Wesnoth Server Startup Scripts (1.1.0)

Startup scripts for the Wesnoth Multi User Server - uses the "screen" command to manage session. This also restarts the wesnothd server process if it crashes.

Official support sites: Official Github Repo - Official Forum - Official Download Area



These start up the Wesnothd server at boot time with a "screen" process.

- i. Copy wesnoth-server into /home/wesnothowner/bin make sure it is executable
- ii. Copy runwesnoth-server into /home/wesnothowner/wesnoth make sure it is executable
- iii. Copy **startwesnoth-server** into **/home/wesnothowner/wesnoth** make sure it is executable
- iv. Put @reboot /home/wesnothowner/bin/wesnoth-server start into your crontab

When you want to view the Wesnoth console, just enter "screen -r" in your shell.

To disconnect from the Wesnoth console just press **CTRL-A CTRL-D**. This will leave it running and you can reconnect to it again.

I have only tested this on a Ubuntu 16.04 server...

If you want to turn off the server respawning type "touch /home/wesnothowner/wesnoth/nostart". To reenable it type "rm /home/wesnothowner/wesnoth/nostart".

Note: If you don't already have the "screen" tool installed you will need to install it by "sudo apt-get install screen".