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NTP\_WAIT(8)

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NAME

ntp-wait ? Wait for ntpd to stabilize the system clock

#### SYNOPSIS

ntp-wait [-flags] [-flag [value]] [--option-name[[=| ]value]]

All arguments must be options.

#### DESCRIPTION

ntp-wait will send at most num-tries queries to ntpd(8), sleeping for

secs-between-tries after each status return that says ntpd(8) has not yet produced a

synchronized and stable system clock.

ntp-wait will do this quietly, unless the -v flag is provided. This can be useful at

boot time, to delay the boot sequence until after ntpd -g has set the time.

### OPTIONS

-n number, --tries=number

Number of times to check ntpd. This option takes an integer number as its

argument. The default number for this option is:

100

The maximum number of times we will check ntpd to see if

it has been able to synchronize and stabilize the system clock.

#### -s secs-between-tries, --sleep=secs-between-tries

How long to sleep between tries. This option takes an integer number as its

argument. The default secs-between-tries for this option is:

6

We will sleep for secs-between-tries after each query

of ntpd that returns "the time is not yet stable".

#### -v, --verbose

Be verbose.

By default, ntp-wait is silent.

With this option, ntp-wait will provide status information.

#### -?, --help

Display usage information and exit.

-!, --more-help

Pass the extended usage information through a pager.

### -v [{v|c|n --version [{v|c|n}]}]

Output version of program and exit. The default mode is `v', a simple ver?

sion. The `c' mode will print copyright information and `n' will print the

full copyright notice.

## EXIT STATUS

One of the following exit values will be returned:

0 (EXIT\_SUCCESS)

Successful program execution.

1 (EXIT\_FAILURE)

The operation failed or the command syntax was not valid.

#### 70 (EX\_SOFTWARE)

libopts had an internal operational error. Please report it to auto?

gen-users@lists.sourceforge.net. Thank you.

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#### NOTES

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