

# Be master of your domain

Commoditize your ISP and other services

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# Rule for dealing with Large Companies

If they can't set the hook they can't jerk you around.



# Stay off the Cloud



You might fall through

You probably have no  
fourth amendment rights  
on the cloud.

Your data should belong  
to you.

On your computer.

Don't ask anyone's permission to use  
your own data. Or move it, or reformat  
it.

# Two ways ISPs set the hook



you@ISP.com

email address

<http://www.ISP.com/~you/>

web address.

Stop your ISP from setting the  
Hook!

# Get your own Domain Name



your email address does not  
change when you change  
mail servers.

You control your web  
address, regardless who is  
serving it.

# Basic strategy

Own your own domain, **MyDomain.com**

your email address is **Me@MyDomain.com**

your home pages is

<http://www.MyDomain.com>

or perhaps <http://www.subdomain.MyDomain.com>

When your ISP changes your email address and home page address stays the same!

# You do not have to have your own DNS server!

Unless you are an über user you probably do not want to run a DNS server.

You do not want to run a DNS server unless you have at least 2 computers running all the time.

You can have your own domain without running a DNS server.

You can get other people to run a DNS server for you.

# Keep Your ISP's brand off you

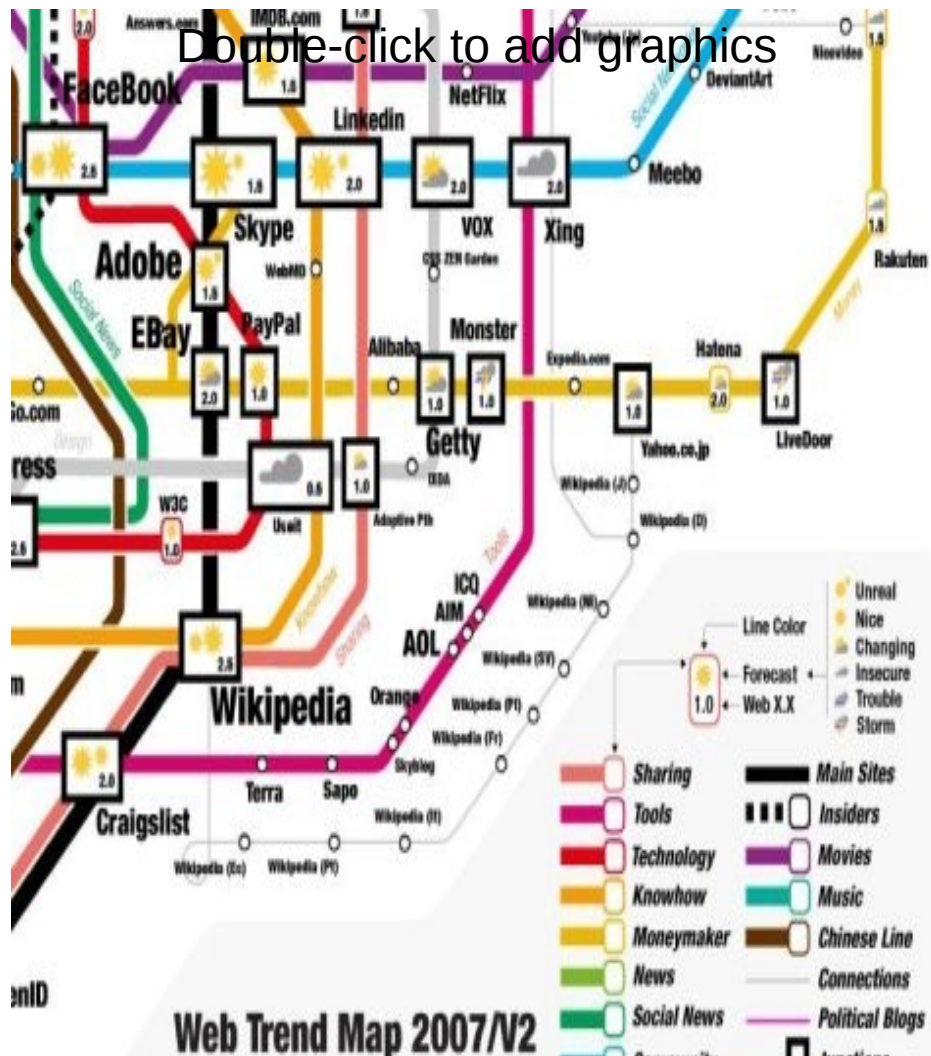


No hassle when switching ISPs.

Your ISP is a commodity, a company that sells you bandwidth.



# Your ISP is a commodity



They sell you access to the “series of tubes” which is the Internet.

# Shop for your domain registrar



Look for ability to  
transfer domain.

ease of use

features.

web management.

dynamic dns.

domain parking.

pop server.

# Choose your domain name.

Don't get so creative that you embarrass your self.

References to popular culture are likely to be afflicted by trademark law.

Consider the virtues of boring.

# Consider using google apps for an email server.

Google gives web, imap, and smtp access to your email.

Outsiders sending you mail, don't know you are using google apps, that is, unless they look at your domain's MX record.

Your email address looks like  
*You@yourdomain.com.*

# Won't using google apps make me dependent on Google?

NO!



Many services provide essentially the same email services as Google apps.

We only use those features of google apps that can be had else where.

Strategy: If google apps becomes uppity we simply move.

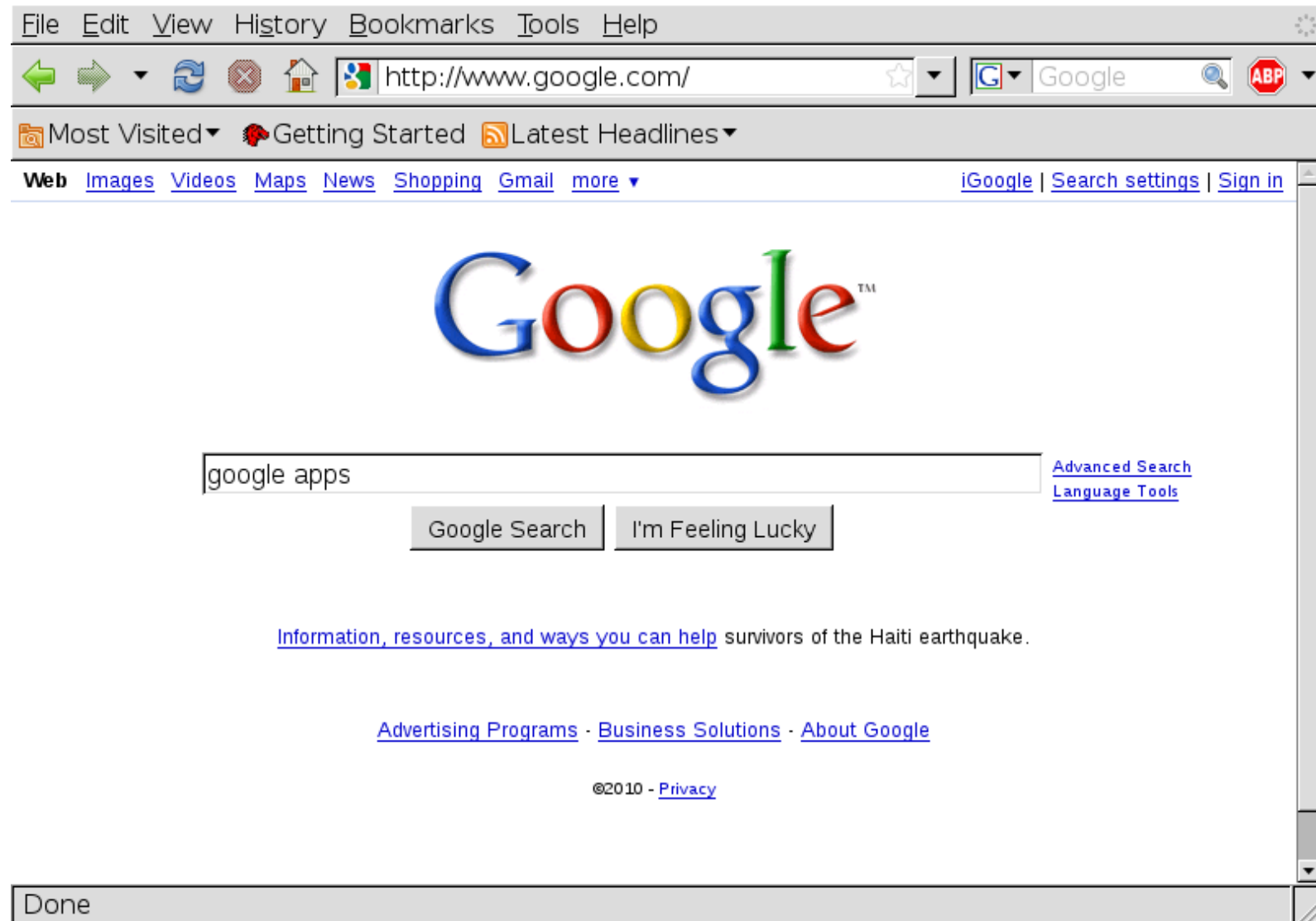
# Google Sites?

Google Sites is google's web hosting/content management service.

I do not recommend Google Sites, because it does not let you upload your own arbitrary html.

It would be difficult to migrate away from Google sites.

# Search for “google apps”



# Welcome to google apps

The image is a screenshot of a web browser window showing Google search results for the query 'google apps'. The browser's address bar displays the URL 'http://www.google.com/search?q=google+apps&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8'. The search results page features the Google logo, a search bar with the text 'google apps', and a 'Search' button. Below the search bar, the results are categorized by 'Web' and show 'Results 1 - 10 of about 62,300,000 for google apps. (0.08 seconds)'. The first result is a sponsored link titled 'Google Apps for Domains' from 'www.Google.com/Apps/Business', which promotes reducing IT costs and improving collaboration with a free 30-day trial. To the right, there is a sidebar with 'Sponsored Links' including 'Google Apps from Beloit' and a link to 'See your ad here'. The second organic result is titled 'Business email, calendar, documents, and intranet sites for your ...' and describes Google Apps as a solution for reducing IT costs and empowering employees. This result is highlighted with a red hand-drawn rectangle. Below it, there is a link to 'Welcome to Google Apps' and a snippet of text: 'Put Google's web-based communication, collaboration and security apps to ...'. The third organic result is titled 'Google Apps for Education - Free email and apps for schools.'.

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Location: <http://www.google.com/search?q=google+apps&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8> Google Search

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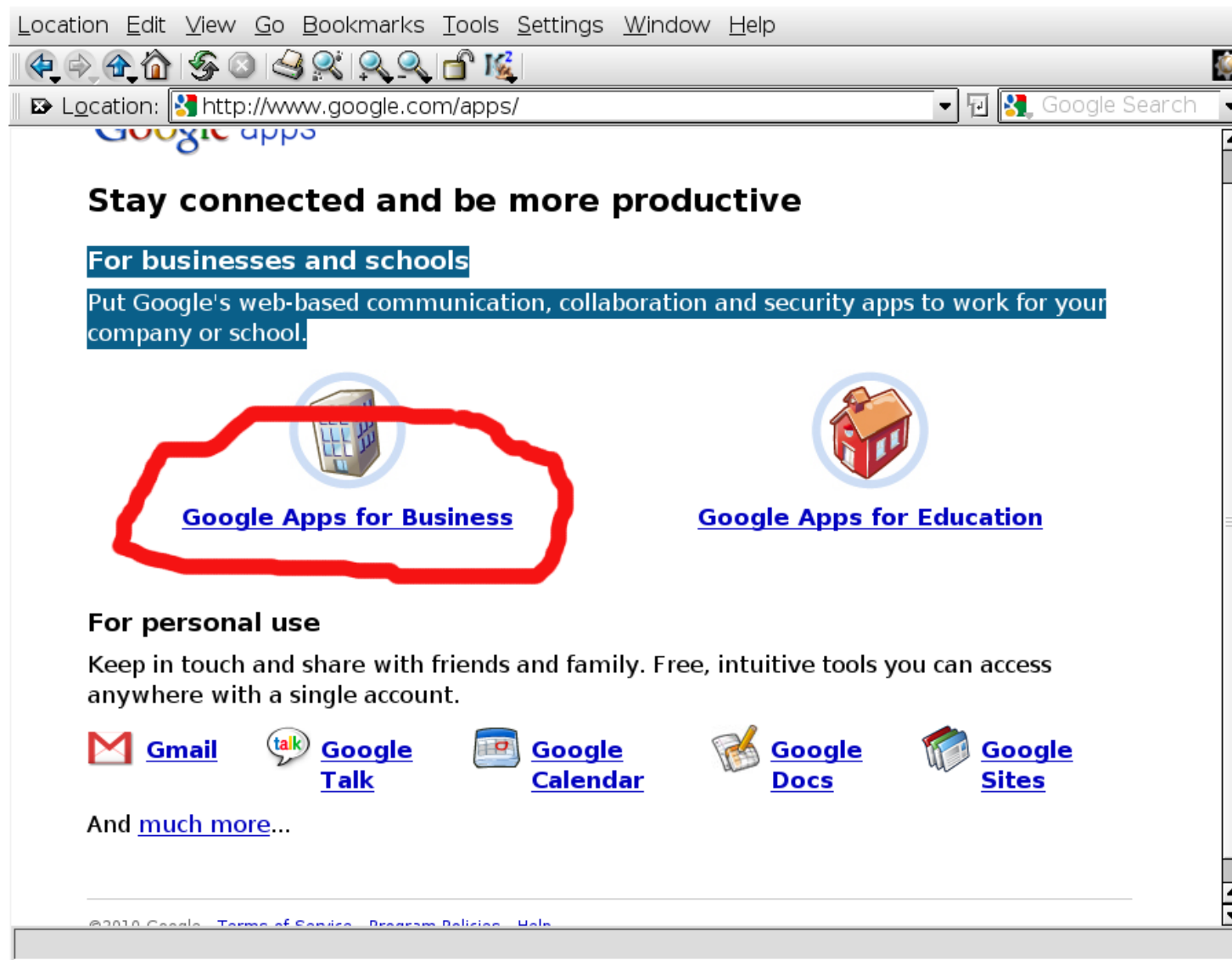
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**Google Apps** reduces IT costs and empowers today's employees. Gmail, **Google Docs**, Google Sites, and more - \$50 per user per year. Try it free for 30 days. ...  
<http://www.google.com/a/> - [Cached](#)

**Welcome to Google Apps**  
Put **Google's** web-based communication, collaboration and security **apps** to ...  
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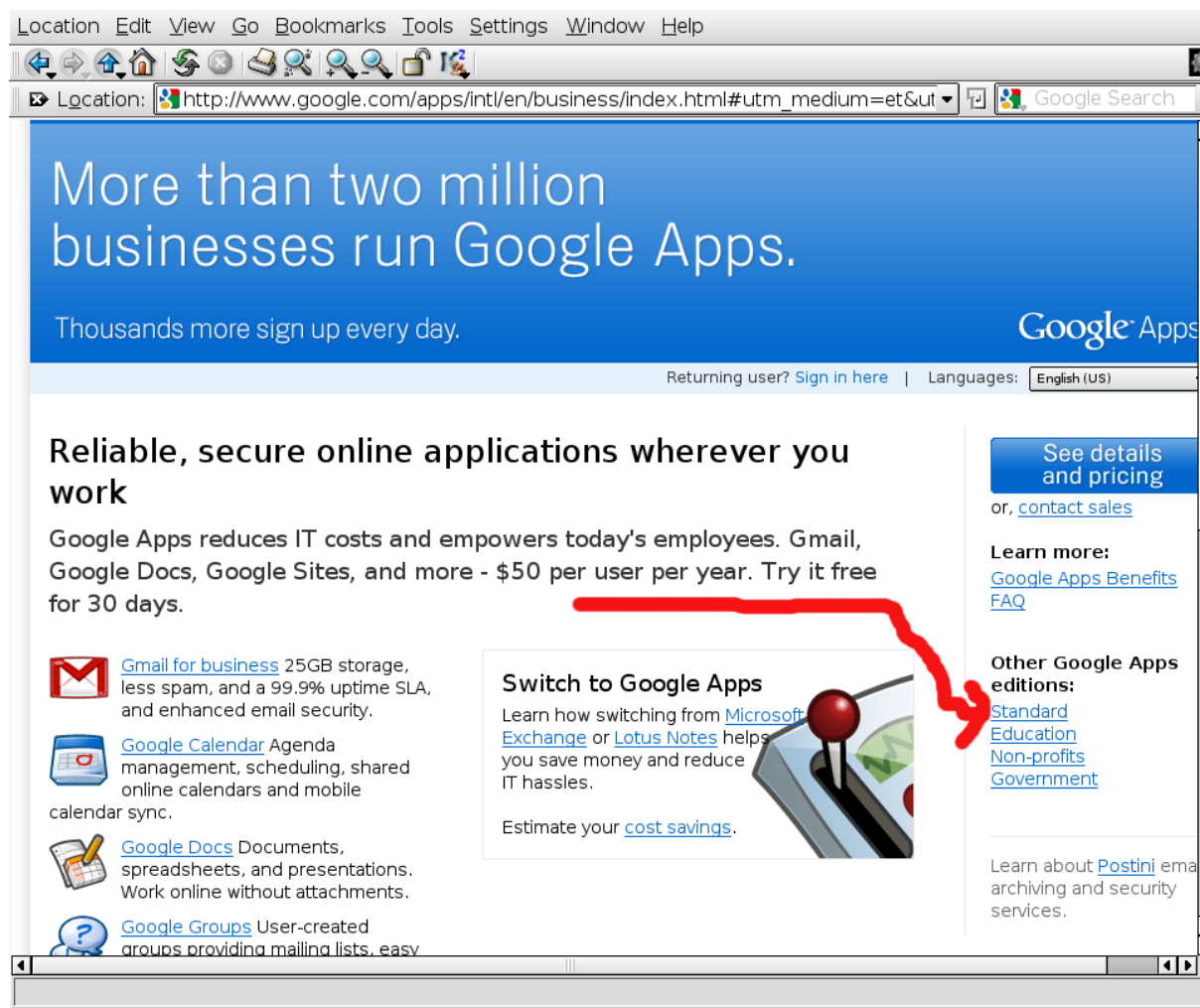
[Google Apps for Education - Free email and apps for schools.](#)



# Google Apps for Business



# Use standard unless you want to pay for some more neat google stuff.



# Get Started

The screenshot shows the Google Apps Standard Edition landing page. A red circle highlights the 'Get Started' button in the right-hand sidebar. The main content area features a green header with 'Standard Edition' and 'Google Apps'. Below this, a blue navigation bar contains 'Home > Standard Edition' and a search box. The main text describes the tools as 'Simple online messaging and collaboration tools for groups' and lists four services: Gmail, Google Sites, Google Calendar, and Google Docs, each with a brief description. At the bottom, a comparison table shows that both Standard and Premier editions support messaging and collaboration apps. A sidebar on the right promotes the Premier Edition for business-critical needs.

