PuTTY Tools

Download all PuTTY binaries from:

https://www.chiark.greenend.org.uk/~sgtat ham/putty/latest.html

Background

Details on Using public keys for SSH authentication can be found at:

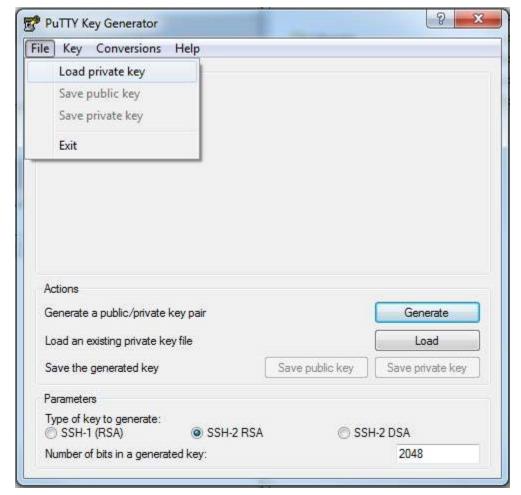
https://www.chiark.greenend.org.uk/~sgtatham/putty/docs.html

Protecting the private key

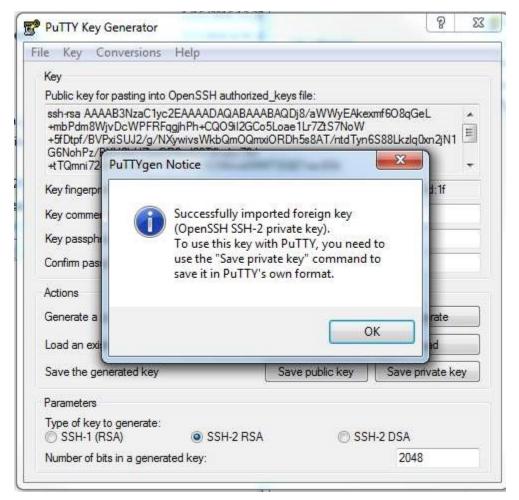
• Unzip the putty.zip file and run the PUTTYGEN program



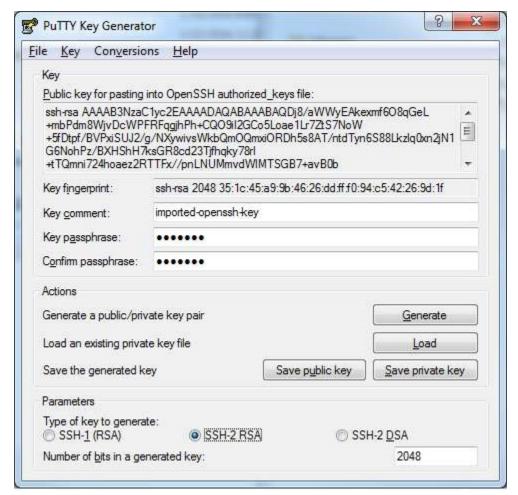
• Click on File->Load private key



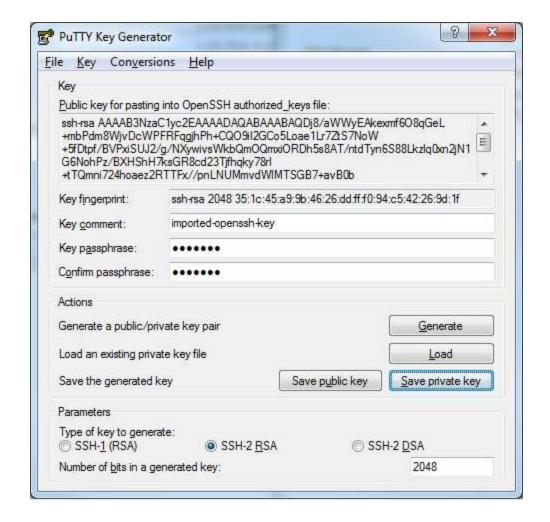
• Click OK button to acknowledge the successful notice



• Enter a key passphrase and confirm it



• Click Save private key



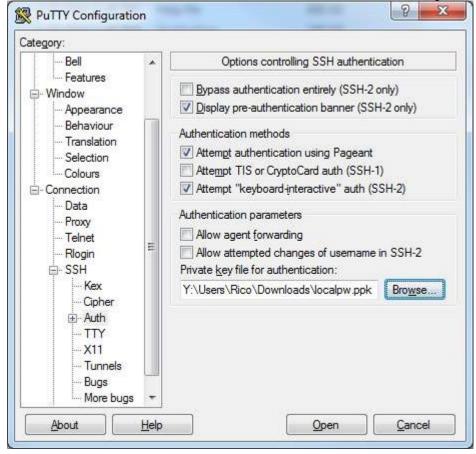
Note that the protected private key file (.ppk) just created is needed by PuTTY.

