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**Project Report**

**Course Name:** Cyber Security, Law and Ethics

**Course Code:** CSE487

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

## **1.0 Environment Setup:**

1.1- Download Oracle VM VirtualBox From this website

- <https://www.virtualbox.org/>
- Install it in your pc

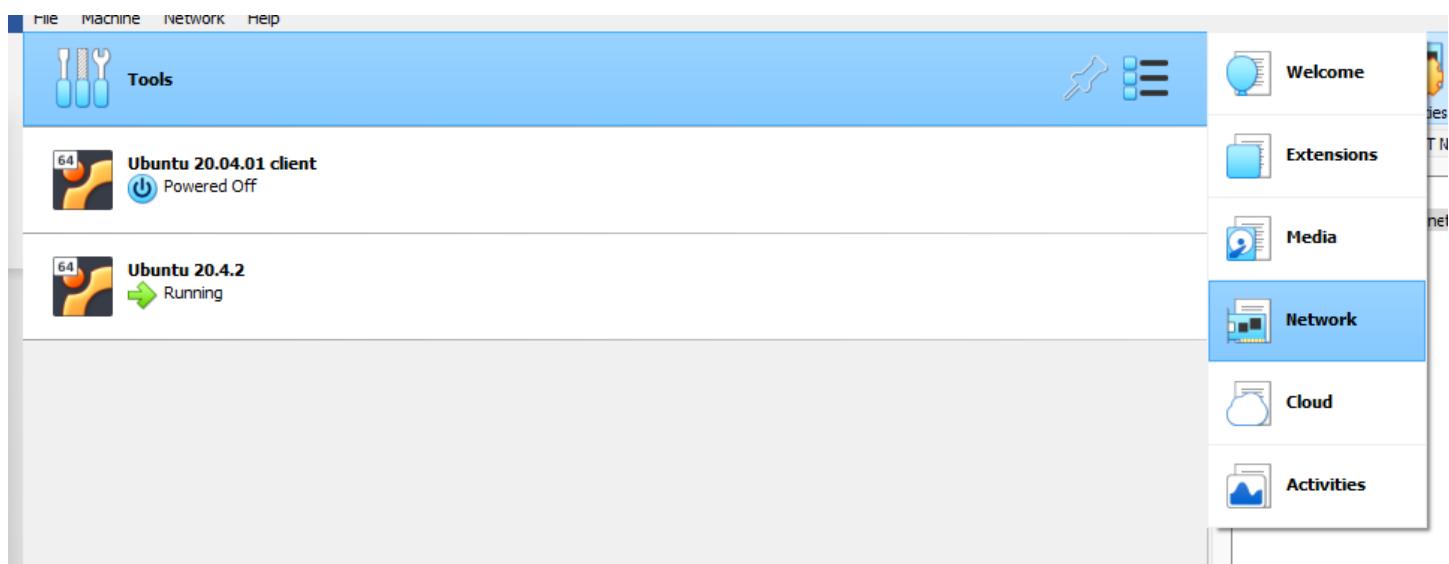
1.2- Download Ubuntu (Any Version) From this website

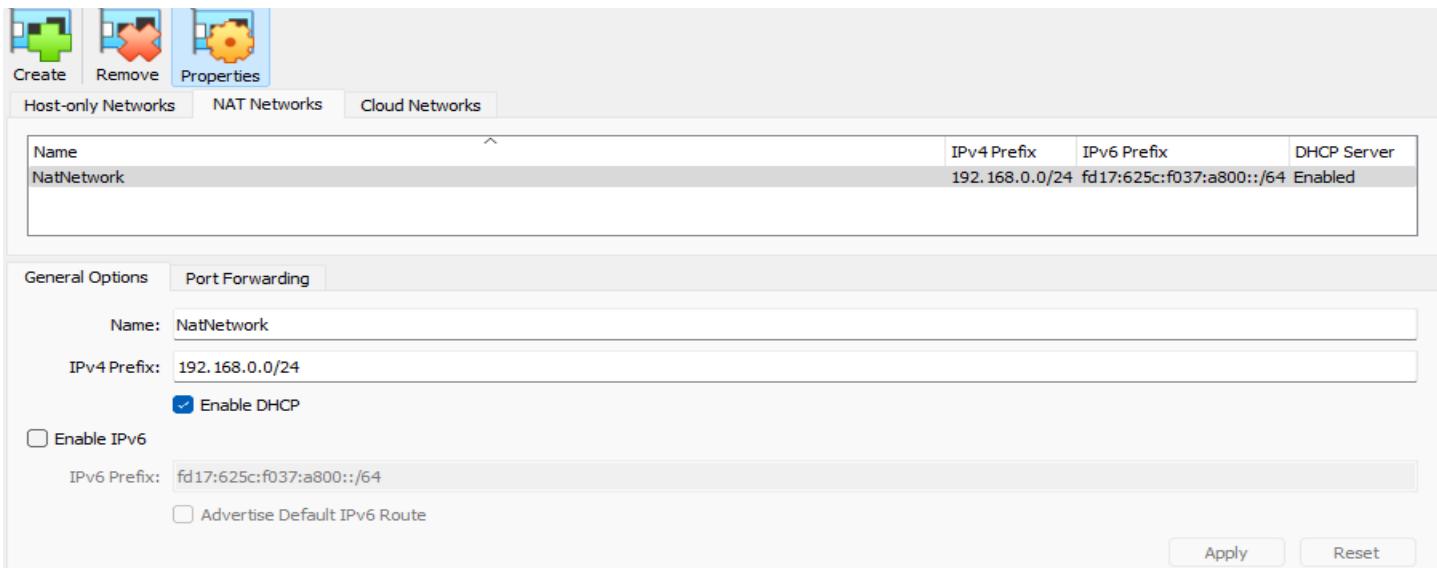
- <https://ubuntu.com/download>
- Install it in inside of the VirtualBox

For this project, we need two Ubuntu Operating System, First One we will configure that as a **Server** and the Second one, we will configure that as a **Client**.

## **2.0 Network Setup:**

First, we go to the network option of the VirtualBox and configure the ip address of **NAT Network**.





For this project, We will use 2 network adapter in both pc. In Adapter 1, set it as **NAT NETWORK** and In Adapter 2 set is as **NAT**. We will do the same on the both Server and Client PC.

### **3.0 Certificate Generation:**

#### **Step 01:**

First of take root access in the terminal.

```
root@server-ubuntu:~$ sudo -i
[sudo] password for server:
root@server-ubuntu:~#
```

Now type the codes in the terminal and run them accordingly as picture:

#### **Step 02:**

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# mkdir -p ca/{root-ca,sub-ca,server}/{private,certs,newcerts,crl,csr}
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# chmod -v 700 ca/{root-ca,sub-ca,server}/private
mode of 'ca/root-ca/private' changed from 0755 (rwxr-xr-x) to 0700 (rwx-----)
mode of 'ca/sub-ca/private' changed from 0755 (rwxr-xr-x) to 0700 (rwx-----)
mode of 'ca/server/private' changed from 0755 (rwxr-xr-x) to 0700 (rwx-----)
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# touch ca/{root-ca,sub-ca}/index
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# openssl rand -hex 16
824163de38981d460d7a8383af51a14c
```

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# openssl rand -hex 16 > ca/root-ca/serial  
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# openssl rand -hex 16 > ca/sub-ca/serial  
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# cd ca
```

At first, we created three directories named rootCA, subCA, and server . Then we have created sub directories for the three previous directories that we created name private,certs,newcerts,crl,csr . This can be done using the command below :

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

Now we need to change the mode of the files, so that nobody can access those files except the user. This can be done by this command:

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

Then we need to create sub directories for RootCA and SubCA named “index”. This directory will be used to keep the index of the certificates . It is done by using this command below:

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

Then we generate for 16 bit random numbers for both rootCA and aubCA.

