

# Confluence restart script (restart.sh)

My Confluence restart script - created since [Tomcat](#) is not too good to close nicely and clean up resources.

Secondly, keeping an eye out for java stacktraces and that the server is actually airborne is to be preferred.

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#!/bin/bash

if [ `whoami | grep root | wc -l` -eq 0 ]
then
    echo "You must be root"
    exit 1
fi

cd /tmp

echo "***Shutting down*****"
/opt/confluence/bin/shutdown.sh
echo "***Sleeping 20 ...**"
sleep 20
killall java

if [ `ps -ef | grep java | grep confluence | wc -l` -gt 0 ]
then
    echo "There are still java processes running..."
    exit 1
fi
echo "***Starting***"
/opt/confluence/bin/startup.sh
tail -f /opt/confluence/logs/catalina.out
```