Snyk >- Snyk CLI Cheat Sheet

Installation

\$ npm install -g snyk

Once installed, you need to authenticate with your Snyk account:

(will take you to a browser) \$ snyk auth

(for local testing) \$ snyk auth [api-token]

For CI testing we recommend creating an environment variable called SNYK_TOKEN that is set to your auth token, and running snyk auth

CLI commands

All the following CLI commands must be run in the project folder:

\$ snyk test	To test your project for known vulnerabilities		
\$ snyk wizard	Runs snyk test with an interactive wizard for fixing issues locally		
<pre>\$ snyk monitor</pre>	Tests against known dependencies, uploads to snyk UI, snapshots current dependencies (manifests only), enables continuous monitoring		
<pre>\$ snyk ignore</pre>	Ignore a vulnerability for a certain period of time		
<pre>snyk ignoreid=npm:tough-cookie:20160722expiry=2019-04-30reason='Not currently exploitable'</pre>			

Applies the patches specified in your . snyk file to the \$ snyk protect local file system

Displays your snyk policy file \$ snyk policy

Docker

\$ snyk test --docker myapp:mytag Test the image for vulnerabilities and receive remediation advice per vulnerability

\$ snyk test --docker myapp:mytag --file=path/to/Dockerfile Test the image for vulnerabilities and receive remediation advice per vulnerability and as alternative base images for your Dockerfile

\$ snyk monitor --docker ubuntu:latest Create a snapshot of the image's dependencies for continuous monitoring

Common Snyk CLI options

\$ snyk [cmd] --org=my-team Associate a test, a snapshot or a wizard snapshot with a specific organization

\$ snyk [cmd] --file=package.json If you have multiple manifest files, you can specify a manifest file using --file

\$ snyk [cmd] --file=req.txt --package-manager=pip Custom named manifests require you specify the package manager and the manifest file

\$ snyk [cmd] --dev Dev dependencies are disabled by default. To enable them, use --dev

\$ snyk test https://github.com/snyk/goof Test a public GitHub repo

\$ snyk test lodash (latest) \$ snyk test ionic@1.6.5 Test a public npm package

\$ snyk test -- -Dpkg_version=1.4 Test maven/gradle with properties

\$ snyk monitor --project-name=myapp Overriding a project name

\$ snyk test --json Get JSON output from snyk test commands

\$ snyk test --json | jq '. | (.vulnerabilities[] | select(.CVSSv3 | contains("AV:N")))'

Use the jq JSON processor to filter the JSON output for just those vulnerabilities that have a CVSSv3 network attack vector

Also, check out our Snyk JSON to HTML mapper

--ignore-policy Ignores and resets the state of your policy file

--trust-policies

Applies and uses ignore rules from your dependencies' Snyk policies; otherwise ignore policies are only shown as a suggestion



--show-vulnerable-paths Display the dependency paths from the top level dependencies down to the vulnerable packages (defaults to true). Applicable to snyk test

--dry-run Don't apply updates or patches during protect

Advanced CLI usage

\$ snyk config clear Flush out the API key

Point to the gradle.build.kts file if using a Gradle script with Kotlin DSL. Also, pass a Gradle configuration file

\$ snyk test --file=build.gradle.kts --package-manager=gradle -- -- configuration < configuration>

Troubleshooting

Running out of tests on an OS project?

- 1 Run snyk monitor
- On the Snyk UI go to the settings of the project
- Enter the URL to your OS repo in the "Git remote URI" field

Failing to install Snyk CLI?

This might be a permissions issue, try installing with sudo

Can't find the snyk command after install?

Change the permissions of the snyk file using chmod -R +x ./snyk

Remediation commands not working on your project?

Check the docs to see the latest supported languages

Unexpected test results?

For the most accurate test results, download project dependencies before running snyk test, for example:

\$ npm	ins	stall
\$ mvn	ins	stall
\$ dotr	net	restor
\$ dep	ens	sure