### **Step 03:**

Now we will generate public key for RootC, SubCA and Server and this can be done by this command:

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca# openssl genrsa -aes256 -out root-ca/private/ca.key 4096  
Generating RSA private key, 4096 bit long modulus (2 primes)  
.....+++++  
.....+++++  
e is 65537 (0x010001)  
Enter pass phrase for root-ca/private/ca.key:  
Verifying - Enter pass phrase for root-ca/private/ca.key:
```

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca# openssl genrsa -aes256 -out sub-ca/private/sub-ca.key 4096  
Generating RSA private key, 4096 bit long modulus (2 primes)  
.....+++++  
.....+++++  
e is 65537 (0x010001)  
Enter pass phrase for sub-ca/private/sub-ca.key:  
Verifying - Enter pass phrase for sub-ca/private/sub-ca.key:
```

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca# openssl genrsa -out server/private/server.key 2048  
Generating RSA private key, 2048 bit long modulus (2 primes)  
.....+++++  
.....+++++  
+++  
e is 65537 (0x010001)
```

### **Why choose 4096 key lengths for RootCA and Sub CA ?**

Private key of RootCA and SubCA has to be very strong. If the private key of RootCA or SubCA gets broken or leaked then all the certificated that were singed by these CA's will be useless. That's why we choose 2048 key length.

### **Why choose 2048 key length for server private key?**

Privat key for server used very frequently. If the private key for server was too big like 4096 then the process of the server will slow.

## **Step 04:**

Now we will create the configuration file for both RootC Aans SubCA and edit the files.

The image shows two terminal windows side-by-side. The left window is titled 'root-ca.conf' and contains the configuration for the RootCA. The right window is titled 'certificateconf' and contains the configuration for the SubCA. Both windows show the configuration files in plain text mode.

**RootCA Configuration (root-ca.conf):**

```
1 [ca]
2
3 #/root/ca/root-ca/root-ca.conf
4
5 #see man ca
6
7 default_ca      = CA_default
8
9
10
11 [CA_default]
12
13 dir      = /root/ca/root-ca
14
15 certs    = $dir/certs
16
17 crl_dir   = $dir/crl
18
19 new_certs_dir = $dir/newcerts
20
21 database   = $dir/index
22
23 serial    = $dir/serial
24
25 RANDFILE   = $dir/private/.rand
```

**SubCA Configuration (certificateconf):**

```
339
340 emailAddress          = Email Address
341
342 countryName_default  = BD
343
344 stateOrProvinceName_default = Bangladesh
345
346 localityName_default = Savar
347
348 organizationName_default = TheAcme LTD
349
350 organizationalUnitName_default = Cyber_Security
351
352 commonName_default   = SubCA
353
354 emailAddress_default =
355
356 [ v3_ca ]
357
358 # Extensions to apply when creating root ca
359
```

Full text given in **Appendix 1 & Appendix 2**

## **Step 05:**

Now We will generate the RootCA Certificate. To do that, type **cd root-ca** and follow the rest given in the image below:

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca# cd root-ca
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/root-ca# openssl req -config root-ca.conf -key private/ca.key -new
-w -x509 -days 7305 -sha256 -extensions v3_ca -out certs/ca.crt
Enter pass phrase for private/ca.key:
140092257903936:error:28078065:UI routines:UI_set_result_ex:result too small:../crypto/ui/u
i_lib.c:905:You must type in 4 to 1023 characters
Enter pass phrase for private/ca.key:|
```

```
Enter pass phrase for private/ca.key:
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) [BD]:
State or Province Name [Bangladesh]:
Locality Name [Savar]:
Organization Name [TheAcme LTD]:
Organizational Unit Name [Cyber_Security]:
Common Name [RootCA]:
Email Address []:
```

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/root-ca# openssl x509 -noout -in certs/ca.crt -text
Certificate:
Data:
    Version: 3 (0x2)
    Serial Number:
        64:1e:c0:14:8b:4a:78:82:50:27:b5:c5:6f:b3:22:dc:ee:e1:14:55
    Signature Algorithm: sha256WithRSAEncryption
    Issuer: C = BD, ST = Bangladesh, L = Savar, O = TheAcme LTD, OU = Cyber_Security, CN = RootCA
    Validity
        Not Before: Sep 6 07:57:22 2023 GMT
        Not After : Sep 6 07:57:22 2043 GMT
    Subject: C = BD, ST = Bangladesh, L = Savar, O = TheAcme LTD, OU = Cyber_Security, CN = RootCA
    Subject Public Key Info:
        Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
            RSA Public-Key: (4096 bit)
                Modulus:
                    00:b4:8e:da:4f:64:86:24:46:9d:71:59:1e:9e:27:
                    53:b6:1f:bb:b9:71:f9:d3:ea:7a:0d:f9:90:ab:ea:
                    35:15:69:39:79:92:c1:e6:12:fd:ee:d2:7b:6b:4f:
                    f4:20:b3:39:a2:03:50:12:6b:69:4d:32:96:88:6e:
                    fe:e2:e9:21:92:9f:cb:a5:ff:49:96:4d:04:b9:a1:
                    fb:a6:d8:9a:05:c4:0c:e2:81:41:9b:9f:1f:51:e9:
                    4b:07:51:9f:93:96:d6:01:c1:0d:da:c7:69:59:74:
                    29:7e:d1:af:22:d2:3a:a5:54:b2:cf:29:aa:93:6e:
                    2d:50:4e:73:89:7f:5c:62:60:62:fb:36:32:d9:2f:
                    df:82:2a:ee:74:a7:ea:0b:fa:6f:99:c8:38:e7:c9:
                    a0:33:cb:6a:8f:07:95:b9:9d:0d:c2:a9:a2:9a:a9:
                    4e:de:b8:e2:63:38:08:9e:91:2d:84:a6:cb:7a:3d:
                    b9:7e:2f:6f:80:b6:96:19:73:89:e8:a7:b9:38:88:
                    cd:c7:5c:40:7f:a8:82:69:50:7b:30:9f:ba:43:b0:
                    55:15:19:fa:4a:d6:14:27:8a:70:07:b5:a5:66:a7:
                    14:83:c7:be:84:3f:ab:a0:79:7b:78:9f:6e:54:0d:
                    7c:5a:46:bb:45:72:59:00:90:7d:da:92:2d:54:ba:
                    82:19:5f:6a:d1:91:89:3:18:25:12:82:22:6e:11:
```

The same procedure we will follow to generate the SubCA certificate. Type **cd .. /sub-ca** and follow the instruction given in the image below:

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/root-ca# cd ../sub-ca
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/sub-ca# gedit sub-ca.conf

(gedit:6128): Tepl-WARNING **: 14:00:03.467: GVfs metadata is not supported. Fallback to TeplMetadataManager. Either GVfs is not correctly installed or GVfs metadata are not supported on this platform. In the latter case, you should configure Tepl with --disable-gvfs-metadata.

root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/sub-ca# openssl req -config sub-ca.conf -new -key private/sub-ca.key -sha256 -out csr/sub-ca.csr
Enter pass phrase for private/sub-ca.key:
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) [BD]:
State or Province Name [Bangladesh]:
Locality Name [Savar]:
Organization Name [TheAcme LTD]:
Organizational Unit Name [Cyber_Security]:
Common Name [SubCA]:
Email Address []:
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/sub-ca#
```

Now the RootCA sign the SubCA and then now anyone request for certification, SubCA will sign them.

