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**PROJECT-1: Securing a networked system with Public Key Infrastructure
Implementing Transport Layer Security on HTTP for https:// connection**

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Hardware:

CPU: Intel i7 13th gen 13700k unlocked

RAM: 32GB DDR5 5200MHz

GPU: RTX3060ti 8GB

Boot Storage: 1TB SSD

(This mini project can be run in lower configure PC also)

Software:

VirtualBox 7.0: Downloads – Oracle VM VirtualBox

Ubuntu 20.04: <https://old-releases.ubuntu.com/releases/20.04/>

Firefox 75.0: https://ftp.mozilla.org/pub/firefox/releases/75.0/linux-x86_64/en-US/

Xampp 8.0.28: Download XAMPP (apachefriends.org)

Command Lines:

1. Configuration of Certification Authority and Implementation of Transport

1. Preparing the environment

→Moving to the root using

sudo -i

→Creating directory:

mkdir -p ca/{root-ca,sub-ca,server}/{private,certs,newcerts,crl,csr}

→Changing the root of ca and sub ca private folder

chmod -v 700 ca/{root-ca,sub-ca,server}/private

→Creating file index in both root ca and sub ca

touch ca/{root-ca,sub-ca}/index

→Generating hexadecimal random number of 16 charecter

openssl rand -hex 16

→writing serial number of root ca

`openssl rand -hex 16 > ca/root-ca/serial`

→writing serial number of sub ca

`openssl rand -hex 16 > ca/sub-ca/serial`

→moving to ca directory

`cd ca`

2. Generating private key for root ca, sub ca and server

→Public key for rootCA

`openssl genrsa -aes256 -out root-ca/private/ca.key 4096`

→Public key for subCA

`openssl genrsa -aes256 -out sub-ca/private/sub-ca.key 4096`

→Public key for server

`openssl genrsa -out server/private/server.key 2048`

3. Generating certificates

Root-CA,

→Creating root ca.config

`gedit root-ca/root-ca.conf`

→Moving inside root-ca

`cd root-ca`

→Generating root ca certificate

`openssl req -config root-ca.conf -key private/ca.key -new -x509 -days 7305 -sha256 -extensions v3_ca -out certs/ca.crt`

→Ensuring that the certificate has been created properly

`openssl x509 -noout -in certs/ca.crt -text`

→.pem file has been generated, See the signing

cat index

→ Root ca signed sub ca, Seeing detail

openssl x509 -noout -text -in ../sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt

```
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
MIIGATCCA+mgAwIBAgIRAKqDkguqrUJXbt8FqUczzYswDQYJKoZIhvcNAQELBQAw
gZIx CzA JBgNVBAYTAk JEMQ4w DAYDVQQIDAVEaGFrYTERMA8GA1UEBwwIQmFuYXNy
ZWUx DDAKBgNVBAoMA0VXVTEXMBUGA1UECwwOQ3liZXJfU2VjdXJpdHkx EzarBGNV
BAMMcK Fj bWVSb290Q0ExJDAiBgkqhkiG9w0BCQEFXNhhZmLuQGfjbWVyb290X2Nh
LmNvbTAeFw0yMzAzMTgxMzM1MTdaFw0zMzAzMTcxMzM1MTdaMH0xCzA JBgNVBAYT
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cl9TZW51cmleTESMBAGA1UEAwwJQWNTZVN1YkNBMSMwIQYJKoZIhvcNAQkBFhRz
YWZpbk BkY21lc3ViX2NhLmNvbTCCAiIwDQYJKoZIhvcNAQEBBQADggIPADCCAgoc
ggIBAKtrCjbiPh5GEf6CN9I9wdkf6+E4k9fD4vkQfY1jA40TDH4jluCuGjml1aEY
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juFUnekHPEPnslo505U1r0+4wpET1pgoKbb8CYXbaw/ivjKmo9bVSXWmL1gbe4iH
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h0HdT0D7EnXtqahIv30JwII3vQBtd9y35fp/b0YaobSXYT2hgrTnRHLHLxqFtr9h
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L9iHb5wsdadb+Pf1nzDAwqW6nax39BHtrAKVM7uV9z0jnxN7ZNobMgWx10WrfZb
nL8t/6wUM5JEmu8+1bc5M/Fmla0pnzF1oCsZVFibSXHimXl18N9Eg2GaFs0J2S2
yuI0rd5nDZbJr+xj5ZoAbdH0c5f80n8Bwb8wYjtBDAbq2tuLYN4w9DYyYi1ne4XA
7QV4FkBPJ9CUDZS3FF9ivqg4ubRnbIyok7sW4lePF5+f20g9AgMBAAGjZjBkMB0G
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FcmtCstSZ/gpl+eEdTASBgNVHRMBAf8ECDAGAQH/AgEAMA4GA1UdDwEB/wQEAWIB
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eT1QudLVq1vsDInDwJQAJJauH/REUT5/EH+8aV27UT5MkhkDZJBGtwq/Do0Nqssb
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Q0s0EX72+j3500eX5A9QXL/eI7NIbLZrHR632uWkcfcWR5fJGpTEaNYEp93J9ood
3Te5s2SubLT8RxdE/lVa6mtWXHz/QuD0/QmZ29vC5wIU/SLKjLwsiw4H2DL3N7ga
luEKcxI=
-----END CERTIFICATE-----
```

