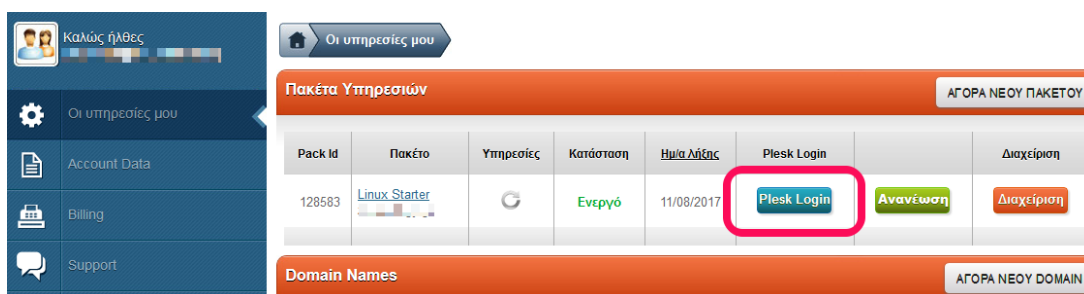


## How can I create a CSR in Plesk Onyx?

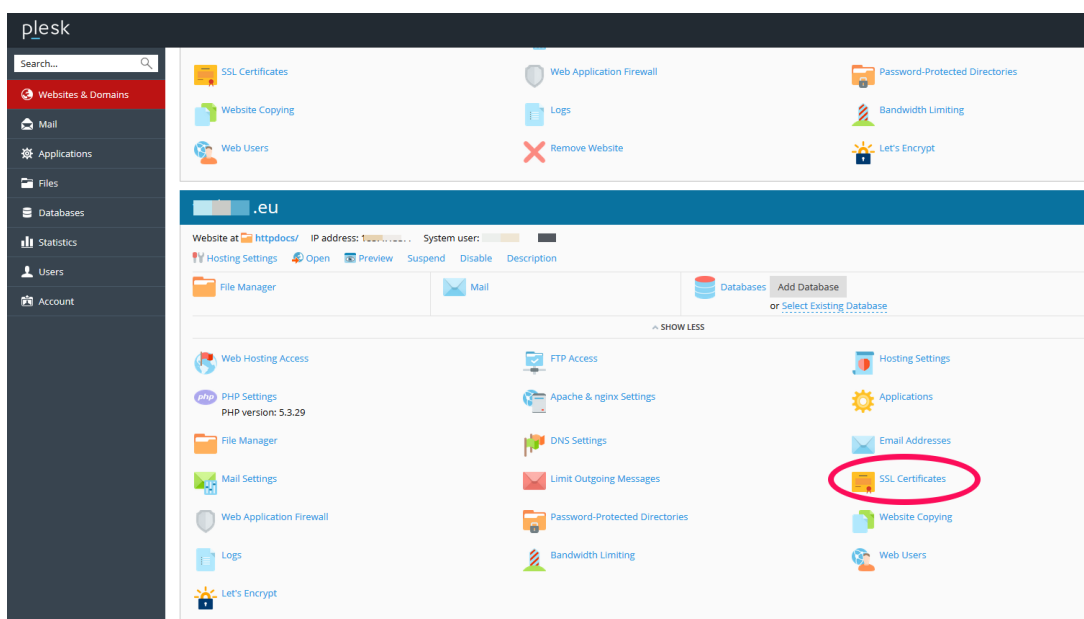
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In order to create a CSR in Plesk, take the following steps:

