

HOW TO INSTALL NAGIOS, CACTI AND SPEEDTEST MINI ON UBUNTU SERVER 16.04

On the Ubuntu Server install LAMP during the server installation.

CREATE SSL CERTIFICATES

```
root@snet[~]# cd /etc/ssl/private
```

```
root@snet[~]# openssl genrsa -aes128 -out server.key 2048
```

OUTPUT

Generating RSA private key, 2048 bit long modulus

.....+++.....+++e is 65537 (0x10001)

Enter pass phrase for server.key: # set passphrase

Verifying - Enter pass phrase for server.key: # confirm

```
root@snet[~]# openssl rsa -in server.key -out server.key
```

OUTPUT

Enter pass phrase for server.key: # passphrase writing RSA key

```
root@snet[~]# openssl req -new -days 3650 -key server.key -out server.csr
```

OUTPUT

*Country Name (2 letter code) [AU]: **GH** # country*

*State or Province Name (full name) [Some-State]: **ACCRA** # state*

*Locality Name (eg, city) []: **ACCRA** # city*

*Organization Name (eg, company) [Internet Widgits Pty Ltd]: **STEP NETWORK**
company*

*Organizational Unit Name (eg, section) []: **CLOUD SOLUTIONS** # department*

*Common Name (e.g. server FQDN or YOUR name) []: **sdrive.snetgh.net** # server's FQDN*

*Email Address []: **info@snetgh.net** # email address*

Please enter the following 'extra' attributes to be sent with your certificate request

A challenge password []:

An optional company name []

```
root@snet[~]# openssl x509 -in server.csr -out server.crt -req -signkey server.key -  
days 3650
```

```
root@snet[~]# chmod 400 server.*
```

```
root@snet[~]# nano /etc/apache2/sites-available/default-ssl.conf
```

Line 3: change admin email

ServerAdmin info@snetgh.net

Line 32, 33: change to the one created above

SSLCertificateFile /etc/ssl/private/server.crt

SSLCertificateKeyFile /etc/ssl/private/server.key

```
root@snet[~]# a2ensite default-ssl
```

```
root@snet[~]# a2enmod ssl
```

```
root@snet[~]# systemctl restart apache2
```

OPTIONAL CONFIGURATION REDIRECT HTTP TO HTTPS

```
root@snet[~]# nano /etc/apache2/sites-available/000-default.conf
```

Add a redirect directive under <VirtualHost *:80>

Redirect "/" "https://172.168.1.80/"

```
root@snet[~]# sudo a2enmod ssl
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo a2enmod headers
```

```
root@snet[~]# a2ensite default-ssl
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo service apache2 restart
```

INSTALLATION COMMANDS

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /etc/apt/sources.list
```

Add the following line at the bottom of the file:

```
root@snet[~]# deb http://download.webmin.com/download/repository sarge  
contrib
```

```
root@snet[~]# wget http://www.webmin.com/jcameron-key.asc
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-key add jcameron-key.asc
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get update
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install webmin
```

INSTALLATION OF UBUNTU SERVER PACKAGES

```
root@snet[~]# apt-get install build-essential apache2 php7.0 openssl perl make  
php7.0-gd libgd2-xpm-dev libapache2-mod-php7.0 libperl-dev libssl-dev daemon  
wget apache2-utils unzip
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install lamp-server^
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php7.0-mcrypt
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo add-apt-repository ppa:ondrej/php
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get update
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php7.0-gd
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php7.0-intl
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get update
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php-xml
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo add-apt-repository -y ppa:ondrej/php && sudo apt update &&  
apt install -y php7.0-mbstring php7.0-zip php7.0-xml
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php7.0-zip
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install php7.0-curl
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install unzip
```

```
root@snet[~]# apt-get install php-apcu php-apcu-bc
```

INSTALLATION OF PHPMYADMIN

phpMyAdmin is one of the most popular and widely used web-based database management tools. It is a free and open source PHP application that allows the users to manage single or multiple SQL database servers locally or on a remote server using a web browser (GUI).

INSTALLATION COMMANDS

```
root@snet[~]# apt-get -y install phpmyadmin php-mbstring php-gettext
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo systemctl restart apache2
```

SECURE YOUR PHPMYADMIN

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /etc/apache2/conf-available/phpmyadmin.conf
```

To Configure Apache's .htaccess files

We need to add an **AllowOverride All** Then find the line where there is

```
<Directory /usr/share/phpmyadmin>
```

```
Options FollowSymLinks
```

```
DirectoryIndex index.php
```

```
AllowOverride All
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo systemctl restart apache2
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /usr/share/phpmyadmin/.htaccess
```

Add the following information

AuthType Basic

AuthName "Restricted Files"

AuthUserFile /etc/phpmyadmin/.htpasswd

Require valid-user

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install apache2-utils
```

ADDING A USER TO THE PHPMYADMIN AUTHENTICATION

```
root@snet[~]# sudo htpasswd -c /etc/phpmyadmin/.htpasswd snet
```

Adding Another User

```
root@snet[~]# sudo htpasswd /etc/phpmyadmin/.htpasswd stephen
```

HOW TO CONFIGURE APACHE .HTACCESS FOR MAXIMUM FILE UPLOAD

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /etc/apache2/apache2.conf
```

To Configure Apache's .htaccess files

Change 'AllowOverride None' to 'AllowOverride All'

Then find the line where there is

```
<Directory /var/www/>
  Options Indexes FollowSymLinks
  AllowOverride None
  Require all granted
</Directory>
```

Replace "None" with "All"

```
AllowOverride All
```

Next, press CTRL+O, press enter, and then press CTRL+X to exit.

