

How to Get Your Server IP Address in SSH or in IRC

Find your IP Address in SSH

To find the IP address for your server, use this command:

This command will show you your IPv4 address. `-i` is for IP addresses for the host name:

```
hostname -i
```

This shows the hostname and `IPv6` address:

```
host $(hostname -f)
```

External checks on the slot via SSH

<http://icanhazip.com/>

This is an external check and will return your IPv4 address.

```
curl -4 icanhazip.com
```

This is an external check and will return your IPv6 address.

```
curl -6 icanhazip.com
```

Checking via IRC

<https://www.feralhosting.com/chat>

In IRC do this command:

```
$ip servername
```

Where `servername` is the name of your server.

```
$ip aphrodite
```

Returns:

```
aphrodite.feralhosting.com resolves to 185.21.216.161  
aphrodite.feralhosting.com resolves to 2a04:1980:3100:1aac:21b:21ff:feda:4d53 (IPv6)
```

Checking from your home location:

Alternatively, you can just simply use the **ping** command from any computer:

Important note: When running this command in Windows, press and hold the [windows logo key](#) and [press R](#) to bring up the run dialogue then type `cmd`.

```
ping server.feralhosting.com
```

Example:

```
ping aphrodite.feralhosting.com
```

The output will be your server's IP address, and some other information.

Since this is GNU/Linux, there are many ways to do the same thing and here is one more way.

```
host server.feralhosting.com
```

Replace server with your server name.

Example:

```
host rabbit.feralhosting.com  
rabbit.feralhosting.com has address 85.17.27.70
```

Notes:

Also, if you have OpenVPN installed on your slot, the IP given for OpenVPN on your [Software Status page](#) is the IP address of your server.