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VSFTPD: Force Upload Only No Downloads

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Question: How do I configure my VSFTPD ftp server to upload files but disable all file download requests under Debian Linux?

Answer: You can easily configure vsftpd to disallow all download requests. You



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VSFTPD ftp server download_enable option

If set to NO, all download requests will give permission denied.

Configure vsftpd to disallow all download requests

Open vsftpd.conf file:

```
# vi /etc/vsftpd.conf
```

Set download_enable to NO:

```
download_enable=NO
```

Save and close the file. Restart vsftpd ftp server:

```
# /etc/init.d/vsftpd restart
```

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