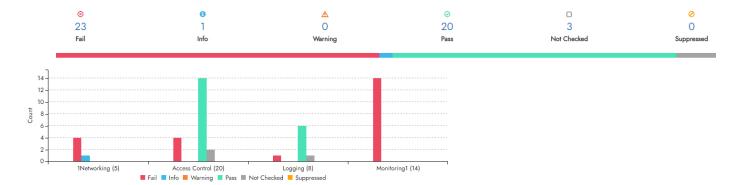
# Compliance Score : 45 %



1Networking				
Tags	Control	Reason	Severity	Status
	Ensure no security groups allow ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 to port 22	default - demo-11111111(ap-south	HIGH	8
	Ensure no security groups allow ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 to port 3389	default - demo-11111111(ap-south	HIGH	⊗
	Ensure VPC flow logging is enabled in all VPCs	No VPC flow logs found in regi	HIGH	8
	Ensure the default security group of every VPC restricts all traffic	Security Group (default) in VP	HIGH	8
	Ensure routing tables for VPC peering are 'least access'	No VPC peering found in region ap-south-1	HIGH	0

Access Control				
Tags	Control	Reason	Severity	Status
	Avoid the use of the root account		HIGH	0
	Ensure IAM password policy prevents password reuse		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure IAM password policy expires passwords within 90 days or less		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure no root account access key exists		HIGH	<b>②</b>
	Ensure MFA is enabled for the root account		HIGH	<b>②</b>
	Ensure hardware MFA is enabled for the account	Hardware based MFA is not enab	HIGH	8
	Ensure security questions are registered in the AWS account	This activity c	LOW	0
	Ensure IAM policies are attached only to groups or roles	User (abhijeet) has 3 policy/p	MEDIUM	8
	Ensure security contact information is registered	This activity c	LOW	0
	Ensure IAM instance roles are used for AWS resource access from instances	-	MEDIUM	0
	Ensure multi-factor authentication (MFA) is enabled for all IAM users that have a console password		HIGH	<b>②</b>
	Do not setup access keys during initial user setup for all IAM users that have a console password		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure IAM policies that allow full **:* administrative privileges are not created		HIGH	<b>②</b>
	Ensure credentials unused for 90 days or greater are disabled	Password not used since last 9	MEDIUM	8
	Ensure access keys are rotated every 90 days or less	Access key 1 has not been rota	MEDIUM	8
	Ensure IAM password policy requires at least one uppercase letter		MEDIUM	<b>©</b>
	Ensure IAM password policy require at least one lowercase letter		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure IAM password policy require at least one symbol		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure IAM password policy require at least one number		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>
	Ensure IAM password policy requires minimum length of 14 or greater		MEDIUM	<b>②</b>

	Logging			
Tags	Control	Reason	Severity	Status
	Maintain current contact details	This activity c	LOW	0
	Ensure S3 bucket access logging is enabled on the CloudTrail S3 bucket		HIGH	<b>⊘</b>
	Ensure CloudTrail is enabled in all regions for atleast one trail		MEDIUM	0
	Ensure CloudTrail log file validation is enabled		LOW	<b>Θ</b>
	Ensure CloudTrail frails are integrated with CloudWatch Logs		MEDIUM	<b>⊘</b>
	Ensure AWS Config is enabled in all regions		HIGH	0
	Ensure CloudTrail logs are encrypted at rest using KMS CMKs		HIGH	0
	Ensure rotation for customer created CMKs is enabled	Rotation for customer created	HIGH	8

	Monitoring1			
Tags	Control	Reason	Severity	Status
	Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for unauthorized API calls	A log metric alarm does not ex	MEDIUM	8
	Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for security group changes	A log metric alarm for 'Securi	MEDIUM	8

Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for changes to Network Access Control Lists (NACL)	A log metric alarm for 'NACL C	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for changes to network gateways	A log metric alarm for 'Change	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for route table changes	A log metric alarm for 'Change	MEDIUM	<b>®</b>
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for VPC changes	A log metric alarm for 'VPC Ch	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for Management Console sign-in without MFA	A log metric alarm for 'Manage	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for usage of root account	A log metric alarm for 'Usage	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log i	metric filter and alarm exist for IAM policy changes	A log metric alarm for 'IAM Po	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for CloudTrail configuration changes	A log metric alarm for 'Cloudt	MEDIUM	⊗
Ensure a log i	metric filter and alarm exist for AWS Management Console authentication failures	A log metric alarm for 'Consol	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for disabling or scheduled deletion of customer created CMKs	A log metric alarm for 'Disabl	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log	metric filter and alarm exist for S3 bucket policy changes	A log metric alarm for 'S3 Buc	MEDIUM	8
Ensure a log i	metric filter and alarm exist for AWS Config configuration changes	A log metric alarm for 'AWS Co	MEDIUM	8

### Tags:

### Control: Ensure no security groups allow ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 to port 22

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: 1Networking

Severity : HIGH

Reason:
1. default - demo-111111111(ap-south-1) allows access to Port 22 from 0.0.0.0/0

Security groups provide stateful filtering of ingress/egress network traffic to AWS resources. It is recommended that no security group allows unrestricted ingress access to port 22.

#### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to implement the prescribed state:

- 1. Login to the AWS Management Console
- at nttps://consoie.aws.amazon.com/vpc/nome
  2. In the left pane, click Security Groups
  3. For each security group, perform the following:
  1. Select the security group
  2. Click the Inbound Rules tab
  - - Identify the rules to be removed
       Click the x in the Remove column
    - 5. Click Save

Impact:

For updating an existing environment, care should be taken to ensure that administrators currently relying on an existing ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 have access to ports 22 and/or 3389 through another security group.

