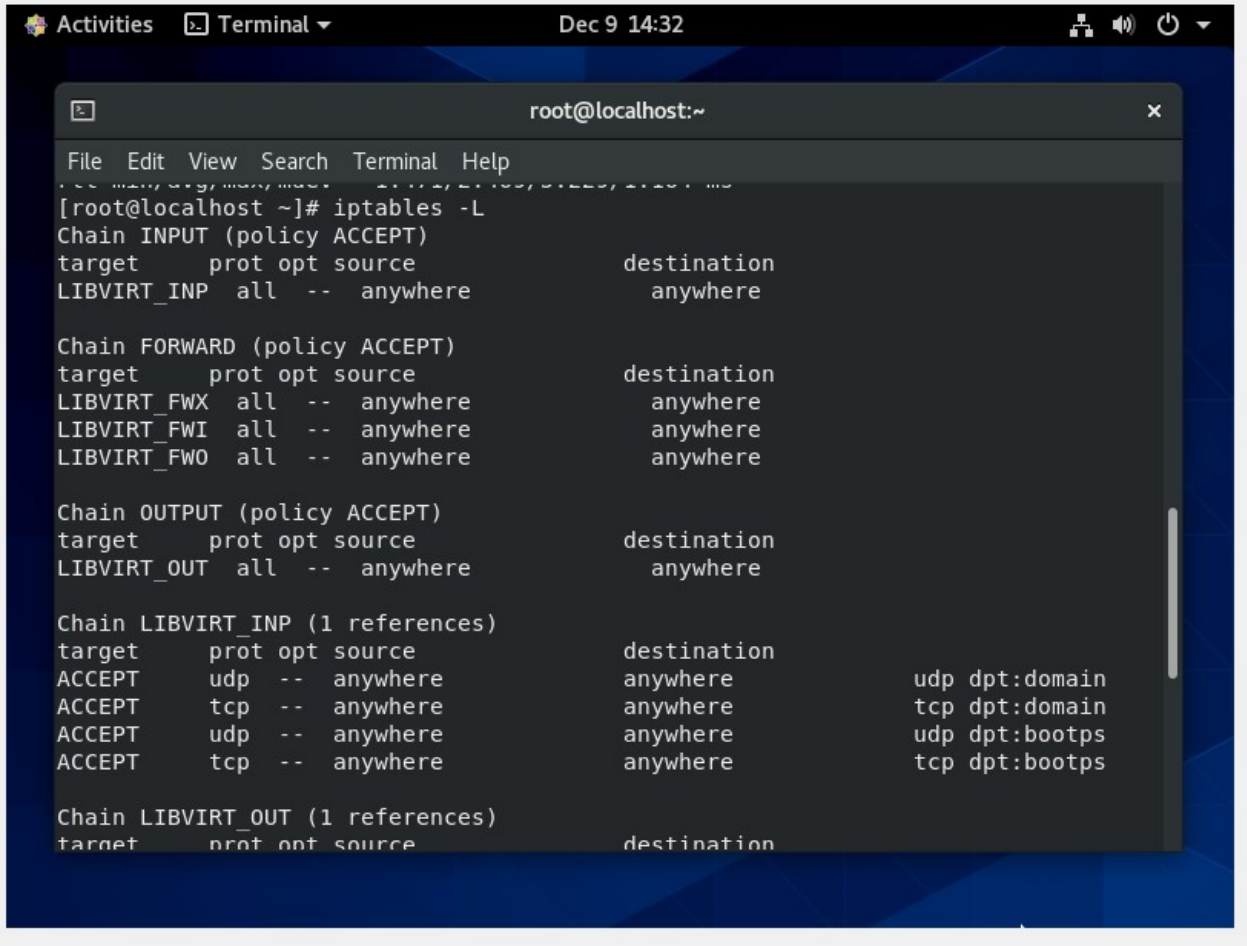
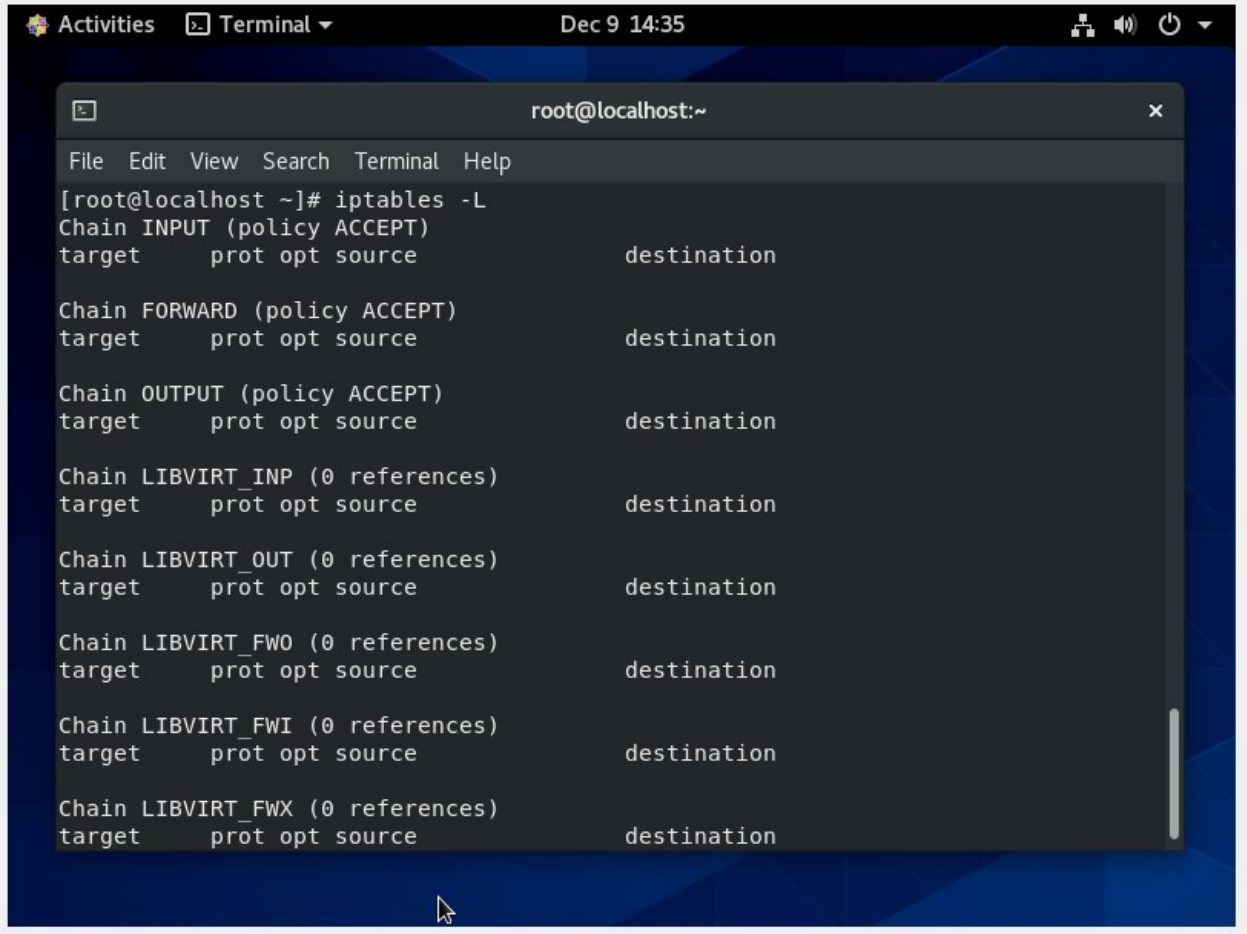
Assignment 2 : Firewall configuration using IPTABLES

Step 1:List the existing firewall rules and default policy in each chain




Activities
Terminal
Dec 9 14:35
root@localhost:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_INP (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_OUT (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
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target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_FWX (0 references)
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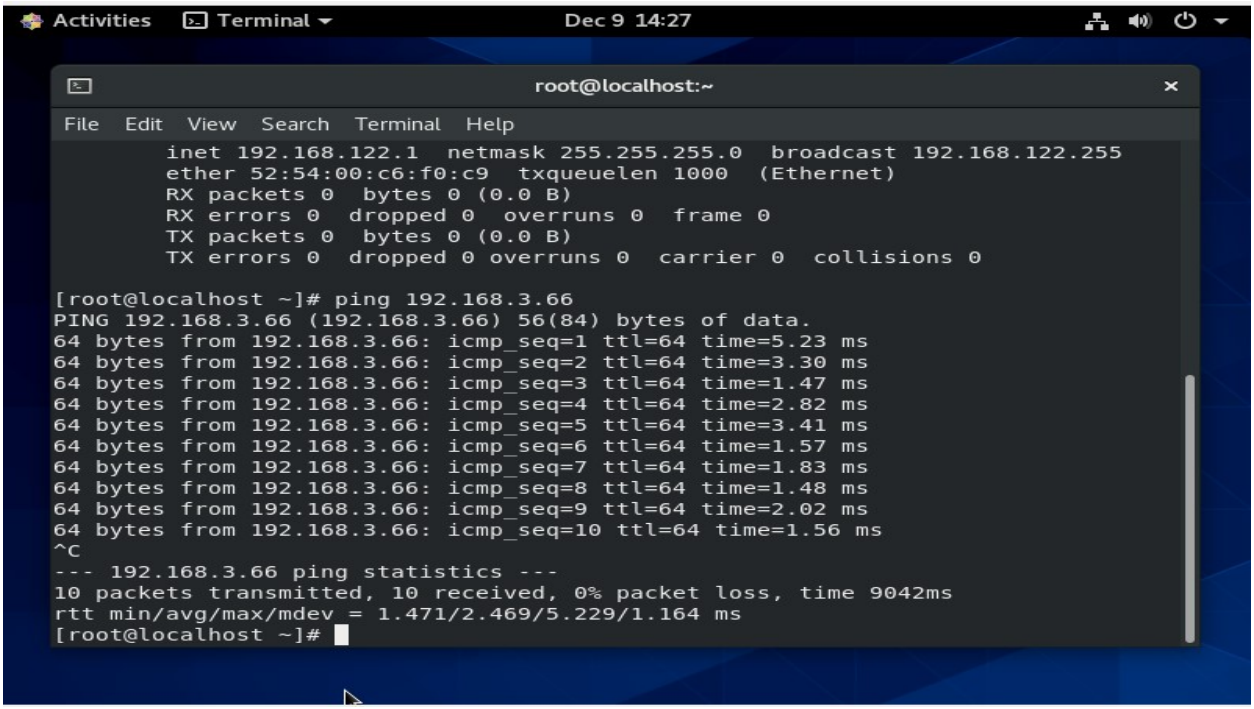
Activities
Terminal
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root@localhost:~
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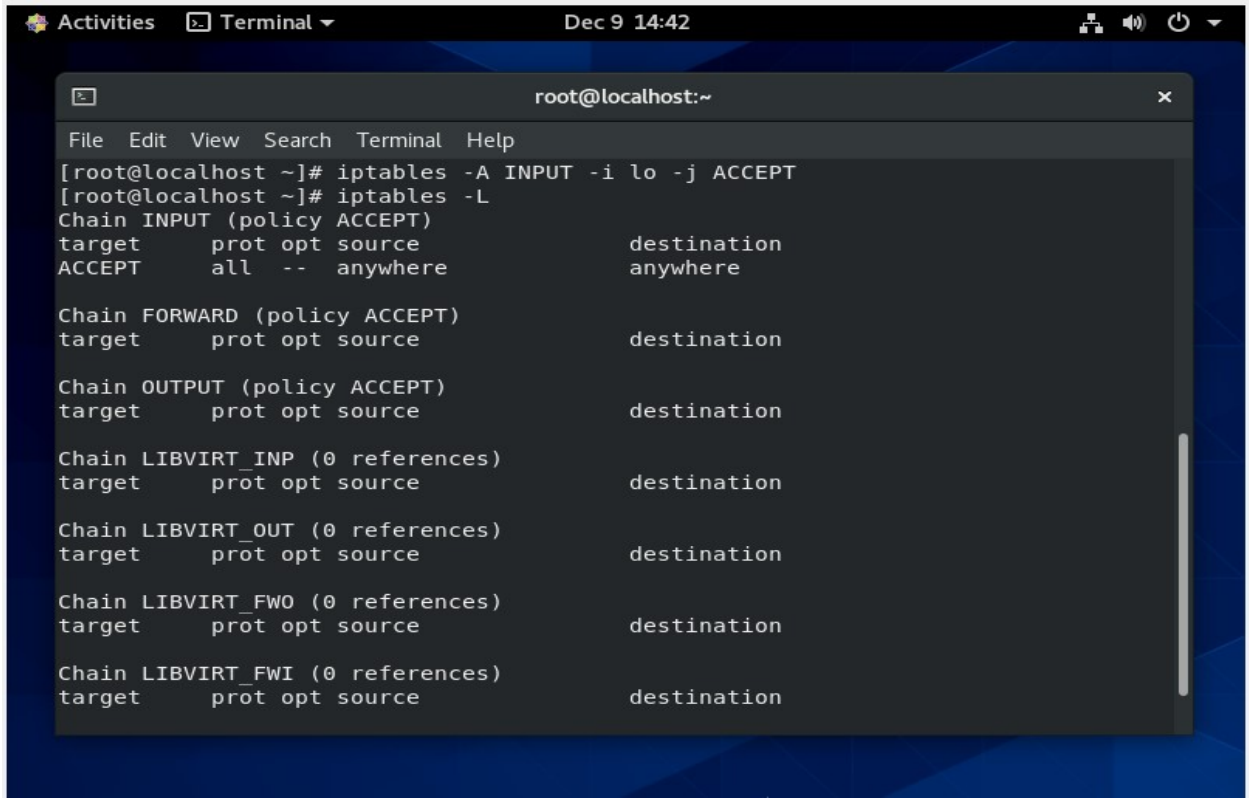
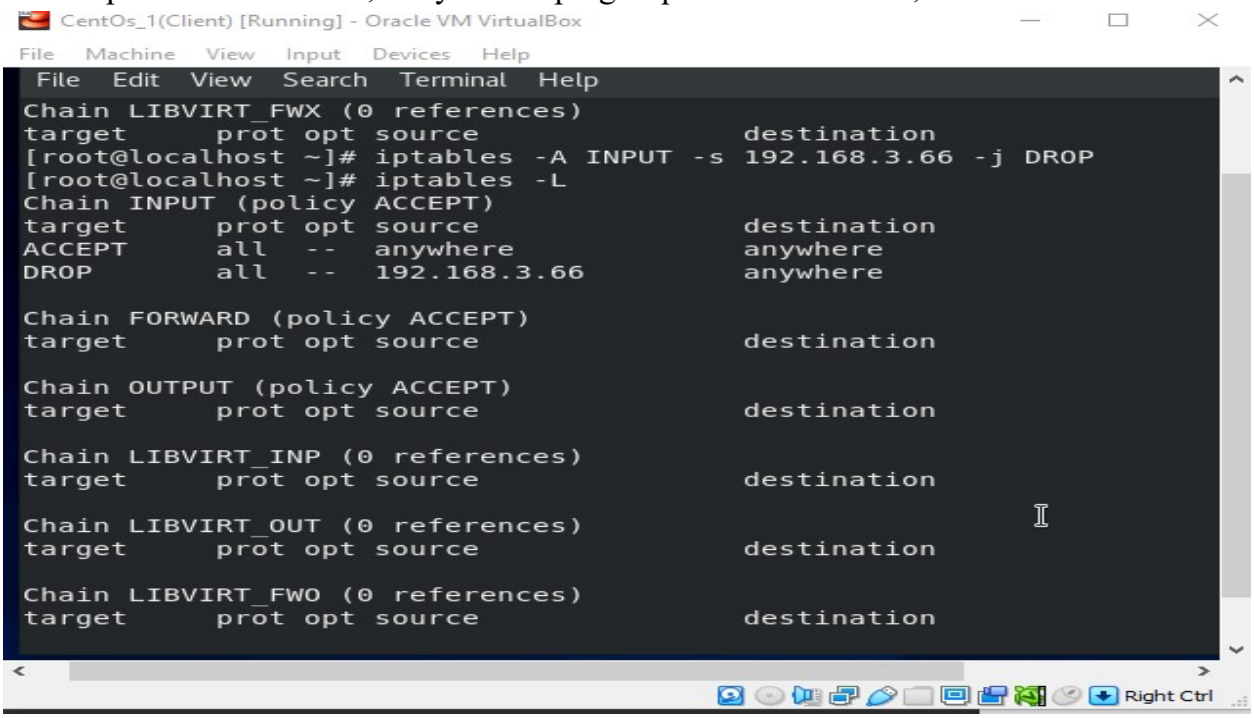
inet 192.168.122.1 netmask 255.255.255.0 broadcast 192.168.122.255
ether 52:54:00:c6:f0:c9 txqueuelen 1000 (Ethernet)
RX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)
RX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 frame 0
TX packets 0 bytes 0 (0.0 B)
TX errors 0 dropped 0 overruns 0 carrier 0 collisions 0
[root@localhost ~]# ping 192.168.3.66
PING 192.168.3.66 (192.168.3.66) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=5.23 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=3.30 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=1.47 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=4 ttl=64 time=2.82 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=3.41 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=1.57 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=1.83 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=1.48 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=9 ttl=64 time=2.02 ms
64 bytes from 192.168.3.66: icmp_seq=10 ttl=64 time=1.56 ms
^C
--- 192.168.3.66 ping statistics ---
10 packets transmitted, 10 received, 0% packet loss, time 9042ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 1.471/2.469/5.229/1.164 ms
[root@localhost ~]#

