

SECRETS MANAGER > YOUR SECRETS

Projects

A series of light gray, wavy, horizontal lines that create a sense of motion and depth, filling the lower half of the page.

View in the help center:

<https://bitwarden.com/help/projects/>

Projects

Projects are collections of [secrets](#) logically grouped together for management access by your DevOps and cybersecurity teams. Projects that your user account has access to are listed in the primary Secrets Manager view as well as by selecting **Projects** from the navigation:

Secrets Manager

My Organization

My Organization

Projects3

Secrets5

Machine accounts2

Integrations

Trash

Settings

Projects

Search projects

New

AllNameLast edited

Blue Book

e137e908-1ed4-40ed-9356-b23b010d46ee

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Orion

f8b02375-aa51-42cb-bfbf-b23b010d5168

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Stargate

bde574f7-bf02-410c-8463-b23b010d5832

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Projects

Opening a project will list the **Secrets**, **People**, and **Machine accounts** associated with it:

Secrets Manager

My Organization

My Organization

Projects3

Secrets5

Machine accounts2

Integrations

Trash

Settings

Projects

Blue Book

New

Edit project

Secrets2

People1

Machine accounts1

New secret

AllNameProjectLast edited

DB Connection String

3c5c82ef-952a-4ce9-8ea6-b23b010d9725

Blue Book

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PKI Certificate

c7c93bc1-470c-4643-96fb-b23b010dd248

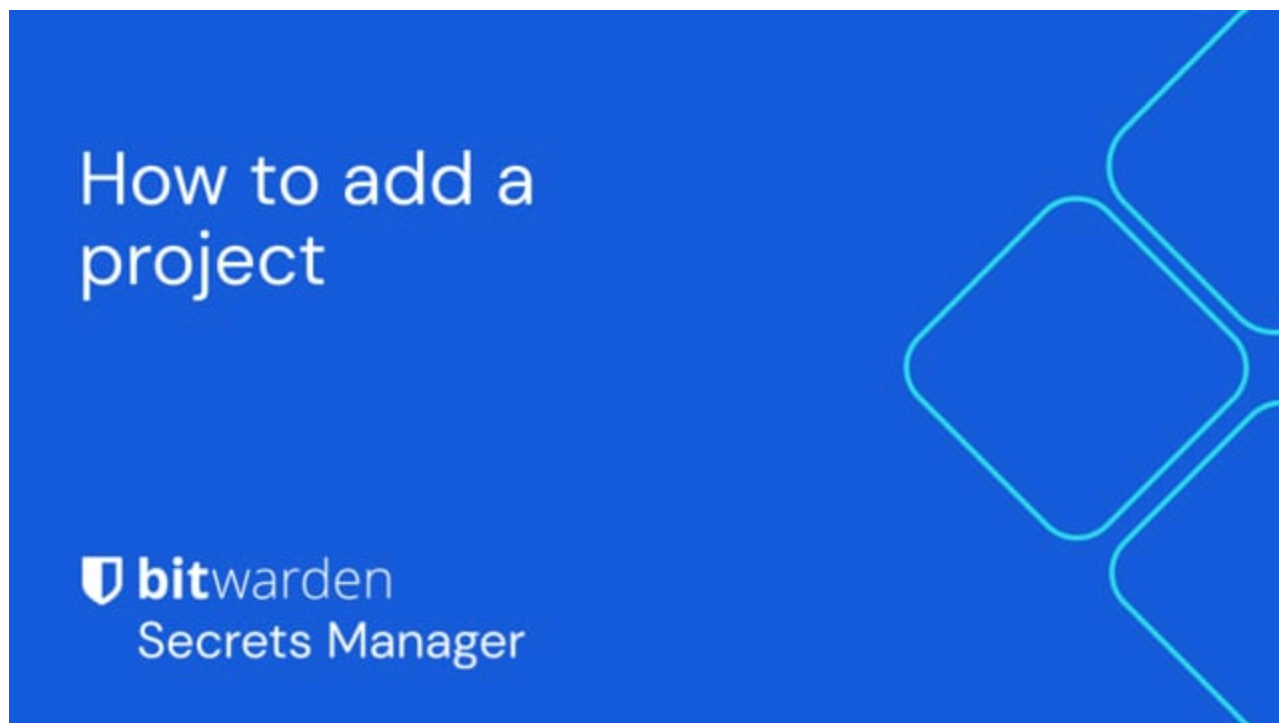
Blue Book

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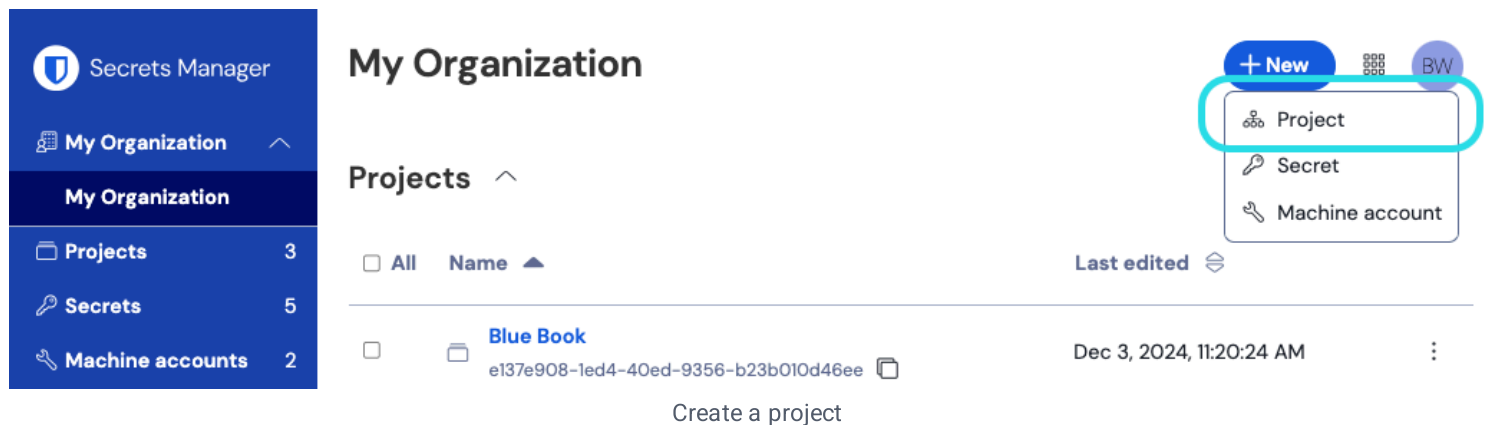
Inside a project

Create a project

To create a new project:



1. Use the **New** dropdown to select **Project**:



The screenshot shows the Bitwarden web interface. On the left is a sidebar with 'Secrets Manager' and 'My Organization' sections. The main area is titled 'My Organization' and contains a 'Projects' section. A '+ New' button is highlighted with a red circle, and its dropdown menu is open, showing 'Project', 'Secret', and 'Machine account' options. Below the dropdown, a table lists projects, with one project named 'Blue Book' visible. The table has columns for 'All', 'Name', and 'Last edited'.

2. Enter a **Project name**. You can change the project's name at any time using the (:) options menu on the Projects page.

3. Select the **Save** button.

Add secrets to a project

You can add both new and existing [secrets](#) to your project:

⇒Add existing secrets

To add existing secrets to your project:

