How to access fantasyland.winpcs.umb.edu from your home computer

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Note: You should connect to fantasyland.cs.umb.edu directly using Remote Desktop Access if you are at the UMass Boston campus.

If you are outside the network of UMass Boston, we will tunnel Remote Desktop Protocol (RDP) through the putty ssh client.

Refer to: http://www.maths.ox.ac.uk/help/faqs/connection/tunnelling-rdp-putty for more detailed explanation.

1. STEP 1: Run Putty (search for the keyword, download and install the software)
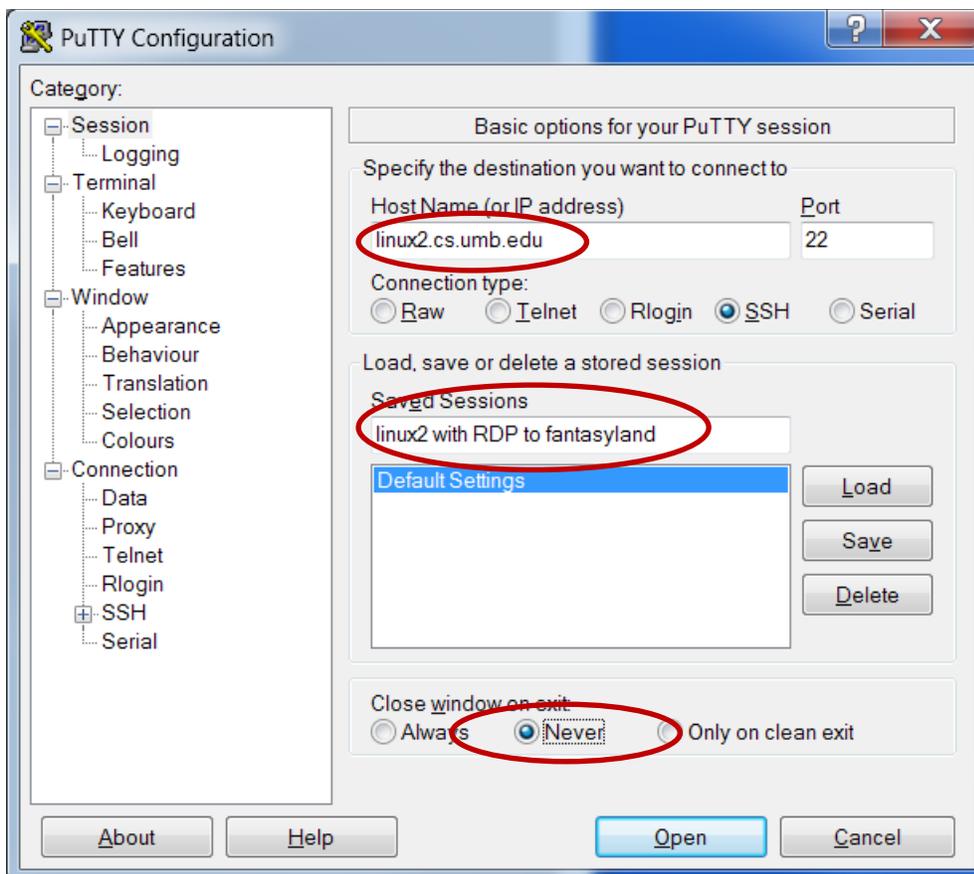
2. STEP 2: enter 127.0.0.2:3390 in "Source port", enter "fantasyland.winpcs.cs.umb.edu:3389 " in "Destination"