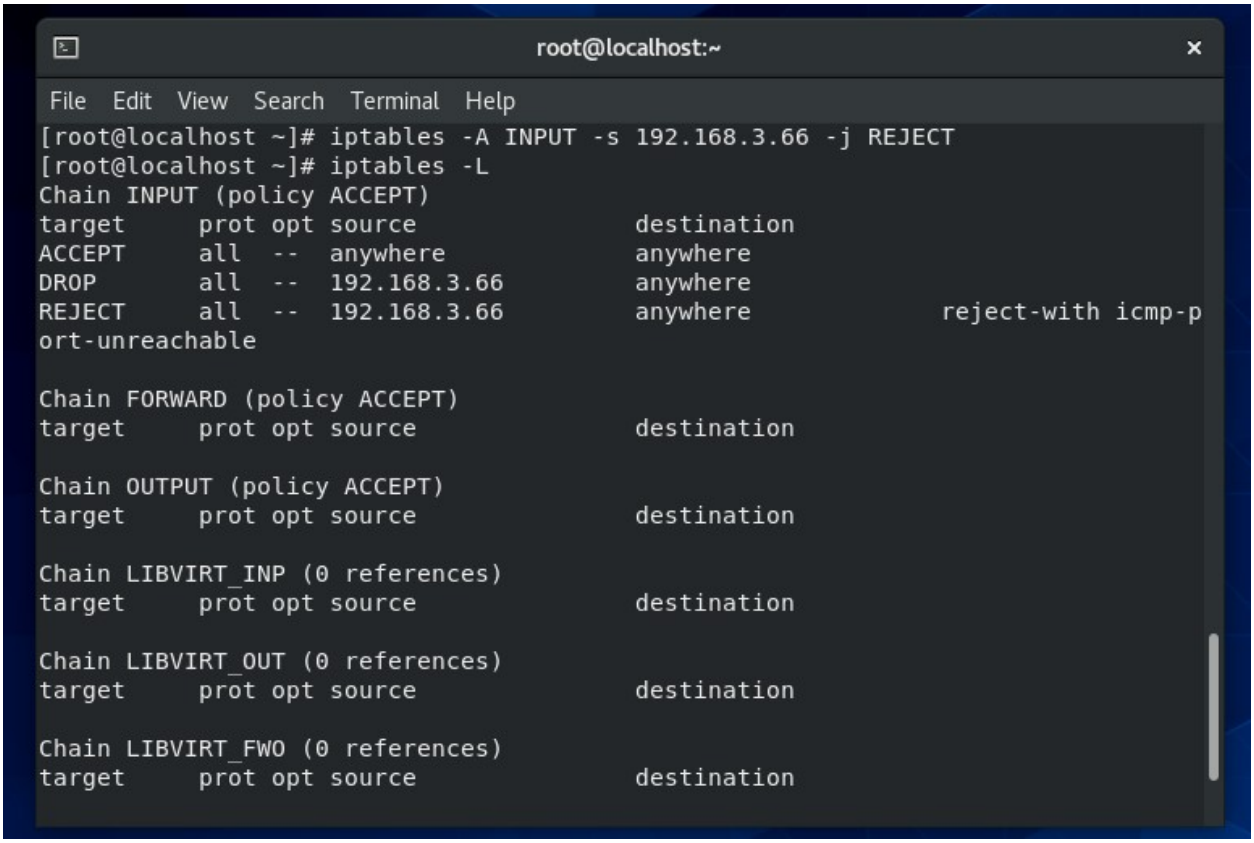
2. Set the default INPUT policy ACCEPT



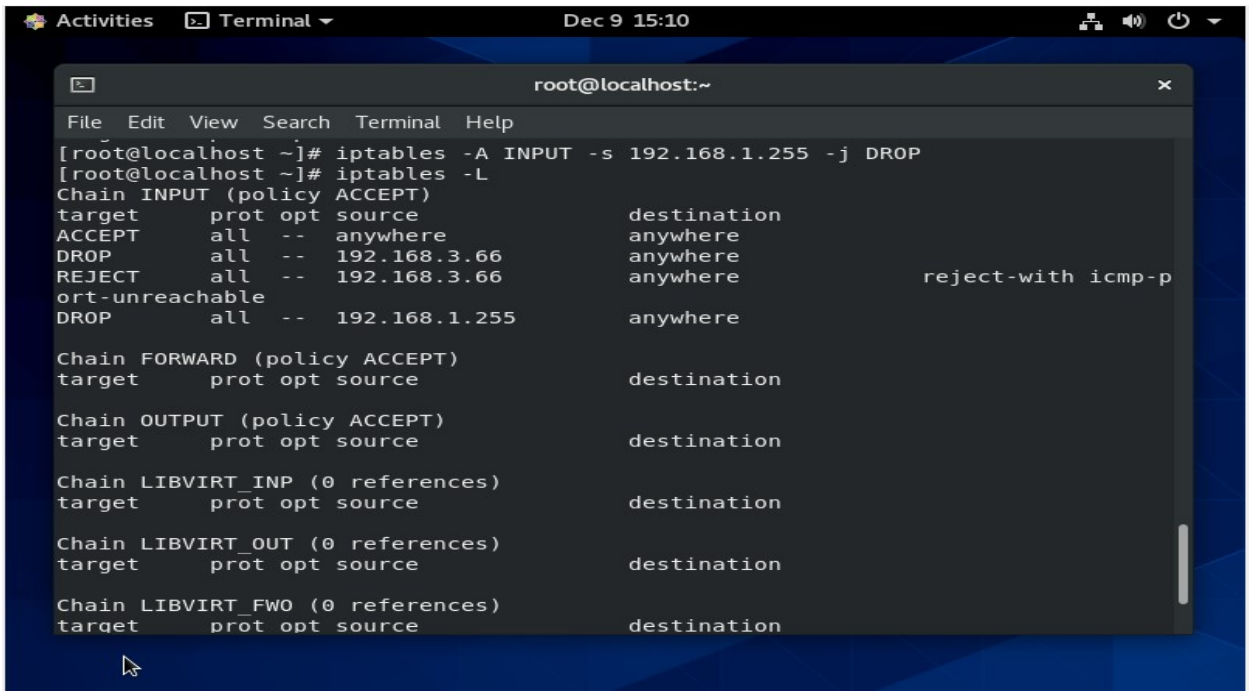
3. Except the machine2 IP, deny all the ping request to machine 1,



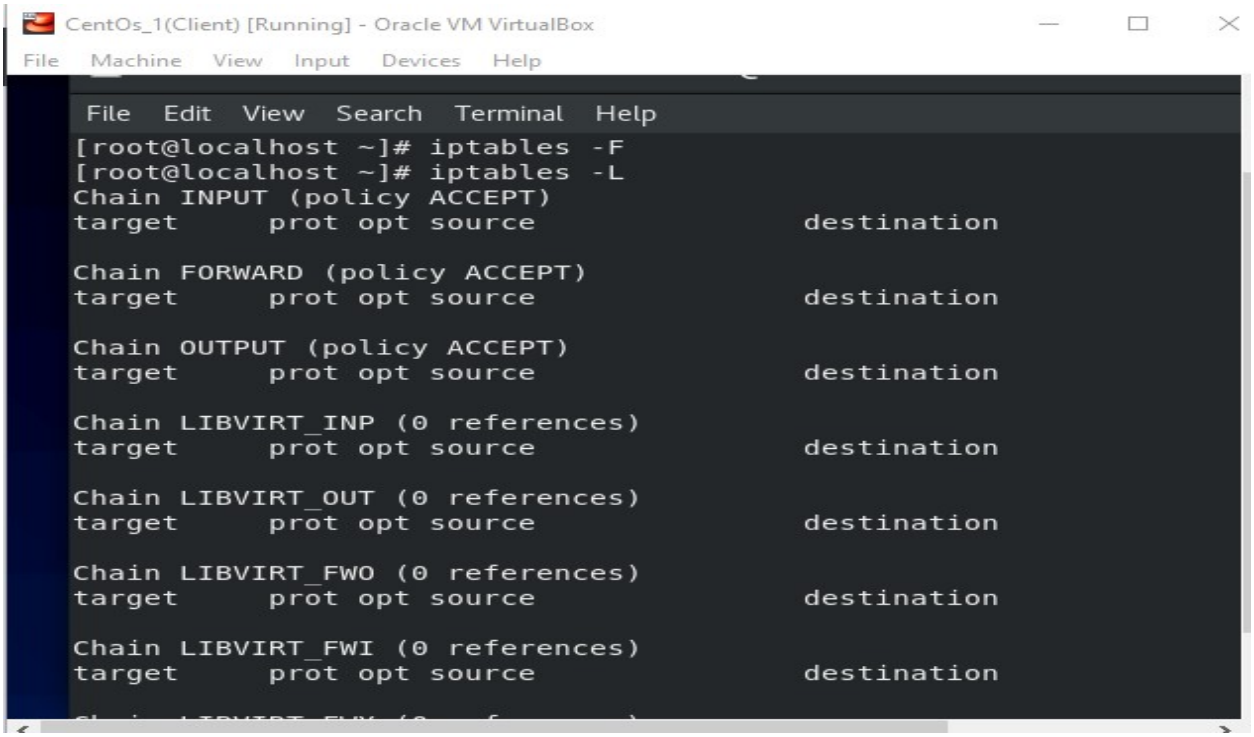
4. Reject all traffic except from the IP address of machine B



5. Block all the traffic from IP address 192.168.1.255



6. Except the machine 2 IP, deny all incoming HTTP and HTTPS traffic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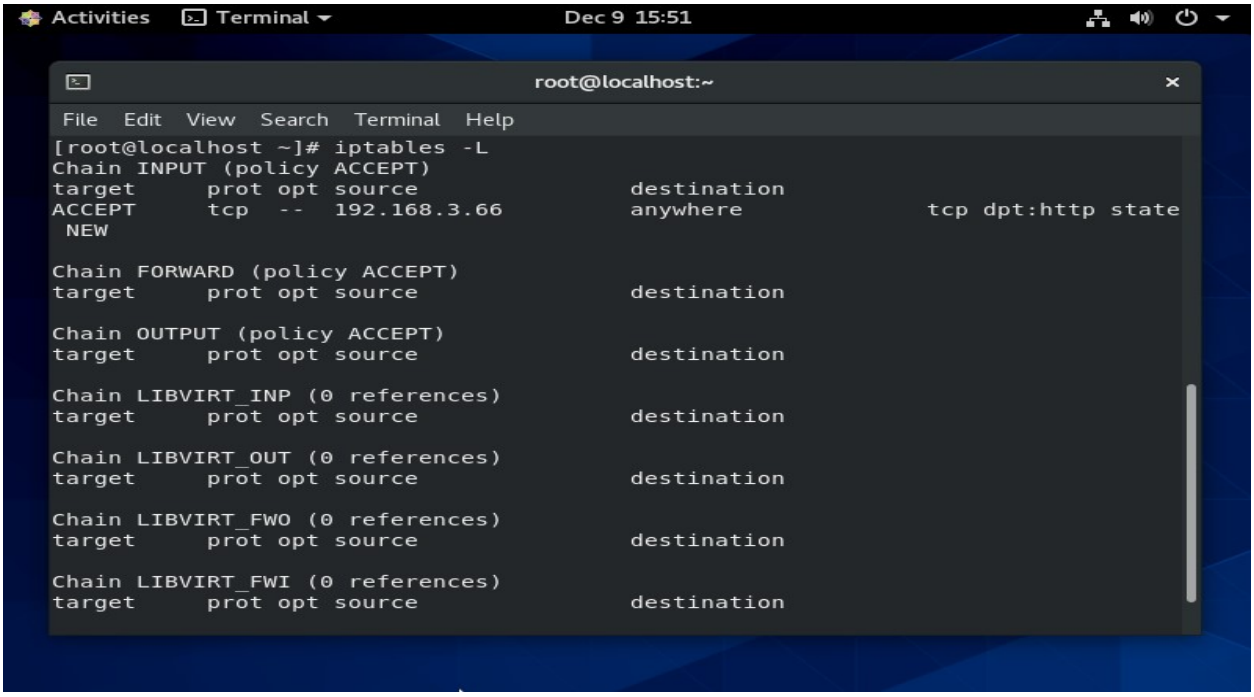
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -F
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_INP (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_OUT (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_FWO (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_FWI (0 references)
target prot opt source destination


