out of your account and processed in an internal AWS system. By default, AWS BugBust uses secure connections over HTTPS to encrypt data in transit.

If you are a AWS BugBust administrator creating AWS BugBust events, use the following links to learn more about data protection in CodeGuru Profiler and CodeGuru Reviewer.

To learn more about how CodeGuru Profiler encrypts data in transit, see [Data encryption in CodeGuru Profiler](#).

To learn more about how CodeGuru Reviewer encrypts data in transit, see [Data encryption in CodeGuru Reviewer](#).

## Identity and Access Management for AWS BugBust

AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM) is an AWS service that helps an administrator securely control access to AWS resources. IAM administrators control who can be *authenticated* (signed in) and *authorized* (have permissions) to use AWS BugBust resources. IAM is an AWS service that you can use with no additional charge.

### Topics

- [Audience](#)
- [Authenticating with identities](#)
- [How AWS BugBust works with IAM](#)
- [Overview of managing access permissions to your AWS BugBust resources](#)
- [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#)
- [AWS BugBust permissions reference](#)
- [Troubleshooting AWS BugBust identity and access](#)
- [Allow users to view their own permissions](#)
- [Using Service-Linked Roles for AWS BugBust](#)

## Audience

How you use AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM) differs depending on the work that you do in AWS BugBust.

**AWS BugBust event administrator** – If you use the AWS BugBust service to create AWS BugBust events, you require full access to AWS BugBust. It's your job to determine in which AWS BugBust events your players have permissions to participate. To learn more about how your company can use IAM with AWS BugBust, see [How AWS BugBust works with IAM](#). To learn more about AWS BugBust event administrator permissions, see the [AWSBugBustFullAccess managed policy for AWS BugBust event administrators](#).

**AWS BugBust event player** – If you're an AWS BugBust player, you should have permissions required to participate in an AWS BugBust event as a player. If you've received an email invite to an AWS BugBust event and cannot access your event, you might need AWS BugBust-specific player permissions added to your IAM user or role. For more information, see the [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#). Your event's administrator can grant you the required permissions. Full access to AWS BugBust is not required to participate as a player.

**IAM administrator** – If you're an IAM administrator, you might want to learn details about how you can write policies that grant permissions to create an AWS BugBust event or to participate as a player in an AWS BugBust event. To view predefined AWS BugBust identity-based managed policies and customer managed policy examples that you can use in IAM, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## Authenticating with identities

Authentication is how you sign in to AWS using your identity credentials. You must be *authenticated* (signed in to AWS) as the AWS account root user, as an IAM user, or by assuming an IAM role.

You can sign in to AWS as a federated identity by using credentials provided through an identity source. AWS IAM Identity Center (IAM Identity Center) users, your company's single sign-on authentication, and your Google or Facebook credentials are examples of federated identities. When you sign in as a federated identity, your administrator previously set up identity federation using IAM roles. When you access AWS by using federation, you are indirectly assuming a role.

Depending on the type of user you are, you can sign in to the AWS Management Console or the AWS access portal. For more information about signing in to AWS, see [How to sign in to your AWS account](#) in the *AWS Sign-In User Guide*.

If you access AWS programmatically, AWS provides a software development kit (SDK) and a command line interface (CLI) to cryptographically sign your requests by using your credentials. If you don't use AWS tools, you must sign requests yourself. For more information about using the recommended method to sign requests yourself, see [AWS Signature Version 4 for API requests](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

Regardless of the authentication method that you use, you might be required to provide additional security information. For example, AWS recommends that you use multi-factor authentication (MFA) to increase the security of your account. To learn more, see [Multi-factor authentication](#) in

the *AWS IAM Identity Center User Guide* and [AWS Multi-factor authentication in IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## AWS account root user

When you create an AWS account, you begin with one sign-in identity that has complete access to all AWS services and resources in the account. This identity is called the AWS account *root user* and is accessed by signing in with the email address and password that you used to create the account. We strongly recommend that you don't use the root user for your everyday tasks. Safeguard your root user credentials and use them to perform the tasks that only the root user can perform. For the complete list of tasks that require you to sign in as the root user, see [Tasks that require root user credentials](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## IAM users and groups

An [IAM user](#) is an identity within your AWS account that has specific permissions for a single person or application. Where possible, we recommend relying on temporary credentials instead of creating IAM users who have long-term credentials such as passwords and access keys. However, if you have specific use cases that require long-term credentials with IAM users, we recommend that you rotate access keys. For more information, see [Rotate access keys regularly for use cases that require long-term credentials](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

An [IAM group](#) is an identity that specifies a collection of IAM users. You can't sign in as a group. You can use groups to specify permissions for multiple users at a time. Groups make permissions easier to manage for large sets of users. For example, you could have a group named *IAMAdmins* and give that group permissions to administer IAM resources.

Users are different from roles. A user is uniquely associated with one person or application, but a role is intended to be assumable by anyone who needs it. Users have permanent long-term credentials, but roles provide temporary credentials. To learn more, see [Use cases for IAM users](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## IAM roles

An [IAM role](#) is an identity within your AWS account that has specific permissions. It is similar to an IAM user, but is not associated with a specific person. To temporarily assume an IAM role in the AWS Management Console, you can [switch from a user to an IAM role \(console\)](#). You can assume a role by calling an AWS CLI or AWS API operation or by using a custom URL. For more information about methods for using roles, see [Methods to assume a role](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

IAM roles with temporary credentials are useful in the following situations:

- **Federated user access** – To assign permissions to a federated identity, you create a role and define permissions for the role. When a federated identity authenticates, the identity is associated with the role and is granted the permissions that are defined by the role. For information about roles for federation, see [Create a role for a third-party identity provider \(federation\)](#) in the *IAM User Guide*. If you use IAM Identity Center, you configure a permission set. To control what your identities can access after they authenticate, IAM Identity Center correlates the permission set to a role in IAM. For information about permissions sets, see [Permission sets](#) in the *AWS IAM Identity Center User Guide*.
- **Temporary IAM user permissions** – An IAM user or role can assume an IAM role to temporarily take on different permissions for a specific task.
- **Cross-account access** – You can use an IAM role to allow someone (a trusted principal) in a different account to access resources in your account. Roles are the primary way to grant cross-account access. However, with some AWS services, you can attach a policy directly to a resource (instead of using a role as a proxy). To learn the difference between roles and resource-based policies for cross-account access, see [Cross account resource access in IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- **Cross-service access** – Some AWS services use features in other AWS services. For example, when you make a call in a service, it's common for that service to run applications in Amazon EC2 or store objects in Amazon S3. A service might do this using the calling principal's permissions, using a service role, or using a service-linked role.
  - **Forward access sessions (FAS)** – When you use an IAM user or role to perform actions in AWS, you are considered a principal. When you use some services, you might perform an action that then initiates another action in a different service. FAS uses the permissions of the principal calling an AWS service, combined with the requesting AWS service to make requests to downstream services. FAS requests are only made when a service receives a request that requires interactions with other AWS services or resources to complete. In this case, you must have permissions to perform both actions. For policy details when making FAS requests, see [Forward access sessions](#).
  - **Service role** – A service role is an [IAM role](#) that a service assumes to perform actions on your behalf. An IAM administrator can create, modify, and delete a service role from within IAM. For more information, see [Create a role to delegate permissions to an AWS service](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
  - **Service-linked role** – A service-linked role is a type of service role that is linked to an AWS service. The service can assume the role to perform an action on your behalf. Service-linked

roles appear in your AWS account and are owned by the service. An IAM administrator can view, but not edit the permissions for service-linked roles.

- **Applications running on Amazon EC2** – You can use an IAM role to manage temporary credentials for applications that are running on an EC2 instance and making AWS CLI or AWS API requests. This is preferable to storing access keys within the EC2 instance. To assign an AWS role to an EC2 instance and make it available to all of its applications, you create an instance profile that is attached to the instance. An instance profile contains the role and enables programs that are running on the EC2 instance to get temporary credentials. For more information, see [Use an IAM role to grant permissions to applications running on Amazon EC2 instances](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## How AWS BugBust works with IAM

Before you use IAM to manage access to AWS BugBust, learn what IAM features are available to use with AWS BugBust.

