



IT Automation version update

※ In this document, “Exastro IT Automation” is described as “ITA”.

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1. Introduction

1.1 About this guide

About this guide

- This document describes the procedure to update the ITA environment constructed in all-in-one configuration.



2. System configuration

2.1 System requirement

About the environment of ITA to perform update

- The procedure in this document can be performed on ITA environment constructed in all-in-one configuration.
- The version of ITA that supports version update is **1.4.0 or later**.
The environment of ITA version 1.4.0 or later can be updated by executing the procedure in this document.



3. ITA construction procedure

3.1 Preparation (1/1)

List of ITA construction tool

- The list of ITA construction tool is as follows.

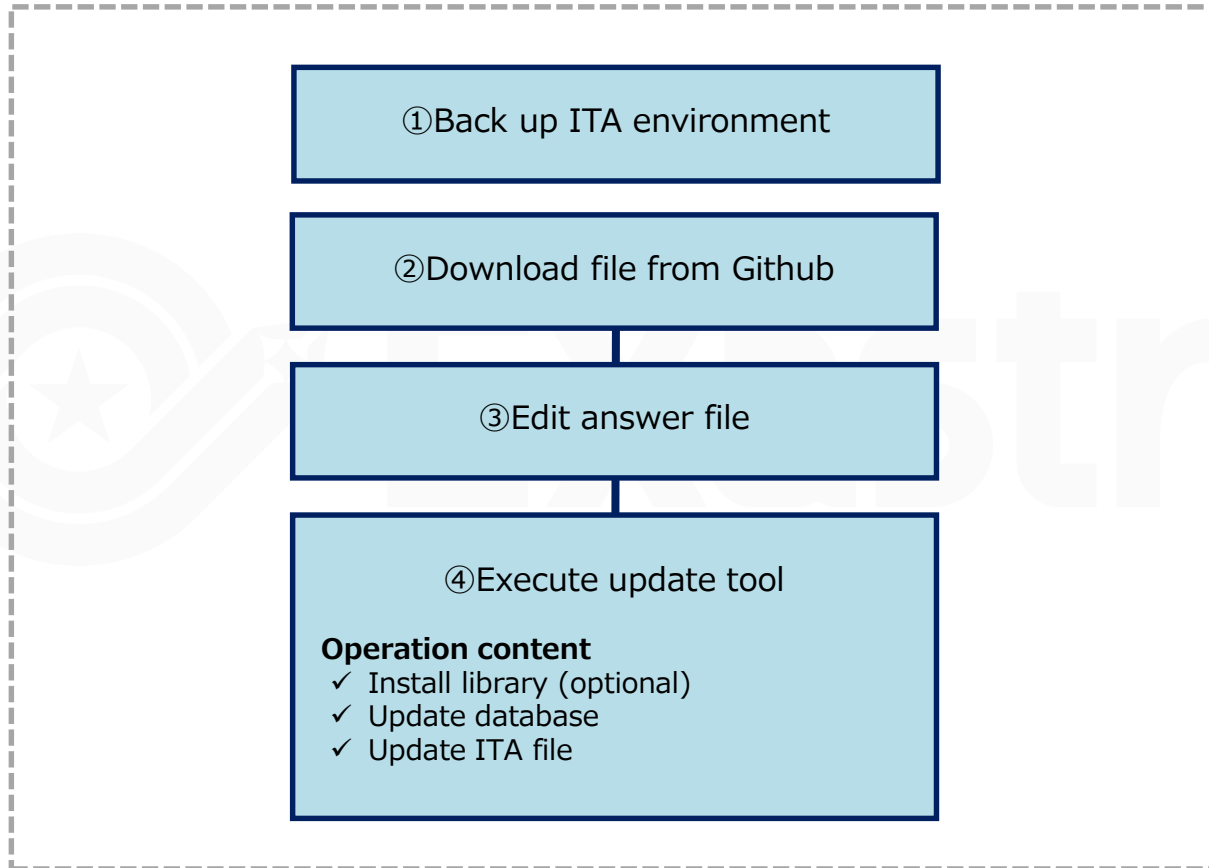
| Description | File | Storage path |
|---|-------------------------|--|
| Library collection script | ita_gather_library.sh | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| Environment construction tool (For offline installation) | ita_builder_offline.sh | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| Environment construction tool (For online installation) | ita_builder_online.sh | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| Setting file | ita_builder_setting.txt | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| ITA installer | ita_installer.sh | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| Answer file | ita_answers.txt | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |
| Update tool | ita_version_up.sh | /(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/ |

Not used for version update

3.2 ITA update work flow

Version update work flow

- The work flow of version update is as follows.



3.3 Update (1/5)

*Execute update as root user.

Back up ITA environment

- Please back up ITA environment before update.

Download file from Github

- Download file with the following command

```
# wget https://github.com/exastro-suite/it-automation/releases/download/vx.x.x/exastro-it-automation-x.x.x.tar.gz
```

※ Please install wget command beforehand.

※ Please change the version (x.x.x) according to the file.

Deploying the materials.