Activities
Terminal
Dec 9 15:51
root@localhost:~
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[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
ACCEPT tcp -- 192.168.3.66 anywhere tcp dpt:http state
NEW
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_INP (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_OUT (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
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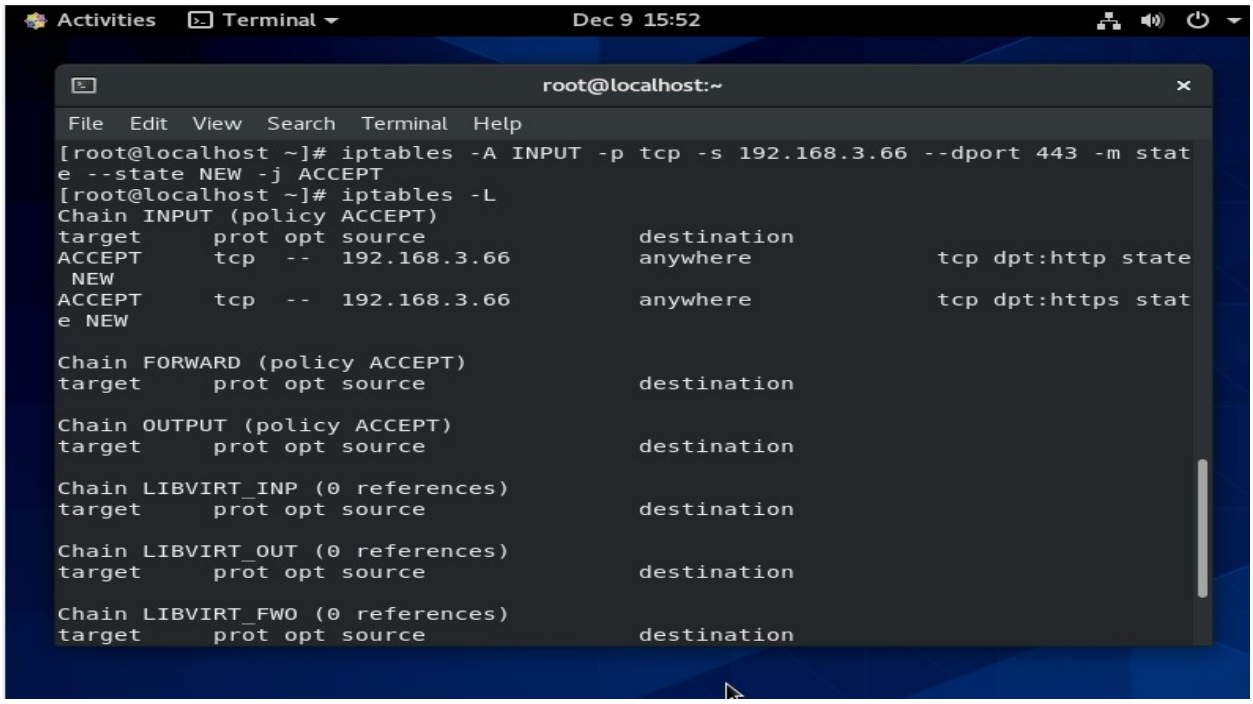
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_FWI (0 references)
target prot opt source destination


Activities
Terminal
Dec 9 15:52
root@localhost:~
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[root@localhost ~]# iptables -A INPUT -p tcp -s 192.168.3.66 --dport 443 -m stat
e --state NEW -j ACCEPT
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
ACCEPT tcp -- 192.168.3.66 anywhere tcp dpt:http state
NEW
ACCEPT tcp -- 192.168.3.66 anywhere tcp dpt:https stat
e NEW
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain LIBVIRT_INP (0 references)
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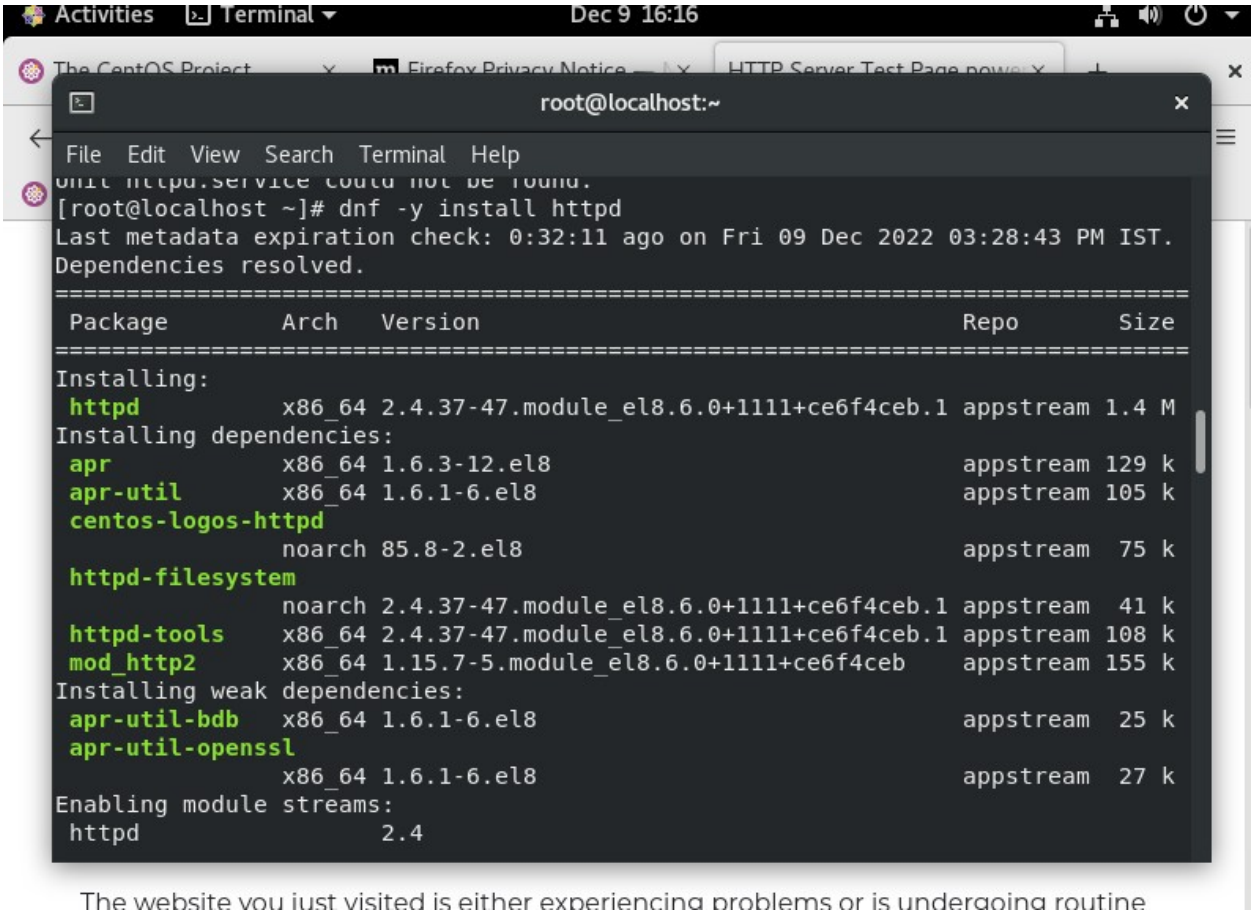
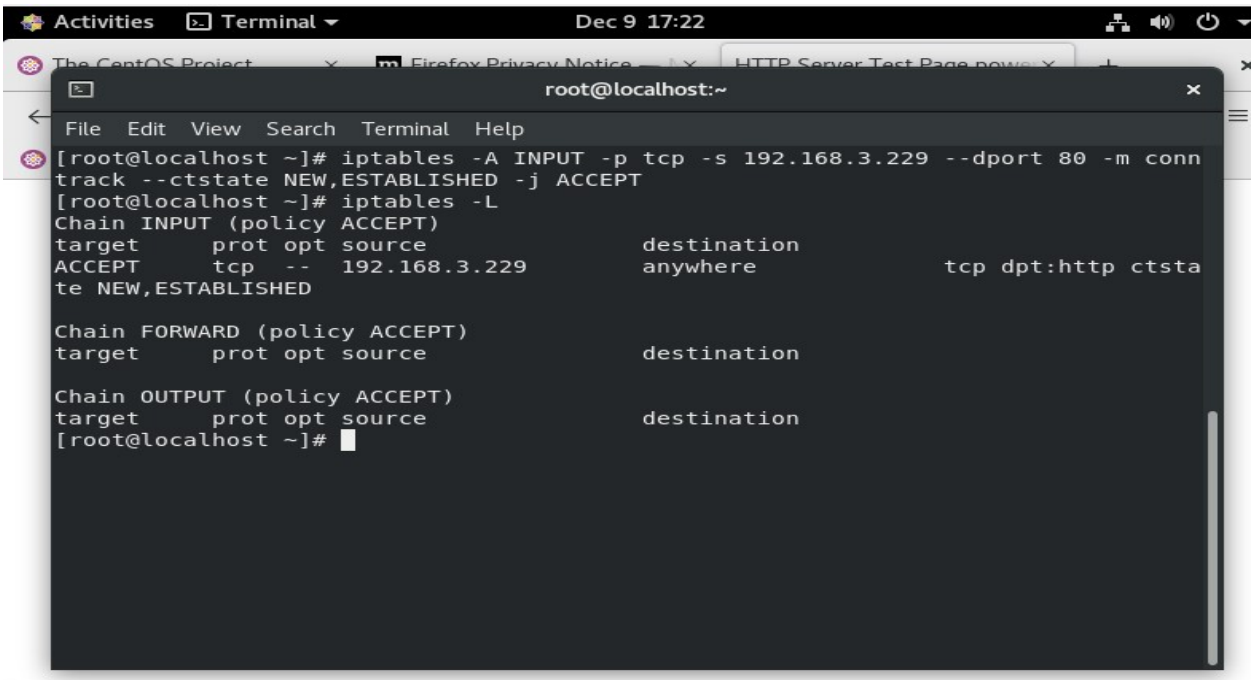
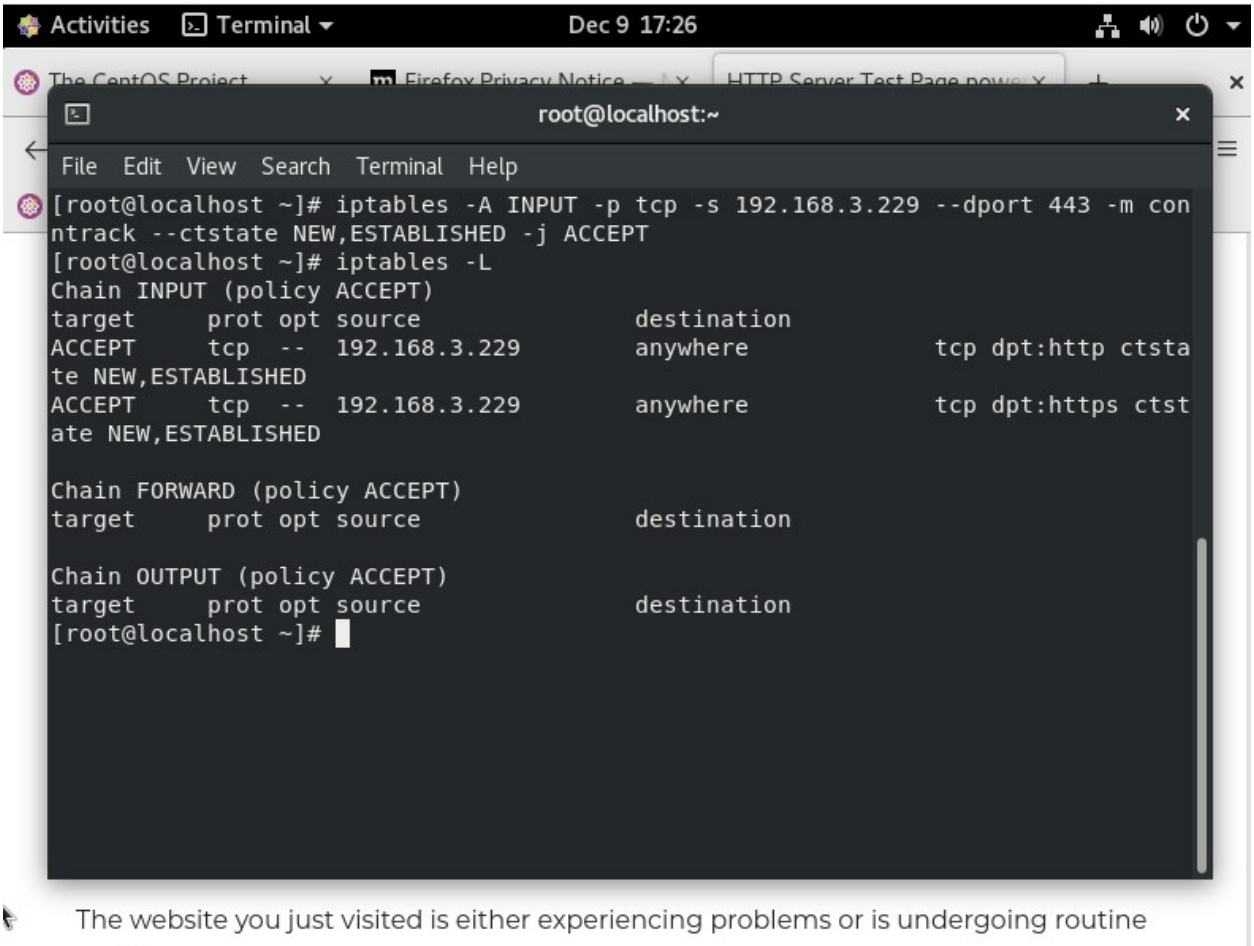

Activities
Terminal
Dec 9 16:16
root@localhost:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
[root@localhost ~]# dnf -y install httpd
Last metadata expiration check: 0:32:11 ago on Fri 09 Dec 2022 03:28:43 PM IST.
Dependencies resolved.
Package Arch Version Repo Size
Installing:
httpd x86_64 2.4.37-47.module_el8.6.0+1111+ce6f4ceb.1 appstream 1.4 M
Installing dependencies:
apr x86_64 1.6.3-12.el8 appstream 129 k
apr-util x86_64 1.6.1-6.el8 appstream 105 k
centos-logos-httpd
noarch 85.8-2.el8 appstream 75 k
httpd-filesystem
noarch 2.4.37-47.module_el8.6.0+1111+ce6f4ceb.1 appstream 41 k
httpd-tools x86_64 2.4.37-47.module_el8.6.0+1111+ce6f4ceb.1 appstream 108 k
mod_http2 x86_64 1.15.7-5.module_el8.6.0+1111+ce6f4ceb appstream 155 k
Installing weak dependencies:
apr-util-bdb x86_64 1.6.1-6.el8 appstream 25 k
apr-util-openssl
x86_64 1.6.1-6.el8 appstream 27 k
Enabling module streams:
httpd 2.4
The website you just visited is either experiencing problems or is undergoing routine