### IAM features you can use with AWS BugBust

| IAM feature                             | AWS BugBust support |
|---|---------------------|
| <a href="#">Identity-based policies</a> | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Resource-based policies</a> | No                  |
| <a href="#">Policy actions</a>          | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Policy resources</a>        | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Policy condition keys</a>   | Partial             |
| <a href="#">ACLs</a>                    | No                  |
| <a href="#">ABAC (tags in policies)</a> | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Temporary credentials</a>   | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Principal permissions</a>   | Yes                 |
| <a href="#">Service roles</a>           | No                  |

| IAM feature                          | AWS BugBust support |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <a href="#">Service-linked roles</a> | Yes                 |

To get a high-level view of how AWS BugBust and other AWS services work with IAM features, see [AWS services that work with IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust

**Supports identity-based policies:** Yes

Identity-based policies are JSON permissions policy documents that you can attach to an identity, such as an IAM user, group of users, or role. These policies control what actions users and roles can perform, on which resources, and under what conditions. To learn how to create an identity-based policy, see [Define custom IAM permissions with customer managed policies](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

With IAM identity-based policies, you can specify allowed or denied actions and resources as well as the conditions under which actions are allowed or denied. You can't specify the principal in an identity-based policy because it applies to the user or role to which it is attached. To learn about all of the elements that you can use in a JSON policy, see [IAM JSON policy elements reference](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

The AWS BugBust service supports two identity-based policies, `AWSBugBustFullAccess` and `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess`.

To learn how to attach the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` for AWS BugBust administrators, see [Step 1: Provision an IAM role to create an AWS BugBust event](#).

To learn more about the `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess`, see [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#).

## Identity-based policy examples for AWS BugBust

To view examples of AWS BugBust managed policies, see [AWS managed \(predefined\) policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## Resource-based policies for AWS BugBust

**Supports resource-based policies:** No

Resource-based policies are JSON policy documents that you attach to a resource. Examples of resource-based policies are IAM *role trust policies* and Amazon S3 *bucket policies*. In services that support resource-based policies, service administrators can use them to control access to a specific resource. For the resource where the policy is attached, the policy defines what actions a specified principal can perform on that resource and under what conditions. You must [specify a principal](#) in a resource-based policy. Principals can include accounts, users, roles, federated users, or AWS services.

To enable cross-account access, you can specify an entire account or IAM entities in another account as the principal in a resource-based policy. Adding a cross-account principal to a resource-based policy is only half of establishing the trust relationship. When the principal and the resource are in different AWS accounts, an IAM administrator in the trusted account must also grant the principal entity (user or role) permission to access the resource. They grant permission by attaching an identity-based policy to the entity. However, if a resource-based policy grants access to a principal in the same account, no additional identity-based policy is required. For more information, see [Cross account resource access in IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Policy actions for AWS BugBust

**Supports policy actions:** Yes

Administrators can use AWS JSON policies to specify who has access to what. That is, which **principal** can perform **actions** on what **resources**, and under what **conditions**.

The `Action` element of a JSON policy describes the actions that you can use to allow or deny access in a policy. Policy actions usually have the same name as the associated AWS API operation. There are some exceptions, such as *permission-only actions* that don't have a matching API operation. There are also some operations that require multiple actions in a policy. These additional actions are called *dependent actions*.

Include actions in a policy to grant permissions to perform the associated operation.

To see a list of AWS BugBust actions, see [Actions Defined by AWS BugBust](#) in the *Service Authorization Reference*.

Policy actions in AWS BugBust use the following prefix before the action:

```
bugbust
```



To specify multiple actions in a single statement, separate them with commas.

```
"Action": [  
  "bugbust:action1",  
  "bugbust:action2"  
]
```

You can specify multiple actions using wildcards (\*). For example, to specify all actions that begin with the word Get, include the following action:

```
"Action": "bugbust:Get*"
```

To view examples of AWS BugBust identity-based policies, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## Policy resources for AWS BugBust

**Supports policy resources:** Yes

Administrators can use AWS JSON policies to specify who has access to what. That is, which **principal** can perform **actions** on what **resources**, and under what **conditions**.

The Resource JSON policy element specifies the object or objects to which the action applies. Statements must include either a Resource or a NotResource element. As a best practice, specify a resource using its [Amazon Resource Name \(ARN\)](#). You can do this for actions that support a specific resource type, known as *resource-level permissions*.

For actions that don't support resource-level permissions, such as listing operations, use a wildcard (\*) to indicate that the statement applies to all resources.

```
"Resource": "*"
```

To see a list of AWS BugBust resource types and their ARNs, see [Resources Defined by AWS BugBust](#) in the *Service Authorization Reference*. To learn with which actions you can specify the ARN of each resource, see [Actions Defined by AWS BugBust](#).

To view examples of AWS BugBust identity-based policies, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## Policy condition keys for AWS BugBust

### Supports service-specific policy condition keys: Partial

Administrators can use AWS JSON policies to specify who has access to what. That is, which **principal** can perform **actions** on what **resources**, and under what **conditions**.

The `Condition` element (or *Condition block*) lets you specify conditions in which a statement is in effect. The `Condition` element is optional. You can create conditional expressions that use [condition operators](#), such as equals or less than, to match the condition in the policy with values in the request.

If you specify multiple `Condition` elements in a statement, or multiple keys in a single `Condition` element, AWS evaluates them using a logical AND operation. If you specify multiple values for a single condition key, AWS evaluates the condition using a logical OR operation. All of the conditions must be met before the statement's permissions are granted.

You can also use placeholder variables when you specify conditions. For example, you can grant an IAM user permission to access a resource only if it is tagged with their IAM user name. For more information, see [IAM policy elements: variables and tags](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

AWS supports global condition keys and service-specific condition keys. To see all AWS global condition keys, see [AWS global condition context keys](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

To see a list of AWS BugBust condition keys, see [Condition Keys for AWS BugBust](#) in the *Service Authorization Reference*. To learn with which actions and resources you can use a condition key, see [Actions Defined by AWS BugBust](#).

To view examples of AWS BugBust identity-based policies, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## Access control lists (ACLs) in AWS BugBust

### Supports ACLs: No

Access control lists (ACLs) control which principals (account members, users, or roles) have permissions to access a resource. ACLs are similar to resource-based policies, although they do not use the JSON policy document format.

## Attribute-based access control (ABAC) with AWS BugBust

### Supports ABAC (tags in policies): No

Attribute-based access control (ABAC) is an authorization strategy that defines permissions based on attributes. In AWS, these attributes are called *tags*. You can attach tags to IAM entities (users or roles) and to many AWS resources. Tagging entities and resources is the first step of ABAC. Then you design ABAC policies to allow operations when the principal's tag matches the tag on the resource that they are trying to access.

ABAC is helpful in environments that are growing rapidly and helps with situations where policy management becomes cumbersome.

To control access based on tags, you provide tag information in the [condition element](#) of a policy using the `aws:ResourceTag/key-name`, `aws:RequestTag/key-name`, or `aws:TagKeys` condition keys.

If a service supports all three condition keys for every resource type, then the value is **Yes** for the service. If a service supports all three condition keys for only some resource types, then the value is **Partial**.

For more information about ABAC, see [Define permissions with ABAC authorization](#) in the *IAM User Guide*. To view a tutorial with steps for setting up ABAC, see [Use attribute-based access control \(ABAC\)](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Using Temporary credentials with AWS BugBust

**Supports temporary credentials:** Yes

Some AWS services don't work when you sign in using temporary credentials. For additional information, including which AWS services work with temporary credentials, see [AWS services that work with IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

You are using temporary credentials if you sign in to the AWS Management Console using any method except a user name and password. For example, when you access AWS using your company's single sign-on (SSO) link, that process automatically creates temporary credentials. You also automatically create temporary credentials when you sign in to the console as a user and then switch roles. For more information about switching roles, see [Switch from a user to an IAM role \(console\)](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

You can manually create temporary credentials using the AWS CLI or AWS API. You can then use those temporary credentials to access AWS. AWS recommends that you dynamically generate temporary credentials instead of using long-term access keys. For more information, see [Temporary security credentials in IAM](#).

## Cross-service principal permissions for AWS BugBust

### Supports forward access sessions (FAS): Yes

When you use an IAM user or role to perform actions in AWS, you are considered a principal. When you use some services, you might perform an action that then initiates another action in a different service. FAS uses the permissions of the principal calling an AWS service, combined with the requesting AWS service to make requests to downstream services. FAS requests are only made when a service receives a request that requires interactions with other AWS services or resources to complete. In this case, you must have permissions to perform both actions. For policy details when making FAS requests, see [Forward access sessions](#).

## Service roles for AWS BugBust

### Supports service roles: No

A service role is an [IAM role](#) that a service assumes to perform actions on your behalf. An IAM administrator can create, modify, and delete a service role from within IAM. For more information, see [Create a role to delegate permissions to an AWS service](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

#### Warning

Changing the permissions for a service role might break AWS BugBust functionality. Edit service roles only when AWS BugBust provides guidance to do so.