### Tags:

# Control: Ensure no security groups allow ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 to port 3389

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: 1Networking

Severity : HIGH

1. default - demo-11111111(ap-south-1) allows access to Port 3389 from 0.0.0.0/0

Security groups provide stateful filtering of ingress/egress network traffic to AWS resources. It is recommended that no security group allows unrestricted ingress access to port 3389.

# Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to implement the prescribed state:

- 1. Login to the AWS Management Console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/vpc/home
- In the left pane, click Security Groups
   For each security group, perform the following:
  - Select the security group
     Click the Inbound Rules tab
  - 3. Identify the rules to be removed
  - 4. Click the x in the Remove column
  - 5. Click Save

For updating an existing environment, care should be taken to ensure that administrators currently relying on an existing ingress from 0.0.0.0/0 have access to ports 22 and/or 3389 through another security group.

# Tags:

# Control: Ensure VPC flow logging is enabled in all VPCs

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: 1Networking

Severity: HIGH

Reason:
1. No VPC flow logs found in region eu-north-1

### Description :

VPC Flow Logs is a feature that enables you to capture information about the IP traffic going to and from network interfaces in your VPC. After you've created a flow log, you can view and retrieve its data in Amazon CloudWatch Logs. It is recommended that VPC FlowLogs be enabled for packet "Rejects" for VPCs.

01)Sign in to the AWS Management Console.

02)Navigate to VPC dashboard at https://console.aws.amazon.com/vpc/.

03)In the left navigation panel, select Your VPCs.

04)Select the VPC that you need to check

05)Select the Flow Logs tab from the bottom panel and click Create Flow Log:

06)In the Create Flow Log dialog box, enter the following details:

Filter: select the filter that describes the type of traffic to be logged – accepted, rejected, or all.

Role: enter the name of the IAM role that will allow permissions to publish to the CloudWatch Logs log group.

Destination Log Group: enter a name for the new CloudWatch Logs log group, where the flow logs will be published.

O7Review the flow log configuration and click Create Flow Log:

The log group will be available in approximately 10 minutes after you create the flow log. To access it, just click on the log group name listed under the CloudWatch Logs Group column.

or open the CloudWatch Logs dashboard at https://console.aws.amazon.com/cloudwatch/home#logs.

#### Tags:

### Control: Ensure the default security group of every VPC restricts all traffic

Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: 1Networking

Severity : HIGH

- 1. Security Group (default) in VPC C2-DEV-VPC-1:demo-11111111 from (us-east-1) allows egress traffic from 0.0.0.0/0
- Security Group (default) in VPC :vpc-799f7110 from (eu-north-1) allows egress traffic from 0.0.0.0/0
   Security Group (default) in VPC :vpc-46de3f2f from (ap-south-1) allows ingress traffic from 0.0.0.0/0
- 4. Security Group (default) in VPC :vpc-46de3f2f from (ap-south-1) allows ingress traffic from 0.0.0.0/0

#### Description:

A VPC comes with a default security group whose initial settings deny all inbound traffic, allow all outbound traffic, and allow all traffic between instances assigned to the security group. If you don't specify a security group when you launch an instance, the instance is automatically assigned to this default security group. Security groups provide stateful filtering of ingress/egress network traffic to AWS resources. It is recommended that the default security group restrict all traffic.
The default VPC in every region should have it's default security group updated to comply. Any newly created VPCs will automatically contain a default security group that will need remediation to comply with this recommendation.

NOTE: When implementing this recommendation, VPC flow logging is invaluable in determining the least privilege port access required by systems to work properly because it can log all packet acceptances and rejections occurring under the current security groups. This dramatically reduces the primary barrier to least privilege engineering - discovering the minimum ports required by systems in the environment. Even if the VPC flow logging recommendation in this benchmark is not adopted as a permanent security measure, it should be used during any period of discovery and engineering for least privileged security groups.

### Remediation Steps:

Security Group Members
Perform the following to implement the prescribed state:

- 1. Identify AWS resources that exist within the default security group
- Create a set of least privilege security groups for those resour
   Place the resources in those security groups
- 4. Remove the resources noted in #1 from the default security group

### Security Group State

- 1. Login to the AWS Management Console at http:
- 2. Repeat the next steps for all VPCs including the default VPC in each AWS region:
- 3. In the left pane, click Security Groups
- 4. For each default security group, perform the following:
  - Select the default security group
     Click the Inbound Rules tab
  - 3. Remove any inbound rules
  - 4. Click the Outbound Rules tab
  - 5. Remove any inbound rules

IAM groups allow you to edit the "name" field. After remediating default groups rules for all VPCs in all regions, edit this field to add text similar to "DO NOT USE. DO NOT ADD RULES"

Implementing this recommendation in an existing VPC containing operating resources requires extremely careful migration planning as the default security groups are likely to be enabling many ports that are unknown. Enabling VPC flow logging (of accepts) in an existing environment that is know to be breach free will reveal the current pattern of ports being used for each instance to communicate successfully.

