

****Requirements should be configured in descending order starting with Mariadb**

To set Maria DB - Requirements:

- Use any Linux distribution you are familiar with (Centos 7 is recommended)
- As general rule, always run OS updates check and apply if any
- Depending on distribution you are using, it is recommended to install additional package manager enhancement to simplify installation of required packages (Epel in instance of CentOS7)
- Start and enable MariaDB server
- Run secure installation client script:
https://mariadb.com/kb/en/mysql_secure_installation/
 - It will ask for **root** password at the start, if this is fresh installation you won't have any. Press enter as instructed and create one (make sure you remember it)
 - Next will come a sequence of options that with **Yes** or **No** questions, with explanations. **Everything but** 'Disallow Remote Root Login' should be answered with **Y** (yes).
 - This is a lab so strict security isn't a priority here. Also, you want to allow all hosts created for this project to be able to 'remotely' access DB as root.
- Next is setting up **DB name** and **users**:
 - You have **root** user created, so use that to login to server
 - Tip: The syntax is: `mysql -u <username> -p<password>` (i.e -padmin)
 - You don't have any **Database**, yet (because in installation step you removed **sample**, if you followed this instructions to the letter), now you will create one:
 - For purpose of this project, name it **accounts** (Tip: use queries to create Db and mariadb/mysql doc as reference)
 - Next step is to create an **administrator account** (admin) and grant it all privileges(this early in project it's important to note that **root** should be used only as global enforcer - to control config and user-management)
 - **All Privileges Granted** are for Db created in previous step (accounts)
 - Because this may be tricky first time around, the query looks like following: `grant all privileges on accounts.* TO 'admin'@'%' identified by 'admin' ;`
 - To understand it refer to <https://chartio.com/resources/tutorials/how-to-grant-all-privileges-on-a-database-in-mysql/>
 - Even though it's covered in above article, instead of using **@localhost**, you use **@'%'** because you want other hosts in virtual network to access Db 'remotely' and not just machine on which Db server is.
 - The next steps are to **FLUSH** privileges (do this every time you apply some changes to privileges)
 - Terminate the current connection.

- **Following** step is feeding newly create Db (accounts) with schema content,
 - To do this clone following git repo:
<https://github.com/devopshydclub/vprofile-project.git>
 - Navigate to the newly created local repo (downloaded folder)
vprofile-project
 - From here feed empty **accounts** db with
 src/main/resources/db_backup.sql
 - Tip: mysql -u <account> -p<password> <db name> <
 src/main/resources/db_backup.sql
 - Use **root** as account
 - If successful, login to **db** (instead of **root**, you can take this opportunity to test **admin**) and run short query to check **tables** (Tip: refer to docs)
 - Close **db** connection and restart **MariaDb** server
- By default **port 3306** is used by **MySQL** and in the next steps a firewall needs to be configured to allow communication:
 - It doesn't matter which one you will use, be it **UFW, firewalld, iptables**
 - **Although**, firewalld is **recommended due to how easy is to manage zone-management** - spoiler alert, it **automatic :D**
 - Once you accomplish the task with a service/tool of your choice and verify that port 3306 is whitelisted and open, **restart** MariaDB server.

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To set MemoryCache:

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- By default **port 11211 TCP** (and as backup port UDP 11111) is used by **Memorycache** and in the next steps a firewall needs to be configured to allow communication:
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 - Once you accomplish the task with a service/tool of your choice and verify that port 11211/tcp, 11111/udp is whitelisted and open
 - Memorycache is different from MariaDb in sense that you will need to assign ports to it through shell
 - Command: `memcached -p 11211 -U 11111 -u memcached -d`
- I am not going to get into the skeleton of the above is, you can use **man**, or tools like Explainshell to understand it, if not already familiar.
- **Don't** forget to **start and enable** Memcache (tip: use `systemctl`)

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- **To complete installation part I** you need following - for convenience and established practice, navigate to '/tmp' directory:
 - wget
 - With 'wget' download <http://packages.erlang-solutions.com/erlang-solutions-2.0-1.noarch.rpm>
 - Upgrade software package dependencies with package manager ('RPM') with downloaded package - > rpm -Uvh <package> (***you must specify where package is, or be in the same directory as the package**)
 - Install 'erlang socat' (quick tip, **use primary packet manager to complete the step**: that can be yum,dnf or apt, depending on linux distro)
- **To complete installation part II**
 - You will use 'curl' to hit **rabbitmq** package dependencies repo and in parallel execute the script with bash shell: <https://packagecloud.io/install/repositories/rabbitmq/rabbitmq-server/script.rpm.sh> | bash
 - Final step, install 'rabbitmq-server' ((quick tip, **use primary packet manager to complete the step**: that can be yum,dnf or apt, depending on linux distro)
- **Enable** and **Start** 'rabbitmq-server' > check the **status (it should be running)**
- Enabling default guest access for remote hosts: [Authentication, Authorisation, Access Control — RabbitMQ](#) (if you ask me, you can skip this part, and if you check doc you will see **that they recommend to remove guest account or change it's default password**):
 - By default as you may expected only machine (vm or otherwise) that's running Rabbitmq is allowed to access **default virtual host** by using guest account
 - To allow this remotely:
 - Choose any method you want:
 - Either:
 - If there isn't manually create **RabbitMQ config file** named **rabbitmq.conf**
 - And inside in sysctl format add **loopback_users**
 - Chose whatever you want to use:
 - New format (sysctl -> key = value)
 - Classic (Erlang terms)
 - Read the linked doc for more information,although I would recommend getting **familiar with** both, because the new

