



# Setup S3 Object Storage using PetaSAN

Version 1.0

## Revision History

Date	Version	Description
26/5/2022	1.0	Initial version

## Contents

1. Purpose .....	4
2. Pre-requisites .....	4
3. Single Site Installation .....	5
3.1. Configuring S3 .....	5
3.1.1. S3 Settings .....	5
3.1.2. Assign S3 Role to nodes .....	7
3.1.3. Add Zonegroup .....	8
3.1.4. Add Local Zone .....	9
3.1.5. Add S3 user .....	11
4. Clients Connectivity .....	14
4.1. S3 Browser .....	14
4.1.1. Define service ip in hosts file .....	14
4.1.2. Import s3-service certificate .....	14
4.1.3. Create S3 Browser user account .....	21
4.2. Cyberduck .....	25
4.2.1. Define certificate in hosts file .....	25
4.2.2. Import s3-service certificate .....	25
4.2.3. Connect using cyberduck .....	25
4.3. Amazon CLI Tool .....	27
4.3.1. Define certificate in hosts file .....	27
4.3.2. Import s3-service certificate .....	27
4.3.3. Configure the aws using configure command .....	27
4.3.4. Get bucket List .....	28
4.3.5. Create new Bucket .....	28
4.3.6. Upload file .....	28
4.3.7. List bucket content .....	28
5. Multi Site Installation .....	29
5.1. Configuring S3 .....	29
5.1.1. S3 Settings .....	29



5.1.2.	Assign S3 Role to nodes .....	29
5.1.3.	Add End Point to the Master Zone .....	29
5.1.4.	Import Peer Certificate .....	30
5.1.5.	Define the service names in hosts files.....	31
5.1.6.	Import Peer Certificate .....	33
5.1.7.	Pull First Cluster S3 Configuration .....	33
5.1.8.	Add local zone .....	34
6.	Add S3 User .....	36
7.	Client Connectivity .....	36
7.1.	S3 Browser .....	36
7.1.1.	Define certificate in hosts file .....	36
7.1.2.	Import s3-service certificate .....	37
7.1.3.	Create S3 Browser user account .....	37
7.2.	Cyberduck .....	39
7.3.	Amazon CLI Tool.....	39
8.	Promote Zone .....	39



## 1. Purpose

The purpose of this document is to describe how to setup S3 Object storage using PetaSAN.

## 2. Pre-requisites

This document assumes the user has already setup a PetaSAN cluster and optionally a second cluster in case a multisite S3 setup is required.

The examples used in this guide assume the following sample configuration:

### Single Site Installation

- One PetaSAN cluster with Release 3.0.0 or higher installed, each cluster consists of 3 nodes with no pools created during deployment.
- Each node has 3 interfaces:
  - **Management** uses subnet ip 10.0.1.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0
  - **Backend** uses subnet ip 10.0.2.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0
  - **S3** uses subnet ip 10.0.3.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0  
(Defined post installation as will be shown)
- Nodes have the following IPs:
  - **Node1**
    - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.10
    - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.10
  - **Node2**
    - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.11
    - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.11
  - **Node3**
    - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.12
    - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.12
- An EC rule is created based on template ec-by-host-hdd (assuming HDD drives)
  -

### Multi Site Installation

- A second PetaSAN cluster with Release 3.0.0 or higher installed, cluster consists of 3 nodes with no pools created during deployment.
- Each node has 3 interfaces:
  - **Management** uses subnet ip 10.0.1.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0
  - **Backend** uses subnet ip 10.0.2.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0
  - **S3 Public** uses subnet ip 10.0.3.0 and subnet mask 255.255.255.0  
(Defined post installation as will be shown).
- Nodes have the following IPs:
  - **Node1**
    - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.90
    - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.90

- **Node2**
  - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.91
  - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.91
- **Node3**
  - Management uses subnet ip 10.0.1.92
  - Backend uses subnet ip 10.0.2.92
- An EC rule is created based on template ec-by-host-hdd hdd (assuming HDD drives).

## 3. Single Site Installation

### 3.1. Configuring S3

#### 3.1.1. S3 Settings

- Define protocol as http or https, interface to use and the IP range for the S3 service. You can also define a custom gateway.

The screenshot shows the PetaSAN web interface for configuring S3 settings. The page title is "S3 Settings" and it includes a breadcrumb trail "Configuration > S3 Settings". A "Network Configuration" link is visible in the top right. The configuration fields are as follows:

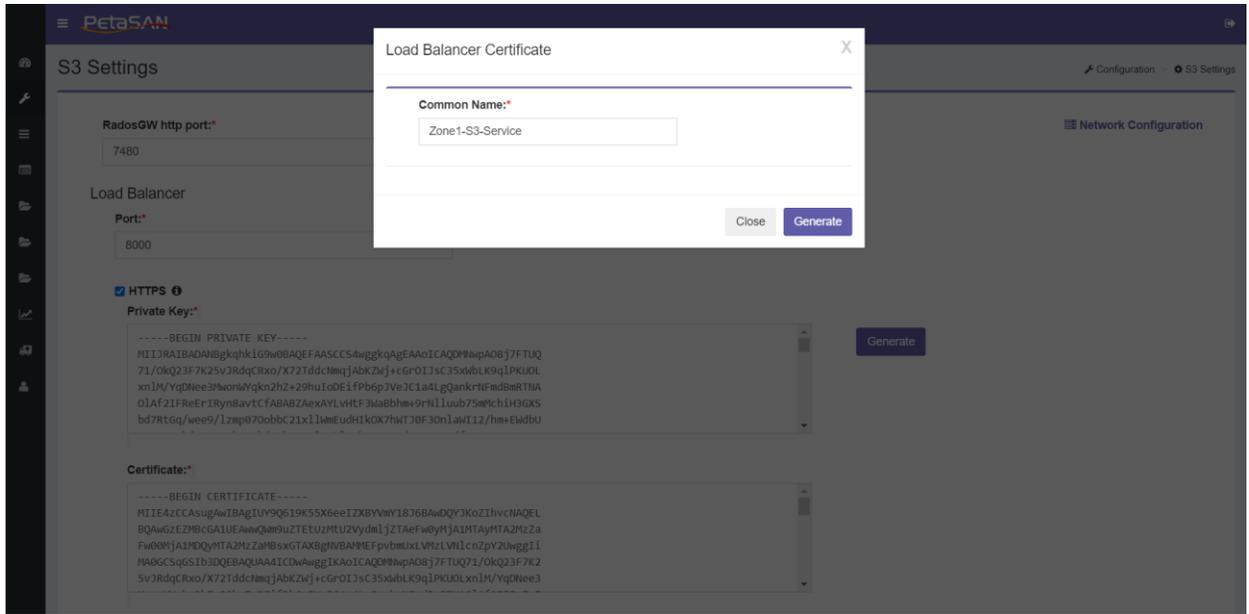
- RadosGW http port:** 7480
- Load Balancer Port:** 8000
- HTTPS** (with an information icon)
- Interface:** eth2
- Subnet Mask:** 255.255.255.0
- VLAN Tagging**
- Public IP Range: From:** 10.0.3.10
- To:** 10.0.3.14
- Gateway:**  Default  Custom

At the bottom right, there are "Cancel" and "Save" buttons.

#### Note:

It is recommended to use https when using Veeam.

To use https with a self signed certificate, generate the certificate by clicking on the Generate button and specify the certificate common name. The common name needs to match the S3 service URL that will clients will use to access the service, it will be configured in the hosts file or round robin DNS as will be discussed later.



After entering the interface name and the IP range, click on save.

In the case of self signed certificate as we use in this example, download the certificate, so it can be later installed on S3 clients.

**S3 Settings** Configuration • S3 Settings

✓ S3 Settings saved successfully.

**RadosGW http port:**  
7480

**Load Balancer**

**Port:**  
8000

**HTTPS**

**Private Key:**

```
-----BEGIN PRIVATE KEY-----
MIIE3RA1BADA...
-----
```

**Generate**

**Certificate:**

```
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
MIIE4zCCAsu...
-----
```

**Certificate CN:**  
Zone1-S3-Service

**Interface:**  
eth2

**Subnet Mask:**  
255.255.255.0

VLAN Tagging

**Public IP Range: From:** 10.0.3.10 **To:** 10.0.3.15

**Gateway:**  
 Default  Custom

**Cancel** **Download Certificate** **Save**

### 3.1.2. Assign S3 Role to nodes

- Start by assigning the S3 Role to one or more cluster nodes, in this example we will assign the S3 role to all the 3 nodes.

**Node Node1 Roles** Manage Nodes • Nodes List • Manage Roles

Management and Monitoring Services

Local Storage Service

Backup/Replication Service

iSCSI Target Service

CIFS Service

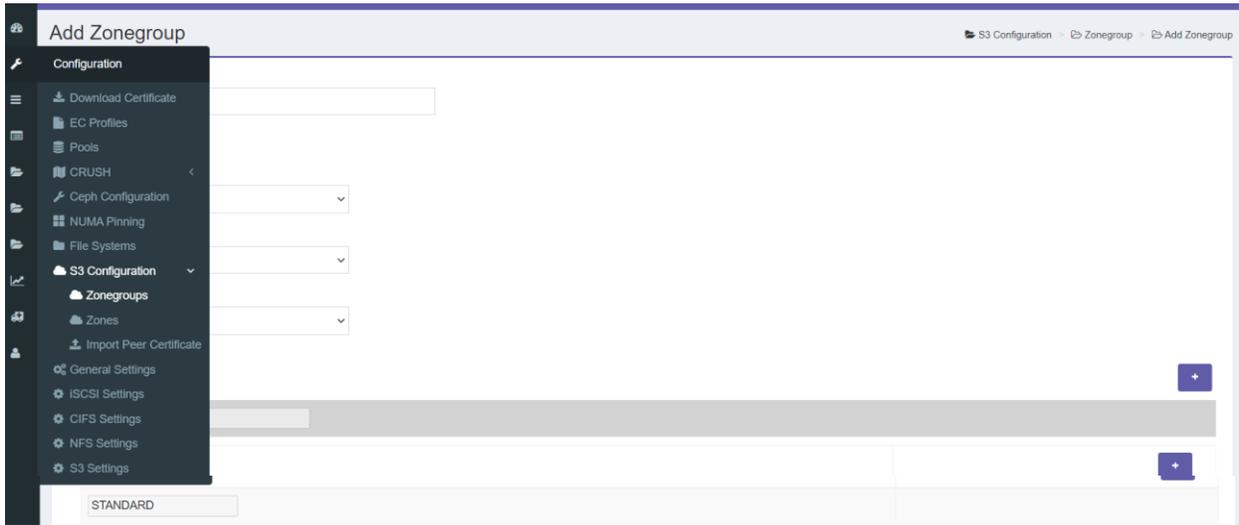
NFS Service

S3 Service

**Cancel** **Save**

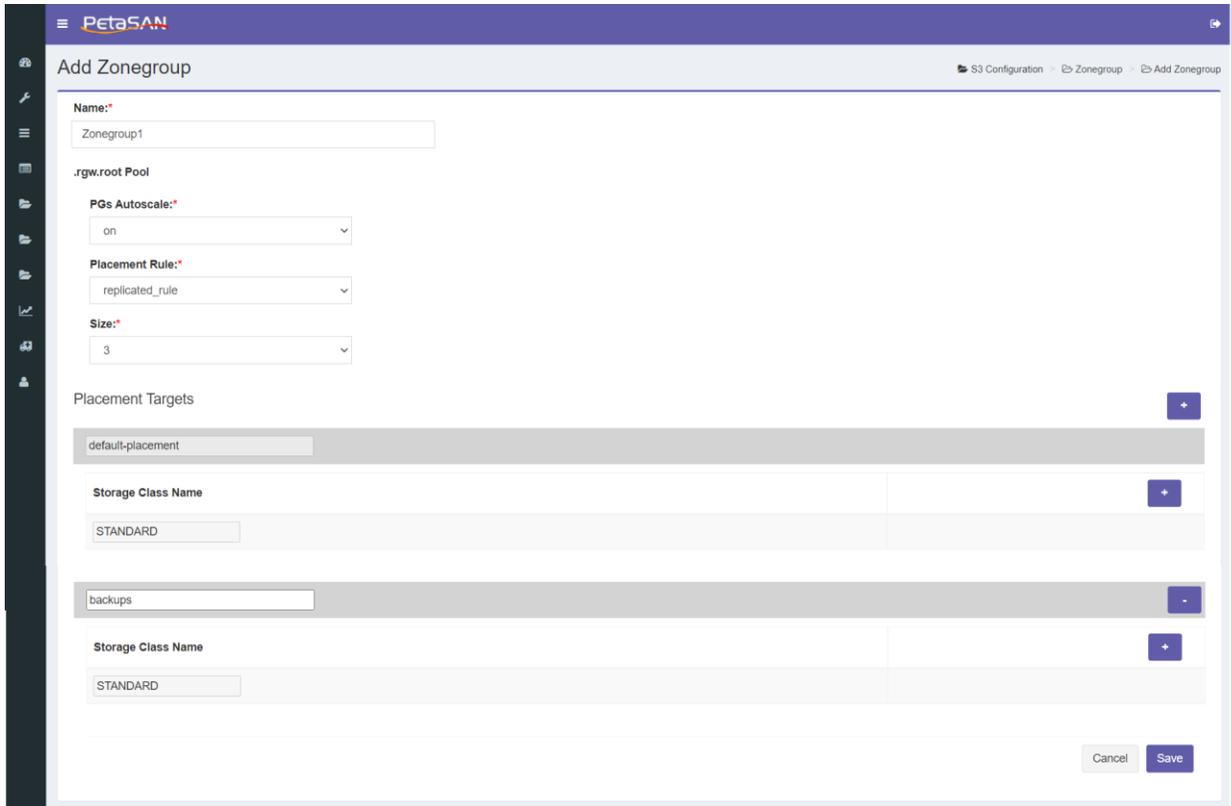
### 3.1.3. Add Zonegroup

Add the zonegroup from Configuration->S3 Configuration->Zonegroups->Add Zonegroup

