

# Final Project

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## OS Setup and user creation

### Install OS into the VM

First and foremost, we need the following:

1. A Linux Server ISO image. I downloaded mine from here: <https://ubuntu.com/download/server>.
2. A Virtualization Program. I typically use [virt-manager](#), a well-known QEMU/KVM client for Linux.

You then set up the VM specifying:

- RAM usage
- CPU cores
- Virtual disk space
- Specify other hardware (input devices, GPU acceleration, USB redirection)

See Figure 1.

Then we must run the ISO installer to setup:

- Language setup
- Network
- Base packages
- User creation

See Figure 2.

#### **i** Note

The live installer has some policy that prevents uppercase characters in the hostname. Thus, I had to set up the correct hostname *after* the initial installation. See Figure 3.

## Evidence

### ⚠ Warning

For ease of use, from this point on I will ssh into the guest machine so I can more easily manage the VM from the host. To set it up, I did the following:

```
sudo apt update ①
sudo apt install ssh ②
sudo nano /etc/ssh/ssh_config ③
sudo ufw allow 22 ④
sudo systemctl enable --now ssh ⑤
```

- ① Update repositories
- ② Install `ssh`
- ③ Open port 22 to allow ssh on that port
- ④ Add firewall rule to allow ssh to go through it
- ⑤ Start ssh service and set it to start on boot

Then, all I had to do is:

1. Find guest IP (run `ip a` from guest)
2. Access it from the host. See Figure 4

- Host IP: *192.168.1.206*
- Guest IP: *192.168.122.175*

See Figure 5 to verify that I can access the guest Ubuntu Server from my host machine.

## User creation

The simplest way to create four users and set their passwords to automatically expire every year is with a small shell script:

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### Listing 0.1 user\_creation.sh

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```
#!/bin/bash

for i in {1..4} ①
do
    username="user$(printf '%02d' $i)" ②
    sudo useradd $username ③
    echo "User $username created"

    sudo chage --maxdays 365 $username ④
    echo "Password for $username set to expire every year!"
done ①
```

- ① Loop over four users to create and modify their password policy

- ② Dynamically change username to `user` + `[01..04]`
- ③ Create user
- ④ Set password to reset after 365 days (every year) for the previously created user

See Figure 6a.

## Evidence

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### Listing 0.2 user\_info.sh

---

```
#!/bin/bash

for i in {1..4}
do
    username="user$(printf '%02d' $i)"
    sudo chage -l $username
done
```

---

See Figure 6b.

## Services stack

### Server postgres

#### Install *docker* and *docker-compose*

Following the [official documentation](#):

```
# Add Docker's official GPG key:
sudo apt-get update
sudo apt-get install ca-certificates curl
sudo install -m 0755 -d /etc/apt/keyrings
sudo curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg \
    -o /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.asc
sudo chmod a+r /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.asc

# Add the repository to Apt sources:
echo \
    "deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) \
        signed-by=/etc/apt/keyrings/docker.asc] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \
    $(. /etc/os-release && echo "$VERSION_CODENAME") stable" | \
    sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /dev/null
sudo apt-get update

# Install docker
```

```
sudo apt-get install docker-ce docker-ce-cli \
  containerd.io docker-buildx-plugin docker-compose-plugin

## Run a test container
sudo docker run hello-world
```

## Configuring a service stack with docker compose

```
git clone https://github.com/jestebangr/prac20232-orig.git
```

My resulting docker compose file:

---

### Listing 0.3 docker-compose.yaml

---

