

FileWave Version 16.1.1

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 These downloads are provided for the purposes of migrations and should not continue to be used in production. You should upgrade to either the most recent release or the one prior. They can always be found here: [Supported FileWave Versions](#)

The FileWave endpoint management suite allows you to manage your devices wherever they are, wherever you are, whatever they are, and all in one platform!

FileWave 16.1 introduces major enhancements to the FileWave Management Suite, with a focus on performance, scalability, and admin usability. Cloud-hosted customers benefit from a new HTTPS-based Fileset delivery system backed by a secure private CDN and Booster caching, significantly improving deployment speed and reliability. This release adds a built-in Release Dialog for timely update awareness, expanded Content Packs for compliance and security, unified Fileset reporting, and improved MDM command reliability across iPadOS. Support for advanced Apple DDM features, enhanced API capabilities, and backend performance gains such as PG Bouncer integration further strengthen FileWave's position as a powerful, modern endpoint management platform built for complex environments.

FileWave database engine has been upgraded to Postgres 17 to benefit from security fixes and performance improvements.

 If your current FileWave version is 15.5 or below, the Database upgrade process which will take place when updating to FileWave 16.1 can take more time than usual, depending on the size of your set-up.

Please make sure to plan accordingly for your upgrade to take a bit longer.

FileWave Official Version Support

FileWave supports the two latest major versions at any time. For example, if the current version is 16.1.0, we support versions 16.1.0 and 16.0.x. Major releases occur roughly every quarter.

What does “officially support” mean?

We will investigate and patch significant issues in these versions. We do not produce patches for versions older than N-1, focusing instead on current versions and future improvements. If an issue is found in an older version, remediation will be in the form of an upgrade or a patch to a more recent version.

You can still contact our support teams about earlier versions. They will assist you to the best of their ability but won't escalate tickets to our development teams. Upgrading is recommended to access the latest features and bug fixes.

Compatibility

A Note on Compatibility

A note on the Compatibility charts: There are several states of compatibility for FileWave clients:

- "Fully Tested by QA" indicates that we have run QA regression tests against these operating system versions, and they are fully supported.
- "Expected to Work" Not being on the fully tested by QA list (such as macOS 12) does not mean that platform is not supported...it just means we did not actively test against it, but we do expect it to function. Support of any issues experienced specifically on these platforms would be considered on a case-by-case basis (but these cases are exceedingly rare.)
- "Legacy" versions mean that we don't test, but we do provide a retro-version of a client so that the device can still report in but as FW Server changes there may be challenges to these working. There is NO support for these platforms beyond the availability of the older client, and in almost all cases these are for OSes that are no longer supported by the OS vendor in question.
- Lastly, items do fall out of support, such as Windows XP and the older Android APK client as examples, but we always include these items in our release notes.

An additional note on third-party software inclusion, such as TeamViewer:

- Partnerships we have with third party providers have their own set of system requirements for those released applications. We test against their most recent versions, and support of those applications is limited to third-party vendor specifications.

FileWave Server Platform Support



Fully Tested by QA

- macOS 14, 15 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Debian 12.10 x86_64 (Note that any Debian 12.x is expected to work, and applying security updates may move you to a higher version.)

Expected to work

- macOS 12, 13 (Intel and Apple Silicon)

Virtual Appliances

- HyperV - The images are available as Generation 2
- VMWare ESX - The images require vmx-19 support which means VMWare vCenter 7.0 Update 2 is the minimum version. (<https://knowledge.broadcom.com/external/article?legacyId=2007240>)
- VMWare Fusion

- VMWare Player and Workstation
- VirtualBox

Important FileWave Server upgrade requirement

FileWave Server upgrades that include PostgreSQL database changes must follow a path where each step supports at least one PostgreSQL version from the previous step. For more detail and examples, see [FileWave Server upgrade paths and PostgreSQL migrations](#).

The PostgreSQL overlap points are:

- FileWave 13.3.1 through 14.7.2 include PostgreSQL 12.
- FileWave 16.0.x through 16.2.x include PostgreSQL 12 and PostgreSQL 17.
- ! • FileWave 16.3.x and 16.4.x include PostgreSQL 17 and PostgreSQL 18.

