Lab – How do I set Maintenance Page for website and activate it on-demand?

IP – 192.168.31.200

Server/domain Name – server4.com

# Make sure rewrite module is uncommented in configuration on server ( 192.168.31.200)

# Create a separate directory “customerrors”

# mkdir /var/www/html/server4\_website/customerrors

# Create “maintenance.html” under above directory and add below content in it.

# <html><h1> Dear User, Website is down for maintenance purpose. It will be up in next 1 hours. Sorry for inconvenience</h1></html>

# Add access related configuration in /etc/httpd/conf.d/namebase.conf on 192.168.31.200 on server4.com Virtualhost

# vi /etc/httpd/conf.d/namebase.conf

#--Setting up maintenance page--

ErrorDocument 503 /customerrors/maintenance.html

RewriteEngine on

RewriteCond %{ENV:REDIRECT\_STATUS} ^$

RewriteCond /var/www/html/server4\_website/UP -f

RewriteCond %{REQUEST\_URI} !=/customerrors/maintenance.html

RewriteRule ^ - [R=503,L]

1. Restart Apache, create blank file “UP” and test maintenance page

#systemctl restart httpd

# touch /var/www/html/server4\_website/UP

http://server4.com/