```
version: '3.9'

services:
  db:
    image: postgres:16.2
    container_name: dbhost
    ports:
      - "5432:5432"
    environment:
      POSTGRES_DB: ${POSTGRES_DB}
      POSTGRES_USER: ${POSTGRES_USER}
      POSTGRES_PASSWORD: ${POSTGRES_PASSWORD}
    volumes:
      - postgres_data:/var/lib/postgresql/data
      - ./dataset/init.sql:/docker-entrypoint-initdb.d/init.sql

volumes:
  postgres_data:
```

- ① Add a ports configuration to expose Postgres default port (5432) to the host
- ② Use environment variables to configure the database without hardcoding sensitive information
- ③ Define a volume to ensure data persistence
- ④ To load the init.sql file automatically, use the docker-entrypoint-initdb.d directory which is automatically executed during container startup
- ⑤ Define the named volume

#### **i** Note

It is necessary to set the credentials related to postgres before running the docker container in an env file:

**Listing 0.4 .env**

```
POSTGRES_DB="uoc2023"
POSTGRES_USER="aperez-b"
POSTGRES_PASSWORD="1234"
```

**Evidence**

```
cat docker-compose.yml
```

See Figure 7a.

```
sudo docker ps
```

See Figure 7b.

```
sudo netstat -a | grep postgresql
```

See Figure 7c.

```
nmap -p- --open -n 192.168.122.175
```

See Figure 7d.

```
psql -h localhost -p 5432 -U aperez-b -d uoc2023
```

See Figure 7e.

**Web Server Deno****Evidence**

```
cat docker-compose.yml
```

See Figure 8a.

```
cat Dockerfile
```

See Figure 8b.

