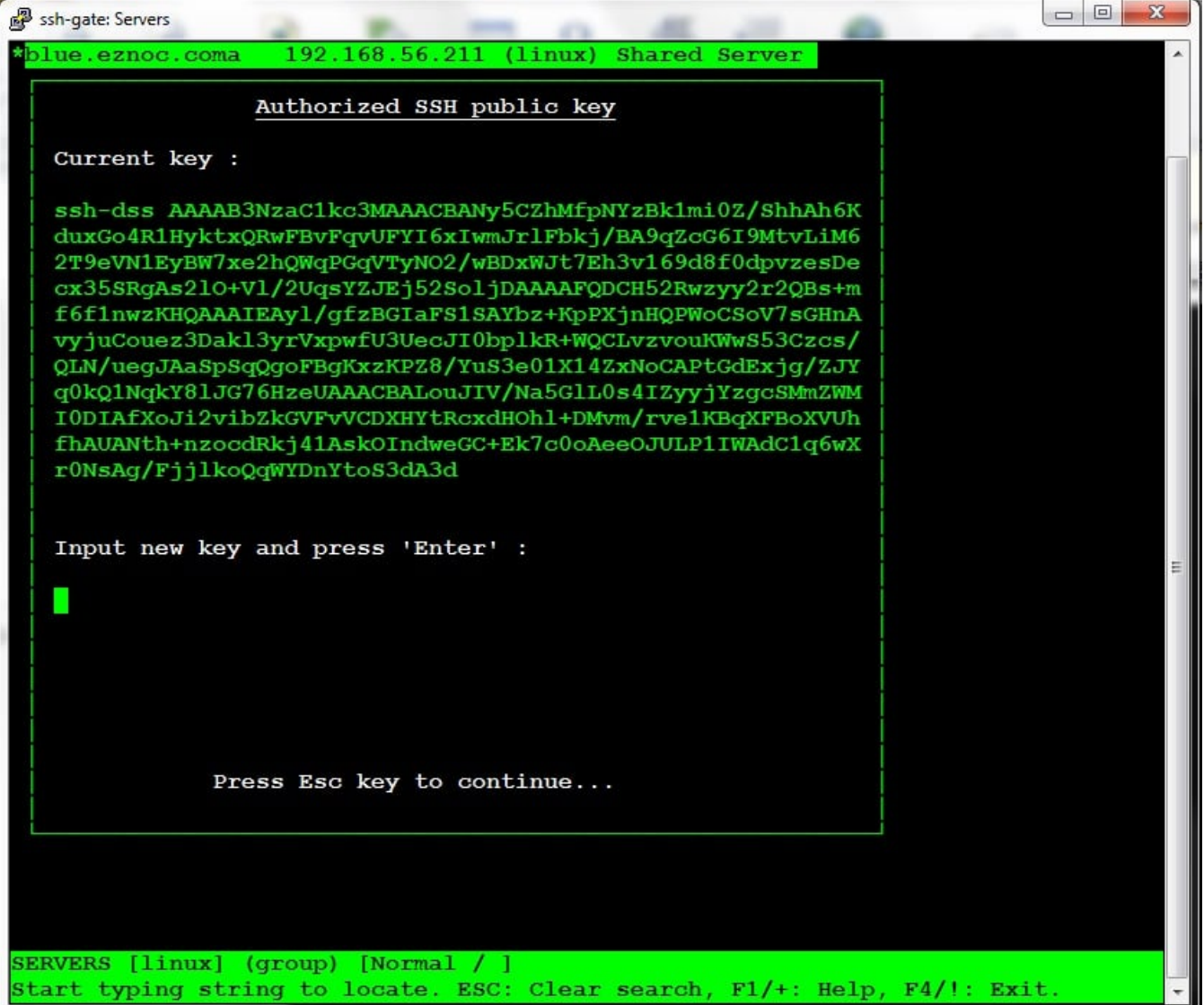


# How to add ssh public key for passwordless authentication in ssh

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SSH Gateway users can set add their ssh public keys for passwordless authentication to login into the ezsh shell ( ezeelogin backend shell). Press the F2 key in the ezeelogin shell to enter your public keys for ssh authorized keys-based authentication so that user's password will not be prompted again.

- 1) Login to the Ezeelogin backend interface ( ezsh shell ) after giving the password and 2FA
- 2) Press "F2" or "#"
- 3) Paste the public key of the user.
- 4) Press enter.



The screenshot shows a terminal window titled "ssh-gate: Servers". The prompt is `*blue.eznoc.coma 192.168.56.211 (linux) Shared Server`. The user has pressed the F2 key, which has opened a dashed green box titled "Authorized SSH public key". Inside this box, the text "Current key :" is followed by a long SSH public key string. Below the key, the text "Input new key and press 'Enter' :" is shown with a green cursor. At the bottom of the dashed box, it says "Press Esc key to continue...". The terminal window has a green status bar at the bottom that reads "SERVERS [linux] (group) [Normal / ]" and "Start typing string to locate. ESC: Clear search, F1/+: Help, F4/!: Exit."

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*blue.eznoc.coma 192.168.56.211 (linux) Shared Server

Authorized SSH public key

Current key :

ssh-dss AAAAB3NzaC1kc3MAAACBANy5CZhMfpNYzBklmi0Z/ShhAh6K
duxGo4RlHyktxQRwFBvFqvUFYI6xIwmJrlFbkj/BA9qZcG6I9MtvLiM6
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Input new key and press 'Enter' :

Press Esc key to continue...

SERVERS [linux] (group) [Normal / ]
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You can also add more than one key in /home/ezeeloginuser/.ssh/authorized\_keys .

The public key you are adding to the ezeelogin master node will not be synced/copied to the slave/secondary node. You should need to copy the public key from the master node to the slave node and vice versa.

Also as an alternative way,

- a. Create an **authorized\_keys** file and paste your public key inside it.
- b. After transferring the public keys into the authorized\_keys file, Follow the below steps;-

- c. Enter the password of the Ezeelogin user when prompted.

Online URL:

<https://www.ezeelogin.com/kb/article/how-to-add-ssh-public-key-for-passwordless-authentication-in-ssh-137.html>