4. Configuring server

→ Moving to server

cd ../server

→ Generating certificate signing request from server

openssl req -key private/server.key -new -sha256 -out csr/server.csr

→ moving to sub ca to sign the server's certificate

cd ../sub-ca

→ Sub ca signing certificate request of server

openssl ca -config sub-ca.conf -extensions server_cert -days 365 -notext -in ../server/csr/server.csr -out
../server/certs/server.crt

```

root@server1:~/ca/server# openssl req -key private/server.key -new -sha256 -out
csr/server.csr
You are about to be asked to enter information that will be incorporated
into your certificate request.
What you are about to enter is what is called a Distinguished Name or a DN.
There are quite a few fields but you can leave some blank
For some fields there will be a default value,
If you enter '.', the field will be left blank.
-----
Country Name (2 letter code) [AU]:BD
State or Province Name (full name) [Some-State]:Dhaka
Locality Name (eg, city) []:Banasree
Organization Name (eg, company) [Internet Widgits Pty Ltd]:EWU
Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []:Cyber_Security
Common Name (e.g. server FQDN or YOUR name) []:www.safemyturn.com

```

→seeing detail

```

-----
cat index

```

→moving to certs folder to see certificate of server

```

-----
cd ../server/certs/

```

→See the directory by using command:

```

-----
ls

```

→Now, concating sub-ca.crt, ca.crt and server.crt and naming the new file chained.crt

```

-----
cat server.crt ../../sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt ../../root-ca/certs/ca.crt > chained.crt

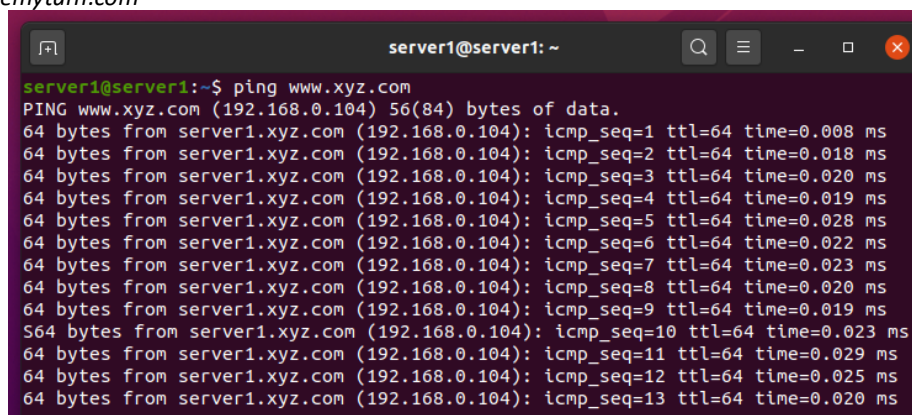
```

→moving back to server directory

```

-----
cd ..
echo "127.0.0.2 www.safemyturn.com" >> /etc/hosts
ping www.safemyturn.com

```



```

server1@server1: ~
server1@server1:~$ ping www.xyz.com
PING www.xyz.com (192.168.0.104) 56(84) bytes of data:
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.008 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=2 ttl=64 time=0.018 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=3 ttl=64 time=0.020 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=4 ttl=64 time=0.019 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=5 ttl=64 time=0.028 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=6 ttl=64 time=0.022 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=7 ttl=64 time=0.023 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=8 ttl=64 time=0.020 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=9 ttl=64 time=0.019 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=10 ttl=64 time=0.023 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=11 ttl=64 time=0.029 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=12 ttl=64 time=0.025 ms
64 bytes from server1.xyz.com (192.168.0.104): icmp_seq=13 ttl=64 time=0.020 ms