Recommended upgrade path from older versions:

13.3.1–14.7.2 → 16.0.x–16.2.x → 16.3.x or 16.4.x

If your server is already running FileWave 16.0.x, 16.1.x, or 16.2.x, you can upgrade directly to FileWave 16.3.x or 16.4.x because those releases overlap on PostgreSQL 17; if your server is running a version earlier than 16.0.0, upgrade first to a release in the 16.0.x–16.2.x range, then continue to FileWave 16.3.x or later.

i The minimum memory requirement for FileWave Server is **8GB**.

FileWave Clients Platform Support



Fully Tested by QA

- macOS 14 and 15 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Windows 10 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H2 and newer, x64)

Expected to work

- macOS 26 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- macOS 12 and 13 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Windows 10 (Education, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Education, version 21H2 and newer, x64)
- Windows 10 Enterprise LTSC (version 2021 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 Enterprise LTSC (version 24H2 [2024], x64)
- Windows Server 2022 and 2025 (x64)

i Note about LTSB/LTSC: [Microsoft Long Term Service Channel](#)

Legacy

- macOS 10.11 → End of Life due to OpenSSL age
- macOS 10.12 → [Legacy Version 14.0.2](#)
- macOS 10.13 → [Legacy Version 14.5.4](#)
- macOS 10.14 → [Legacy Version 14.8.0](#)
- macOS 10.15 → [Legacy Version 15.0.1](#)

FileWave Mobile Clients Platform Support



Fully Tested by QA

- iOS 17.6, 18
- iPadOS 17.6, 18
- tvOS 17.6, 18
- Android 14, 15, 16 (EMM Client)
- Chromebook

Expected to work



Currently Apple is investigating an issue enrolling iOS 16 or older via ADE/DEP. Enrollment via profile works.

- iOS and tvOS 26
- iOS 14, 15, 16
- iPadOS 14, 15, 16
- tvOS 14, 15, 16
- Android 8 to 13 (EMM Client)

Legacy

- iOS 13 → [Legacy Version 15.0.1](#)
- iOS 10, 11, 12 → [Legacy Version 13.1.5](#)

FileWave Central (Native) Platform Support



Fully Tested by QA

- macOS 14 and 15 (Intel and Apple Silicon)

- Windows 10 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H2 and newer, x64)

Expected to work

- macOS 12 and 13 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Windows 10 (Education, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Education, version 21H2 and newer, x64)

FileWave Booster Platform Support



Fully Tested by QA

- Debian 12.10 x86_64 (Note that any Debian 12.x is expected to work, and applying security updates may move you to a higher version.)
- macOS 14 and 15 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Windows 10 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Pro/Enterprise, version 21H2 and newer, x64)

Expected to Work

- macOS 12 and 13 (Intel and Apple Silicon)
- Windows 10 (Education, version 21H1 and newer, x64)
- Windows 11 (Education, version 21H2 and newer, x64)
- Windows Server 2022 and 2025 (x64)

Virtual Appliances

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FileWave Imaging Virtual Server Platform Support



The FileWave Imaging Virtual Server (IVS) is a special appliance that provides imaging support for Windows 10 and 11 UEFI and non-UEFI devices.

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Features and Updates in this Release

FileWave Management Suite Changes

Improved Fileset delivery for Cloud-hosted servers

With FileWave 16.1, we are introducing a new way to store and deliver filesets, based on modern and secure industry standards. For hosted instances, filesets will now be stored on private CDN, only available for your devices. This combined with revisited fileset download mechanism will greatly improve fileset delivery and end-user experience.

Fileset download, for cloud-hosted servers, will use https, both for complete fileset or single file delivery ; FileWave Boosters 16.1 are capable of caching https requests from clients to speed up even further delivery and helping you managing better your network infrastructure. Booster Monitor has been extended to show usage of https cache.

Delivery mechanism for on-prem servers remains the same.

Content Pack (Central)

In Assistants -> Content Packs you can now find Content Packs and easily add them to your server with ease.