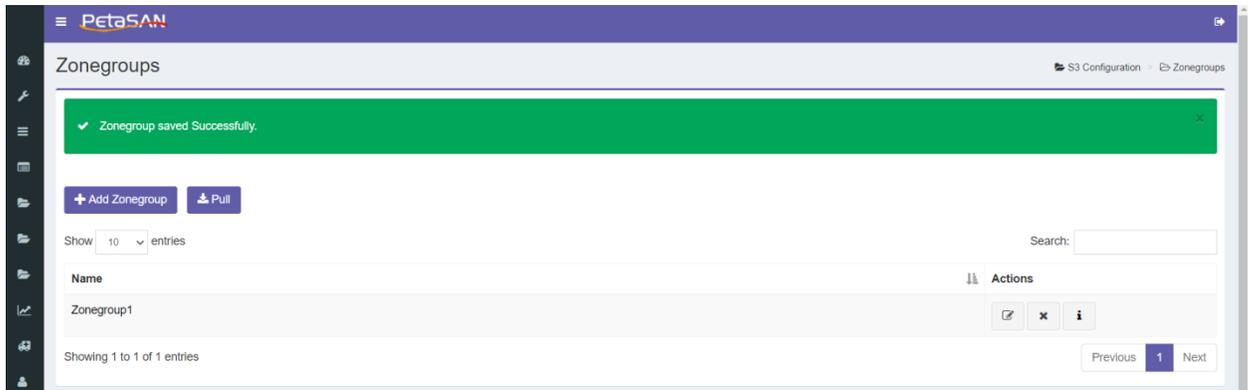


- Enter the zonegroup name, the root pool settings and the placement targets.

In this example we will create zone named Zonegroup1 with 2 placement targets, first is named “default-placement” and the second is named “backups”



- You can also add storage classes but in this example we will only use the “STANDARD” storage class.



### 3.1.4. Add Local Zone

- Add zone from Configuration->S3 Configuration->Zones->Add Zone.
- In the zone form, The system will display the main pools that will be used for internal operations (Control,Meta and log pools). You can optionally define their crush placement rule and replica count if desired. In this example we will use the defaults.
- We configure the pools that will be created for each placement target (Bucket Index and Storage class bucket data pools).We need to define their crush placement rule and replica count.
- In this example we will create the main pools and the default-placement pools using the replicated rule which is selected by default.
- For the backups placement target we will create a data pool with EC rule “ec-by-host-hdd” and profile “ec-21-profile” for testing purpose but in production you should use a higher profile like “ec-42-profile”

Note:

Using an EC data pool is for ideal for backups due to the storage efficiency.

PetaSAN
+

### Add Zone Manage Zones > Zones > Add Zone

**Zonegroup Name:**  
Zonegroup1

**Zone Name:**

**End Points (For Multisite)**

**Main Pools** Modify Main Pools

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Control	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.control"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>
Meta	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.meta"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>
Log	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.log"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>

**Placement Targets** +

Default Placement

**Buckets Index Pool:**

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets Index	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.buckets.index"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>

**Storage Classes Buckets Data Pools:** +

Storage Class	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size	Action
STANDARD	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.buckets.data"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>	

-

**Buckets Index Pool:**

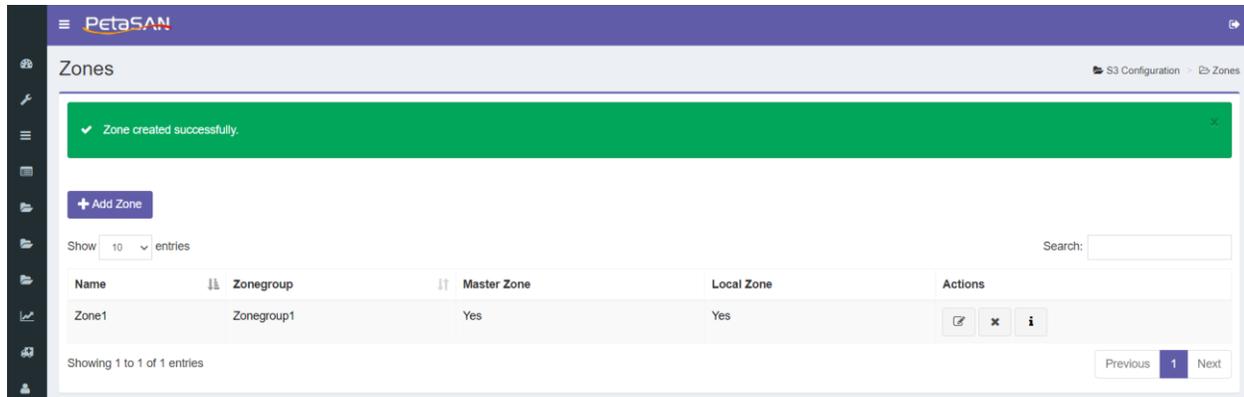
Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets Index	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.backups.buckets.index"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>

**Storage Classes Buckets Data Pools:** +

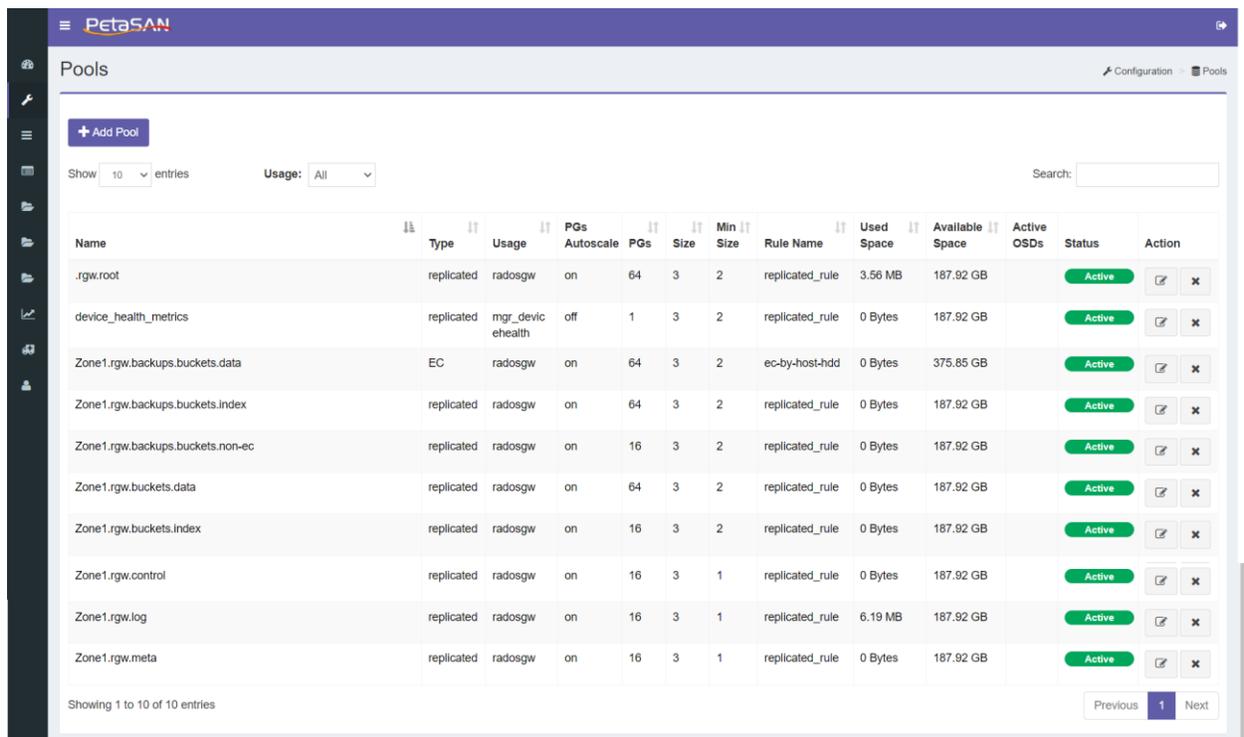
Storage Class	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size	EC Profile	Action
STANDARD	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.buckets.data"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="ec-by-host-hdd"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>	<input type="text" value="ec-21-profile"/>	

**Data Extra Pool:**

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets.non-ec	<input type="text" value="Zone1.rgw.backups.buckets.non-ec"/>	<input type="text" value="on"/>	<input type="text" value="replicated_rule"/>	<input type="text" value="3"/>



After creating the zone you could notice that the new pools have been created



### 3.1.5.Add S3 user

- In this example we will create a new S3 user named S3-User1 that stores its data in the backups placement target which we created earlier.
- This can be done from Manage S3->S3 Users Menu item

The screenshot displays the 'Add S3 User' configuration interface in the PetaSAN web console. The page title is 'Add S3 User' and the breadcrumb trail is 'S3 Configuration > S3 Users > Add S3 User'. The form contains the following fields and options:

- ID:** A text input field containing the value '1'.
- Display Name:** A text input field containing the value 'S3-User1'.
- Email:** A text input field containing the value 'PetaSANuser1@gmail.com'.
- Suspended:** Radio button options for 'Yes' and 'No', with 'No' selected.
- Default placement target:** A dropdown menu with 'backups' selected.
- Max number of buckets:** A text input field containing the value '1000'.
- Bucket Quota:**
  - Max Size:** Radio button options for 'Unlimited' (selected) and 'Limit Size'.
  - Max Number of Objects:** Radio button options for 'Unlimited' (selected) and 'Limit Number'.
- User Quota:**
  - Max Size:** Radio button options for 'Unlimited' (selected) and 'Limit Size'.
  - Max Number of Objects:** Radio button options for 'Unlimited' (selected) and 'Limit Number'.

At the bottom right of the form, there are 'Cancel' and 'Save' buttons.

After saving the S3 user you can view the user's generated access and secret keys which will be used later while connecting with S3 clients.

**Edit S3 User**

S3 Configuration > S3 Users > Edit S3 User

**ID:** 1

**Display Name:** S3-User1

**Email:** PetaSANuser1@gmail.com

**Suspended:**  Yes  No

**Default placement target:** backups

**Max number of buckets:** 1000

**Bucket Quota**

**Max Size:**  Unlimited  Limit Size

**Max Number of Objects:**  Unlimited  Limit Number

**Subusers:**

[+ Add Subuser](#)

Show 10 entries

Search:

Subuser ID	Access Rights	Access Key ID	Secret Access Key	Actions
No data available in table				

Showing 0 to 0 of 0 entries

Previous Next

Cancel Regenerate Keys Save

**Note:**

- You can set maximum number of buckets the user can create or set the max size or maximum number of objects the user can upload for any bucket.
- You can add one or more Sub User under the user you created, for each sub user you need to set the sub user id and its Access Right, but in this example we will not create any sub users.

**Add Subuser**

**Parent User:** 1

**ID:** 1

**Access Right:**

- Full Control
- Read
- Read/Write
- Write

Cancel Save

## 4. Clients Connectivity

### 4.1. S3 Browser

- One of the client applications that is widely used is S3 Browser.
- We will be using the self-signed certificate previously created from the S3 Settings form.

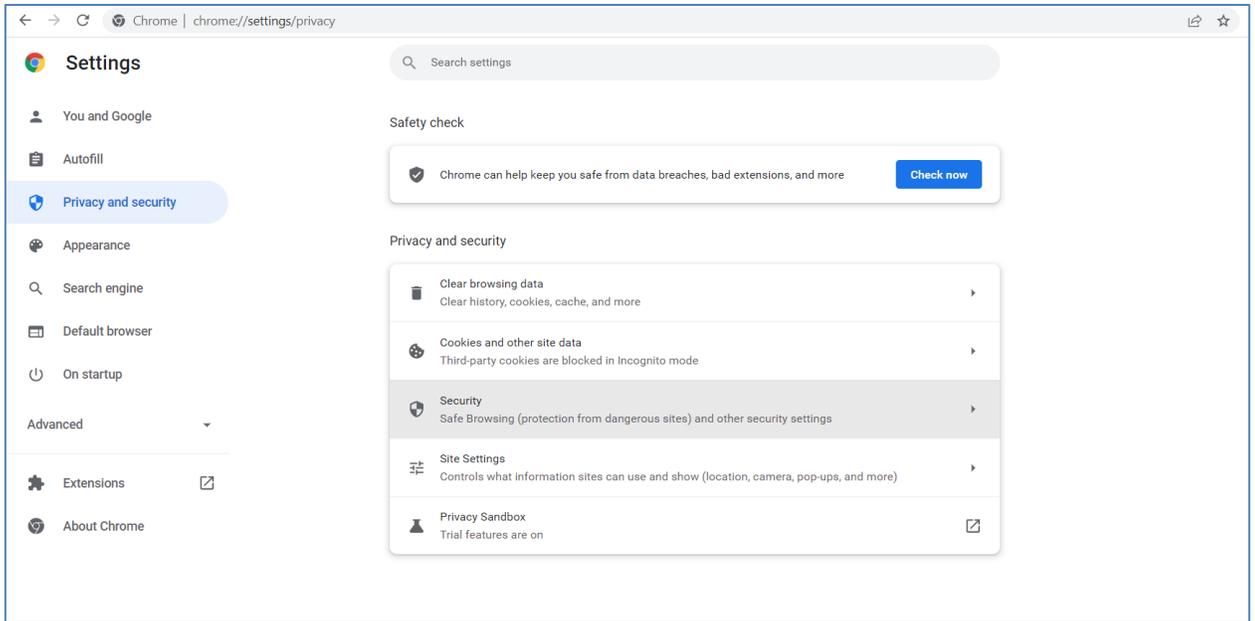
#### 4.1.1. Define service ip in hosts file

- If not using a DNS, define the ip address corresponding to the S3 service. The name of the service should match the common name of the certificate. The IP address should be one within the range of IPs defined for the service.
- If using a DNS, setup a round robin configuration with all the range of IPs defined. In this example we will use the hosts file method.