### References:

1. http://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSEC2/latest/UserGuide/using-network-security.html

# Tags:

### Control: Ensure routing tables for VPC peering are 'least access'

Status: (1) Info Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: 1Networking

# Severity: HIGH

- 1. No VPC peering found in region us-west-2
- No VPC peering found in region us-west-1
   No VPC peering found in region us-east-2
- 4. No VPC peering found in region us-east-1
- No VPC peering found in region eu-central-1
   No VPC peering found in region ap-southeast-2
- 7. No VPC peering found in region ap-southeast-1
- 8. No VPC peering found in region sa-east-1
- 9. No VPC peering found in region ca-central-1 10. No VPC peering found in region ap-northeast-1
- 11. No VPC peering found in region ap-northeast-2
- 12. No VPC peering found in region eu-west-1
- 13. No VPC peering found in region eu-west-2
- No VPC peering found in region eu-west-3
   No VPC peering found in region eu-north-1

### 16. No VPC peering found in region ap-south-1

### Description

Once a VPC peering connection is estalished, routing tables must be updated to establish any connections between the peered VPCs. These routes can be as specific as desired even peering a VPC to only a single host on the other side of the connection.

N.A

Tags:			
Control: Avoid the use of the root account			
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Severity: HIGH			
Reason: N.A			
Description:  The "root" account has unrestricted access to all resources in the AWS account. It is highly re-	commended that the use of this account be avoided.		
Remediation Steps: N.A			
Tags:			
Control: Ensure IAM password policy prevents password reuse			
Status: Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Severity : MEDIUM			
Reason: N.A			
Description:  IAM password policies can prevent the reuse of a given password by the same user. It is reco	mmended that the password policy prevent the reuse of passwords.		
Remediation Steps: N.A			
Tags:			
Control: Ensure IAM password policy expires passwords within 90 days	s or less		
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Severity: MEDIUM			
Reason: N.A			
Description:  [AM password policies can require passwords to be rotated or expired after a given number.]	of days. It is recommended that the nassword policy evoire passwords after 90 days or less		
Remediation Steps:	stays in a recumulated man me passions pointy supine passions at any 10 days or insti-		
N.A			
Tags:			
Control: Ensure no root account access key exists			
Status: O Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Severity: HIGH			
Reason: N.A			
Description: The root account is the most privileged user in an AWS account AWS Access Keys provide a	rogrammatic access to a given AWS account. It is recommended that all access keys associated v	with the root account he removed	
Remediation Steps:	regrammane access to a given two accessin. It is recommended that an access keys associated to	min red december to remote.	
N.A			
Tags:			
Control: Ensure MFA is enabled for the root account			
Status: Pass Severity: HIGH	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Reason: N.A			
	protection on top of a user name and password. With MFA enabled, when a user signs in to an A	WS website, they will be prompted for their user name and password as well as for an	
authentication code from their AWS MFA device.  Remediation Steps:			
N.A			
Tags:			
Control : Ensure hardware MFA is enabled for the account			
Status: ② Fail	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control	
Severity : HIGH			
Reason:  1. Hardware based MFA is not enabled for root user			
Description: The root account is the most privileged user in an AWS account. MFA adds an extra layer of protection on top of a user name and password. With MFA enabled, when a user signs in to an AWS website, they will be prompted for their user name and password as well as for an authentication code from their AWS MFA device. For Level 2, it is recommended that the root account be protected with a hardware MFA.			

# Perform the following to establish a hardware MFA for the root account: 1. Sign in to the AWS Management Console and open the IAM console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/iam/ Note: To manage MFA devices for the root AWS account, you must use your root account credentials to sign in to AWS. You cannot manage MFA devices for the root account using other credentials. 2. Choose Dashboard, and under Security Status, expand Activate MFA on your root account. 3. Choose Activate MFA 4. In the wizard, choose A hardware MFA device and then choose Next Step . 5. In the Serial Number box, enter the serial number that is found on the back of the MFA device. 6. In the Authentication Code 1 box, enter the six-digit number displayed by the MFA device. You might need to press the button on the front of the device to display the number. 7. Wait 30 seconds while the device refreshes the code, and then enter the next six-digit number into the Authentication Code 2 box. You might need to press the button on the front of the device again to display the second number. 8. Choose Next Step . The MFA device is now associated with the AWS account. The next time you use your AWS account credentials to sign in, you must type a code from the hardware MFA device. 1. Order Hardware MFA: http://onlinenoram.gemallo.com/ 2. http://docs.aws.amazon.com/IAM/latest/UserGuide/id\_credentials\_mfa\_enable\_virtual.html 3. http://docs.aws.amazon.com/IAM/latest/UserGuide/id\_credentials\_mfa\_enable\_physical.html#enable-hw-mfa-for-root Tags: Control: Ensure security questions are registered in the AWS account Status: Not Checked Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Access Control Severity : LOW 1. This activity can only be performed via the AWS Console by logging into the Root account Description The AWS support portal allows account owners to establish security questions that can be used to authenticate individuals calling AWS customer service for support. It is recommended that security questions be established. Remediation Steps: Perform the following in the AWS Management Console: 1. Login to the AWS account as root 2. Click on the <Root Account Name> from the top right of the console 3. From the drop-down menu Click My Account 4. Scroll down to the Configure Security Questions section 5. Click on Edit 6. Click on each Question From the drop-down select an appropriate question Click on the Answer section Enter an appropriate answer 7. Click Update when complete 8. Place Questions and Answers and place in a secure physical location Tags: Control: Ensure IAM policies are attached only to groups or roles Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Access Control Severity: MEDIUM 1. User (temp-user) has 1 policy/policies [AmazonEC2ReadOnlyAccess] directly attached to it User (abc.abc@abc.com) has 1 policy/policies [ReadOnlyAccess] directly attached to it User (CloudwatchCustomMetrics) has 1 policy/policies [CloudwatchCustomMetrics] directly attached to it 4. User (cloudlytics-notifications) has 2 policy/policies [AmazonSESFullAccess, AmazonSNSFullAccess] directly attached to it 5. User (abc-cmp) has 1 policy/policies [ReadOnlyAccess] directly attached to it 6. User (abhijeet) has 3 policy/policies [Billing+BudgetAccess, Billing, Cost\_Explorer] directly attached to it By default, IAM users, groups, and roles have no access to AWS resources. IAM policies are the means by which privileges are granted to users, groups, or roles. It is recommended that IAM policies be applied directly to groups and roles but not users. Remediation Steps: Perform the following to create an IAM group and assign a policy to it: 1. Sign in to the AWS Management Console and open the IAM console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/iam/. 2. In the navigation pane, click Groups and then click Create New Group 3. In the Group Name box, type the name of the group and then click Next Step . 4. In the list of policies, select the check box for each policy that you want to apply to all members of the group. Then click Next Step 5. Click Create Group. Perform the following to add a user to a given group: 1. Sign in to the AWS Management Console and open the IAM console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/iam/. 2. In the navigation pane, click Groups 3. Select the group to add a user 4. Click Add Users To Group 5. Select the users to be added to the group 6. Click Add Users Perform the following to remove a direct association between a user and policy: 1. Sign in to the AWS Management Console and open the IAM console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/iam/. 2. In the left navigation pane, click on Users 3. For each user: 1. Select the user 2. Click on the Permissions tab 3. Expand Managed Policies

