

Central - DNS Server Controller

Overview

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller and Men & Mice Central can be configured using command line parameters. This section describes the configuration options for Men & Mice Central and the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller

Men & Mice Central

Men & Mice Central is available for Windows, various flavors of UNIX, and Mac OS X.

Windows

Men & Mice Central runs as a service and you can start and stop Men & Mice Central using the Services application. You can also control Men & Mice Central using these command line options:

mmcentral -i	Installs Men & Mice Central as a service
mmcentral -u	Uninstalls Men & Mice Central
mmcentral -start	Starts the Men & Mice Central service
mmcentral -stop	Stops the Men & Mice Central service
mmcentral -v	Displays version information
mmcentral -h	Displays available command line options for Men & Mice Central

UNIX

Men & Mice Central runs as a daemon on Unix. You can use the mmcentral script to start and stop the Men & Mice Central daemon. The script is located in the startup scripts directory of the machine running Men & Mice Central.

mmcentral start	Starts the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral stop	Stops the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral restart	Stops and then restarts the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral status	Displays the running state of Men & Mice Central

The Men & Mice Central binary is by default stored at the following location: `/usr/sbin/mmcentrald`

You can set several options when starting Men & Mice Central:

-ll <level>	Men & Mice Central sends event messages to the system log. You can change the log level for Men & Mice Central by using the <code>-ll</code> command-line option when starting the daemon. Possible levels are 0 - 5 (the default value is 3)
-p <port>	Set port number to listen to (default 1231)
-u <user>	Specifies the user name or user id that the program should run as
-g <group>	Specifies the group name or group id that the program should run as
-d <path>	Sets the path where the data files should be located (the default path is <code>/var/mmsuite/mmcentral</code>)
-v	Displays version information

-h	Displays available command line options for Men & Mice Central
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Example:

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mmcentrald -p 9876 -ll 5 -d /temp/data
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Mac OS X

Men & Mice Central runs as a daemon on Mac OS X. You can use the mmcentral script to start and stop the Men & Mice Central daemon. The script is located in the `/Library/StartupItems/` directory.

mmcentral start	Starts the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral stop	Stops the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral restart	Stops and then restarts the Men & Mice Central daemon
mmcentral status	Displays the running state of Men & Mice Central

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Example:

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DNS Server Controller

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller is available for Windows, various flavors of UNIX, and Mac OS X.

Windows

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller runs as a service and you can start and stop the Server Controller using the Services application. You can also control the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller using these command line options:

mmremote -i	Installs the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller as a service
mmremote -u	Uninstalls the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller
mmremote -start	Starts the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller service
mmremote -stop	Stops the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller service

mmremote -v	Displays version information
mmremote -h	Displays available command line options for the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller

UNIX

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller runs as a daemon on Unix. You can use the mmremote script to start and stop the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon. The script is located in the startup scripts directory of the machine running the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller.

mmremote start	Starts the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon
mmremote stop	Stops the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon
mmremote restart	Stops and then restarts the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon
mmremote status	Displays the running state of the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller binary is by default stored at the following location: **/usr/sbin/mmremoted**

You can set several options when starting the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller:

-ll <level>	The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller sends event messages to the system log. You can change the log level for the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller by using the -ll command-line option when starting the daemon. Possible levels are 0 - 5 (the default value is 3)
-p <port>	Set port number to listen to (default 1337)
-u <user>	Specifies the user name or user id that the program should run as
-g <group>	Specifies the group name or group id that the program should run as
-t <path>	Specifies the directory for the program to chroot() to in a jailroot configuration
-c <file>	Location of the BIND configuration file (the default location is /etc/named.conf)
-v	Displays version information
-h	Displays available command line options for the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller

Example:

```
mmremoted -p 9876 -ll 5
```

Mac OS X

The Men & Mice DNS Server Controller runs as a daemon on Mac OS X. You can use the mmremote script to start and stop the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon. The script is located in the /Library/StartupItems/ directory.

mmremote start	Starts the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon
mmremote stop	Stops the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon
mmremote restart	Stops and then restarts the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller daemon

mmremote status	Displays the running state of the Men & Mice DNS Server Controller
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