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Location: <http://www.google.com/apps/intl/en/group/index.html> Google Search


## Standard Edition


Home > Standard Edition search


### Simple online messaging and collaboration tools for groups.

Google Apps Standard Edition makes it easy for your club, family, sports team or group to communicate and collaborate online - and it's free.

**Gmail**  
Get custom email like hikingfan@your-group.com.

**Google Sites**  
Create websites and group wikis.

**Google Calendar**  
Organize your schedule and share events with friends.

**Google Docs**  
Share online documents, presentations, and spreadsheets.

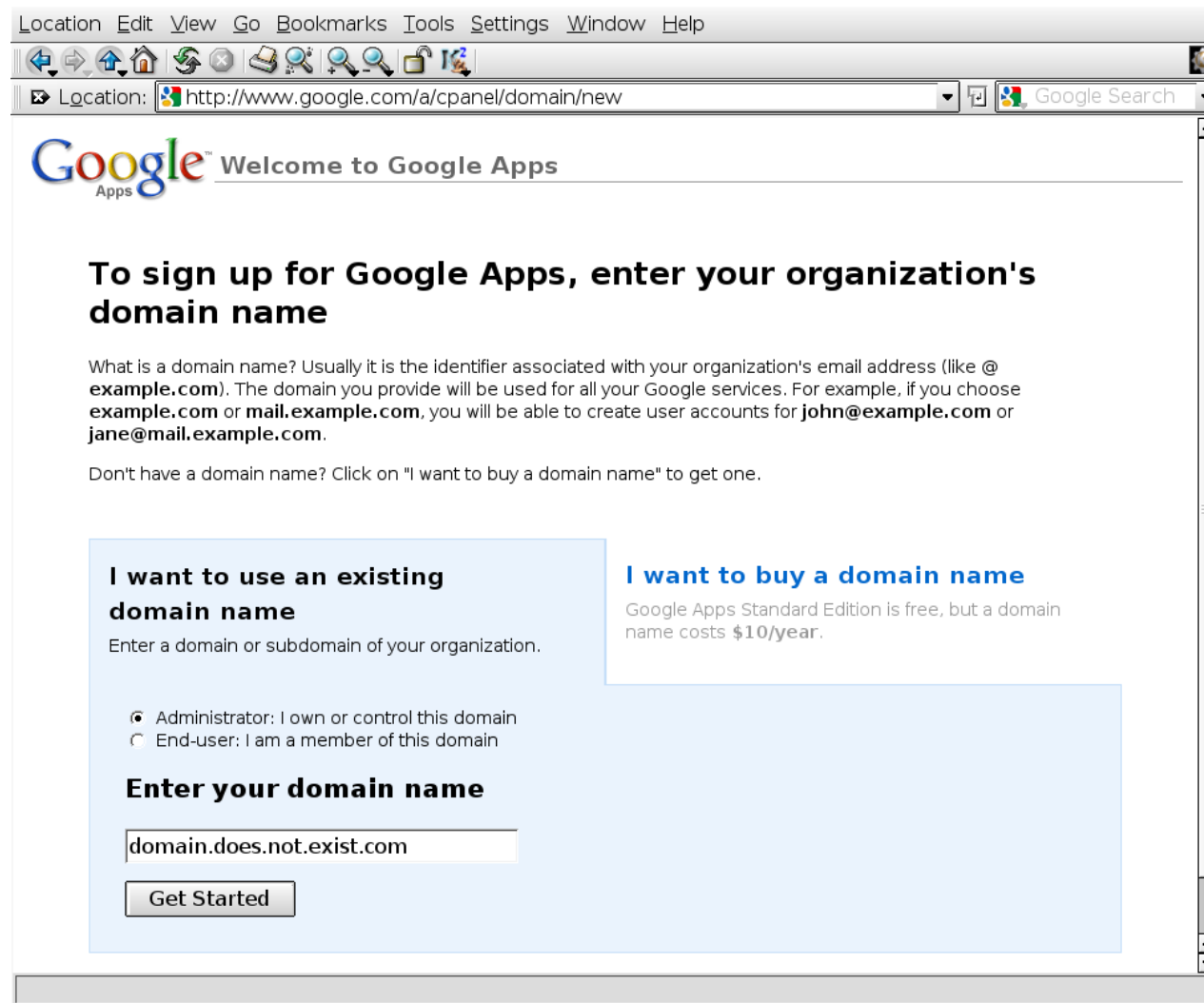
Compare with Premier Edition <a href="#">Learn more</a>	Standard Edition	Premier Edition
<b>Messaging apps</b> <a href="#">Gmail</a> and <a href="#">Google Calendar</a>	✓	✓
<b>Collaboration apps</b> <a href="#">Google Docs</a> and <a href="#">Google Sites</a>	✓	✓

Google Apps Premier Edition offers powerful messaging and collaboration apps that meet business-critical needs:

**Get Started**

Sign up for [Google Apps Premier Edition](#)

# your.domain.name



The image shows a screenshot of a web browser window displaying the Google Apps sign-up page. The browser's address bar shows the URL `http://www.google.com/a/cpanel/domain/new`. The page features the Google logo and the heading "Welcome to Google Apps". The main content area is titled "To sign up for Google Apps, enter your organization's domain name". It includes a paragraph explaining domain names and a link for those who don't have one. Below this, there are two main options: "I want to use an existing domain name" and "I want to buy a domain name". The first option is selected and expanded, showing a form to enter the domain name and a "Get Started" button. The second option is partially visible on the right.

Location Edit View Go Bookmarks Tools Settings Window Help

Location: `http://www.google.com/a/cpanel/domain/new` Google Search

**Google**  
Apps

**Welcome to Google Apps**

**To sign up for Google Apps, enter your organization's domain name**

What is a domain name? Usually it is the identifier associated with your organization's email address (like @**example.com**). The domain you provide will be used for all your Google services. For example, if you choose **example.com** or **mail.example.com**, you will be able to create user accounts for **john@example.com** or **jane@mail.example.com**.

Don't have a domain name? Click on "I want to buy a domain name" to get one.

**I want to use an existing domain name**

Enter a domain or subdomain of your organization.

☒ Administrator: I own or control this domain  
☐ End-user: I am a member of this domain

**Enter your domain name**

`domain.does.not.exist.com`

**Get Started**

**I want to buy a domain name**

Google Apps Standard Edition is free, but a domain name costs **\$10/year**.

# Fill out the bureaucratic form.

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Location: <http://www.google.com/a/cpanel/standard/selectDomain?existingDomain=dor> Google Search

**Google Apps** Welcome to Google Apps

1. Choose a domain name    **2. Sign up**    3. Set up

## Sign up for Google Apps Standard Edition (step 2 of 3)

Google Apps Standard Edition is limited to **50 user accounts**. Interested in more user accounts or other [advanced features](#)? Try Google Apps [Premier Edition](#) for free.

### Information for **domain.does.not.exist.com**

*\* indicates a required field*

#### Account Administrator

First name \*  (e.g., Jane or John)

Last name \*  (e.g., Doe or Smith)

Email address \*  Please enter a **valid** email address.

Phone \*  (e.g., 123-456-7890)

Country/Region \* **United States** ▼

Job title  (e.g., President or Systems Administrator)

Google Apps requires changes to DNS to properly set up services. [Learn more](#)

☐ \* I understand that if I cannot alter DNS records for my domain, I may impact my organization's ability to use Google Apps.



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Get Started

### I want to buy a domain name

Google Apps Standard Edition is free, but a domain name costs \$10/year.

Google apps buys thru  
godaddy or eNorm

Respectable services,  
can transfer out.

I prefer direct dealing.



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Get Started

### I want to buy a domain name

Google Apps Standard Edition is free, but a domain name costs **\$10/year**.

Google apps chooses  
randomly between  
GoDaddy and eNorm.

GoDaddy has no  
dynamic DNS support.

# I use namecheap!

Inexpensive  
Has dynamic  
dns support

The screenshot shows the Namecheap website interface. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links like 'Home', 'Register a Domain', 'Transfer Your Domain', 'Privacy Protection', 'FreeDNS', 'Web Hosting', 'SSL Certificates', 'Marketplace', and 'My Account'. A prominent yellow banner in the center encourages users to 'REGISTER YOUR DOMAINS FOR JUST \$9.69. SEARCH NOW!'. Below this, there's a form to enter a domain name and choose an extension (com, net, org, us, biz, info, eu, me). To the left, a sidebar promotes 'LIMITED TIME ONLY' offers for domain registration at \$8.88, down from \$21.98. Below this, it lists 'Services Included With Every Domain' such as free URL forwarding, email forwarding, parking, and transfer of ownership. On the right, there's a section for 'FREE PositiveSSL' certificates, highlighting a '100% FREE' offer. Further down, it promotes 'RapidSSL' certificates for as low as \$9.95 per year. The bottom of the page shows the URL 'http://www.namecheap.com/learn/other-services/ssl-certificates.asp'.

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http://www.namecheap.com/

Most Visited Mozilla.org Tinderbox Bonsai Bugzilla Open Directory

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Home Register a Domain Transfer Your Domain Privacy Protection FreeDNS Web Hosting SSL Certificates Marketplace My Account

**REGISTER YOUR DOMAINS FOR JUST \$9.69. SEARCH NOW!**

1 Enter the domain name you want 2 Choose your preferred extension(s)

www.  ☒ com ☐ net ☐ org ☐ us ☐ biz ☐ info ☐ eu ☐ me **Search**

> Bulk Domain Search > Whois Lookup [More Extensions Available >>](#)

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- Free Parking Page Included Your Domain will not go unresolved
- Free Transfer of Ownership
- Free Dvnamic DNS With Client

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**What our customers say**

"My business relies upon Namecheap in many aspects. They have been a stable and consistent

http://www.namecheap.com/learn/other-services/ssl-certificates.asp



# Google domain verification.

The screenshot shows the Namecheap website interface. The browser address bar displays `http://www.namecheap.com/myaccount/modsingle`. The page title is "Modify Domain: blackpatchpanel.com". A table lists DNS records for the domain. A red circle highlights a CNAME record for the host `google2a45a90e0d339fdf` pointing to `google.com.`.

HOST NAME	IP ADDRESS/ URL	RECORD TYPE	MX PREF
@	<code>http://www.BlackPatchPanel.c</code>	URL Redirect	n/a
www	<code>free.park-your-domain.com.</code>	CNAME (Alias)	n/a
SUB-DOMAIN SETTINGS ▼			
owlnest	<code>99.73.19.106</code>	A (Address)	n/a
google2a45a90e0d339fdf	<code>google.com.</code>	CNAME (Alias)	n/a
owls	<code>owls.homelinux.net.</code>	CNAME (Alias)	n/a
free	<code>ns1.host-care.com.</code>	NS Record	n/a
free	<code>ns2.host-care.com.</code>	NS Record	n/a
cfi	<code>http://www.BlackPatchPanel.c</code>	URL Redirect	n/a
			n/a
			n/a

Google requires that you create a special CNAME to verify that you own the domain.

# Google MX record.

Add the MX records that google apps suggests.

The screenshot shows the Namecheap MX record configuration interface. The browser address bar displays `http://www.namecheap.com/myaccount/modsingle`. The left sidebar contains navigation links: "Domain To User", "Grant Modification Rights", "Miscellaneous", "Dynamic DNS", and "Customize Parked Page". The main content area has a "Registered On: Sat 03/21/2009 Expires On: Sun 03/21/2010" section with links "Add More Years to Domain".

Configuration options include:

- ☐ None (Email will not work)
- ☐ Free Email Forwarding (Email will be forwarded to another email like your ISP's Email etc.)
- ☒ User (Mail Server's Host Name Required)

A yellow "Quick Change:" box contains:

- ☐ Check this checkbox and select the choice below and click **Save Changes** button below to quickly and easily replace current MX records with the MX records necessary for the selected service.
- ☐ Namecheap Email Hosting
- ☐ Google Apps Email

Below is the "User Simplified (One Mail Server IP Address Required)" section with a note: "[Textboxes to enter MXE values will appear after you click the **Save Changes** button]".

HOST NAME	MAILSERVER HOST NAME	MAIL TYPE	MX PREF
@	ASPMX.L.GOOGLE.COM.	MX	10
@	ALT1.ASPMX.L.GOOGLE.COM.	MX	20
@	ALT2.ASPMX.L.GOOGLE.COM.	MX	20
@	ASPMX2.GOOGLEMAIL.COM.	MX	30
@	ASPMX3.GOOGLEMAIL.COM.	MX	30
@	ASPMX4.GOOGLEMAIL.COM.	MX	30
@	ASPMX5.GOOGLEMAIL.COM.	MX	30
		MX	
		MX	
		MX	

The status bar at the bottom shows "Done".

# We are done.

We can now send and receive email using  
google app's Web interface.

Our email address is Me@mydomain.com

# Linux email client support

The following LINUX email clients can be made to talk to google apps:

Mutt

Kmail

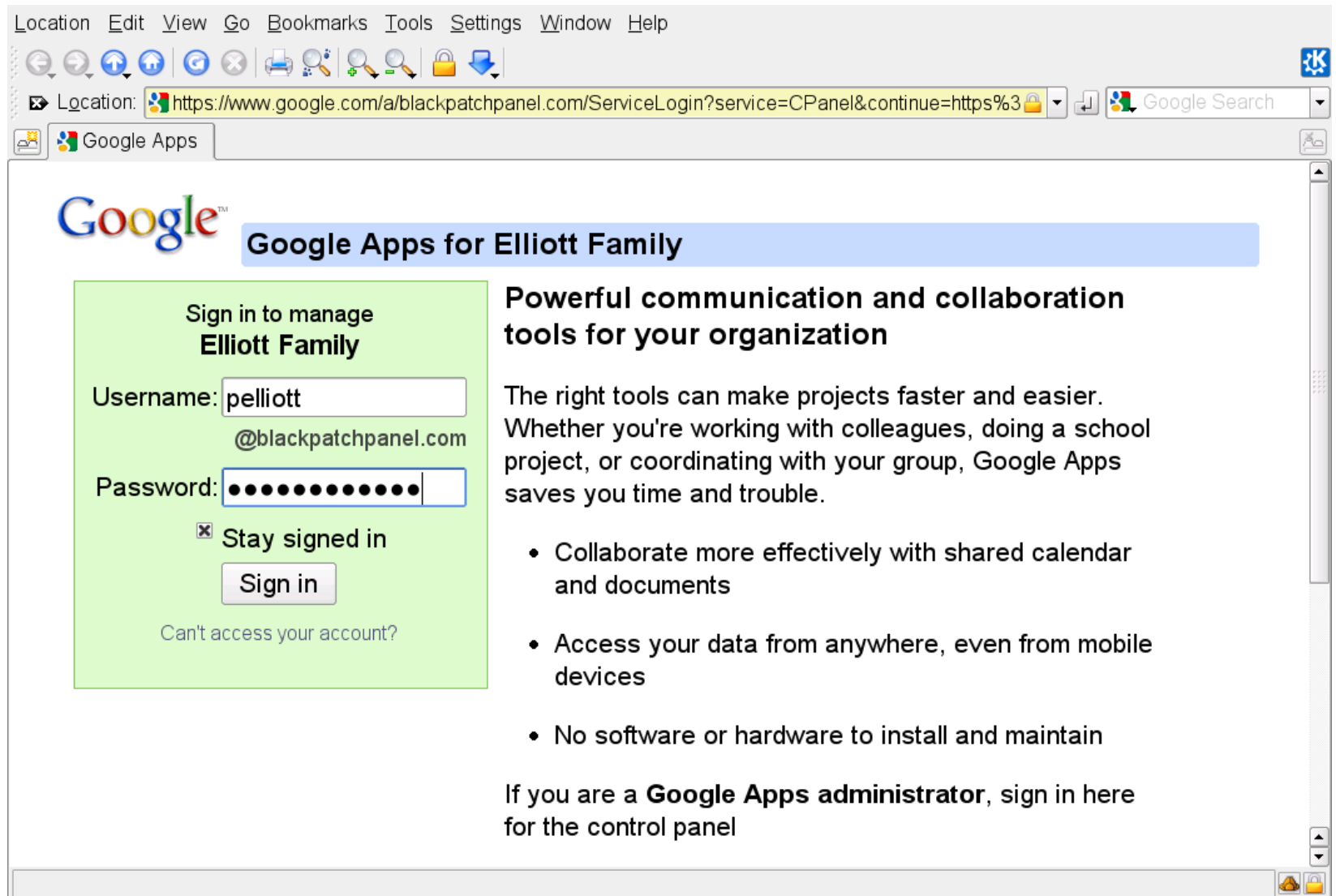
Evolution

Mozilla Thunderbird

Sendmail / fetchmail

Probably others.