```

→Turning on the ssl port

`openssl s_server -accept 443 -www -key private/server.key -cert certs/server.crt -CAfile ../sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt`

→Opening new terminal

`sudo -i`

→See the port number used by different Ip addresses

`ss -ntl`
`sudo apt update`
`sudo apt install curl`

→copying the certificate to ca certificate folder

`cp ca/root-ca/certs/ca.crt /usr/local/share/ca-certificates/`

→Updating ca certificate folder

`update-ca-certificates -v`

→Open new terminal

`sudo -i`
`tree ca`

→Copy .pem files to home for future use

`cp /root/ca/root-ca/newcerts/21DE5190AF587104493F1750892E9B86.pem ~server/`
`cp /root/ca/sub-ca/newcerts/ACB9E41C001BD6E31714199EF459CA4C.pem ~server/`

→Copy .crt files to certificate folder in home for future use

`cp /root/ca/root-ca/certs/ca.crt /home/server/certificate`
`cp /root/ca/sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt /home/server/certificate/`
`cp /root/ca/server/certs/chained.crt /home/server/certificate/`
`cp /root/ca/server/certs/server.crt /home/server/certificate/`
`cp /root/ca/server/private/server.key /home/server/certificate/`

→Next go to this location using new terminal

`sudo -i`
`cd /opt/lampp/etc/extra`
`chmod 777 httpd-ssl.conf`
`gedit httpd-ssl.conf`

→In line 106 replace this line

`SSLCertificateFile "/home/server/certificate/server.crt"`

→ In line 116 replace this line

SSLCertificateKeyFile "/home/server/certificate/server.key"

→ In line 136 replace this line

SSLCACertificatePath "/home/server/certificate"

→ For auto redirect to https place this after line 98

*<VirtualHost _default_:80>
ServerName www.example.com:80
ServerAdmin you@example.com
Redirect permanent / https://www.safemyturn.com
</VirtualHost>*

→ Remove all file from htdocs

*sudo -i
cd /opt/lampp/htdocs
ls
rm -r dashboard img webalizer
rm applications.html bitnami.css index.php*

→ Now make a html file and write some html code

*touch index.html
gedit index.html*

save and exit

Now on the browser

**Settings → privacy and security → view certificate → authorities → import → select the file
→ open → select purpose → {view: to see the certificate} → OK**