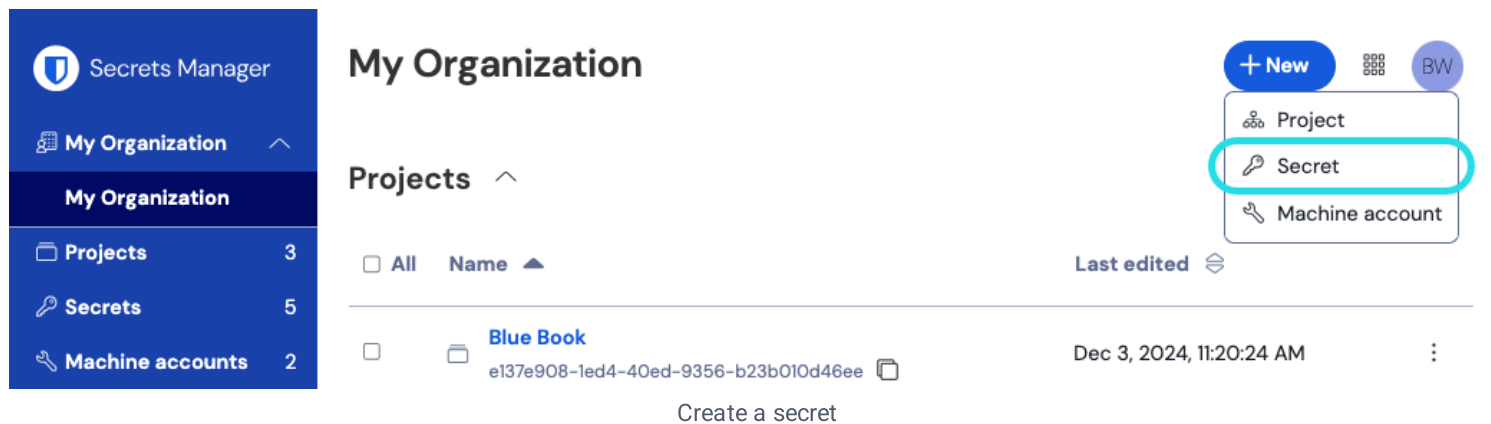
1. Navigate to the **Secrets** view and select the secret to add.

2. In the Edit Secret window, in the **Project** section, type or select the project to associate the secret with. Each secret can only be associated with a single project at a time.
3. When you're finished, select the **Save** button.

⇒Add new secrets

To create new secrets for your project:

1. Use the **New** dropdown to select **Secret**:



2. On the New Secret window's Name/Value pair tab, enter a **Name** and **Value**. Adding **Notes** is optional.
3. In the **Project** section, type or select the project to associate the secret with. A few key points.
 - Only organization members with access to the project will be able to see or manipulate this secret.
 - Only [machine accounts](#) with access to the project will be able to create a pathway for injecting or editing this secret.
 - Each secret can only be associated with a single project at a time.
4. When you're finished, select the **Save** button.

Add people to a project

Adding organization members to your project will allow those people to interact with the project's secrets. To add people to your project:

1. In the project, select the **People** tab.
2. From the People dropdown, type or select the members or [groups](#) to add to the project. Once you've selected the right people, select the **Add** button:

Add people to a project

3. Once members or groups are added to the project, set a level of **Permissions** for those members or groups. Members and groups can have one of the following levels of permission:

- **Can read:** Members/groups will be able to view existing secrets in this project.
- **Can read, write:** Members/groups will be able to view existing secrets and create new secrets in this project.