## Service-linked roles for AWS BugBust

### Supports service-linked roles: Yes

A service-linked role is a type of service role that is linked to an AWS service. The service can assume the role to perform an action on your behalf. Service-linked roles appear in your AWS account and are owned by the service. An IAM administrator can view, but not edit the permissions for service-linked roles.

For details about creating or managing AWS BugBust service-linked roles, see [Using Service-Linked Roles for AWS BugBust](#).

For details about creating or managing service-linked roles, see [AWS services that work with IAM](#). Find a service in the table that includes a Yes in the **Service-linked role** column. Choose the **Yes** link to view the service-linked role documentation for that service.

# Overview of managing access permissions to your AWS BugBust resources

Every AWS resource is owned by an AWS account, and permissions to create or access a resource are governed by permissions policies. An account administrator can attach permissions policies to IAM identities (users, groups, and roles).

## Note

An account administrator (or administrator user) is a user with administrator privileges. For more information, see [IAM Best Practices](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

When you grant permissions, you decide who is getting the permissions, the resources they can access, and the actions that can be performed on those resources.

## Topics

- [AWS BugBust resources and operations](#)
- [Understanding resource ownership](#)
- [Managing access to resources](#)
- [Specifying policy elements: actions, effects, and principals](#)

## AWS BugBust resources and operations

AWS BugBust contains one resource, an AWS BugBust event. In a policy, you use an Amazon Resource Name (ARN) to identify the resource to which the policy applies. In the following ARN, the repository association ID and the code review ID are universally unique identifiers (UUIDs). For more information, see [Amazon Resource Names \(ARNs\)](#) in the *Amazon Web Services General Reference*.

| Resource type     | ARN format  |
|-------------------|---|
| AWS BugBust event | arn:aws:bugbust: <i>region-ID</i> : <i>account-ID</i> :event: <i>event-uuid</i> |

For example, you can indicate an AWS BugBust event with a *my-event-id* id in your statement using its ARN, as follows.

```
"Resource": "arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-2:123456789012:event:my-event-id"
```

To specify all resources, or if an API action does not support ARNs, use the wildcard character (\*) in the Resource element, as follows.

```
"Resource": "*"
```

To specify multiple resources in a single statement, separate their ARNs with commas, as follows.

```
"Resource": [  
  "arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-2:123456789012:event:my-event-id-1",  
  "arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-2:123456789012:event:my-event-id-2"  
]
```

AWS BugBust provides a set of operations to work with the AWS BugBust resources. For a list, see [AWS BugBust permissions reference](#).

## Understanding resource ownership

The AWS account owns the resources that are created in it, regardless of who created the resources. Specifically, the resource owner is the AWS account of the [principal entity](#) (the root account, an IAM user, or an IAM role) that authenticates the resource creation request. The following examples illustrate how this works:

- If you use the root account credentials of your AWS account to create a rule, your AWS account is the owner of the AWS BugBust resource.
- If you grant permissions to create AWS BugBust resources to a user, the user can create AWS BugBust resources. However, your AWS account, to which the user belongs, owns the AWS BugBust resources.
- If you create an IAM role in your AWS account with permissions to create AWS BugBust resources, anyone who can assume the role can create AWS BugBust resources. Your AWS account, to which the role belongs, owns the AWS BugBust resources.

## Managing access to resources

A permissions policy describes who has access to which resources.

### Note

This section discusses the use of IAM in AWS BugBust. It doesn't provide detailed information about the IAM service. For complete IAM documentation, see [What Is IAM?](#) in the *IAM User Guide*. For information about IAM policy syntax and descriptions, see [IAM JSON Policy Reference](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

Policies attached to an IAM identity are referred to as *identity-based policies* (IAM policies). Policies attached to a resource are referred to as *resource-based policies*. AWS BugBust supports identity-based (IAM policies) only.

### Identity-based policies

You can attach policies to IAM identities. To grant a user permissions to view repository associations and code reviews in the AWS BugBust console, you can attach a permissions policy to a user or group to which the user belongs.

In AWS BugBust, identity-based policies are used to manage permissions to the resources related to associated repositories and code reviews. For example, you can control access to code reviews.

You can create IAM policies to restrict the calls and resources to which users in your account have access, and then attach those policies to IAM users. For more information about how to create IAM roles and to explore example IAM policy statements for AWS BugBust, see [Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust](#).

### Specifying policy elements: actions, effects, and principals

For each AWS BugBust resource, the service defines a set of API operations. To grant permissions for these API operations, AWS BugBust defines a set of actions that you can specify in a policy. Some API operations can require permissions for more than one action to perform the API operation. For more information, see [AWS BugBust resources and operations](#) and [AWS BugBust permissions reference](#).

The following are the basic policy elements:

- **Resource** – You use an ARN to identify the resource to which the policy applies.

- **Action** – You use action keywords to identify resource operations to allow or deny. For example, the `bugbust-slug:CreateEvent` permission gives the user permissions to perform the `CreateEvent` operation.
- **Effect** – You specify the effect, either `allow` or `deny`, when the user requests the action. If you don't explicitly grant access to (`allow`) a resource, access is implicitly denied. You can also explicitly deny access to a resource. You might do this to make sure that a user cannot access a resource, even if a different policy grants access.
- **Principal** – In identity-based policies (IAM policies), the user to whom the policy is attached is the implicit principal. For resource-based policies, you specify the user, account, service, or other entity that you want to receive permissions.

To learn more about IAM policy syntax and descriptions, see [AWS IAM Policy Reference](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

For a table showing all of the AWS BugBust API actions and the resources to which they apply, see [AWS BugBust permissions reference](#).

## Identity-based policies for AWS BugBust

By default, users and roles don't have permission to create or modify AWS BugBust resources. They also can't perform tasks by using the AWS Management Console, AWS Command Line Interface (AWS CLI), or AWS API. To grant users permission to perform actions on the resources that they need, an IAM administrator can create IAM policies. The administrator can then add the IAM policies to roles, and users can assume the roles.

To learn how to create an IAM identity-based policy by using these example JSON policy documents, see [Create IAM policies \(console\)](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

For details about actions and resource types defined by AWS BugBust, including the format of the ARNs for each of the resource types, see [Actions, Resources, and Condition Keys for AWS BugBust](#) in the *Service Authorization Reference*.

### Topics

- [Policy best practices](#)
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- [AWS managed \(predefined\) policies for AWS BugBust](#)
- [Customer managed policy examples](#)



- [AWS BugBust updates to AWS managed policies and service-linked role](#)

## Policy best practices

Identity-based policies are very powerful. They determine whether someone can create, access, or delete AWS BugBust resources in your account. When you create or edit identity-based policies, follow these guidelines and recommendations:

- **Get started using AWS managed policies** – To start using AWS BugBust quickly, use AWS managed policies to give your employees the permissions they need. These policies are already available in your account and are maintained and updated by AWS. For more information, see [Get started using permissions with AWS managed policies](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- **Grant least privilege** – When you create custom policies, grant only the permissions required to perform a task. Start with a minimum set of permissions and grant additional permissions as necessary. Doing so is more secure than starting with permissions that are too lenient and then trying to tighten them later. For more information, see [Grant least privilege](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- **Enable MFA for sensitive operations** – For extra security, require IAM users to use multi-factor authentication (MFA) to access sensitive resources or API operations. For more information, see [Using multi-factor authentication \(MFA\) in AWS](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- **Use policy conditions for extra security** – To the extent that it's practical, define the conditions under which your identity-based policies allow access to a resource. For example, you can write conditions to specify a range of allowable IP addresses that a request must come from. You can also write conditions to allow requests only within a specified date or time range, or to require the use of SSL or MFA. For more information, see [IAM JSON policy elements: Condition](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Permissions required to use the AWS BugBust console

To access the AWS BugBust console, you must have a minimum set of permissions. These permissions must allow you to list and view details about the AWS BugBust resources in your AWS account. If you create an identity-based policy that is more restrictive than the minimum required permissions, the console won't function as intended for entities (users or roles) with that policy.

You don't need to allow minimum console permissions for users that are making calls only to the AWS CLI or the AWS API. Instead, allow access to only the actions that match the API operation that they're trying to perform.

There are two managed policies provided by AWS that can be used to grant access to the AWS BugBust console. The `AWSBugBustFullAccess` policy is needed for event administrators. It allows administrators to both create and participate in AWS BugBust events. The `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess` is required so that AWS BugBust players can participate in events.