# Signon to google apps.



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying the URL: <https://www.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com/ServiceLogin?service=CPanel&continue=https%3A>. The browser's menu bar includes Location, Edit, View, Go, Bookmarks, Tools, Settings, Window, and Help. The toolbar contains various navigation and utility icons. The page title is "Google Apps for Elliott Family". The main content area is divided into two sections. On the left, a green box contains the sign-in form. On the right, there is a heading "Powerful communication and collaboration tools for your organization" followed by a paragraph and a bulleted list of features.

Location: <https://www.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com/ServiceLogin?service=CPanel&continue=https%3A> Google Search

Google Apps

**Google™** Google Apps for Elliott Family

Sign in to manage  
**Elliott Family**

Username:   
@blackpatchpanel.com

Password:

☒ Stay signed in

[Can't access your account?](#)

**Powerful communication and collaboration tools for your organization**

The right tools can make projects faster and easier. Whether you're working with colleagues, doing a school project, or coordinating with your group, Google Apps saves you time and trouble.

- Collaborate more effectively with shared calendar and documents
- Access your data from anywhere, even from mobile devices
- No software or hardware to install and maintain

If you are a **Google Apps administrator**, sign in here for the control panel

# Web management

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Google Apps dashboard for the domain blackpatchpanel.com. The browser's address bar shows the URL https://www.google.com:443/a/cpanel/blackpatchpanel.com/Dashboard. The dashboard header includes the Google Apps logo, the domain name, the user email pellioth@blackpatchpanel.com, and links for Inbox, Calendar, Help, and Sign out. Below the header are search bars for accounts and the Help Center. A navigation bar contains links to Dashboard, Users and groups, Domain settings, Advanced tools, Support, and Service settings. The main content area is titled 'Elliott Family' and shows the domain blackpatchpanel.com with links to manage account information and domain names. It indicates 3 users and provides a link to create new users, noting that up to 50 user accounts can be created for this domain. To the right, there is a section for 'Try Premier Edition Free' with a list of benefits: 24/7 Phone support and 99.9% uptime guarantee, 25GB storage per user, no ads, Blackberry and Microsoft Outlook interoperability, Virus and spam protection by Postini, and Full administrative and data control. Below this, the 'Service settings' section lists various services: Email (Active, http://mail.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com), Docs (Active, http://docs.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com), Calendar (Active, http://www.google.com/calendar/hosted/blackpatchpanel.com), Sites (Active, http://sites.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com), Chat (Active, Users can sign in by downloading Google Talk), and Mobile (Get Google Apps on your mobile device).

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Location: <https://www.google.com:443/a/cpanel/blackpatchpanel.com/Dashboard> Google Search

Google Apps

Google apps **Google Apps for blackpatchpanel.com - Standard Edition** pellioth@blackpatchpanel.com [Inbox](#) [Calendar](#) [Help](#) [Sign out](#)

Search accounts  Search Help Center

**Dashboard** Users and groups Domain settings Advanced tools Support Service settings

**Elliott Family**  
blackpatchpanel.com  
[Manage account information](#) [domain names](#)  
3 users [Create new users](#)  
You can create up to 50 user accounts for this domain. If you would like more users, please purchase Google Apps Premier Edition.

**Try Premier Edition Free**

- 24/7 Phone support and 99.9% uptime guarantee
- 25GB storage per user, no ads
- Blackberry and Microsoft Outlook interoperability
- Virus and spam protection by Postini
- Full administrative and data control

**Service settings** [Add more services](#)

**Email** - Active  
<http://mail.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>

**Docs** - Active  
<http://docs.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>

**Calendar** - Active  
<http://www.google.com/calendar/hosted/blackpatchpanel.com>

**Sites** - Active  
<http://sites.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>

**Chat** - Active  
Users can sign in by [downloading Google Talk](#)

**Mobile**  
Get Google Apps on your mobile device

# Manage uses and groups

We want  
to  
create  
a user  
for  
testing.

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Location: <https://www.google.com:443/a/cpanel/blackpatchpanel.com/Users> Google Search

Google Apps

Google apps **Google Apps for blackpatchpanel.com** - **pellioth@blackpatchpanel.com** [Inbox](#) [Calendar](#) [Help](#) [Sign out](#)

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## Users and groups

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[Create a new user](#) - [Email addresses](#)

You can create up to 50 user accounts for this domain. If you would like more users, please purchase Google Apps Premier Edition.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Username▼	Status	Email Quota	Last signed in
<input type="checkbox"/>	Betty Elliott	bellioth		<div><div></div></div> 0%	4:14 pm
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cult_of_Free_Inquiry	cfi		<div><div></div></div> 0%	4/13/09
	Paul Elliott	pellioth	Administrator	<div><div></div></div> 2%	3:58 pm

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[Download user list as CSV](#)

[Terms of Service](#) - [Privacy policy](#) - [Suggest a feature](#) - [Google Home](#)

# Fill out form to add user

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the address bar displaying `https://www.google.com:443/a/cpanel/blackpatchpanel.com/CreateUser`. The browser's address bar also shows the domain `marsupial`. The browser's menu bar includes Location, Edit, View, Go, Bookmarks, Tools, Settings, Window, and Help. The browser's toolbar includes various icons for navigation and search. The browser's status bar shows Google Apps and marsupial - Google Search.

The web page is titled "Create a new user" and is part of a cPanel interface. The page has a navigation bar with links: Dashboard, Users and groups (selected), Domain settings, Advanced tools, Support, and Service settings. Below the navigation bar is a link: « Back to user list.

The main content area is titled "Create a new user" and includes a link: Create multiple users. Below this is a note: \* Indicates a required field.

The form contains the following fields:

- First name \*: Platapus
- Last name \*: Duck
- Username \*: marsupial @ blackpatchpanel.com
- Password: [Empty field]
- Re-enter password: [Empty field]

Below the password fields is a link: Password strength: [Link].

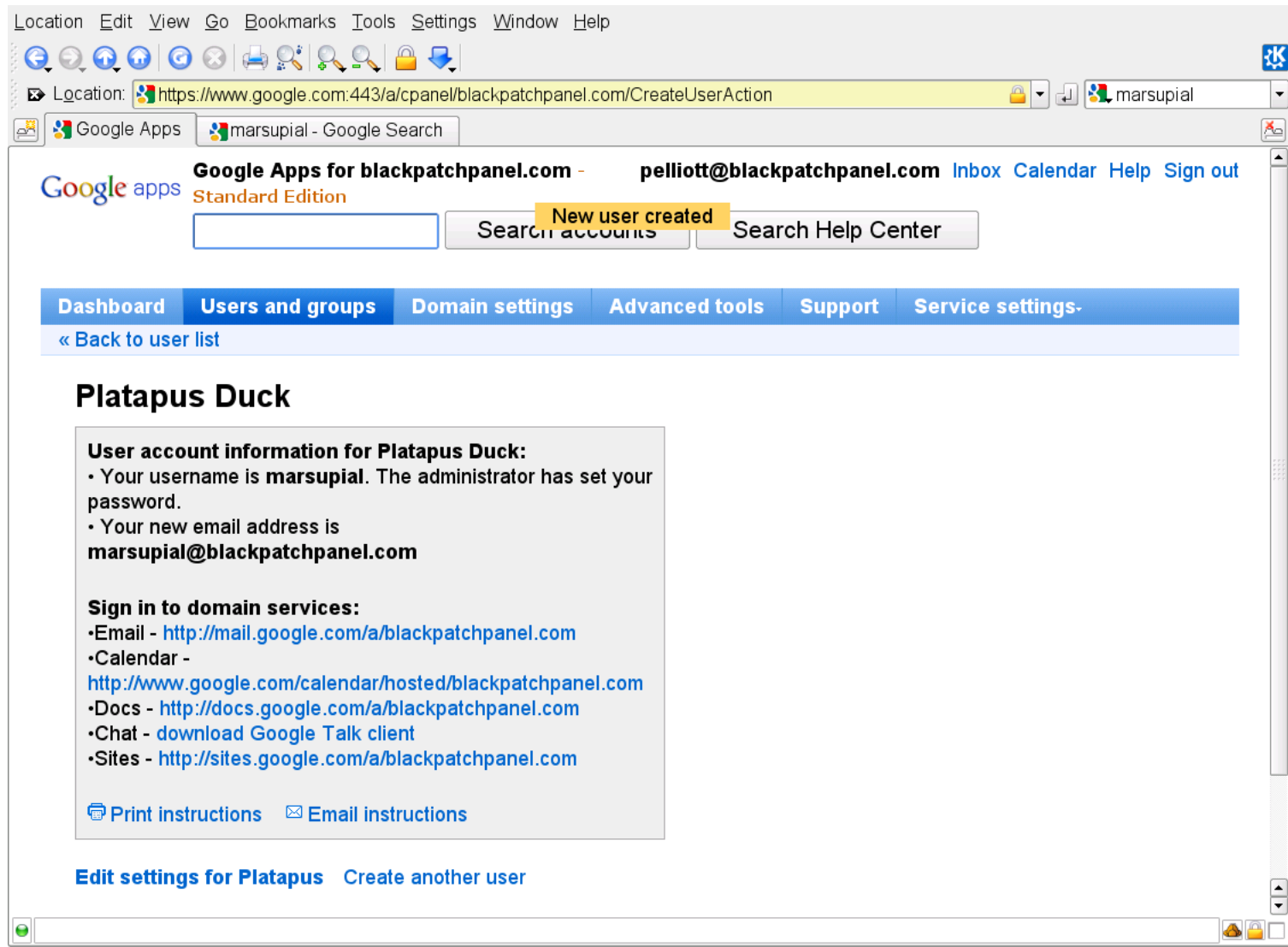
Below the password fields is a link: or use a temporary password.

At the bottom of the form are two buttons: Create new user and Cancel.

At the bottom of the page is a footer with links: Terms of Service - Privacy policy - Suggest a feature - Google Home.



# Google apps user is created



Location Edit View Go Bookmarks Tools Settings Window Help

Location: <https://www.google.com:443/a/cpanel/blackpatchpanel.com/CreateUserAction> marsupial

Google Apps marsupial - Google Search

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## Platapus Duck

**User account information for Platapus Duck:**

- Your username is **marsupial**. The administrator has set your password.
- Your new email address is **marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com**

**Sign in to domain services:**

- Email - <http://mail.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>
- Calendar - <http://www.google.com/calendar/hosted/blackpatchpanel.com>
- Docs - <http://docs.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>
- Chat - [download Google Talk client](#)
- Sites - <http://sites.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com>

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# Login to new account

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https://www.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com/S Google

Most Visited openSUSE Getting Started Latest Headlines Mozilla Firefox

**Gmail**  
by Google

## Welcome to Elliott Family

Sign in to your account at  
**Elliott Family**

Username:   
@blackpatchpanel.com

Password:

☐ Stay signed in

[Can't access your account?](#)

**Less spam, plenty of space and access from anywhere.**

Welcome to your email for Elliott Family, powered by Google, where email is more intuitive, efficient and useful.

- Keep unwanted messages out of your inbox with Google's powerful spam blocking technology
- Keep any message you might need down the road, and then find it fast with Google search
- Send mail, read new messages and search your archives instantly from your phone

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# URLs to remember.

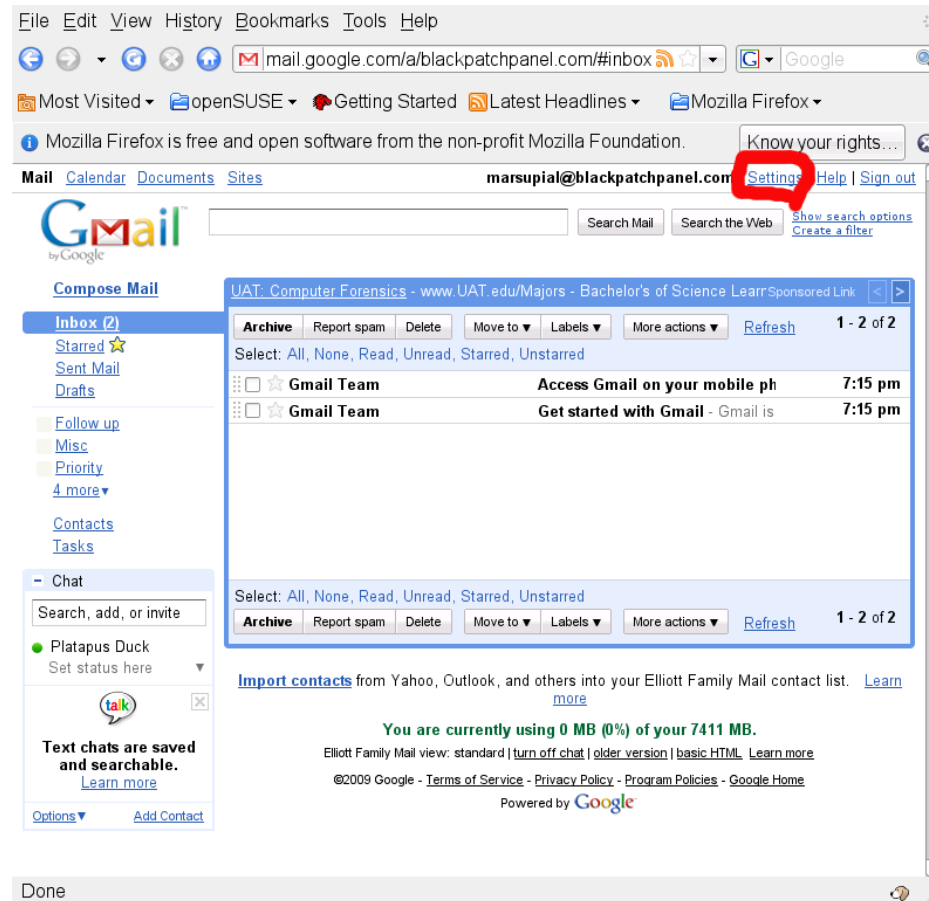
Your inbox:

<http://mail.google.com/a/yourdomain.com/>

Your administrative login:

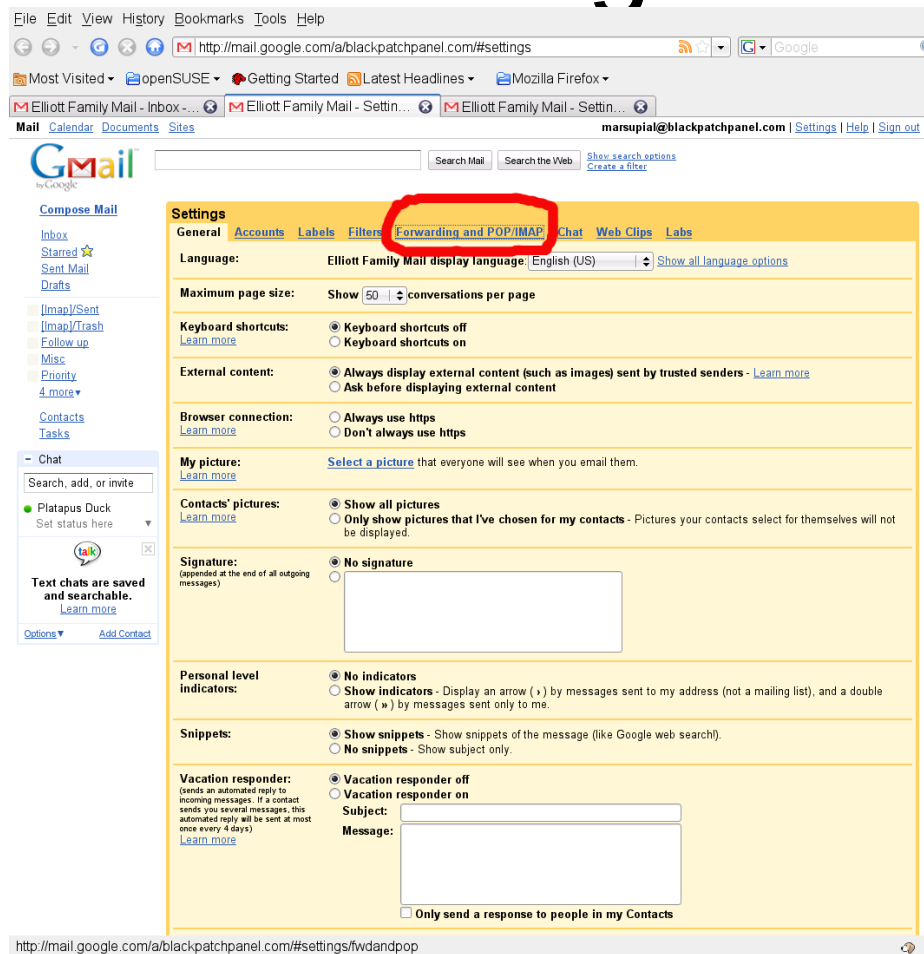
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# Insure that IMAP is enabled.