```
sudo docker ps
```

See Figure 8c.

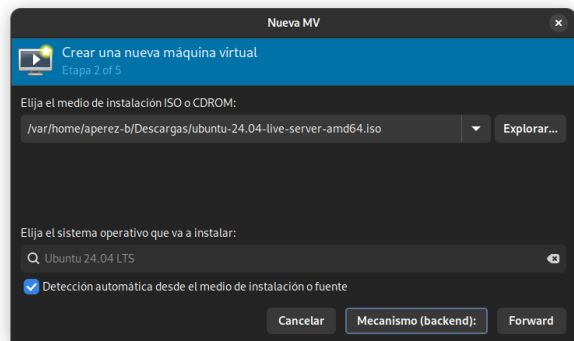
- Webhost connection: see Figure 8d.

**Reverse Proxy**

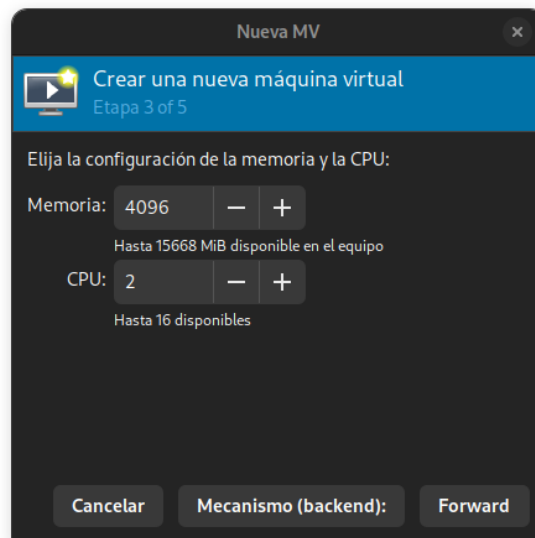
See Figure 9 and Figure 10.

## **Annexes**

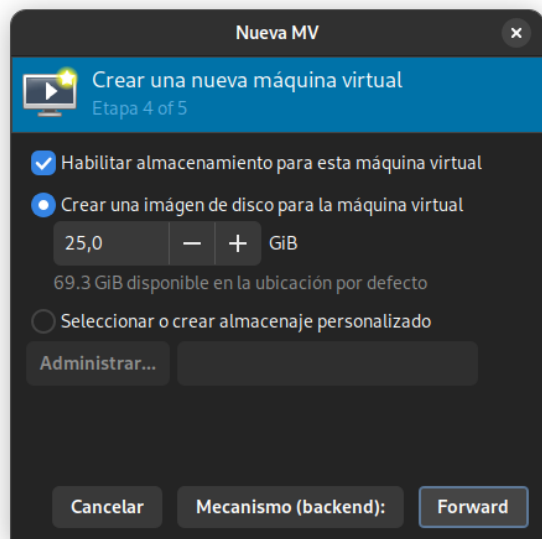




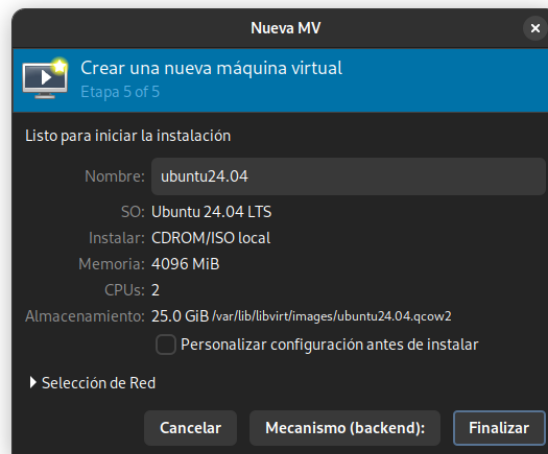
(a) Select ISO



(b) Set number of CPUs and RAM capacity

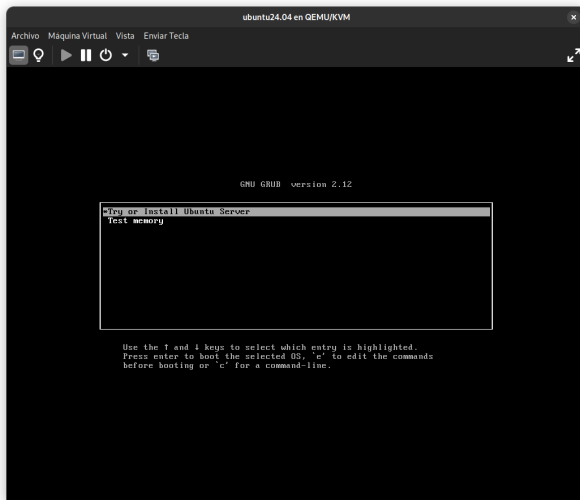