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/root-ca# openssl ca -config root-ca.conf -extensions v3_intermediate_ca -days 3652 -notext -in ../sub-ca/csr/sub-ca.csr -out ../sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt
Using configuration from root-ca.conf
Enter pass phrase for /root/ca/root-ca/private/ca.key:
Check that the request matches the signature
Signature ok
Certificate Details:
    Serial Number:
        a5:41:53:6f:bb:e1:9d:46:3b:50:63:2f:00:01:7f:ef
    Validity
        Not Before: Sep  6 08:01:10 2023 GMT
        Not After : Sep  5 08:01:10 2033 GMT
    Subject:
        countryName          = BD
        stateOrProvinceName = Bangladesh
        organizationName     = TheAcme LTD
        organizationalUnitName= Cyber_Security
        commonName            = SubCA
    X509v3 extensions:
        X509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
            2E:5F:ED:68:0D:B0:16:9D:BE:45:33:B6:B6:3C:7A:6D:5E:D8:D9:55
        X509v3 Authority Key Identifier:
            keyid:DE:20:6C:52:41:04:0A:C3:00:02:92:69:D3:D9:05:19:E5:CF:AB:F3
        X509v3 Basic Constraints: critical
            CA:TRUE, pathlen:0
        X509v3 Key Usage: critical
            Digital Signature, Certificate Sign, CRL Sign
Certificate is to be certified until Sep  5 08:01:10 2033 GMT (3652 days)
Sign the certificate? [y/n]:y

1 out of 1 certificate requests certified, commit? [y/n]y
Write out database with 1 new entries
Data Base Updated
```

## **Step 06:**

Now for the server certification we will move to the server folder, generate certificate, which will be signed by the SubCA. The detailed procedure will given below:

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/root-ca# cd ../server
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/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]:Bangladesh
Locality Name (eg, city) []:Savar
Organization Name (eg, company) [Internet Widgits Pty Ltd]:TheAcme LTD
Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []:EWU
Common Name (e.g. server FQDN or YOUR name) []:www.mywebsite.com
Email Address []:

Please enter the following 'extra' attributes
to be sent with your certificate request
A challenge password []:
An optional company name []:
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/server#
```

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/server# cd ../sub-ca
root@saki-VirtualBox:~/ca/sub-ca# openssl ca -config sub-ca.conf -extensions server_cert -d
ays 365 -notext -in ../../server/csr/server.csr -out ../../server/certs/server.crt
using configuration from sub-ca.conf
Enter pass phrase for /root/ca/sub-ca/private/sub-ca.key:
Check that the request matches the signature
Signature ok
Certificate Details:
    Serial Number:
        2e:07:40:c0:5d:a3:19:96:46:62:a3:db:35:8c:fa:74
    Validity
        Not Before: Sep  6 08:18:58 2023 GMT
        Not After : Sep  5 08:18:58 2024 GMT
    Subject:
        countryName          = BD
        stateOrProvinceName = Bangladesh
        localityName         = Savar
        organizationName     = TheAcme LTD
        organizationalUnitName= EWU
        commonName            = www.mywebsite.com
    X509v3 extensions:
        X509v3 Basic Constraints:
            CA:FALSE
        Netscape Cert Type:
            SSL Server
        Netscape Comment:
            OpenSSL Generated Server Certificate
    X509v3 Subject Key Identifier:
        59:34:0D:A7:0A:0D:E7:C6:67:5F:70:60:FC:51:00:69:F8:53:80:FC
    X509v3 Authority Key Identifier:
        keyid:2E:5F:ED:68:0D:B0:16:9D:BE:45:33:B6:B6:3C:7A:6D:5E:D8:D9:55
        DirName:/C=BD/ST=Bangladesh/L=Savar/O=TheAcme LTD/OU=Cyber_Security/CN=Root
CA
        serial:A5:41:53:6F:BB:E1:9D:46:3B:50:63:2F:00:01:7F:EF

        X509v3 Key Usage: critical
            Digital Signature, Key Encipherment
        X509v3 Extended Key Usage:
            TLS Web Server Authentication
Certificate is to be certified until Sep  5 08:18:58 2024 GMT (365 days)
Sign the certificate? [y/n]:y

1 out of 1 certificate requests certified, commit? [y/n]y
Write out database with 1 new entries
Data Base Updated
```

## **Step 07:**

Now we move to Server Certificate folder and merge the certificate by typing the following command:

```
cd ..server/certs/
```

```
cat server.crt ../../sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt ../../root-ca/certs/ca.crt > mywebsite.crt
```

## **Step 08:**

At this stage we turn on SSL port which is 443.

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

## **Step 09:**

Now we update our certificates by typing the following commands in the terminal.

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

```
update-ca-certificates -v
```

## **Step 10:**

### Copying Certificates:

```
cp /root/ca/root-ca/certs/ca.crt /home/[username]/[folder_name]
```

```
cp /root/ca/sub-ca/certs/sub-ca.crt /home/[username] /[folder_name]/
```

```
cp /root/ca/server/certs/verysecureserver.crt /[username] /server/[folder_name]/
```

```
cp /root/ca/server/certs/server.crt /home/[username] /[folder_name]/
```

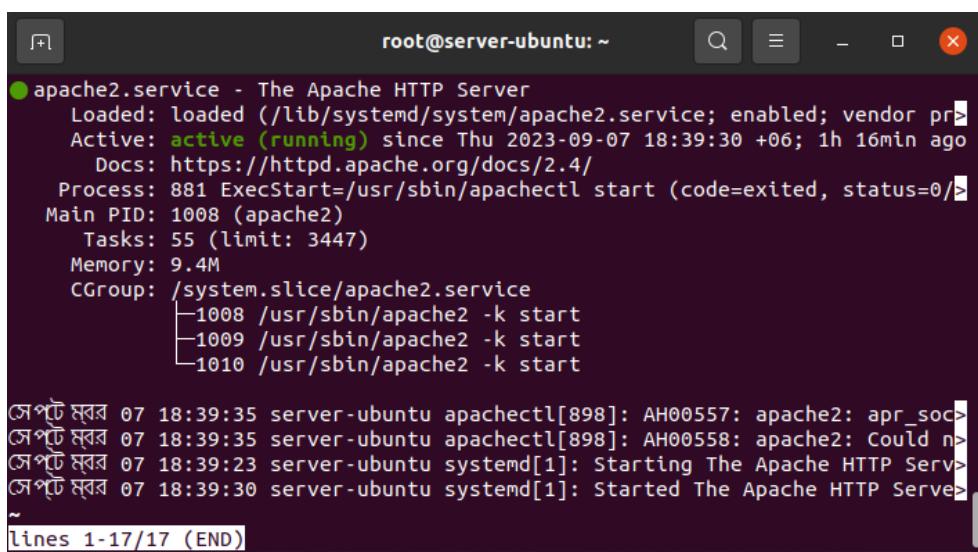
```
cp /root/ca/server/private/server.key /home/[username] /[folder_name]/
```

## **Step 11:**

Open a new terminal and type:

```
sudo apt install apache2
```

```
systemctl status apache2
```



The screenshot shows a terminal window with the title bar "root@server-ubuntu: ~". The terminal displays the output of the "systemctl status apache2" command. The output shows that the apache2 service is active (running) since 2023-09-07 18:39:30 +06, 1h 16min ago. It lists various metrics such as Tasks: 55, Memory: 9.4M, and CGroup: /system.slice/apache2.service. It also shows three child processes: 1008, 1009, and 1010, each running "/usr/sbin/apache2 -k start". Below the service status, there is a log of messages from the Apache server, including logs for apachectl and systemd. The log entries mention starting and stopping the Apache HTTP Server at 18:39:35 and 18:39:23 respectively, and the system message "Starting The Apache HTTP Server" at 18:39:30.