For more information, see [Adding permissions to a user](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

To have full access to the AWS BugBust console, use the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` predefined managed policy.

## AWS managed (predefined) policies for AWS BugBust

AWS addresses many common use cases by providing standalone IAM policies that are created and administered by AWS. These AWS-managed policies grant necessary permissions for common use cases so you can avoid having to investigate what permissions are needed. For more information, see [AWS Managed Policies](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

You can also create your own custom IAM policies to grant access to AWS BugBust actions and resources. You can attach these custom policies to the IAM users or groups.

The following AWS-managed policies are specific to AWS BugBust.

- [AWSBugBustFullAccess](#) – Grants required AWS BugBust permissions for event administrators.
- [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess](#) – Grants required AWS BugBust permissions to participate in AWS BugBust events.

### Note

Event administrators and players also require a [AWS BugBust player portal](#) account. To learn more about creating AWS BugBust player portal, see [Accessing the AWS BugBust player portal for AWS BugBust events](#).

## Topics

- [AWSBugBustFullAccess managed policy for AWS BugBust event administrators](#)
- [AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players](#)

## AWSBugBustFullAccess managed policy for AWS BugBust event administrators

To create an AWS BugBust event, use the `AWSBugBustFullAccess` policy. It provides full access to the AWS BugBust console, and also contains the necessary permissions to ingest code reviews and profiling groups from CodeGuru Reviewer and Profiler.

The `AWSBugBustFullAccess` policy contains the following statement.

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruReviewerPermission",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListCodeReviews"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruProfilerPermission",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-profiler:ListProfilingGroups",
        "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "AWSBugBustFullAccess",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "bugbust:*"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "AWSBugBustSLRCreation",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": "iam:CreateServiceLinkedRole",
```

```

    "Resource": "arn:aws:iam::*:role/aws-service-role/bugbust.amazonaws.com/
AWSServiceRoleForBugBust",
    "Condition": {
      "StringLike": {
        "iam:AWSServiceName": "bugbust.amazonaws.com"
      }
    }
  }
]
}

```

## AWSBugBustPlayerAccess managed policy for players

When you create AWS BugBust events, you invite players via email and use the `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess` policy to grant players access to your AWS BugBust event. This policy includes the minimum set of permissions required by an IAM user or role for players to have access to AWS BugBust. For more information about inviting players via email, see [Invite AWS BugBust event players \(admin\)](#).

The player policy requires all events to have permissions for the `ListBugs`, `ListProfilingGroups`, and `ListEvents` actions so all bugs, profiling groups, and events can be displayed. You can restrict access to specific event resources for the `JoinEvent`, `GetJoinEventStatus`, `GetLeaderboardScore`, `GetLeaderboardParticipants`, and `UpdateWorkItem` actions. For more information, see [Restrict a player to access specific AWS BugBust events](#).

The `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess` policy contains the following statement.

```

{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruReviewerPermission",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruProfilerPermission",

```

```
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
      "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
    ],
    "Resource": "*"
  },
  {
    "Sid": "AWSBugBustPlayerAccess",
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
      "bugbust:ListBugs",
      "bugbust:ListProfilingGroups",
      "bugbust:JoinEvent",
      "bugbust:GetEvent",
      "bugbust:ListEvents",
      "bugbust:GetJoinEventStatus",
      "bugbust:ListEventScores",
      "bugbust:ListEventParticipants",
      "bugbust:UpdateWorkItem",
      "bugbust:ListPullRequests"
    ],
    "Resource": "*"
  }
]
```

## Customer managed policy examples

You can create your own custom IAM policies to allow permissions for AWS BugBust actions and resources. You can attach these custom policies to the IAM users, roles, or groups that require those permissions. You can also create your own custom IAM policies to integrate between AWS BugBust and other AWS services.

The following example IAM policies grant permissions for various AWS BugBust actions. Use them to limit AWS BugBust access for your IAM users and roles. These policies control the resources that AWS BugBust event players are allowed to access.

### Note

All examples use the US East (N. Virginia) Region (us-east-1) Region and contain fictitious account IDs.

## Examples

- [Example 1: Restrict a player to access specific CodeGuru Reviewer code reviews](#)
- [Example 2: Restrict a player to access specific CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups](#)
- [Example 3: Restrict a player to access specific AWS BugBust events](#)

### Example 1: Restrict a player to access specific CodeGuru Reviewer code reviews

The following example policy grants permissions for the AWS player with the account ID 123456789012 to access only bugs found in three associated repositories that are specified by their ARNs. This policy grants access to all AWS BugBust events in their AWS account and Region and all CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups that were imported into those events.

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations",
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": [
        "arn:aws:codeguru-reviewer:us-east-1:123456789012:association:my-repository-association-id-1",
        "arn:aws:codeguru-reviewer:us-east-1:123456789012:association:my-repository-association-id-2",
        "arn:aws:codeguru-reviewer:us-east-1:123456789012:association:my-repository-association-id-3"
      ]
    },
    {
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Action": [
        "bugbust: ListBugs",
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

```

    "bugbust: ListProfilingGroups",
    "bugbust: JoinEvent",
    "bugbust: GetEvent",
    "bugbust: ListEvents",
    "bugbust: GetJoinEventStatus",
    "bugbust: ListEventScores",
    "bugbust: ListEventParticipants",
    "bugbust: UpdateWorkItem",
    "bugbust: ListPullRequests
  ],
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Resource": "*"
}
]
}
```

## Example 2: Restrict a player to access specific CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups

The following example policy grants permissions for the AWS player with the account ID 123456789012 to access only the three profiling groups that are specified using their ARNs. This policy grants access to all AWS BugBust events in a player's AWS account and Region and all CodeGuru Reviewer code reviews that were imported into those events.

```

{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations"
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": [
        "arn:aws:codeguru-profiler:us-east-1:123456789012:profilingGroup/my-profiling-group-name-1",

```

```

    "arn:aws:codeguru-profiler:us-east-1:123456789012:profilingGroup/my-profiling-
group-name-2",
    "arn:aws:codeguru-profiler:us-east-1:123456789012:profilingGroup/my-profiling-
group-name-3"
  ]
},
{
  "Action": [
    "bugbust: ListBugs",
    "bugbust: ListProfilingGroups",
    "bugbust: JoinEvent",
    "bugbust: GetEvent",
    "bugbust: ListEvents",
    "bugbust: GetJoinEventStatus",
    "bugbust: ListEventScores",
    "bugbust: ListEventParticipants",
    "bugbust: UpdateWorkItem",
    "bugbust: ListPullRequests"
  ],
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Resource": "*"
}
]
}

```

### Example 3: Restrict a player to access specific AWS BugBust events

The following example policy grants permissions for the AWS player with the account ID 123456789012 to access only one AWS BugBust event that is specified using its ARN. This policy grants access to all CodeGuru Reviewer code reviews and CodeGuru Profiler profiling groups that are imported into the event. All event resources require access to the `ListBugs`, `ListProfilingGroups`, `ListEvents` actions so all bugs, profiling groups, and events can be displayed. You can restrict access to specific event resources for the `JoinEvent`, `GetJoinEventStatus`, `GetLeaderboardScore`, `GetLeaderboardParticipants`, and `UpdateWorkItem` actions.