(c) Create virtual disk

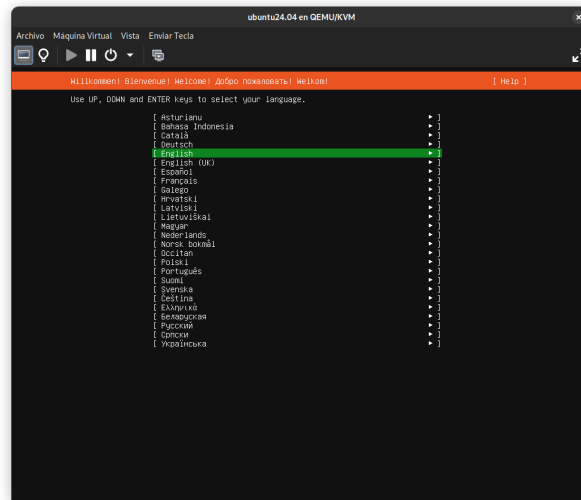


(d) Finish installation

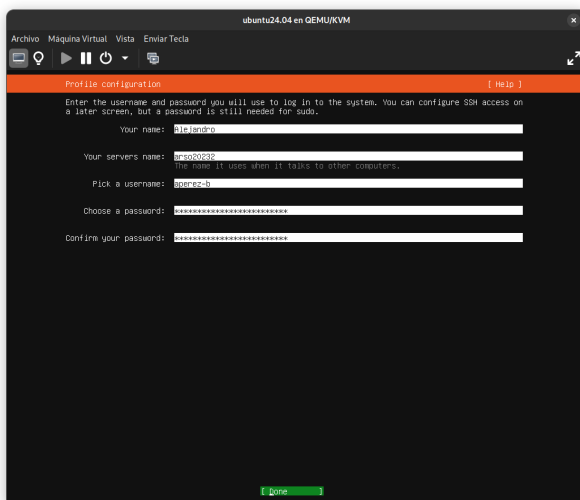
Figure 1: Ubuntu Installation



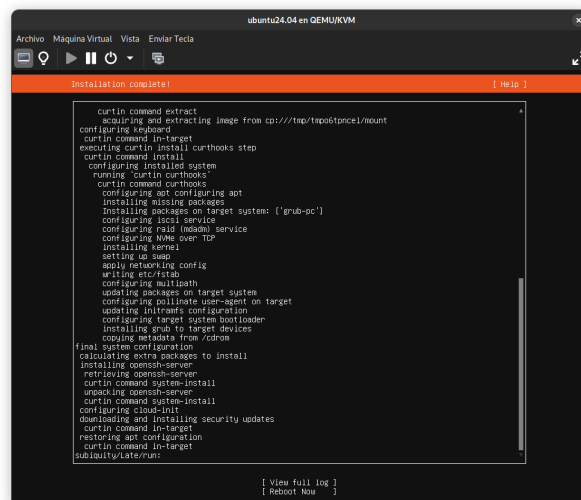
(a) Live Boot



(b) Language Setup



(c) User setup with UOC information

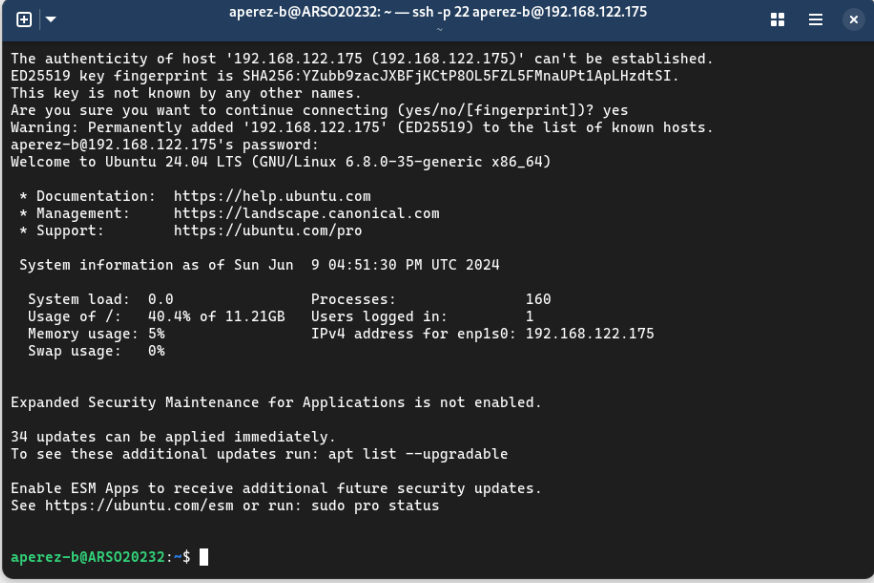


(d) Install complete

Figure 2: Live Boot configuration