Installed Application list for desktop devices (Central)

Like Anywhere, FileWave Central is now showing in Client Info the list of installed applications for Desktop (Windows and non-MDM macOS devices)

Unified Fileset Reports (Central)

For historical reasons, FileWave had a different presentation for Desktop Fileset reports and for iOS / Mobile fileset reports. FileWave Central 16.1 unifies both reports for a simpler user experience.

User Interface Enhancements

- Double-clicking a device in any list with a "Client Info" context menu option will now open the client information.
- Devices in the "Awaiting Configuration" state are highlighted with a different color for easier identification.
- The Fileset view includes new context menu options: "Show Content" (if applicable) and "Fileset Report."

Localization Improvements

- Japanese translations are now available as long as the regional language is set to Japanese, without requiring the country to be set to Japan.
- German, French, Korean, Japanese, Chinese Simplified & Traditional have all had more complete coverage for translations and with customer feedback we have a simple method to correct translations moving forward.
- Dutch, Turkish, Swedish, and Spanish are removed for now in 16.1.1 pending review. They had been added to 16.1.0 initially.

Winget and Autopkg Enhancements

- The Winget Search dialog features tooltips for descriptions and a context menu that links to the package home page, if available.
- The Autopkg Search dialog now displays all packages by default, instead of showing an empty list.

Apple-Specific Changes

Apple Spring release 2025 support

New DEP Skip Key

- New DEP Skip Key ("Safety and Handling") and corresponding Setup Assistant item

Updated profiles

- Extensible SSO has a new setting to include UDID and Serial Number into Platform SSO attestations
- Managed Relays can now match or exclude FQDNs
- New Restrictions:
 - MDM can disable Apple Intelligence reports with the allowAppleIntelligenceReport restriction.
 - MDM can disable smart replies in Mail with the allowMailSmartReplies restriction.
 - MDM can disable the ability to summarize content in Safari with the allowSafariSummary restriction.
 - MDM can control whether the default calling app can be modified using the allowDefaultCallingAppModification key.
 - MDM can control whether the default messaging app can be modified using the new allowDefaultMessagingAppModification key.

- VPN profile updated against updated documentation (Authentication Name, Password and Remote Address changes)
- WebClip can use different url schemes like mailto
- XSan now has “SAN configuration URLs”

Allow Idle Reboot

New setting (available as Command Policy Profile) to allow devices to automatically reboot while locked after several days of inactivity.

Battery-health status on iPadOS

Battery-health status is also reported by compatible iPads

tvOS Software Update now uses DDM

tvOS was not capable of using DDM to enforce software update - this is now the case with tvOS 18.4

Beta Software Update Setting (DDM configuration)

it is now possible to configure how your devices can apply to different beta programs your organization signed up for.

Application management using DDM

Application management was possible with DDM, but without App Configuration support ; this is now possible, starting with iOS 18.5.

App configuration can be defined either directly within Fileset Properties or with a DDM Asset ; FileWave will automatically convert the asset into MDM App config if the fileset is deployed to devices not supporting DDM App installation.

FileWave 16.1 also brings support of iOS 18.5 feature allowing applications to use specific DDM assets (certificates, identity...).

DDM Information in Client information

DDM Declaration is now showing more details in DDM-capable Client Information dialog:

- it shows the expected declaration (based on the current model) together with the applied declaration (which has been sent to the device).
- it shows the content of the configurations applied to the device.

Beta Program at enrollment

The same way you can enforce devices to be at a given OS version at enrollment time, you can now enforce a specific Beta version in DEP profile, if your organization applied for the corresponding beta program.

DDM asset and configuration editor

Updated all descriptions with Apple's updated documentation

MDM Lock dialog

Dialogs have been modified to clarify the feature works differently on macOS and on iOS.

Internals

As installing profiles on macOS can't be done locally using fwupd anymore (only using MDM), fwupd is not downloading profile content anymore, reducing resource requirements.

MDM Assets are now more versatile, and are not stored in database anymore (only on disk, reducing resource requirements).

Android-Specific Changes

Android 16 is expected to release in June 2025 and the basic functionality from betas has been tested by QA and works. As with any new OS we will have to re-test when the official release happens to ensure nothing changed between beta and release.