```

{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",

```



```

    "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations"
  ],
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Resource": "*"
},
{
  "Action": [
    "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
  ],
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Resource": "*"
},
{
  "Action": [
    "bugbust: ListBugs",
    "bugbust: ListProfilingGroups",
    "bugbust: ListEvents",
    "bugbust: ListEventScores",
    "bugbust: ListEventParticipants",
    "bugbust: ListPullRequests",
    "bugbust: JoinEvent",
    "bugbust: GetEvent",
    "bugbust: GetJoinEventStatus",
    "bugbust: UpdateWorkItem"
  ],
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Resource": "arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-1:123456789012/event:a1b2c3d4-5678-90ab-cdef-EXAMPLE444444"
}
]
}

```

## AWS BugBust updates to AWS managed policies and service-linked role

View details about updates to AWS managed policies and service-linked role for AWS BugBust since this service began tracking these changes. For automatic alerts about changes to this page, subscribe to the RSS feed on the AWS BugBust [Document history for the AWS BugBust User Guide](#).

| Change   | Description   | Date          |
|--|---|---------------|
| <a href="#">AWSBugBustFullAccess</a><br>– Update to an existing policy | AWS BugBust added a new permission to allow access to | July 22, 2021 |

| Change  | Description   | Date                 |
|---|---|----------------------|
|   | <p>the <code>iam:CreateServiceLinkedRole</code> action so you can create a service role for AWS BugBust. For more information about service roles, see <a href="#">Creating a role to delegate permissions to an AWS service</a> in the <i>AWS Identity and Access Management User Guide</i>.</p> |                      |
| <p><a href="#">AWSBugBustFullAccess</a> – New policy</p>        | <p>AWS BugBust added a new policy that grants permissions that are needed for an AWS BugBust administrator to create and manage an event.</p>   | <p>June 24, 2021</p> |
| <p><a href="#">AWSBugBustPlayerAccess</a> – New policy</p>      | <p>AWS BugBust added a new policy that grants permissions that are needed for an AWS BugBust event player to participate in an event.</p>   | <p>June 24, 2021</p> |
| <p><a href="#">AWSBugBustServiceRolePolicy</a> – New policy</p> | <p>AWS BugBust added a new service-linked role named <code>AWSServiceRoleForBugBust</code> that is required for AWS BugBust to access resources on your behalf.</p>   | <p>June 24, 2021</p> |
| <p>AWS BugBust started tracking changes</p>                     | <p>AWS BugBust started tracking changes for its AWS managed policies.</p>   | <p>June 24, 2021</p> |

## AWS BugBust permissions reference

You can use AWS-wide condition keys in your AWS BugBust policies to express conditions. For a list, see [IAM JSON Policy Elements Reference](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

You specify the actions in the policy's `Action` field. To specify an action, use the `bugbust:` prefix followed by the API operation name (for example, `bugbust:CreateEvent` and `bugbust:JoinEvent`). To specify multiple actions in a single statement, separate them with commas (for example, `"Action": [ "bugbust:ListBugs", "bugbust:ListProfilingGroups" ]`).

### Using wildcard characters

You specify an Amazon Resource Name (ARN), with or without a wildcard character (\*), as the resource value in the policy's `Resource` field. You can use a wildcard to specify multiple actions or resources. For example, `bugbust:*` specifies all AWS BugBust actions and `bugbust:List*` specifies all AWS BugBust actions that begin with the word `List`. The following example refers to all events with a universally unique identifier (UUID) that begins with `a1b2c3d4-`.

```
arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-2:123456789012:event/a1b2c3d4-*
```

You can use the following table as a reference when you are setting up [Authenticating with identities](#) and writing permissions policies that you can attach to an IAM identity (identity-based policies).

### CodeBuild API operations and required permissions for actions

#### CreateEvent

**Action:** `bugbust:CreateEvent`

Required to create an AWS BugBust event.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

#### EvaluateProfilingGroups

**Action:** `bugbust:EvaluateProfilingGroups`

Required for an AWS BugBust administrator to evaluate checked-in profiling groups.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## GetEvent

**Action:** bugbust:GetEvent

Required to view customer details about an event.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## GetJoinEventStatus

**Action:** bugbust:GetJoinEventStatus

Required to view that status of an AWS BugBust player's attempt to join an AWS BugBust event.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## JoinEvent

**Action:** bugbust:JoinEvent

Required for an AWS BugBust player to join an event.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## ListBugs

**Action:** bugbust>ListBugs

Required for an AWS BugBust player to join an event.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## ListEventParticipants

**Action:** bugbust>ListEventParticipants

Required to view the participants of an event.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## ListEventScores

**Action:** bugbust>ListEventScores

Required to view the scores of an event's players.

**Resource:** arn:aws:bugbust:*region-ID*:*account-ID*:event:*event-uuid*

## ListEvents

**Action:** `bugbust:ListEvents`

Required to view AWS BugBust events.

**Resource:** \*

## ListProfilingGroups

**Action:** `bugbust:ListProfilingGroups`

Required to display the profiling groups that were imported into an event for players to work on.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## ListPullRequests

**Action:** `bugbust:ListPullRequests`

Required to view the pull requests used by players to submit fixes to their claimed bugs in an event.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## UpdateEvent

**Action:** `bugbust:UpdateEvent`

Required to update the details of an event.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## UpdateWorkItem

**Action:** `bugbust:ListProfilingGroups`

Required for a player to update one of their work items (bug or profiling group) as claimed or unclaimed.

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## UpdateWorkItemAdmin

**Action:** `bugbust:ListProfilingGroups`

Required for an administrator to update an event's work item (bug or profiling group).

**Resource:** `arn:aws:bugbust:region-ID:account-ID:event:event-uuid`

## Troubleshooting AWS BugBust identity and access

Use the following information to help you diagnose and fix common issues that you might encounter when working with AWS BugBust and IAM.

### Topics

- [I am not authorized to perform an action in AWS BugBust](#)
- [I am not authorized to perform iam:PassRole](#)
- [I want to view my access keys](#)
- [I'm an administrator and want to allow others to access AWS BugBust](#)
- [I want to allow people outside of my AWS account to access my AWS BugBust resources](#)

### I am not authorized to perform an action in AWS BugBust

If the AWS Management Console tells you that you're not authorized to perform an action, then you must contact your administrator for assistance. Your administrator is the person that provided you with your username and password.

The following example error occurs when the mateojackson IAM user tries to use the console to view details about a fictional `codeguru-reviewer` resource but does not have the fictional `bugbust:ListBugs` permissions.

```
User: arn:aws:iam::123456789012:user/mateojackson is not authorized to perform:
bugbust:ListBugs on resource: codeguru-reviewer
```

In this case, Mateo asks his administrator to update his policies to allow him to access the `codeguru-reviewer` resource using the `bugbust:ListBugs` action.

### I am not authorized to perform iam:PassRole

If you receive an error that you're not authorized to perform the `iam:PassRole` action, your policies must be updated to allow you to pass a role to AWS BugBust.

Some AWS services allow you to pass an existing role to that service instead of creating a new service role or service-linked role. To do this, you must have permissions to pass the role to the service.

The following example error occurs when an IAM user named `marymajor` tries to use the console to perform an action in AWS BugBust. However, the action requires the service to have permissions that are granted by a service role. Mary does not have permissions to pass the role to the service.

```
User: arn:aws:iam::123456789012:user/marymajor is not authorized to perform:
iam:PassRole
```

In this case, Mary's policies must be updated to allow her to perform the `iam:PassRole` action.

If you need help, contact your AWS administrator. Your administrator is the person who provided you with your sign-in credentials.

## I want to view my access keys

After you create your IAM user access keys, you can view your access key ID at any time. However, you can't view your secret access key again. If you lose your secret key, you must create a new access key pair.

Access keys consist of two parts: an access key ID (for example, `AKIAIOSFODNN7EXAMPLE`) and a secret access key (for example, `wJalrXUtnFEMI/K7MDENG/bPxrFiCYEXAMPLEKEY`). Like a user name and password, you must use both the access key ID and secret access key together to authenticate your requests. Manage your access keys as securely as you do your user name and password.

### Important

Do not provide your access keys to a third party, even to help [find your canonical user ID](#). By doing this, you might give someone permanent access to your AWS account.

When you create an access key pair, you are prompted to save the access key ID and secret access key in a secure location. The secret access key is available only at the time you create it. If you lose your secret access key, you must add new access keys to your IAM user. You can have a maximum of two access keys. If you already have two, you must delete one key pair before creating a new one. To view instructions, see [Managing access keys](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## I'm an administrator and want to allow others to access AWS BugBust

To allow others to access AWS BugBust, you must create an IAM entity (user, role, or group) for the person or application that needs access. They use the credentials for that entity to access AWS. You must then attach an IAM policy to the entity that grants them the correct permissions in AWS BugBust.

AWS BugBust supports two managed policies, `AWSBugBustFullAccess` and `AWSBugBustPlayerAccess`. For more information, see [AWS managed \(predefined\) policies for AWS BugBust](#).

## I want to allow people outside of my AWS account to access my AWS BugBust resources

You can create a role that users in other accounts or people outside of your organization can use to access your resources. You can specify who is trusted to assume the role. For services that support resource-based policies or access control lists (ACLs), you can use those policies to grant people access to your resources.

To learn more, consult the following:

- To learn whether AWS BugBust supports these features, see [How AWS BugBust works with IAM](#).
- To learn how to provide access to your resources across AWS accounts that you own, see [Providing access to an IAM user in another AWS account that you own](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- To learn how to provide access to your resources to third-party AWS accounts, see [Providing access to AWS accounts owned by third parties](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- To learn how to provide access through identity federation, see [Providing access to externally authenticated users \(identity federation\)](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.
- To learn the difference between using roles and resource-based policies for cross-account access, see [Cross account resource access in IAM](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Allow users to view their own permissions

This example shows how you might create a policy that allows IAM users to view the inline and managed policies that are attached to their user identity. This policy includes permissions to complete this action on the console or programmatically using the AWS CLI or AWS API.