```
aperez-b@arso20232:~$ hostnamectl set-hostname ARSO20232
==== AUTHENTICATING FOR org.freedesktop.hostname1.set-static-hostname ====
Authentication is required to set the statically configured local hostname, as well as the pretty hostname.
Authenticating as: Alejandro (aperez-b)
Password:
==== AUTHENTICATION COMPLETE ====
aperez-b@arso20232:~$
```

Figure 3: Set hostname to ARSO20232 in the guest



```
aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~ — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
The authenticity of host '192.168.122.175 (192.168.122.175)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:YZubb9zacJXBFjKtP8OL5FZLSFMnaUPt1ApLHzdtSI.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? yes
Warning: Permanently added '192.168.122.175' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
aperez-b@192.168.122.175's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-35-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Sun Jun  9 04:51:30 PM UTC 2024

System load:  0.0      Processes:           160
Usage of /:   40.4% of 11.21GB   Users logged in:    1
Memory usage: 5%      IPv4 address for enp1s0: 192.168.122.175
Swap usage:   0%

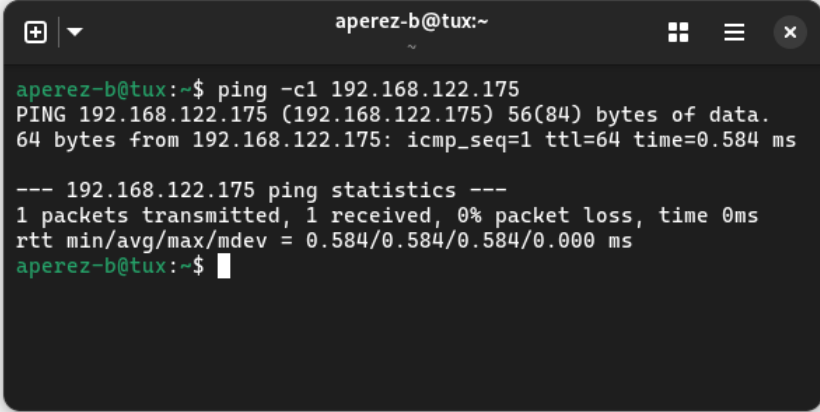
Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

34 updates can be applied immediately.
To see these additional updates run: apt list --upgradable

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$
```

Figure 4: ssh into guest machine



```
aperez-b@tux:~$ ping -c1 192.168.122.175
PING 192.168.122.175 (192.168.122.175) 56(84) bytes of data.
64 bytes from 192.168.122.175: icmp_seq=1 ttl=64 time=0.584 ms

--- 192.168.122.175 ping statistics ---
1 packets transmitted, 1 received, 0% packet loss, time 0ms
rtt min/avg/max/mdev = 0.584/0.584/0.584/0.000 ms
aperez-b@tux:~$
```

Figure 5: Ping guest machine

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~ -- ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ vim user_creation.sh
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ chmod +x user_creation.sh
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ ./user_creation.sh
User user01 created
Password for user01 set to expire every year!
User user02 created
Password for user02 set to expire every year!
User user03 created
Password for user03 set to expire every year!
User user04 created
Password for user04 set to expire every year!
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$

```

(a) User creation and password policy script

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~ -- ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ vim user_info.sh
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ chmod +x user_info.sh
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$ ./user_info.sh
Last password change      : Jun 09, 2024
Password expires          : Jun 09, 2025
Password inactive         : never
Account expires           : never
Minimum number of days between password change : 0
Maximum number of days between password change : 365
Number of days of warning before password expires : 7
Last password change      : Jun 09, 2024
Password expires          : Jun 09, 2025
Password inactive         : never
Account expires           : never
Minimum number of days between password change : 0
Maximum number of days between password change : 365
Number of days of warning before password expires : 7
Last password change      : Jun 09, 2024
Password expires          : Jun 09, 2025
Password inactive         : never
Account expires           : never
Minimum number of days between password change : 0
Maximum number of days between password change : 365
Number of days of warning before password expires : 7
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~$

```

(b) sudo chage -l userXX

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$ cat docker-compose.yml
version: '3.9'
services:
  db:
    image: postgres:16.2
    container_name: dbhost
    ports:
      - "5432:5432"
    environment:
      POSTGRES_DB: ${POSTGRES_DB}
      POSTGRES_USER: ${POSTGRES_USER}
      POSTGRES_PASSWORD: ${POSTGRES_PASSWORD}
    volumes:
      - postgres_data:/var/lib/postgresql/data
      - ./dataset/init.sql:/docker-entrypoint-initdb.d/init.sql
volumes:
  postgres_data:
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$

