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host Warewulf

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Objective

Deploy Linux diskless systems for installation and provisioning with Warewulf and manage our own servers

Warewulf

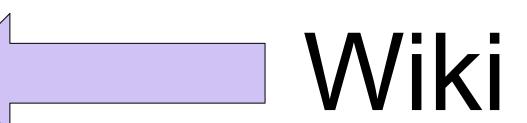
Warewulf Services:

- DHCP
 - Provides network devices with lps
- TFTP
 - Provides the IPXE OS Bootloader
- Warewulfd
 - Deploys the OS onto the node
- VNFS Image
 - Contains the OS and additional configurations

Warewulf Commands:

- wwctl container [import, shell, list]
- wwctl profile [set, list]
- wwctl node [add, set, status, delete, list]
- wwctl overlay build



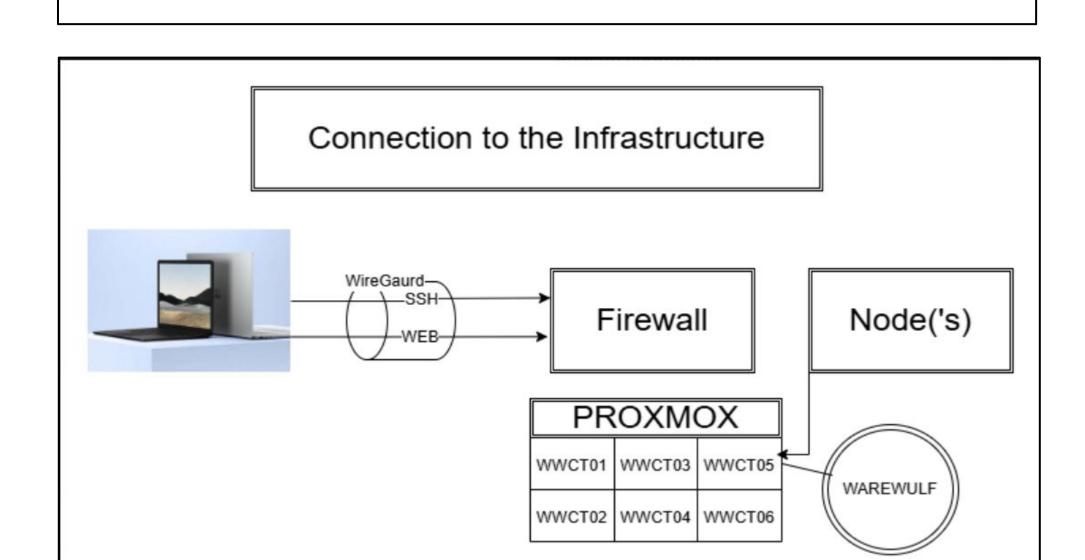


The Environment

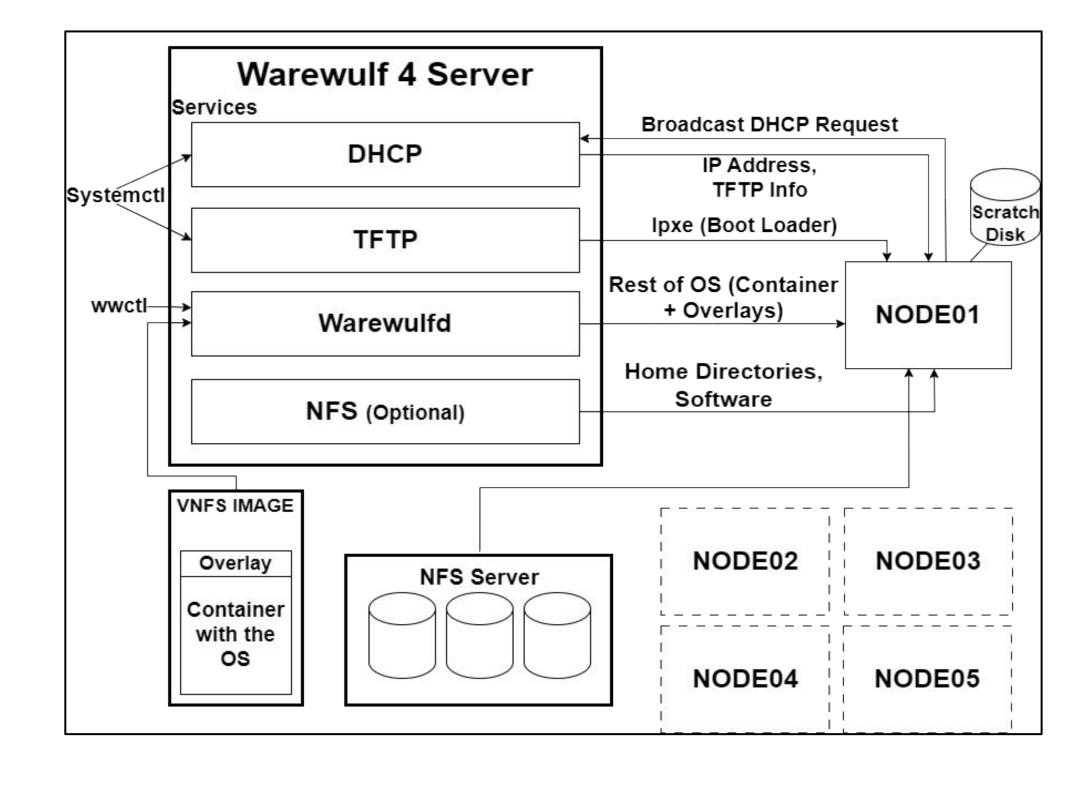
Wireguard - VPN that creates a tunnel connection to our nodes
Nodes - Physical servers we used for

Warewulf testing

Proxmox - Virtual machines we used to



Warewulf Workflow



https://bmc01 https://192.168.5.201 BMC TERMINAL DHCP:192.168.5.1 Server (Node)

Future Plans

We plan to make Warewulf more usable and customizable by developing python and shell scripts to manage containers and overlays.

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