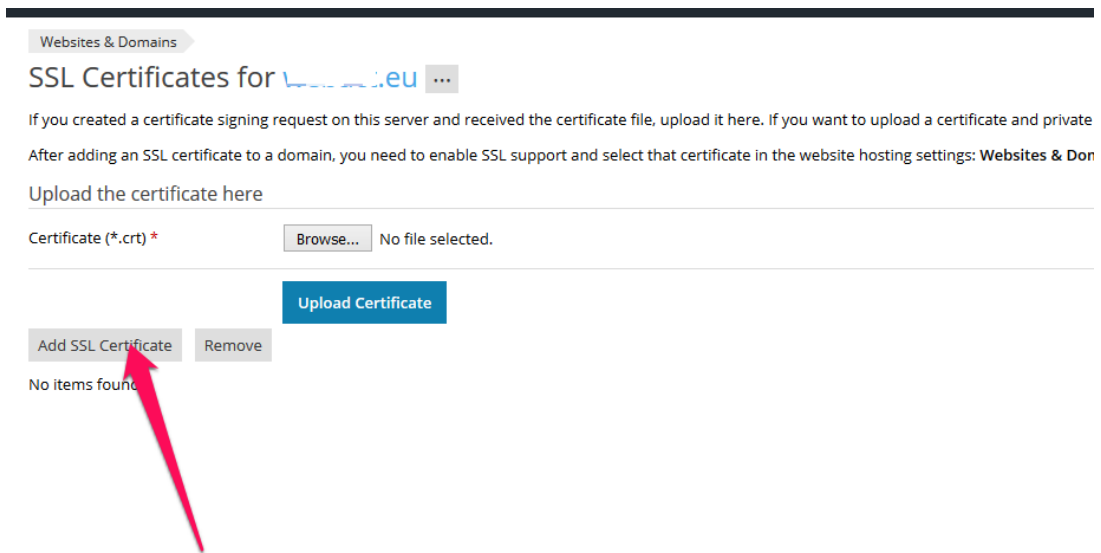
1. Log into [myTophost Panel](#) and click on **Plesk Login** in order to connect to the Plesk of the plan that you are interested in.



2. In the **Websites & Domains** tab, click on the **SSL Certificates** icon.



3. Click on **Add SSL Certificate**.



4. Next, you need to configure the certificate settings in Latin characters, because if you enter the information with Greek characters, the issuing authority might cancel the activation request.

No1 Certificate name: This will allow you to recognize the specific certificate.

No2 Country: Fill in your country.

No3 State or Province: Fill in the State, Province, City or Area of your seat. The information that you will enter must not exceed 64 characters.

No4 Location: Fill in your location. The information that you will enter must not exceed 64 characters.

No5 Organization name (company): Fill in the name of the organization the certificate is issued for.

No6 Domain name: Fill in the domain name, that you wish to activate the SSL certificate for. E.g. your-domain.com.

NOTE: Bear in mind that you must always type www before your domain name.

No7 Email: Enter your email.

No 8 Make sure that the information you have entered is correct, as it will be used to create your private key. Click on **Request**, in order to create your private key along with the certificate's issue request.

## Add SSL Certificate

Certificate name \*  1

### Settings

Use this form to generate a request for a certificate, to buy a certificate from your provider, or to generate a self-signed certificate.

A request is a CSR file that contains the information about your domain that you specified in the form. You can submit the request to a certification authority for issuing a certificate for you. You will then upload it using one of the upload forms below.

A self-signed certificate is an identity certificate signed by its own creator. If you use such a certificate, it means that you yourself verify your sites' identity. Although self-signed certificates allow the usage of SSL, they are trusted less, and considered as less secure.

Bits

Country \*  2

State or province \*  3

Location (city) \*  4

Organization name (company) \*  5

Organization department or division name:

Domain name \*  6

Email \*  7

8  Request  Self-Signed

5. The certificate has now been issued and you can see it on the next page.

## SSL Certificates for ...

✓ **Information:** The SSL certificate was added. To make the certificate work, select it in the website hosting settings (on the Websites & Domains tab).

If you created a certificate signing request on this server and received the certificate file, upload it here. If you want to upload a certificate and private key file, click on the "Upload Certificate" button.

After adding an SSL certificate to a domain, you need to enable SSL support and select that certificate in the website hosting settings: **Websites & Domains**

Upload the certificate here

Certificate (\*.crt) \*  No file selected.

1 items total

R K C A Name ^

www. .eu

1 items total

6. Click on the certificate name and on the new page, find the section about the CSR and copy the entire text from this line `\---BEGIN CERTIFICATE REQUEST\---` up to this line `\---END CERTIFICATE REQUEST\---`

The CSR will have the following structure.

## CSR

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-----END CERTIFICATE REQUEST-----
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