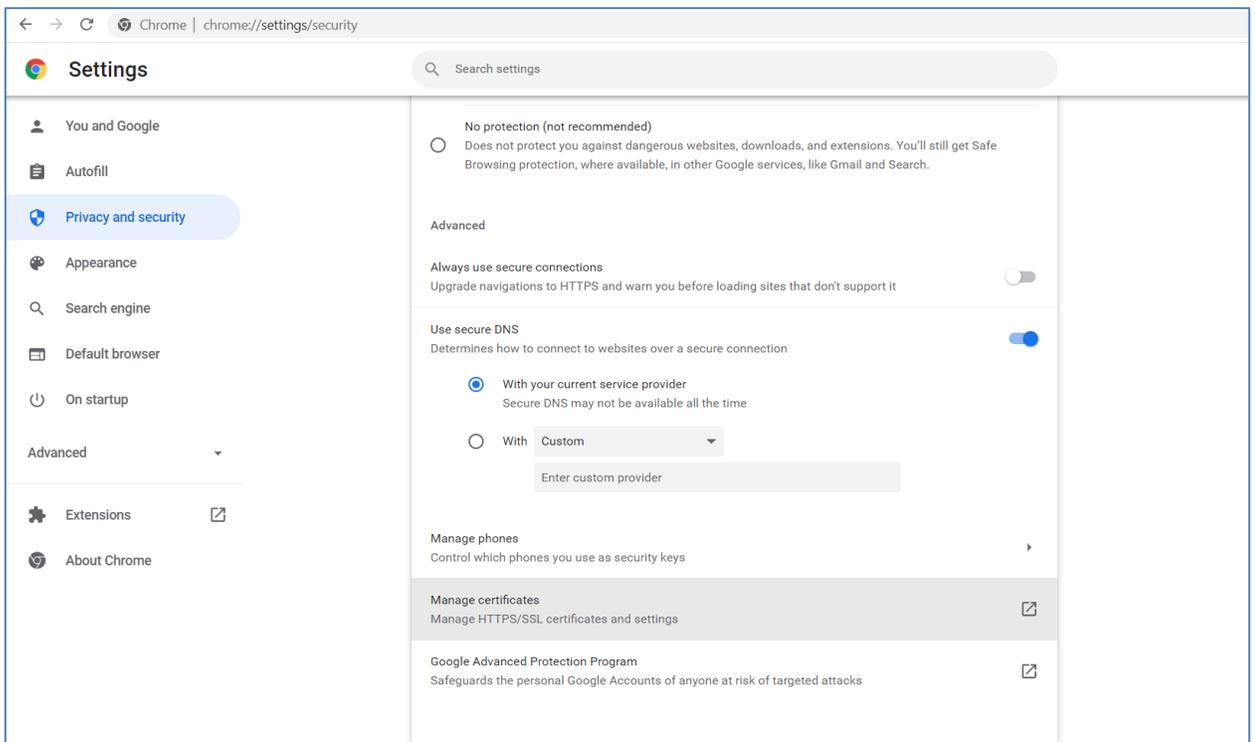
```
C:\Windows\System32\drivers\etc\hosts - Notepad++ [Administrator]
File Edit Search View Encoding Language Settings Tools Macro Run Plugins Window ?
hosts
1 # Copyright (c) 1993-2009 Microsoft Corp.
2 #
3 # This is a sample HOSTS file used by Microsoft TCP/IP for Windows.
4 #
5 # This file contains the mappings of IP addresses to host names. Each
6 # entry should be kept on an individual line. The IP address should
7 # be placed in the first column followed by the corresponding host name.
8 # The IP address and the host name should be separated by at least one
9 # space.
10 #
11 # Additionally, comments (such as these) may be inserted on individual
12 # lines or following the machine name denoted by a '#' symbol.
13 #
14 # For example:
15 #
16 #       102.54.94.0     rhino.acme.com       # source server
17 #       38.25.63.10    x.acme.com           # x client host
18 #
19 # localhost name resolution is handled within DNS itself.
20 # 127.0.0.1           localhost
21 # ::1                 localhost
22 #
23
24 10.0.3.10    Zone1-S3-Service
25
26
27
28
29
30
Normal text file  length: 864  lines: 30  Ln: 24  Col: 29  Pos: 854  Windows (CR LF)  UTF-8  INS
```

#### 4.1.2. Import s3-service certificate

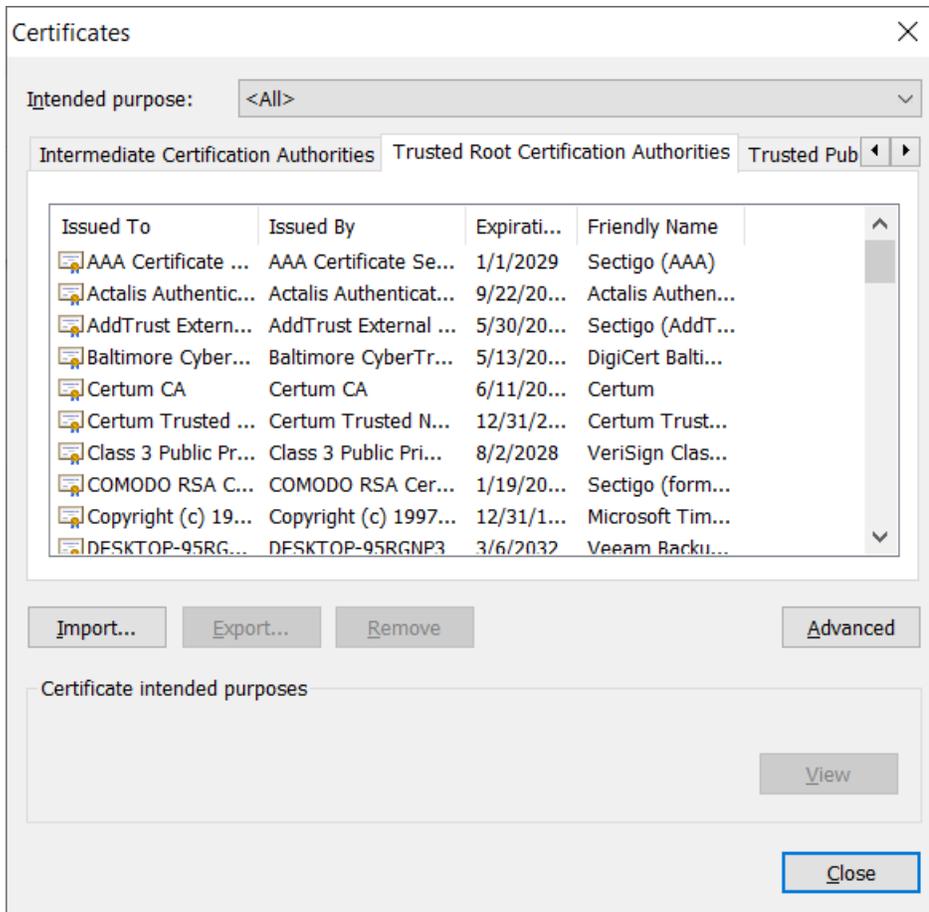
- In Chrome settings, select privacy and security then Security.



