

Exercise 36.4 Using the firewall GUI

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Each distribution has its own graphical interface for firewall administration. On **Red Hat**-based systems you can run **firewall-config**, on **Ubuntu** it is called **gufw**, and on **openSUSE** you can find it as part of **yast** on the graphical menu system.

We have concentrated on the command line approach simply because we want to be distribution-flexible. However, for most relatively simple firewall configuration tasks, you can probably do them efficiently with less memorization from the GUI.

Once you launch the firewall configuration GUI, do the previous exercise of adding **http** and **https** to the **public** zone, and verify that it has taken effect.

Make sure you take the time to understand the graphical interface.

