

How to set up a Dedicated Server

- 1) Copy your MekWars client folder to the computer and location you wish to run it from.
- 2) Give the computer a static IP
- 3) Edit ./data/mwconfig.txt
 - a. Change the NAME entry to [Dedicated]<Your Ded's Name>
 - b. Leave the NAMEPASSWORD field blank
 - c. Change the PORT field to whatever port you wish to run the ded on
 - d. If you want, edit the COMMENT field
 - e. Change the DEDICATED field to true
- 4) In your router, port-forward the port you set in 3.c to the IP you set in 2.
- 5) Run MekWarsClient.jar
- 6) From your normal client, connected to the server, edit the owners list, per whatever your server's requirements for ded owners is.
 - a. You may also make whatever other changes you want here. Common ones would be:
 - i. Maximum number of users
 - ii. Restart count
 - iii. Comment

That's really all there is to it. It's not particularly complicated.

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