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# ZABBIX\_SERVER

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## NAME

`zabbix_server` - Zabbix server daemon

## SYNOPSIS

`zabbix_server` [-c *config-file*]

`zabbix_server` [-c *config-file*] -R *runtime-option*

`zabbix_server` -h

`zabbix_server` -V

## DESCRIPTION

`zabbix_server` is the core daemon of Zabbix software.

## OPTIONS

**-c, --config** *config-file*

Use the alternate *config-file* instead of the default one. Path to the file should be specified.

**-f, --foreground**

Run Zabbix server in foreground.

**-R, --runtime-control** *runtime-option*

Perform administrative functions according to *runtime-option*.

## Runtime control options

### `config_cache_reload`

**Reload configuration cache. Ignored if cache is being currently loaded. Default configuration file (unless -c option is specified) will be used to find PID file and signal will be sent to process, listed in PID file.**

**housekeeper\_execute**

**Execute the housekeeper. Ignored if housekeeper is being currently executed.**

**log\_level\_increase[=*target*]**

**Increase log level, affects all processes if target is not specified**

**log\_level\_decrease[=*target*]**

**Decrease log level, affects all processes if target is not specified**

## Log level control targets

***pid***

**Process identifier**

***process-type***

**All processes of specified type (e.g., poller)**

***process-type,N***

**Process type and number (e.g., poller,3)**

**-h, --help**

**Display this help and exit.**

**-V, --version**

**Output version information and exit.**

## FILES

***/usr/local/etc/zabbix\_server.conf***

**Default location of Zabbix server configuration file (if not modified during compile time).**

## SEE ALSO

[zabbix\\_agentd\(8\)](#), [zabbix\\_get\(8\)](#), [zabbix\\_proxy\(8\)](#),  
[zabbix\\_sender\(8\)](#)

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