Click Add after everything is done
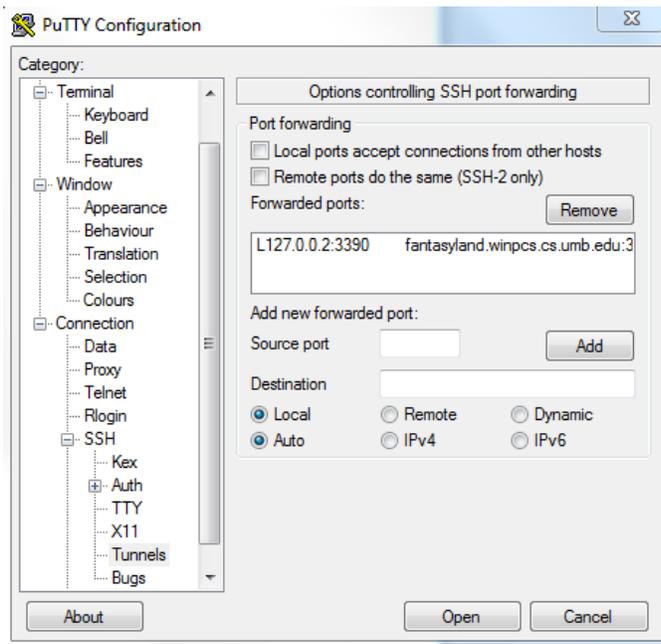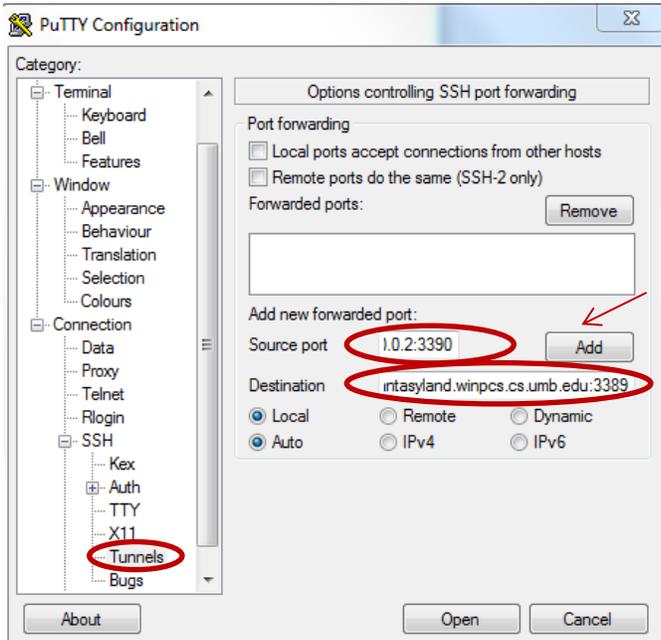
3. STEP 3: Click Session--Logging
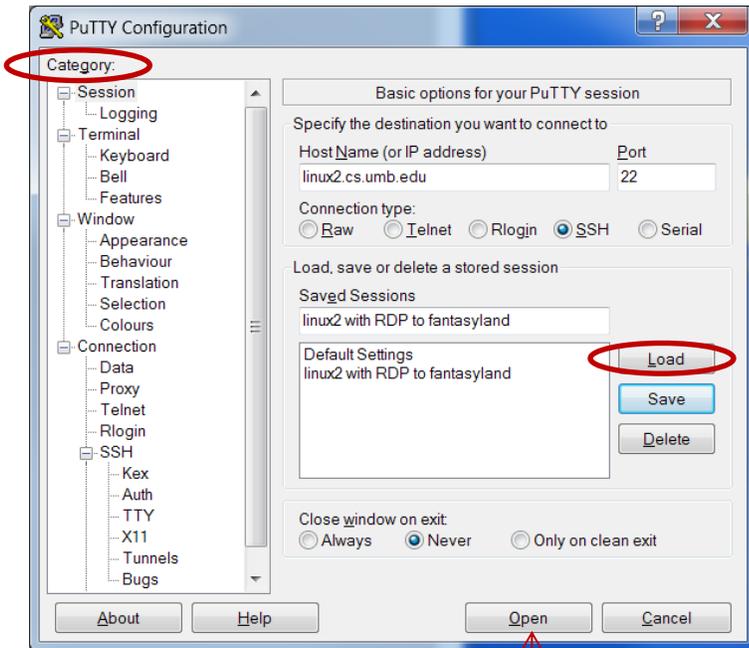
Click Open AFTER you save the configuration

4. STEP 4: log into linux2.cs.umb.edu using your class account and password
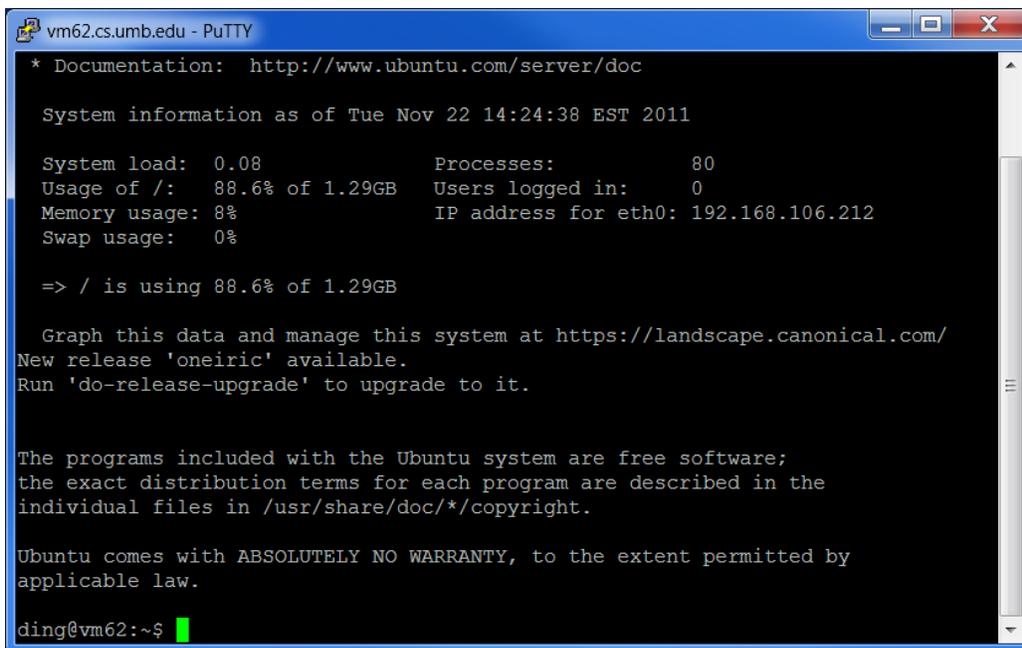
5. STEP 5: Start your Remote Desktop Access Tool and log into the machine using your class account and password. Login name: winpcs\your account.