Policy changes

MAC Address randomizer setting is now available in Network policy.

FileWave Windows Imaging (IVS) Changes

FileWave Windows Imaging solution relies on PXE Boot, which delivers a tiny Linux image containing all required components to run the imaging process. Compatibility with different hardware depends on how the tiny linux image is built - mainly which Linux kernel version and embedded packages and modules.

FileWave Networking Imaging 16.1.0 brings compatibility with FileWave 16.1.x.

- Linux Kernel: 6.13.10
- Buildroot: 2025.02

Internal Changes

Third party libraries

Third-party libraries updated for improvements and security changes. Mainly:

- With FileWave 16.0, Postgres has been upgraded to 17



Upgrading Database engine requires upgrading Database data, which can take some time.

Be patient when upgrading to FileWave 16.1 from FileWave 15.5.2 or older.

- Qt has been upgraded to 6.9
- Python has been upgraded to 3.13
- OpenSSL has been upgraded to 3.5.0

PG Bouncer

PgBouncer is a service that helps manage how applications connect to a PostgreSQL database. It keeps things running smoothly by reusing existing connections instead of creating new ones constantly, which improves speed and stability, and reduces resources requirements.

Deprecated Features

The following features have been deprecated from FileWave 16.1. They are present but will be removed in a future release:

- FileWave Central Dashboard: The Dashboard in FileWave Central will be replaced by a view of a Grafana Dashboard to not maintain 2 Dashboard systems.
- Client Monitor application: The standalone Client Monitor will be removed in a future release because it is only used for FileWave Clients < 16.1.0 as well as monitoring the IVS server. It will be included at least until the IVS dependency is removed.

We encourage you to provide product feedback if you have any concerns: [FileWave Product Management](#) or in the Help menu of Central/Anywhere you can send feedback as of 16.1.

Decommissioned Features

The following features have been removed from FileWave 16.1:

- macOS 10.11 El Capitan: Released in September 2015, this version of macOS will not work with even a legacy client due to an incompatibility with a current version of OpenSSL.
- HyperV Generation 1 images: Because all supported Microsoft OS can run Generation 2 HyperV images we have stopped publishing Generation 1 images.

Changes and Fixes in 16.1.1

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16.1.1 brings basic support for macOS 26 Tahoe, based on developer beta, allowing enrollments to provide Apple and FileWave early feedback.

Bug fixes:

- FWRD-15530 [FE] Anywhere translation files contain unnecessary extra quotes around keys
- FWRD-15632 Duplicate Header Text on "Create New DEP Profile" Screen, Setup Assistant Sources > DEP Profiles View, Anywhere Admin
- FWRD-15780 Fixed translation quoted strings in FileWave Anywhere
- FWRD-15797 Fixed an issue where model update is blocked waiting for filesets synchronization
- FWRD-15811 Fixed an issue where server fingerprint could change when restarting cloud hosted servers.

- FWRD-15819 Fixed an issue where inventory report could not work from Windows devices due to duplicated information for Software Updates
- FWRD-15828 Fixed an issue where app deployed via VPP won't show up in DDM declaration tab
- FWRD-15830 Fixed an issue where the Google Chromebook scheduled task could run concurrently, causing unexpected results
- FWRD-15835 Fixed an issue where DDM Apps could cause installations to get stuck

Changes and Fixes in 16.1.0

Bug fixes:

- FWRD-762 Added support for editing SCRIPT and COMMAND LINE custom fields via the API when using an application token.
- FWRD-1413 Fixed an issue where Imaging filesets would be listed in "Create Association" dialog
- FWRD-1432 Fixed an issue where it would be possible to add a Group Clone inside the group itself
- FWRD-2606 Fixed an issue where mobile devices could not be enrolled if the license did not permit desktop clients
- FWRD-2659 Fixed an erroneous audit log entry when changing fileset permissions
- FWRD-2884 Fixed an issue where the same extension could be added twice in Text Editor supported Extensions
- FWRD-3390 Fixed an issue where booster would be listed twice after rename in Prometheus system
- FWRD-3549 Fixed an issue where script file location would not depend on the fileset OS but on the admin OS
- FWRD-3552 Fixed an issue where Administrator List in "Manage Administrators" Dialog would not show sort indicator
- FWRD-3991 Improved user experience related to Fileset Reports and fileset which can be deployed on both mobile and desktop devices
- FWRD-11523 Fixed an issue where installing FileWave Server on macOS would create empty directory in /Applications
- FWRD-11944 Added a section to the Kiosk documentation covering code guidelines and folder organization.
- FWRD-12619 Fixed an issue in macOS Login Items where empty "TeamIdentifier" setting would be added if the parameter is not filled in the profile
- FWRD-12719 Corrected the Username field for Chromebook devices in Anywhere Admin to display the Last Logged in Username accurately.
- FWRD-13105 Fixed an issue where cancelling import of a new revision could delete the fileset
- FWRD-13163 Improved German translation in Central for "Apply"
- FWRD-13663 Fixed an issue where adding invalid Command (using API) to a device command queue would break device communication
- FWRD-13987 Fixed an issue where unenrolled boosters would be marked as in error in Booster View or Grafana Dashboard
- FWRD-13991 Fixed an issue where "Last Updated" column would be empty for mobile fileset reports
- FWRD-14040 Made sure only Apple School Manager related DEP tokens can be used for Classroom sync
- FWRD-14135 Fixed an issue where Universal Custom Applications could not be detected properly as universal
- FWRD-14150 Fixed an issue where changing column position of an inventory query could cause invalid data export

- FWRD-14152 Improved validation for the MDM command creation API endpoint to reject invalid command names.
- FWRD-14367 Resolved an issue where iOS upgrade fileset statuses differed between Central and Anywhere; statuses are now consistent and reflect the actual state.
- FWRD-14393 Fixed an issue where allowUSBRestrictedMode would be incorrectly set in iOS restriction profile
- FWRD-14439 Fixed typo in "iPad Screenshot" inventory field
- FWRD-14624 Fixed an issue where Imported DDM configuration would not handle properly dependency with DDM Assets
- FWRD-14662 Improved workflow when creating a DDM asset directly from a DDM configuration
- FWRD-14746 Fixed an issue related to navigation buttons on "Tab Widgets" in Central
- FWRD-14782 Fixed an issue where it would be possible to open Client Monitor for placeholders
- FWRD-14804 Fixed graphical glitch on iOS restriction profile
- FWRD-14820 Fixed an issue where it would not be possible to remove a custom field if it was used once in an inventory query as display field
- FWRD-14825 Fixed minor UI glitches in Deployment dialog (Central)
- FWRD-14828 Improved UI Contrast in Profile / Policy / Configuration dialogs
- FWRD-14845 Fixed an issue where incorrect log entry related to Software Update fileset could be added when creating a normal desktop fileset
- FWRD-14849 Fixed a potential Central crash when removing items from Home Screen Layout Profile
- FWRD-14956 Eliminated unnecessary warnings in the Central log when opening the Client Monitor related to 'ClientMonitorDlg' properties.
- FWRD-15024 Fixed an issue where changing a script section could change the previously selected script
- FWRD-15027 Added 'is null' and 'is not null' options for FileWave Policy / Filesset ID in Anywhere Admin and fixed related operator display issues.
- FWRD-15029 Fixed an issue where exporting macOS Update Filesset would be possible
- FWRD-15046 Added a 'Back' button to the Reports view in Anywhere Admin for easier navigation.
- FWRD-15117 Fixed UI Contrast in Dark Mode of "Show Associations" popup
- FWRD-15118 Fixed an issue where NATS errors were logged every 5 seconds in filewave_django.log when the Client Monitor was open and the client was disconnected.
- FWRD-15133 Fixed a potential Filesset Magic Crash on Windows related to Registry change detection
- FWRD-15134 Added validation to the Fingerprint field in the SCEP section of Apple Profiles to ensure it is a valid hex string with an even number of digits.
- FWRD-15151 Made sure /etc/timezone is no more used now it is deprecated on Debian
- FWRD-15167 Added missing NATS permissions for clients connected via boosters to allow proper message publishing.
- FWRD-15179 Fixed not up to date copyright page on IVS
- FWRD-15230 Fixed interactive scripts regression introduced with 64-bit FileWave client
- FWRD-15264 Fixed an issue where Content Caching details would not be visible in Client Information
- FWRD-15323 Fixed an issue where FileWave server could receive client statuses via NATs before all components are ready to process them
- FWRD-15348 Fixed a potential issue where DDM Declarations tab would not be visible for DDM capable device
- FWRD-15375 Fixed an issue where Model Update could display "Model Updated successfully" while it has been skipped if started Chromebook sync occurs
- FWRD-15404 Added the 'Setting Items' column to the Command History tab in FileWave Anywhere.
- FWRD-15409 Improved resource requirements for LDAP custom field synchronization
- FWRD-15427 Fixed an issue where cancelling fileset upload could prevent from updating model