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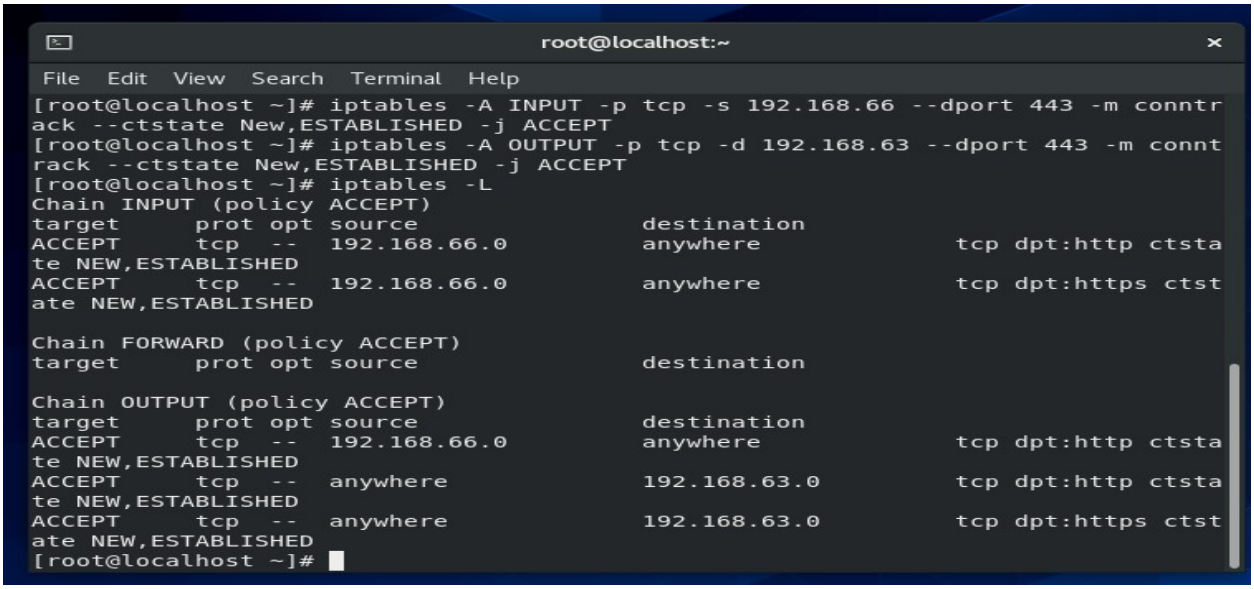
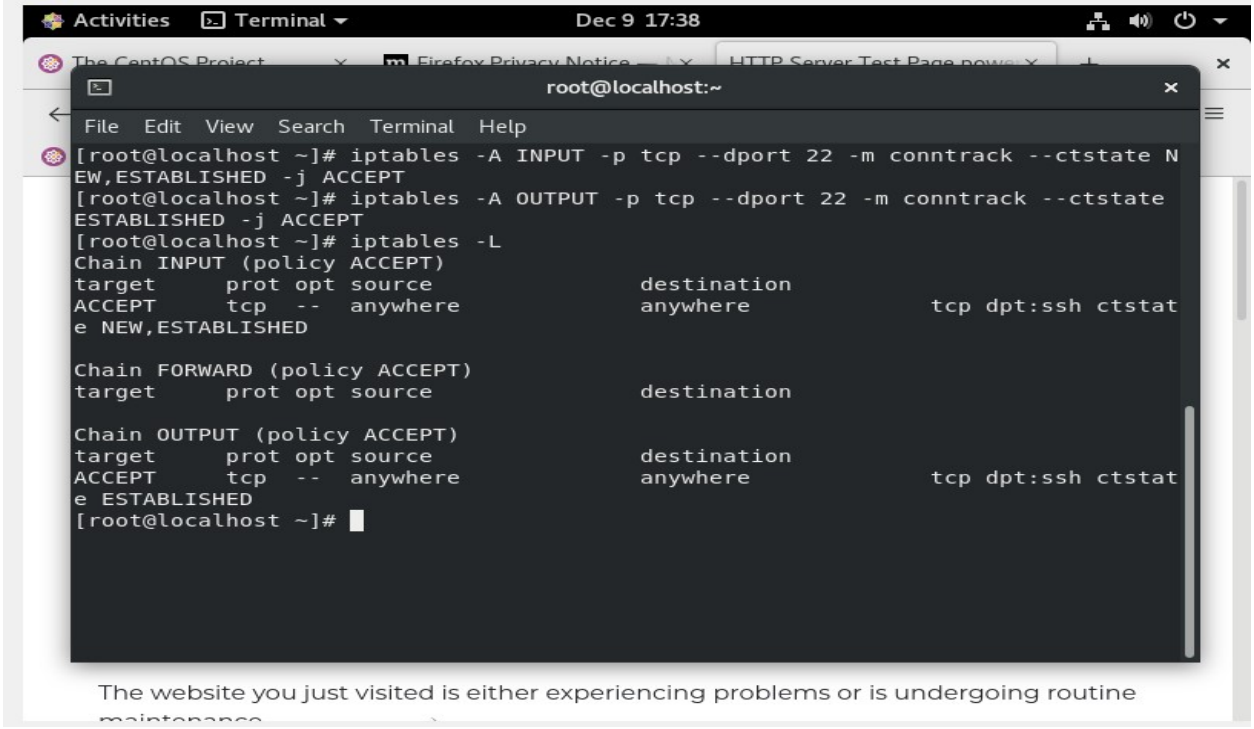
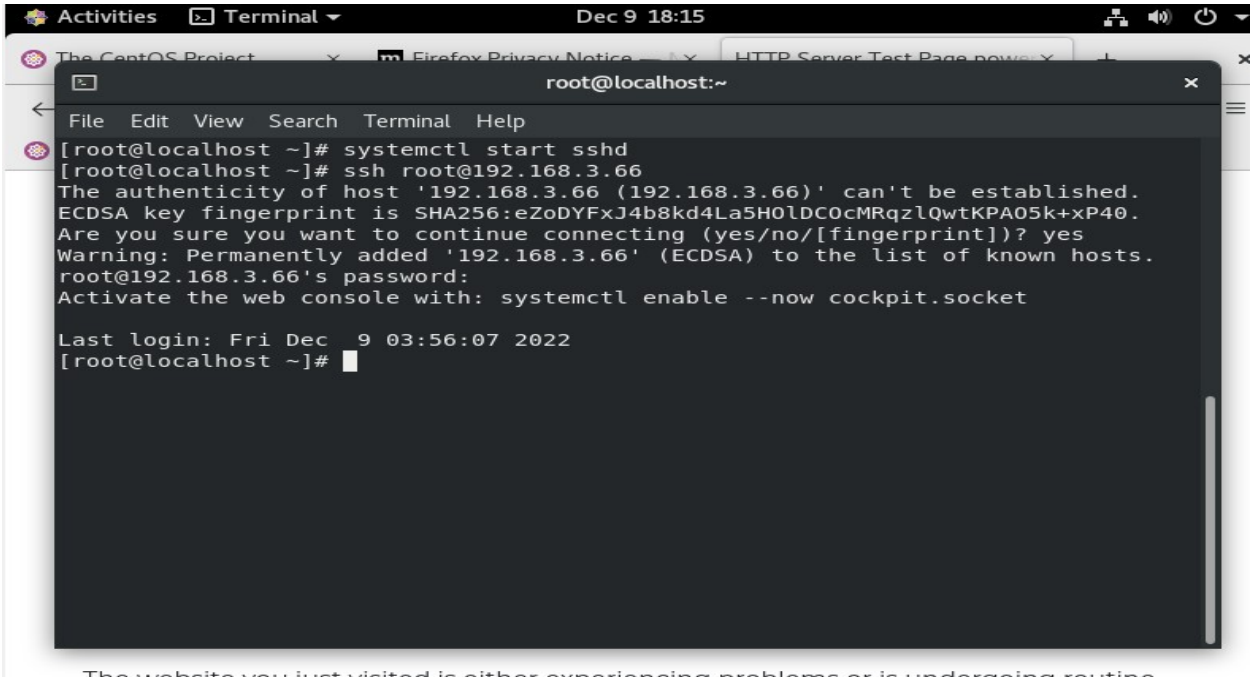
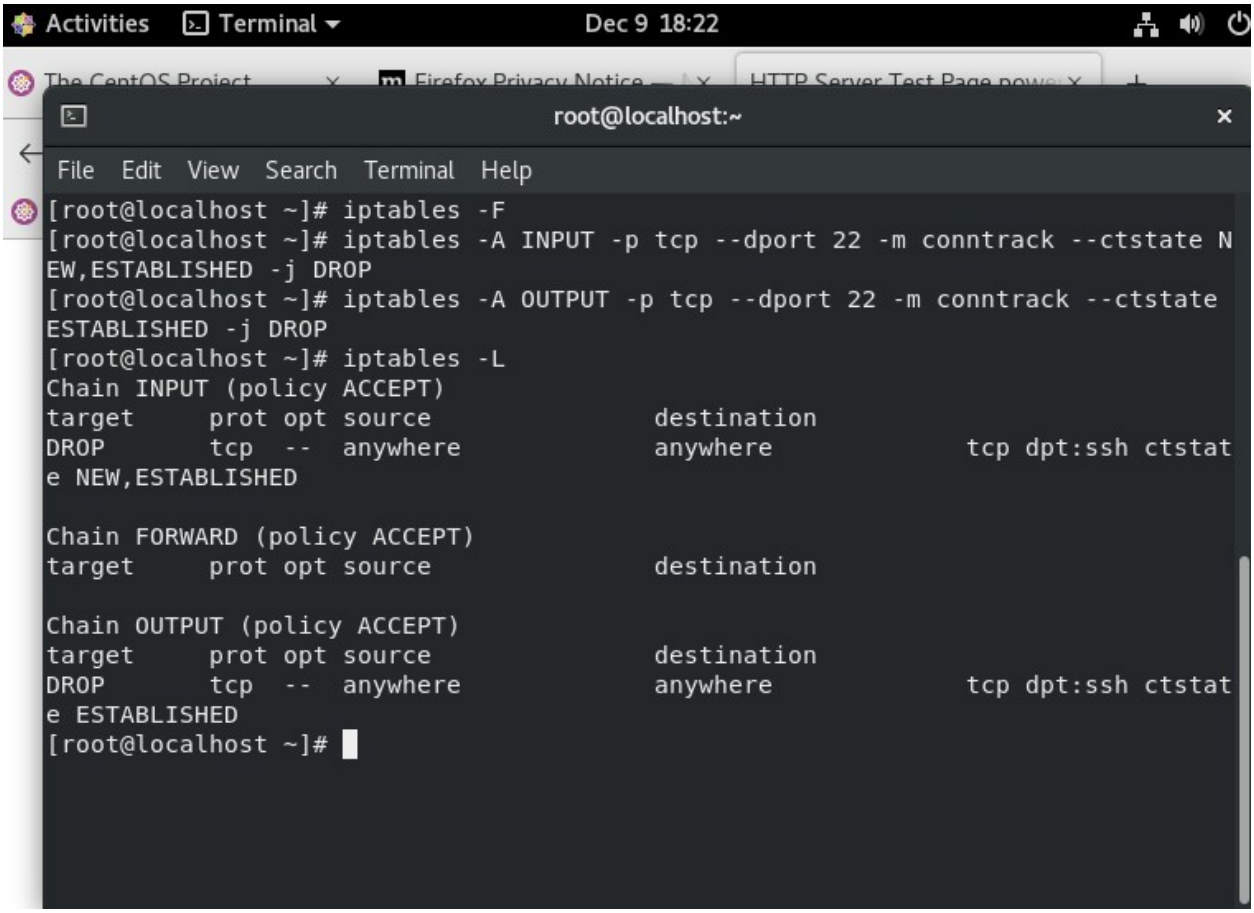


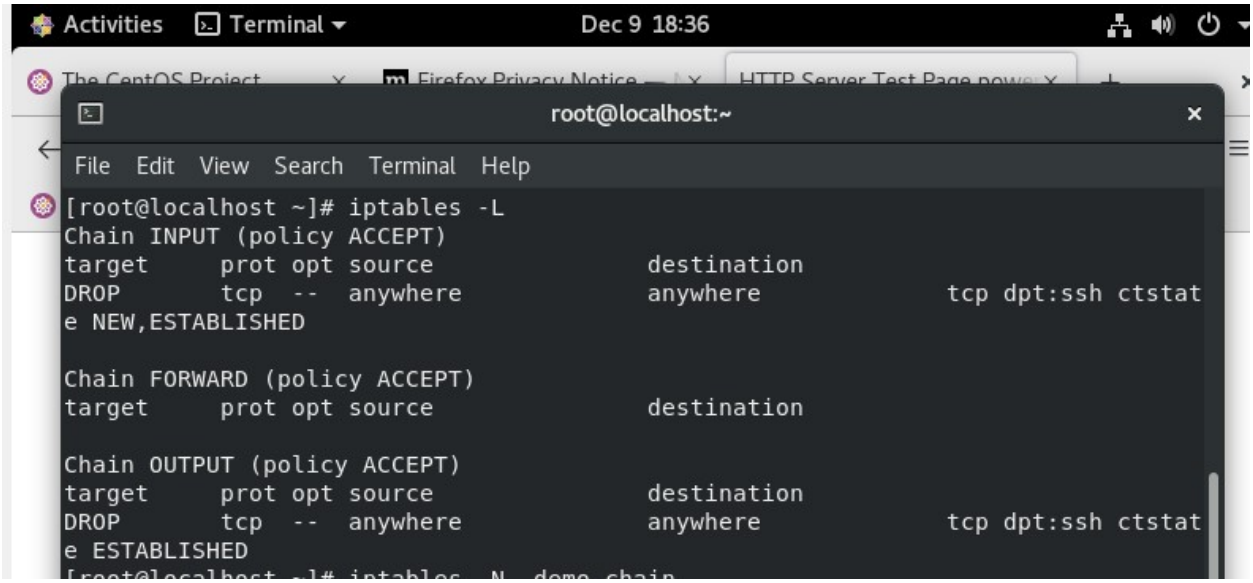
7. Block all incoming or outgoing traffic on a port 22.