```
● apache2.service - The Apache HTTP Server
   Loaded: loaded (/lib/systemd/system/apache2.service; enabled; vendor pr>
   Active: active (running) since Thu 2023-09-07 18:39:30 +06; 1h 16min ago
     Docs: https://httpd.apache.org/docs/2.4/
 Process: 881 ExecStart=/usr/sbin/apachectl start (code=exited, status=0/>
 Main PID: 1008 (apache2)
    Tasks: 55 (limit: 3447)
   Memory: 9.4M
      CGroup: /system.slice/apache2.service
              ├─1008 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              ├─1009 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start
              └─1010 /usr/sbin/apache2 -k start

Sep 07 18:39:35 server-ubuntu apachectl[898]: AH00557: apache2: apr_soc>
Sep 07 18:39:35 server-ubuntu apachectl[898]: AH00558: apache2: Could n>
Sep 07 18:39:23 server-ubuntu systemd[1]: Starting The Apache HTTP Serv>
Sep 07 18:39:30 server-ubuntu systemd[1]: Started The Apache HTTP Serve>
~
```

lines 1-17/17 (END)

Check the status of apache2, if apache2 is not showing active, then type the following command:

**sudo start apache2.** This will start your apache server.

Now go to this location: **/etc/apache2/sites-enabled** and paste the following code in 000-default.conf file.

```
</VirtualHost>

<VirtualHost *:80>
    ServerName www.mywebsite.com
    Redirect permanent / https://www.mywebsite.com/
</VirtualHost>

<VirtualHost *:443>
    # The ServerName directive sets the request scheme, hostname and port that
    # the server uses to identify itself. This is used when creating
    # redirection URLs. In the context of virtual hosts, the ServerName
    # specifies what hostname must appear in the request's Host: header to
    # match this virtual host. For the default virtual host (this file) this
    # value is not decisive as it is used as a last resort host regardless.
    # However, you must set it for any further virtual host explicitly.
    ServerName www.mywebsite.com
    DocumentRoot /var/www/html/mywebsite

    SSLEngine on
    SSLCertificateFile "/home/saki/certificate/mywebsite.crt"
    SSLCertificateKeyFile "/home/saki/certificate/server.key"
    SSLCACertificatePath "/home/saki/certificate"

    # Available loglevels: trace8, ..., trace1, debug, info, notice, warn,
    # error, crit, alert, emerg.
    # It is also possible to configure the loglevel for particular
    # modules, e.g.
    #LogLevel info ssl:warn

    ErrorLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/error.log
    CustomLog ${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/access.log combined

    # For most configuration files from conf-available/, which are
    # enabled or disabled at a global level, it is possible to
    # include a line for only one particular virtual host. For example the
    # following line enables the CGI configuration for this host only
    # after it has been globally disabled with "a2disconf".
    #Include conf-available/serve-cgi-bin.conf
</VirtualHost>
```

---

## **Step 12:**

Now go to this location: **var/www/html** and create a folder named **mywebsite** and make a html file for your website inside of this folder.

## **4.0 DNS SETUP (Server)**

First install the following commands:

**sudo apt install net-tools**

**sudo apt install bind9**

**sudo apt-get install bind9 bind9utils bind9-doc**

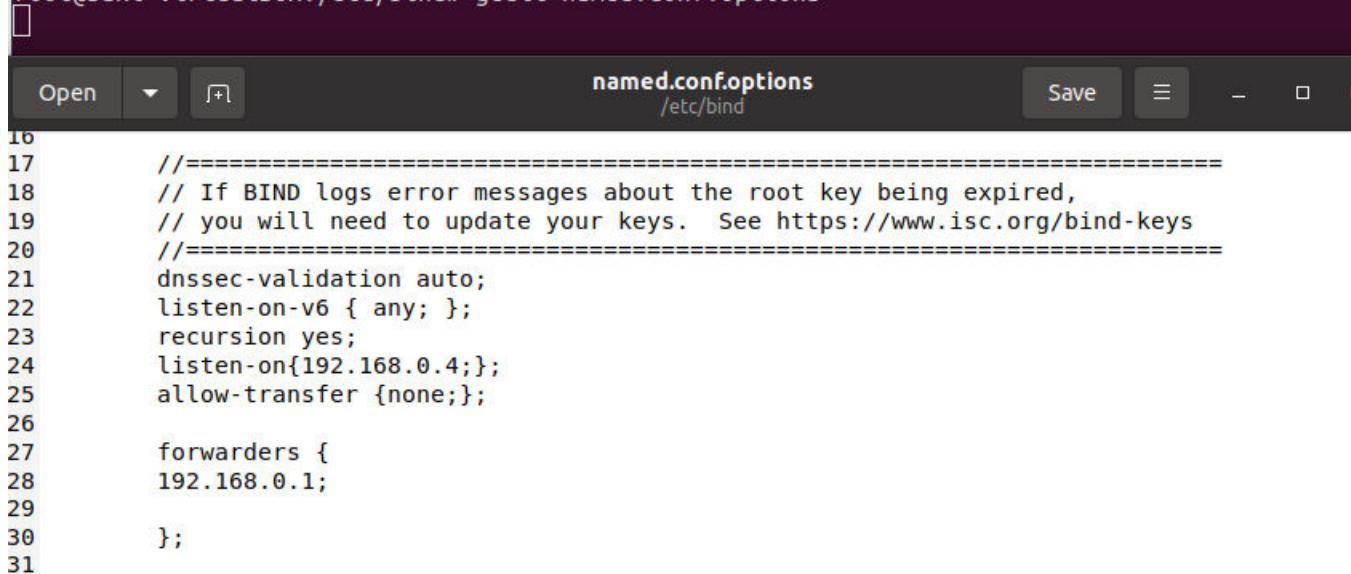
```
saki@saki-VirtualBox:~$ ip addr
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
        inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
        inet6 ::1/128 scope host
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: enp0s3: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc fq_codel state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 08:00:27:b5:ac:8a brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
        inet 192.168.0.4/24 brd 192.168.0.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute enp0s3
            valid_lft 345sec preferred_lft 345sec
        inet6 fe80::b36c:49f:1fbe:8ca6/64 scope link noprefixroute
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
3: enp0s8: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc fq_codel state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 08:00:27:f6:d1:ac brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
        inet 10.0.3.15/24 brd 10.0.3.255 scope global dynamic noprefixroute enp0s8
            valid_lft 60045sec preferred_lft 60045sec
        inet6 fe80::2d26:3b22:fca1:37f0/64 scope link noprefixroute
            valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
```

```
saki@saki-VirtualBox:~$ ip route
default via 192.168.0.1 dev enp0s3 proto dhcp metric 100
default via 10.0.3.2 dev enp0s8 proto dhcp metric 101
10.0.3.0/24 dev enp0s8 proto kernel scope link src 10.0.3.15 metric 101
169.254.0.0/16 dev enp0s8 scope link metric 1000
192.168.0.0/24 dev enp0s3 proto kernel scope link src 192.168.0.4 metric 100
saki@saki-VirtualBox:~$
```

Here we can see, our ip address is 192.168.0.4 and our default route is 192.168.0.1, using this ip and route, we will configure our DNS server.

Next go to this location: **sudo /etc/bind** and edit the **named.conf.options** file.

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# cp named.conf.options named.conf.options.orig
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# gedit named.conf.options
```



```

16
17 //=====
18 // If BIND logs error messages about the root key being expired,
19 // you will need to update your keys. See https://www.isc.org/bind-keys
20 //=====
21 dnssec-validation auto;
22 listen-on-v6 { any; };
23 recursion yes;
24 listen-on{192.168.0.4;};
25 allow-transfer {none;};
26
27     forwarders {
28         192.168.0.1;
29     };
30
31

```

Then edit the **named.conf.local** file.