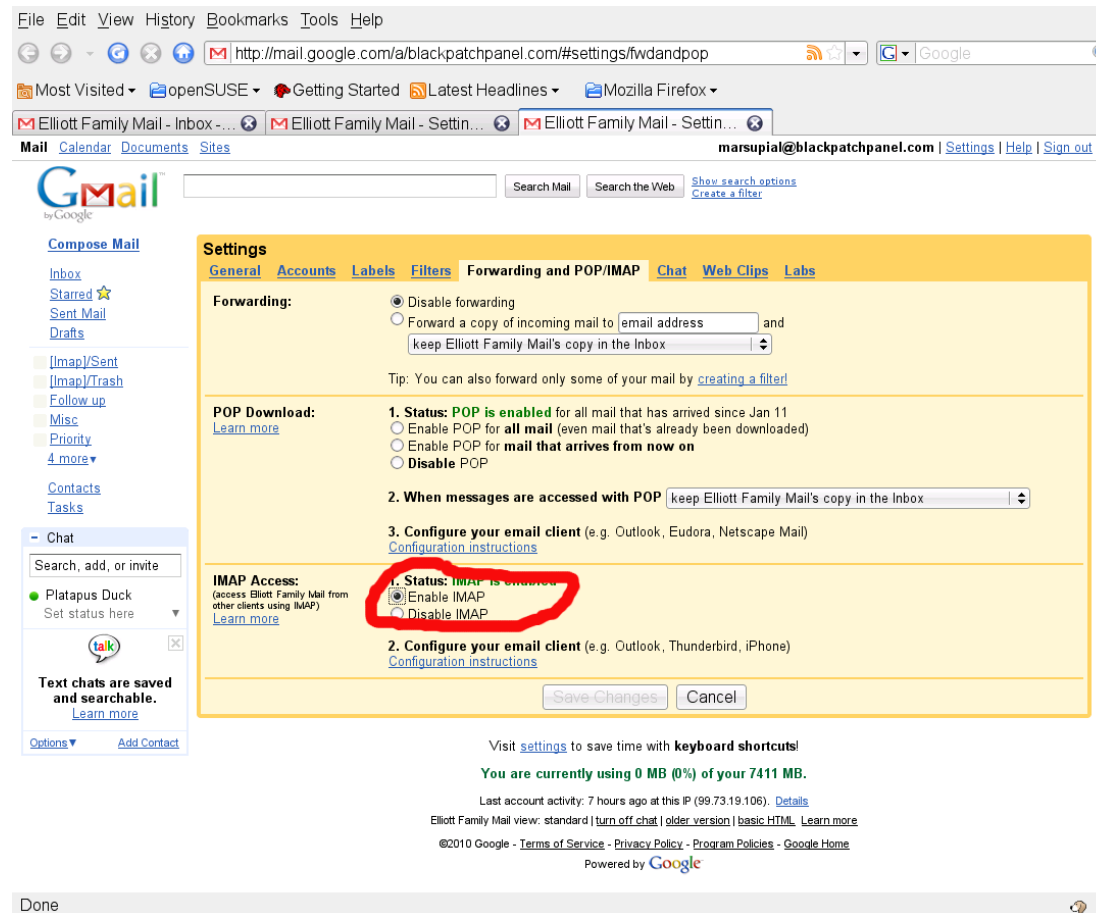
## Click on Settings

# Gmail Settings Menu



Click on “Forwarding and POP/IMAP”

# Forwarding and POP/IMAP



Insure that IMAP is enabled.

# send/receive mail using web interface

The screenshot shows the Gmail web interface within a Mozilla Firefox browser window. The browser's address bar displays the URL `mail.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com/#inbox`. The Gmail interface includes a top navigation bar with links for Mail, Calendar, Documents, and Sites. The user is logged in as `marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com`. The main content area shows the 'Inbox (2)' with two emails from 'Gmail Team' received at 7:15 pm. The left sidebar contains links for Compose Mail, Inbox (2), Starred, Sent Mail, Drafts, Follow up, Misc, Priority, 4 more, Contacts, and Tasks. A chat window is open at the bottom left, showing a contact named 'Platapus Duck'. The bottom of the page features a storage status message: 'You are currently using 0 MB (0%) of your 7411 MB.' and various links for Elliott Family Mail view, Terms of Service, Privacy Policy, Program Policies, and Google Home. The browser's status bar at the bottom shows 'Done'.

File Edit View History Bookmarks Tools Help

mail.google.com/a/blackpatchpanel.com/#inbox

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Compose Mail

Inbox (2)

Starred

Sent Mail

Drafts

Follow up

Misc

Priority

4 more

Contacts

Tasks

Chat

Search, add, or invite

Platapus Duck

Set status here

Text chats are saved and searchable. Learn more

Options Add Contact

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Select: All, None, Read, Unread, Starred, Unstarred

<input type="checkbox"/>	★ Gmail Team	Access Gmail on your mobile ph	7:15 pm
<input type="checkbox"/>	★ Gmail Team	Get started with Gmail - Gmail is	7:15 pm

Select: All, None, Read, Unread, Starred, Unstarred

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Import contacts from Yahoo, Outlook, and others into your Elliott Family Mail contact list. Learn more

You are currently using 0 MB (0%) of your 7411 MB.

Elliott Family Mail view: standard | turn off chat | older version | basic HTML | Learn more

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Done

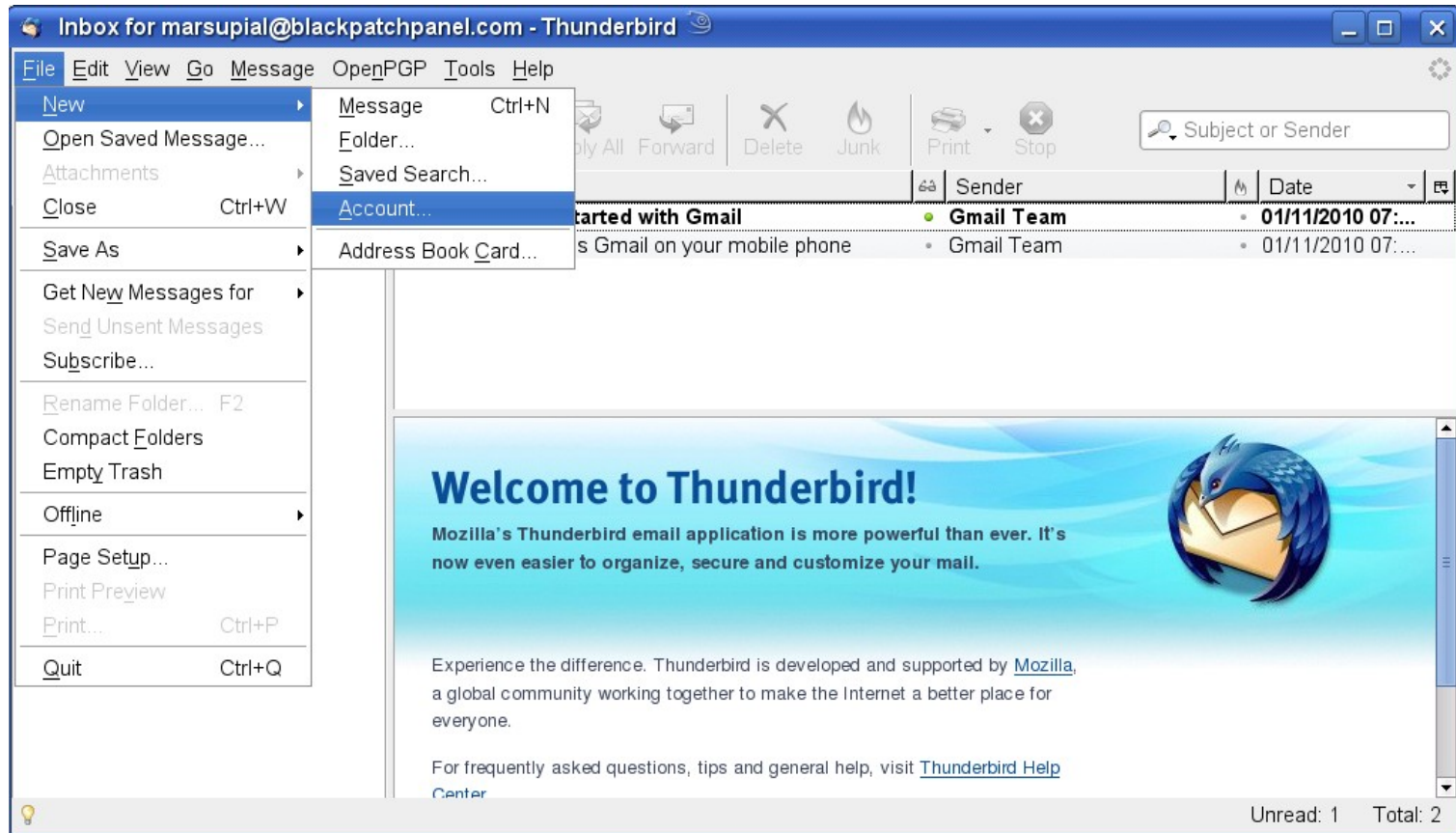
# How to configure for gmail

Information on how to use gmail with “other email clients” can be found here:

<http://mail.google.com/support/bin/answer.py?answer=78799>



# Configure Mozilla Thunderbird



File / New / Account

# New Account Setup

Choose email account.

**New Account Setup**

In order to receive messages, you first need to set up a Mail or Newsgroup account.

This Wizard will collect the information necessary to set up a Mail or Newsgroup account. If you do not know the information requested, please contact your System Administrator or Internet Service Provider.

Select the type of account you would like to set up:

- ☒ Email account good for google apps
- ☐ Unix Mailspool (Movemail)
- ☐ RSS News & Blogs
- ☐ Gmail
- ☐ Newsgroup account

good for user@gmail.com accounts

Cancel Next

# Specify the servers

Imap

imap.gmail.com

smtp.gmail.com

**Server Information**

Select the type of incoming server you are using.

☐ POP ☒ IMAP

Enter the name of your incoming server (for example, "mail.example.net").

Incoming Server:

Enter the name of your outgoing server (SMTP) (for example, "smtp.example.net").

Outgoing Server:

# Specify email addresses.

Enter the email address  
For incoming and  
outgoing user names.

**User Names**

Enter the incoming user name given to you by your email provider (for example, "jsmith").

Incoming User Name:

Enter the outgoing user name given to you by your email provider (this is typically the same as your incoming user name).

Outgoing User Name:

# Specify account name.

Name the account.

**Account Name**

Enter the name by which you would like to refer to this account (for example, "Work Account", "Home Account" or "News Account").

Account Name:

# Check the congratulations and finish

Click finish

But you are not done yet!

**Congratulations!**

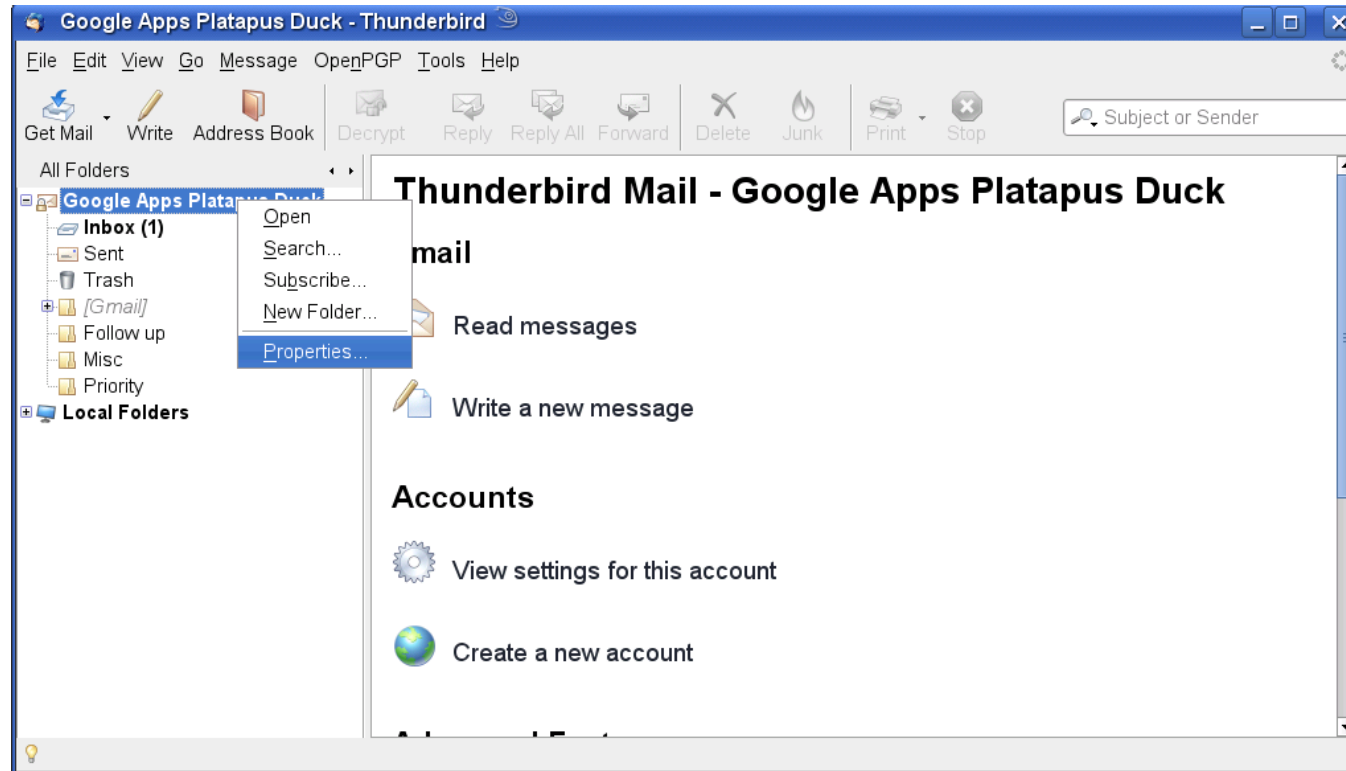
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Please verify that the information below is correct.

Account Name:	Google Apps Platapus Duck
Email Address:	marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com
Incoming User Name:	marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com
Incoming Server Name:	imap.gmail.com
Incoming Server Type:	IMAP
Outgoing User Name:	marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com
Outgoing Server Name (SMTP):	smtp.gmail.com

Click Finish to save these settings and exit the Account Wizard.

# Edit the account properties



Right click on the account name

Select “Properties”

# Click on Server Settings

The screenshot shows a software interface for managing email accounts. On the left is a sidebar with a tree view containing the following items: 'Google Apps Platapus Duck' (expanded), 'Server Settings', 'Copies & Folders', 'Composition & Addressing', 'Offline & Disk Space', 'Junk Settings', 'OpenPGP Security', 'Return Receipts', 'Security', 'Local Folders' (expanded), 'Disk Space', 'Junk Settings', and 'Outgoing Server (SMTP)'. At the bottom of the sidebar are three buttons: 'Add Account...', 'Set as Default', and 'Remove Account'. The main area is titled 'Account Settings - <Google Apps Platapus Duck>'. It contains the following fields and controls: 'Account Name:' with a text box containing 'Google Apps Platapus Duck'; 'Default Identity' section with a description 'Each account has an identity, which is the information that other people see when they read your messages.'; 'Your Name:' with a text box containing 'Platapus Duck'; 'Email Address:' with a text box containing 'marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com'; 'Reply-to Address:' with an empty text box; 'Organization:' with an empty text box; a checkbox 'Attach this signature:' with an empty text box and a 'Choose...' button; a checkbox 'Attach my vCard to messages' with an 'Edit Card...' button; 'Outgoing Server (SMTP):' with a dropdown menu showing 'marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com - smtp.gmail.com'; a 'Manage Identities...' button; and at the bottom right, 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons.

**Google Apps Platapus Duck**

- Server Settings
- Copies & Folders
- Composition & Addressing
- Offline & Disk Space
- Junk Settings
- OpenPGP Security
- Return Receipts
- Security
- Local Folders**
  - Disk Space
  - Junk Settings
- Outgoing Server (SMTP)

**Account Settings - <Google Apps Platapus Duck>**

Account Name: Google Apps Platapus Duck

Default Identity

Each account has an identity, which is the information that other people see when they read your messages.

Your Name: Platapus Duck

Email Address: marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com

Reply-to Address:

Organization:

☐ Attach this signature:

Choose...

☐ Attach my vCard to messages Edit Card...

Outgoing Server (SMTP): marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com - smtp.gmail.com

Manage Identities...

Add Account...

Set as Default

Remove Account

Cancel OK



# Change the server settings.

Change the port to 993

Change the security settings to SSL

The screenshot shows the 'Server Settings' dialog box for 'Google Apps Platapus Duck'. The left sidebar lists various settings categories, with 'Server Settings' selected. The main panel contains the following fields and options:

- Server Type:** IMAP Mail Server
- Server Name:** imap.gmail.com
- Port:** 143 (highlighted with a red circle)
- Default:** 143
- User Name:** marsupial@blackpatchpai
- Security Settings:**
  - Use secure connection:** ☒ Never ☐ TLS, if available ☐ TLS ☒ SSL (highlighted with a red circle)
  - ☐ Use secure authentication
- Server Settings:**
  - ☒ Check for new messages at startup
  - ☒ Check for new messages every 10 minutes
  - When I delete a message:** Move it to the Trash folder
  - ☐ Clean up ("Expunge") Inbox on Exit
  - ☐ Empty Trash on Exit
  - Advanced...** button
- Local directory:** /home/platapus/thunderbird/t8lnjr2u.default/ImapMail/imap.gmail.com
- Browse...** button

At the bottom of the dialog are buttons for 'Add Account...', 'Set as Default', 'Remove Account', 'Cancel', and 'OK'.