4. Click Detach Policy for each policy

Expand Inline Policies     Click Remove Policy for each policy  References:      http://docs.aws.amazon.com/IAM/latest/UserGuide/best-practices.html     thtp://docs.aws.amazon.com/IAM/latest/UserGuide/access_policies_managed-vs-in-	line.html	
Tags:		
Control: Ensure security contact information is registered		
Status: Not Checked	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: LOW		
Reason: 1. This activity can only be performed via the AWS Console		
Description  AWS provides customers with the option of specifying the contact information for account's	security team. It is recommended that this information be provided.	
Remediation Steps:  Perform the following in the AWS Management Console to establish security contact inform.	ation	
Click on your account name at the top right corner of the console.	uren.	
2. From the drop-down menu Click My Account		
3. Scroll down to the Alternate Contacts section		
Enter contact information in the Security section     Note: Consider specifying an internal email distribution list to ensure emails are regularly recognitions.	manitored by more than one individual	
, tels. Consider specifying an internal cities can be an included and regularly i	in the control of the	
Tags:		
Control: Ensure IAM instance roles are used for AWS resource access	from instances	
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: MEDIUM		
Reason: N.A		
Description:  AWS access from within AWS instances can be done by either encoding AWS keys into AW  AWS resources or manage AWS account resources.	'S API calls or by assigning the instance to a role which has an appropriate permissions policy for	the required access. "AWS Access" means accessing the APIs of AWS in order to access
Remediation Steps: N.A		
Tags:		
Control: Ensure multi-factor authentication (MFA) is enabled for all IAN	A users that have a console password	
Status:  Pass Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: HIGH		
Reason: N.A		
Description:  Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA) adds an extra layer of protection on top of a user name at device. It is recommended that MFA be enabled for all accounts that have a console passwer.	of password. With MFA enabled, when a user signs in to an AWS website, they will be prompted and.	for their user name and password as well as for an authentication code from their AWS MFA
Remediation Steps: N.A		
Tags:		
Control: Do not setup access keys during initial user setup for all IAM	users that have a console password	
Status:   Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: MEDIUM		
Reason: N.A		
Description:  AWS console defaults the checkbox for creating access keys to enabled. This results in man,	v access keys being generated unnecessarily. In addition to unnecessary credentials, it also genera	ates unnecessary management work in auditing and rotating these keys.
Remediation Steps: N.A		
Tags:		
Control: Ensure IAM policies that allow full '*:*' administrative privile	ges are not created	
Status: Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: HIGH		

Reason: N.A

#### Description

IAM policies are the means by which privileges are granted to users, groups, or roles. It is recommended and considered a standard security advice to grant least privilege—that is, granting only the permissions required to perform a task. Determine what users need to do and then craft policies for them that let the users perform only those tasks, instead of allowing full administrative privileges.

N.A

### Tags:

### Control: Ensure credentials unused for 90 days or greater are disabled

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Access Control

Severity : MEDIUM

#### Reason:

- 1. Access Key 1 not used since last 90 days for entity (temp-user)
- 2. Password not used since last 90 days for entity (abc.abc@abc.com)

#### Description :

AWS IAM users can access AWS resources using different types of credentials, such as passwords or access keys. It is recommended that all credentials that have been unused in 90 or greater days be removed or deactivated.

#### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to remove or deactivate credentials:

- 1. Login to the AWS Management Console
- 2. Click Services
- 3. Click IAM
- 4. Click on Users Click on Security Credentials
   As an Administrator
- 1. Click on Make Inactive for credentials that have not been used in 90 Days

Click on Make Inactive or Delete for credentials which have not been used in 90 Days

#### Tags:

### Control: Ensure access keys are rotated every 90 days or less

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Access Control

### Severity : MEDIUM

- 1. Access key 2 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 2 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (root)
- 2. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (temp-user)
- 3. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (CloudwatchCustomMetrics)
- 4. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (cloudlyrics-notifications)
  5. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (cloudlyrics)
- 6. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (abc-cmp) 7. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (abhijieet)
- 8. Access key 1 has not been rotated since last 90 days or Access key 1 has not been used since last key rotation for entity (cloudlytics mail user)

### Description :

Access keys consist of an access key ID and secret access key, which are used to sign programmatic requests that you make to AWS .AWS users need their own access keys to make programmatic calls to AWS from the AWS Command Line Interface (AWS CLI), Tools for Windows PowerShell, the AWS SDKs, or direct HTTP calls using the APIs for individual AWS services. It is recommended that all access keys be regularly rotated.

# Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to rotate access keys: 1. Login to the AWS Management Conso

- 2. Click Services
- 3. Click IAM
- 4. Click on Users
- 5. Click on Security Credentials
- 6. As an Administrator

Click on Make Inactive for keys that have not been rotated in 90 Days

7. As an IAM User

Click on Make Inactive or Delete for keys which have not been rotated or used in 90 Days

8. Click on Create Access Kev

9. Update programmatic call with new Access Key credentials

### Tags:

# Control: Ensure IAM password policy requires at least one uppercase letter

Status: (a) Pass Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Access Control

Severity : MEDIUM

Reason: N.A.

### Description :

Password policies are, in part, used to enforce password complexity requirements, IAM password policies can be used to ensure password are comprised of different character sets. It is recommended that the password policy require at least one uppercase letter.

### Remediation Steps:

Control: Ensure IAM password policy require at least one lowercase letter

Status:   Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: MEDIUM		
Reason: N.A		
Description :		
Password policies are, in part, used to enforce password complexity requirements. IAM passs  Remediation Steps:	word policies can be used to ensure password are comprised of different character sets. It is reco	mmended that the password policy require at least one lowercase letter.
N.A		
Tags:		
Control: Ensure IAM password policy require at least one symbol		
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity : MEDIUM		
Reason: N.A		
Description :		
	word policies can be used to ensure password are comprised of different character sets, It is reco	mmended that the password policy require at least one symbol.
Remediation Steps: N.A		
Tags:		
Control: Ensure IAM password policy require at least one number		
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Status: Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Severity: MEDIUM		
Reason: N.A		
Description:  Password policies are, in part, used to enforce password complexity requirements. IAM passs	word policies can be used to ensure password are comprised of different character sets. It is reco	mmended that the password policy require at least one number.
Remediation Steps: N.A		
Tags:		
Control Forms IAM commend and increasing a single state of 14 or		
Control: Ensure IAM password policy requires minimum length of 14 o	r greater	
Status: ⊙ Pass	r greater  Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Access Control
Status:  Pass Severity: MEDIUM		Group Name: Access Control
Status: ② Pass Severity: MEDIUM Reason: N.A		Group Name: Access Control
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Tags:				
Control: Ensure S3 bucket access logging is enabled on the CloudTrail S3 bucket				
Status:  Pass Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
Severity: HIGH				
Reason: N.A				
Description:  S3 Bucket Access Logging generates a log that contains access records for each request made processed. It is recommended that bucket access logging be enabled on the CloudTrail S3 but	e to your S3 bucket. An access log record contains details about the request, such as the request cket.	type, the resources specified in the request worked, and the time and date the request was		
Remediation Steps: N.A				
Tags:				
Control: Ensure CloudTrail is enabled in all regions for atleast one trail				
Status: Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
Severity: MEDIUM				
Reason: N.A				
	files to you. The recorded information includes the identity of the API caller, the time of the API account, including API calls made via the Management Console, SDKs, command line tools, and line tools.			
N.A.				
Tags:				
Control: Ensure CloudTrail log file validation is enabled				
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
Severity: LOW				
Reason: N.A				
Description: CloudTrail log file validation creates a digitally signed digest file containing a hash of each log file validation be enabled on all CloudTrails.	that CloudTrail writes to \$3. These digest files can be used to determine whether a log file was o	changed, deleted, or unchanged after CloudTrail delivered the log. It is recommended that		
Remediation Steps:				
Tags:				
Control: Ensure CloudTrail trails are integrated with CloudWatch Logs				
Status: Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
Severity: MEDIUM				
Reason: N.A				
by the AWS service. CloudTrail uses Amazon S3 for log file storage and delivery, so log files	he recorded information includes the identity of the API caller, the time of the API call, the source are stored durably. In addition to capturing CloudTail logs within a specified S3 bucket for long t files from all those regions to a CloudWatch Logs log group. It is recommended that CloudTail le	term analysis, realtime analysis can be performed by configuring CloudTrail to send logs to		
	monitored, and appropriately alarmed on. CloudWatch Logs is a native way to accomplish this us	ing AWS services but does not preclude the use of an alternate solution.		
Remediation Steps: N.A				
Tags:				
Control: Ensure AWS Config is enabled in all regions				
Status:  Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
Severity: HIGH				
Reason: N.A				
Description:  AWS Config is a web service that performs configuration management of supported AWS resources), any configuration changes between resources. It is recommended to enable AWS	ources within your account and delivers log files to you. The recorded information includes the co Config be enabled in all regions.	onliguration item (AWS resource), relationships between configuration items (AWS		
Remediation Steps: N.A				
Tags:				
Control: Ensure CloudTrail logs are encrypted at rest using KMS CMKs				
Status:   Pass	Configuration Name: Demo-conf	Group Name: Logging		
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Reason: N.A

#### Description

AWS CloudTrail is a web service that records AWS API calls for an account and makes those logs available to users and resources in accordance with IAM policies. AWS Key Management Service (KMS) is a managed service that helps create and control the encryption keys used to encrypt account data, and uses Hardware Security Modules (HSMs) to protect the security of encryption keys. CloudTrail logs can be configured to leverage server side encryption (SSE) and KMS customer created master keys (CMK) to further protect CloudTrail logs. It is recommended that CloudTrail be configured to use SSE-KMS.

