

GCP Logging

Default Logs

Following are the logs generally available for GCP

Activity Logs: Record of all activity within a user's GCP project, including operations performed by users, systems, and services.

System Logs: Record of system-level events and messages related to the health and performance of GCP services.

Audit Logs: Record of administrative and security-related activity, including authentication and authorization events, resource management operations, and data access events.

IAM commands

gcloud iam - manage IAM service accounts and keys

```
#To list account name
gcloud auth list
gcloud auth activate-service-account [ACCOUNT]
gcloud auth print-identity-token -impersonate-service-account=SA@PROJECT_ID.iam.gserviceaccount.com
#Check token info
curl "https://oauth2.googleapis.com/tokeninfo?id_token=ID_TOKEN"
#Revoke token
gcloud auth revoke
#Find iam roles for organisation
gcloud iam roles list --organization=my-org-id
#Find Specific role
gcloud iam roles list --organization=my-org-id | grep [role-name]
```

IAM commands (continue)

```
#Search iam policies to specific user on project
gcloud projects get-iam-policy [project-id] --flatten="bindings-[]members" --filter="example-users@example.com"
#Search iam policies to specific user across organization
gcloud asset search-all-iam-policies --scope=organizations/[organization-id] --query='policy:example-user@example.com'
#Search specific role on specific project
gcloud asset search-all-iam-policies --scope=projects/[project-name] --query='policy:roles/owner'
```

GCP Folders commands

gcloud alpha resource-manager folders - manage Cloud Folders

```
#List folder for a specific organization
gcloud alpha resource-manager folders list --organization=my-org-id
#List folder within folder
gcloud alpha resource-manager folders list --folder=my-folder-id
```

gcloud SDK

Google Cloud CLI installation

<https://cloud.google.com/sdk/docs/install>

gcloud commands reference

<https://cloud.google.com/sdk/gcloud/reference>

GCP Projects commands

gcloud projects - create and manage project access policies

```
#List projects within organization
gcloud projects list --filter 'parent.id=my-org-id AND parent.type=organization'
#List project label information
gcloud projects describe my-project
#View iam policies which user is member of what
gcloud projects get-iam-policy my-project
```

GCP Organization commands

gcloud organizations - create and manage GCP Organizations

```
#List available organizations for tenant
gcloud organizations list
#Detail description
gcloud organizations describe my-org-id
#Show what policies are enable
gcloud resource-manager org-policies list --organization=my-org-id --show-unset
#Show all projects within an Organization (e.g Org_name) by looking at labels
gcloud projects list --format=json | jq '.[].labels | select(.organization=="my_org_name") | grep projectname | sort -u | wc -l
```

IAM commands (continue)

```
#Find specific reviewer role permissions
gcloud iam roles describe [role-name] --organization=my-org-id
#Search for a specific permission for a given organization
gcloud asset search-all-iam-policies --scope=organizations/[organization-id] --query='policy.role.permissions:resourceanalyzer.projects.setIamPolicy'
#Finding keys creation and expiration date/time of a specific iam service account
gcloud iam service-accounts keys list --iam-account=[example@iam.gserviceaccount.com]
```

GCP Bucket commands

gcloud storage - create and manage Cloud Storage buckets and objects

```
#To list buckets for specific project
gsutil ls -p my-project
#Prints the object size, creation time stamp, and name of each matching object
gsutil ls -l gs://bucket/.html/ gs://bucket/txt
#Print additional details
gsutil ls -L gs://my-project/
#List objects within bucket (--recursive)
gcloud storage objects list gs://my-project/ --limit=1
gcloud storage ls --recursive gs://my-project/
```



Basic Initialization commands

Initial setup tasks

```
gcloud init
#To verify existing config
gcloud config list OR gcloud info
#To set Project
gcloud config set project [project-name]
#To remove project
gcloud config unset project [project-name]
```

Compute commands

gcloud compute - create and manipulate Compute Engine resources

```
#To list compute images for particular project
gcloud compute images list --project=[project-id]
#To list compute instances for particular project
gcloud compute instances list --project=[project-id]
#Detail description about the instance
gcloud compute instances describe my-instance --project=my-project
#View in different formatting
gcloud compute instances describe my-instance --project=my-project --format=flattened
```

Disk and Snapshots commands

Read and manipulate Compute Engine disks/snapshots

```
#List disks for a specific project
gcloud compute disks list --project=my-project
#Read metadata info for a specific disk
gcloud compute disks describe my-disk-name --zone=country--southeast1-a --project=my-project
#List snapshots for a project
gcloud compute snapshots list --project=my-project
#Count of snapshots within specific projects
gcloud compute snapshots list --project=my-project --format='value(NAME)' | wc -l
```

Disk and Snapshots commands (continue)

```
#Create a snapshot of a persistent disk in zone us-central1-a
gcloud compute disks snapshot test --zone=us-central1-a --snapshot-names=snapshot-test --description="Example snapshot"
#Create an image from a snapshot
gcloud compute images create my-image --source-snapshot=source-snapshot
#Export a VMDK file my-image from a project to a Storage bucket
gcloud compute images export -image=my-image --destination-uri=gs://my-bucket/my-image.vmdk --export-format=vmdk --project=my-project
```

Incident Investigation commands

List of useful commands for incident investigation

```
#List logs available for project
gcloud logging logs list --project=my-project
#Logs with matching insertId
gcloud logging read insertId="-my-InsertId" --project=my-project
# Json format with jq filter on source ip
gcloud logging read insertId="-my-InsertId" --project=my-project --format=json | jq '.[] .protoPayload.requestMetadata.callerIp'
```

Incident Investigation commands (continue)

```
#By default search return result for past 1 day
#Use freshness to go beyond 1 day
--freshness=7d
# Finding logs by Principal Email address
gcloud logging read "protoPayload.authenticationInfo.principalEmail:'youremail@domain'" --project=my-project --format=json --limit=1
#Finding logs for specific time
gcloud logging read 'timestamp>="2023-01-30T18:50:59Z" AND timestamp<="2023-01-31T00:00:00Z"' --project=my-project --format=json
```

Incident Investigation commands (continue)

```
#Timestamp Z shows that its in UTC format
#To read logs from specific log source and filter activity matching on time
gcloud logging read 'logName=--projects/[my-project]/logs/cloudaudit.googleapis.com%2Fac-tivity' --project=my-project --format=json | jq '.[] | select(.timestamp >= "2023-02-03T00:20:18.984704107Z")' | grep callerIp
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