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Purpose

Getting Started with Oracle Cloud Subscription introduces you to cloud concepts and describes how you can request a trial subscription or purchase a subscription for an Oracle Cloud service.

Audience

This Guide is primarily for users who are responsible for provisioning and activating Oracle Cloud Subscription, for adding other users who would manage the services, or, who want to develop Oracle Cloud Subscription.

Conventions

The following text conventions are used in this document:

Convention	Meaning
boldface	Boldface type indicates graphical user interface elements associated with an action, or terms defined in text or the glossary.
<i>italic</i>	Italic type indicates book titles, emphasis, or placeholder variables for which you supply particular values.
monospace	Monospace type indicates commands within a paragraph, URLs, code in examples, text that appears on the screen, or text that you enter.

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Screenshot Disclaimer

Not Applicable

Symbols and Icons

Not Applicable

Basic Actions

Not Applicable

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Welcome to Oracle Cloud

Oracle Cloud provides the industry's broadest and most integrated cloud platform. It offers flexible deployment options, from the public cloud to your own data center. Oracle Cloud delivers best-in-class services across Software as a Service (SaaS), Platform as a Service (PaaS), and Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS).

About Oracle Cloud

Oracle Cloud provides a complete set of cloud services to meet enterprise computing needs.

Oracle Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) allows you to quickly provision virtual machines, storage, and networking resources to run a wide range of workloads. Oracle manages, hosts, and supports the infrastructure.

Oracle Platform as a Service (PaaS) provides ready-to-use environments for IT and development teams. Teams use these environments to build and deploy applications with Oracle databases and application servers.

Oracle Software as a Service (SaaS) helps organizations run business operations in the cloud. Oracle offers cloud-based solutions for Human Capital Management (HCM), Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP), Supply Chain Management (SCM), and many other business applications. Oracle manages, hosts, and supports these services.

Supported Web Browsers

Oracle Financial Services Cloud Services support the latest version of Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge and Mozilla Firefox.

Note

For more details, refer Oracle Software Web Browser Support Policy [Oracle Software Web Browser Support Policy](#).

Order Oracle Cloud Applications

You can order Oracle Cloud Applications (Software as a Service) offerings by contacting Oracle Sales. After your order is processed, you can then activate your services.

To order a subscription to Oracle Cloud Applications:

1. Scroll down and select the Cloud Service that you are subscribed to.
2. Review the features and capabilities of the service and read the Datasheet.
3. When you are ready to order, scroll up and click Request a Demo.
4. You can either write an email or click Request Now to receive a call from Sales.
5. Enter your Business email, select the confirmation check box, and click Continue.
6. Provide a description and click Request Now.

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Welcome to Your Cloud Service

To get started, you must activate the subscribed Cloud Service.

After activating the cloud service, you can log in as an administrator and perform the following tasks.

- Create and Activate New Cloud Account
- Access the Cloud Account
- Access Oracle Identity and Access Management (IAM) Console
- Onboard new application users for the subscribed cloud services.

After the administrator successfully adds an application user, they can log in and activate their cloud account and use the subscribed cloud services provisioned by the administrator.

This topic contains the following sub-topics:

- [Select a New or Existing Cloud Account](#)
- [Create and Activate New Cloud Account](#)
- [Add to an Existing Oracle Cloud Account](#)
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2.1 Select a New or Existing Cloud Account

Every administrator in a cloud account (tenancy) can access all subscriptions within that account.

To prevent new administrators from accessing existing subscriptions, create a new Oracle Cloud Account and activate new subscriptions in a separate tenancy.

If you do not require separate access controls, add new subscriptions to an existing Oracle Cloud Account.

2.2 Create and Activate New Cloud Account

After you subscribe to the cloud service, you will receive a Welcome to Oracle Cloud email with details to create and activate your new cloud account.

To create and activate a new cloud account

1. Click **Create New Cloud Account** in the email.

The **New Cloud Account Information** screen displays.

Figure 2-1 New Cloud Account Information

- Specify the following details to sign up.

Table 2-1 New Cloud Account Information

Field	Description
First Name	First name of the person who will be the cloud administrator.
Last Name	Last name of the person who will be the cloud administrator.
Email Address	Email address of the person who will be the cloud administrator. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 10px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Note</p> <p>Instructions to log into the new Oracle Cloud Account will be sent to this email address.</p> </div>
Password	Specify the password to access the new cloud account.