# Changed Server settings

Not done yet

Click on “Outgoing Server (SMTP)”

**Google Apps Platapus Duck**

- Server Settings
- Copies & Folders
- Composition & Addressing
- Offline & Disk Space
- Junk Settings
- OpenPGP Security
- Return Receipts
- Security
- Local Folders
  - Disk Space
  - Junk Settings
- Outgoing Server (SMTP)

**Server Settings**

Server Type: IMAP Mail Server

Server Name:  Port:  Default: 993

User Name:

**Security Settings**

Use secure connection:

☐ Never ☐ TLS, if available ☐ TLS ☒ SSL

☐ Use secure authentication

**Server Settings**

☒ Check for new messages at startup

☒ Check for new messages every  minutes

When I delete a message:

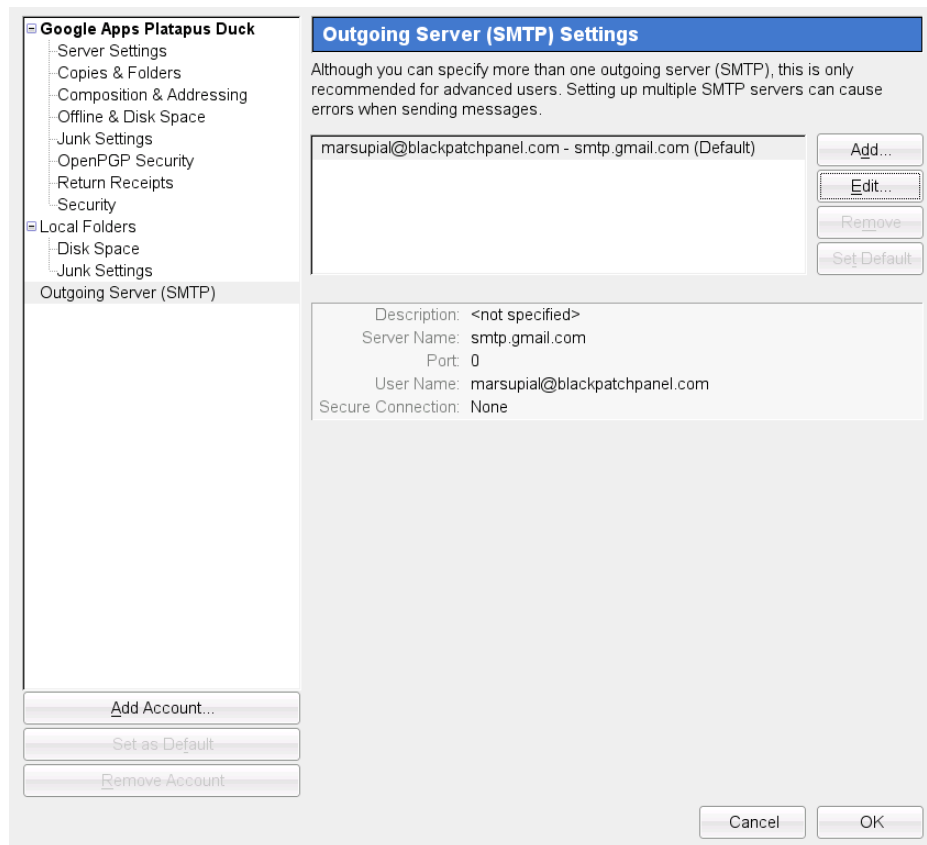
☐ Clean up ("Expunge") Inbox on Exit

☐ Empty Trash on Exit

Local directory:

# Outgoing Server (SMTP) Settings

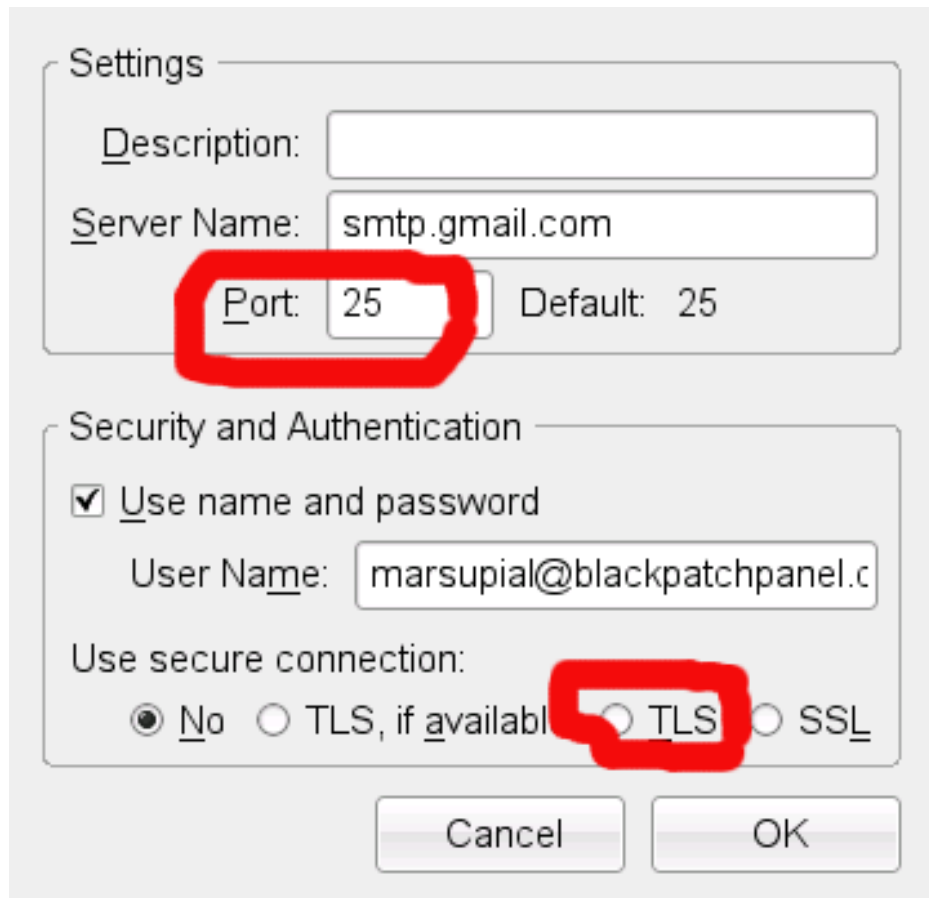
Click on edit



# Change the SMTP server settings

Change the port to 587

Change the secure  
connection type to  
“TLS”



The image shows a screenshot of an SMTP settings dialog box. The dialog is divided into two main sections: 'Settings' and 'Security and Authentication'. In the 'Settings' section, the 'Port' field is highlighted with a red rectangle and contains the value '25'. In the 'Security and Authentication' section, the 'Use secure connection' options are shown, with the 'TLS' radio button highlighted by a red rectangle. The 'Server Name' is set to 'smtp.gmail.com' and the 'User Name' is 'marsupial@blackpatchpanel.c'. The 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons are at the bottom.

Settings

Description:

Server Name:

Port:  Default: 25

Security and Authentication

☒ Use name and password

User Name:

Use secure connection:

☒ No ☐ TLS, if available ☐ TLS ☐ SSL

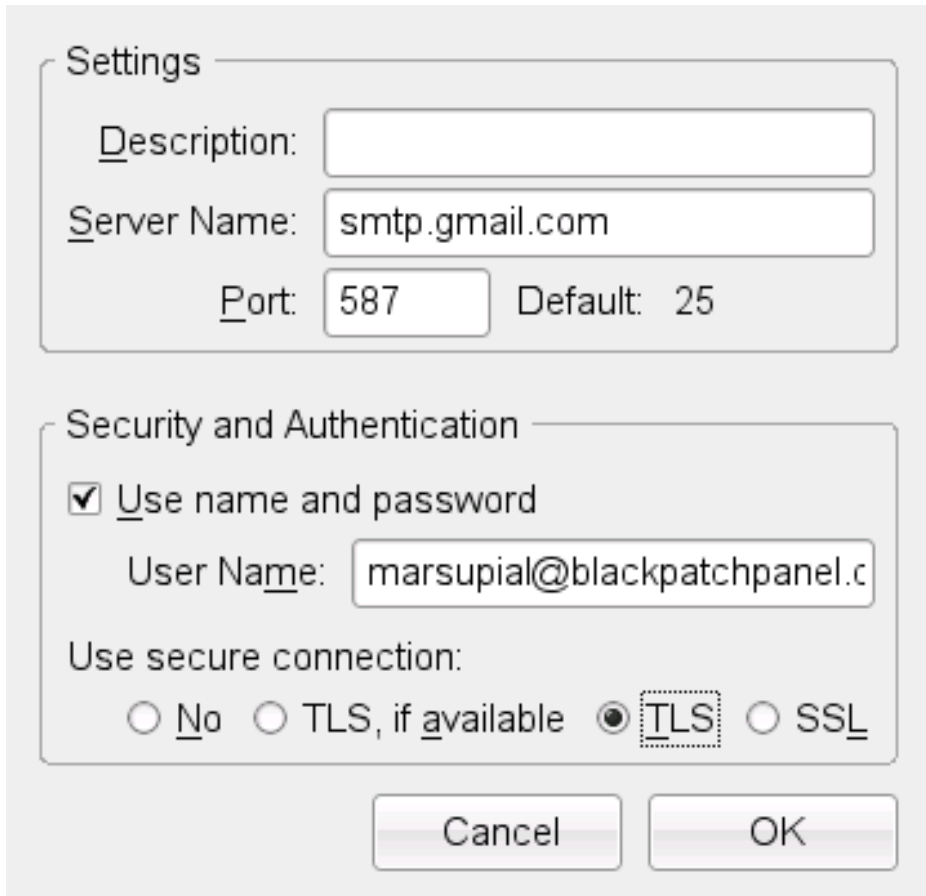
Cancel OK

# Changed SMTP settings

Click OK.

And then click OK to  
the account settings  
dialog.

Setup done.



The image shows a screenshot of an SMTP settings dialog box. It is divided into two main sections: 'Settings' and 'Security and Authentication'. The 'Settings' section contains three input fields: 'Description' (empty), 'Server Name' (containing 'smtp.gmail.com'), and 'Port' (containing '587', with a 'Default: 25' label next to it). The 'Security and Authentication' section contains a checked checkbox for 'Use name and password', a 'User Name' field (containing 'marsupial@blackpatchpanel.c'), and a 'Use secure connection:' section with four radio button options: 'No', 'TLS, if available', 'TLS' (which is selected and has a dashed border), and 'SSL'. At the bottom of the dialog are 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons.

Settings

Description:

Server Name:

Port:  Default: 25

Security and Authentication

☒ Use name and password

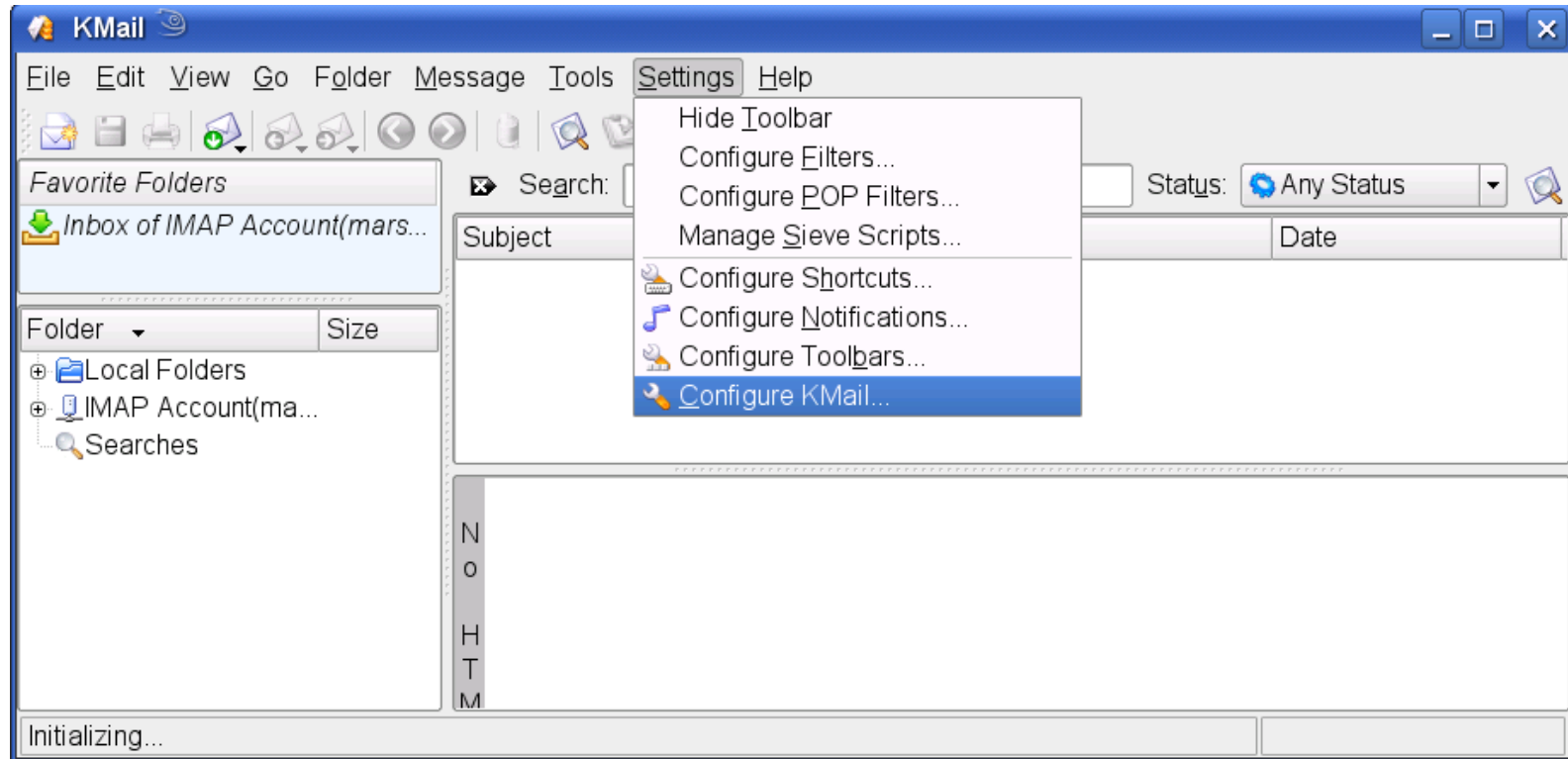
User Name:

Use secure connection:

☐ No ☐ TLS, if available ☒ TLS ☐ SSL

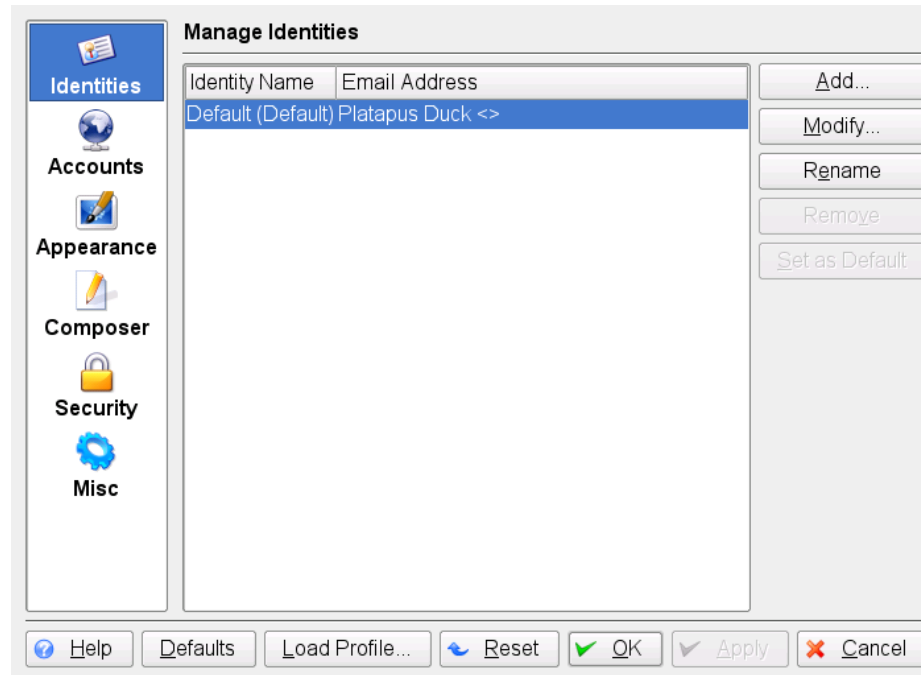
Cancel OK

# Configure Kmail



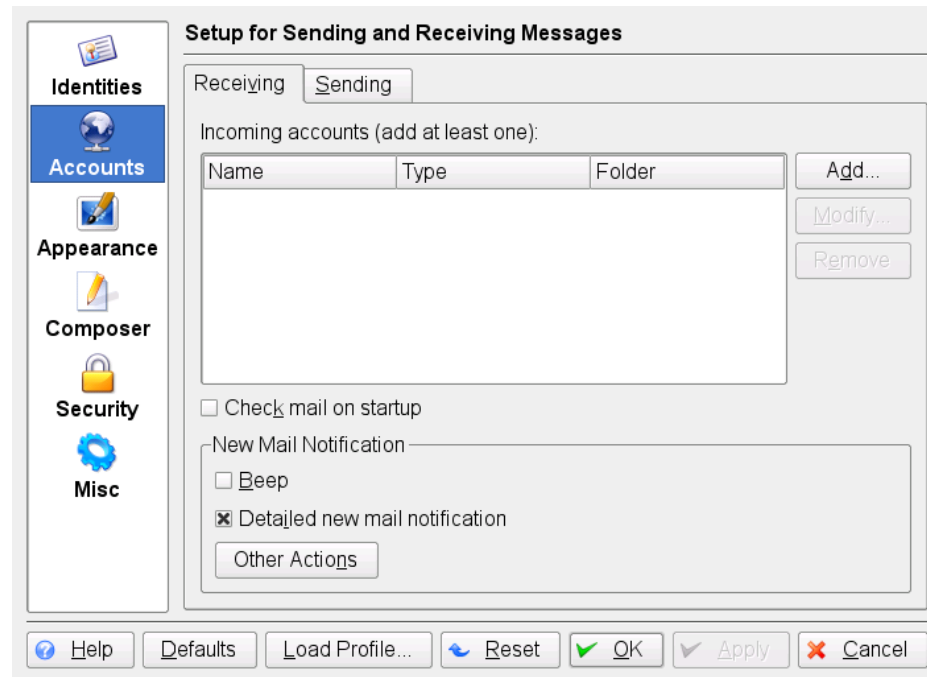
Click on Settings / Configure Kmail

# Configure Kmail



Click on Accounts

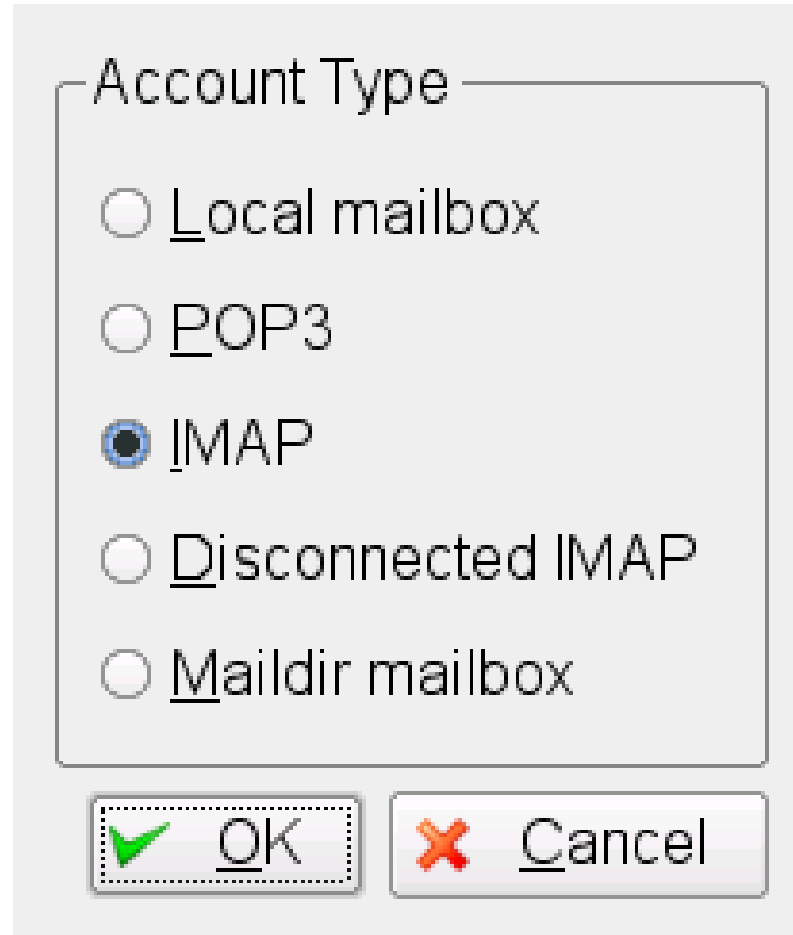
# Setup for Sending and Receiving Messages