#### Remediation Steps

N.A

### Tags:

#### Control: Ensure rotation for customer created CMKs is enabled

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Logging

Severity : HIGH

- Rotation for customer created CMKs is not enabled for (11111111-2222-eeee-qqqq-1111111111)
- 2. Rotation for customer created CMKs is not enabled for (11111111-2222-eeee-gggg-11111111111)

AWS Key Management Service (KMS) allows customers to rotate the backing key which is key material stored within the KMS which is tied to the key ID of the Customer Created customer master key (CMK). It is the backing key that is used to perform cryptographic operations such as encryption and decryption. Automated key rotation currently retains all prior backing keys so that decryption of encrypted data can take place transparently. It is recommended that CMK key rotation be enab

#### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to enable rotation for customer created CMKs via the Management Console:

- 1. Sign in to the AWS Management Console and open the IAM console at https://console.aws.amazon.com/iam.

- In the left navigation pane, choose Encryption Keys .
   Select a customer created master key (CMK)
   Under the Key Policy section, move down to Key Rotation .
- 5. Check the Rotate this key every year checkbox

Via CLI

1. Run the following command to enable key rotation: aws kms enable-key-rotation -key-id <kms\_key\_id>

References:

1, https://aws.amazon.com/kms/pricing/

### Tags:

### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for unauthorized API calls

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

### Severity: MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm does not exist for 'Unauthorized API Calls' for Filter(s) [ 31UnauthAPICalls ] in ( us-east-1 )

# Description :

Realtime monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for unauthorized API calls.

### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for unauthorized API calls:

Note: Filter pattern for unauthorized API calls

"filterPattern": "{ (\$.errorCode = \"\*UnauthorizedOperation\") || (\$.errorCode =

\"AccessDenied\*\") }

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with Cloud ${\it Trail}$
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with
- CloudWatchLoasLoaGroupArn
- 3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for unauthorized API

calls and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metric/Name and metric/Namespace strings. Using the same metric/Namespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

- Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

  5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
- Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

  6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization

This alert may be triggered by normal read-only console activities that attempt to opportunistically gather optional information, but gracefully fail if they don't have permissions.

If an excessive number of alerts are being generated then an organization may wish to consider adding read access to the limited IAM user permissions simply to quiet the alerts. In some cases doing this may allow the users to actually view some areas of the system - any additional access given should be reviewed for alignment with the original limited IAM

user intent. References:

1. https://aws.amazon.com/sns/

### Tags:

### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for security group changes

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

# Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Security Group Changes' does not exist for Filter(s) [ 310SecGroupChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. Security Groups are a stateful packet filter that controls ingress and egress traffic within a VPC. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established changes to Security Groups

#### Remediation Steps

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for security group changes

Note: Filter pattern for security group changes

"filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventName = AuthorizeSecurityGroupIngress) || (\$.eventName = AuthorizeSecurityGroupEaress) | | (\$.eventName = RevokeSecurityGroupInaress) | | (\$.eventName = RevokeSecurityGroupEgress) || (\$.eventName = CreateSecurityGroup) || (\$.eventName = DeleteSecurityGroup)|"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with

CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn:
3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for security groups

changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same

metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
 Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step 3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

### Tags:

### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for changes to Network Access Control Lists (NACL)

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

#### Severity: MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'NACL Changes' does not exist for Filter [ 311NACLChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

### Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. NACLs are used as a stateless packet filter to control ingress and egress traffic for subnets within a VPC. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for changes made to NACLs.

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for changes to Network Access Control Lists (NACL)

Note: Filter pattern for changes to Network Access Control Lists (NACL)

"filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventName = CreateNetworkAcl) || (\$.eventName =

CreateNetworkAclEntry) || (\$.eventName = DeleteNetworkAcl) || (\$.eventName = DeleteNetworkAclEntry) || (\$.eventName = ReplaceNetworkAclEntry) || (\$.eventName =

ReplaceNetworkAclAssociation1 1"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn :

3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for NACL changes

and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same

metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4

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3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

# Tags:

### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for changes to network gateways

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

# Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Changes to Network Gateways' does not exist for Filter(s) [ 312NetworkGatewayChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. Network gateways are required to send/receive traffic to a destination outside of a VPC. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for changes to network gateways.

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization Create Metric Filter and Cloudwatch Alarm

1. Navigate to Cloudwatch dashboard at https://console.aws.amazon.com/cloudwatch/.

2.In the left navigation panel, select Logs.

3. Select the log group created for your CloudTrail trail event logs and click Create Metric Filter button.

4. On the Define Logs Metric Filter page, paste the following pattern inside the Filter Pattern box: [ (\$.eventName = CreateCustomerGateway) || (\$.eventName = DeleteCustomerGateway) || (\$.eventName = AttachInternetGateway) || (\$.eventName = DeleteInternetGateway) || (\$.eventName = D

5. Review the metric filter config details then click Assign Metric.

6. On the Create Metric Filter and Assign a Metric page, perform the following:

a)In the Filter Name box, enter a unique name for the new filter, e.g. VPCGatewayConfigChanges.

b)In the Metric Namespace box, type CloudTrailMetrics.

c)In the Metric Name box, type GatewayEventCount for the metric identifier

d)Click Show advanced metric settings to slide down the advanced settings section.

e)In the Metric Value box, enter 1.