```
{
```



```

"Version": "2012-10-17",
"Statement": [
  {
    "Sid": "ViewOwnUserInfo",
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
      "iam:GetUserPolicy",
      "iam:ListGroupsWithUser",
      "iam:ListAttachedUserPolicies",
      "iam:ListUserPolicies",
      "iam:GetUser"
    ],
    "Resource": ["arn:aws:iam::*:user/${aws:username}"]
  },
  {
    "Sid": "NavigateInConsole",
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
      "iam:GetGroupPolicy",
      "iam:GetPolicyVersion",
      "iam:GetPolicy",
      "iam:ListAttachedGroupPolicies",
      "iam:ListGroupPolicies",
      "iam:ListPolicyVersions",
      "iam:ListPolicies",
      "iam:ListUsers"
    ],
    "Resource": "*"
  }
]
}

```

## Using Service-Linked Roles for AWS BugBust

AWS BugBust uses AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM) [service-linked roles](#). A service-linked role is a unique type of IAM role that is linked directly to AWS BugBust. Service-linked roles are predefined by AWS BugBust and include all the permissions that the service requires to call other AWS services on your behalf.

A service-linked role makes setting up AWS BugBust easier because you don't have to manually add the necessary permissions. AWS BugBust defines the permissions of its service-linked roles, and unless defined otherwise, only AWS BugBust can assume its roles. The defined permissions include

the trust policy and the permissions policy, and that permissions policy cannot be attached to any other IAM entity.

For information about other services that support service-linked roles, see [AWS Services That Work with IAM](#) and look for the services that have **Yes** in the **Service-Linked Role** column. Choose a **Yes** with a link to view the service-linked role documentation for that service.

The `AWSBugBustServiceRolePolicy` policy contains the following statement.

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations",
        "codeguru-reviewer:UntagResource",
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview"
      ],
      "Resource": "*",
      "Condition": {
        "StringLike": {
          "aws:ResourceTag/bugbust": "enabled"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

## Service-Linked Role Permissions for AWS BugBust

AWS BugBust uses the service-linked role named `AWSServiceRoleForBugBust` – A service-linked role required for AWS Bug Bust to access resources on your behalf.

The `AWSServiceRoleForBugBust` service-linked role trusts the following service to assume the role, BugBust.

The role's permissions policy allows AWS BugBust to complete the following actions.

- Action: `Action:"codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations"` on all AWS resources
- Action: `Action:"codeguru-reviewer:UntagResource"` on all AWS resources

- Action: Action: "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview" on all AWS resources

For this service-linked role, all AWS resources refers to the "Resource": "\*" element in the policy. This means that AWS BugBust service-linked role has access to all available resources in CodeGuru Reviewer.

You must configure permissions to allow an IAM entity (such as a user, group, or role) to create, edit, or delete a service-linked role. For more information, see [Service-Linked Role Permissions](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Creating a Service-Linked Role for AWS BugBust

You don't need to manually create a service-linked role. When you call the CreateEvent API, AWS BugBust creates the AWSServiceRoleForBugBust. The CreateEvent API is called when you create a new AWS BugBust event.

If you delete this service-linked role, and then need to create it again, you can use the same process to recreate the role in your account. When you call the CreateEvent API, AWS BugBust creates the AWSServiceRoleForBugBust, AWS BugBust creates the service-linked role for you again.

You can also use the IAM console to create a service-linked role with the **AWSServiceRoleForBugBust** use case. In the AWS CLI or the AWS API, create a service-linked role with the BugBust service name. For more information, see [Creating a Service-Linked Role](#) in the *IAM User Guide*. If you delete this service-linked role, you can use this same process to create the role again.

## Editing a Service-Linked Role for AWS BugBust

AWS BugBust does not allow you to edit the AWSServiceRoleForBugBust service-linked role. After you create a service-linked role, you cannot change the name of the role because various entities might reference the role. However, you can edit the description of the role using IAM. For more information, see [Editing a Service-Linked Role](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

## Deleting a Service-Linked Role for AWS BugBust

To remove the AWSServiceRoleForBugBust you need to use the IAM console to manually delete the service-linked role. To do this, you must first clean up the AWS BugBust resources for your service-linked role and then you can manually delete it.

To clean up the resources required to delete `AWSServiceRoleForBugBust`, all AWS BugBust events in your account must be in the **Closed** state.

### To clean up resources for AWS BugBust events that only have bugs (work items) included:

For these events, the status automatically changes to **Closed** based on the **End time** you chose during event setup. Once your event status has changed to **Closed**, you can safely delete the service-linked role.

### To clean up the resources for AWS BugBust events that have both bugs and profiling groups included:

- If all checked-in profiling groups have been evaluated by an AWS BugBust administrator when an event ends, the status automatically changes from **Active** to **Closed**. Once your events status has changed to **Closed**, you can safely delete the service-linked role.
- If all checked in profiling groups have *not* been evaluated by a AWS BugBust administrator when the event ends, the status automatically changes to **Finalizing points**. To evaluate the remaining profiling groups, choose **Evaluate profiling groups** on the **Profiling groups** event page. This changes the status of your event from **Finalizing points** to **Closed**. Once your event status has changed to **Closed**, you can safely delete the service-linked role.

AWS BugBust resources used by the `AWSServiceRoleForBugBust` can be cleaned up when you have no active AWS BugBust events in your AWS account. To learn more about the status of your AWS BugBust events, see [View the state of an AWS BugBust event](#).

#### Note

If the AWS BugBust service is using the role when you try to delete the resources, then the deletion might fail. If that happens, wait for a few minutes and try the operation again.

### To manually delete the service-linked role using IAM

Use the IAM console to delete the `AWSServiceRoleForBugBust` service-linked role. For more information, see [Deleting a Service-Linked Role](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

### Supported Regions for AWS BugBust Service-Linked Roles

AWS BugBust supports using service-linked roles in all of the Regions where the service is available. For more information, see [AWS Regions and Endpoints](#).

## Using tags to control access to AWS BugBust events

Conditions in IAM policy statements are part of the syntax that you can use to specify permissions to AWS BugBust event-based actions. You can create a policy that allows or denies actions on events based on the tags associated with those events, and then apply those policies to the IAM groups you configure for managing IAM users. For information about applying tags to an associated repository using the console, see [Add a tag to an AWS BugBust event](#). For information about using tags to control access to AWS resources, see [Controlling Access to AWS Resources Using Resource Tags](#) in the *IAM User Guide*.

You can use `aws:ResourceTag` on an event to affect permissions on the following AWS BugBust API operations.

- UpdateEvent
- GetEvent
- JoinEvent
- UpdateWorkItem
- UpdateWorkItemAdmin
- EvaluateProfilingGroups
- ListEventParticipants
- ListPullRequests
- ListBugs
- ListProfilingGroups
- GetJoinEventStatus
- ListEventScores
- ListTagsForResource
- TagResource
- UnTagResource

For more information, see [Controlling access to AWS resources](#) in the *AWS Identity and Access Management User Guide*.

You can use `aws:RequestTag` on an event to affect permissions on the following AWS BugBust API operations.

- CreateEvent
- TagResource

For more information, see [Controlling access during AWS requests](#) in the *AWS Identity and Access Management User Guide*.

### Example Example 1: Restrict a player to access events specific tags

The following example policy uses tags to restrict a player's permissions to access only events that contain a key access with the value allowed.. Because the `ListEvents` operation doesn't work with tag-based permissions, it's included in its own clause in the policy so that it is always allowed on all resources.

The AWS BugBust event administrator must attach this IAM policy to players who should have this restriction. The `aws:ResourceTag` condition key is used to control access to event resources.

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruReviewerPermission",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
        "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "CodeGuruProfilerPermission",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
      ],
      "Resource": "*"
    },
    {
      "Sid": "allowListEventsAccess",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "bugbust:ListEvents"
      ],
    }
  ]
}
```

```

    "Resource": "*"
  },
  {
    "Sid": "allowPlayerEvent",
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Action": [
      "bugbust:ListBugs",
      "bugbust:ListProfilingGroups",
      "bugbust:JoinEvent",
      "bugbust:GetEvent",
      "bugbust:GetJoinEventStatus",
      "bugbust:ListEventScores",
      "bugbust:ListEventParticipants",
      "bugbust:UpdateWorkItem",
      "bugbust:ListPullRequests"
    ],
    "Resource": "*",
    "Condition": {
      "StringEquals": {
        "aws:ResourceTag/access": "allowed"
      }
    }
  }
]
}

```

### Example Example 2: Restrict an administrator to access events with specific tags

The following example policy uses tags to restrict an administrator's permissions to access only events that contain a key access with the value allowed.. Because the ListEvents operation doesn't work with tag-based permissions, it's included in its own clause in the policy so that it is always allowed on all resources.