```

(a) cat docker-compose.yaml

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$ sudo docker ps
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE          COMMAND                  CREATED        STATUS        PORTS                               NAMES
880573186d2    postgres:16.2 "/docker-entrypoint.s..." 4 minutes ago  Up 2 minutes  0.0.0.0:5432->5432/tcp, :::5432->5432/tcp  dbhost
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$

```

(b) sudo docker ps

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$ sudo netstat -a | grep postgresql
tcp        0      0 0.0.0.0:postgresql    0.0.0.0:*        LISTEN
tcp6       0      0 :::postgresql        ::::*            LISTEN
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$

```

(c) sudo netstat -a | grep postgresql

```

aperez-b@tux:~
[aperez-b@arch ~]$ nmap -p- --open -n 192.168.122.175
Starting Nmap 7.95 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-06-09 18:25 UTC
Nmap scan report for 192.168.122.175
Host is up (0.00012s latency).
Not shown: 65533 closed tcp ports (conn-refused)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
5432/tcp  open  postgresql

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 1.45 seconds
[aperez-b@arch ~]$

```

(d) nmap -p- --open -n 192.168.122.175

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@ARSO20232:~/prac20232-orig$ psql -h localhost -p 5432 -U aperez-b -d uoc2023
Password for user aperez-b:
psql (16.3 (Ubuntu 16.3-0ubuntu0.24.04.1), server 16.2 (Debian 16.2-1.pgdg120+2))
Type "help" for help.

uoc2023=#

```

(e) psql -h localhost -p 5432 -U aperez-b -d uoc2023

Figure 7: Evidences for postgres server

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~/prac20232-orig
$ cat docker-compose.yml
version: '3.8'
services:
  postgres:
    image: postgres:13
    container_name: postgres
    restart: always
    environment:
      POSTGRES_DB: arso
      POSTGRES_USER: arso
      POSTGRES_PASSWORD: arso
    volumes:
      - ./postgres:/var/lib/postgresql/data
  deno:
    image: denoland/deno:1.41.3
    container_name: deno
    restart: always
    working_dir: /app
    volumes:
      - ./deno:/app
    ports:
      - 8000:8000
    command: ["deno", "run", "--allow-net", "--allow-env", "--allow-read", "main.ts"]

```

(a) cat docker-compose.yml

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~/prac20232-orig/deno-app
$ cat Dockerfile
FROM denoland/deno:1.41.3

# Set the working directory inside the container
WORKDIR /app

# Copy the local code to the container's work directory
COPY . /app

# Expose port 8000 on the container
EXPOSE 8000

# Run the Deno application
CMD ["deno", "run", "--allow-net", "--allow-env", "--allow-read", "main.ts"]

```

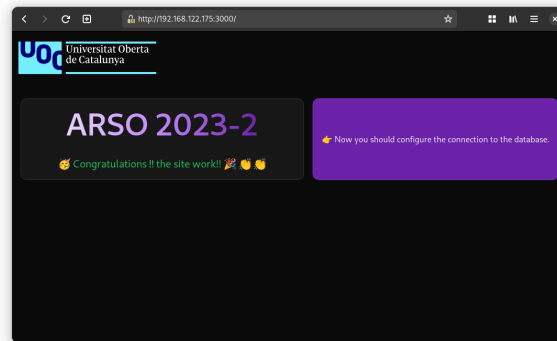
(b) cat Dockerfile

```

aperez-b@ARSO20232: ~/prac20232-orig
$ sudo docker ps
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE      COMMAND                  CREATED    STATUS    PORTS
09e4b32c0d4    postgres  postgres -c 'shared_bu...  0 seconds ago    Up 5 seconds    5432-5432/tcp
b6c6b04f9e4    deno      deno run --allow-net, ...  0 seconds ago    Up 5 seconds    8000-8000/tcp

```

(c) sudo docker ps

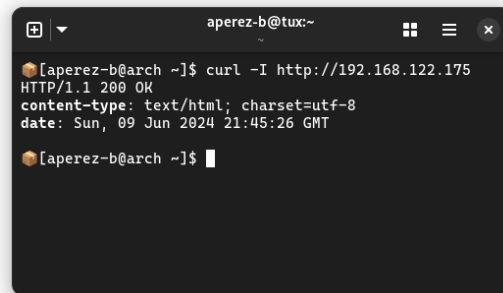


(d) Deno Web

Figure 8: Evidences for postgres + Deno server