Note: Reboot the Ubuntu server

CREATING OF DATABASE FOR OWNCLOUD SERVER

```
root@snet[~]# mysql -u root -p
```

```
root@snet[~]# CREATE DATABASE owncloud;
```

```
root@snet[~]# GRANT ALL ON owncloud.* to 'owncloud'@'localhost'
IDENTIFIED BY 'stephen';
```

```
root@snet[~]# FLUSH PRIVILEGES;
```

```
root@snet[~]# exit
```


OR

Navigate to phpmyadmin by <http://server's name or IP/phpmyadmin> and create database name called “**owncloud**” and click on create that’s all. Very easier than using the console or above.



Using PuTTY to remote the server and issue the following commands to install nagios and cacti:

INSTALLATION OF NAGIOS

```
root@snet[~]# apt-get update
```

```
root@snet[~]# apt-get install build-essential apache2 php7.0 openssl perl make  
php7.0-gd libgd2-xpm-dev libapache2-mod-php7.0 libperl-dev libssl-dev daemon  
wget apache2-utils unzip
```

```
root@snet[~]# useradd nagios
```

```
root@snet[~]# groupadd nagcmd
```

```
root@snet[~]# usermod -a -G nagcmd nagios
```

```
root@snet[~]# usermod -a -G nagcmd www-data
```

```
root@snet[~]# cd /tmp
```

```
root@snet[~]# wget
```

```
https://assets.nagios.com/downloads/nagioscore/releases/nagios-4.4.1.tar.gz
```

```
root@snet[~]# tar -zxvf /tmp/nagios-4.4.1.tar.gz
```

```
root@snet[~]# cd /tmp/nagios-4.4.1/
```

```
root@snet[~]# ./configure --with-nagios-group=nagios --with-command-  
group=nagcmd --with-httpd_conf=/etc/apache2/sites-enabled/
```

```
root@snet[~]# make all
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install-init
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install-config
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install-commandmode
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install-webconf
```

```
root@snet[~]# nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/contacts.cfg
```

Change the email address field to receive the notification.

```
root@snet[~]# htpasswd -c /usr/local/nagios/etc/htpasswd.users nagiosadmin
```

```
root@snet[~]# a2enmod cgi
```

```
root@snet[~]# service apache2 restart
```

```
root@snet[~]# cd /tmp
```

```
root@snet[~]# wget http://www.nagios-plugins.org/download/nagios-plugins-2.2.1.tar.gz
```

```
root@snet[~]# tar -zxvf /tmp/nagios-plugins-2.2.1.tar.gz
```

```
root@snet[~]# cd /tmp/nagios-plugins-2.2.1/
```

```
root@snet[~]# ./configure --with-nagios-user=nagios --with-nagios-group=nagios
```

```
root@snet[~]# make
```

```
root@snet[~]# make install
```

```
root@snet[~]# nano /etc/systemd/system/nagios.service
```

Add below content into above file.

[Unit]

Description=Nagios

BindTo=network.target

[Install]

WantedBy=multi-user.target

[Service]

User=nagios

Group=nagios

Type=simple

ExecStart=/usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg

```
root@snet[~]# systemctl enable /etc/systemd/system/nagios.service
```

```
root@snet[~]# systemctl start nagios
```

INSTALLATION OF CACTI

```
root@snet[~]# sudo apt-get install cacti cacti-spine
```

ADDING NEW HOSTS TO NAGIOS SERVER

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/new_host_name.cfg
```

And adding the following lines to it

```
# Define a host for the local machine
```

```
define host{
    use                linux-server        ; Name of host template to use
                                ; This host definition will inherit all variables
that are defined
                                ; in (or inherited by) the linux-server host
template definition.

    host_name          google.com
    alias               google.com
    address             www.google.com
}
```

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```
# SERVICE DEFINITIONS
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```

```
# Define a service to "ping" the local machine
```

```
define service{  
    use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use  
    host_name          google.com  
    service_description PING  
    check_command       check_ping!100.0,20%!500.0,60%  
}
```

```
# Define a service to check HTTP on the local machine.
```

```
# Disable notifications for this service by default, as not all users may have HTTP  
enabled.
```

```
define service{
```

```
use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use
host_name          google.com
service_description HTTP
check_command       check_http
notifications_enabled 0
}
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

Add the following line to the file

```
cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/newhost.cfg
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo systemctl start nagios
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

HOW TO ADD WINDOWS CLIENT TO NAGIOS

