

# Arcanum: Of Steamworks and Magick Obscura



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- scripts:
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- target:
  - setup\_arcanum\_2.0.0.15.exe
- dependencies:
  - fakeroot
  - icoutils
  - innoextract



The game installed via these scripts will run through WINE.

## Usage

1. Install the scripts dependencies:

```
apt-get install fakeroot icoutils innoextract
```

2. Put in a same directory scripts and installer:

```
ls
```

```
play-anything.sh  
play-arcanum_gog-2.0.0.15.sh  
setup_arcanum_2.0.0.15.exe
```

3. Run the building process:

```
sh ./play-arcanum_gog-2.0.0.15.sh
```

4. Wait a couple minutes, the building will end by giving you the commands to launch as root to install the game.

## Advanced usage

This script accept several options to set its behaviour. Follow the links to more details on how to use them.

- [checksum](#)
- [compression](#)
- [help](#)
- [prefix](#)

## Play in a window

Like a lot of Windows games published before the 16:9/16:10 screens became “the norm”, Arcanum display can get messed up on these. The following method will give you a way to run the game in a window to avoid this.

1. Run the following command to get acces to the configuration screen for the Arcanum WINE prefix:

```
arcanum-winecfg
```

2. In the configuration window, go on the “Graphics” tab;
3. Check “Emulate a virtual desktop”, and put your desktop resolution in the “Desktop size” fields;
4. Close the window with “OK”.
5. Done, from the next launch Arcanum will run in a window that will automatically scale to its resolution. You can go back to fullscreen mode at any time by running the WINE configuration screen and uncheck “Emulate a virtual desktop”.

## Links

[Arcanum on Wikipedia](#)

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