In receiving, click add



# Account Type

A screenshot of a 'Account Type' dialog box. The dialog has a title bar 'Account Type' and a list of five radio button options: 'Local mailbox', 'POP3', 'IMAP', 'Disconnected IMAP', and 'Maildir mailbox'. The 'IMAP' option is selected, indicated by a blue dot. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'OK' with a green checkmark icon and 'Cancel' with a red X icon.

Account Type



☐ Local mailbox

☐ POP3

☒ IMAP

☐ Disconnected IMAP

☐ Maildir mailbox

 OK  Cancel

Choose IMAP

Click OK

# Account Type: IMAP Account

## General

**Account Type: IMAP Account**

General Security Filtering

Account name: IMAP Account(marsupial at google apps)

Login: marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com

Password: .....

Host: imap.gmail.com

Port: 993

Namespaces: Personal Other Users Shared

☐ Store IMAP password

☒ Automatically compact folders (expunges deleted messages)

☐ Show hidden folders

☐ Show only subscribed folders

☐ Show only locally subscribed folders

☒ Load attachments on demand

☐ List only open folders

☒ Include in manual mail check

☐ Enable interval mail checking

Check interval: 5 min

Trash folder: Local Folders/trash

Identity: Default (Default)

Help OK Cancel

Fill in the fields:

Account Name

Login = email address

Password from gmail

host=imap.gmail.com

Port=993

Click security

# Security

Use SSL for secure mail download

Click OK

Account Type: IMAP Account

General Security Filtering

Check What the Server Supports

Encryption

☐ None

☒ Use SSL for secure mail download

☐ Use TLS for secure mail download

Authentication Method

☒ Clear text

☐ LOGIN

☐ PLAIN

☐ CRAM-MD5

☐ DIGEST-MD5

☐ NTLM

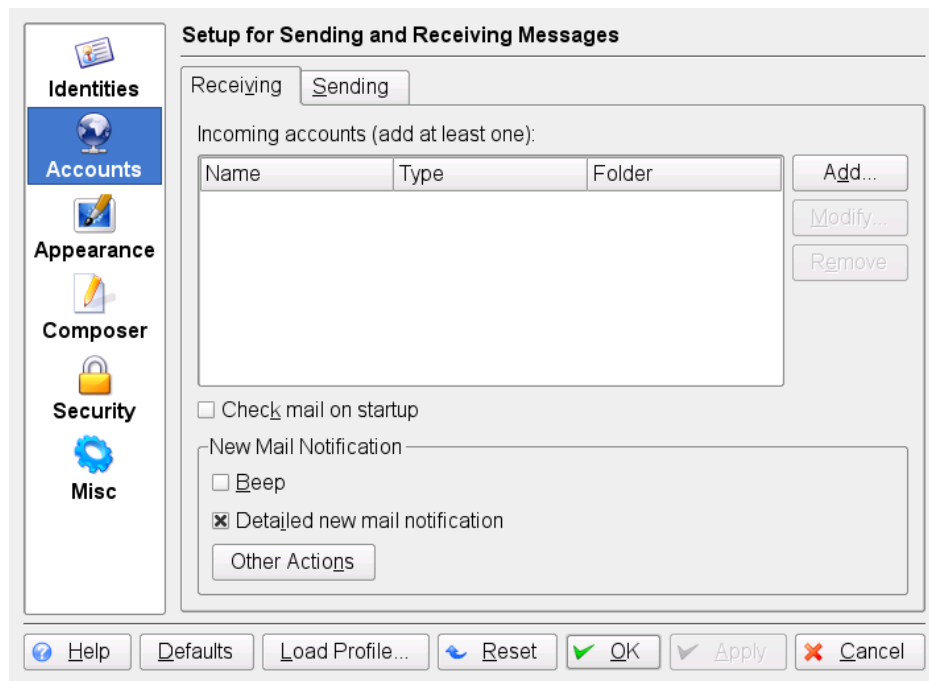
☐ GSSAPI

☐ Anonymous

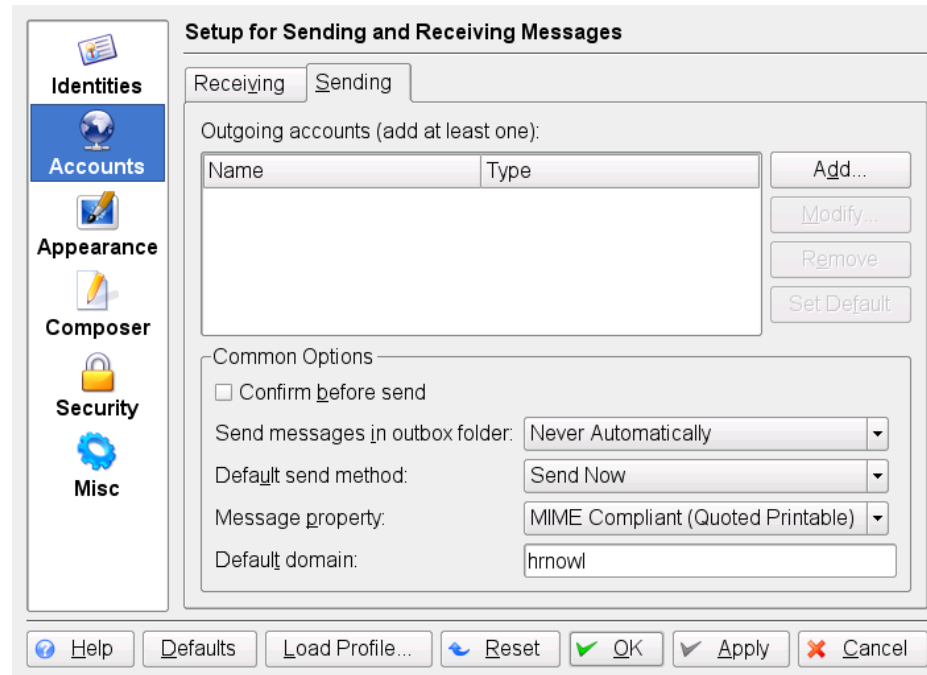
Help OK Cancel

# Setup for Sending and Receiving Messages

Select “Sending”



# Sending

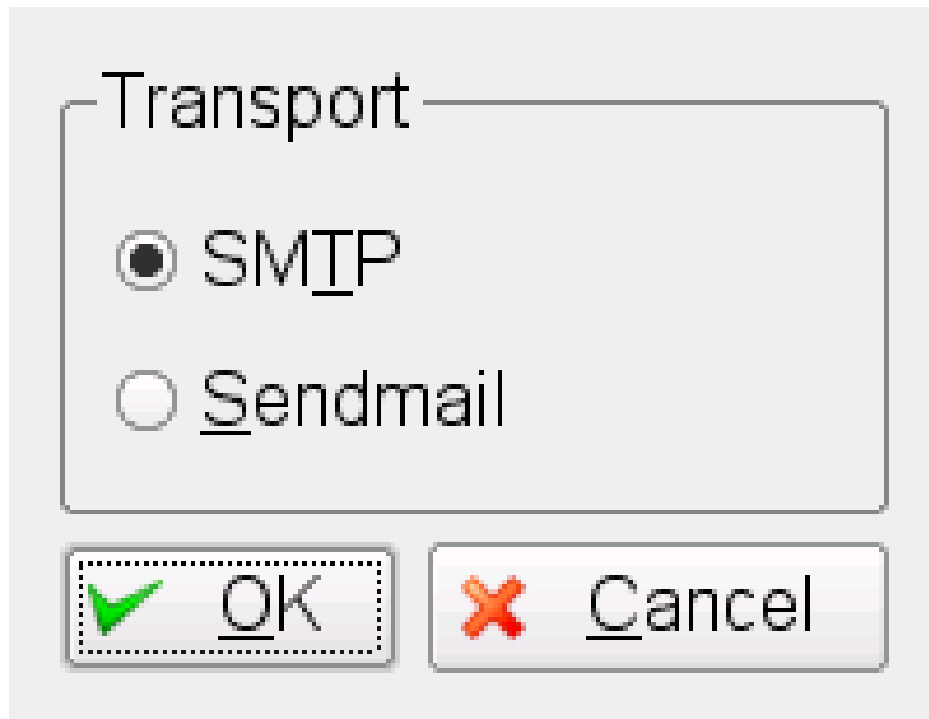


Click Add

# Transport

Select SMTP for  
transport

And click OK



A screenshot of a 'Transport' dialog box. The dialog has a title bar labeled 'Transport'. Inside, there are two radio buttons: the first is labeled 'SMTP' and is selected (indicated by a filled circle), and the second is labeled 'Sendmail' and is unselected (indicated by an empty circle). At the bottom of the dialog, there are two buttons: 'OK' with a green checkmark icon and 'Cancel' with a red 'X' icon.

# Transport: SMTP General

Name

Host=smtp.gmail.com

Port=465

Then select security

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Transport: SMTP" with two tabs: "General" and "Security". The "General" tab is active. It contains the following fields and options:

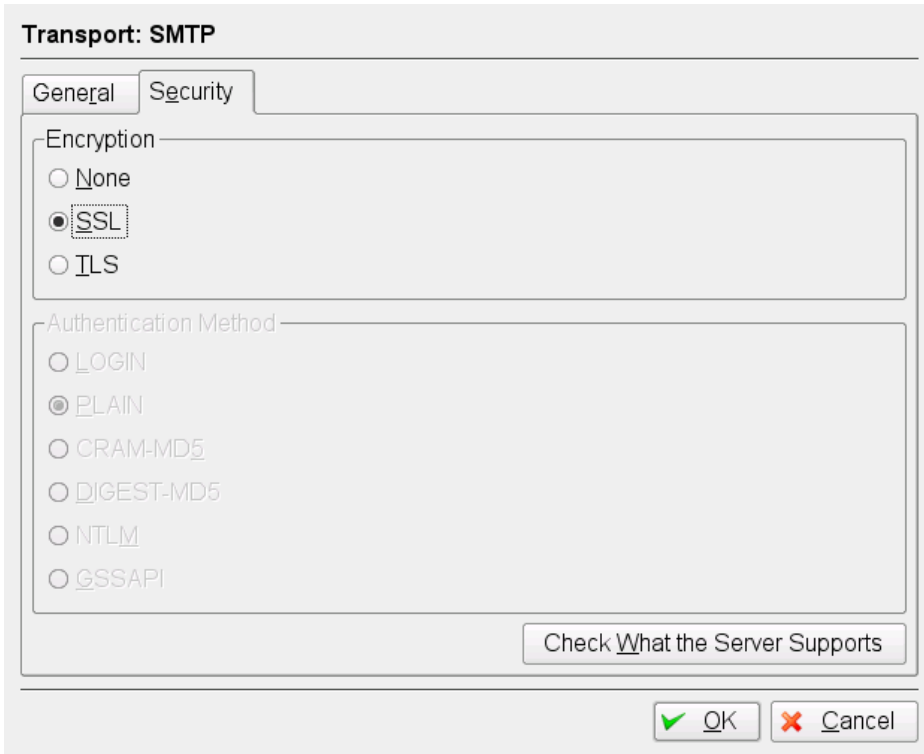
- Name:** marsupial (SMTP) outgoing to gmail
- Host:** smtp.gmail.com
- Port:** 465
- Precommand:** (empty)
- ☐ Server requires authentication
- Login:** (empty)
- Password:** (empty)
- ☐ Store SMTP password
- ☐ Send custom hostname to server
- Hostname:** (empty)

At the bottom right, there are two buttons: "OK" (with a green checkmark icon) and "Cancel" (with a red X icon).

# Transport: SMTP Security

Choose SSL

And Go back to  
“General”



The screenshot shows a dialog box titled "Transport: SMTP" with two tabs: "General" and "Security". The "Security" tab is active. It contains two sections: "Encryption" and "Authentication Method".

**Encryption:**

- ☐ None
- ☒ SSL
- ☐ TLS

**Authentication Method:**

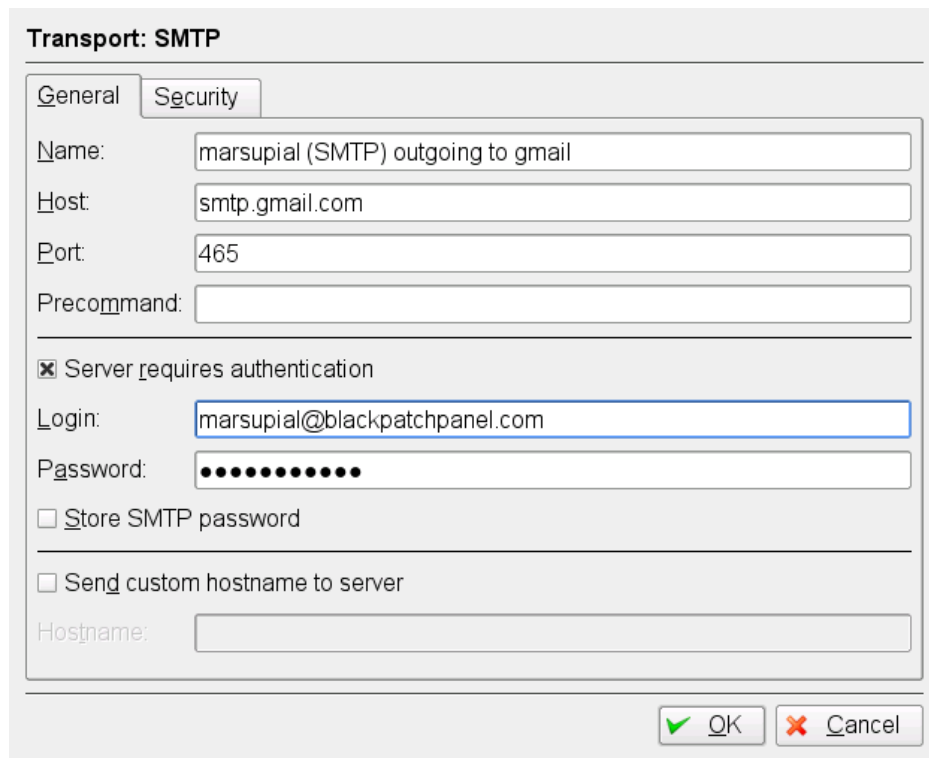
- ☐ LOGIN
- ☒ PLAIN
- ☐ CRAM-MD5
- ☐ DIGEST-MD5
- ☐ NTLM
- ☐ GSSAPI

At the bottom of the "Authentication Method" section is a button labeled "Check What the Server Supports".

At the bottom of the dialog box are two buttons: "OK" (with a green checkmark icon) and "Cancel" (with a red X icon).



# General again



The screenshot shows a configuration window titled "Transport: SMTP". It has two tabs: "General" (selected) and "Security". The "General" tab contains the following fields and options:

- Name:** marsupial (SMTP) outgoing to gmail
- Host:** smtp.gmail.com
- Port:** 465
- Precommand:** (empty field)
- ☒ **Server requires authentication**
- Login:** marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com
- Password:** (masked with dots)
- ☐ **Store SMTP password**
- ☐ **Send custom hostname to server**
- Hostname:** (empty field)

At the bottom right, there are two buttons: "OK" (with a green checkmark icon) and "Cancel" (with a red X icon).