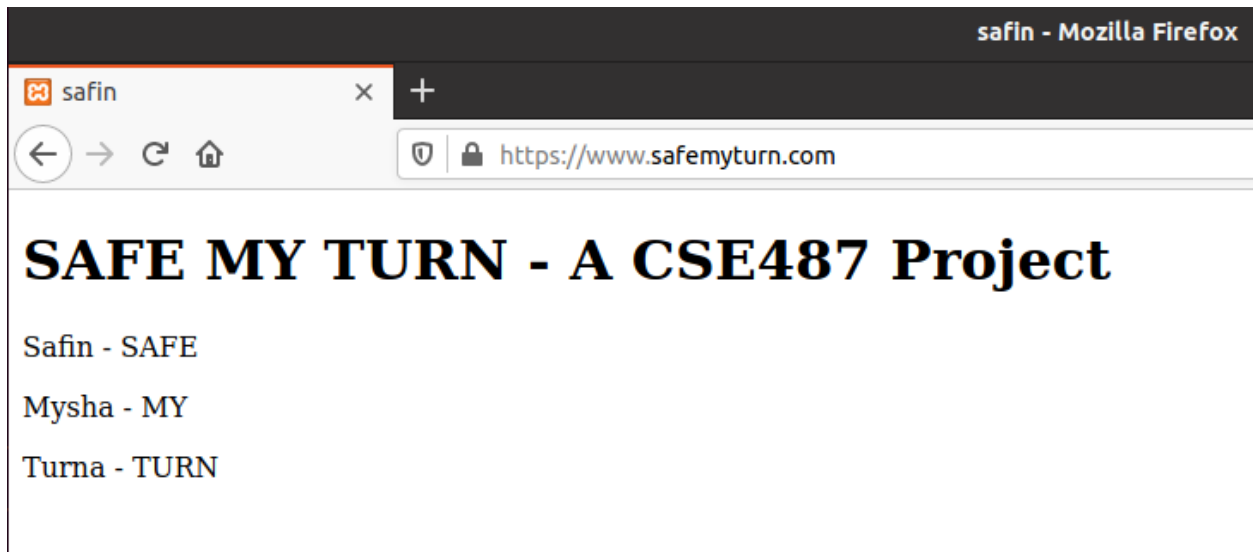
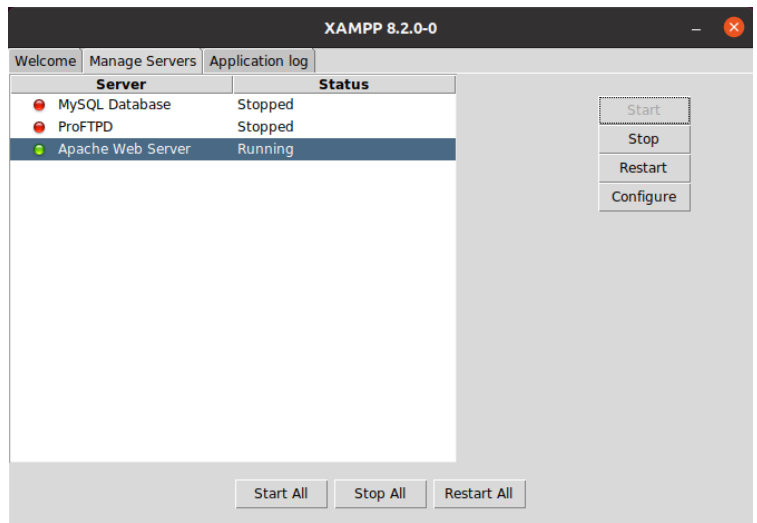
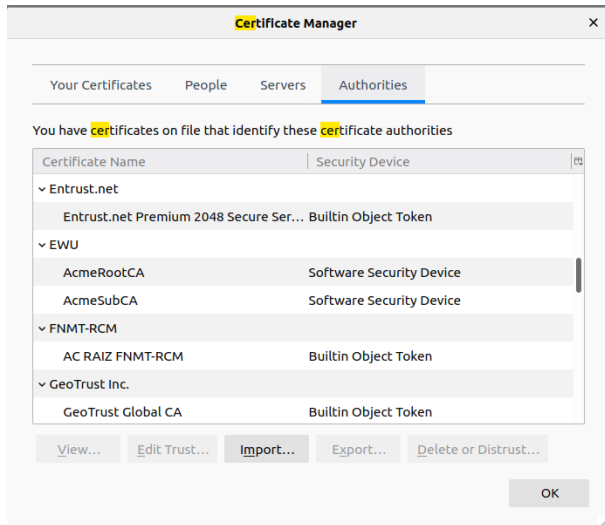


