

Getting Information About DirectLink Locations

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You can get information about available DirectLink locations. You can then request a connection between one of these locations and your own network.

If you exceed the number of identical requests allowed for a configured time period, the `ThrottlingError` message is returned.

This procedure uses AWS CLI only. Information about these resources is also available from Cockpit. For more information, see [DirectLink User Interface](#).

- To get information about DirectLink locations, use the **describe-locations** command following this syntax:

Request sample

```
$ aws directconnect describe-locations \  
  --profile YOUR_PROFILE \  
  --endpoint https://directlink.eu-west-2.outscale.com
```

This command contains the following attributes that you need to specify:

- (optional) `profile`: The named profile you want to use, created when configuring AWS CLI. For more information, see [Installing and Configuring AWS CLI](#).
- `endpoint`: The endpoint corresponding to the Region you want to send the request to.

The **describe-locations** command returns the following elements:

- `locations`: Information about one or more locations. This element contains the following information for each location:
 - `locationName`: The name of the location, indicating its physical site.
 - `locationCode`: The code of the location, needed to request a connection.

Result sample

```
{  
  "locations": [  
    {  
      "locationName": "Telehouse 3 D02",  
      "locationCode": "PAR1"  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

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