- FWRD-15433 Fixed an issue where the Client Monitor did not work with a custom WebAdmin port.
- FWRD-15441 Fixed an issue where interactive scripts failure would not be reported as failed
- FWRD-15442 Fixed an issue where it would not be possible to rename or move Central Admin apps on macOS
- FWRD-15451 Fixed typo in Fileset Properties for iOS apps compatible with Apple Silicon devices
- FWRD-15453 Fixed an issue where unwanted scrollbars would be visible in Fileset Properties dialog (Central)
- FWRD-15454 Fixed an issue where cancelled import files would never be removed from ADMINWORK folder
- FWRD-15462 Fixed an issue where FileWave Central Admin apps on macOS would be in /Applications/FileWave/app_folder
- FWRD-15463 Improved resource required to gather statistics related to failed client requests
- FWRD-15464 Fixed UI glitches with Profile Fileset properties dialog
- FWRD-15479 Fixed incorrect minimum macOS requirement for Upgrade Fileset
- FWRD-15488 Fileset reports for desktop devices does not show which fileset info
- FWRD-15492 Fixed an issue where "Export Current View" would not work from menu on Windows
- FWRD-15545 [BE] MU fails if Kiosk policy fileset ID is bigger than 2147483647
- FWRD-15553 Update apache configuration for better resource management
- FWRD-15601 Escaped HTML entities not unescaped in Fileset list and Kiosk app view
- FWRD-15617 Fixed an issue where "enabled" state of Imaging Associations would be reverted to "true" after model update
- FWRD-15638 Fix potential client crash when connectivity with NATs server is lost
- FWRD-15675 Fixed a potential crash on Windows when many log entries are produced; could typically impact Fileset Magic if Central Admin is not run as Administrator and has limited permissions.
- FWRD-15676 Fixed an issue where Model Update could be slow after deleting a fileset with many files

Included Open Source Software

[Click here for the extensive list of Open Source Software included in the FileWave products.](#)

Upgrading Your Environment

FileWave Central 16.1.2 fixes the following issues:

- Reinstall Fileset not available for VPP applications on iOS / iPadOS devices when installed using MDM (FWRD-16119)
- ⚠ - "Delete At" option automatically checked when editing Deployment with "Activate At" option is selected (FWRD-16123)

Central 16.1.2 replaces Central 16.1.1 and is compatible with FileWave Server 16.1.1.



[macOS Upgrade Fileset](#) (md5: 5706aba732b8482d247c82b3d6c0559d)