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:~# cd /etc/bind
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# gedit named.conf.local
[Open ▾] *named.conf.local /etc/bind Save ⌂ -
```

```
1 //
2 // Do any local configuration here
3 //
4
5 // Consider adding the 1918 zones here, if they are not used in your
6 // organization
7 //include "/etc/bind/zones.rfc1918";
8 //forward lookup zone
9 zone "mywebsite.com" IN{
10     type master;
11     file "/etc/bind/db.mywebsite.com";
12 };
13
14 //reverse lookup zone
15 zone "0.168.192.in-addr.arpa" IN {
16     type master;
17     file "/etc/bind/db.0.168.192";
18 };
```

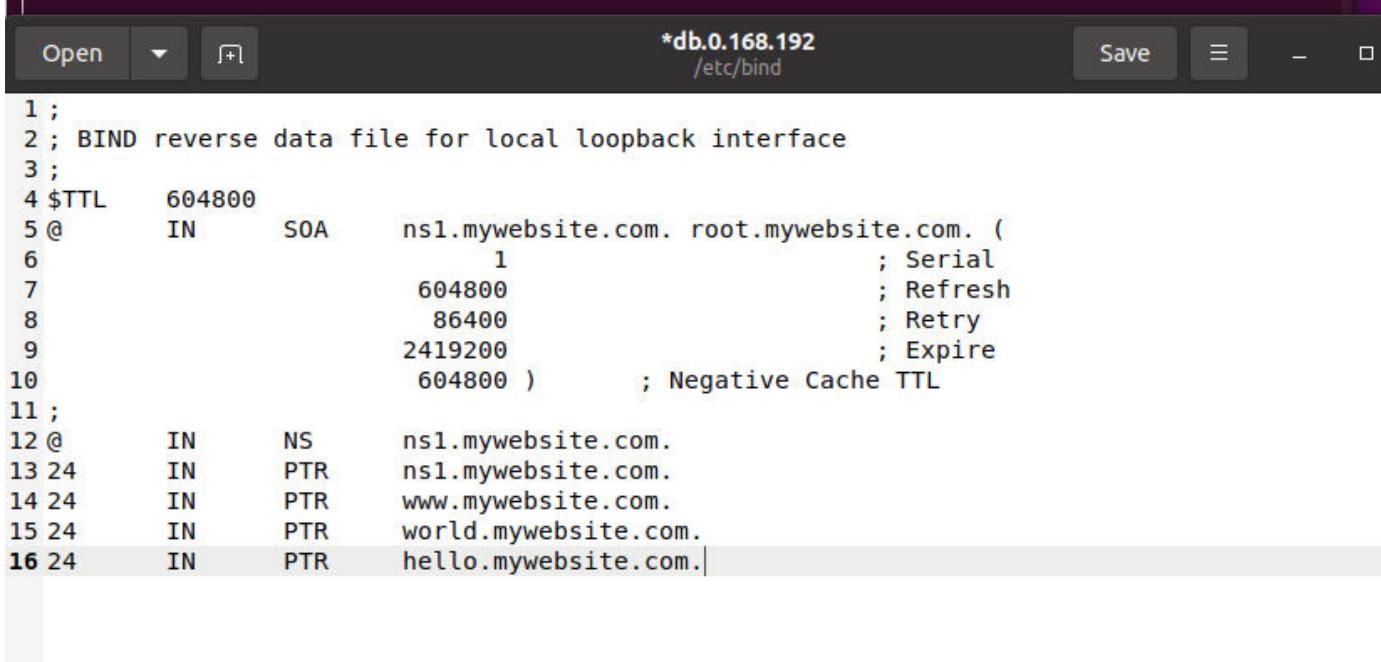
Edit db.mywebsite.com file-

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# cp db.local db.mywebsite.com
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# gedit db.mywebsite.com
[Open ▾] *db.mywebsite.com /etc/bind Save ⌂ - ⌂
```

```
1 ;
2 ; BIND data file for local loopback interface
3 ;
4 $TTL    604800
5 @      IN      SOA     ns1.mywebsite.com. root.mywebsite.com. (
6                 2           ; Serial
7                 604800        ; Refresh
8                 86400         ; Retry
9                 2419200       ; Expire
10                604800 )      ; Negative Cache TTL
11 ;
12 @      IN      NS      ns1.mywebsite.com.
13 ns1   IN      A       192.168.0.4
14 www   IN      A       192.168.0.4
15 world  IN      A       192.168.0.4
16 hello  IN      A       192.168.0.4
17 @      IN      AAAA    ::1
```

Edit db.0.168.192 file-

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# named-checkzone mywebsite.com db.mywebsite.com
zone mywebsite.com/IN: loaded serial 2
OK
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# cp db.127 db.0.168.192
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# gedit db.0.168.192
```



```
*db.0.168.192
/etc/bind
1 ;
2 ; BIND reverse data file for local loopback interface
3 ;
4 $TTL    604800
5 @      IN      SOA     ns1.mywebsite.com. root.mywebsite.com. (
6                         1                               ; Serial
7                         604800                            ; Refresh
8                         86400                             ; Retry
9                         2419200                           ; Expire
10                        604800 )              ; Negative Cache TTL
11 ;
12 @      IN      NS      ns1.mywebsite.com.
13 24    IN      PTR     ns1.mywebsite.com.
14 24    IN      PTR     www.mywebsite.com.
15 24    IN      PTR     world.mywebsite.com.
16 24    IN      PTR     hello.mywebsite.com.
```

To Check all the files working fine or not

```
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# named-checkzone 0.168.192.in-addr.arpa db.0.168.192
zone 0.168.192.in-addr.arpa/IN: loaded serial 1
OK
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# named-checkconf
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# named-checkzone mywebsite.com db.mywebsite.com
zone mywebsite.com/IN: loaded serial 2
OK
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind# named-checkzone 0.168.192.in-addr.arpa db.0.168.192
zone 0.168.192.in-addr.arpa/IN: loaded serial 1
OK
root@saki-VirtualBox:/etc/bind#
```

Now restart the bind9 service by typing command: **service bind9 restart**

## Edit the resolve.conf file:

**sudo systemctl status resolvconf.service**

**sudo apt update**

**sudo apt install resolvconf**

**sudo systemctl status resolvconf.service**

**(if resolveconf isn't running, enable then start it)**

**sudo systemctl enable resolvconf.service**

**sudo systemctl start resolvconf.service**

**(check resolveconf status)**

```
sudo systemctl status resolvconf.service
```

(edit the head file)

```
sudo nano /etc/resolvconf/resolv.conf.d/head
```

(enter your nameservers below the comments)