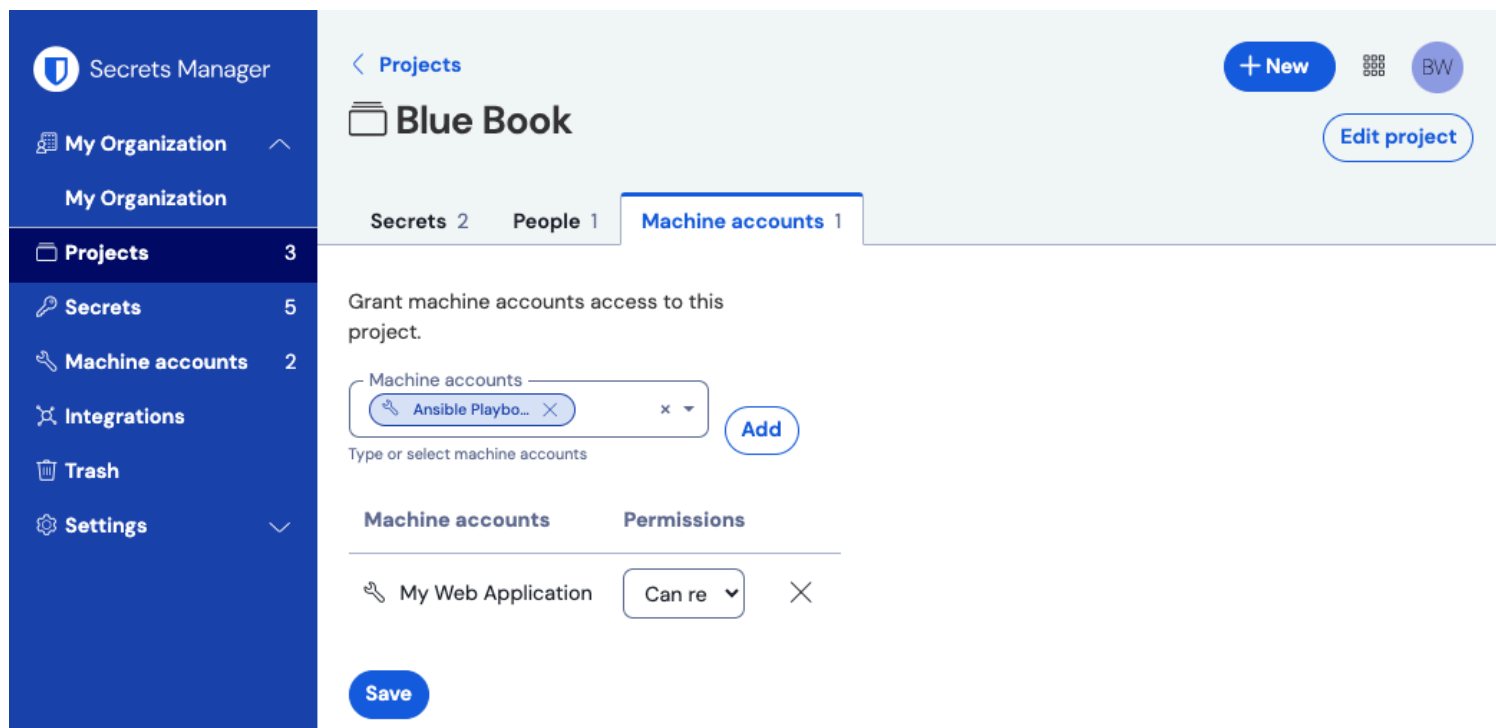
Add machine accounts to a project

You can add both new and existing [machine accounts](#) to the project:

⇒Add existing machine accounts

To add existing machine accounts to your project:

1. In the project, select the **Machine accounts** tab.
2. From the Machine accounts dropdown, type or select the machine account(s) to add to the project. Once you've selected the right machine accounts, select the **Add** button:



Add a machine account

3. For each added project, select a level of **Permissions**:

- **Can read**: Machine account can retrieve secrets from assigned projects.
- **Can read, write**: Machine account can retrieve and edit secrets from assigned projects, create new secrets in assigned projects, or create new projects altogether.

💡 Tip

Fully utilizing write access for machine accounts is dependent on a forthcoming [CLI](#) release. For now, this simply makes the option available in the UI. Stay tuned to the [Release Notes](#) for more information.

⇒Add new machine accounts

To add a machine account for this project:

1. Use the **New** dropdown to select **Machine account**:

My Organization

Projects

+ New **BW**

- Project
- Secret
- Machine account**

All **Name** **Last edited**

Project	Secrets	Machine accounts
Blue Book	5	2

Blue Book
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New machine account

2. Enter a **Machine account name** and select **Save**.

3. Open the machine account and, in the **Projects** tab, type or select the name of the project(s) that this service account should be able to access. For each added project, select a level of **Permissions**:

- **Can read:** Machine account can retrieve secrets from assigned projects.
- **Can read, write:** Machine account can retrieve and edit secrets from assigned projects, as well as create new secrets in assigned projects or create new projects.



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Delete a project

To delete a project, use the (**:**) options menu for the project to delete to select **Delete project**. Deleting a project **will not** delete the secrets associated with it. Projects are fully removed once deleted and **do not** get [sent to the trash like secrets do](#).