
VNC using an ssh tunnel

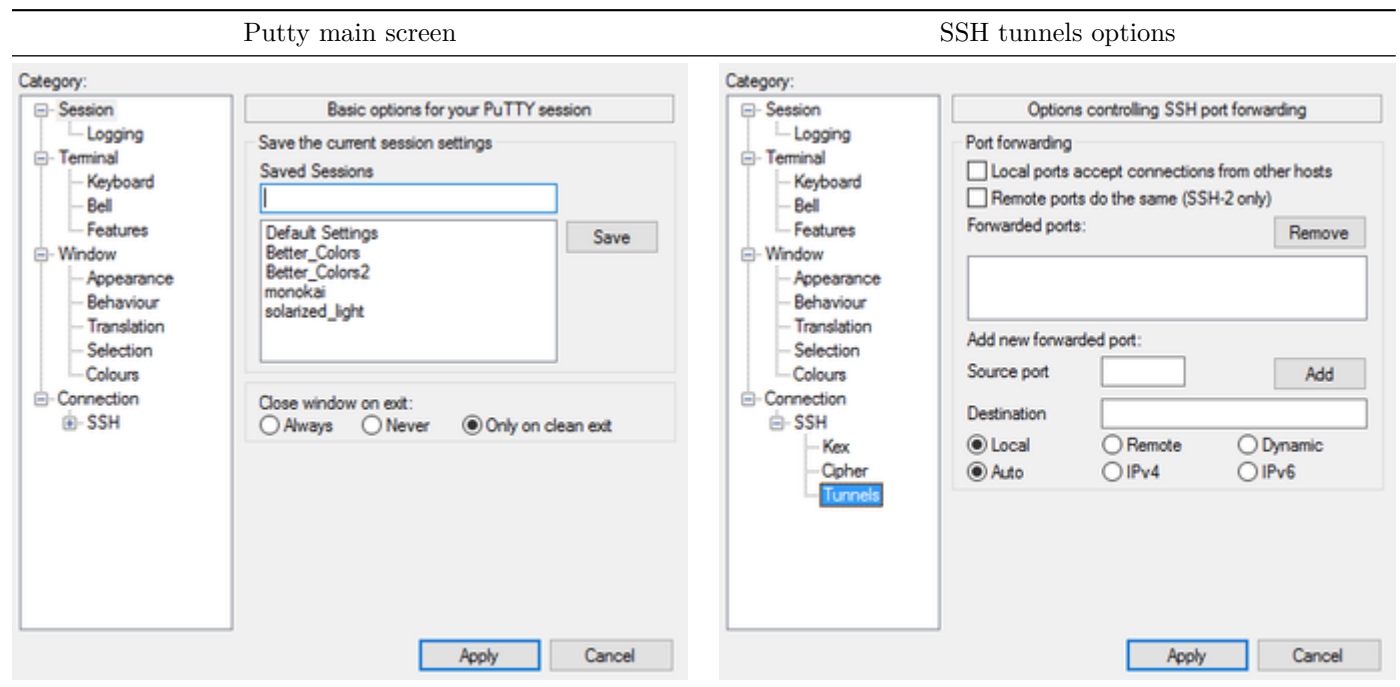
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Using the Windows PuTTY program to configure tunneling (through port 22) to access to a persistent VNC session.

PuTTY settings to tunnel VNC port

Open a PuTTY session and make a connection to `kojack`.

In the open PuTTY window, you can right click on the window bar at the top to bring up the menu. Navigate to the *Change Settings* menu. Click the *Tunnels* option under the *SSH* category.



In the *Source Port* field enter the local port. In this example we will use 5956, to match the remote port. In the *Destination* field, enter `kojack.jacks.local:5956` (for this example—use own VNC port here).

Click the *Add* button and then click *Apply*.

VNC session to tunneled port

Open the VNC viewer program. In the server field, now put `localhost:5956` (use your own VNC port in place of the example).

This should then connect you to your VNC session on `kojack`. You will be prompted for your VNC password.

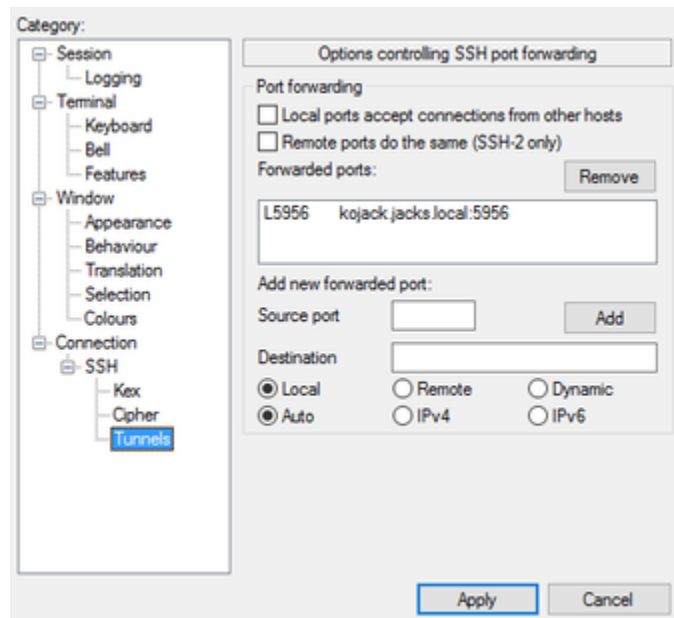


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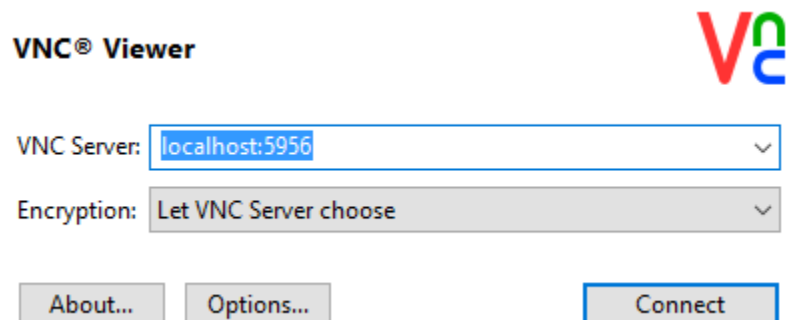


Figure 2: image

Saving the session with the tunnel configuration

If you want to have the tunnel run every time you start PuTTY, you can go to the *Session* section and save the session, giving it a new name, before you quit your PuTTY session.