- Unzip the .tar.gz file.

```
# tar xzf exastro-it-automation-x.x.x.tar.gz
```

Change directory

- Switch current directory to the directory where the answer file and shell is located.

```
# cd it-automation-x.x.x/ita_install_package/install_scripts
```

3.4 Update (2/5)

Edit answer file (ita_answers.txt)

- Please edit the answer file to set ITA update.
- “ita_directory” is the only item used for update, other items are not used.

| Item | Required | Default value | Description |
|------------------|----------|---------------|--|
| install_mode | — | install | Installation mode: install or update |
| ita_directory | ○ | — | Specify the absolute path to the directory where IT Automation will be installed. If the directory does not exist, it will be newly created. |
| ita_language | — | en_US | IT Automation display language: ja_JP (Japanese) or en_US (English) |
| ita_os | — | RHEL7 | OS for IT Automation: RHEL7 or RHEL8 |
| db_root_password | — | — | Root password for MariaDB |
| db_name | — | — | Database name for MariaDB |
| db_username | — | — | Database username for MariaDB |
| db_password | — | — | Database password for MariaDB |
| ita_base | — | yes | Only yes can be specified to install IT Automation. |
| Material | — | no | Whether the Management of configuration materials function is to be installed |
| create_param | — | yes | Whether the Creation of menus function is to be installed |
| Hostgroup | — | yes | Whether the Host grouping function is to be installed |
| ansible_driver | — | yes | Whether the Ansible driver is to be installed |
| cobbler_driver | — | no | Whether the Cobbler driver is to be installed |
| openstack_driver | — | no | Whether the OpenStack driver is to be installed |
| terraform_driver | — | no | Whether the Terraform driver is to be installed |

3.5 Update (3/5)

Sample of the answer file (ita_answers.txt)

- The following shows an example of the answer file (ita_answers.txt)

```
#Select install mode. ("Install" or "Uninstall")
# e.g) install_mode:Install
install_mode:

#Enter install directory.
# e.g) ita_directory:/exastro
ita_directory:/exastro

# Select language. ("en_US" or "ja_JP")
# e.g) ita_language:en_US
ita_language:

# Select Operation System. ("RHEL7" or "RHEL8")
# e.g) ita_os:RHEL8
ita_os:

# Enter the MariaDB root user's password
# e.g) db_root_password:sample_root_password
db_root_password:

# Decide the database name, username, and password for ITA.
# e.g) db_name:sample_db_name
db_name:
# e.g) db_username:sample_db_username
db_username:
# e.g) db_password:sample_db_password
db_password:

# Select the target you need to install.
# yes : need
# no  : no need
ita_base:
material:
createparam:
hostgroup:
ansible_driver:
cobbler_driver:
openstack_driver:
terraform_driver:
```

POINT

**"ita_directory" is the
only item used for
update, other items
are not used.**

3.6 Update (4/5)

Execute update tool

- Execute the update tool with the following command

```
# sh ita_version_up.sh
```

- The following confirmation message will be displayed during execution, please enter yes or no to decided install libraries required for ITA or not.

QUESTION : Automatically install the libraries that are required for ITA? Enter "yes" or "no".

Enter "yes" to automatically install libraries in online environment.
Enter "no" for offline environment or not install libraries automatically.
For the libraries that is installed for each version, please refer to next page.

Check operation

- If the operation is ended normally, the version will be updated to the version of the downloaded file.
- The content of operation executed by update tool is output to ita_version_up.log
- Log storage path
/(Installation file extract path)/ita_install_package/install_scripts/log/

3.7 Update (5/5)

List of libraries that will be installed during update

- If “yes” is entered for library installation during install, the following libraries will be automatically installed according to the installed driver.
If “no” is entered, please install the libraries manually.

