CCS Policies

These page offers information about **CCS Policies for obtaining User accounts, creating Projects, and requesting access to Resources** on UK's computational research infrastructure.

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### Frequently asked questions (FAQ)

Resources are given to PIs on Projects. Some resources (startup) resources are given automatically, other resources (meritorious) require a proposal requesting resources, other resources are purchased by the PI via buy-in to the condo. For additional details, see [Resource Allocations].

Scheduling of jobs depends on the priority of the allocation used to run the jobs. For example, Allocations given to Condo Users have the highest priority. Allocations for Meritorious research and approved classes have the next highest, while open access allocations available to everyone have the lowest priority. See [Scheduling Policies] for additional information.

Guard Rails are limits placed on compute time and storage that prevent any User or Project from unintentionally (or intentionally) using an excessive amount of a resource. See Guard Rails constraints for additional information.

### Recently Updated

- **Constraints on Allocations**
  - Nov 29, 2021 • updated by ccsadmin • view change

- **Startup Allocations**
  - Mar 17, 2021 • updated by ccsadmin • view change

- **SLURM Queues**
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