7. Review the details then click Create Filter to generate your new CloudWatch Logs metric filter.

8.On the current page click Create Alarm

9.In the Create Alarm dialog box, provide the following information

Within the Alarm Threshold section, in the Name and Description fields, enter a unique name and a short description for the new CloudWatch alarm.

Under Whenever: «Metric Name», select >= (greater than or equal to) from the is dropdown list and enter 1 as the threshold value in the box next to the dropdown list to trigger the alarm every time a configuration change involving a VPC Network Customer/Internet Gateway is

In the Actions section, click the + Notification button, select State is ALARM from the Whenever this alarm dropdown menu and choose the AWS SNS topic name created at Step 1 from Send notification to.

In the Alarm Preview section, select 5 Minutes from the Period dropdown list and Sum from the Statistic list.

Review the CloudWatch alarm configuration details then click Create Alarm. Once created, the new alarm will be listed on the Alarms page.

### Tags:

#### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for route table changes

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

### Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Changes to Route Table' does not exist for Filter [ 313RouteTableChanges] in ( us-east-1 )

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. Routing tables are used to route network traffic between subnets and to network gateways. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for changes to route tables.

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for route table changes

Note: Filter pattern for route table changes

"filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventName = CreateRoute] || (\$.eventName = CreateRouteTable) || (\$.eventName = ReplaceRoute] || (\$.eventName = ReplaceRoutelableAssociation) || (\$.eventName = DeleteRouteTable) || (\$.eventName = DeleteRoute) || (\$.event DisassociateRouteTable) ]"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associa
   CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn :
- 3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for route table changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

- 4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify
- Note : you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms
- 5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
- Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

  6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

# Tags:

### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for VPC changes

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

# Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'VPC Changes' does not exist for Filter [ 314VPCChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

# Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is possible to have more than 1 VPC within an account, in addition it is also possible to create a peer connection between 2 VPCs enabling network traffic to route between VPCs. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for changes made to VPCs.

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for VPC changes

Note: Filter pattern for VPC changes

"filterPattern": "{ (\$.eventName = CreateVpc) || (\$.eventName = DeleteVpc) || (\$.eventName = ModifyVpcAttribute) || (\$.eventName = AcceptVpcPeeringConnection) ||

(\$.eventName = CreateVpcPeeringConnection) || (\$.eventName = DeleteVpcPeeringConnection) || (\$.eventName = RejectVpcPeeringConnection) ||

(\$.eventName = AttachClassicLinkVpc) || (\$.eventName = DetachClassicLinkVpc) ||

(\$.eventName = DisableVpcClassicLink) || (\$.eventName = EnableVpcClassicLink) }"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with
- CloudWatchLoasLoaGroupArn
- 3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for VPC changes and

the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

- 4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify
- Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.
- 5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
- Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms. 6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note : set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

### Tags:

#### Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Management Console Sign-In without MFA' does not exist for Filter [ 32MgmtConsoleNoMFA ] in ( us-east-1 )

### Description:

Realtime monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing Cloud/Tail Logs to Cloud/Watch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for console logins that are not protected by multi-factor authentication (MFA)

#### Remediation Steps

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for Management Console sign-in without MFA

Note: Filter pattern for Management Console

sign-in without MFA

"filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventName = "ConsoleLogin") && (\$.additionalEventData.MFAUsed

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associa
- CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn

Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for AWS
 Management Console sign-in without MFA and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step 3 and an SNS topic created in step 4 Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

1. http://docs.aws.amazon.com/AmazonCloudWatch/latest/DeveloperGuide/viewing\_metrics\_with\_cloudwatch.html

### Tags:

#### Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for usage of root account

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

### Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Usage of root account' does not exist for Filter [ 33UseOfRootAcct ] in ( us-east-1 )

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for root login attempts

#### Remediation Steps

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for usage of root account

Note : Filter pattern for for usage of "root" account

"filterPattern": "[ \$.userIdentity.type = \"Root\" && \$.userIdentity.invokedBy NOT

EXISTS && \$.eventType != \"AwsServiceEvent\" ] "

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with
- CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn:

  3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for "Root" account

usage and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2
Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same

netricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4

Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4 Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

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# Tags:

# Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for IAM policy changes

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

# Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'IAM Policy Changes' does not exist for Filter [ 34IAMPolicyChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

## Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established changes made to Identity and Access Management (IAM) policies.

### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for IAM policy changes

Note: Filter pattern for IAM policy changes

## "filterPattern":

"[(\$.eventName=DeleteGroupPolicy)]|(\$.eventName=DeleteRolePolicy)]|(\$.eventName=Delete  $\label{lem:update} UserPolicy) ||(\$.eventName=PutGroupPolicy)||(\$.eventName=PutRolePolicy)||(\$.eventName=PutUserPolicy)||(\$.eventName=CreatePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=CreatePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=CreatePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=CreatePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=CreatePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=DeletePolicy)||(\$.eventName=Delete$ eatePolicyVersion]||(\$\_eventName=DeletePolicyVersion)||(\$\_eventName=AttachRolePolicy)| |(\$\_eventName=DetachRolePolicy)||(\$\_eventName=AttachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eventName=DetachUserPolicy)||(\$\_eve Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription: 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn: 3 Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for IAM Policy changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together
4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4 Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

### Tags:

Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for CloudTrail configuration changes

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

### Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Cloudtrail configuration Changes' does not exist for Filter [ 35CloudTrailConfigChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudTrail Logs to CloudTrail s configurations.

