

# Executing a Client-Side Script-Based Verification

## What

The "verify" option of the fwGUI client application allows you to run a "verify" from the client programmatically.

## When/Why

We are going to use this option whenever we want to get "immediate" feedback from a client. For instance, as a post-installation script, calling a verify would immediately make the client report updated inventory rather than waiting (up to 24 hours, default) for the next "regular" verify.

## How

The verification is called as a command-line option to the fwGUI app on either a Windows or macOS client as follows:

	Windows Client	macOS Client
Path to fwGUI:	"C:\Program Files (x86)\FileWave"	/usr/local/sbin/FileWave.app/Contents/Resources /
App to call:	fwGUI.exe	fwGUI.app
Command Line options:	--verify  Sends a verification (w/dialog by default...useful for troubleshooting)	--verify  Sends a verification (w/dialog by default...useful for troubleshooting)
	--silent  Used with --verify, sends verification without user dialog	--silent  Used with --verify, sends verification without user dialog
Script examples:	Windows Batch Example <div>@echo off  "C:\Program Files (x86)\FileWave\fwGUI.exe" --verify --silent  exit 0</div>	macOS Bash Example <div>#!/bin/bash  /usr/local/sbin/FileWave.app/Contents/Resources/fwGUI.app/Contents/MacOS/fwGUI --verify --silent  exit 0</div>

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- You can change the default 24h by adjusting the "File Check Interval" in a Superprefs - [Creating a Superprefs Fileset](#)