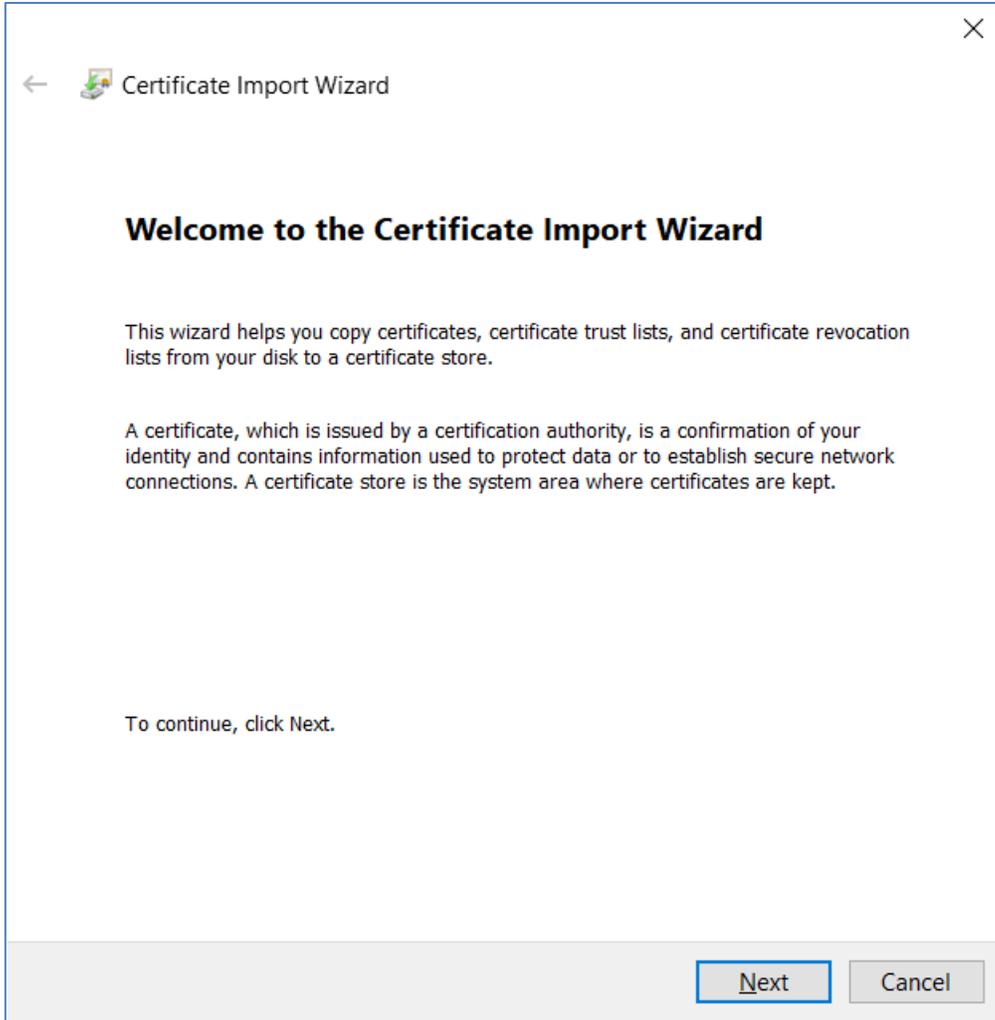
- Then select Manage Certificates

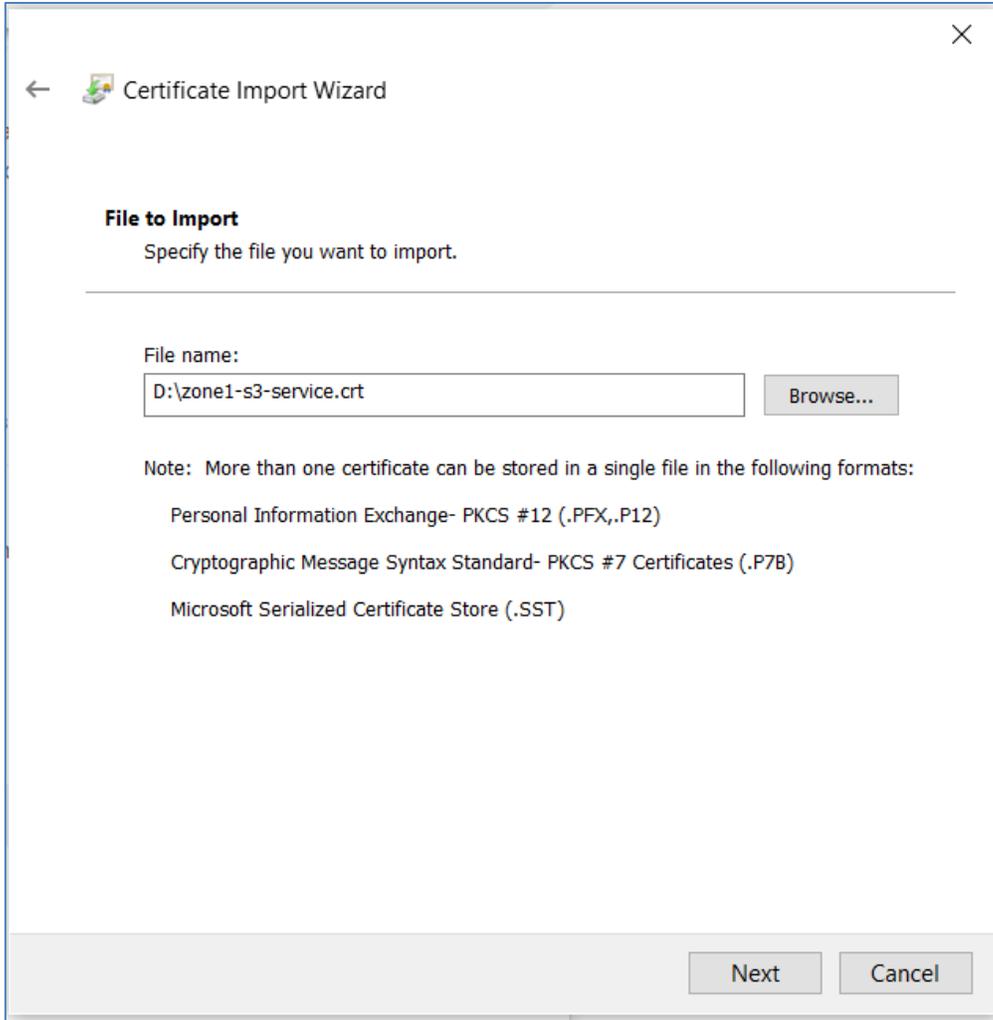


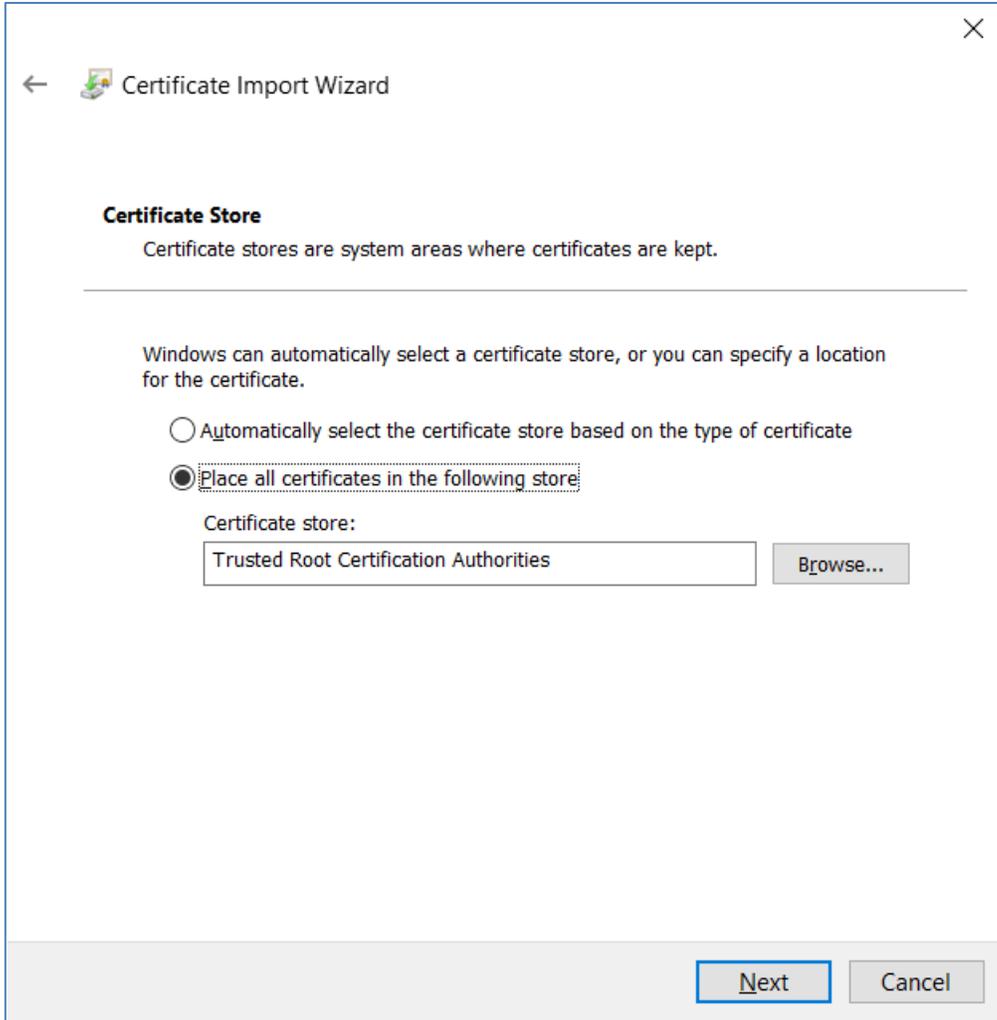
- Under Trusted Root Certification Authorities tab select import button

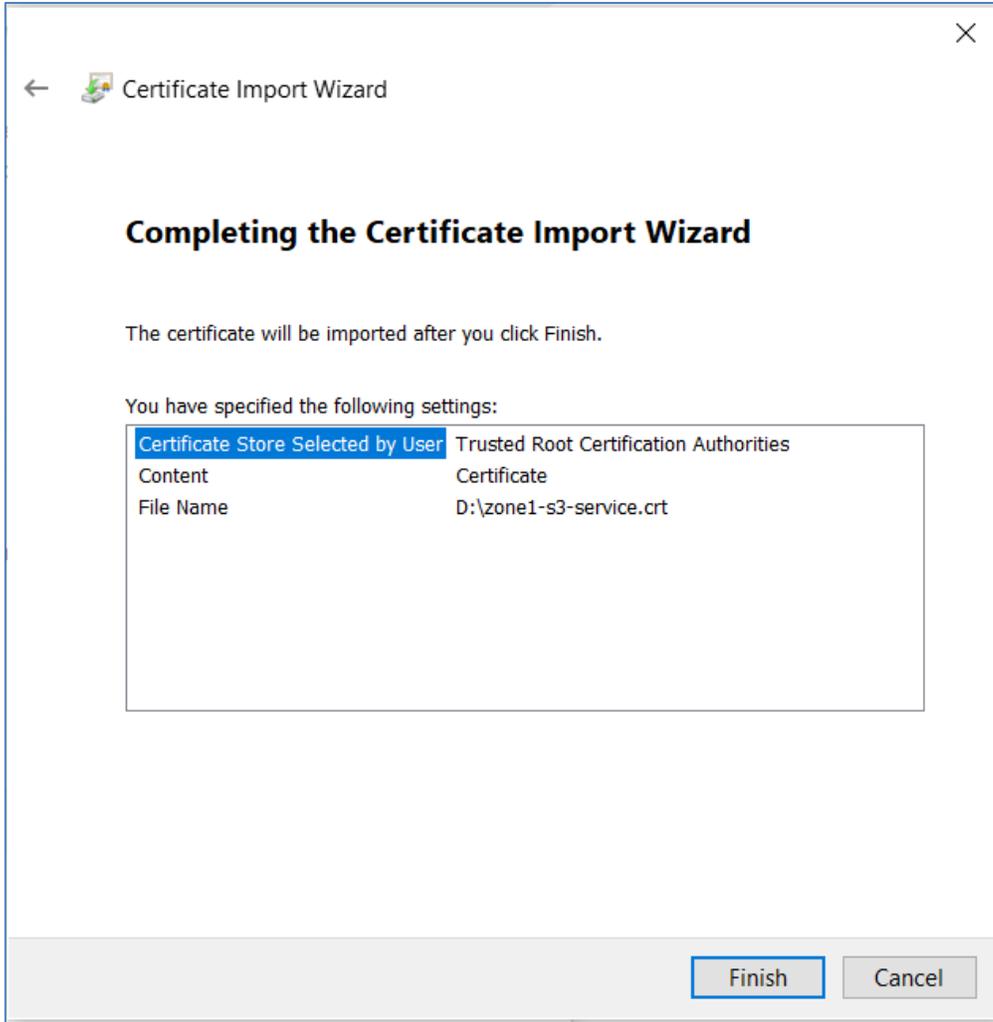


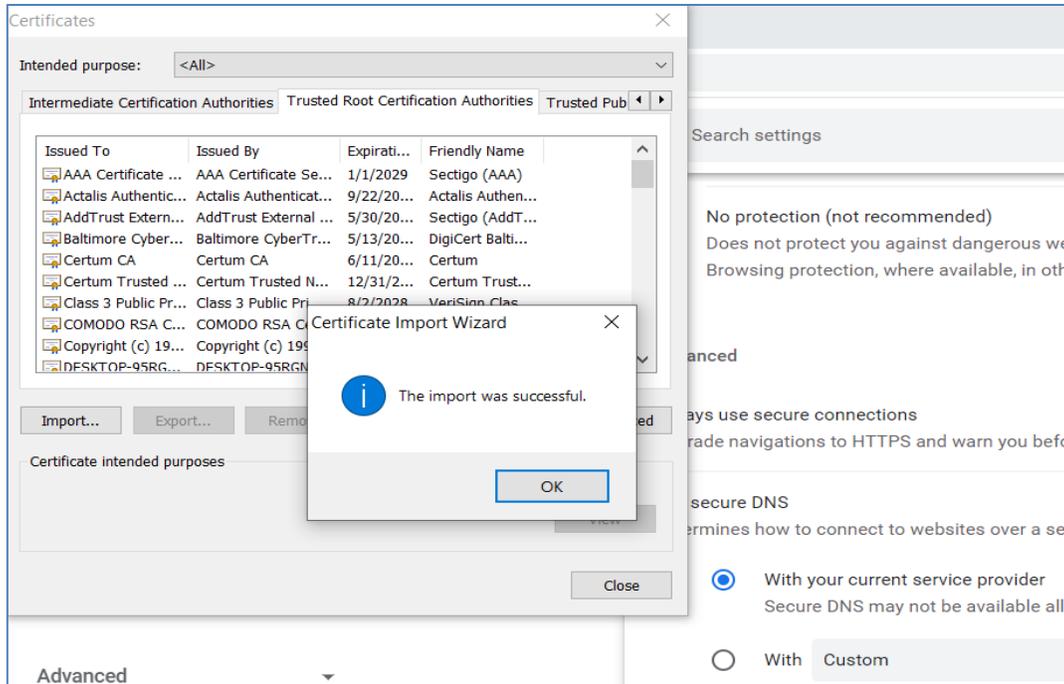
- Continue with the steps of importing the certificate as follows:





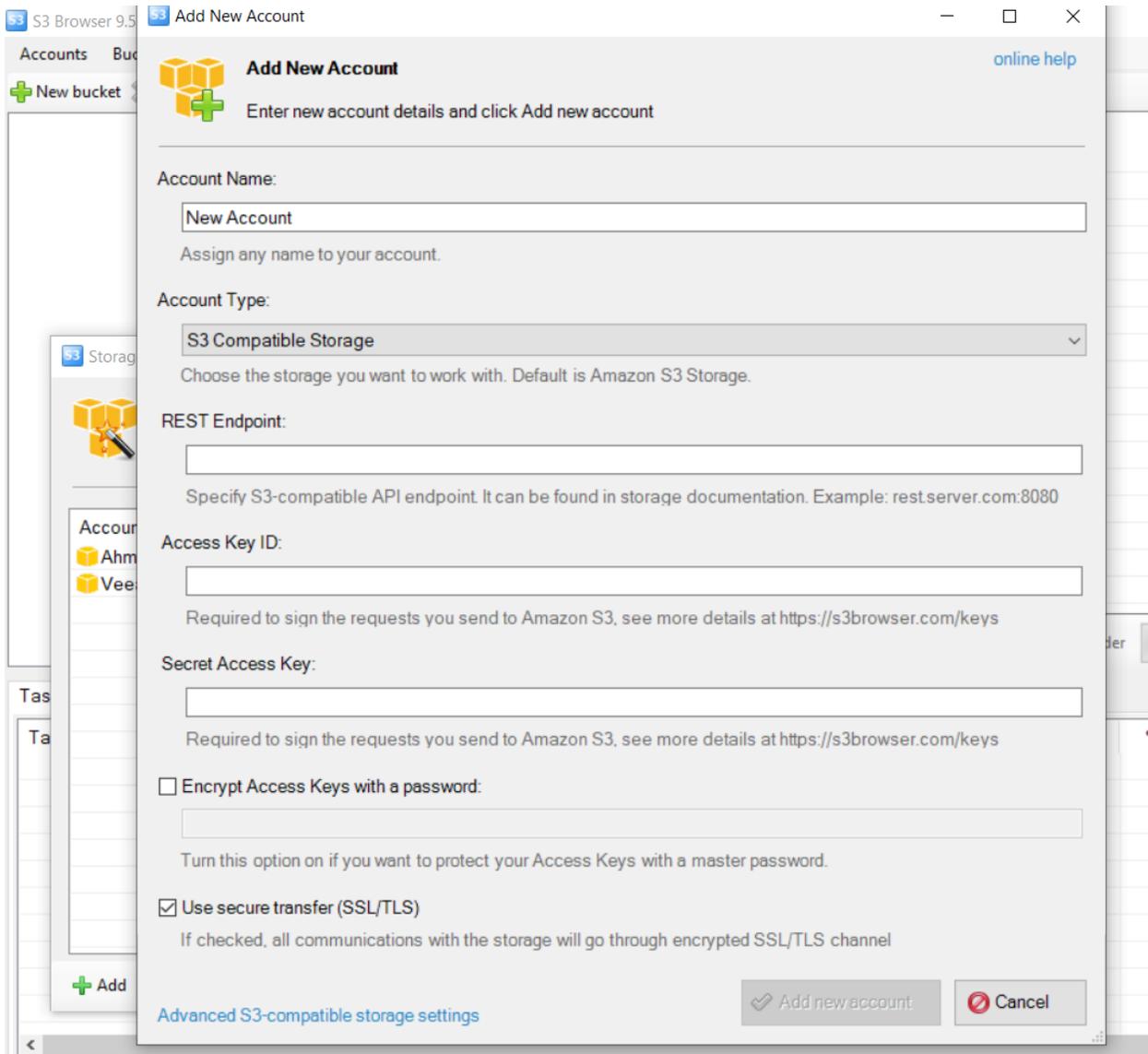






#### 4.1.3. Create S3 Browser user account

- We will create a S3 user account using “S3-User1” Access and Secret keys previously created in PetaSAN
- From S3 Browser select Accounts->Manage Accounts->Add Account



- Enter the account name, select S3 Compatible Storage then enter the Endpoint (Service name: port number).
- Then enter the S3-User1 Access and Secret Keys.