```
(a) cat reverse-proxy/Dockerfile; cat
reverse-proxy/haproxy.cfg; cat docker-compose.yml
```



(d) `curl -I http://192.168.122.175`

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```
aperez-b@AR5020232: ~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$ cat reverse-proxy/Dockerfile
cat reverse-proxy/haproxy.cfg
FROM haproxy:2.9
COPY haproxy.cfg /usr/local/etc/haproxy/haproxy.cfg
global
    log stdout format raw local0
defaults
    log global
    mode http
    option httplog
    timeout connect 5000ms
    timeout client 5000ms
    timeout server 5000ms
frontend http_front
    bind *:80
    default_backend http_back
backend http_back
    server web webhost:8000 check
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$
```

(a) `cat reverse-proxy/Dockerfile; cat reverse-proxy/haproxy.cfg`

```
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE                                COMMAND                  CREATED    STATUS    PORTS    NAMES
101a077870    prac20232-orig-haproxy              "haproxy -c /usr/local/etc/haproxy/haproxy.cfg" 5 minutes ago Up 5 minutes 0.0.0.0:80->80/tcp, 0.0.0.0:443->443/tcp, ... 443-443/tcp    proxy
5063c8220a    prac20232-orig-web                  "nginx -g 'daemon off;'" 5 minutes ago Up 5 minutes 0.0.0.0:8000->8000/tcp, ... 8000-8000/tcp    webhost
0181c1c800    postgresql                          "docker-entrypoint.sh" 5 minutes ago Up 5 minutes 0.0.0.0:5432->5432/tcp, ... 5432->5432/tcp    dbhost
```

(b) `sudo docker ps`

```
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$ sudo netstat -a | grep http
tcp        0      0 0.0.0.0:https        0.0.0.0:*             LISTEN
tcp        0      0 0.0.0.0:80:http      0.0.0.0:*             LISTEN
tcp6       0      0 :::https            :::*                   LISTEN
tcp6       0      0 :::http             :::*                   LISTEN
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$
```

(c) `sudo netstat -a | grep http`

```
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig — ssh -p 22 aperez-b@192.168.122.175
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$ sudo nmap -p- --open --min-rate=5000 -Pn -v -sS -n localhost
Starting Nmap 7.94SVN ( https://nmap.org ) at 2024-06-09 21:42 UTC
Initiating SYN Stealth Scan at 21:42
Scanning localhost (127.0.0.1) [65535 ports]
Discovered open port 443/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Discovered open port 22/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Discovered open port 80/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Discovered open port 5433/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Discovered open port 3808/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Discovered open port 5432/tcp on 127.0.0.1
Completed SYN Stealth Scan at 21:42, 0.29s elapsed (65535 total ports)
Nmap scan report for localhost (127.0.0.1)
Host is up (0.000002ms latency).
Not shown: 25529 closed tcp ports (reset)
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
80/tcp    open  http
443/tcp   open  https
3808/tcp  open  ppp
5432/tcp  open  postgresql
5433/tcp  open  pyrrho
Read data files from: /usr/bin/./share/nmap
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 0.34 seconds
Raw packets sent: 65535 (2.804MB) | Rcvd: 131076 (5.505MB)
aperez-b@AR5020232:~/prac20232-orig$
```

(d) `sudo nmap -p- --open --min-rate=5000 -Pn -v -sS -n localhost`

```
aperez-b@tux:~
[aperez-b@arch ~]$ curl -I http://192.168.122.175
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
content-type: text/html; charset=utf-8
date: Sun, 09 Jun 2024 21:45:26 GMT
[aperez-b@arch ~]$
```

(e) `curl -I http://192.168.122.175`

Figure 10: Evidences for reverse-proxy HTTPS