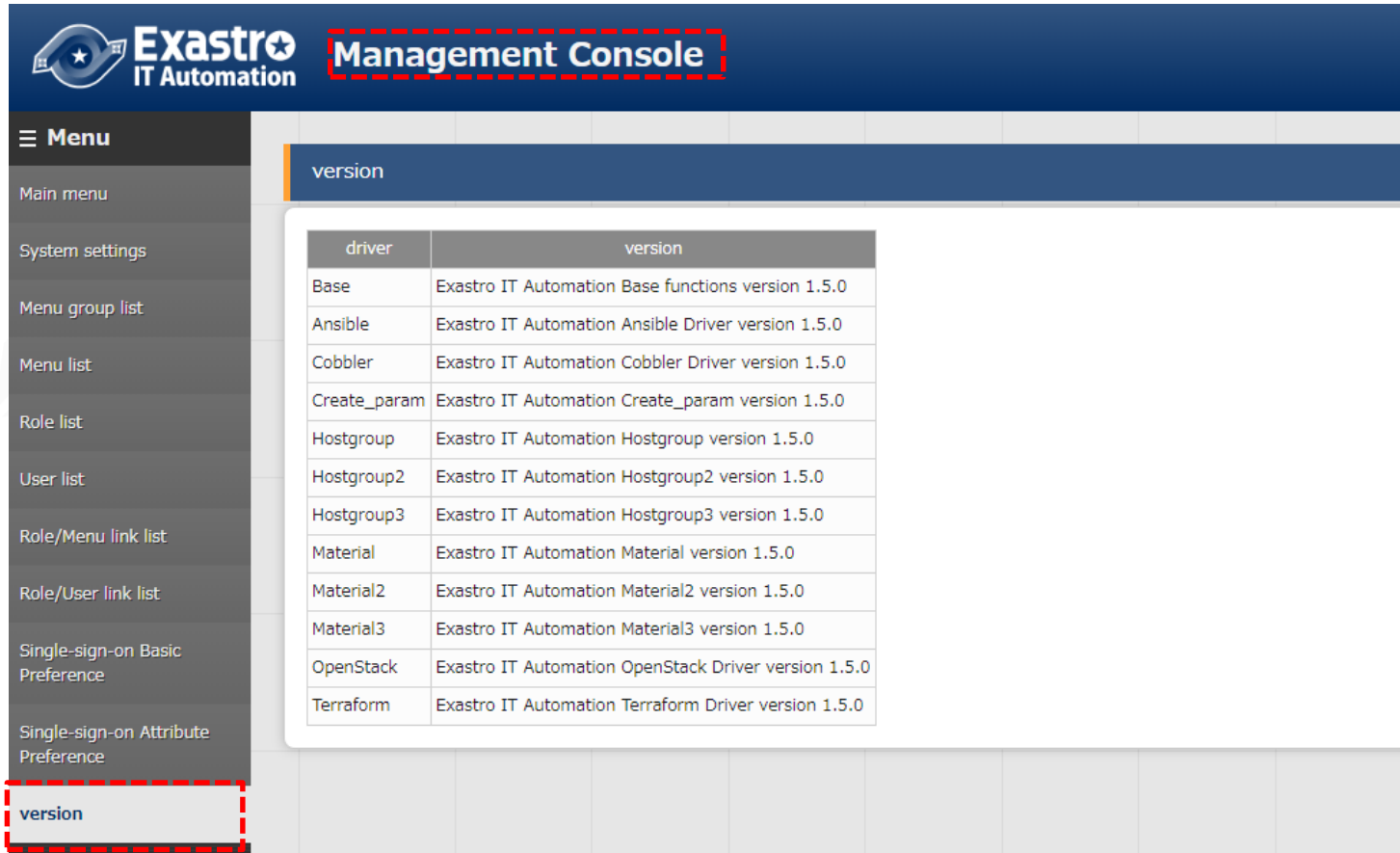
| Version | Installed driver | Library name | Install command | Required | Usage |
|---------|------------------|---------------|------------------------------|----------|---|
| 1.5.0 | ita_base | php-devel | yum install -y php-devel | ○ | Used for YAML analysis library (yaml) |
| | | libyaml | yum install -y libyaml | ○ | Used for YAML analysis library (yaml) |
| | | libyaml-devel | yum install -y libyaml-devel | ○ | Used for YAML analysis library (yaml) |
| | | make | yum install -y make | ○ | Used for YAML analysis library (yaml) |
| | | yaml | pecl install yaml | ○ | Used for YAML analysis library (yaml) |
| | ansible-driver | nc | yum install -y nc | - | Used for SSH command option when executing Ansible Playbook by connecting SSH from ITA under proxy environment to external server such as AWS via proxy server. |
| | | paramiko | pip3 install paramiko | - | Required to connect to a network device by specifying network_cli for ansible_connection. |

4. ITA Operation check

4.1 Operation check (1/1)

Check version

- After logging into ITA, check if the version is updated in “Management console” - “Version”.



The screenshot displays the Exastro IT Automation Management Console interface. The top header features the Exastro IT Automation logo and the text "Management Console". A left sidebar contains a "Menu" with various options, including "version" at the bottom, which is highlighted with a red dashed box. The main content area shows a table titled "version" with two columns: "driver" and "version". The table lists various drivers and their corresponding versions, all of which are 1.5.0.

| driver | version |
|--------------|--|
| Base | Exastro IT Automation Base functions version 1.5.0 |
| Ansible | Exastro IT Automation Ansible Driver version 1.5.0 |
| Cobbler | Exastro IT Automation Cobbler Driver version 1.5.0 |
| Create_param | Exastro IT Automation Create_param version 1.5.0 |
| Hostgroup | Exastro IT Automation Hostgroup version 1.5.0 |
| Hostgroup2 | Exastro IT Automation Hostgroup2 version 1.5.0 |
| Hostgroup3 | Exastro IT Automation Hostgroup3 version 1.5.0 |
| Material | Exastro IT Automation Material version 1.5.0 |
| Material2 | Exastro IT Automation Material2 version 1.5.0 |
| Material3 | Exastro IT Automation Material3 version 1.5.0 |
| OpenStack | Exastro IT Automation OpenStack Driver version 1.5.0 |
| Terraform | Exastro IT Automation Terraform Driver version 1.5.0 |



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