**Edit Account** — □ ×

 **Edit Account** [online help](#)

Edit account details and click Save changes

---

**Account Name:**

Assign any name to your account.

**Account Type:**

S3 Compatible Storage ▼

Choose the storage you want to work with. Default is Amazon S3 Storage.

**REST Endpoint:**

Specify S3-compatible API endpoint. It can be found in storage documentation. Example: rest.server.com:8080

**Access Key ID:**

Required to sign the requests you send to Amazon S3, see more details at <https://s3browser.com/keys>

**Secret Access Key:**

Required to sign the requests you send to Amazon S3, see more details at <https://s3browser.com/keys>

**Encrypt Access Keys with a password:**

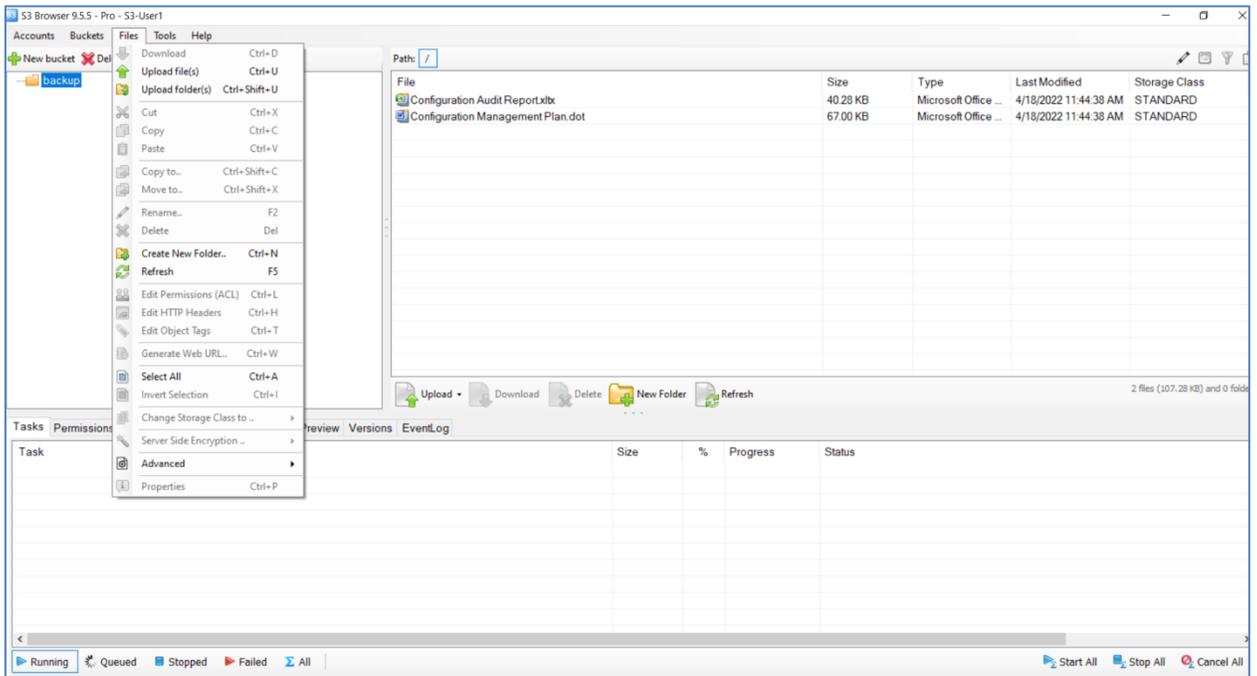
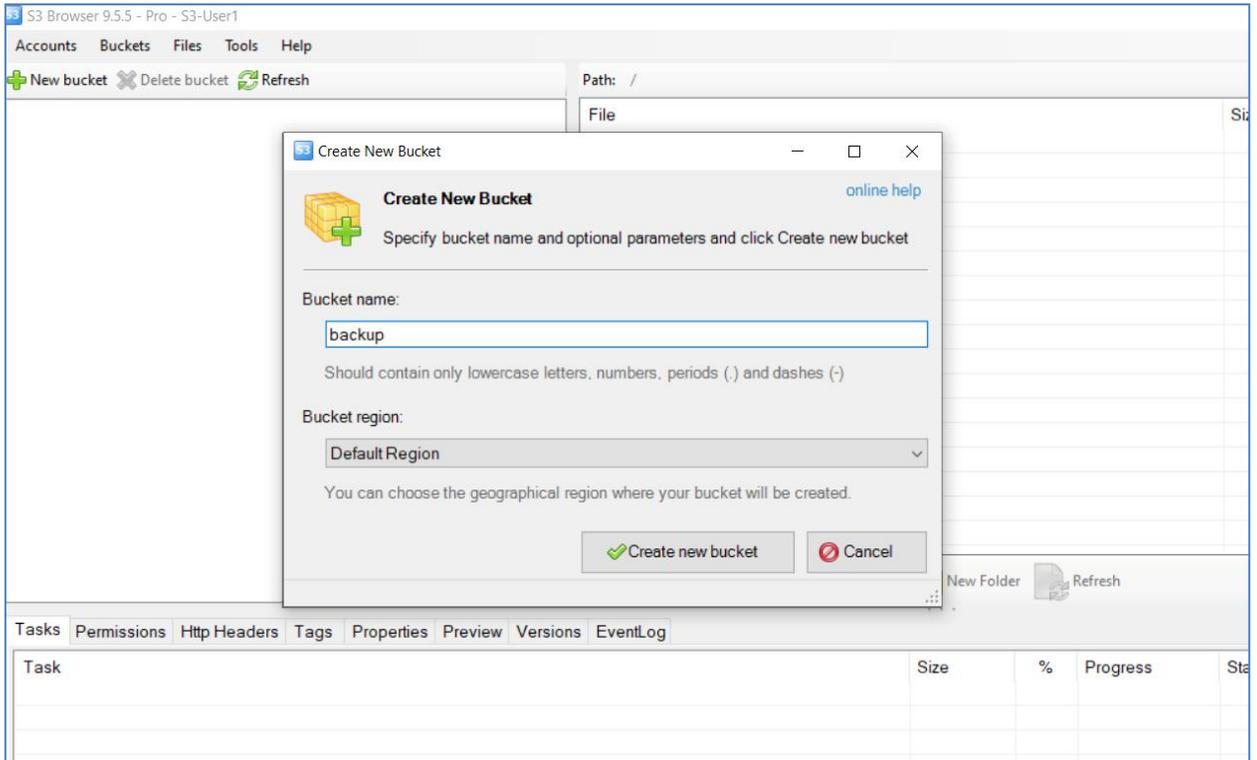
Turn this option on if you want to protect your Access Keys with a master password.

**Use secure transfer (SSL/TLS)**

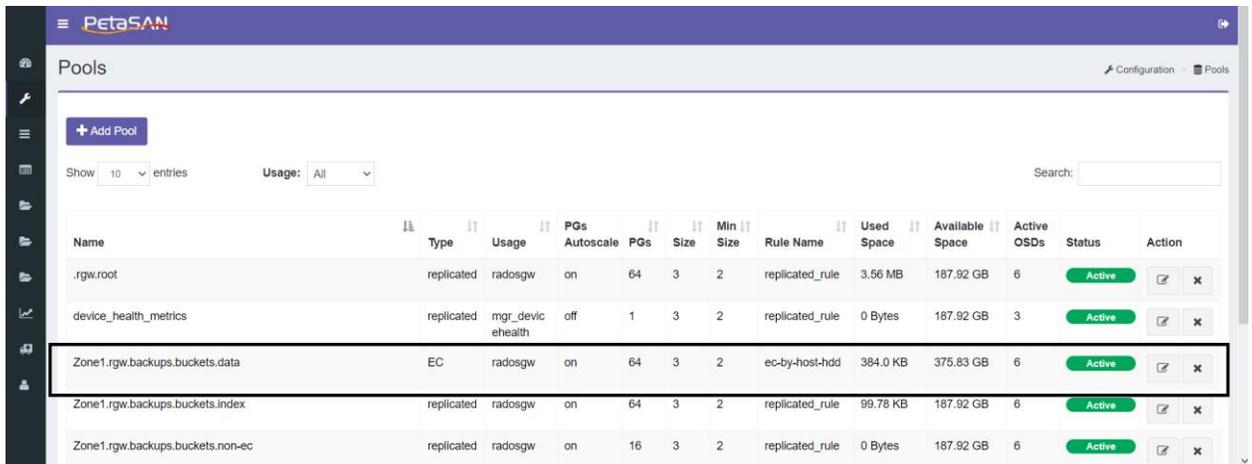
If checked, all communications with the storage will go through encrypted SSL/TLS channel

[Advanced S3-compatible storage settings](#)

- After saving the account you will be able to view the existing buckets , create new buckets and upload your files.



- Data will be stored in the Backups placement target data pool



Name	Type	Usage	PGs Autoscale	PGs	Size	Min Size	Rule Name	Used Space	Available Space	Active OSDs	Status	Action
.rgw.root	replicated	radosgw	on	64	3	2	replicated_rule	3.56 MB	187.92 GB	6	Active	[edit] [delete]
device_health_metrics	replicated	mgr_devic_ehealth	off	1	3	2	replicated_rule	0 Bytes	187.92 GB	3	Active	[edit] [delete]
Zone1.rgw.backups.buckets.data	EC	radosgw	on	64	3	2	ec-by-host-hdd	384.0 KB	375.83 GB	6	Active	[edit] [delete]
Zone1.rgw.backups.buckets.index	replicated	radosgw	on	64	3	2	replicated_rule	99.78 KB	187.92 GB	6	Active	[edit] [delete]
Zone1.rgw.backups.buckets.non-ec	replicated	radosgw	on	16	3	2	replicated_rule	0 Bytes	187.92 GB	6	Active	[edit] [delete]

## 4.2. Cyberduck

### 4.2.1. Define certificate in hosts file

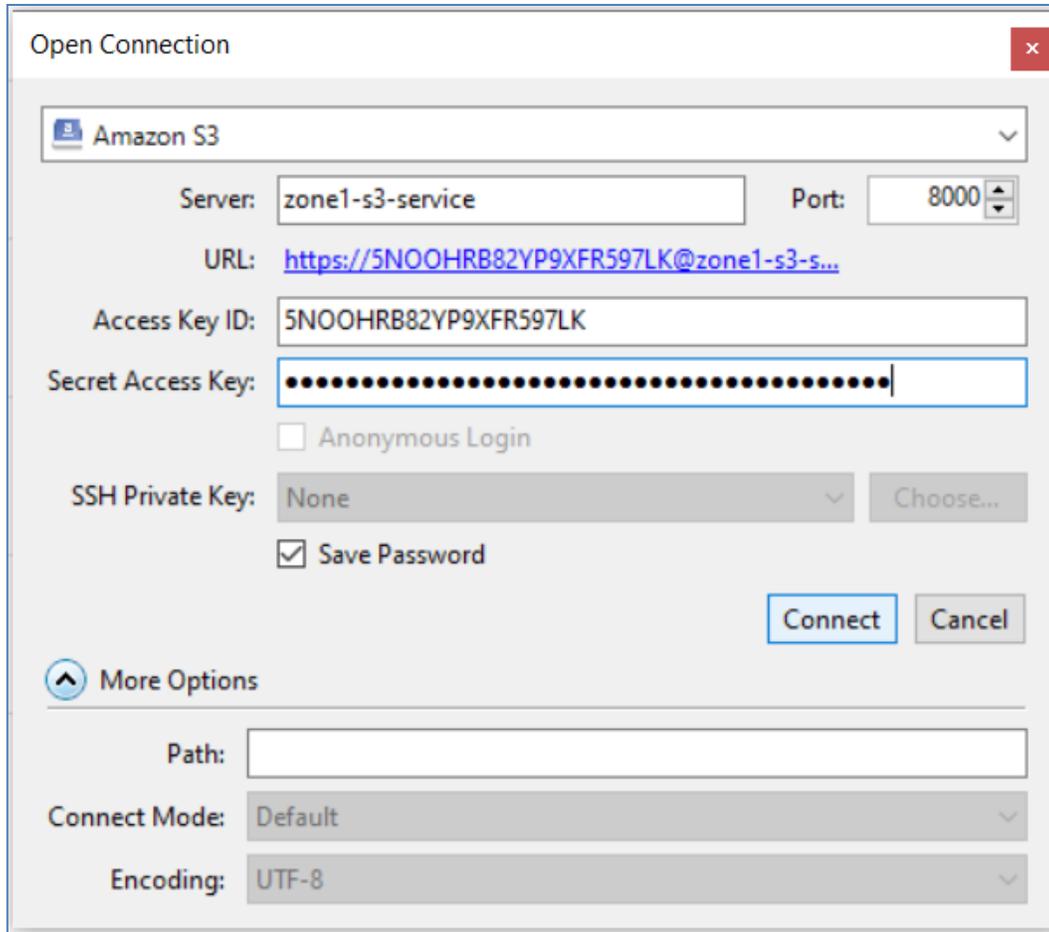
- Same as mentioned in step 4.1.1, if done before no need to repeat it

### 4.2.2. Import s3-service certificate

- Same as mentioned in step 4.1.2, if done before no need to repeat it

### 4.2.3. Connect using cyberduck

- Open new connection by entering the service name and port number ,S3-User1 Access and Secret Keys



Open Connection

Amazon S3

Server: zone1-s3-service Port: 8000

URL: <https://5N0OHRB82YP9XFR597LK@zone1-s3-s...>

Access Key ID: 5N0OHRB82YP9XFR597LK

Secret Access Key: [Masked]

Anonymous Login

SSH Private Key: None Choose...