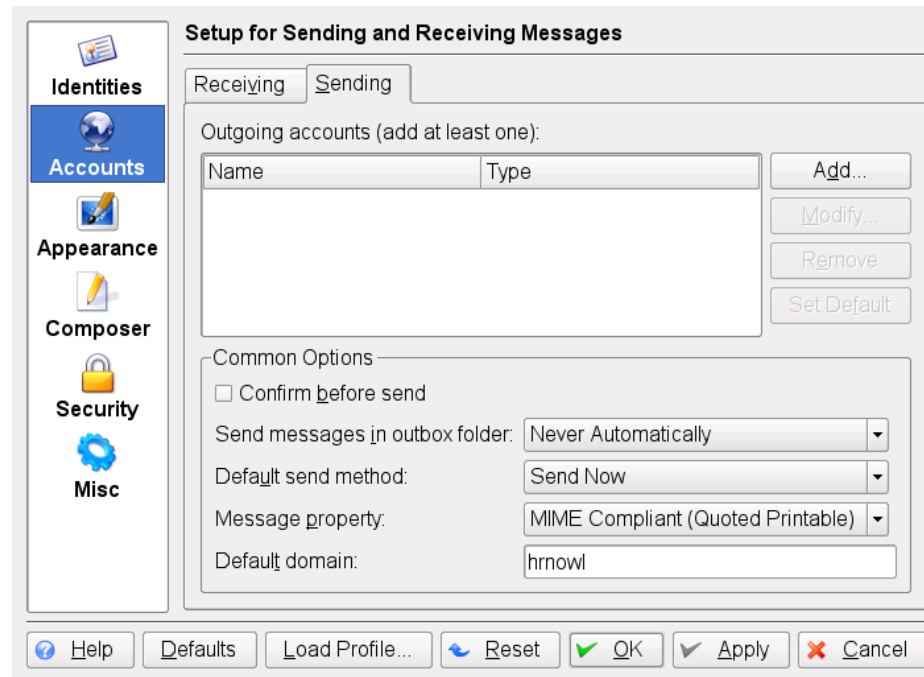
Click on “Server  
requires  
authentication”

Add login=email  
address

And password from  
google apps.

OK

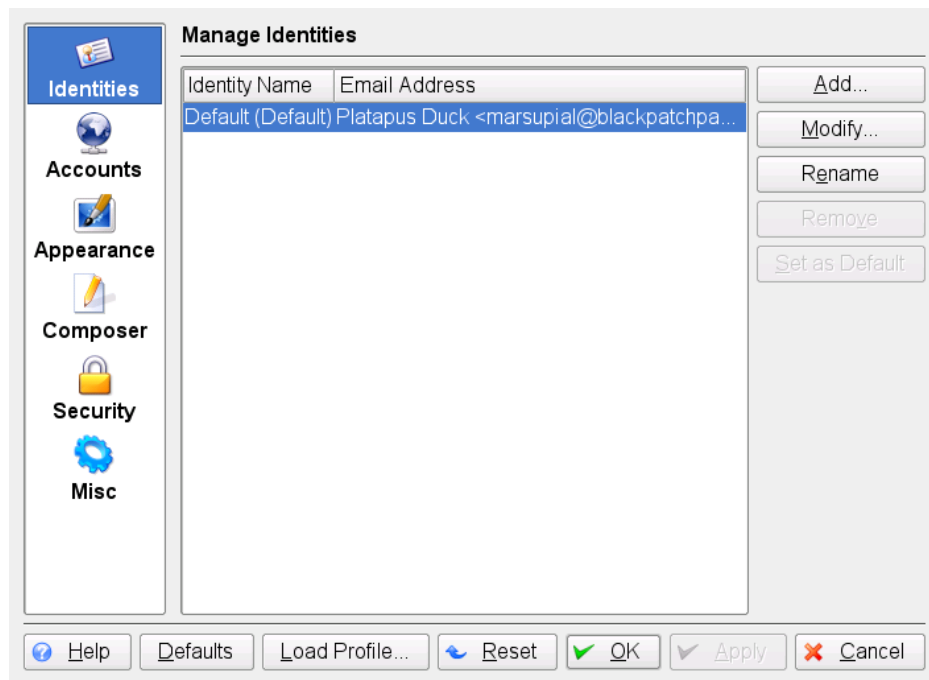
# Setup for Sending and Receiving Messages



Click on Identities

# Manage Identities

Select default Identity  
Click on modify



# Identities

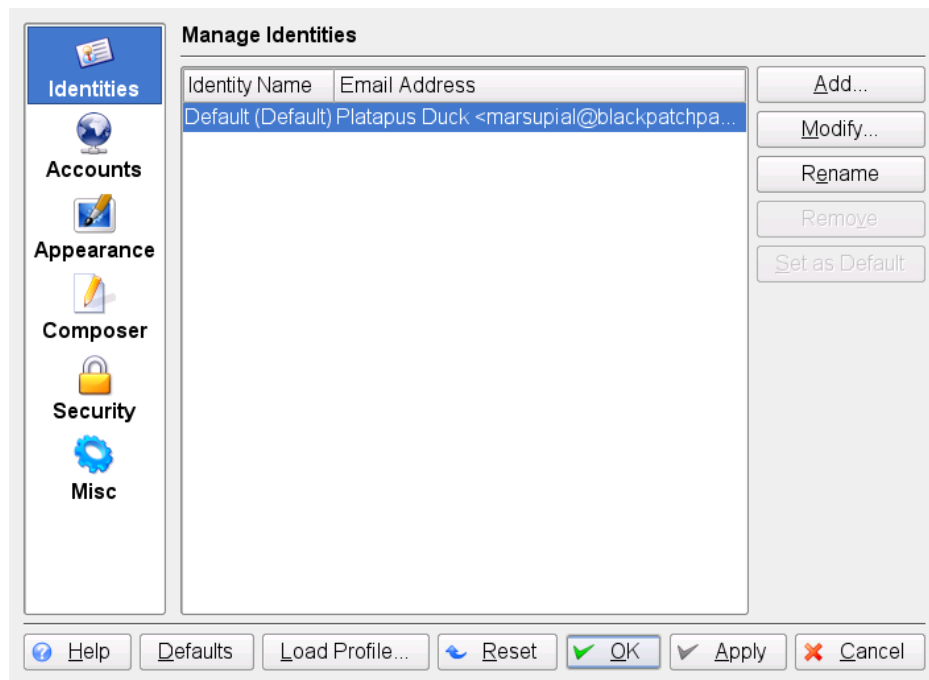
Fill in the email address  
click ok.

The image shows a standard Windows-style dialog box titled 'Identities'. It has five tabs: 'General', 'Cryptography', 'Advanced', 'Templates', and 'Signature'. The 'General' tab is selected. Inside the dialog, there are three text input fields. The first is labeled 'Your name:' and contains the text 'Platapus Duck'. The second is labeled 'Organization:' and contains the text 'Computer under card table'. The third is labeled 'Email address:' and contains the text 'marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com'. At the bottom of the dialog, there are three buttons: a 'Help' button with a question mark icon, an 'OK' button with a green checkmark icon, and a 'Cancel' button with a red X icon.

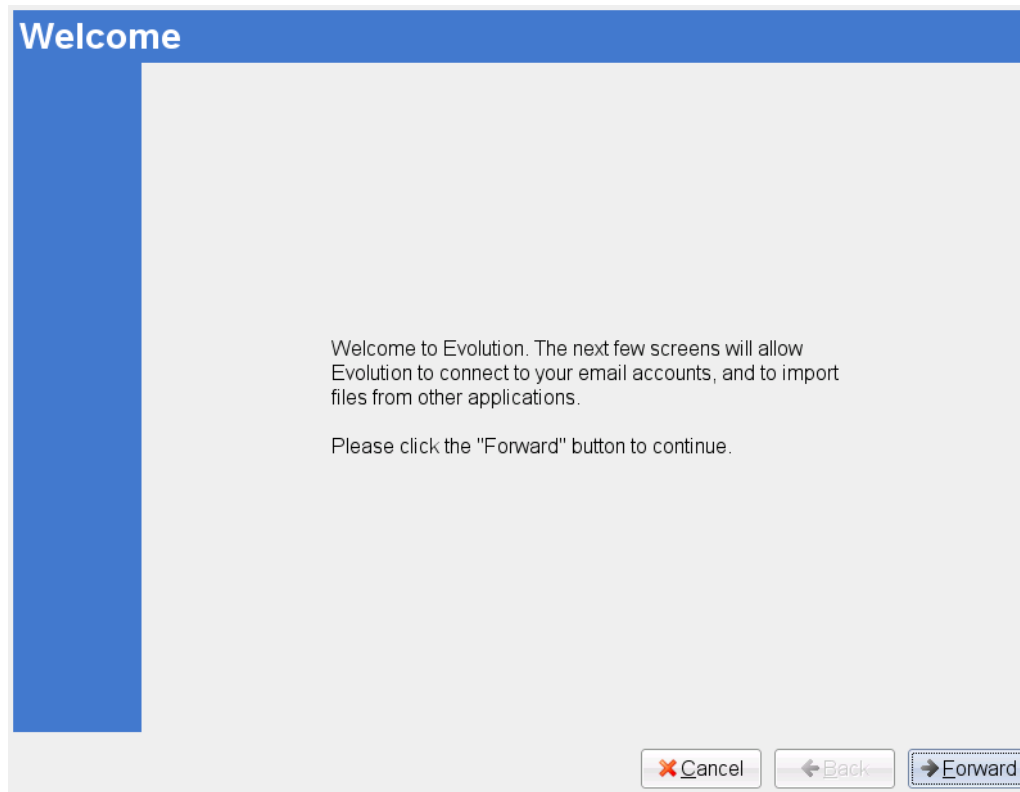
Field	Value
Your name:	Platapus Duck
Organization:	Computer under card table
Email address:	marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com

# Configure Kmail

Then click OK at the bottom to finish configuring Kmail

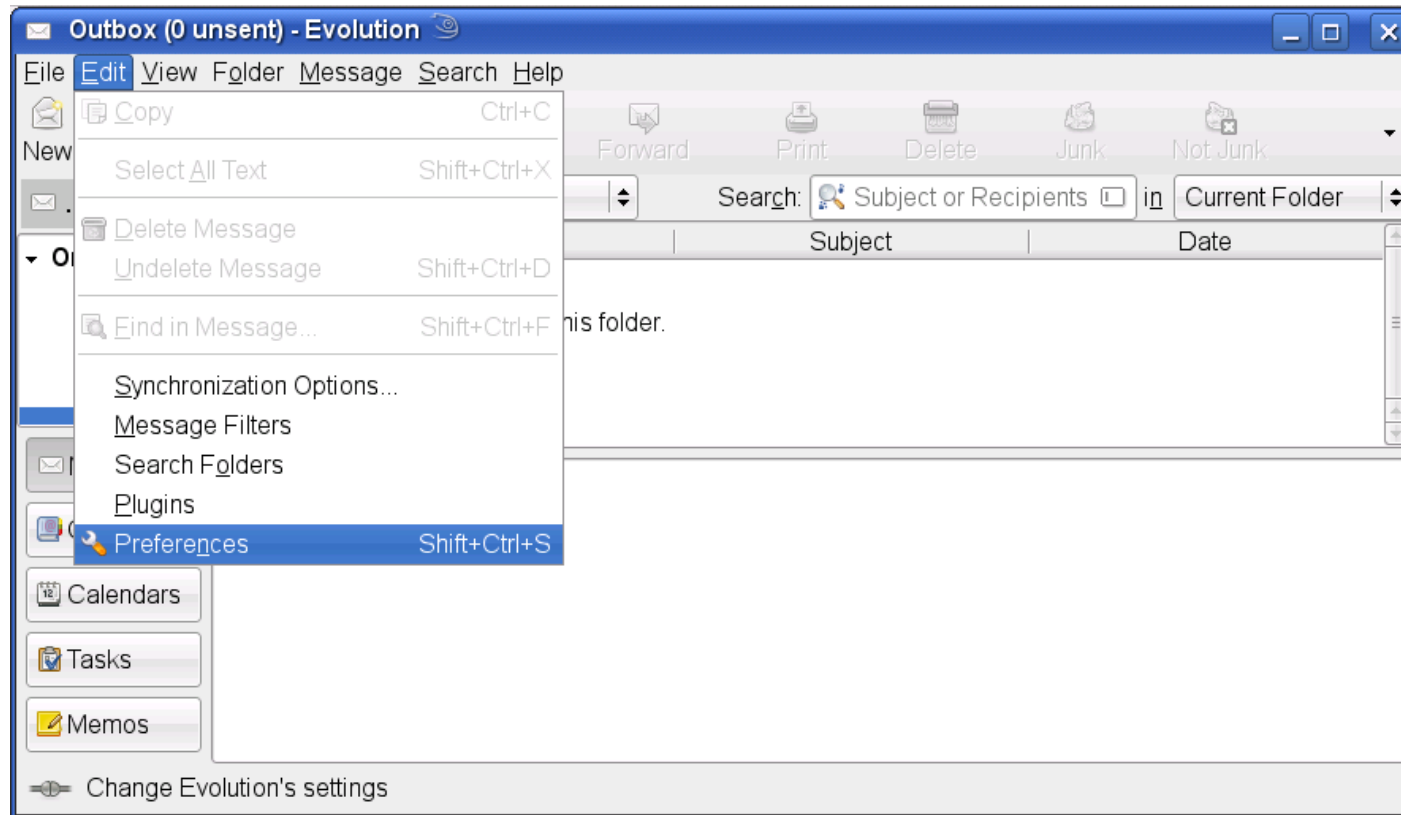


# Configure evolution



Evolution setup assistant runs when you run evolution for the first time

# If you have already ran evolution...



You can edit these properties through “Edit / Preferences”


# Skip backup

## Restore from backup


You can restore Evolution from your backup. It can restore all the Mails, Calendars, Tasks, Memos, Contacts. It also restores all your personal settings, mail filters etc.


☐ Restore Evolution from the backup file

Please select an Evolution Archive to restore:

(None) 

 Cancel

 Back

 Forward



# Identity

**Identity**

Please enter your name and email address below. The "optional" fields below do not need to be filled in, unless you wish to include this information in email you send.

**Required Information**

Full Name:

Email Address:

**Optional Information**

☒ Make this my default account

Reply-To:

Organization:

Fill in the email address for default account.

# Receiving Email

Server type=IMAP

Server=imap.gmail.com:993

username=email address

SSL encryption

Authentication type=password

**Receiving Email**

Please select among the following options

Server Type: IMAP

Description: For reading and storing mail on IMAP servers.

**Configuration**

Server: imap.gmail.com:993

Username: marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com

**Security**

Use Secure Connection: SSL encryption

**Authentication Type**

Password Check for Supported Types

☒ Remember password

Cancel Back Forward

# Receiving Options

**Receiving Options**

**Checking for New Mail**  
☐ Check for new messages every 10 minutes  
☐ Check for new messages in all folders  
☐ Check for new messages in subscribed folders

**Connection to Server**  
☐ Use custom command to connect to server  
Command:

**Folders**  
☐ Show only subscribed folders  
☐ Override server-supplied folder namespace  
Namespace:

**Options**  
☐ Apply filters to new messages in INBOX on this server  
☐ Check new messages for Junk contents  
☐ Only check for Junk messages in the INBOX folder  
☐ Automatically synchronize remote mail locally

Configure to taste.

# Sending Email

Server type=SMTP

Server=smtp.gmail.com:587

Server requires authentication

Authentication type=login

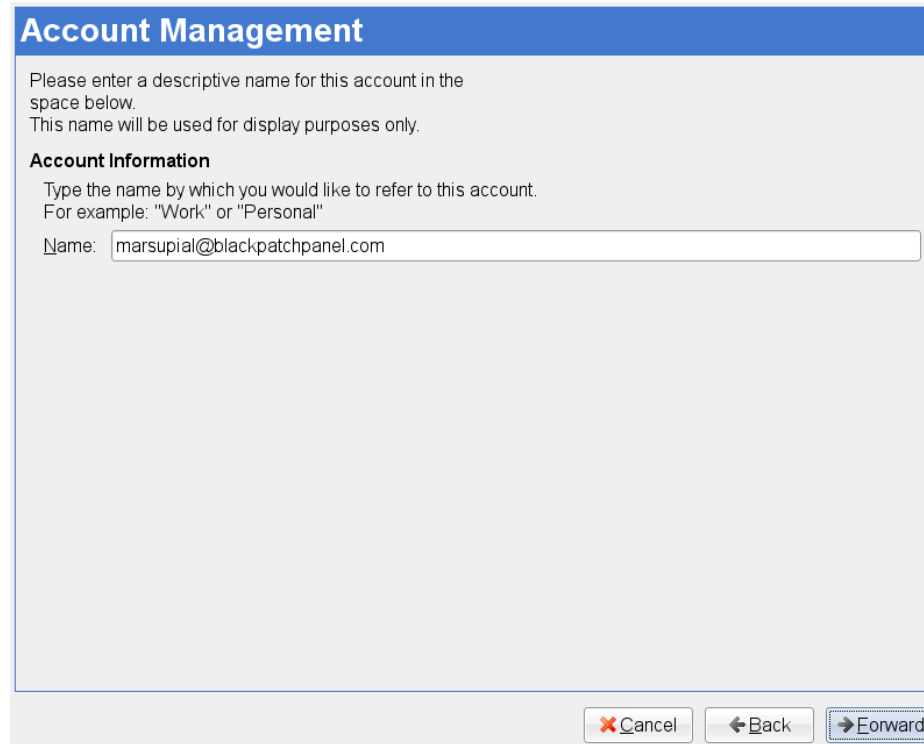
Username=email address

The screenshot shows a configuration window for sending email. It has several tabs: Identity, Receiving Email, Receiving Options, Sending Email (selected), Defaults, Security, and IMAP Headers. The 'Sending Email' tab is active, showing the following settings:

- Server Type:** SMTP (selected in a dropdown menu)
- Description:** For delivering mail by connecting to a remote mailhub using SMTP.
- Server Configuration:**
  - Server:** smtp.gmail.com:587 (text input field)
  - ☒ Server requires authentication
- Security:**
  - Use Secure Connection:** TLS encryption (dropdown menu)
- Authentication:**
  - Type:** Login (dropdown menu) with a 'Check for Supported Types' button next to it.
  - Username:** marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com (text input field)
  - ☒ Remember password

At the bottom right, there are 'Cancel' and 'OK' buttons.