Figure: website with lock

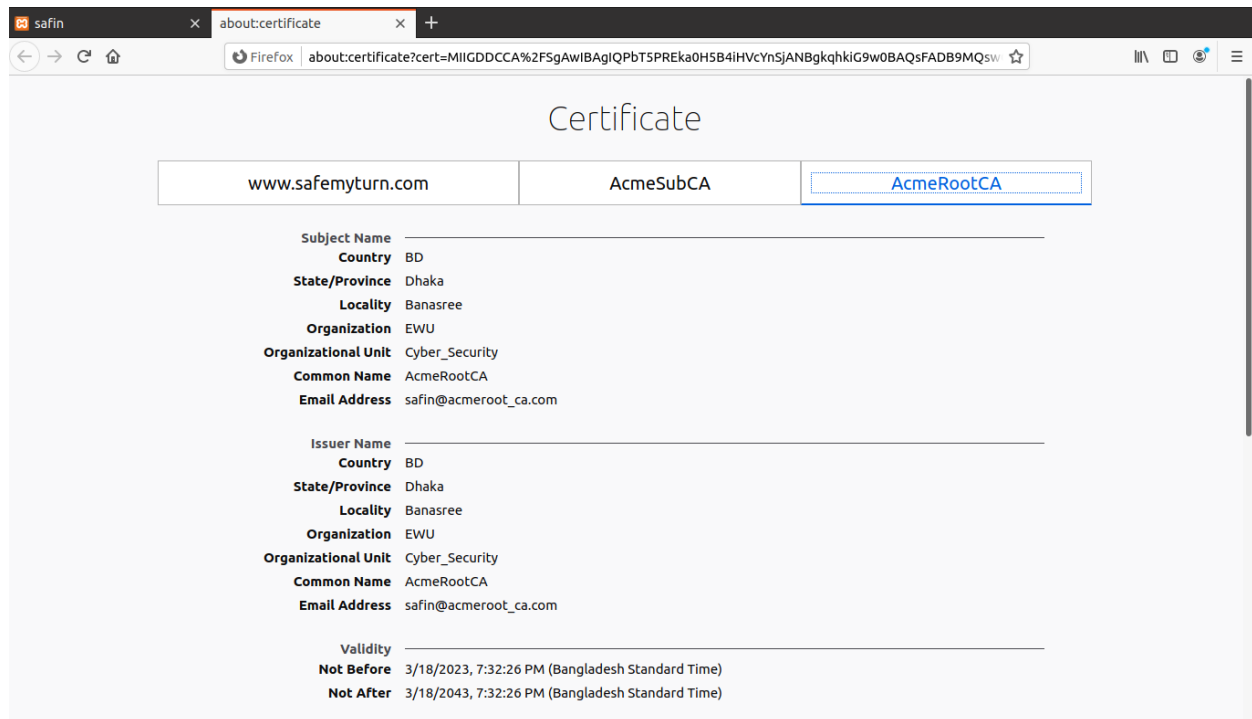


Figure: certificates

2. DNS configuration

```
ip addr //To get device ip
ip route //To get default gateway ip
sudo -i
sudo apt install bind9
named -v
```

```
cd /etc/bind
ls
hostnamectl status
gedit /etc/hosts
```

[After the command edit next]

192.168.0.104 server.safemyturn.com server//this is your ip which you get from ip addr command

[save and exit]

```
hostname
dnsdomainname
hostname --fqdn
```

```
cp named.conf.options named.conf.options.orig
gedit named.conf.options
```

[After the command edit next]

```
//=====
    dnssec-validation auto;
    listen-on-v6 { any; };
    recursion yes;
    listen-on{192.168.0.104;};
    allow-transfer {none;};

    forwarders {
        192.168.0.1;

    };
```

[save and exit]

```
cp named.conf.local named.conf.local.orig
gedit named.conf.local
```

[After the command edit next]

```
//forward lookup zone
zone "safemyturn.com" IN{
    type master;
    file "/etc/bind/db.safemyturn.com";
};

//reverse lookup zone
zone "0.168.192.in-addr.arpa" IN {
    type master;
    file "/etc/bind/db.0.168.192";
};
```

[save and exit]

```
named-checkconf
ls
cat named.conf.local
cp db.local db.genibarta.com
gedit db.genibarta.com
```

[Replace full file with that text]

```
;
; BIND data file for local loopback interface
;
$TTL      604800
@         IN      SOA     ns1.safemyturn.com. root.safemyturn.com. (
                        2           ; Serial
                        604800      ; Refresh
                        86400       ; Retry
                        2419200     ; Expire
                        604800 ) ; Negative Cache TTL
;
@         IN      NS      ns1.safemyturn.com.
ns1       IN      A        192.168.0.104
www       IN      A        192.168.0.104
ftp       IN      A        192.168.0.104
@         IN      MX      10      mail
mail      IN      A        192.168.0.104
@         IN      AAAA     ::1
```

[Save and exit]

```
named-checkzone genibarta.com db.genibarta.com
cp db.127 db.0.168.192
gedit db.0.168.192
```

[Replace full file with that text]

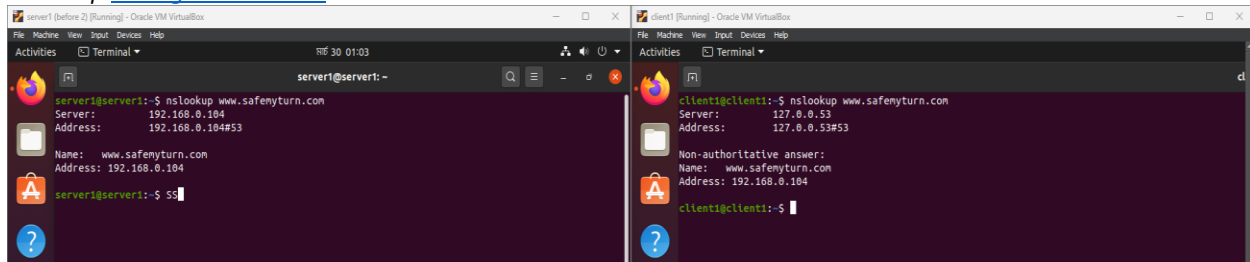
```
;
; BIND reverse data file for local loopback interface
;
$TTL      604800
@         IN      SOA     ns1. safemyturn.com. root. safemyturn.com. (
                        1           ; Serial
                        604800      ; Refresh
                        86400       ; Retry
                        2419200     ; Expire
                        604800 ) ; Negative Cache TTL
;
@         IN      NS      ns1. safemyturn.com.
24        IN      PTR     ns1. safemyturn.com.
24        IN      PTR     www. safemyturn.com.
24        IN      PTR     ftp. safemyturn.com.
24        IN      PTR     mail. safemyturn.com.
```