Save Password

Connect Cancel

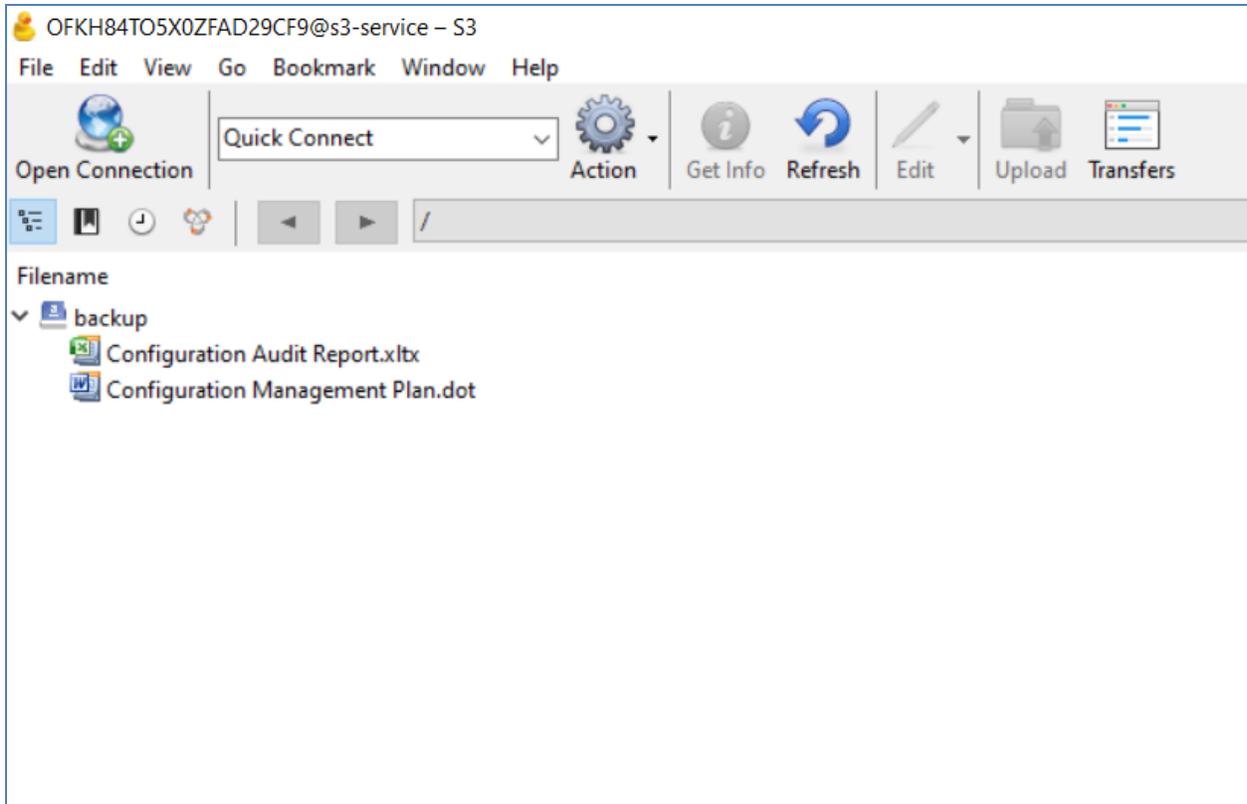
More Options

Path: [Empty]

Connect Mode: Default

Encoding: UTF-8

- You will be able to view the user's bucket list



## 4.3. Amazon CLI Tool

### 4.3.1. Define certificate in hosts file

- Same as mentioned in step 4.1.1, if done before no need to repeat it

### 4.3.2. Import s3-service certificate

- setup the s3 service certificate using command line, example if the cert file placed on the D: drive

```
aws configure set default.ca_bundle "D:\zone1-s3-service.crt"
```

### 4.3.3. Configure the aws using configure command

- Configure AWS using command  

```
aws configure
```
- Enter the S3-User1 Access and Secret Keys and enter the zonegroup name

```
Command Prompt
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.19044.1645]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\lenovo>aws configure set default.ca_bundle "D:\zone1-s3-service.crt

C:\Users\lenovo>aws configure
AWS Access Key ID [*****9CF9]: 5N00HRB82YP9XFR597LK
AWS Secret Access Key [*****DNk2]: eKRS2xRKF1kz2PLR41GZYLH2hB11i7uq00CDhfzf
Default region name [Zonegroup1]: Zonegroup1
Default output format [None]:

C:\Users\lenovo>
```

#### 4.3.4. Get bucket List

- You can get the bucket list using command  
`aws s3 ls --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000`

#### 4.3.5. Create new Bucket

- You can create new bucket named "bucket1" using command:  
`aws s3api create-bucket --bucket bucket1 --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000`

#### 4.3.6. Upload file

- You can upload a file named Notes in my desktop in bucket1 using the following command:  
`aws s3 cp Desktop\Notes.docx s3://bucket1/ --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000`

#### 4.3.7. List bucket content

- You can list the content in a specific bucket using the following command:  
`aws s3 ls s3://bucket1/ --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000`

```
Select Command Prompt
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.19044.1645]
(c) Microsoft Corporation. All rights reserved.

C:\Users\lenovo>aws s3api create-bucket --bucket bucket1 --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000

C:\Users\lenovo>aws s3 cp Desktop\Notes.docx s3://bucket1/ --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000
upload: Desktop\Notes.docx to s3://bucket1/Notes.docx

C:\Users\lenovo>aws s3 ls s3://bucket1/ --endpoint-url https://zone1-s3-service:8000
2022-05-12 02:11:50      16205 Notes.docx

C:\Users\lenovo>
```

## 5. Multi Site Installation

- You can setup a multi site by doing the following :

### 5.1. Configuring S3

#### 5.1.1.S3 Settings

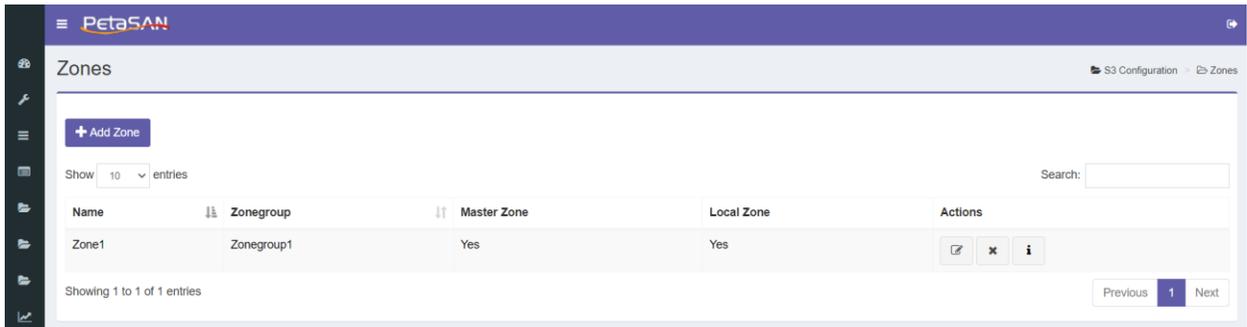
- Follow the same steps done for the first cluster.

#### 5.1.2.Assign S3 Role to nodes

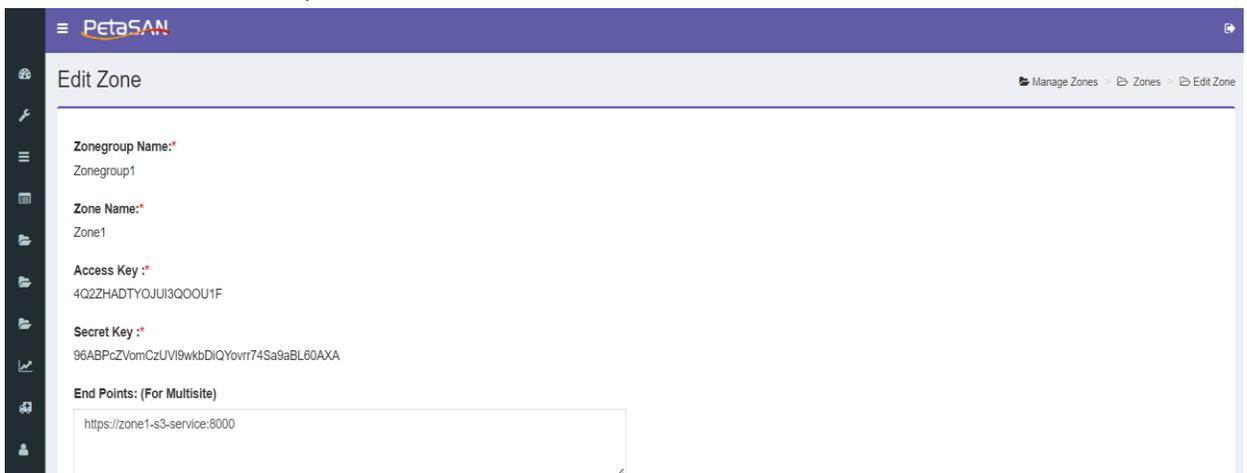
- Follow the same steps done for the first cluster.

#### 5.1.3.Add End Point to the Master Zone

- Go to the first cluster, open the zones view list and select to edit the master zone, in this example it is Zone1.



- Enter the endpoint of the zone.

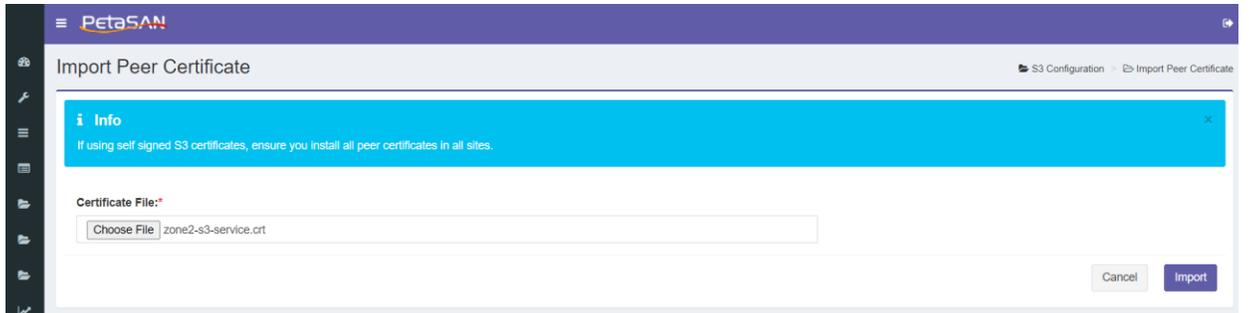


- Notice that the system has created user named "Synchronization-user".

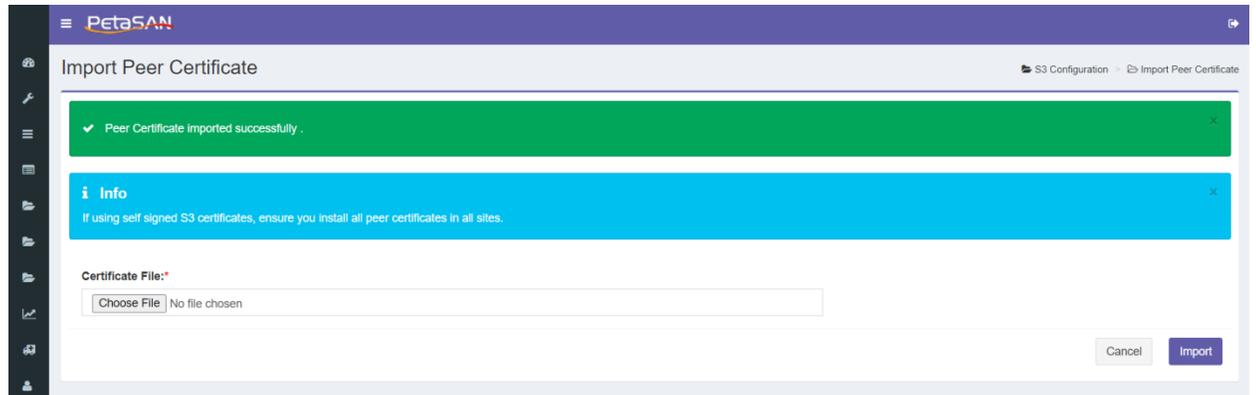
- You will use the “Synchronization-user” information in the Pull screen coming next.