```
nameserver 192.168.0.4
```

```
nameserver 192.168.0.1
```

```
search localdomain
```

(update resolve.conf file)

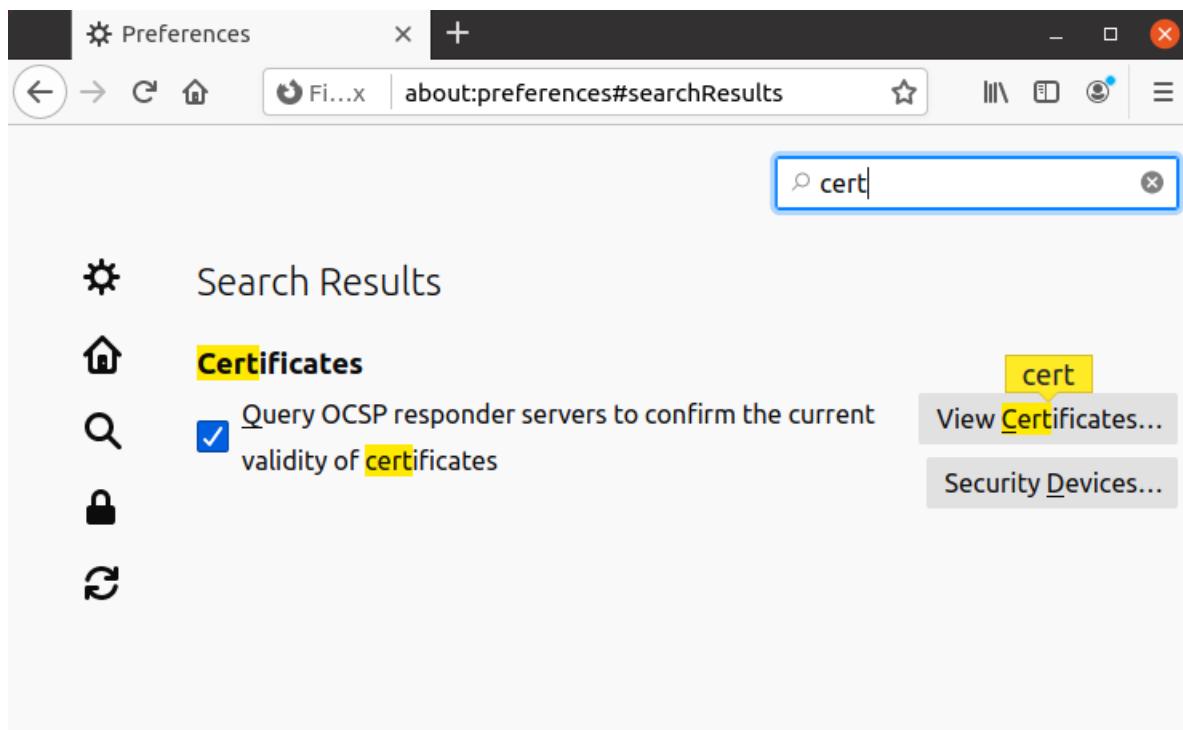
```
sudo resolvconf --enable-updates
```

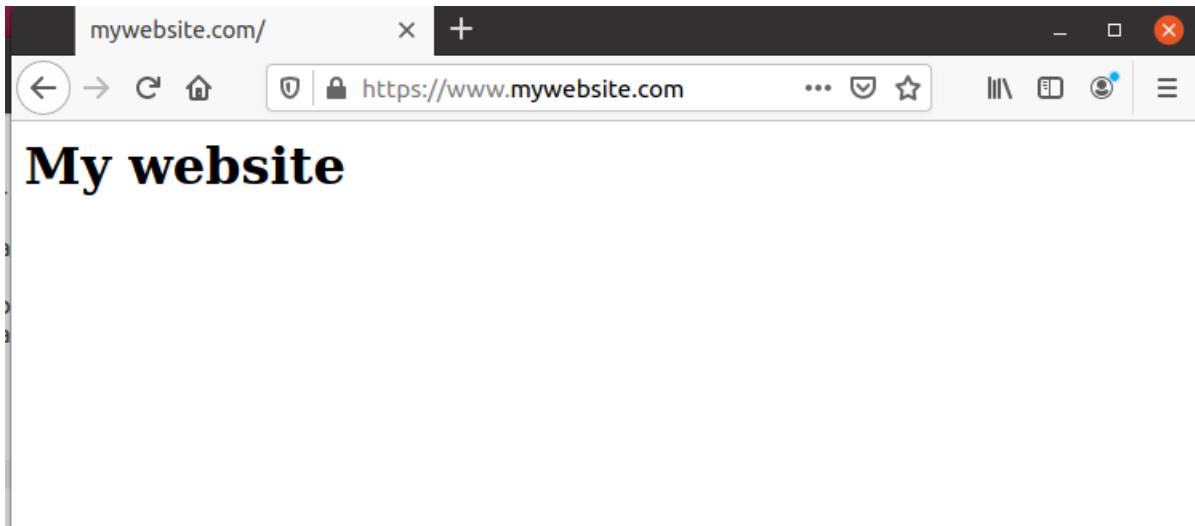
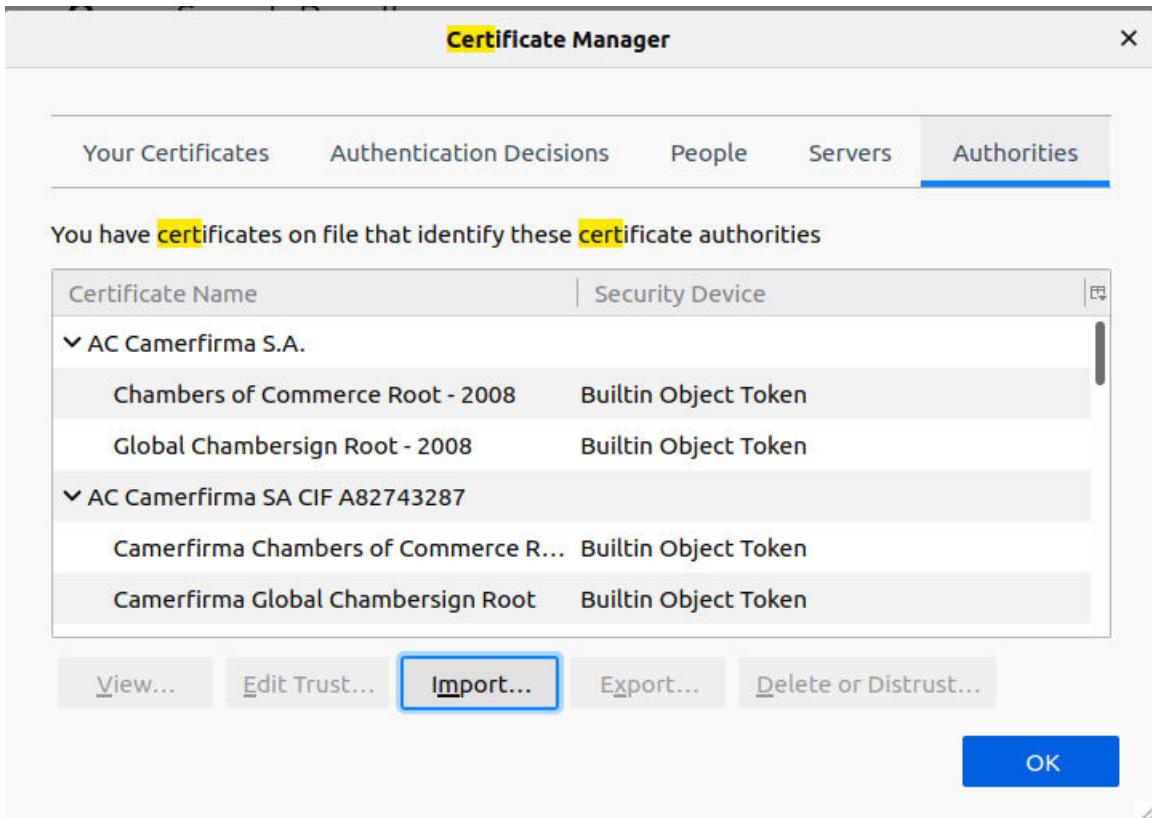
```
sudo resolvconf -u
```

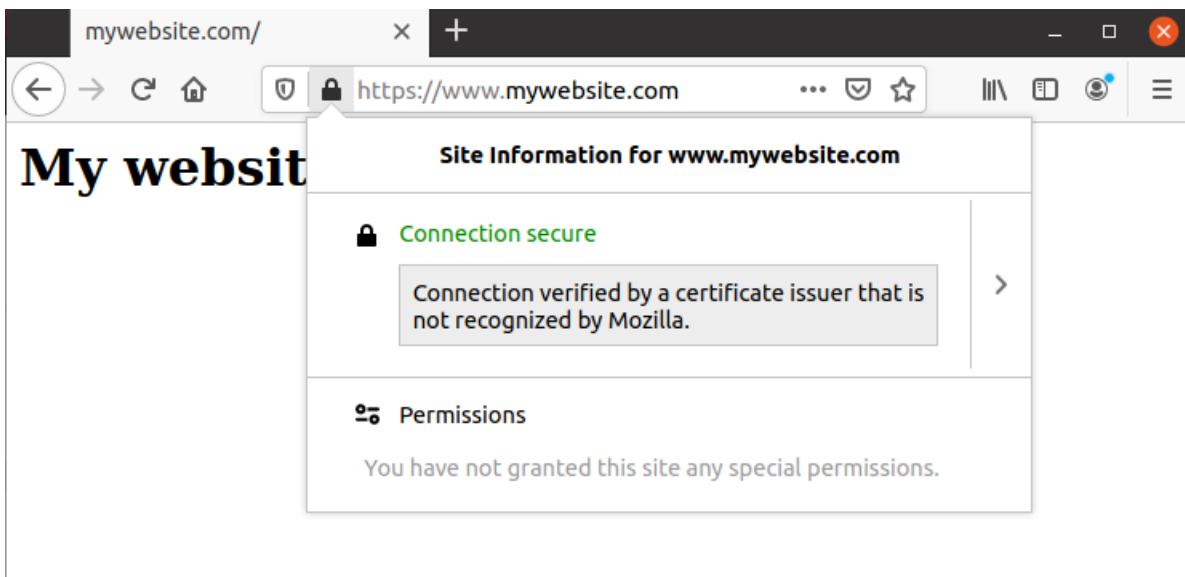
(check if changes were successful)

```
sudo nano /etc/resolv.conf
```

Now command nslookup [www.mywebsite.com](http://www.mywebsite.com) and this will show you that the reply is coming from your ip. Now Paste root certificate in the browser and search for your website, this will show your website with padlock icon.







## 5.0 Firewall Setup (Server Machine)

To install firewall on servr pc, first take root access in terminal then type “**sudo apt install ufw**”. This will install firewall in your machine.