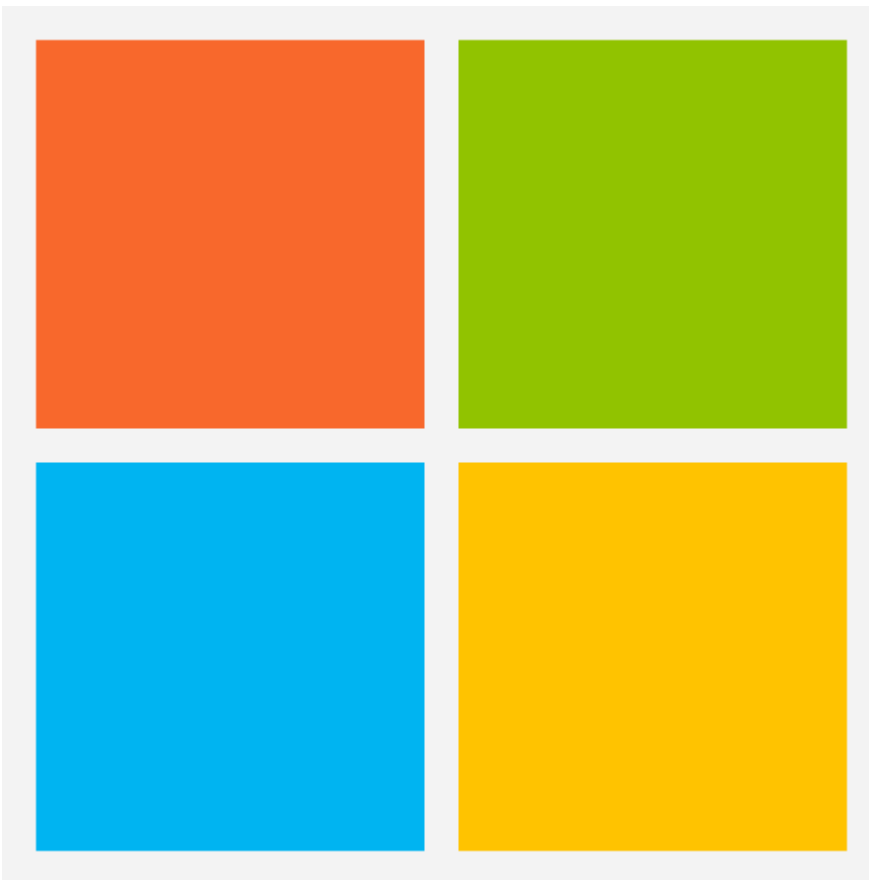
[macOS Central \(Admin\)](#) 16.1.2 (md5: f01b75f87e6b3b243541befa87e14b30)

[macOS Booster](#) (md5: 8b9a908721d265397acc1df4630b72fd)

[macOS Server](#) (md5: c2188b3aeeaae9bc84da269cef52a301)

- Remember that to upgrade macOS FileWave clients you should use the Upgrade Fileset.
- ❗ Never deploy the macOS Client installer from <https://custom.filewave.com> to an existing device. It is intended for new installs.

Windows Downloads



[Windows Upgrade Fileset](#) (md5: d1658cf8f2b1a3e40a30e790a9042259)

[Windows Central \(Admin\)](#) 16.1.2 (md5: 760b1049a71092840cf05ddb0cba790c)

[Windows Booster](#) (md5: 93c34cdd700fbccd9204e4ede9cfbb53)

Remember that to upgrade Windows FileWave clients you should use the Upgrade Fileset.

- ❗ Never deploy the Windows Client installer from <https://custom.filewave.com> to an existing device. It is intended for new installs.

iOS Downloads



Kiosk on iOS / iPadOS is now automatically installed from a CDN. ([Read More](#))

Chrome Extension



The FileWave Inventory extension for Chromebook has to be installed via the Google Admin Console for your domain. Please see [Quickstart Guide for Chromebooks](#) for detailed instructions



debian

[Debian Linux Server](#) (md5: fabc81e358687a39b890bb831d9e25e3)

[Debian Linux Booster](#) (md5: fef8c2da369a5f429743a5a6906821f9)

[Debian Linux IVS: FileWave Admin](#) (md5: 8901086c2e7cb4cdaf76cf15a5e67ca3)

[Debian Linux IVS: FileWave Imaging Client](#) (md5: c65ff9b7b169c4783e8cb7ae7125b08f))

[Debian Linux IVS: IVS Kernel](#) (md5: d35af0c92fc2bcc2f37b18e036b90c56)

[Debian Linux IVS: FileWave IVS](#) (md5: 502752910ddd506bdb060d4611e1daa5)

For any of the below upgrades you would want to console or SSH to your Server/Booster/IVS and then run the command listed to upgrade the relevant component.

i If you are using a FileWave appliance that before 15.5.0 the SSH access was with the user "root" and for any appliance setup from 15.5.0 or later the user is "fwadmin" and you would have been forced to [set the password on first login](#).