### 5.1.4. Import Peer Certificate

- Import certificate of the second cluster in case of using self signed certificates.



- Your peer certificate has been imported successfully



### 5.1.5. Define the service names in hosts files

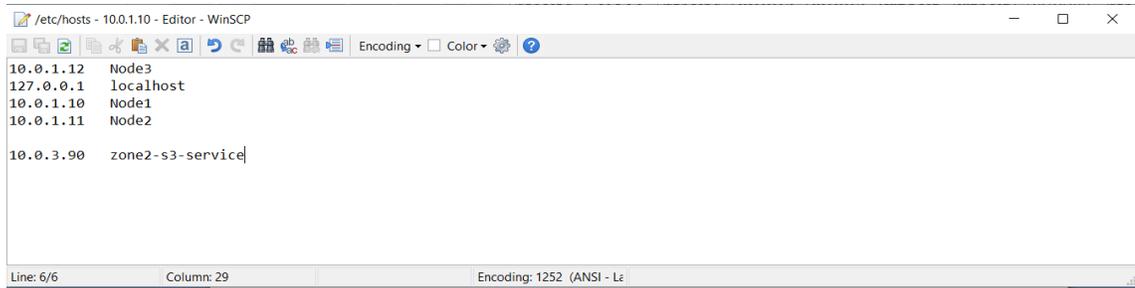
In this example we need each zone to be able to access the other zone for data replication and configuration.

Update the hosts files on the first and second zones, PetaSAN always syncs the hosts file in consul server, so all nodes in cluster gets the same copy of the file. We need to do the following steps on both zones to correctly setup the hosts file:

#### Zone1

- stop auto sync service  
`systemctl stop petasan-file-sync`
- Update the hosts file in node1 of the first cluster  
Connect to node1 using WinSCP tool and go to path `/etc/hosts` or use command use winscp or nano  
`nano /etc/hosts`

Edit the hosts file to add entry `10.0.3.90 zone2-s3-service` which is the S3 service ip of zone2



```
/etc/hosts - 10.0.1.10 - Editor - WinSCP
10.0.1.12 Node3
127.0.0.1 localhost
10.0.1.10 Node1
10.0.1.11 Node2
10.0.3.90 zone2-s3-service|
Line: 6/6 Column: 29 Encoding: 1252 (ANSI - L)
```

- sync the hosts file to consul  
[/opt/petasan/scripts/util/sync\\_file.py /etc/hosts](#)
- Restart the sync service on current node  
[systemctl start petasan-file-sync](#)

This will sync the updated hosts file to all nodes

## Zone2

- stop auto sync service  
[systemctl stop petasan-file-sync](#)
- Update the hosts file in the second cluster node  
Connect to node90 using WinSCP tool and go to path `/etc/hosts` or use command  
[use winscp or nano /etc/hosts](#)

Edit the hosts file to add entry `10.0.3.10 zone1-s3-service` which is the S3 service ip of zone1



```
/etc/hosts - 10.0.1.90 - Editor - WinSCP
10.0.1.92 Node92
127.0.0.1 localhost
10.0.1.90 Node90
10.0.1.91 Node91
10.0.3.10 zone1-s3-service
Line: 1/5 Column: 1 Character: 49 (0x31) Encoding: 1252 (ANSI - L)
```

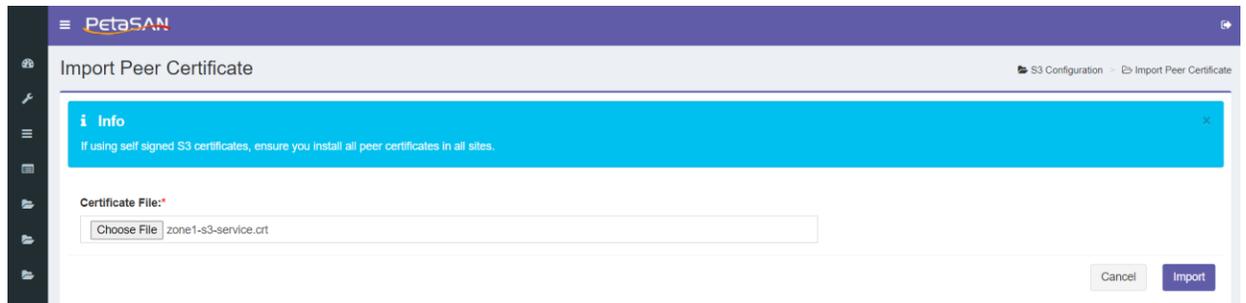
- sync the hosts file to consul  
[/opt/petasan/scripts/util/sync\\_file.py /etc/hosts](#)
- Restart the sync service on current node  
[systemctl start petasan-file-sync](#)

This will sync the updated hosts file to all nodes

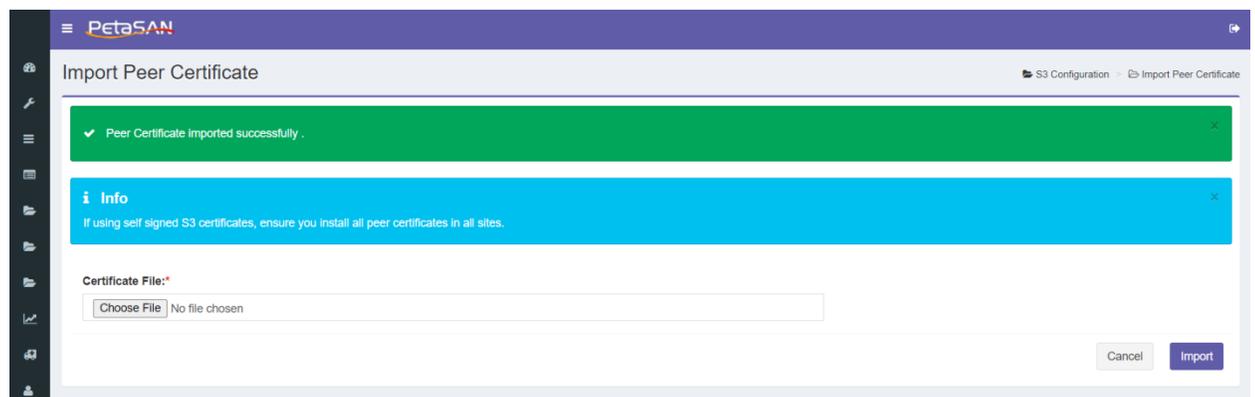
- Add a temporary ip in the same zone1 network so we can access it to pull the zone information  
`ifconfig eth2 10.0.3.100 netmask 255.255.255.0`
- Now you will be able to ping the first zone ip  
`ping 10.0.3.10`

## 5.1.6. Import Peer Certificate

- For self signed certificates, import certificate of the first cluster.

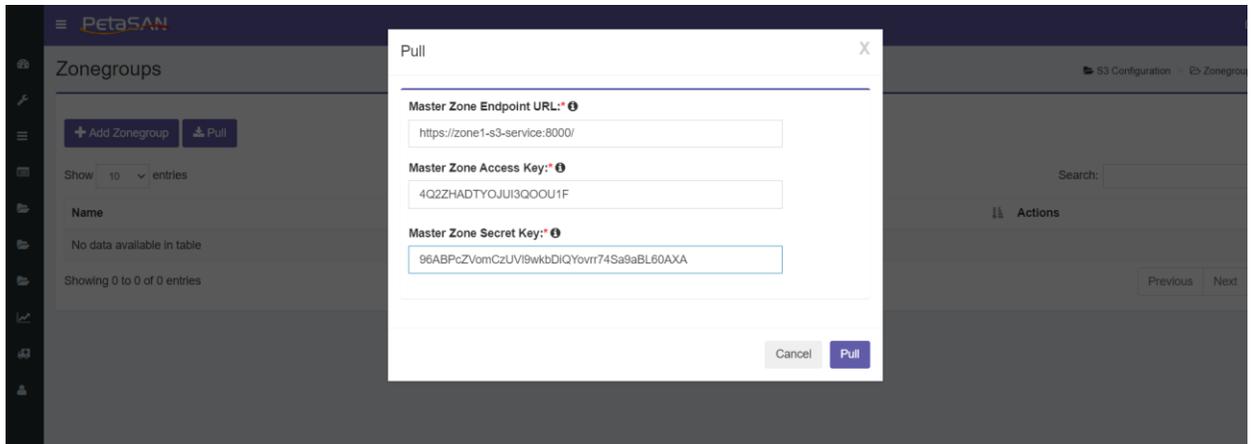


- Your peer certificate has been imported successfully

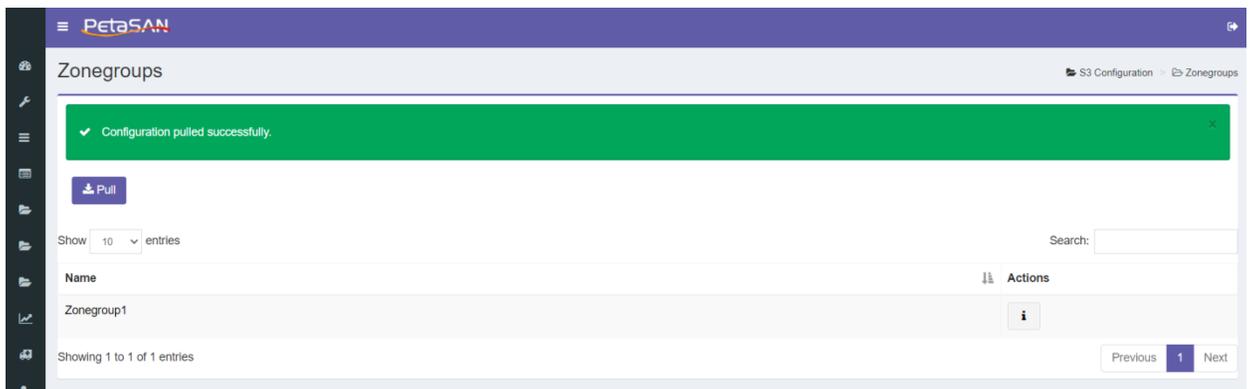


## 5.1.7. Pull First Cluster S3 Configuration

- From the menu select Configuration /S3 configuration/Zonegroups
- Pull the settings of the master zone by using its endpoint and Synchronization-user access and secret keys.



- The multisite zone configuration is pulled successfully and you can view the zonegroup information.



### 5.1.8. Add local zone

- You should now add a local zone to the second cluster



- Enter the zone name ,main pools and placement targets pools

PetaSAN
Manage Zones | Zones | Add Zone

### Add Zone

**Zonegroup Name:**  
Zonegroup1

**Zone Name:**  
Zone2

**Master Zone Access Key:**  
4Q2ZHADTYQJUI3QOOU1F

**Master Zone Secret Key:**  
96ABPcZVomCzUVI9wkbDIQYovrr74Sa9aBL60AXA

**End Points: (For Multisite)**  
https://zone2-s3-service:8000/

**Main Pools** Modify Main Pools

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Control	Zone2.rgw.control	on	replicated_rule	3
Meta	Zone2.rgw.meta	on	replicated_rule	3
Log	Zone2.rgw.log	on	replicated_rule	3

**Placement Targets** +

Default Placement

**Buckets Index Pool:**

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets Index	Zone2.rgw.buckets.index	on	replicated_rule	3

**Storage Classes Buckets Data Pools:** +

Storage Class	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size	Action
STANDARD	Zone2.rgw.buckets.data	on	replicated_rule	3	

backups | Placement -

**Buckets Index Pool:**

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets Index	Zone2.rgw.backups.buckets.index	on	replicated_rule	3

**Storage Classes Buckets Data Pools:** +

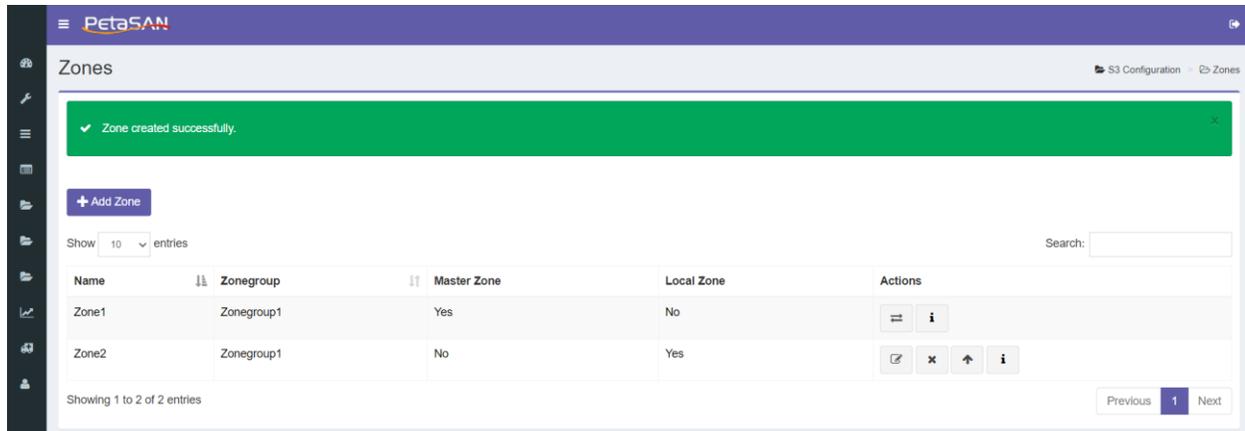
Storage Class	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size	EC Profile	Action
STANDARD	Zone2.rgw.buckets.data	on	ec-by-host-hdd	3	ec-21-profile	

