

Objective: Generate public and private keys and enable SSH from your machine to another VM using the key. Configure SSH to just run 'ssh involve' without specifying username, IP and key in the command.

-install service sshd

Sudo apt install sshd

Sudo systemctl enable --now ssh

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ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ sudo systemctl enable --now ssh
Synchronizing state of ssh.service with SysV service script with /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install.
Executing: /usr/lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install enable ssh
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/ssh.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/ssh.service.
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/ssh.service → /usr/lib/systemd/system/ssh.service.
ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ sudo systemctl status ssh
● ssh.service - OpenBSD Secure Shell server
   Loaded: loaded (/usr/lib/systemd/system/ssh.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
   Active: active (running) since Mon 2024-12-02 10:05:07 EET; 2s ago
 TriggeredBy: ● ssh.socket
   Docs: man:sshd(8)
        man:sshd_config(5)
  Process: 4213 ExecStartPre=/usr/sbin/sshd -t (code=exited, status=0/SUCCESS)
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- generate key public,private

Ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "involvekey"

Ssh-copy-id -i ~/.ssh/id_rsa.pub ahmed@192.168.216.136

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ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "involve-key"
Generating public/private rsa key pair.
Enter file in which to save the key (/home/ahmed/.ssh/id_rsa):
Enter passphrase (empty for no passphrase):
Enter same passphrase again:
Your identification has been saved in /home/ahmed/.ssh/id_rsa
Your public key has been saved in /home/ahmed/.ssh/id_rsa.pub
The key fingerprint is:
SHA256:QyxPPdkf3qIo2r3DaAEU/GVFHss0/BWs7JTDdkwBD/M involve-key
The key's randomart image is:
+---[RSA 4096]-----+
|      ... oBoo. |
|      o. oo= Bo. |
|      ...+o*o==E |
|      .=. =O+oo |
|      .S  +oo+ . |
|      .. ... . |
|      .+. . |
|      oooo |
+---+-----+

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[SHA256]
ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ sudo ssh-copy-id -i /home/ahmed/.ssh/id_rsa.pub ahmed@192.168.216.136
/usr/bin/ssh-copy-id: INFO: Source of key(s) to be installed: "/home/ahmed/.ssh/id_rsa.pub"
The authenticity of host '192.168.216.136 (192.168.216.136)' can't be established.
ED25519 key fingerprint is SHA256:89LLvI22auZi9zOhgESTlAarFUd0DnPZdP7WdOjdH1s.
This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? y
Please type 'yes', 'no' or the fingerprint: yes
/usr/bin/ssh-copy-id: INFO: attempting to log in with the new key(s), to filter out any that are already installed

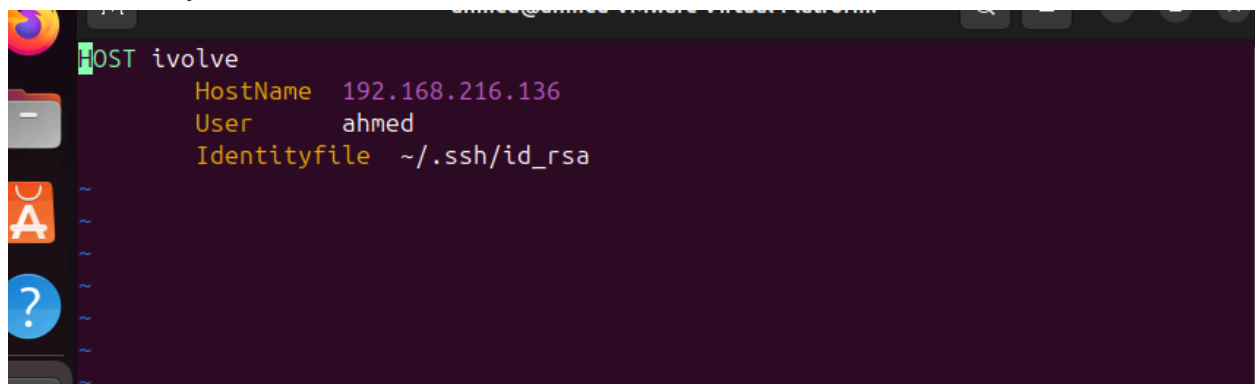
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-edit file ~/.ssh/config

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Host involve
    HostName 192.168.216.136
    User ahmed
    Identityfile ~/.ssh/id_rsa

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Ssh involve:

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This key is not known by any other names.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no/[fingerprint])? y
Please type 'yes', 'no' or the fingerprint: yes
Warning: Permanently added '192.168.216.136' (ED25519) to the list of known hosts.
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-49-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation:  https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management:    https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support:       https://ubuntu.com/pro

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

196 updates can be applied immediately.
To see these additional updates run: apt list --upgradable

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

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73 ip a s
74 history
ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ exit
logout
Connection to 192.168.216.136 closed.
ahmed@ahmed-VMware-Virtual-Platform:~$ history
1 sudo ssh-keygen -t rsa -b 4096 -C "ivolvekey"
2 ssh-copy-id -i /root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub
3 ahmed@192.168.216.136
4 sudo ssh-copy-id -i /root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub ahmed@192.168.216.136
5 sudo vim ~/.ssh/config
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