Table 2-1 (Cont.) New Cloud Account Information

Field	Description
Confirm Password	Specify the confirm password. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Note</p> <p>Both Password and Confirm Password must be matched.</p> </div>
Tenancy Name	Specify the tenancy name to be associated with the cloud account. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Note</p> <p>You cannot modify the tenancy name after it is created. Hence, ensure to provide a valid tenancy name, based on your organization's requirements and naming conventions.</p> </div>
Home Region	Select the Home Region, where the account is located. Check the service availability before selecting the home region. For assistance regarding home region selection, contact Oracle support. Existing customers have to ensure that the identity resources are located in the home region. <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Note</p> <p>You can subscribe to additional regions but you cannot modify the home region, after provisioning your tenancy.</p> </div>

3. Click **Create Tenancy** to access the New Cloud Creation Confirmation page.

After successful activation, the cloud account administrator will receive a Get Started Now with Oracle Cloud email.

2.3 Add to an Existing Oracle Cloud Account

If you already have a cloud account associated with your administrator user name, you can add the newly subscribed cloud service to that account.

To add an existing Cloud account:

1. In the welcome email, click **Add** to an existing cloud account.
2. Perform the steps as mentioned in the Access the **Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Identity and Access Management (IAM)** console.

2.4 Access the Cloud Account

An Administrator can access the Cloud Account activated and associated with their email address.

After your new cloud account is created and activated, you will receive a **Get Started Now with Oracle Cloud** email, to the email address provided while creating the account.

To access your Cloud account:

1. In the **Get Started Now with Oracle Cloud** email, click **Sign In**.
2. Specify the Tenancy name and click **Continue**.
3. Specify the **Username** and **Password** to log in to the OCI Console. Use the same Username and the Password that you provided during activation setup.
4. After successful login, proceed with the multi-factor authentication. Select the configured authentication mode and enter the OTP generated using the Oracle Mobile Authenticator application.

Once the MFA is successfully completed, you can access the Environment Page.

2.5 Create Co-Administrator Users

After you log in to the IAM console, the first task is to create additional user accounts.

You should assign specific user groups to the user accounts that you are creating. There are seeded user groups available that represent the services, users must be mapped to one or more of the user groups, depending on the role that they perform.

For example, you can create a user for each member of your team. Each member can then sign into the account with their credentials. You can also assign each user to specific user groups and apply specific security policies or roles to each group.

You can create the users and map the users to groups for your service. After creating the users, they will receive a Welcome email. The users must activate their accounts and enter a new password to access the services.

Note

A co-administrator will have the same privileges as the existing administrator.

To create a co-administrator user in the IAM Console:

1. In the IAM Console, select Domains (Identity domain) to view the list existing domains.
2. Click the required Domain Name, to access the Domain Details page.
3. In the left pane, click Users and select Create user, to proceed with the user creation.
4. Enter the following details:
 - First Name, Last Name and a valid Username and the Email ID

Note

The username should be alphanumeric and cannot exceed 20 characters. You can enter only hyphen (-) and underscore (_) as special characters. Check the Use the email address as the username check box, as you can only set the username as the login ID and currently setting the email address as the login ID is not supported.

5. Select the Administrator Group.

Note

After a user logs in to a specific cloud service, the user to user-group mapping created in the IAM Console will onboard into the master and mapping tables. Later, if you deselect (remove) a user from a group in Assign User to Groups after provisioning, ensure that you also unmap the user from the corresponding user-group in the Admin Console. This is a mandatory step to complete the unmapping process.

6. After entering the required information, click Create to create and add the new user to the User Summary.

You can also batch import several users using a .CSV file.

2.6 Subscribe to a Disaster Recovery Infrastructure Region

In Oracle Cloud Infrastructure (OCI), a Disaster Recovery (DR) region is a secondary, geographically separated region that helps ensure service continuity.

To maintain high availability, you must subscribe to a DR region as part of your disaster recovery strategy.

For information on how to subscribe to a DR Infrastructure region, see [Subscribing to an Infrastructure Region](#).

2.7 Create an Environment

After logging into the Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Console, an Administrator can create one or multiple environments/instances for different user groups.

