ircDDB Install instructions

This document describes the installation of ircDDB on Icom-Hard- and Software based D-Star-Gateways.

Please note that this instruction is for new installations of ircDDB.

Check for the <u>update</u> instructions if you already have an older DSM-based version of ircDDB installed!!

Overview on the Installation process:

- We will first add the ircDDB repository to the YUM-repository list.
- We will install and configure the ircDDB-mheard software.
 Settings will be copied from existing configuration files as far as possible.
- After successful installation the configuration script will ask to be run with the password provided by the ircDDB admin team during the <u>registration process</u> as a parameter.

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Without this login password ircDDB won't work!

Please join the ircDDB Yahoo-Group and check for more information and support.

Detailed description of the Installation:

Step 1:

Add the ircDDB repository to your YUM settings:

This command will do that for you:

```
curl http://group1-update.ircddb.net/ircDDB/centos55/ircddb.repo -o /etc/yum.repos.d/ircddb.repo
```

This only works on YUM-based systems for now!

Step 2:

Install the configuration script:

```
yum clean expire-cache
yum -y install ircddbconfig
```

Step 3:

Run the configuration script:

```
/usr/sbin/ircddbconfig
```

The script will pick settings from existing configuration files.

Please check the output to see if any additional actions are required.

Step 4:

On request run the configuration script again with the required password for network access.

```
/usr/sbin/ircddbconfig ircddbpassword
```

The password is provided by the ircDDB admin team during the gateway registration process. Please use this website for registration:

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http://regsrv.ircddb.net/index.htm

<u>Step 5:</u>

Finally have a look at the ircDDB gateway status, your gateway should be shown with a green "LED".

Press the PTT and check "ircDDB-live" and the ircDDB-LastHeard table.

Welcome at the ircDDB network!



Appendix 1:

Location of the ircDDB files

YUM ircDDB repository:

```
/etc/yum.repos.d/ircddb.repo
```

Binaries:

The daemons ircddbd and ircddbmhd are located at /usr/sbin/

The Java-apps as variable part of the installation are now located at /var/cache/ircddbd/ The apps are updated automatically on a restart of ircDDB like before.

Start/Stop-Scripts:

The daemons are started by 2 separate scripts

```
/etc/init.d/ircddbd
/etc/init.d/ircddbmhd
```

Start the 2 components:

```
service ircddbd start
service ircddbmhd start
```

Stop the 2 components:

```
service ircddbd stop
service ircddbmhd stop
```

Check the status of the 2 components:

```
service ircddbd status
service ircddbmhd status
```

Logfiles:

The log files are located it at /var/log/ircddbd It will be rotated automatically.

All components of the package can be found here: http://github.com/dl1bff

