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Step 1: Clone the MERN app

```
cd ~  
git clone https://github.com/Kuzma02/Simple-MERN-App.git  
cd Simple-MERN-App
```

Step 2: Install Nodedependencies: (Inside simple mern app)

```
ls -la
```

```
npm install
```

```
nano .env
```

```
MONGO_URI=mongodb+srv://i221542:yxs7VnyPHUoJvCH9@  
cluster0.kujkb.mongodb.net/?retryWrites=true&w=majority&a  
ppName=Cluster0  
PORT=3000
```

Press Ctrl + O, then Enter to save, and Ctrl + X to exit.

```
node app.js
```

OPEN ANOTHER WSL AND PASTE THIS:

```
cd ~/Simple-MERN-App/client
```

```
npm install  
npm run dev
```

STEP 3: Deploy with Apache

(OPEN ANOTHER WSL TERMINAL)

1. Install Apache

```
sudo apt update  
sudo apt install apache2
```

2. Check if apache is running:

```
apache2 -v  
sudo systemctl status apache2
```

3. Enable proxy modules

```
sudo a2enmod proxy  
sudo a2enmod proxy_http
```

4. Edit Apache config

```
sudo nano  
/etc/apache2/sites-available/000-default.conf
```

Inside the <VirtualHost *:80> block, add:

```
<VirtualHost *:80>
    ServerName 172.25.180.97

    # Serve React frontend
    DocumentRoot /var/www/html
    <Directory /var/www/html>
        Options Indexes FollowSymLinks
        AllowOverride All
        Require all granted
    </Directory>

    # Proxy API requests to Express backend
    ProxyPass /api/v1/
    http://localhost:3000/api/v1/
    ProxyPassReverse /api/v1/
    http://localhost:3000/api/v1/

    ErrorLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/error.log
    CustomLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/access.log combined
</VirtualHost>
```

Then save (Ctrl + O, Enter, Ctrl + X).

5.Restart Apache:

```
sudo systemctl restart apache2
```

Then open:

<http://localhost>

STEP: 4: DEPLOY WITH NGINX:

Install Nginx

```
sudo apt install nginx
```

Configure Nginx

```
sudo nano /etc/nginx/sites-available/default
```

Replace the location / block with:

```
server {  
    listen 80;  
    server_name localhost;  
  
    location / {  
        proxy_pass http://localhost:3000;  
        proxy_http_version 1.1;  
        proxy_set_header Upgrade  
$http_upgrade;
```

```
        proxy_set_header Connection
'upgrade' ;
        proxy_set_header Host $host;
        proxy_cache_bypass $http_upgrade;
    }
}
```

Restart Nginx

```
sudo systemctl stop apache2
sudo systemctl restart nginx
```