# Account Management



**Account Management**

Please enter a descriptive name for this account in the space below.  
This name will be used for display purposes only.

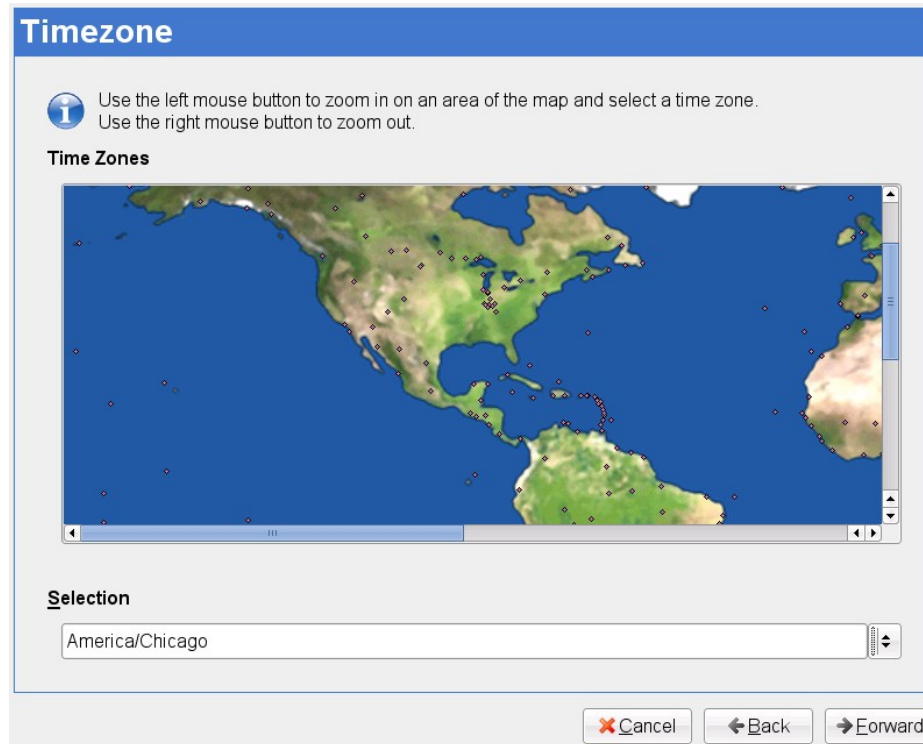
**Account Information**

Type the name by which you would like to refer to this account.  
For example: "Work" or "Personal"

Name:

Name this account to taste

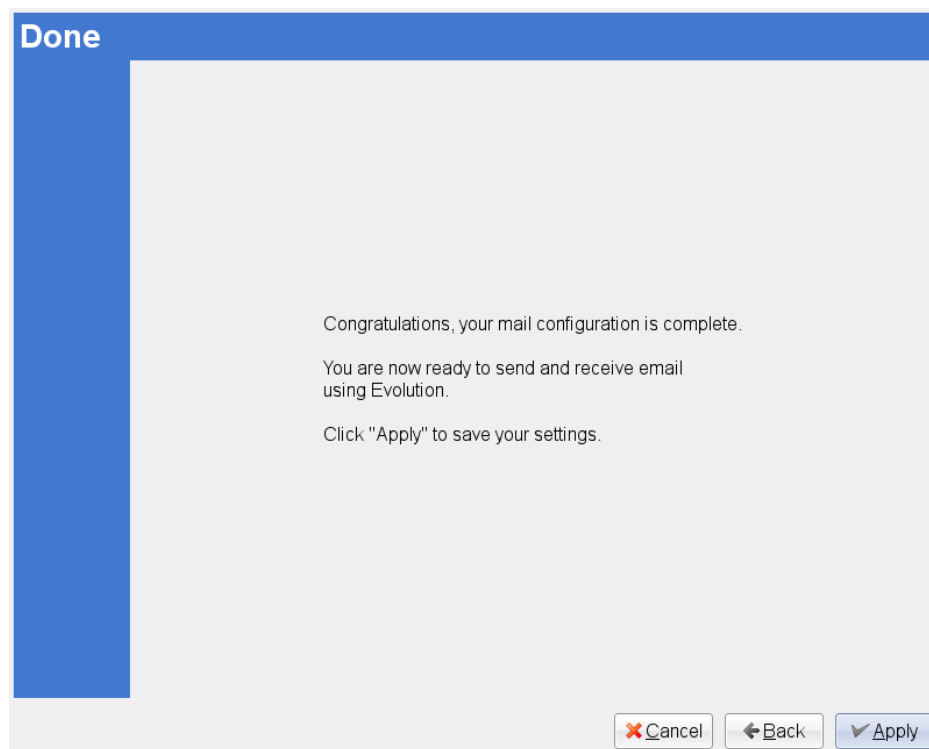
# Select the time zone



No freekin cities in Texas!

# Configuration done

Click apply



# Configure mutt

How do configure mutt is documented at:

[http://crunchbanglinux.org/wiki/howto/howto\\_setup\\_mutt\\_with\\_gmail\\_imap](http://crunchbanglinux.org/wiki/howto/howto_setup_mutt_with_gmail_imap)

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Also relevant

<http://myproblemsandtheirsolutions.blogspot.com/2009/04/using-mutt-with-gmail-google-apps.html>



# .muttrc Identity

```
set from = "marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com"  
set realname = "Platapus Duck"
```

# .muttrc IMAP login

```
set imap_user = "marsupial@blackpatchpanel.com"  
set imap_pass = "xxxxxxxxxxx"
```

# .muttrc (remote folders)

```
set folder = "imaps://imap.gmail.com:993"  
set spoolfile = "+INBOX"  
set postponed = "+[Gmail]/Drafts"  
set trash = "imaps://imap.gmail.com/  
[Gmail]/Trash"
```

# .muttrc (Local Folders)

```
set header_cache = ~/.mutt/cache/headers  
set message_cachedir = ~/.mutt/cache/bodies  
set certificate_file = ~/.mutt/certificates
```

# .muttrc (SMTP login)

```
set smtp_url = "smtp://$imap_user@smtp.gmail.com:587/"  
set smtp_pass = "xxxxxxxxxxxx"
```

# .muttrc (special keybindings)

```
bind editor <space> noop
macro index gi "<change-folder> =INBOX<enter>" "Go to inbox"
macro index ga "<change-folder> =[Gmail]/All Mail<enter>" "Go to all mail"
macro index gs "<change-folder> =[Gmail]/Sent Mail<enter>" "Go to Sent Mail"
macro index gd "<change-folder> =[Gmail]/Drafts<enter>" "Go to drafts"
```

# .muttrc (secure multisession)

```
set move = no #Stop asking to "move read messages to mbox"!
set imap_keepalive = 900
```

Every mutt user will have his own customization as well

# Mutt Setup

From the command line:

After this your mutt setup should be complete

Try it!

```
mkdir .mutt/cache .mutt/certificates -p  
chmod 700 .muttrc
```



# Choosing and managing a Web Host is complicated business!

Beyond the scope of this talk.

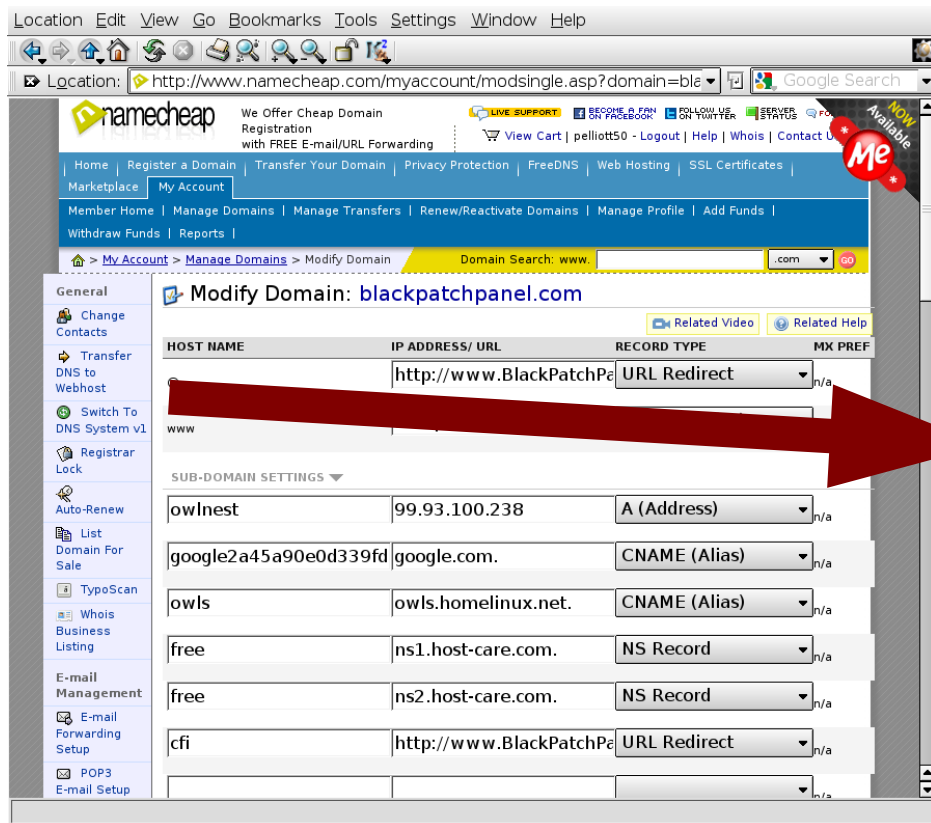
You will probably use a program called “cPanel”.

Transfer files with ftp or ssh.

At some point the Web Host is going to want you to point your NS record at its server.

Do you want your Web Host to control your entire domain?

# Give whole domain to Web Host Controls all of blackpatchpanel.com



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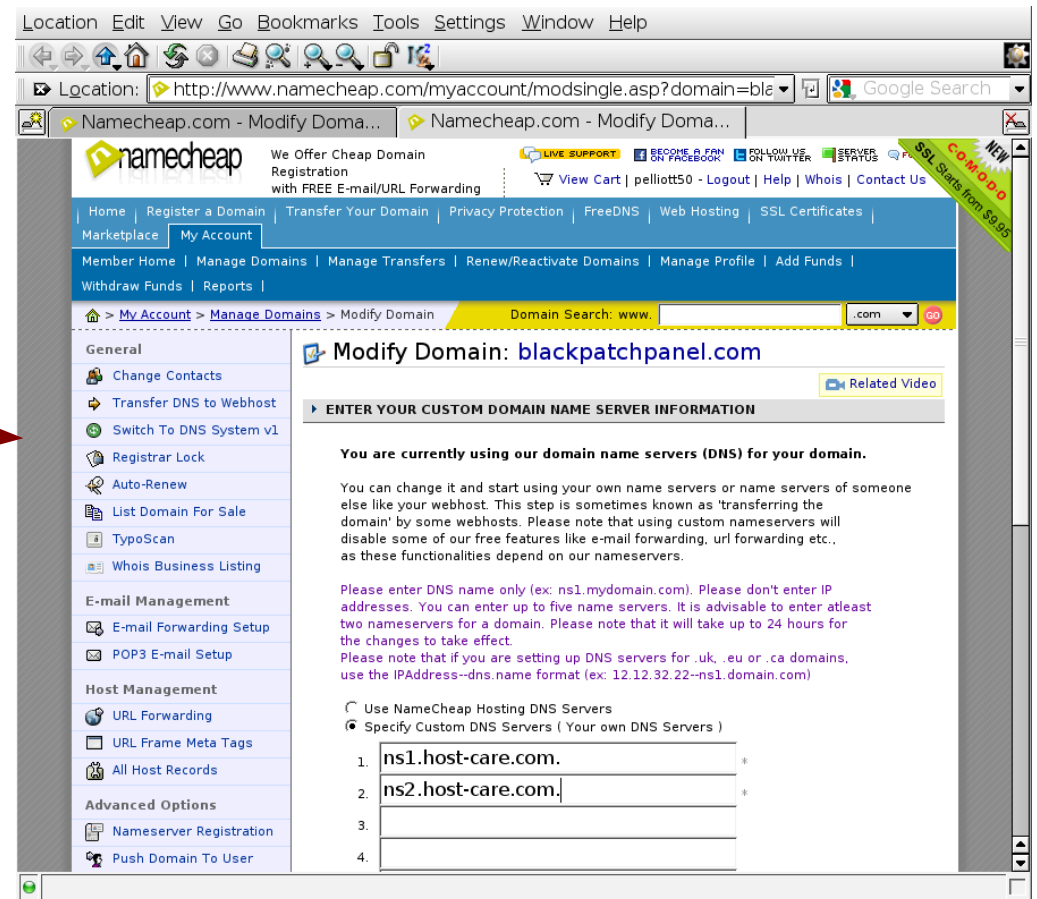
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**Modify Domain: blackpatchpanel.com**

HOST NAME	IP ADDRESS/ URL	RECORD TYPE	MX PREF
www	<a href="http://www.BlackPatchPanel.com">http://www.BlackPatchPanel.com</a>	URL Redirect	n/a
SUB-DOMAIN SETTINGS			
owltest	99.93.100.238	A (Address)	n/a
google2a45a90e0d339fd	google.com.	CNAME (Alias)	n/a
owls	owls.homelinux.net.	CNAME (Alias)	n/a
free	ns1.host-care.com.	NS Record	n/a
free	ns2.host-care.com.	NS Record	n/a
cfi	<a href="http://www.BlackPatchPanel.com">http://www.BlackPatchPanel.com</a>	URL Redirect	n/a

General

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**ENTER YOUR CUSTOM DOMAIN NAME SERVER INFORMATION**

You are currently using our domain name servers (DNS) for your domain.

You can change it and start using your own name servers or name servers of someone else like your webhost. This step is sometimes known as 'transferring the domain' by some webhosts. Please note that using custom nameservers will disable some of our free features like e-mail forwarding, url forwarding etc., as these functionalities depend on our nameservers.

Please enter DNS name only (ex: ns1.mydomain.com). Please don't enter IP addresses. You can enter up to five name servers. It is advisable to enter atleast two nameservers for a domain. Please note that it will take up to 24 hours for the changes to take effect. Please note that if you are setting up DNS servers for .uk .eu or .ca domains, use the IPAddress-dns.name format (ex: 12.12.32.22-ns1.domain.com)

☐ Use NameCheap Hosting DNS Servers

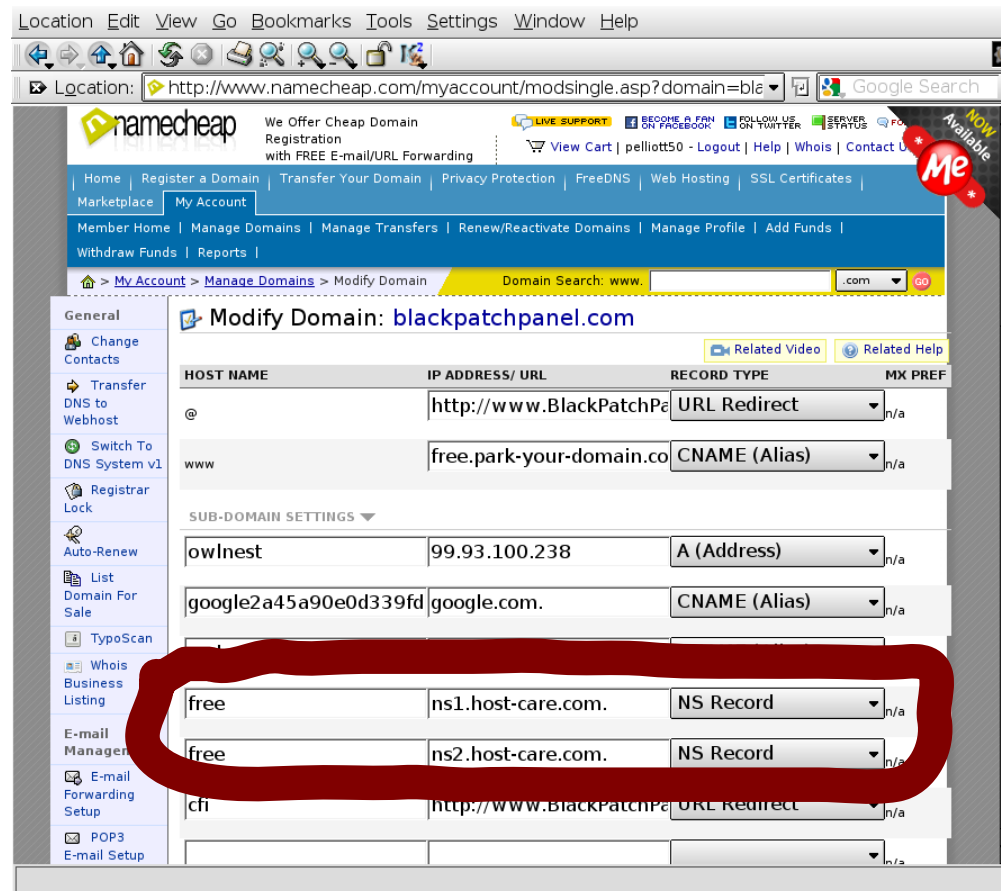
☒ Specify Custom DNS Servers ( Your own DNS Servers )

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Advanced Options

- Nameserver Registration
- Push Domain To User

# Only let your web host control a subdomain



Sub domain **free.blackpatchpanel.com** is controlled by my Web Host.