RUNNING YOUR C CODE ON OSU SERVER MACHINES

CS 261

STEP 1: SETTING UP YOUR SYSTEM

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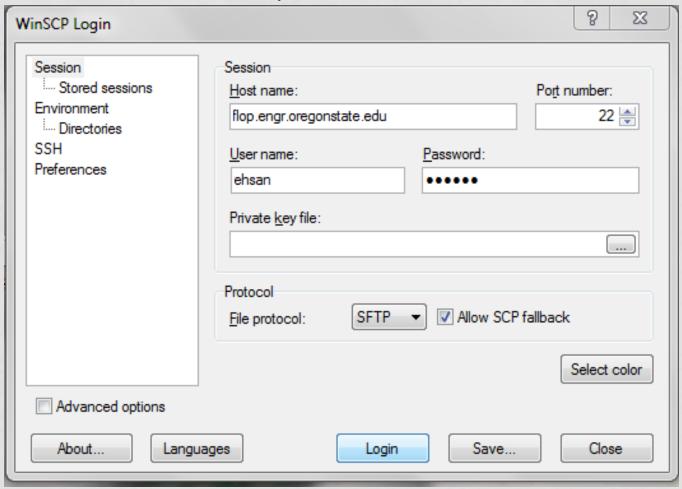
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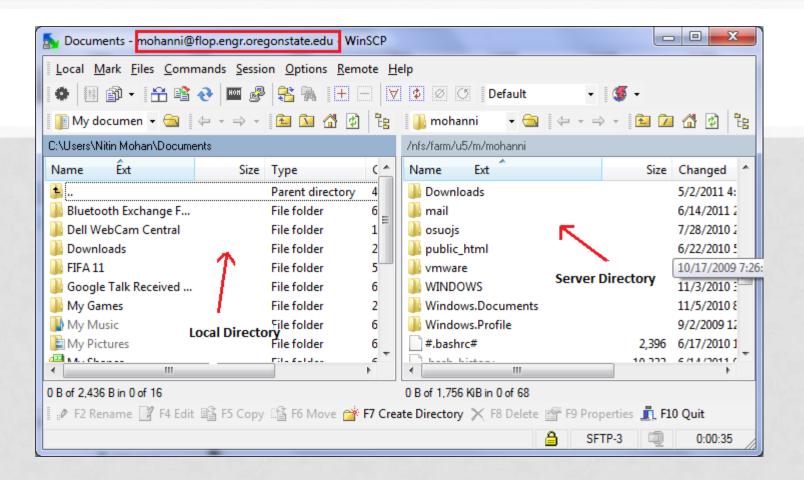
FLIP AND FLOP SERVERS

- Flip (flip.engr.oregonstate.edu) a Linux terminal server at OSU.
 - Accessible anywhere on-campus using a SSH client.
- Flop (flop.engr.oregonstate.edu) Linux terminal server at OSU.
 - Accessible from anywhere off- campus using a SSH client.
- Other servers at OSU
 - access.engr.oregonstate.edu (both flip and flop connect to this)
 - Shell.onid.oregonstate.edu
- All these servers uses your ENGR credentials except for shell.onid.

USING WINSCP

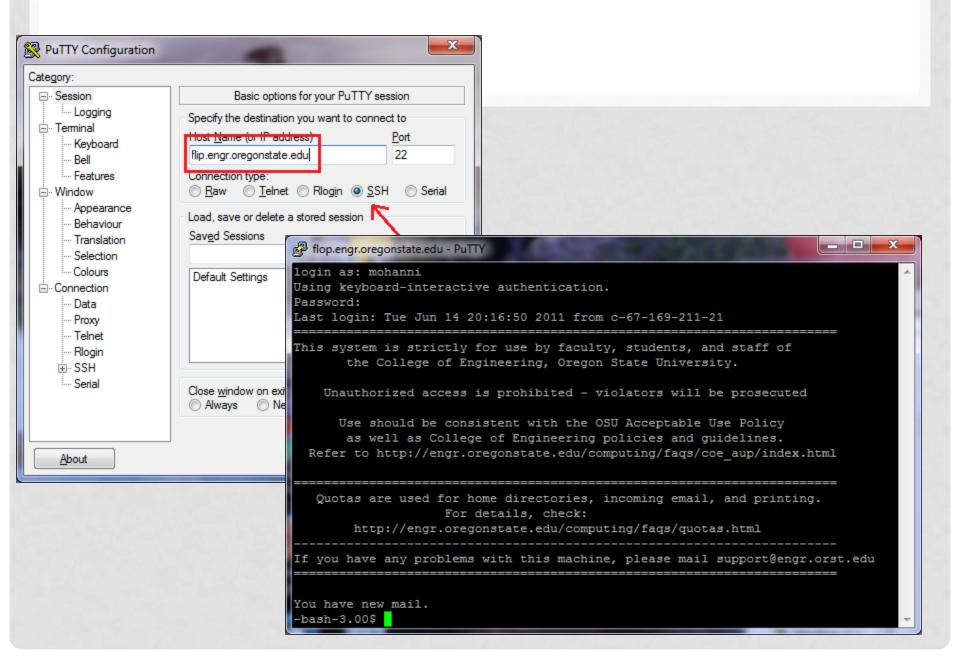
- Free software (only for Windows) for file transfer via SCP, FTP, SFTP.
- To transfer files to the flop server





- Files can be transferred by drag and drop.
- Software also features a basic linux terminal which executes the commands in the server.

USING PUTTY



USING SSH FROM TERMINAL

- ssh command is in-built in the linux terminal
- It can be used to connect to a server remotely via terminal
- Usage: ssh username@serveraddr
- Example: fickerd@flop.engr.oregonstate.edu

USING SSH ON A MAC.

- The best way to do this is through your terminal.
 You'll find it in:
 - -Macintosh HD->Application->Utilities->Terminal
- After its opened, go to "Shell (or File)" and click on "New Remote Connection".
- Then click on "Secure Shell (ssh). There technically shouldn't be anything in the right window that just flushed onto your screen, under the "server" part side.

USING SCP

- Scp is to securely copy files from local machine to server directory and vice versa using command line interface.
- Usage:

From the host to your computer: scp username@hostname:~/remotepath localpath

From your computer to the host: scp localpath username@hostname:~/remotepath

- Example:
- To move a file from my desktop to my web space I would use -

scp ~/Desktop ehsan@flop.engr.oregonstate.edu:~/public_html

STEP 2: RUNNING YOUR CODE USING GCC

- The GNU Compiler Collection (usually shortened to GCC) is a command line compiler system produced by the GNU Project, supporting various programming languages (includes C, C++).
- Compiling with GCC: gcc < list of options > sourcefile.c
- e.g.: gcc -Wall -ansi -pedantic-errors main.c -o main
- Output:
 - Compiling the code converts it into object files (*.o)
 - Linking the code uses the information from the object code to build executable.

RUNNING YOUR CODE USING GCC

- Compile multiple files:
 - 1. To stop the process till compilation step: gcc -c code1.c code2.c code3.c
 - 2. To link the individual '.o' files to generate the executable :
 gcc –o executor code 1.o code 2.o code 3.o

The same can be done in a single step: gcc -o executor code 1.c code 2.c code 3.c