

CLI Quick Start Guide

Run your Aegis audit in six steps. Takes under ten minutes.

BEFORE YOU START

Have these two things ready before step 4:

AWS Access Key ID	Looks like: AKIAIOSFODNN7EXAMPLE
AWS Secret Access Key	Looks like: wJalrXUtnFEMI/K7MDENG/bPxrFiCYEXAMPLEKEY

You can find these in AWS Console > IAM > Users > your read-only user > Security Credentials > Create Access Key.

THE SIX STEPS

01 Check Python is installed

Open your terminal and run:

```
python3 --version
```

You need Python 3.7 or higher. If not installed, download from python.org.

02 Install the AWS library

Run:

```
pip install boto3
```

This is the only dependency. Takes about 30 seconds.

03 Download the Aegis script

Get `aegis_audit_v13.py` from:

```
aegisaudit.cloud or github.com/AegisAuditGuild/aegis-audit
```

Save it anywhere on your machine — your Downloads folder is fine.

04 Configure your AWS credentials

Run:

```
aws configure
```

Paste your Access Key ID and Secret Access Key when prompted. Set region to `eu-west-2` (or your primary region). Leave output format blank.

05 Run the audit

Navigate to where you saved the script, then run:

```
python3 aegis_audit_v13.py
```

It will scan all 17 AWS regions across 14 checks. Takes 2-5 minutes. A summary file is saved automatically.

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Send us your summary

Email the output file to:

```
Jason@aegisaudit.cloud
```

The file is named aegis-free-summary-[account]-[date].txt. It contains no credentials — only resource counts and cost estimates. We will respond within one business day.

AFTER THE SCAN

No waste found	We confirm your account is clean. No fee. No further action required.
Waste found	We send you a summary of total waste by category and your exact Aegis fee (capped at £250).
Agree the fee	We unlock the full report — exact resource IDs, regions, costs, and step-by-step remediation. Delivered within one
Verification	Included in your fee. We re-run the same 14 checks two weeks later to confirm clearance.
Badge of Honour	Issued on confirmed clearance. Valid 6 months. Shows your infrastructure is clean.

SECURITY

Read-only IAM only	The script uses describe permissions only. It cannot create, modify, or delete anything in your account.
Credentials stay local	Your AWS keys never leave your machine. The script runs entirely on your own hardware.
Revoke access anytime	Go to IAM > Users > delete the read-only user. Zero Aegis access remains instantly.
Open source	Audit the code before you run it: github.com/AegisAuditGuild/aegis-audit

THE AEGIS VOW: 80% of every fee goes directly to Mossy Earth verified rewilding. Split enforced automatically via Stripe Connect.

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