Setting up PuTTY with the protected private key file

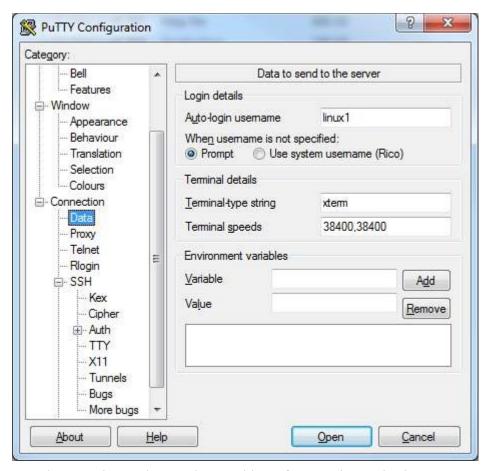
• Start PuTTY



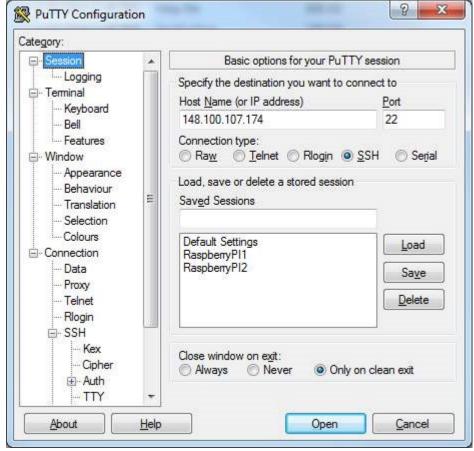
• Select Connection->SSH->Auth and Click Browse to select the protected private key file (.ppk)



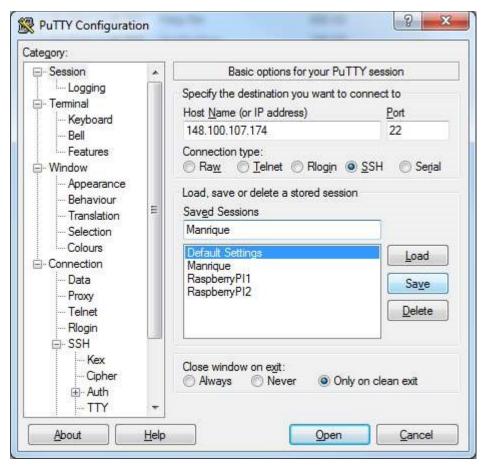
• Select Connection->Data and enter linux1 in the Auto-login username textbox



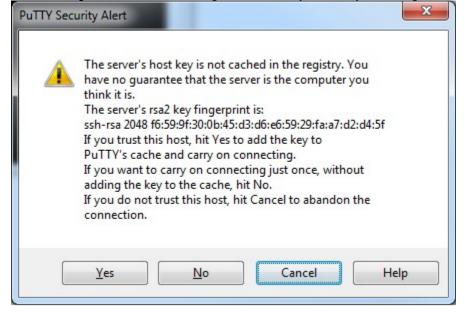
• Select Session and enter the IP address for your image in the Host Name textbox



• Save the session configuration using the name of your image



• Click Open and akcknowledge the Security Alert by clicking Yes



• Enter the passphrase for the protected private key

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Using username "linux1".
Authenticating with public key "imported-openssh-key"
Passphrase for key "imported-openssh-key":
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Welcome to bash!

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Using username "linux1".

Authenticating with public key "imported-openssh-key"
Passphrase for key "imported-openssh-key":
Last failed login: Wed Jan 20 22:17:57 EST 2016 from 67.84.171.39 on ssh:notty
There was 1 failed login attempt since the last successful login.
Last login: Wed Jan 20 20:56:49 2016 from 198.242.211.102
[linux1@manrique ~]$
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