```
root@snet[~]# cd /usr/local/nagios/etc/
```

```
root@snet[~]# touch windows-hosts.cfg
```

```
root@snet[~]# touch windows-services.cfg
```

```
root@snet[~]# nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

Copy the following files to the bottom

```
cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/windows-hosts.cfg
```

```
cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/windows-services.cfg
```

```
root@snet[~]# nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/windows.cfg
```

“Now u can edit your host and services”

```
root@snet[~]# nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

Uncomment line 38 and then save

```
root@snet[~]# service nagios restart
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```


HOW TO DEFINE NEW GROUP IN NAGIOS SERVER

```
root@snet[~]# nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/templates.cfg
```

#Define a template for cloud-server that can be reuse

```
define host{
```

```
name                cloud-server; The name of this host template
```

```
use                 generic-host ; Inherit default values from the generic-host  
template
```

```
check_period        24x7 ; By default, Windows servers are monitored round the  
clock
```

```
check_interval      5; Actively check the server every 5 minutes
```

```
retry_interval      1 ; Schedule host check retries at 1 minute intervals
```

```
max_check_attempts  10 ; Check each server 10 times (max)
```

```
check_command        check-host-alive ; Default command to check if servers  
are "alive"
```

```
notification_period  24x7; Send notification out at any time - day or night
```

```
notification_interval 30 ; Resend notifications every 30 minutes
```

```
notification_options d,r ; Only send notifications for specific host states
```

```
contact_groups       admins ; Notifications get sent to the admins by default
```

```
hostgroups           cloud-servers ; Host groups that Windows servers should  
be a member of
```

```
register             0 ; DONT REGISTER THIS - ITS JUST A TEMPLATE
```

```
}
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/cloud.cfg
```

```
# Define Hosts
```

```
define host{
```

```
use                cloud-server; Inherit default values from a template
```

```
host_name          cserver1 ; The name we're giving to this host
```

```
alias              Cloud Server 1 ; A longer name associated with the host
```

```
address            192.168.1.1 ; IP address of the host
```

```
contacts           nagiosadmin
```

```
}
```

```
# Define host groups
```

```
define hostgroup{
```

```
hostgroup_name      cloud-servers
```

```
alias               Cloud Servers
```

```
members             cserver1
```

```
}
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# SERVICE DEFINITIONS
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```

Define a service to "ping" the local machine

```
define service{  
    use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use  
    host_name          cloud  
    service_description PING  
    check_command      check_ping!100.0,20%!500.0,60%  
}
```

Define a service to check HTTP on the local machine.

Disable notifications for this service by default, as not all users may have HTTP enabled.

```
define service{  
    use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use  
    host_name          cloud  
    service_description HTTP  
    check_command      check_http  
    notifications_enabled 0  
}
```

Define a service to check SSH on the local machine.# Disable notifications for this service by default, as not all users may have SSH enabled.

```
define service{
```

```

use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use
host_name          cloud
service_description SSH
check_command       check_ssh
notifications_enabled 0
}

```

Define a service to check the load on the local machine.

```

define service{
    use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use
    host_name          cloud
    service_description Current Load
    check_command       check_local_load!5.0,4.0,3.0!10.0,6.0,4.0
}

```

Define a service to check the number of currently running procs

on the local machine. Warning if > 250 processes, critical if

> 400 processes.

```

define service{
    use                generic-service    ; Name of service template to use
    host_name          cloud
    service_description Total Processes
    check_command       check_local_procs!250!400!RSZDT
}

```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo nano /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

Add the following line to the file

```
cfg_file=/usr/local/nagios/etc/objects/cloud.cfg
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo systemctl start nagios
```

```
root@snet[~]# sudo /usr/local/nagios/bin/nagios -v /usr/local/nagios/etc/nagios.cfg
```

To check errors of your configuration

We have to install NSClient++ on the windows Host

<http://www.nsclient.org/download/>

WEBSITE TO BE VISITED FOR MORE INFORMATION

<http://www.the-tech-tutorial.com/adding-hosts-to-nagios/>

Cloud Storage host definition template - This is NOT a real host, just a template!

```
define host{
    name                cloud-servers ; The name of this host template
    use                 generic-host ; This template inherits other values from
the generic-host template
    check_period        24x7          ; By default, Linux hosts are checked
round the clock
    check_interval      5              ; Actively check the host every 5 minutes
    retry_interval      1              ; Schedule host check retries at 1 minute
intervals
    max_check_attempts  10             ; Check each Linux host 10 times
(max)
    check_command       check-host-alive ; Default command to check
Linux hosts
    notification_period workhours      ; Linux admins hate to be woken
up, so we only notify during the day
                                ; Note that the notification_period variable is
being overridden from
                                ; the value that is inherited from the generic-
host template!
    notification_interval 120          ; Resend notifications every 2 hours
    notification_options  d,u,r       ; Only send notifications for specific
host states
    contact_groups       admins       ; Notifications get sent to the admins
by default
    register             0             ; DONT REGISTER THIS DEFINITION -
ITS NOT A REAL HOST, JUST A TEMPLATE!
}
```