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for CloudTrail configuration changes

Note: Filter pattern for CloudTrail configuration changes

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

"filterPattern": "{ (\$.eventName = CreateTrail) || (\$.eventName = UpdateTrail) ||

(\$.eventName = DeleteTrail) || (\$.eventName = StartLogging) || (\$.eventName =

StopLogging) ]"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
   Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with
- CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn
- 3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for Cloudtrail
- configuration changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

  Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.
- Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify
   Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.
- Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
   Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.
- 6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

### Tags:

Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for AWS Management Console authentication failures

Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1 Status: (x) Fail

# Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Console Authentication Failure' does not exist for Filter [ 36ConsoleAuthFailures] in ( us-east-1 )

### Description:

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for failed console authentication attempts.

### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for AWS Management Console authentication failures Note: Filter pattern for AWS Manageme "filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventName = ConsoleLogin) && (\$.errorMessage = \"Failed authentication\") ]" Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription: 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with
CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn:
3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for AWS Management Console authentication failures and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.  ${\it Note: You\ can\ choose\ your\ own\ metric Name\ and\ metric Namespace\ strings.\ Using\ the\ same}$ netricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them togethe 4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms. 5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4 Note : you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms. 6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

## Tags:

Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for disabling or scheduled deletion of customer created CMKs

Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1 Status: (x) Fail

### Severity : MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'Disabling or Scheduled Deletion of Customer Created CMKs' does not exist for Filter [ 37DisableDeleteCMK ] in ( us-east-1 )

#### Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for customer created CMKs which have changed state to disabled or scheduled deletion

#### Remediation Steps

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for disabling or scheduled deletion of customer created CMKs

Note: Filter pattern for disabling or scheduled deletion of customer created CMKs

"filterPattern": "[(\$.eventSource = kms.amazonaws.com) &&

((\$.eventName=DisableKey)||(\$.eventName=ScheduleKeyDeletion))} }"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the 
  2. Note the 
  CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn
  3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for disabled or scheduled for deletion CMK's and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.
- Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

  4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify
- Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

  5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
- Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.
- 6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step 3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

# Tags:

Control: Ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for S3 bucket policy changes

Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1 Status: (x) Fail

### Severity: MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'S3 Bucket Policy Changes' does not exist for Filter(s) [ 38S3BucketPolicyChanges ] in ( us-east-1 )

# Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for changes to S3 bucket policies.

### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for S3 bucket policy changes

Note: Filter pattern for \$3 bucket policy changes

"filterPattern": "[ (\$.eventSource = s3.amazonaws.com) && ((\$.eventName =

 $PutBucketAcl) \ || \ (\$.eventName = PutBucketPolicy) \ || \ (\$.eventName = PutBucketCors) \ ||$ (\$.eventName = PutBucketLifecycle) | (\$.eventName = PutBucketReplication) |

(\$.eventName = DeleteBucketPolicy) || (\$.eventName = DeleteBucketCors) || (\$.eventName = DeleteBucketLifecycle) || (\$.eventName = DeleteBucketLifecycle) || (\$.eventName = DeleteBucketReplication)) |"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail log group name> value associated with CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn:
  3. Create a metric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for \$3 Bucket Policy

changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all Foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together

4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4
Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step 3 and an SNS topic created in step 4

Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization

# Tags:

Status: (x) Fail Configuration Name: Demo-conf Group Name: Monitoring1

#### Severity: MEDIUM

1. A log metric alarm for 'AWS Config Changes' does not exist for Filter [39AWSConfigChanges] in ( us-east-1 )

#### Description :

Real-time monitoring of API calls can be achieved by directing CloudTrail Logs to CloudWatch Logs and establishing corresponding metric filters and alarms. It is recommended that a metric filter and alarm be established for detecting changes to AWS Config configuration.

#### Remediation Steps:

Perform the following to ensure a log metric filter and alarm exist for AWS Config configuration changes

Note: Filter pattern for AWS Config configuration changes

"filterPattern": "[(\$:eventSource = config.amazonaws.com) && ((\$:eventName=StopConfigurationRecorder)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDeliveryChannel)||(\$:eventName=DeleteDelive

tName=PutDeliveryChannel)||(\$.eventName=PutConfigurationRecorder))}"

Perform the following to setup the metric filter, alarm, SNS topic, and subscription:

- 1. Identify the log group name configured for use with CloudTrail
- 2. Note the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> value associated with CloudWatchLogsLogGroupArn:
- CloudWatchLogat.Ogc/froupArn:

  3. Create a matric filter based on filter pattern provided which checks for AWS Config changes and the <cloudtrail\_log\_group\_name> taken from step 2.

  Note: You can choose your own metricName and metricNamespace strings. Using the same metricNamespace for all foundations Benchmark metrics will group them together.

  4. Create an SNS topic that the alarm will notify

Note: you can re-use the same topic for all monitoring alarms.

5. Create an SNS subscription to the topic created in step 4

Note: you can re-use the same SNS subscription for all monitoring alarms.

6. Create an alarm that is associated with the CloudWatch Logs Metric Filter created in step

3 and an SNS topic created in step 4
Note: set the period and threshold to values that fit your organization.

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