



Rackspace Service Blocks: Cost Governance for AWS

Gain unmatched insight into your allocated resources, costs and billing to maximize the cost-effectiveness of the public cloud.

Cost control and pay-as-you-go are among the cloud's greatest benefits. But optimally allocating resources can be a challenge. Rackspace® Cost Governance for AWS recommendations give you more insight into your public cloud costs and maximize your cloud expenditures with inventory reviews, remediation, detailed billing reports, cost tagging, budget threshold status reports and enhanced cost optimization.

Experts Dedicated to Your Success

Rackspace is a next-generation cloud services provider managing the full cloud lifecycle. Cost Governance Services for AWS help you better manage your AWS expenses. Cost management activities and proactive cost optimization recommendations provided by experienced professionals with deep AWS knowledge provide critical insight into your public cloud usage, helping you better understand and control your AWS costs.

Key Features

Rackspace offers a range of robust features to support Cost Governance for AWS including these:

Cost Specialist: An AWS expert will provide you with ongoing cost management assistance for your AWS accounts.

Cost Tagging: Rackspace will help you define a tagging standard for your AWS environment and manage tagging enforcement, so that you can attribute costs to different business units to drive efficient usage behavior. Automation reviews your environment daily and applies tags to untagged resources based on your standards. Each week you receive a report of outstanding untagged resources.

Budgets and Alerts: Establish budgets per AWS account, service or cost center tagged with alerts when costs deviate or your budget is exceeded.

Spend Reporting: Weekly, detailed reporting of monthly spend-to-date per AWS account, service and cost center with a comparison to set budgets for each, and previous month spend.

Reserved Instance Management: Ensure reserved instances are properly used with conversion and new purchase recommendations with monthly reporting.

Enhanced Cost Optimization: Good cost governance enables and enhances more effective cost optimization recommendations. Idle, unused, misaligned and out-of-date resources on your account are identified and remediated along with instance scheduling capabilities and storage lifecycle policy recommendations on a monthly basis.

About Rackspace

Rackspace is your trusted partner across cloud, applications, security, data and infrastructure.

- A leader in the 2018 Gartner Magic Quadrant for Public Cloud Infrastructure Managed Service Providers, Worldwide
- 3,000+ cloud experts
- Hosting provider for more than half of the Fortune 100
- 20+ years of hosting experience
- Customers in 150+ countries
- Data centers on five continents
- 1,000+ AWS technical certificates worldwide
- AWS Migration Competency
- AWS DevOps Competency
- AWS Oracle Competency
- AWS Storage Competency
- AWS Microsoft Workloads Competency
- AWS Marketing and Commerce Competency
- Premier Consulting Partner in the AWS Partner Network
- AWS Migration Acceleration Program (MAP) Partner
- Audited Managed Service Partner
- AWS Reseller



Fanatical Experience™

Experts on your side, doing what it takes to get the job done right. From first consultation to daily operations, Rackspace combines the power of always-on service with best-in-class tools and automation to deliver technology when and how you need it.

Services Delivered Your Way

Every business faces its own unique challenges. Rackspace services are designed to be flexible and specialized cloud solutions are designed to solve your constantly evolving needs — regardless of where you are in your cloud journey. These additional Managed Public Cloud Services can help you meet your business needs:

Cloud Foundation: Easily manage your accounts and user permissions in a consolidated control panel. Extend AWS support with 24x7x365 ticketed access to Rackspace cloud experts.

Managed Tooling: Industry-leading tooling that provides automated analysis, reporting and recommendations for improved cost, reliability, redundancy and security of your public cloud infrastructure.

Architect and Deploy: Certified cloud architects design, build and deploy your cloud infrastructure to meet your specific requirements, leveraging cloud architecture best practices for optimal performance and reliability.

Manage and Operate: Around-the-clock operational support from an army of certified cloud specialists, and enhanced tooling and automation, reduce the burden of managing, monitoring and operating your public cloud infrastructure.

Complex Cloud Operations: Get access to advanced technical resources, including solutions architects, lead engineers, container and Kubernetes experts, and DevOps experts to optimize public cloud operations and architectural infrastructure.

Take the Next Step

Let's talk about how Rackspace AWS expertise helps you achieve your goals.

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