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Thread: [Web store & SSL Certificate](#)

Anima - November 28, 2017, 6:20 am

I am thinking about setting up a web store/eCommerce website.

We are thinking about having it setup on wordpress via woocommerce but doing it this way would require an SSL certificate. What type of certificate would you recommend & where would the cheapest place to get it would be?

Alternatively we could use something else to host the site. What would you recommend this way?

Cheers,
Anima

Charger - November 28, 2017, 8:55 am

Just use FreeSSL or cloudflare.

Nachfolger - November 28, 2017, 9:46 am

Just use Cloudflare, why pay for a cert? Plus you get other free benefits with Cloudflare.

Anima - November 28, 2017, 11:18 am

(Nov 28, 2017 10:46 AM)Nachfolger Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just use Cloudflare, why pay for a cert? Plus you get other free benefits with Cloudflare.

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Charger - November 28, 2017, 1:11 pm

(Nov 28, 2017 12:18 PM)Anima Core Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Aye we are getting cloudflare business plan but wasnt sure whether their ssl would cover it

I can guarantee you don't need the business plan.

Small eCommerce store with a \$200 reoccurring expense... yea, ok.

Anima - November 29, 2017, 12:28 am

(Nov 28, 2017 02:11 PM)Charger Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I can guarantee you don't need the business plan. Small eCommerce store with a \$200 reoccurring expense... yea, ok.

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Squito - November 29, 2017, 1:26 am

You should also use Let's Encrypt to secure the connection between Cloudflare and your server. If only that site will run on the VPS/dedi (I assume you won't be using an oversold shared hosting) you might also want to check out mod_cloudflare.

Charger - November 29, 2017, 9:08 am

(Nov 29, 2017 01:28 AM)Anima Core Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) As a charity they offer something different (I don't think i can go into detail about it)

But you don't need it. Their Free plan will work fine for a small eCommerce store.

Devsoft™ - November 30, 2017, 8:09 am

There are also multiple hosting companies, which do provide a FREE SSL Certificate, when you

order the hosting.

Autowall - November 30, 2017, 8:10 am

Just get the free package on cloudflare.

MicroCode™ - December 6, 2017, 8:17 am

(Nov 30, 2017 09:10 AM)Autowall Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just get the free package on cloudflare.

I am using RivalHost, which gives a free SSL Certificate for a year for FREE.

Hosting is safe, using it for 5 years without any issues.