**Data Extra Pool:**

Function	Pool Name	PGs Autoscale	Rule Name	Size
Buckets.non-ec	Zone2.rgw.backups.buckets.non-ec	on	replicated_rule	3

Cancel Save

- Zone2 is created successfully as shown



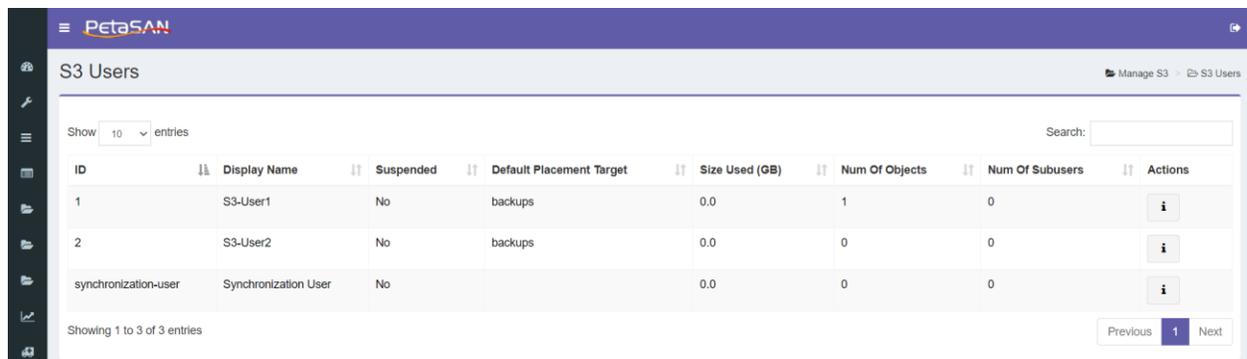
Repeat the client connectivity steps, installing the second zone certificate.

Now users can use any of the clusters to upload their data and data will be replicated automatically to the other cluster. Data can be written to both clusters in active/active manner.

## 6. Add S3 User

You can't add, update or delete users from the secondary cluster, users must be maintained in the master cluster and they will be synched automatically to the second cluster.

In this example we added S3-User2 in the master cluster and it has been synched to the secondary cluster

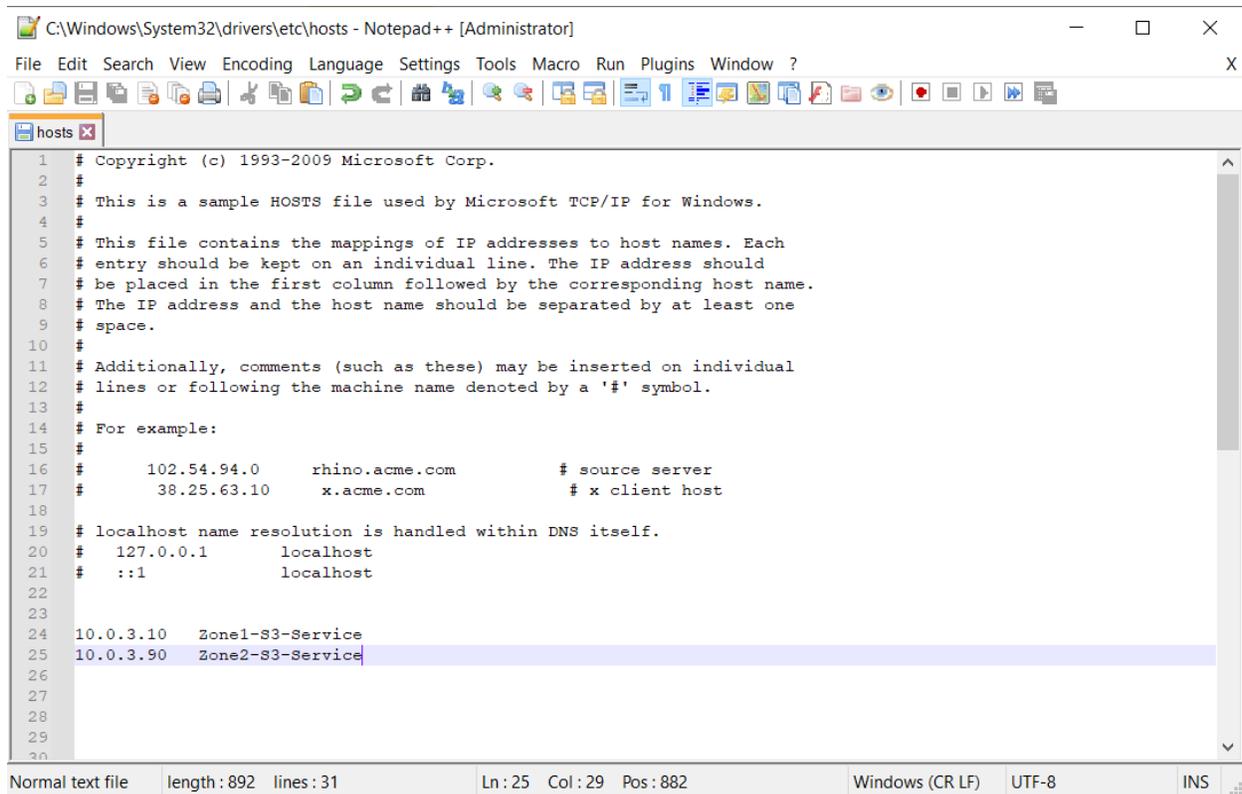


## 7. Client Connectivity

### 7.1. S3 Browser

#### 7.1.1. Define certificate in hosts file

Same as the first cluster section 4.1.1 but add the IP of the second zone service



```
C:\Windows\System32\drivers\etc\hosts - Notepad++ [Administrator]
File Edit Search View Encoding Language Settings Tools Macro Run Plugins Window ?
hosts x
1 # Copyright (c) 1993-2009 Microsoft Corp.
2 #
3 # This is a sample HOSTS file used by Microsoft TCP/IP for Windows.
4 #
5 # This file contains the mappings of IP addresses to host names. Each
6 # entry should be kept on an individual line. The IP address should
7 # be placed in the first column followed by the corresponding host name.
8 # The IP address and the host name should be separated by at least one
9 # space.
10 #
11 # Additionally, comments (such as these) may be inserted on individual
12 # lines or following the machine name denoted by a '#' symbol.
13 #
14 # For example:
15 #
16 #     102.54.94.0     rhino.acme.com     # source server
17 #     38.25.63.10    x.acme.com         # x client host
18
19 # localhost name resolution is handled within DNS itself.
20 #   127.0.0.1       localhost
21 #   ::1             localhost
22
23
24 10.0.3.10    Zone1-S3-Service
25 10.0.3.90   Zone2-S3-Service
26
27
28
29
30
Normal text file  length : 892  lines : 31  Ln : 25  Col : 29  Pos : 882  Windows (CR LF)  UTF-8  INS
```

## 7.1.2. Import s3-service certificate

- Import the second cluster certificate following the same steps in section 4.1.2 ,in this example we will import certificate zone2-s3-service.crt.

## 7.1.3. Create S3 Browser user account

- We will need to create an S3 browser account using the same S3User1 access key and secret keys but connecting to zone2-s3-service.

**Edit Account** [online help](#)

**Edit Account**  
Edit account details and click Save changes

Account Name:  
  
Assign any name to your account.

Account Type:  
  
Choose the storage you want to work with. Default is Amazon S3 Storage.

REST Endpoint:  
  
Specify S3-compatible API endpoint. It can be found in storage documentation. Example: rest.server.com:8080

Access Key ID:  
  
Required to sign the requests you send to Amazon S3, see more details at <https://s3browser.com/keys>

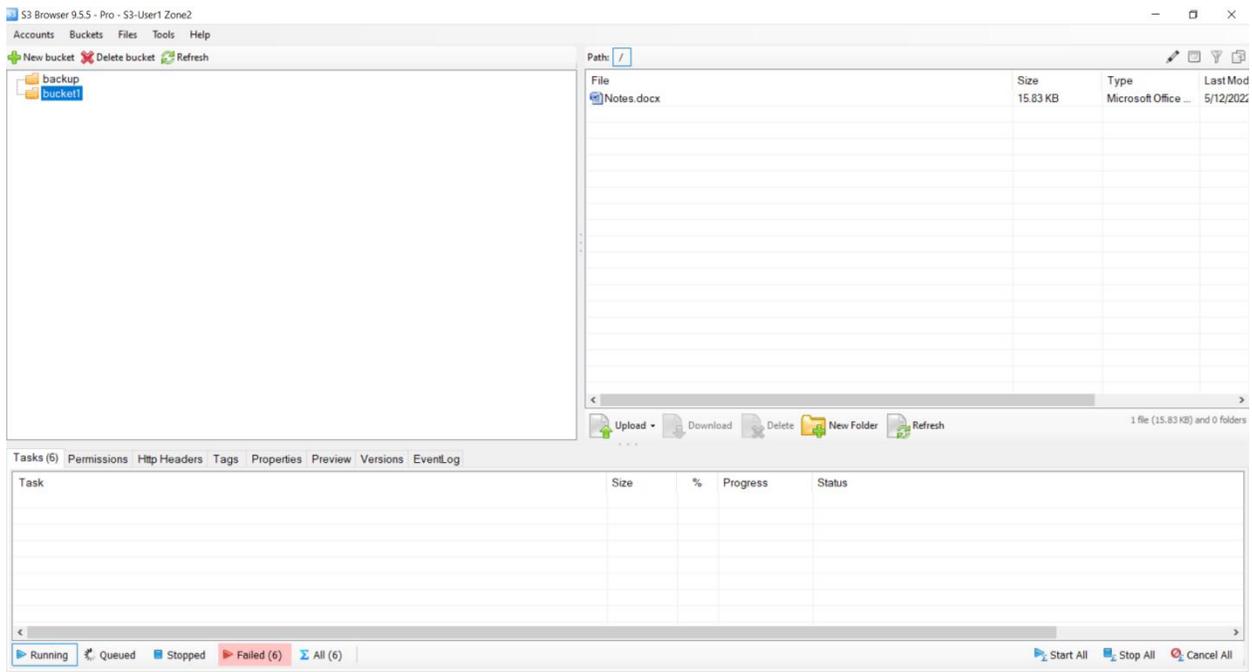
Secret Access Key:  
  
Required to sign the requests you send to Amazon S3, see more details at <https://s3browser.com/keys>

Encrypt Access Keys with a password:  
  
Turn this option on if you want to protect your Access Keys with a master password.

Use secure transfer (SSL/TLS)  
If checked, all communications with the storage will go through encrypted SSL/TLS channel

[Advanced S3-compatible storage settings](#)

- You should see the same buckets as you have when you were connecting to zone1



## 7.2. Cyberduck

Same as done with the first cluster.

## 7.3. Amazon CLI Tool

Same as done with the first cluster.

## 8. Promote Zone

- In case the master zone (Currently in this example zone1) is down ,you can promote a non-master zone (Currently in this example zone2) to be a master zone by using the promote button in the zones view list.
- Make sure that all metadata (like zonegroup , zone or user updates) are synced before the promotion.

The screenshot shows the PetaSAN web interface for managing zones. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the PetaSAN logo and a breadcrumb trail: "S3 Configuration > Zones". Below the navigation bar, there is a sidebar with various icons. The main content area is titled "Zones" and contains a "+ Add Zone" button, a "Show 10 entries" dropdown, and a search box. A table lists the zones:

Name	Zonegroup	Master Zone	Local Zone	Actions
Zone1	Zonegroup1	Yes	No	[Reset] [Info]
Zone2	Zonegroup1	No	Yes	[Edit] [Delete] [Promote] [Info]

Below the table, it says "Showing 1 to 2 of 2 entries" and "Promote Zone". At the bottom right, there are "Previous", "1", and "Next" navigation buttons.

If you promoted the zone2 to be the master zone then you will be able to do all the functionality of the master zone like adding S3 users.

The screenshot shows the PetaSAN web interface after promoting Zone2 to the Master Zone. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the PetaSAN logo and a breadcrumb trail: "S3 Configuration > Zones". Below the navigation bar, there is a sidebar with various icons. The main content area is titled "Zones" and contains a green success message: "Zone successfully promoted as master." Below the message, there is a "+ Add Zone" button, a "Show 10 entries" dropdown, and a search box. A table lists the zones:

Name	Zonegroup	Master Zone	Local Zone	Actions
Zone1	Zonegroup1	No	No	[Reset] [Info]
Zone2	Zonegroup1	Yes	Yes	[Edit] [Delete] [Info]

Below the table, it says "Showing 1 to 2 of 2 entries". At the bottom right, there are "Previous", "1", and "Next" navigation buttons.