

# **\*\*SSL/TLS Security Report**

wp.98-89-111-197.sslip.io\*\*

**Assessment Date:** Nov 19, 2025

**Source:** Qualys SSL Labs Server Test (Full Report Attached)

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## **1. Overall Rating**

Your server scored an **A** — this is an excellent rating for SSL/TLS security.

This means:

- Strong certificate
  - Strong key exchange
  - Good cipher strength
  - Modern TLS configuration
  - No critical vulnerabilities detected
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## **2. Certificate Summary**

**Type:** EC 256-bit, signed with SHA384 (ECDSA)

**Validity:**

- **Issued:** Nov 19, 2025
- **Expires:** Feb 17, 2026
- **Issuer:** E7 (Let's Encrypt intermediate)

- **Status: Trusted** by all major platforms
- **Chain Issues:** None

**Notes:**

- The certificate is short-term (90 days), normal for Let's Encrypt.
  - No OCSP Must-Staple.
  - Revocation check returned a CRL error, but the cert chain is still fully trusted.
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### 3. Protocol Support

**Enabled:**

- TLS 1.3 ✓
- TLS 1.2 ✓

**Disabled (Good):**

- TLS 1.1 / TLS 1.0 ✗
- SSL 3 ✗
- SSL 2 ✗

This is the modern best practice configuration.

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### 4. Cipher Suite Strength

TLS 1.3 ciphers (all strong):

- TLS\_AES\_256\_GCM\_SHA384

- TLS\_AES\_128\_GCM\_SHA256
- TLS\_CHACHA20\_POLY1305\_SHA256

TLS 1.2 (strong preferred ciphers; some weak CBC ciphers still listed but **not preferred**):

- ECDHE\_ECDSA\_WITH\_AES\_256\_GCM\_SHA384
- ECDHE\_ECDSA\_WITH\_AES\_128\_GCM\_SHA256
- ChaCha20-Poly1305

**Recommendation:**

→ Remove *weak CBC-based suites* if possible.

(Not required for PCI but improves the score further.)

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## 5. Key Exchange

- Elliptic Curve: **x25519** and **secp256r1** supported
- Forward secrecy: **Yes (Robust)**
- DH parameter reuse: **No reuse detected**

This is excellent.

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## 6. Vulnerability & Attack Checks

No vulnerabilities detected:

- **Heartbleed:** No
- **POODLE:** No
- **BEAST:** Mitigated

- **Zombie POODLE:** No
- **GoldenDoodle:** No
- **Ticketbleed:** No
- **OpenSSL CCS:** No
- **ROBOT attack:** No
- **Downgrade attacks:** Protected

Your HTTPS configuration is secure by industry standards.

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## 7. Missing Security Headers

These do **not** affect the SSL grade, but affect **overall web security**:

- **Strict-Transport-Security (HSTS):** Not enabled
- **OCSP Stapling:** Not enabled
- **Public Key Pinning (HPKP):** Disabled (normal)
- **HSTS Preload:** Not listed

### Recommendation:

Add this header to your Apache/Nginx:

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Strict-Transport-Security: max-age=31536000; includeSubDomains; preload
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This alone will give you a more hardened posture.

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## 8. Server Details

- **Server:** Apache
  - **HTTP/1.1 only** (supports ALPN)
  - **Hostname:** ec2-98-89-111-197.compute-1.amazonaws.com
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## 9. PCI DSS Significance

For PCI Requirement 4 (Encrypt cardholder data in transit), this SSL configuration meets expectations:

- ✓ Strong protocols (TLS 1.2/1.3)
- ✓ No deprecated SSL/TLS versions
- ✓ Strong ciphers
- ✓ No major vulnerabilities
- ✓ Trusted certificate authority

**Only optional improvements for PCI-hardening:**

1. Add HSTS
  2. Enable OCSP Stapling
  3. Remove weak CBC ciphers (TLS 1.2)
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## 10. Summary Recommendations

Here are your prioritized action steps:

### High Priority (Do This First)

1. **Enable HSTS**
2. **Enable OCSP Stapling**

### Medium Priority

3. Remove weak TLS 1.2 CBC cipher suites
4. Enable HTTP/2 (not required, but modern)

### **Low Priority**

5. Consider auto-renew monitoring for Let's Encrypt
6. Confirm redirects so all traffic uses HTTPS