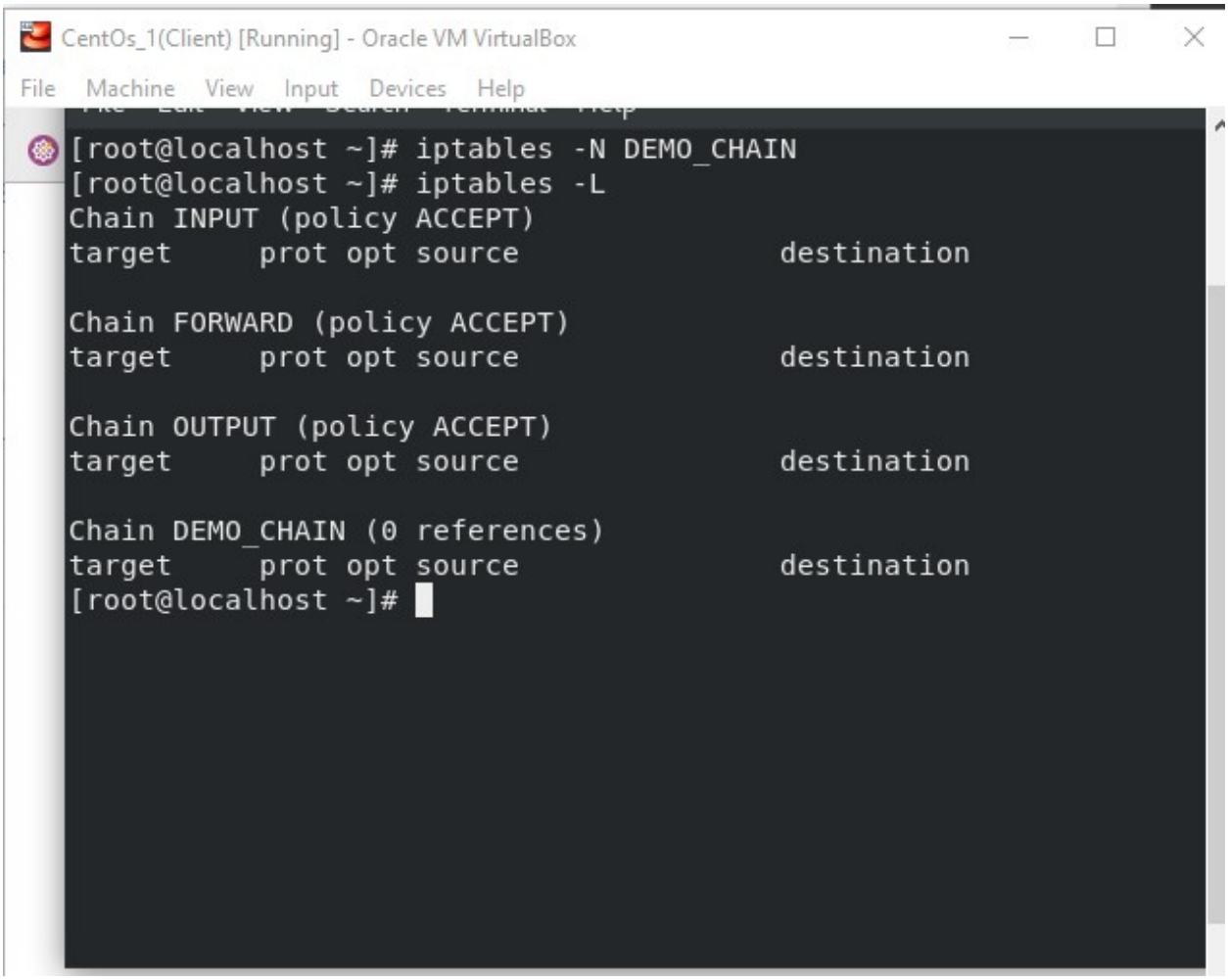






8. Add a new chain called “ Demo Chain“


Activities
Terminal
Dec 9 18:36
root@localhost:~
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
DROP tcp -- anywhere anywhere tcp dpt:ssh ctstat
e NEW,ESTABLISHED
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
DROP tcp -- anywhere anywhere tcp dpt:ssh ctstat
e ESTABLISHED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File Machine View Input Devices Help
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -N DEMO_CHAIN
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target prot opt source destination
Chain DEMO_CHAIN (0 references)
target prot opt source destination
[root@localhost ~]#

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[root@localhost ~]# iptables -X DEMO_CHAIN
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination

Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination

Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination
[root@localhost ~]#
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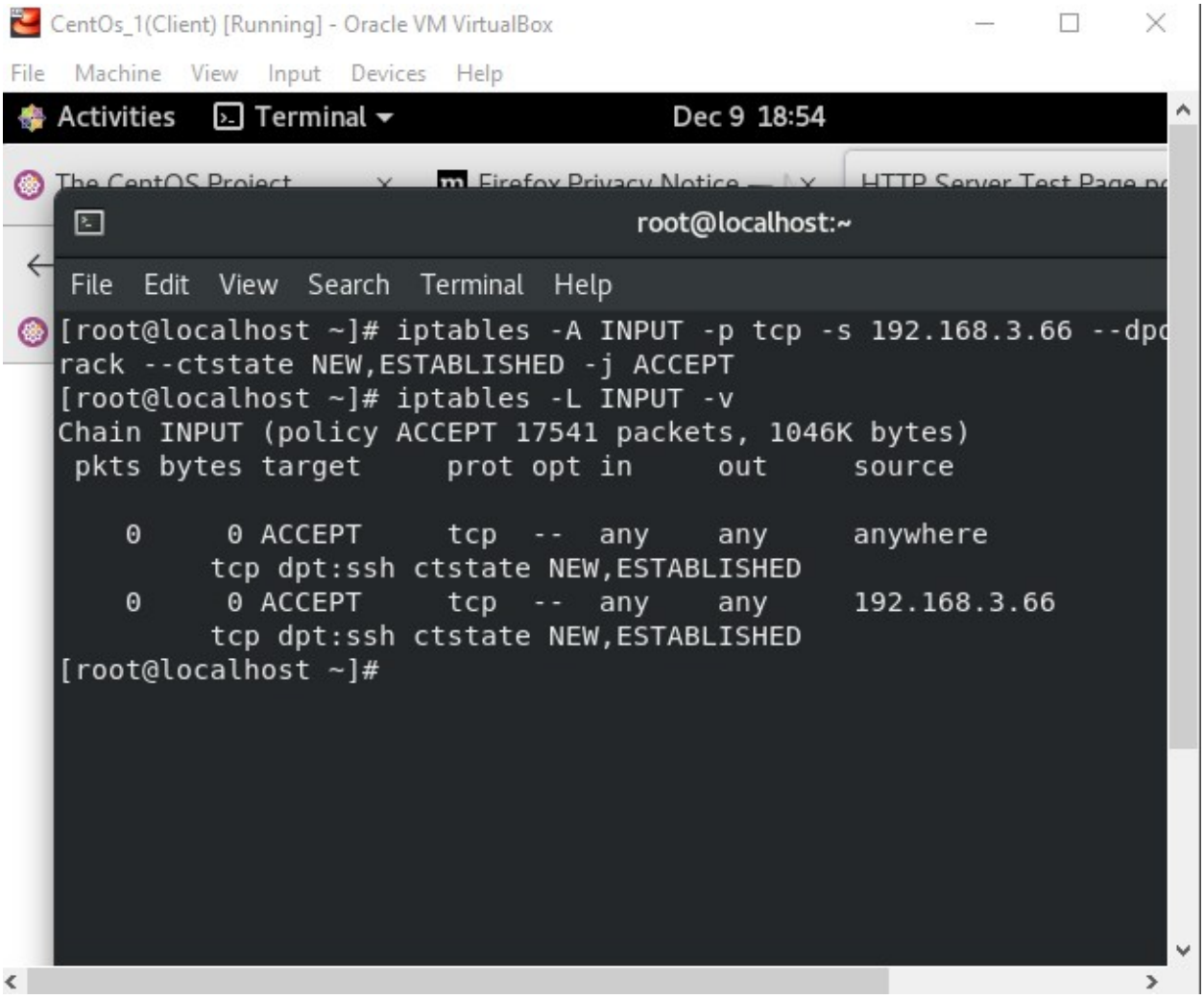
9. List the number of packets and bytes matched in each rule



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[root@localhost ~]# iptables -Z INPUT
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L INPUT -v
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT 0 packets, 0 bytes)
 pkts bytes target     prot opt in     out     source

    0     0 ACCEPT     tcp  --  any    any     anywhere
          tcp dpt:ssh ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED
    0     0 ACCEPT     tcp  --  any    any     192.168.3.66
          tcp dpt:ssh ctstate NEW,ESTABLISHED
[root@localhost ~]#
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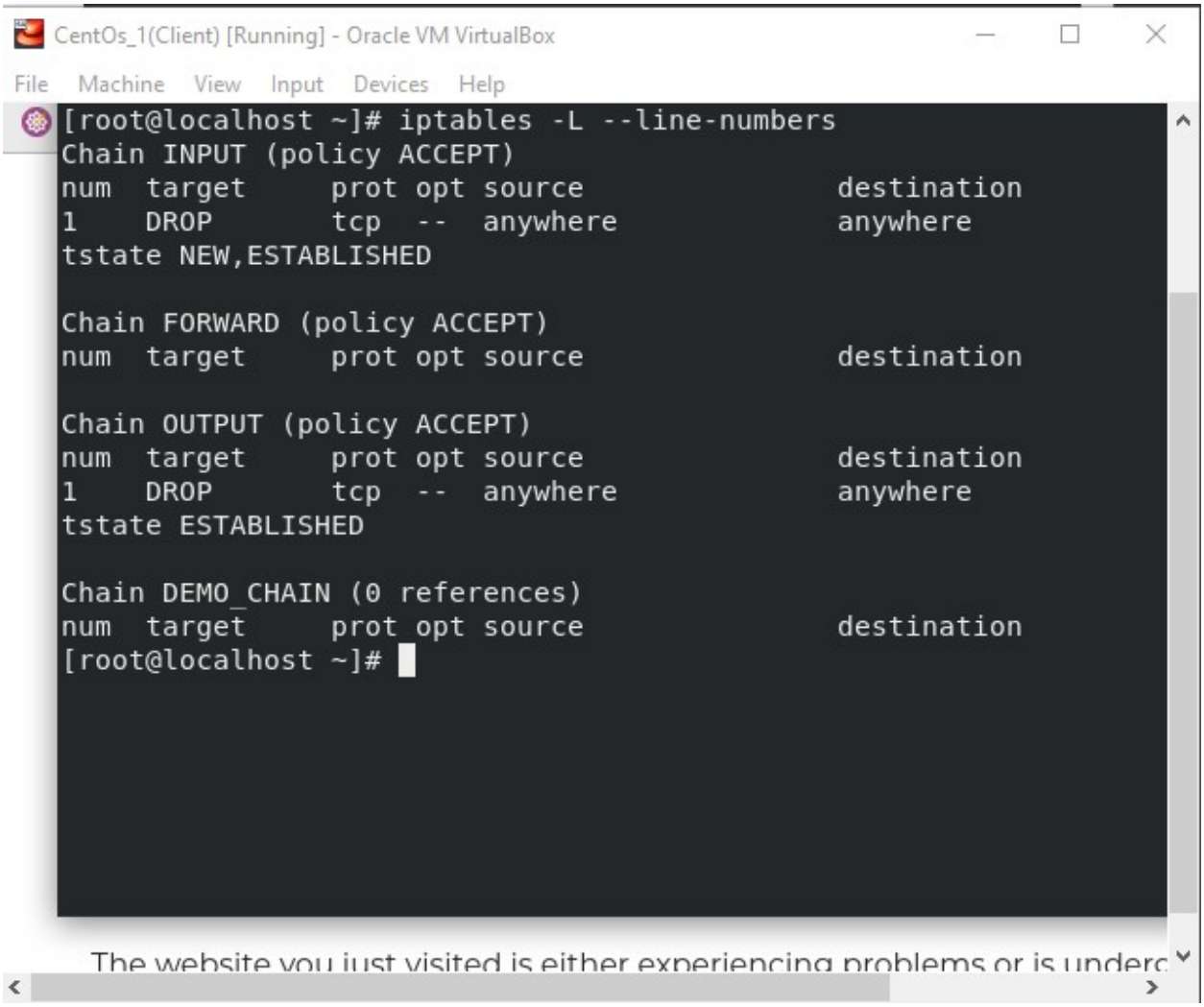
10. List all the rules with line numbers



11. Delete the rule number 2

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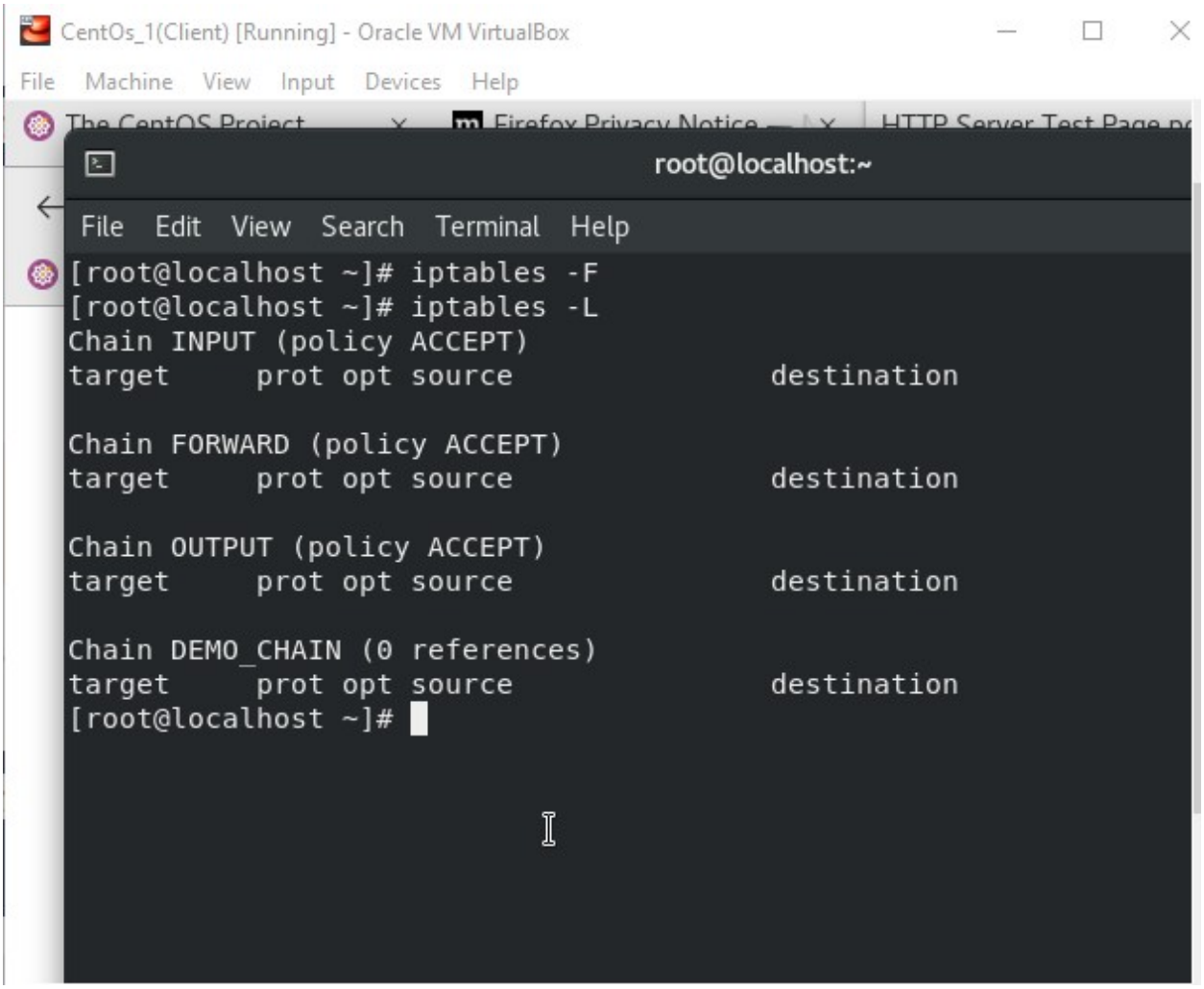
num  target     prot opt source               destination
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -D INPUT 1
[root@localhost ~]# iptables -L
Chain INPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination

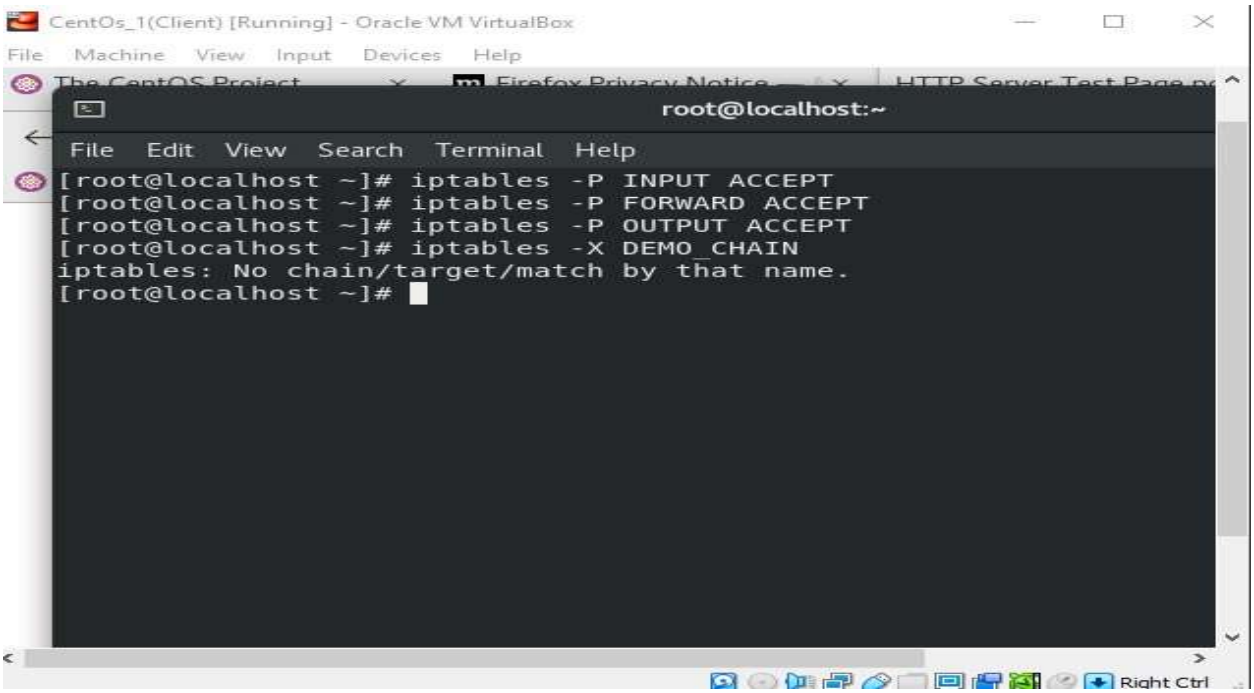
Chain FORWARD (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination

Chain OUTPUT (policy ACCEPT)
target     prot opt source               destination
DROP       tcp  --  anywhere             anywhere             tcp dpt:ssh ctstat
e ESTABLISHED