The AWS BugBust event administrator must attach this IAM policy to any other event administrator who should have this restriction. The `aws:ResourceTag` condition key is used to control access to event resources. The `aws:RequestTag` condition key is used to control which tags can be passed in an IAM request.

```

{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {

```

```
"Sid": "CodeGuruReviewerPermission",
"Effect": "Allow",
"Action": [
  "codeguru-reviewer:DescribeCodeReview",
  "codeguru-reviewer:ListRecommendations",
  "codeguru-reviewer:ListCodeReviews"
],
"Resource": "*"
},
{
  "Sid": "CodeGuruProfilerPermission",
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Action": [
    "codeguru-profiler:ListProfilingGroups",
    "codeguru-profiler:DescribeProfilingGroup"
  ],
  "Resource": "*"
},
{
  "Sid": "tagBasedAccessControl",
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Action": [
    "bugbust:UpdateEvent",
    "bugbust:GetEvent",
    "bugbust:JoinEvent",
    "bugbust:UpdateWorkItem",
    "bugbust:UpdateWorkItemAdmin",
    "bugbust:EvaluateProfilingGroups",
    "bugbust:ListEventParticipants",
    "bugbust:ListPullRequests",
    "bugbust:ListBugs",
    "bugbust:ListProfilingGroups",
    "bugbust:GetJoinEventStatus",
    "bugbust:ListEventScores",
    "bugbust:ListTagsForResource",
    "bugbust:TagResource",
    "bugbust:UntagResource"
  ],
  "Resource": "*",
  "Condition": {
    "StringEquals": {
      "aws:ResourceTag/access": "allowed"
    }
  }
},
```



```
{
  "Sid": "allowListEvents",
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Action": [
    "bugbust:ListEvents"
  ],
  "Resource": "*"
},
{
  "Sid": "createControl",
  "Effect": "Allow",
  "Action": [
    "bugbust:CreateEvent"
  ],
  "Resource": "*",
  "Condition": {
    "StringEquals": {
      "aws:RequestTag/access": "allowed"
    }
  }
}
]
```

## Compliance validation for AWS BugBust

Third-party auditors assess the security and compliance of AWS BugBust as part of multiple AWS compliance programs. These include SOC, PCI, FedRAMP, HIPAA, and others.

For a list of AWS services in scope of specific compliance programs, see [AWS Services in Scope by Compliance Program](#). For general information, see [AWS Compliance Programs](#).

You can download third-party audit reports using AWS Artifact. For more information, see [Downloading Reports in AWS Artifact](#).

Your compliance responsibility when using AWS BugBust is determined by the sensitivity of your data, your company's compliance objectives, and applicable laws and regulations. AWS provides the following resources to help with compliance:

- [Security and Compliance Quick Start Guides](#) – These deployment guides discuss architectural considerations and provide steps for deploying security- and compliance-focused baseline environments on AWS.

- [Architecting for HIPAA Security and Compliance Whitepaper](#) – This whitepaper describes how companies can use AWS to create HIPAA-compliant applications.
- [AWS Compliance Resources](#) – This collection of workbooks and guides might apply to your industry and location.
- [Evaluating Resources with Rules](#) in the *AWS Config Developer Guide* – AWS Config assesses how well your resource configurations comply with internal practices, industry guidelines, and regulations.
- [AWS Security Hub](#) – This AWS service provides a comprehensive view of your security state within AWS that helps you check your compliance with security industry standards and best practices.

## Resilience in AWS BugBust

The AWS global infrastructure is built around AWS Regions and Availability Zones. Regions provide multiple physically separated and isolated Availability Zones, which are connected through low-latency, high-throughput, and highly redundant networking. With Availability Zones, you can design and operate applications and databases that automatically fail over between zones without interruption. Availability Zones are more highly available, fault tolerant, and scalable than traditional single or multiple data center infrastructures.

For more information about AWS Regions and Availability Zones, see [AWS Global Infrastructure](#).

## Infrastructure security in AWS BugBust

As a managed service, AWS BugBust is protected by AWS global network security. For information about AWS security services and how AWS protects infrastructure, see [AWS Cloud Security](#). To design your AWS environment using the best practices for infrastructure security, see [Infrastructure Protection](#) in *Security Pillar AWS Well-Architected Framework*.

You use AWS published API calls to access AWS BugBust through the network. Clients must support the following:

- Transport Layer Security (TLS). We require TLS 1.2 and recommend TLS 1.3.
- Cipher suites with perfect forward secrecy (PFS) such as DHE (Ephemeral Diffie-Hellman) or ECDHE (Elliptic Curve Ephemeral Diffie-Hellman). Most modern systems such as Java 7 and later support these modes.

Additionally, requests must be signed by using an access key ID and a secret access key that is associated with an IAM principal. Or you can use the [AWS Security Token Service](#) (AWS STS) to generate temporary security credentials to sign requests.

# Logging and monitoring in AWS BugBust

Monitoring is an important part of maintaining the reliability, availability, and performance of AWS BugBust and your other AWS solutions. AWS provides the following monitoring tools to watch AWS BugBust, report when something is wrong, and take automatic actions when appropriate:

- *Amazon CloudWatch* monitors your AWS resources and the applications you run on AWS in real time. You can collect and track metrics, create customized dashboards, and set alarms that notify you or take actions when a specified metric reaches a specified threshold. For example, you can have CloudWatch track the number of AWS BugBust events created and initiate an alarm when that number reaches a threshold. For more information, see the [Amazon CloudWatch User Guide](#).
- *AWS CloudTrail* captures API calls and related events made by or on behalf of your AWS account and delivers the log files to an Amazon S3 bucket that you specify. You can identify which users and accounts called AWS, the source IP address from which the calls were made, and when the calls occurred. For more information, see the [AWS CloudTrail User Guide](#).

## Topics

- [Logging AWS BugBust API calls using CloudTrail](#)
- [Monitoring AWS BugBust with CloudWatch](#)

## Logging AWS BugBust API calls using CloudTrail

AWS BugBust is integrated with AWS CloudTrail, a service that provides a record of actions taken by a user, role, or an AWS service in AWS BugBust. CloudTrail captures all API calls for AWS BugBust as events. The calls captured include calls from the AWS BugBust console and code calls to the AWS BugBust API operations. If you create a trail, you can enable continuous delivery of CloudTrail events to an Amazon S3 bucket, including events for AWS BugBust. If you don't configure a trail, you can still view the most recent events in the CloudTrail console in **Event history**. Using the information collected by CloudTrail, you can determine the request that was made to AWS BugBust, the IP address from which the request was made, who made the request, when it was made, and additional details.

To learn more about CloudTrail, see the [AWS CloudTrail User Guide](#).

## AWS BugBust information in CloudTrail

CloudTrail is enabled on your AWS account when you create the account. When activity occurs in AWS BugBust, that activity is recorded in a CloudTrail event along with other AWS service events in **Event history**. You can view, search, and download recent events in your AWS account. For more information, see [Viewing Events with CloudTrail Event History](#).

For an ongoing record of events in your AWS account, including events for AWS BugBust, create a trail. A *trail* enables CloudTrail to deliver log files to an Amazon S3 bucket. By default, when you create a trail in the console, the trail applies to all AWS Regions. The trail logs events from all Regions in the AWS partition and delivers the log files to the Amazon S3 bucket that you specify. Additionally, you can configure other AWS services to further analyze and act upon the event data collected in CloudTrail logs. For more information, see the following:

- [Overview for creating a trail](#)
- [CloudTrail supported services and integrations](#)
- [Configuring Amazon SNS notifications for CloudTrail](#)
- [Receiving CloudTrail log files from multiple Regions](#)
- [Receiving CloudTrail log files from multiple accounts](#)

AWS BugBust supports logging the following actions as events in CloudTrail log files.

