

# Cloud Security Posture Management Manual (Google Cloud Platform)

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## Requirements

### Set Up Cloud Account Access

*Note:* To set up CSPM for a GCP project, you need admin privileges for the project.

### Manual Authentication for GCP

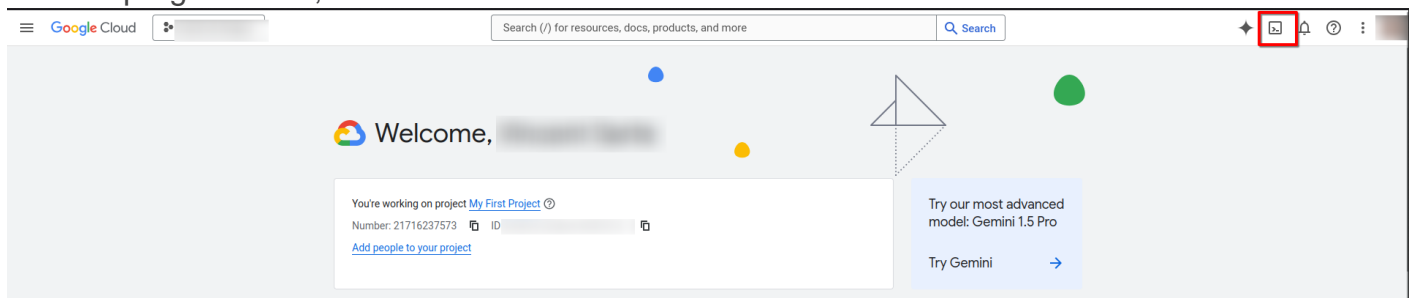
To authenticate manually and monitor a GCP organization, you must:

1. Create a new GCP service account
2. Assign it the necessary roles (organization/project level)
3. Generate credentials
4. Provide those credentials to the CSPM integration

## Steps to Set Up CSPM on GCP

### 1. Go to Google Cloud Console.

In the top-right corner, click on the **Cloud Shell** icon



You should be seeing the image below



## 2. Set Your Active Project

Run this command to select the GCP project where you want to create the service account:

```
gcloud config set project <PROJECT_ID>
```

## 3. Create a new service account:

```
gcloud iam service-accounts create <SA_NAME> \  
--description="Elastic agent service account for CSPM" \  
--display-name="Elastic agent service account for CSPM" \  
--project=<PROJECT_ID>
```

## 4. Assign Required IAM Roles

Replace **<ORG\_ID>** and **<PROJECT\_ID>** in the commands below:

- **Assign the necessary roles to the service account at Organization Level:**

```
gcloud organizations add-iam-policy-binding <ORG_ID> \  
--member=serviceAccount:<SA_NAME>@<PROJECT_ID>.iam.gserviceaccount.com \  
--role=roles/cloudasset.viewer  
gcloud organizations add-iam-policy-binding <ORG_ID> \  
--member=serviceAccount:<SA_NAME>@<PROJECT_ID>.iam.gserviceaccount.com \  
--role=roles/browser
```

- **Assign the necessary roles to the service account at Project Level:**

```
gcloud projects add-iam-policy-binding <PROJECT_ID> \  
--member=serviceAccount:<SA_NAME>@<PROJECT_ID>.iam.gserviceaccount.com \  
--role=roles/cloudasset.viewer
```

```
gcloud projects add-iam-policy-binding <PROJECT_ID> \
--member=serviceAccount:<SA_NAME>@<PROJECT_ID>.iam.gserviceaccount.com \
--role=roles/browser
```

**Note:** The Cloud Asset Viewer role grants read access to cloud asset metadata. The Browser role grants read access to the project hierarchy.

## 5. Download the credentials JSON (first, replace <KEY\_FILE> with the location where you want to save it):

```
gcloud iam service-accounts keys create <KEY_FILE> \
--iam-account=<SA_NAME>@<PROJECT_ID>.iam.gserviceaccount.com
```

## 6. Provide CyTech the following values:

- Project ID (the project where you want to provision the compute instance that will run CSPM)
- Credentials JSON values

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