To create an environment/instance:

1. Log in to Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Console (OCI).

You can view the list of all the environments (instances) provisioned for the one or multiple cloud applications, with the following details:

- **Name:** The cloud application's instance name.
 - **Type:** The instance type.
 - **Life cycle status:** The instance status.
 - **Region:** The region from where the specific instance is active.
 - **Application URL:** The URL to access the instance.
2. From **My Applications**, click the application in which you want to create an environment. Example: Oracle Financial Services Crime and Compliance Management Anti Money Laundering.
 3. On the **Overview** page, click **Environments**.
 4. From the Compartments drop-down list, select the compartment in which you want to create an environment.
 5. Click **Create**, to access the list of cloud services to which the customer has subscribed and the region from where these services are operated.
 6. (Optional) Select the Region to host the OCI environment/instance, from the drop-down list.

If you are not sure about the region, contact My Oracle Support (MoS).

Note

You can select the region only for the first environment/subscription and for the additionally added instances, the region cannot be modified.

7. Enter the following Environment Details, and click Create.

- **Name:** The name of the new environment or instance.

Note

You cannot modify the environment name after the environment is created. Hence, ensure to provide a valid environment name, based on your organization's requirements and naming conventions.

- **Instance type:** Select one of the following instances:
 - **Production:** If the environment is used for Production activities.
 - **Non-production:** If the environment is used for testing and development purposes. For example, a sandbox environment.
- **Admin email:** The administrator email ID used to log in to the Cloud Console. You can also enter a different email ID that needs to be part of the cloud tenancy. For more details, see [Managing Users](#).
- **Admin first name and Admin last name:** The first and last names of the Administrator.

The environment details are added to the Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Classic Console under the Environments tab (LHS menu). It may take a few hours for the status to change to Active. If there are any issues, you can raise a service ticket with My Oracle Support (MoS).

After the environment is set to Active, click the environment name to view Environment details. Click the Service console URL under Environment Information to create users and groups.

2.8 Access Oracle Identity and Access Management

Oracle Cloud Infrastructure Identity and Access Management (IAM) provides identity and access management capabilities, including authentication, single sign-on (SSO), and identity lifecycle management. It supports Oracle Cloud services as well as Oracle and non-Oracle applications, whether they run as SaaS, in the cloud, or on-premises.

Employees, business partners, and customers can securely access applications anytime, from anywhere, and on any device.

IAM integrates with existing identity stores, external identity providers, and applications across cloud and on-premises environments. This integration simplifies user access management.

IAM provides the security platform for Oracle Cloud. It allows users to access, develop, and deploy business applications such as Oracle Human Capital Management (HCM) and Oracle Sales Cloud, as well as platform services such as Oracle Java Cloud Service and Oracle Business Intelligence (BI) Cloud Service.

Administrators and users use IAM to create, manage, and access a cloud-based identity management environment securely and efficiently. They do not need to manage the underlying infrastructure or platform components.

To add users to your Cloud Services, navigate to the Oracle Identity and Access Management (IAM) Console.

To access the IAM Console:

1. Log in to Cloud.Oracle.com, to view all the details pertaining to your cloud order.
Access the service link from the console to start using your subscribed cloud service.
2. Enter the Cloud Account Name and click Next to access the IAM Console.
3. Click Change tenancy option if you want to use a different tenancy.
4. Ensure that the displayed identity domain matches the expected value.

 **Note**

Cloud environments are created under the Default identity domain. If you need to assign your environment to a different identity domain, raise a Service Request.

5. Log in with your Username and Password.

As an Administrator, you can create and manage users with different access rights to the Cloud Service.

For example, the IAM Administrator has superuser privileges for an Oracle Identity and Access Management Domain. This administrator can create users, groups, group memberships, and so on.

2.9 Activate Application User Account

A user provisioned by their administrator can use the specific cloud services they have subscribed to.

When an administrator completes provisioning an application user, the user receives an account activation email from Oracle.

To log in and activate your application user account:

1. Open the email received from Oracle and review the information about your service in the email.
2. Click Activate Your Account. You will be prompted to change your password on the initial log in.
3. Enter your new credentials in the Reset Password window to activate your account. After the password is successfully reset, a Congratulations message is displayed.
4. Access the Application URL shared by the administrator.
5. Enter your credentials to sign in to your account and access the Welcome Page.

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