```
server@server-ubuntu:~$ sudo -i
[sudo] password for server:
root@server-ubuntu:~# sudo apt install ufw
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
ufw is already the newest version (0.36-6ubuntu1.1).
ufw set to manually installed.
0 to upgrade, 0 to newly install, 0 to remove and 546 not to upgrade.
root@server-ubuntu:~#
```

A terminal window titled "root@server-ubuntu: ~". The user runs the command "sudo apt install ufw". The output shows that ufw is already at the latest version (0.36-6ubuntu1.1) and is set to manually installed. There are 0 packages to upgrade, 0 to install, 0 to remove, and 546 not to upgrade.

Then set some rules for firewall:

- ufw default allow outgoing
- ufw default deny incoming
- ufw allow ssh
- ufw enable

- sudo ufw allow 22
- sudo ufw allow 53
- sudo ufw allow 80 (for http)
- sudo ufw allow 443(for https)

You can check the rules that you set for your firewall:

Type: **sudo ufw status**. This will show you all the rules that you have set for your firewall.

If you want delete some rules just type in terminal: **sudo ufw delete 1** [Here I want to delete the 1<sup>st</sup> rule which is denying 192.168.0.7 ip to port 80].

```
root@server-ubuntu:~# sudo ufw status
Status: active

To                         Action      From
--                         --          --
80                         DENY       192.168.0.7
22/tcp                      ALLOW      Anywhere
22                         ALLOW      Anywhere
53                         ALLOW      Anywhere
80                         ALLOW      Anywhere
443                        ALLOW      Anywhere
Bind9                       ALLOW      Anywhere
3000/tcp                     ALLOW      192.168.0.7
22/tcp (v6)                  ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
22 (v6)                      ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
53 (v6)                      ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
80 (v6)                      ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
443 (v6)                     ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
Bind9 (v6)                   ALLOW      Anywhere (v6)
```

## **6.0 Wireshark and Snort installation (Server)**

To install wireshark, first take root access in the terminal and type **sudo apt install wireshark** and to install snort command: **sudo apt-get install snort**.

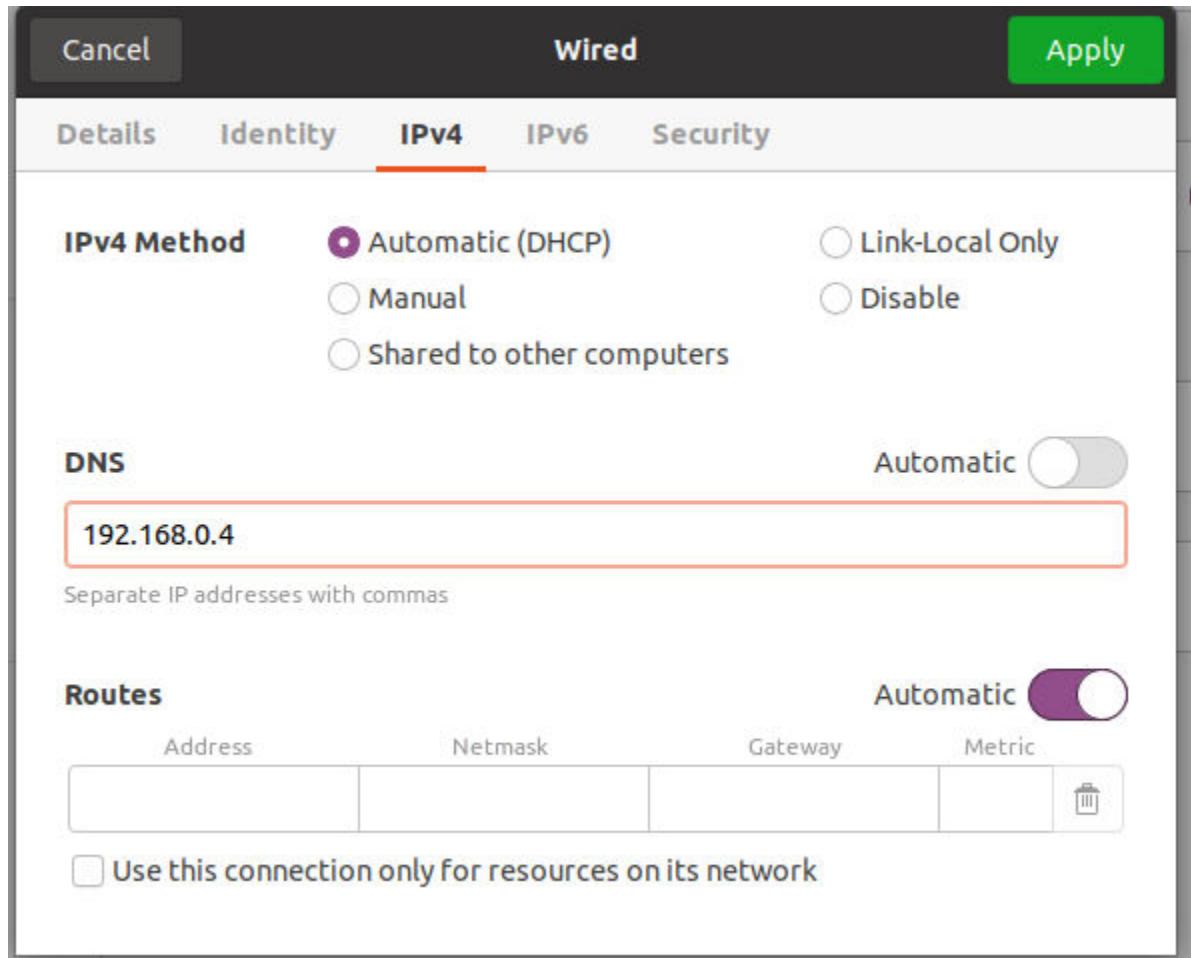
After installing the snort, set rules for the possible SYN Flood Attack. To do this, go to this location: **/etc/snort/rules** and edit file named local.rules for identifying SYN Flood Attack. Again Now open a new terminal and take the root access and type the following to run the snort.

**sudo snort -A console -q -u snort -g snort -c /etc/snort/snort.conf -i enp0s3**

[As we use enp0s3 network for our DNS Configuration and configure and set snort rules on enp0s3 network]

## **7.0 Server PC Configuration:**

Our Server machine's ip is 192.168.0.4 which we will use as our DNS address in our client machine. To do this edit the network file of client pc and set server's ip as Client pc DNS address.



Now Open a terminal and type the following commands:

**sudo apt install wireshark**

**sudo apt install hping3**

**sudo apt install ssh**

**Performing attack from Client PC:**

```
root@client-ubuntu:~# sudo -i
[sudo] password for client:
root@client-ubuntu:~# hping3 -S -flood -p 443 192.168.0.6
hping3: invalid option -- l
Try hping3 --help
root@client-ubuntu:~# hping3 -S --flood -p 443 192.168.0.6
HPING 192.168.0.6 (enp0s3 192.168.0.6): S set, 40 headers + 0 data bytes
hping in flood mode, no replies will be shown
```

## Attack from Client PC.

