

NetAnim in NS3 Installation Guide

You need an Ubuntu Virtual Machine with NS3 installed i.e., running on VMware or Virtual Box OSE or any other VMM to use it on a Windows Machine.

1. Open your terminal on the VM Machine.
2. Run the synaptic command given below.

`Sudo synaptic`

If synaptic is not installed then run

`Sudo apt-get install synaptic`

Then

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3. In the synaptic, we have to install some basic libraries

`Qt4-qmake`

`Libqt4-dev`

`Libxml2-dev`

4. Change your directory to netanim by using the below command

`Cd Desktop/ns-allinone-3.29/netanim-3.108`

5. Here type the following commands

`make clean`

`qmake netanim.pro`

`make`

Now NetAnim is successfully configured.

6. To open NetAnim type

`./NetAnim`

NetAnim is now working

7. For animation output of the simulation, add these two lines in the source file i.e. first.cc file

`Ns3/netanim-module.h`

`AnimationInterface anim("file name.xml")`

8. Now changes your directory to ns-allinone-3.29/ns-3.29/scratch and run the below command

`./waf -- run first`