[Save and exit]

```
named-checkzone 0.168.192.in-addr.arpa db.0.168.192
named-checkconf
```

```
service bind9 restart
service bind9 status
```

nslookup www.genibarta.com



If wrong IP is showing

```
cat /etc/resolv.conf
rm /etc/resolv.conf
ln -sf /run/systemd/resolve/resolv.conf /etc/resolv.conf
gedit /etc/resolv.conf
```

[Replace last line with that text]

```
nameserver 192.168.0.20
nameserver 192.168.0.1
search localdomain
```

[Save and exit]

Write the IP of the server in the client PC DNS manu.

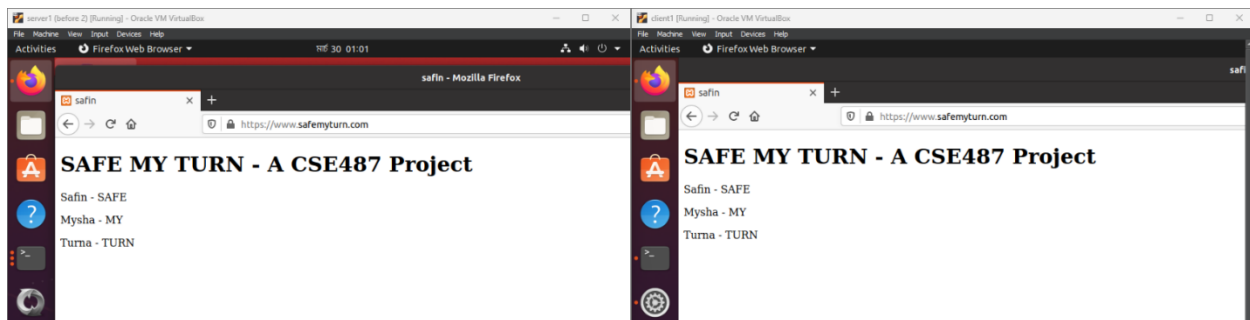


Figure: From client PC

Firewall configuration

→Install ufw package

`sudo apt install ufw`

→Set default rules for ufw firewall

`ufw default allow outgoing`

`ufw default deny incoming`

→Enable ufw

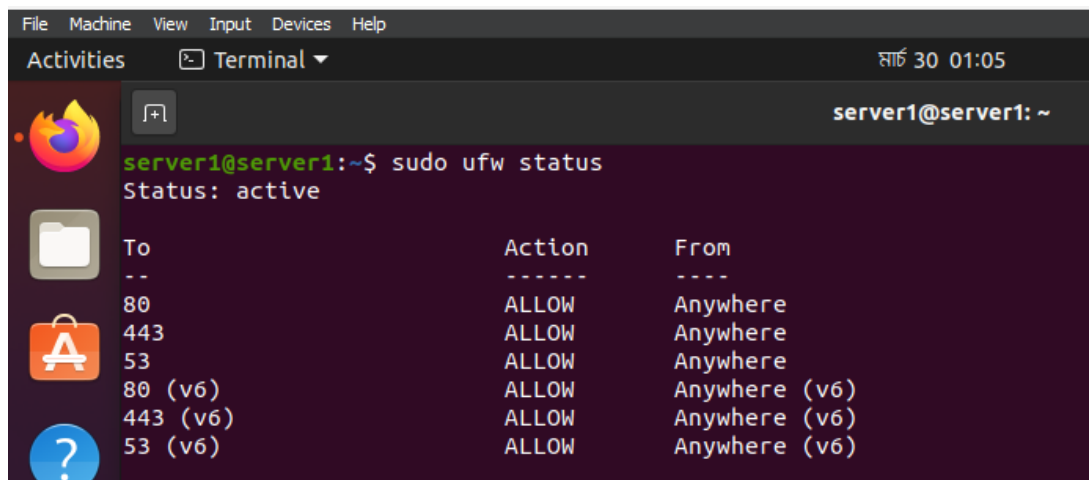
`ufw enable`

→Allow port 80 (http), 443(https), and 53(DNS)