- format (sysctl/ini)** doesn't support many options.
 - Or go ahead and automate it with shell scripting (it's fairly simple script)
 - Use **echo** to output the desired string (**option**) and at the same time, store that output inside **rabbitmq.conf** (tip: `sh -c 'Echo [string] > /etc/rabbitmq/rabbitmq.conf'`)
 - **Word of warning**, this is just for lab purposes. As mentioned above and in docs, **guest** accounts are a security risk and therefore are best to be removed in prod environment.
- Rabbitmq CLI tool **rabbitmqctl** and communication between inter-nodes is handled over tcp port **25672**
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 - Once you accomplish the task with a service/tool of your choice and verify that port 25672 is whitelisted and open
 - Restart Rabbitmq-server
- One last extra bit, **you can skip** but it's always better to identify problem early than later. As mentioned rabbitmq has CLI tool with which it's shipped, in this step you will use it to test **guest** and **test** account:
 - `rabbitmqctl authenticate_user test test`
(should return)
 - Authenticating user "test" ...
 - Success
 - `rabbitmqctl authenticate_user guest guest`
(should return)
 - Authenticating user "guest" ...
 - Success
- To understand the CLI tool and it's command use **--help** option.
- If there was a problem, with either of accounts use CLI built in commands of the tool to resolve it - and it's a good way to get used to and familiar with the tool.

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- A ton of benefits why setting Tomcat to run with systemd instead of init :[Running tomcat with systemd – Hackeriet](#) (*both 'init' and 'systemd' are daemons, but systemd allows you to manage linux services, where as 'init' **only starts them** and you don't have fine-control over them) -> if you require proper guidance use this <https://www.digitalocean.com/community/tutorials/how-to-install-apache-tomcat-8-on-centos-7> (only Installation steps)
- After installing you will likely need to open and allow connection over port **8080** choose, repeat with firewall of your choice, what you did earlier for previous components

You don't need to go further than this, configuration of tomcat-apache app container is not the goal of this exercise = only initial setup and startup.

Then next phase is to Build and Deploy artifact:

- Clone branch **java** (git clone -b java <https://github.com/steefanSS/DevMentorship.git>)
- Navigate to root of the project '**vprofile-project**'
- open src/main/resources/**application.properties** (edit file if you add any custom changes to backend server details - Mysql, Memcache, Rabbimq -ignore elastic search at this phase of the project)
- Build the project (run maven install)
- Deploy artifact:
 - Stop tomcat remove default artifact
 - Copy built artifact from root folder to destination where deleted artifact was (and make sure the name is **ROOT.war**): cp target/vprofile-v2.war /usr/local/tomcat8/webapps/ROOT.war
 - Start tomcat
 - Make sure to change owner of directory where artifact is to tomcat (chown tomcat.tomcat usr/local/tomcat8/webapps -R)
 - Restart tomact

To set NGINX- note that installation may vary a lot from linux distro to distro, I personally used CentOS7

You can set NGINX the following way (I have speed through this part, because by now you should be able to understand everything going on:

Login to the Nginx vm

```
$ vagrant ssh web01
```

Verify Hosts entry, if entries missing update the it with IP and hostnames

```
# cat /etc/hosts
```

Update OS with latest patches

```
# apt update
```

```
# apt upgrade
```

Install nginx

```
# apt install nginx -y
```

Create Nginx conf file with below content

```
# vi /etc/nginx/sites-available/vproapp
```

```
upstream vproapp {  
server app01:8080;  
}  
server {  
listen 80;  
location / {  
proxy_pass http://vproapp;  
}  
}
```

Remove default nginx conf

```
# rm -rf /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/default
```

Create link to activate website

```
# ln -s /etc/nginx/sites-available/vproapp /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/vproapp
```

Restart Nginx

```
# systemctl restart nginx
```

***Expect perhaps simple NGINX configuration, that could be new to you** (I can cover that separately in some more exciting project if you would like or you can research yourself in inpatient :D)

