

# FileWave Server Installation

FileWave Server is the key component to device management. The setup process will require not only a FileWave Server installation, but basic configuration will require the FileWave Central App (macOS or Windows). Some additional configuration may also be achieved through the web admin: FileWave Anywhere.

Other appliances not covered in this chapter are:

- Boosters
- IVS

## Overall requirements

FileWave server installation. This can be hosted on-premise. For on-premise, FileWave [Download](#) pages not only provide the installer, but pre-built VMs are available for quick setup.

### Manual Installation

If not using a pre-built VM:

- Download the latest server version and copy to the FileWave Server
- If using a shell, open this to the server, e.g. ssh, putty, etc. and elevate to the root user
- Unzip the download
- Run the installer

Follow the instructions, regarding the commands required, from the matching download pages.

## FileWave Server networking

Please review the [Default TCP and UDP Port Usage](#) and also review [FileWave Server should not have IPv6 enabled](#).

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