- CreateEvent
- EvaluateProfilingGroups
- GetEvent
- GetJoinEventStatus
- JoinEvent
- ListBugs
- ListEventParticipants
- ListEvents
- ListEventScores
- ListProfilingGroups
- ListPullRequests
- UpdateEvent

- UpdateWorkItem
- UpdateWorkItemAdmin

Every event or log entry contains information about who generated the request. The identity information helps you determine the following:

- Whether the request was made with root or AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM) user credentials.
- Whether the request was made with temporary security credentials for a role or federated user.
- Whether the request was made by another AWS service.

For more information, see the [CloudTrail userIdentity element](#).

## Understanding AWS BugBust log file entries

A trail is a configuration that enables delivery of events as log files to an Amazon S3 bucket that you specify. CloudTrail log files contain one or more log entries. An event represents a single request from any source and includes information about the requested action, the date and time of the action, request parameters, and so on. CloudTrail log files aren't an ordered stack trace of the public API calls, so they don't appear in any specific order.

The following example shows a CloudTrail log entry that demonstrates the CreateEvent action.

```
{
  "eventVersion": "1.08",
  "userIdentity": {
    "type": "AssumedRole",
    "principalId": "021345abcdef678:user-name",
    "arn": "arn:aws:sts::123456789012:assumed-role/admin/user-name",
    "accountId": "123456789012",
    "accessKeyId": "abcdef0123456789",
    "sessionContext": {
      "sessionIssuer": {
        "type": "Role",
        "principalId": "021345abcdef678",
        "arn": "arn:aws:iam::123456789012:role/admin",
        "accountId": "123456789012",
        "userName": "admin"
      }
    }
  },
}
```

```
    "webIdFederationData": {},
    "attributes": {
      "mfaAuthenticated": "false",
      "creationDate": "2021-06-08T16:58:25Z"
    }
  },
  "eventTime": "2021-06-08T21:22:54Z",
  "eventSource": "bugbust.amazonaws.com",
  "eventName": "CreateEvent",
  "awsRegion": "us-east-1",
  "sourceIPAddress": "203.0.113.0",
  "userAgent": "aws-internal/3 aws-sdk-java/1.11.991 Mac_OS_X/10.16 OpenJDK_64-
Bit_Server_VM/25.292-b10 java/1.8.0_292 vendor/Amazon.com_Inc. cfg/retry-mode/legacy",
  "requestParameters": {
    "profileToken": "****",
    "prizeInfo": {
      "FIRST_PLACE": "100 dollars",
      "SECOND_PLACE": "75 dollars",
      "THIRD_PLACE": "50 dollars"
    }
  },
  "name": "f",
  "description": "The description of the created event.",
  "startTime": 1623191580000,
  "endTime": 1623450780000
},
"responseElements": {
  "arn": "arn:aws:bugbust:us-east-1:123456789012:event/10b30b6c-e291-48eb-b6f5-
c65df51c2359",
  "id": "10b30b6c-e291-48eb-b6f5-c65df51c2359"
},
"requestID": "4dc0807f-b3a5-4ad1-8e36-52581c0da7d8",
"eventID": "34136263-676d-4f7c-8cba-11bfddf57490",
"readOnly": false,
"eventType": "AwsApiCall",
"managementEvent": true,
"eventCategory": "Management",
"recipientAccountId": "123456789012"
}
```

# Monitoring AWS BugBust with CloudWatch

You can use Amazon CloudWatch to monitor the number of AWS BugBust events created over time. You can set a CloudWatch alarm that notifies you when the number of events exceeds a threshold you set.

For more information about creating and using CloudWatch alarms and metrics, see [Using Amazon CloudWatch metrics](#).

## AWS BugBust Metrics

AWS BugBust sends the following metrics to CloudWatch every time an event is created.

You can monitor AWS BugBust using CloudWatch, which collects raw data and processes it into readable, near real-time metrics. CloudWatch keeps these statistics for 15 months, so that you can access historical information and gain a better perspective on how your web application or service is performing. You can also set alarms that watch for certain thresholds, and send notifications or take actions when those thresholds are met. For more information, see the [Amazon CloudWatch User Guide](#).

For AWS BugBust, you can watch for the number of events created and start deleting old events when it approaches the maximum number of events per AWS Region. For more information, see [Quotas for AWS BugBust](#).

The AWS BugBust service reports the following metrics in the `AWS/AWS_BugBust` namespace.

| Metric       | Description  |
|--------------|--|
| EventCreated | The number of AWS BugBust events created over a period of time<br><br>Valid dimensions: AWS BugBust metrics don't use dimensions<br><br>Valid statistic: Sum<br><br>Units: Count |



# Quotas for AWS BugBust

Your AWS account has default *quotas*, formerly referred to as *limits*, for each AWS service. Unless otherwise noted, each quota is Region-specific. You can request increases for some quotas, and other quotas cannot be increased.

To view the quotas for AWS BugBust, open the [Service Quotas console](#). In the navigation pane, choose **AWS services** and select **AWS BugBust**.

## Topics

- [AWS BugBust events](#)
- [Tags](#)

## AWS BugBust events

| Resource                | Default                          |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Associated repositories | 5 per AWS BugBust event          |
| Profiling groups        | 25 per AWS BugBust event         |
| Participants            | 50 per AWS BugBust event         |
| Regions                 | 50 AWS BugBust events per Region |

To learn more about the quotas specific to CodeGuru Reviewer, see [Quotas for CodeGuru Reviewer](#).

To learn more about the quotas specific to CodeGuru Profiler, see [Quotas for CodeGuru Profiler](#).

## Tags

Tag limits apply to tags on AWS BugBust event resources.

| Resource   | Default   |
|--|---|
| Maximum number of tags you can associate with a resource | 50 (tags are case sensitive).   |
| Resource tag key names                                   | <p>Any combination of Unicode letters, numbers, spaces, and allowed characters in UTF-8 between 1 and 127 characters in length. Allowed characters are + - = . _ : / @.</p> <p>Tag key names must be unique, and each key can only have one value. A tag key name cannot:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Begin with aws :</li> <li>• Consist only of spaces</li> <li>• End with a space</li> <li>• Contain emojis or any of the following characters: ? ^ * [ \ ~ ! # \$ % &amp; * ( ) &gt; &lt;   " ' ` [ ] { } ;</li> </ul> |
| Resource tag values                                      | <p>Any combination of Unicode letters, numbers, spaces, and allowed characters in UTF-8 between 0 and 255 characters in length. Allowed characters are + - = . _ : / @.</p> <p>A key can only have one value, but many keys can have the same value. A tag key value cannot contain emojis or any of the following characters: ? ^ * [ \ ~ ! # \$ % &amp; * ( ) &gt; &lt;   " ' ` [ ] { } ;.</p>  |

# Deleting your AWS BugBust account

The AWS BugBust portal stores the following information in your account:

- Email addresses (registered and authorized)
- Your password
- Your avatar configuration
- Your player nickname
- Your global leaderboard ranking
- Your event leaderboard ranking

If you want to remove this information from the AWS servers, use the following procedure to delete your AWS BugBust portal account.

To learn more about the data collected, see [Data protection in AWS BugBust](#).

## To delete your AWS BugBust player account

### Important

Deleting your AWS BugBust account is an action which cannot be undone. When you delete your AWS BugBust account, the information listed above is removed from our servers within one year.

1. Open the AWS BugBust landing page: <https://bugbust.aws>.
2. If prompted, log in to your AWS BugBust account.
3. Choose your **Your nickname**.
4. Choose **Your account**.
5. On the **Your account** page, choose **Delete your account**.
6. Choose **Yes, I confirm that I want to permanently delete my AWS BugBust account**.

If you would also like to delete your AWS account, use the steps outlined in [Closing your AWS account](#).

We know customers care deeply about privacy and data security and we implement responsible and sophisticated technical and physical controls designed to prevent unauthorized access to or disclosure of customer content. Maintaining customer trust is an ongoing commitment. You can learn more about AWS data privacy commitments on our [Privacy Notice](#) page.

# Document history for the AWS BugBust User Guide

The following table describes the major updates and new features for the *AWS BugBust User Guide*. We also update the documentation frequently to address the feedback that you send us. For notification about updates to this documentation, you can subscribe to an RSS feed.

**Latest documentation update:** October 22, 2021

| Change  | Description  | Date           |
|---|--|----------------|
| <a href="#">New topics</a>                        | AWS BugBust now supports adding tags to events. For more information, see <a href="#">Tagging and event (admin)</a> and <a href="#">Using tags to control access to AWS BugBust events</a> . | August 2, 2020 |
| <a href="#">General Availability (GA) release</a> | Initial release of the AWS BugBust User Guide  | June 24, 2020  |