`ufw allow 80`

`ufw allow 443`

`ufw allow 53`



```
File Machine View Input Devices Help
Activities Terminal
server1@server1: ~
server1@server1:~$ sudo ufw status
Status: active

To Action From
--
80 ALLOW Anywhere
443 ALLOW Anywhere
53 ALLOW Anywhere
80 (v6) ALLOW Anywhere (v6)
443 (v6) ALLOW Anywhere (v6)
53 (v6) ALLOW Anywhere (v6)
```

Figure: only 80,443,53 ports are allowed

DOS ATTACK:

In server

→To install snort tool

`Sudo apt-get install snort -y`

→To start snort

`Sudo snort -A console -c /etc/snort/snort.conf`

→IDS configure

```
cd /etc/snort
cp snort.conf test_snort.conf
sudo gedit test_snort.conf
```

→Then go to line 51 and under “ipvar HOME_NET any” write ip var HOME_NET your host ip
ipvar HOME_NET 192.168.0.104/24

```
cd /etc/snort/rules
sudo gedit local.rules
```

→Write the following line and save exit

```
alert tcp any any -> $HOME_NET any (flags:S; msg:"DoS attack happening"; flow:stateless; detection_filter:track
by_dst,count 70,Seconds 10; sid:1000001; rev:1;)
```

→Validate the conf file

```
sudo snort -T -c /etc/snort/test_snort.conf -i enp0s3
```

→Start snort

```
sudo snort -A console -q -i enp0s3 -c /etc/snort/test_snort.conf
```

In attack client

→To install hping3 tool

```
Apt install hping3 -y
```

→To start attack

```
Sudo hping3 -S -flood -V -p 443 192.168.0.104
```

NOW START ATTACK FROM CLIENT TO SERVER

The image shows two side-by-side terminal windows from Oracle VM VirtualBox. The left window, titled 'server1 (before 2) [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox', shows a root user on a server at 192.168.0.104. It displays a continuous stream of log messages indicating a DoS attack: '05/06-20:02:25.330457 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3449 -> 192.168.0.104:100'. The right window, titled 'client1 [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox', shows a root user on a client at 192.168.0.104. The user has executed 'sudo -i' and then 'sudo hping3 -S --flood -V -p 100 192.168.0.104'. The output shows 'HPING 192.168.0.104 (enp0s3 192.168.0.104): S set, 40 headers + 0 data bytes' and 'hping in flood mode, no replies will be shown'. A hping statistic is also shown: '--- 192.168.0.104 hping statistic --- 264088 packets transmitted, 0 packets received, 100% packet loss round-trip min/avg/max = 0.0/0.0/0.0 ms'.

```
server1 (before 2) [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox
root@server1: ~
05/06-20:02:25.330457 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3449 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.330458 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3450 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.330458 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3451 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.330458 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3452 -> 192.168.0.104:100
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05/06-20:02:25.330458 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3454 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.330594 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3455 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.330854 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3456 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.331063 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3457 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.331240 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3458 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.331454 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3459 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.332477 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3460 -> 192.168.0.104:100
05/06-20:02:25.332732 [**] [1:1000001:1] DoS attack happening [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.109:3461 -> 192.168.0.104:100

client1 [Running] - Oracle VM VirtualBox
root@client1: ~
client1@client1:~$ sudo -i
[sudo] password for client1:
root@client1:~# sudo hping3 -S --flood -V -p 100 192.168.0.104
using enp0s3, addr: 192.168.0.109, MTU: 1500
HPING 192.168.0.104 (enp0s3 192.168.0.104): S set, 40 headers + 0 data bytes
hping in flood mode, no replies will be shown
^C
--- 192.168.0.104 hping statistic ---
264088 packets transmitted, 0 packets received, 100% packet loss
round-trip min/avg/max = 0.0/0.0/0.0 ms
root@client1:~#
```

Figure: attacking from client to server