```
root@server-ubuntu: ~
443
09/07-21:01:15.885732 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15893 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885732 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15894 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885733 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15895 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885733 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15896 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885733 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15897 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885734 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15898 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885734 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15922 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885925 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15923 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885926 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15924 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885926 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15925 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885927 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15926 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885927 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15927 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885927 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15928 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885928 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15929 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.885928 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15930 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886078 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15931 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886079 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15932 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886079 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15933 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886080 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15934 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886080 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15935 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886081 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15936 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886081 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15937 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886081 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:15955 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886247 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3185 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886248 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3186 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886248 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3187 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886249 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3188 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886249 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3189 -> 192.168.0.6:443
09/07-21:01:15.886249 [**] [1:100001:1] Possible SYN Flood Attack [**] [Priority: 0] {TCP} 192.168.0.7:3190 -> 192.168.0.6:443
```

Attack Detection from Server PC. Now if we want block the attacker IP, we need to see the snort log file to see the attacker ip. To do this go to this location of your server pc: **/var/log/snort** from here you can see the log file. Now open that log file with Wireshark and you can see the Attacker ip.

No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	0.000000	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.1	ICMP	186	Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)
2	26.442573	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	ICMP	128	Destination unreachable (Port unreachable)
3	60.114799	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1125 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
4	60.115165	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1126 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
5	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1127 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
6	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1128 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
7	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1129 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
8	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1130 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
9	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1131 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
10	60.115166	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1132 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
11	60.115844	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1125 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
12	60.115844	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1133 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
13	60.115844	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1134 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
14	60.115845	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1135 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
15	60.115845	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1126 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
16	60.115845	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1127 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
17	60.115845	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1128 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
18	60.115845	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1129 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
19	60.116054	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1130 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
20	60.116054	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1131 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
21	60.116054	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1132 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
22	60.116281	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1136 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
23	60.116546	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1137 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
24	60.116547	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1138 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
25	60.116547	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1133 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
26	60.116547	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1134 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
27	60.116547	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1135 - 80 [RST] Seq=1 Win=0 Len=0
28	60.116829	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1139 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
29	60.116829	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1140 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
30	60.116829	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1141 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
31	60.116829	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1142 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0
32	60.116829	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	60	1143 - 80 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=512 Len=0

Here In source column, We can see the attacker ip, now using firewall block the attacker ip from server. To do that type:

**sudo ufw insert 1 deny from 192.168.0.7 to any port 80** and save it.

## 8.0 TCP & TLS Handshake:

From the client pc open wireshark and starting capture packet from enp0s3 adapter. Now hit the website from Client pc browser.

105	2.098636632	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	74 36396 → 443 [SYN] Seq=0 Win=64240 Len=0 MSS=1460 SACK_PERM=1 ...
106	2.099027982	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TCP	74 443 → 36396 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=65160 Len=0 MSS=1460 S...
107	2.099050804	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TCP	66 36396 → 443 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=64256 Len=0 TSval=362719439...
108	2.101166149	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TLSv1.3	713 Client Hello
109	2.101552323	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TCP	66 443 → 36396 [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=648 Win=64640 Len=0 TSval=2719158...
110	2.102549616	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.3	310 Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data, Applicati...
111	2.104348040	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TLSv1.2	93 Application Data
108	2.101166149	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TLSv1.3	713 Client Hello
110	2.102549616	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.3	310 Server Hello, Change Cipher Spec, Application Data, Applicati...
112	2.103043611	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TLSv1.3	130 Change Cipher Spec, Application Data
113	2.103581870	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.3	353 Application Data
114	2.104550448	192.168.0.7	192.168.0.6	TLSv1.3	535 Application Data
115	2.105250216	192.168.0.6	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.3	268 Application Data
187	3.761495397	192.168.0.7	34.117.65.55	TLSv1.2	93 Application Data
188	3.816191109	34.117.65.55	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.2	93 Application Data
192	4.762423771	192.168.0.7	34.149.100.209	TLSv1.2	93 Application Data
193	4.791868014	34.149.100.209	192.168.0.7	TLSv1.2	93 Application Data

## 9.0 OPENSSH SERVER:

install on both pc.

**sudo apt install openssh-server**

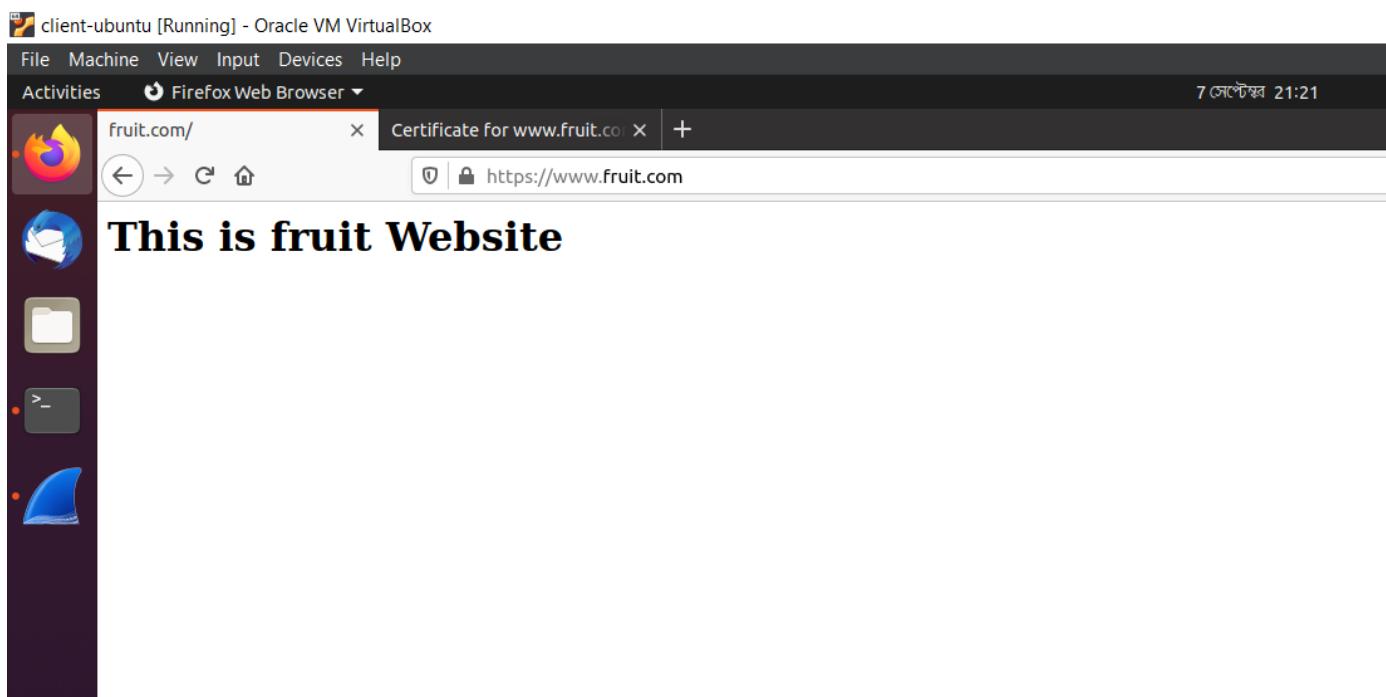
now from client pc type:

**ssh [server@192.168.0.7](http://server@192.168.0.7)**

If Firewall configured correctly in server, then using this command you can access the server pc from client pc.

## 10.0 Client PC VIEW:

Copy the Root Certificate file and paste the file in Client PC. Now Install the certificate in Client pc browser and after paste the certificate, the padlock icon should appear in the Client pc too.



View From Client Website