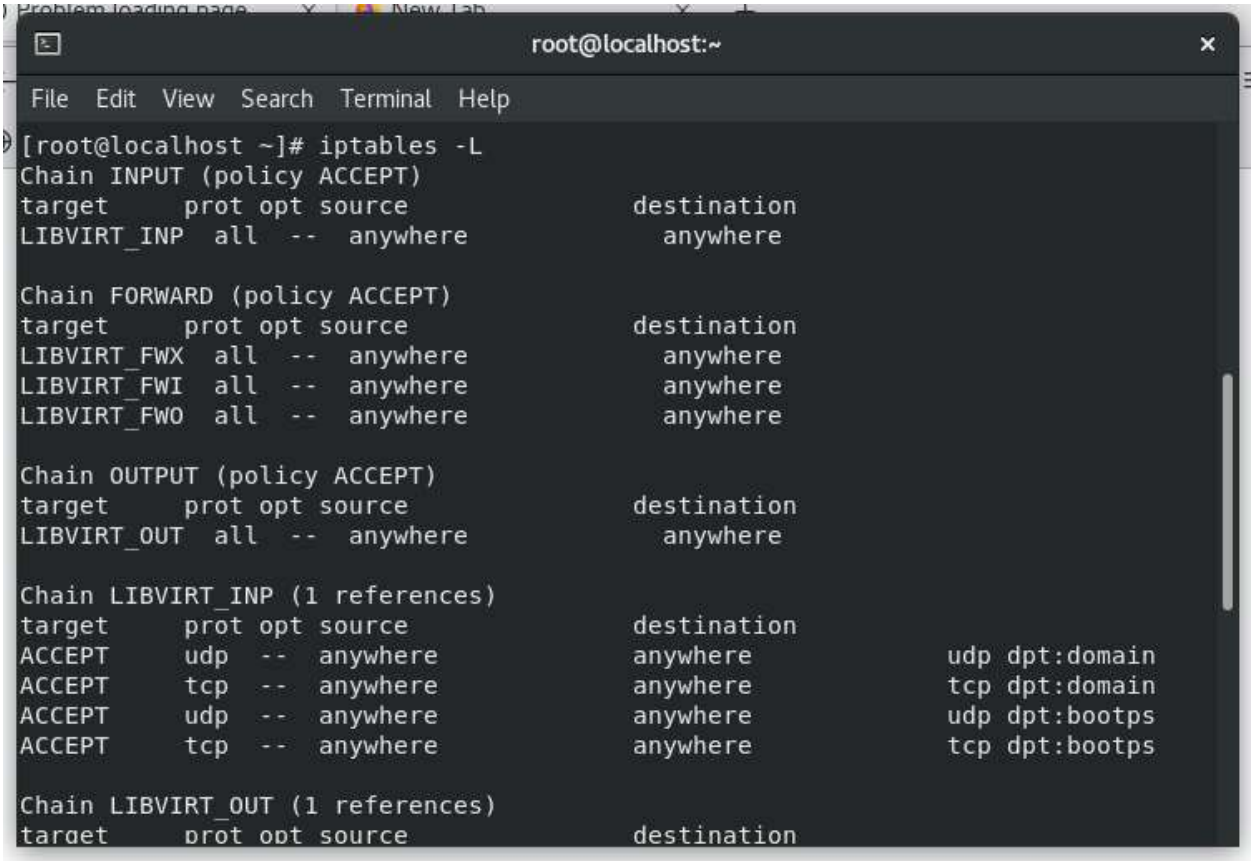
Chain DEMO_CHAIN (0 references)
target     prot opt source               destination
[root@localhost ~]#
```

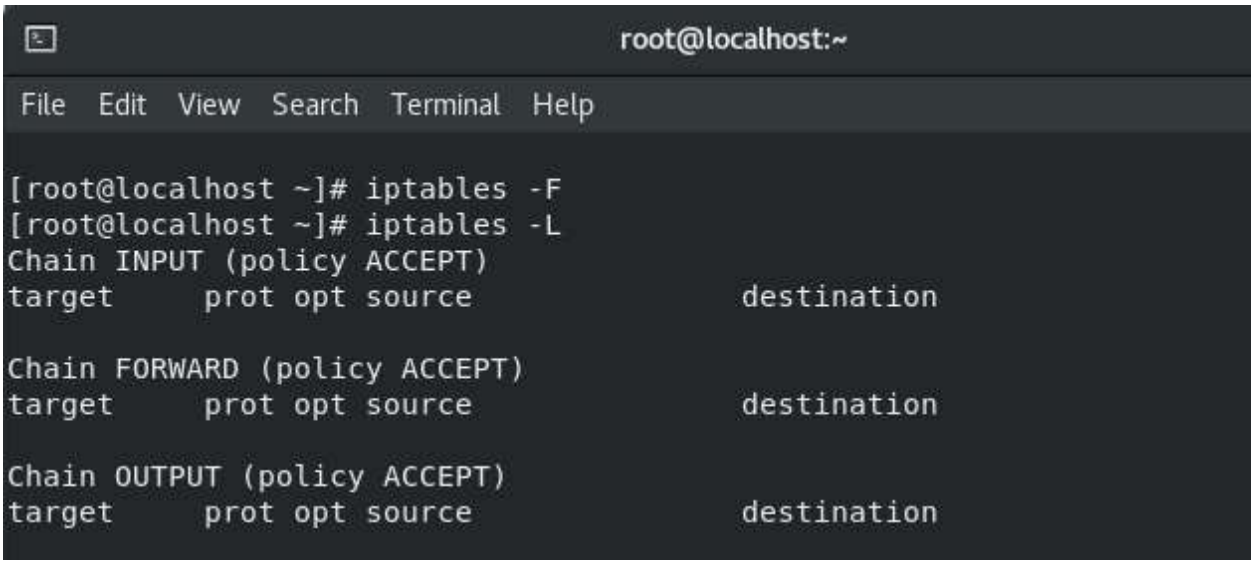
12. Delete all the rules from all the chain



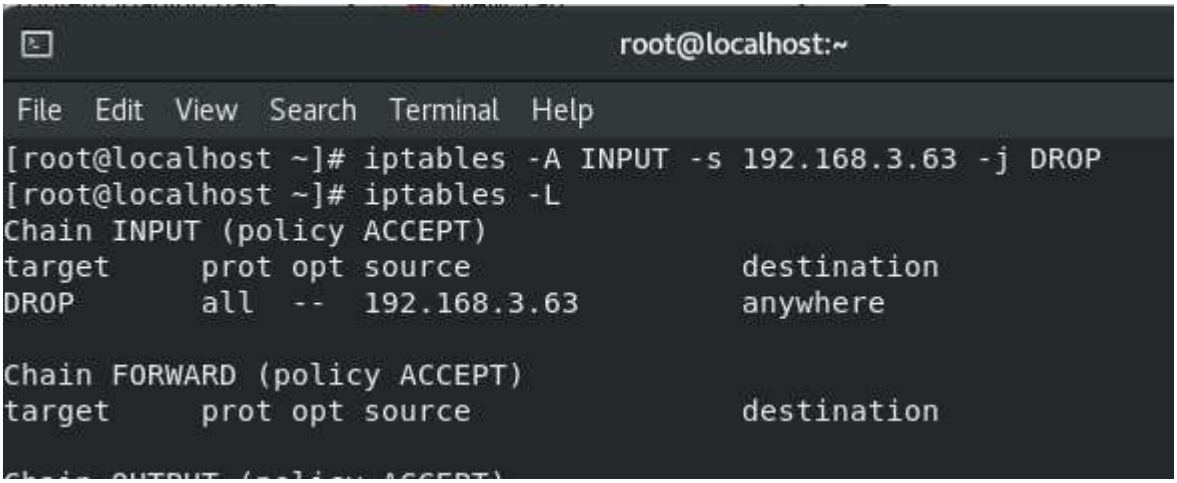


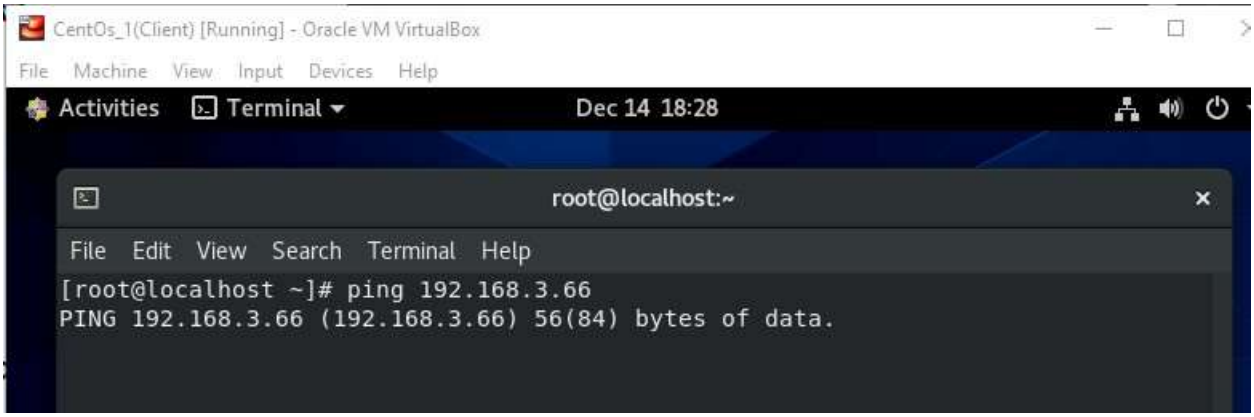
13. List the existing firewall rules and default policy in each chain



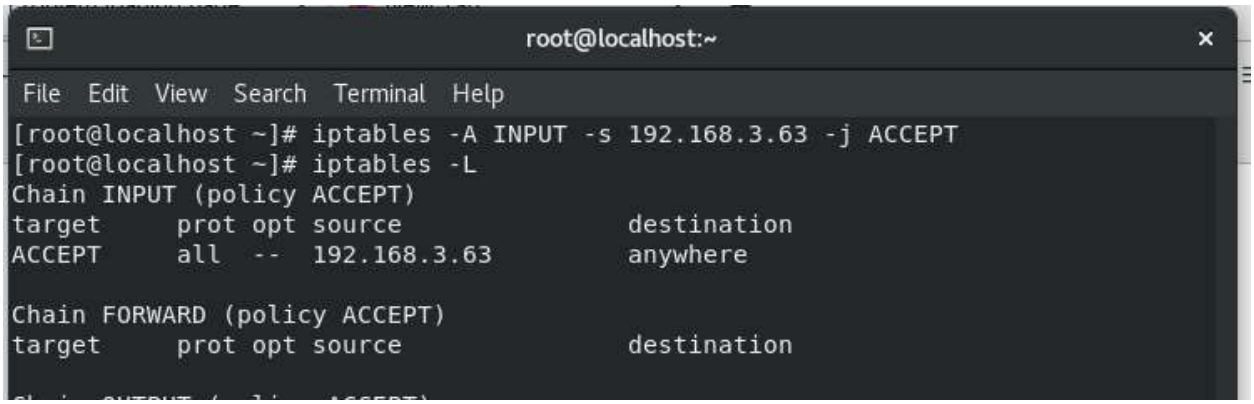


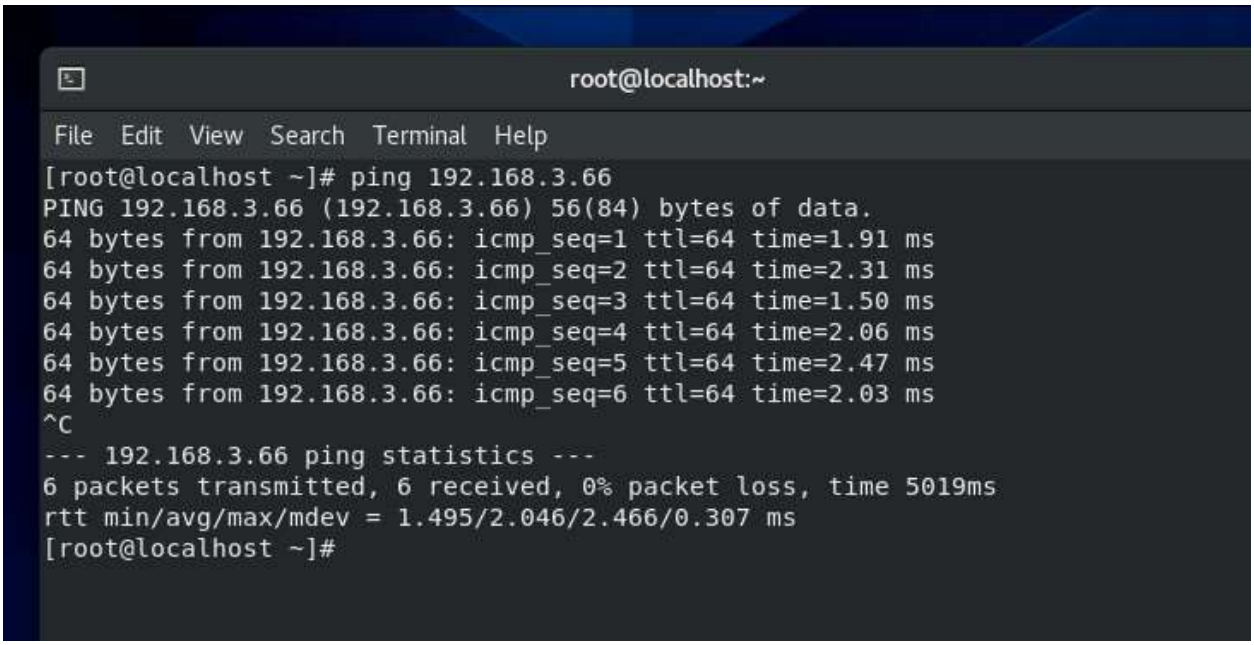
14. Set the default INPUT policy as DROP



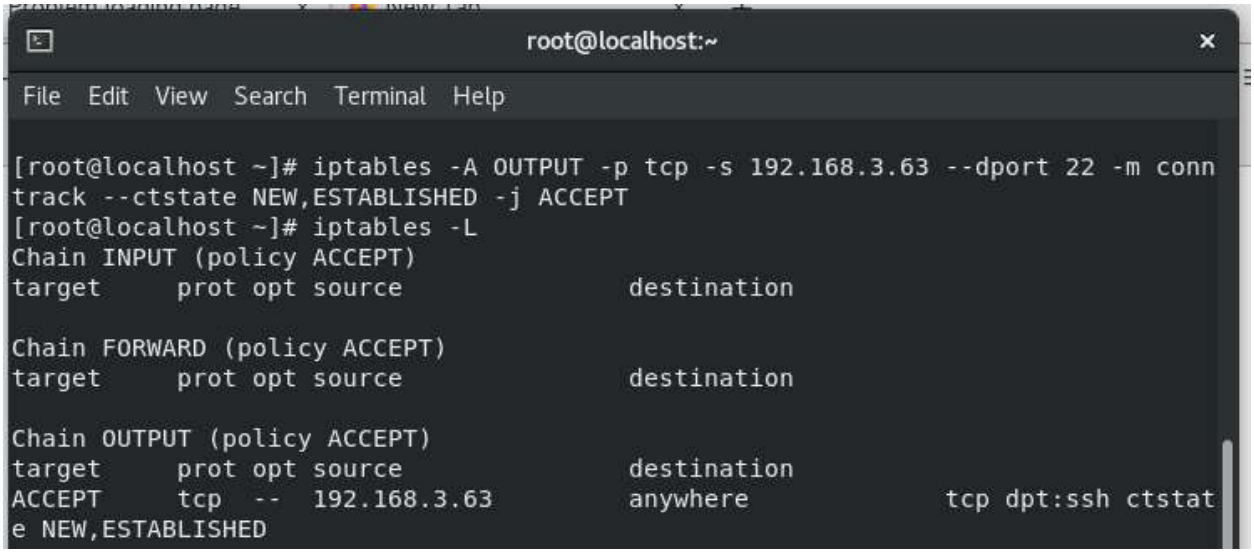


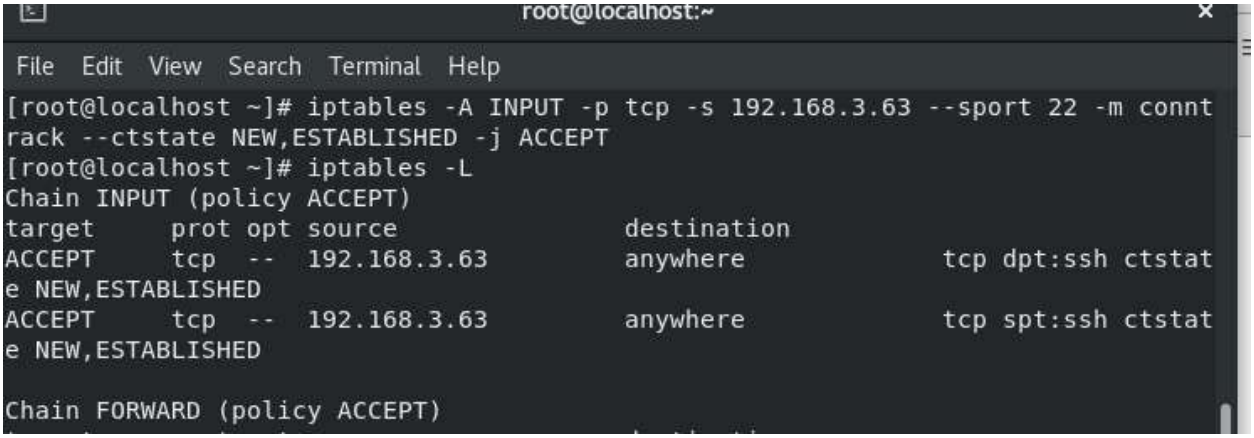
15. In machine 2, allow the ping request only from machine 1

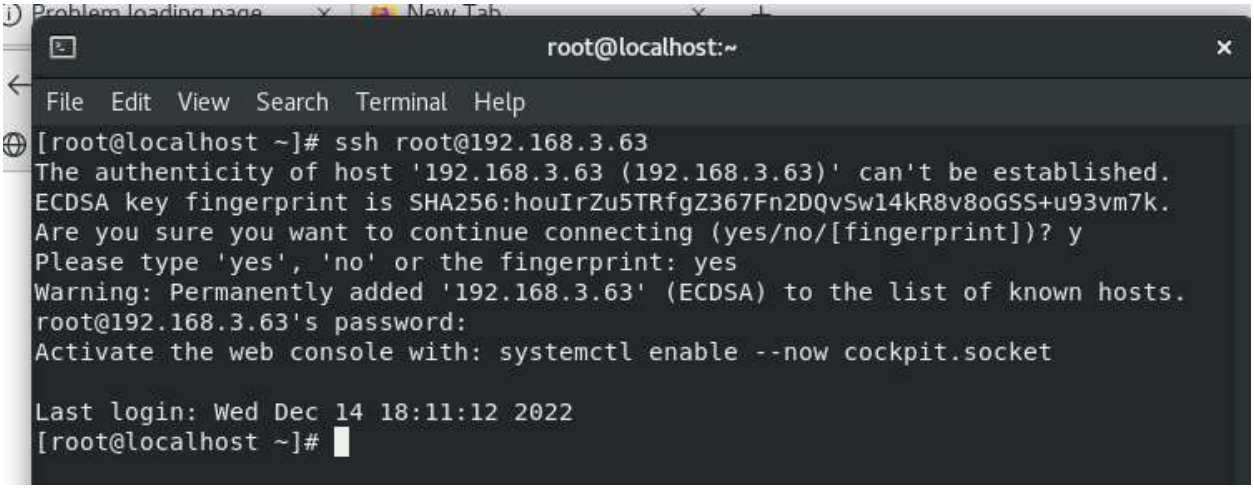


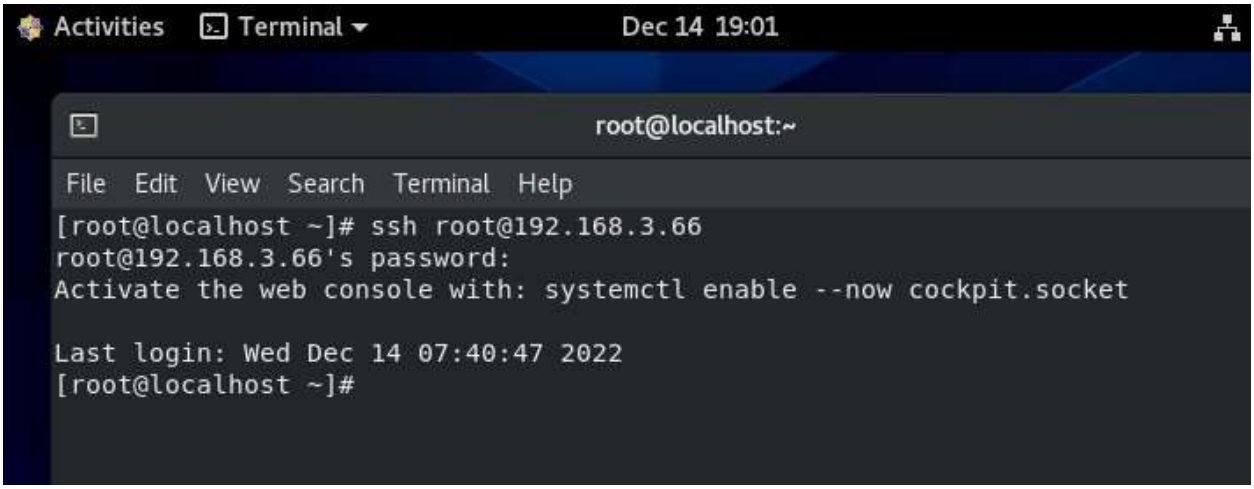


16. Allow outgoing connection on port 22 to the IP 192.168.1.2

