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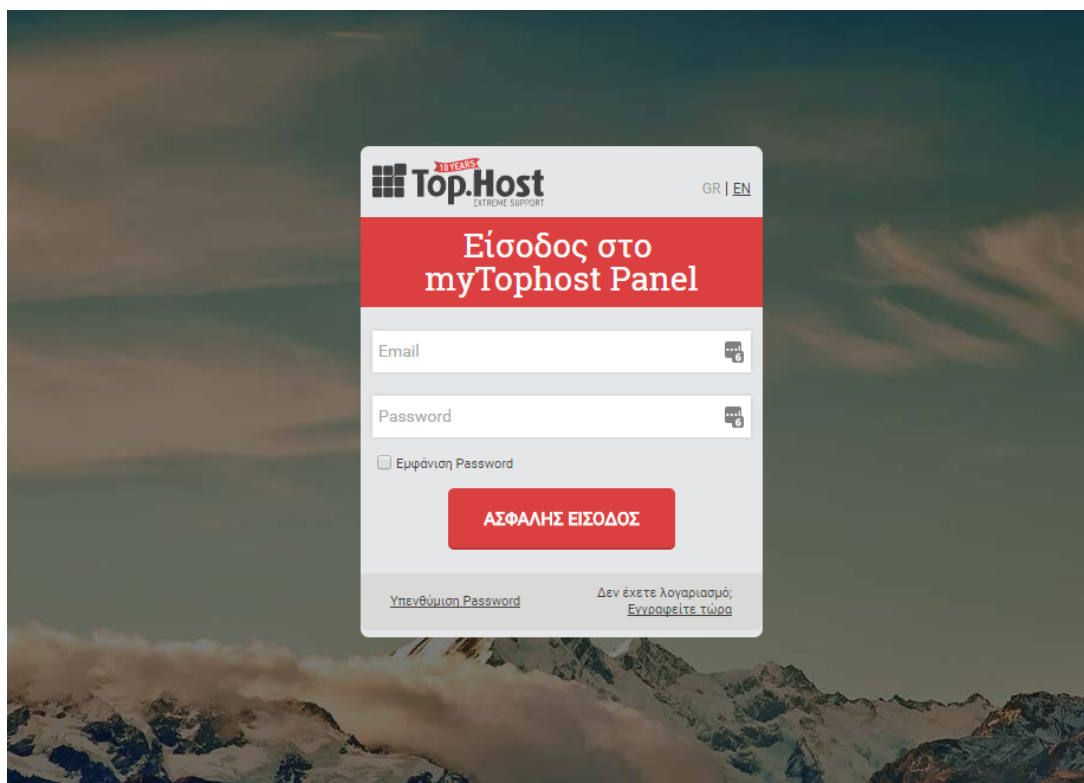
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Let's Encrypt SSL Certificate is a Certificate Authority (CA) that enables you to create a free SSL certificate for your domain.

You can install it easily through Plesk by following these steps:

1. [Log in to myTophost Panel](#) and select **Plesk Login** to connect to Plesk of the package you are interested in.



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Pack Id	Package	Status	Expiration date	Plesk Login		Manage Service
	Linux Star	On	09/09/2020	<a href="#">Plesk Login</a>	<a href="#">Renew</a>	<a href="#">Manage Service</a>

2. In **Websites & Domains** tab, choose **SSL/TLS Certificates**.

3. In **Entry-level protection** category, click on **Get it free** button.

4. In the next window,

## SSL/TLS Certificate for [redacted]

The current SSL/TLS certificate is valid to June 10, 2020. It will be used to secure your website until a new one is issued.

 **Let's Encrypt** Entry-level protection  
[Choose another]

Let's Encrypt is a certificate authority (CA) that allows you to create a free SSL/TLS certificate for your domain. By proceeding you acknowledge that you have read and agree to the [Let's Encrypt Terms of Service](#).  
Note: The certificate will be automatically renewed 30 days in advance before its expiration.

Email address \*

[redacted]@gmail.com

Make sure to use a valid email address to receive important notifications and warnings.

- Secure the wildcard domain (including www and webmail)  
\*. [redacted]
- Include a "www" subdomain for the domain and each selected alias  
www [redacted]
- Secure webmail on this domain  
webmail [redacted]
- Assign the certificate to mail domain  
IMAP, POP, SMTP on [redacted]

Get it free

Cancel

- Type your email address (may be used in emergency announcements or some key loss to resubmit)
- Check **Secure the wildcard domain (including www and webmail)**, which includes **www.yourdomain.com**, the **webmail** and all the rest **subdomains** of your main domain, in case that they exist. Otherwise, you can choose only the instance you want to be secured:
  - If you want to install SSL for **www.yourdomain.com**, check the box **Include a "www" subdomain for the domain and each selected alias**
  - If you want to install SSL for webmail, check the box **Secure webmail on this domain**.
- Check **Assign the certificate to mail domain, which includes IMAP, POP and SMTP service of your domain in case that it is necessary**.
- Select on **Get it Free**

4. In order Let's encrypt to be activated, a **TXT record** needs to be added in your domain's DNS zone. In case that DNS zone responds from the same server, TXT record is added automatically. Otherwise you need to manually add the corresponding TXT record in your DNS zone. Once TXT record has been added on the DNS zone, click on **Reload** and give some minutes for SSL to be issued.

Webistes & Domains > SSL/TLS Certificates >

## SSL/TLS Certificate for *self-improvement.gy*

Issuing an SSL/TLS certificate for *self-improvement.gy* is still in progress.

Started issuing a wildcard SSL/TLS certificate from Let's Encrypt for the domain *self-improvement.gy*.

Please wait while Plesk finishes adding a DNS record with the following parameters:

Record type: TXT  
Domain name: *\_acme-challenge*  
Record: *IDPvTLLDH4SMWGikRJS-onPIEzO93ZrZ5FjnLWwAwRg*

To terminate and delete the existing certificate request, click "Cancel".

Before clicking "Reload", make sure that the DNS record was added and can be resolved externally.

4. Upon completion of the installation, there is a confirmation message (as shown in the following message) that indicates the SSL is successfully installed on your domain.

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## SSL/TLS Certificate for *self-improvement.gy*

Installed the SSL/TLS certificate on *self-improvement.gy*

**Let's Encrypt**  
Entry-level protection

Certificate Name: Lets Encrypt  
Valid To: June 14, 2020  
Will be automatically renewed

Email address: @gmail.com

**Options**

- Redirect from http to https:
- HSTS:
- Keep websites secured:  Disabled
- OCSP Stapling:
- Run SSL Labs Test: Deep analysis of the SSL web server configuration.

**Secured Components**

Domain	Secured
Domain with the "www" prefix www.	Secured
Webmail access webmail.	Secured
Mail access IMAP, POP, SMTP	Secured

**Wildcard**

Wildcard SSL/TLS certificate *	Secured
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**Subdomains**

demo.	Secured
test.	Secured