Upgrading the FileWave Server

To install or upgrade the FileWave Server, use the following :

```
sudo DEBIAN_FRONTEND=noninteractive bash -c 'set -e; apt-get update -y; apt-get install -y -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confdef" -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confold" screen wget; ts=$(date +%Y%m%d%H%M%S); scr=fwxserver_upgrade_$ts; tmp=/tmp/fwxserver_upgrade_$ts.sh; wget -qO "$tmp" https://kb.filewave.com/attachments/411; chmod +x "$tmp"; echo "Starting upgrade in screen session: $scr"; echo "Detach with Ctrl-A then D, reattach with: sudo screen -r $scr"; exec screen -S "$scr" bash -lc "\"$tmp\" -v 16.1.1 -r 1 -p -y"'
```

Upgrading a Booster

To install or upgrade the FileWave Booster, use the following or [Booster Auto-Upgrade](#) :

```
sudo DEBIAN_FRONTEND=noninteractive bash -c 'set -e; apt-get update -y; apt-get install -y -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confdef" -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confold" screen wget; ts=$(date +%Y%m%d%H%M%S); scr=fwbooster_upgrade_$ts; tmp=/tmp/fwbooster_upgrade_$ts.sh; wget -qO "$tmp" https://kb.filewave.com/attachments/412; chmod +x "$tmp"; echo "Starting upgrade in screen session: $scr"; echo "Detach with Ctrl-A then D, reattach with: sudo screen -r $scr"; exec screen -S "$scr" bash -lc "\"$tmp\" -v 16.1.1 -r 1 -p -y"'
```

Upgrading a IVS

To upgrade the FileWave IVS, use the following:

```
sudo DEBIAN_FRONTEND=noninteractive bash -c 'set -e; apt-get update -y; apt-get install -y -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confdef" -o Dpkg::Options::="--force-confold" screen wget; ts=$(date +%Y%m%d%H%M%S); scr=ivs_upgrade_$ts; tmp=/tmp/ivs_upgrade_$ts.sh; wget -qO "$tmp" https://kb.filewave.com/attachments/408; chmod +x "$tmp"; echo "Starting upgrade in screen session: $scr"; echo "Detach with Ctrl-A then D, reattach with: sudo screen -r $scr"; exec screen -S "$scr" bash -lc "\"$tmp\" -v 16.1.1 -r 1 -p -y"'
```



OVA Images

These three images are OVA images suitable for VMWare or other systems that use OVAs:

[VMware and VirtualBox \(OVA\) Server Appliance](#) (md5: a54926dcd4c54d36784213c3deb9889d)

[VMware and VirtualBox \(OVA\) Booster Appliance](#) (md5: 29959cd7f16f8d2f5bc67313ba71c973)

[VMware and VirtualBox \(OVA\) Imaging Appliance](#) (md5: 31e62b449471a06ccc1aa57cc0730041)



Microsoft Hyper-V

HyperV Images

These three images are Hyper-V images suitable for Microsoft Hyper-V (Gen 2):

[Hyper-V \(VHD\) Server Appliance](#) (md5: 3f94a816973b41c8c2ec452669f911fa)

[Hyper-V \(VHD\) Booster Appliance](#) (md5: 21e374697a10f8315779e4531fb931da)

[Hyper-V \(VHD\) Imaging Appliance](#) (md5: 5e8211e34780180b328f024310e0f939)

To import our Virtual Appliances, please see: [FileWave Virtual Appliances](#)

To get started with the FileWave Server appliance please see: [Installation and Setup | FileWave KB](#)

i For Booster setup: [Booster Installation | FileWave KB](#)

For more information about configuring the IVS appliance please see: [Getting started with the Imaging Virtual Server](#)

This book covers how to import our provided OVA's and VHD's into your virtual environments.

Unconfigured Client Installers

macOS and Windows



Please note that the below is only to be used when Support has identified that they are needed to fix an issue. Normally these Client packages are not used. Pushing the PKG or MSI below from FileWave can break a client.

[macOS Client](#) (md5: 52e87b7f9eb3366ffa2757e272eb26d1)

[Windows Client](#) (md5: 9140e1a9f3901be67ee64bc19cd1748d)

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