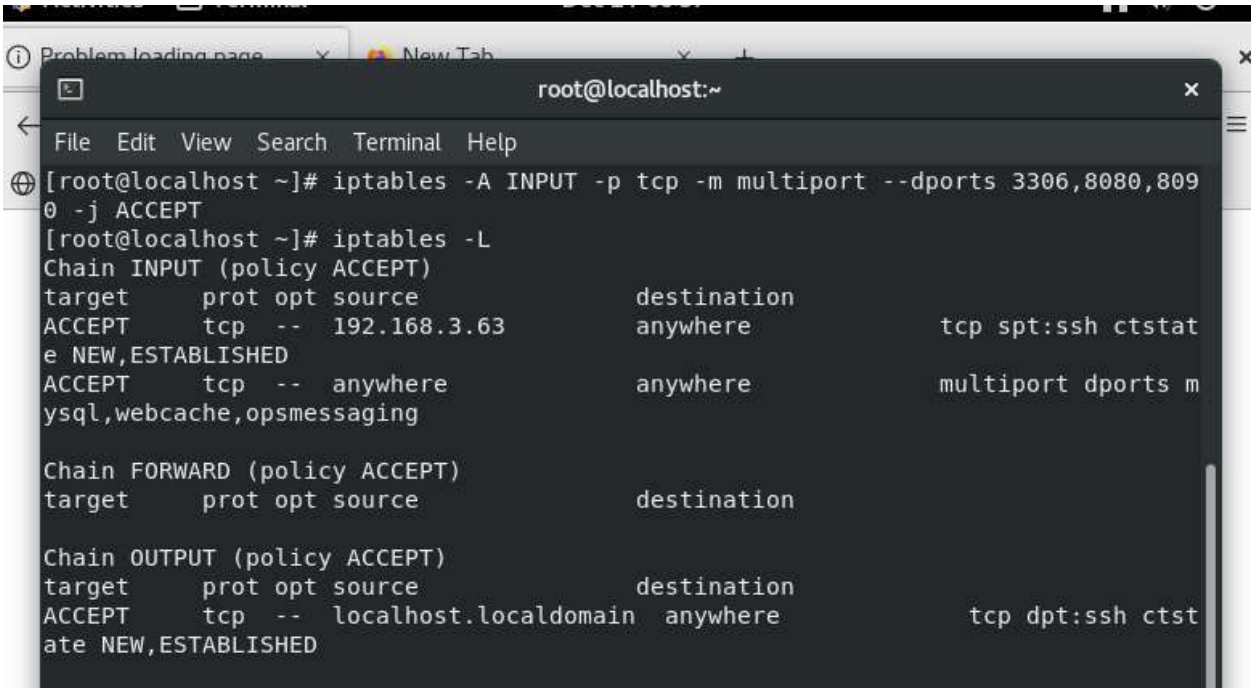




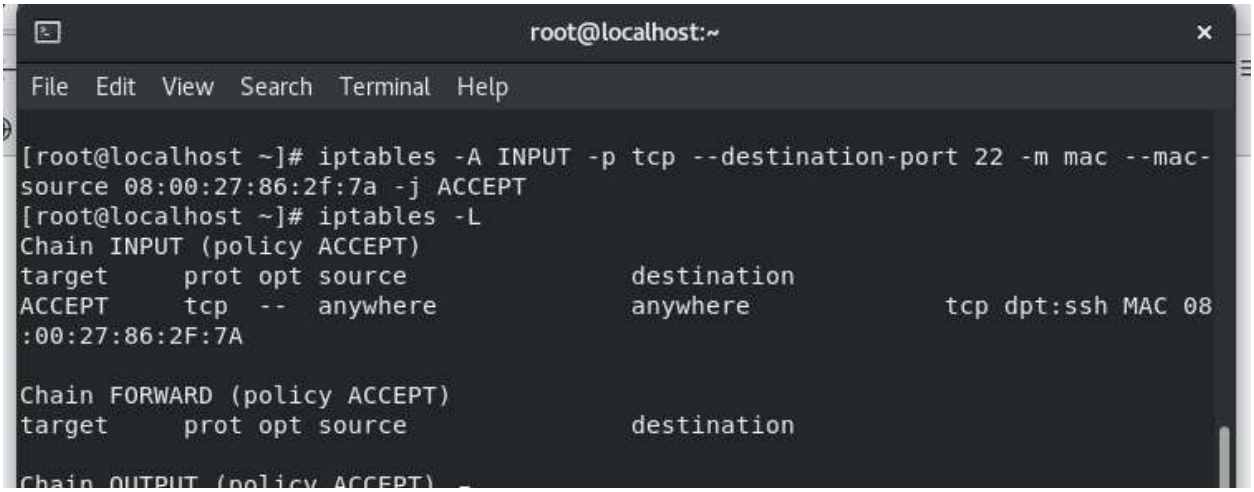


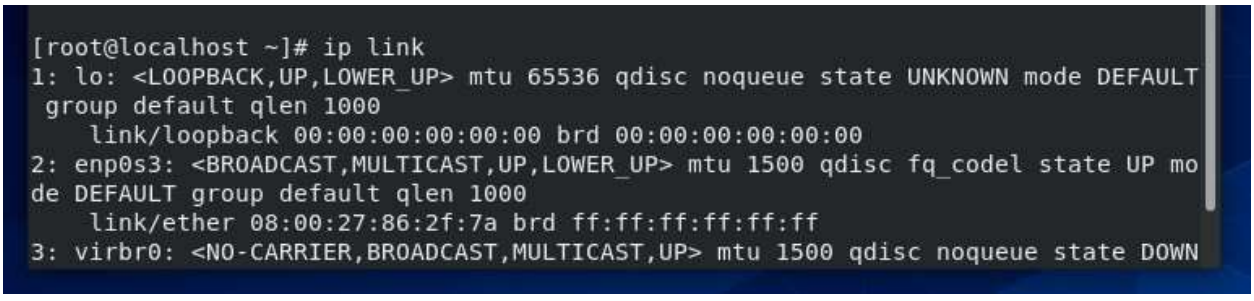


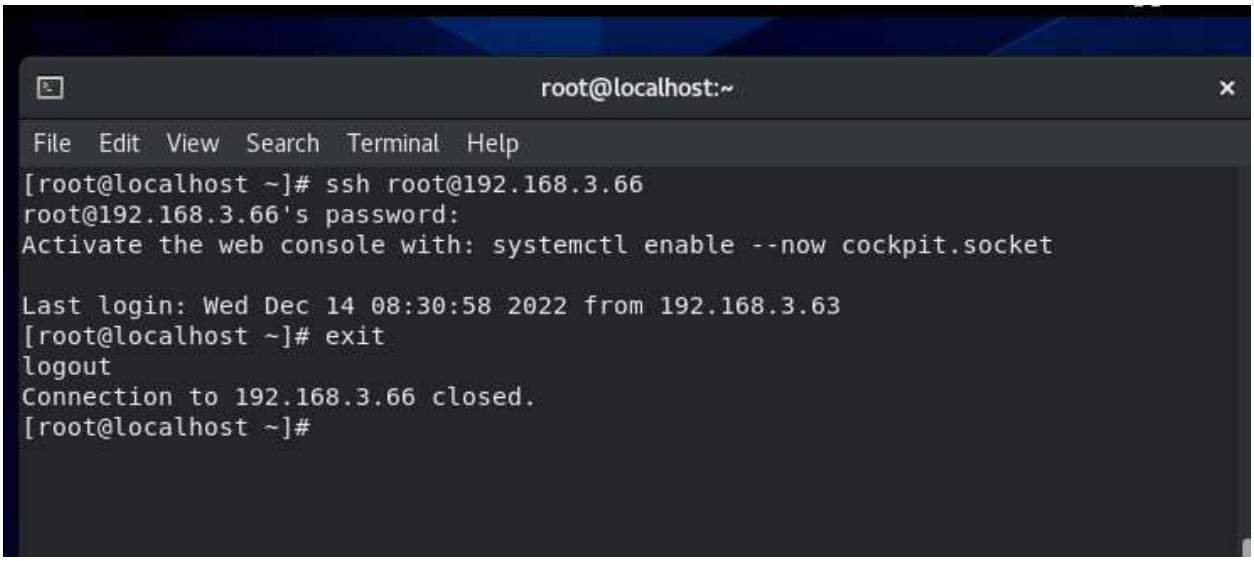
17. Write command to configure ports 3306,8080 and 8090 in a single command.



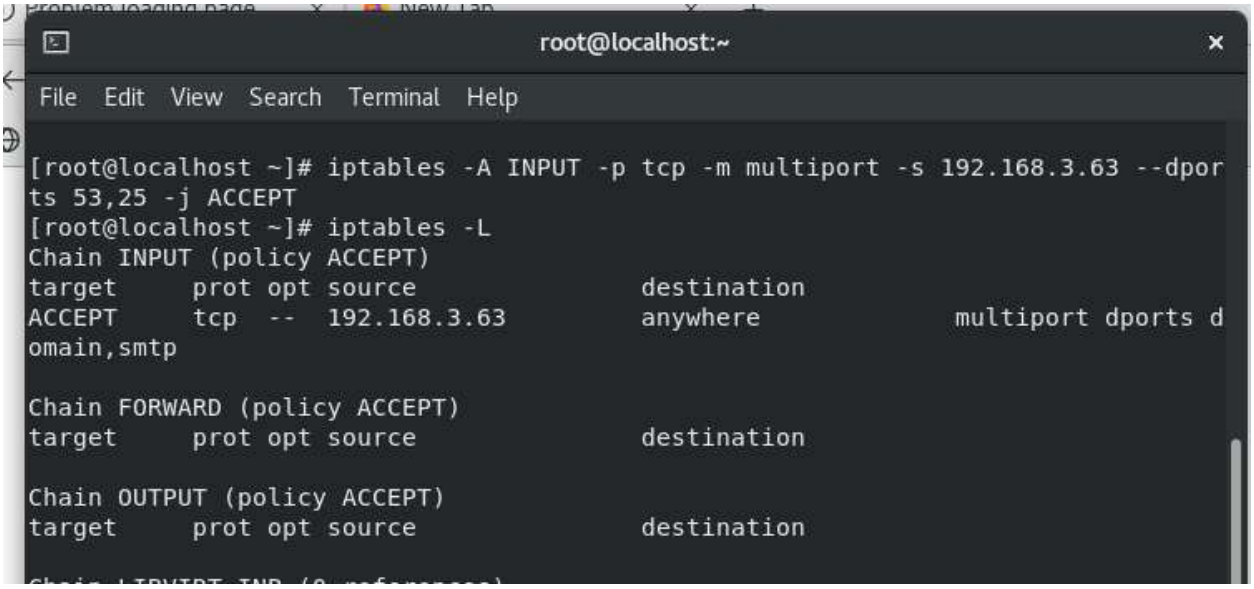
18. Allow the access of your system from the MAC address of machine1

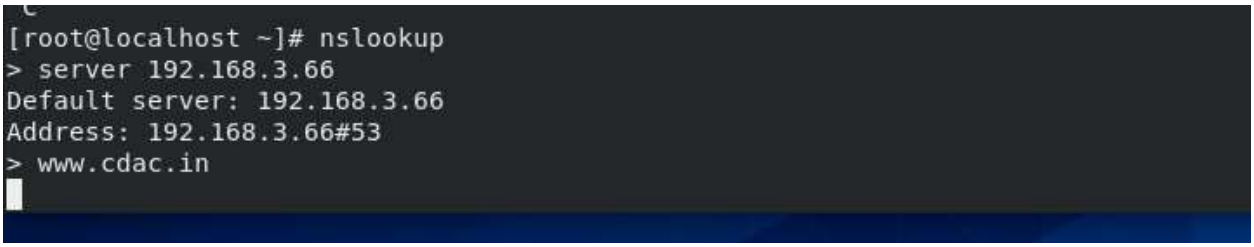






19. Allow DNS & SMTP packets to travel in & out your machine





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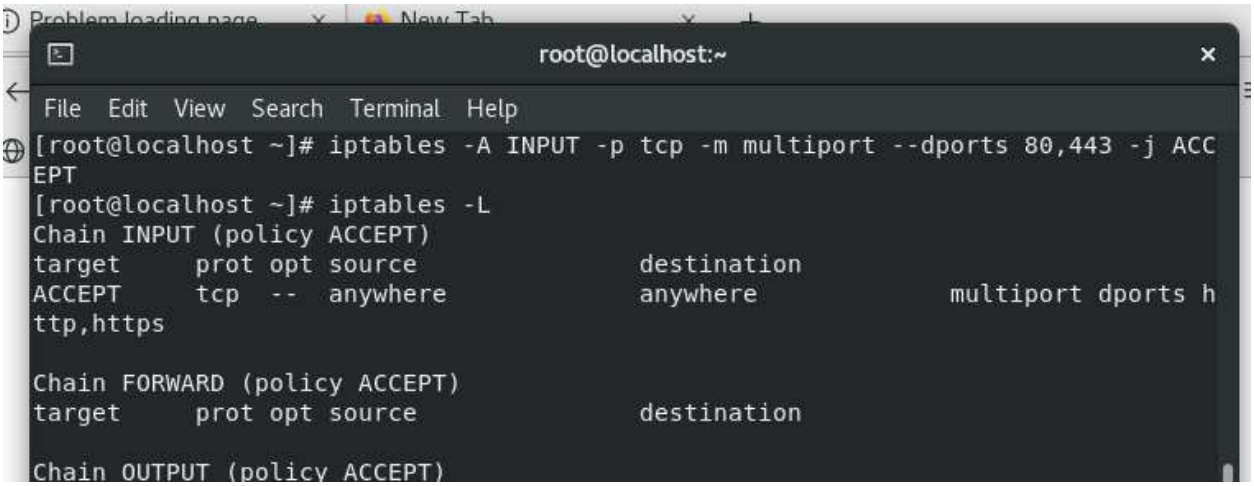

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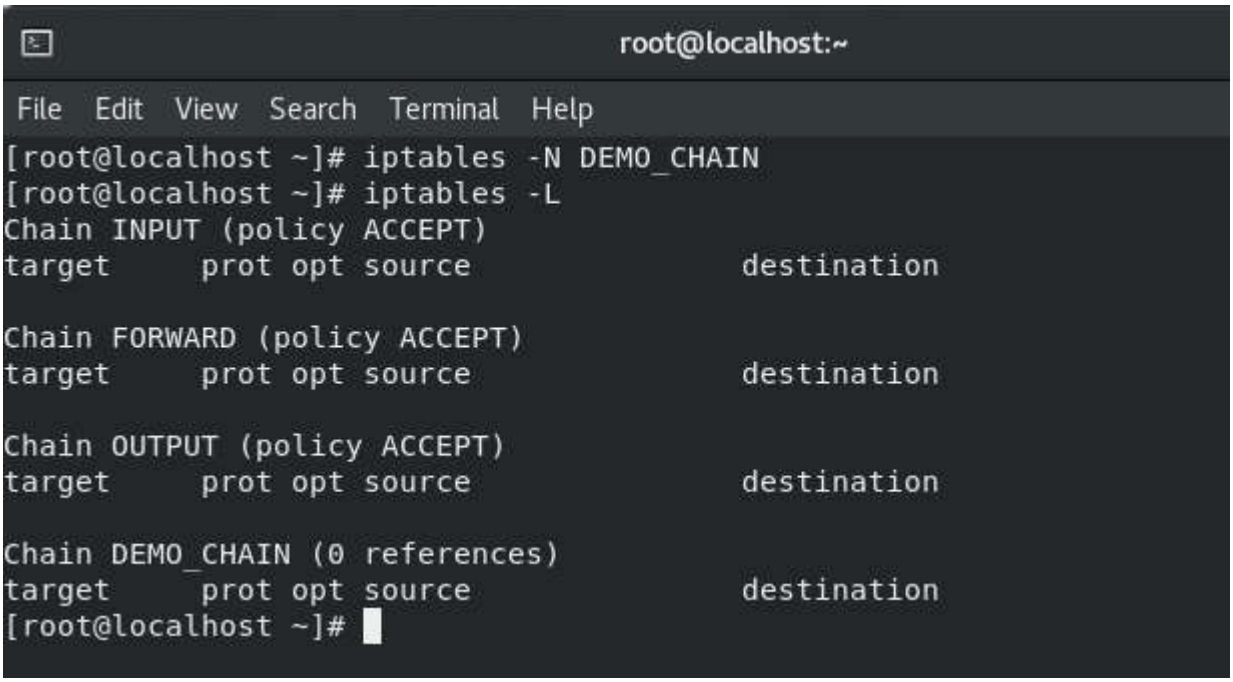

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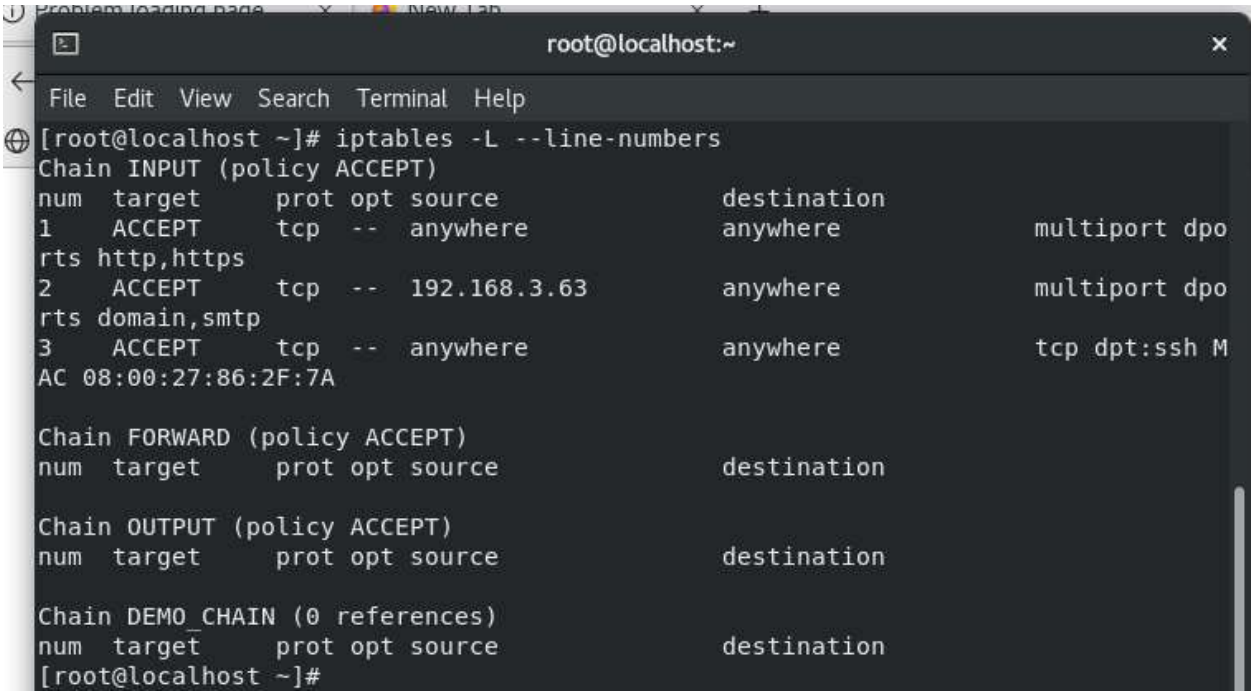
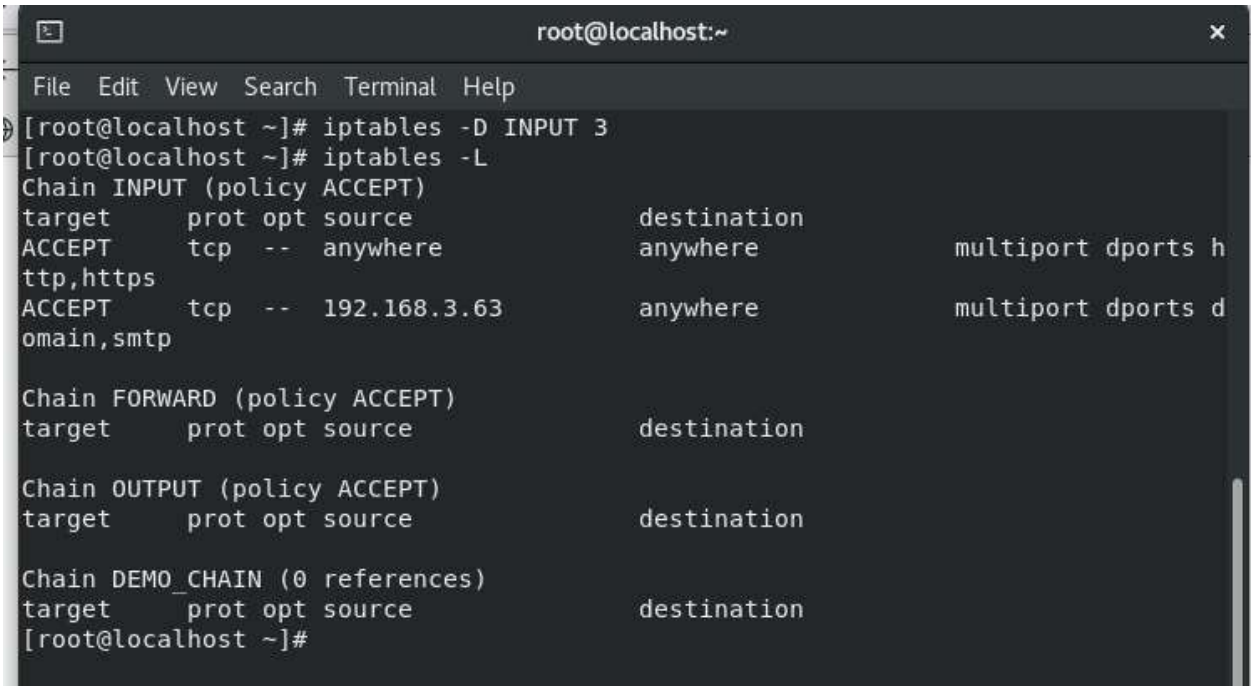


23. Delete the rule number 6



24. Delete all the rules