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Ubuntu Linux: Upgrade Linux Kernel

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Q. How do I upgrade my Linux kernel version under Ubuntu Linux 7.04 / 7.10?

A. You can use any one of the following method:

(a) Command Line Tools - apt-get

(b) GUI tool

apt-get command - Upgrade Linux Kernel

Open terminal and type the following commands:

```
$ sudo apt-get update
```

Now search kernel version:

```
$ apt-cache search kernel-image
```

Now install kernel by explicitly specifying version number:

```
$ sudo apt-get install linux-image-2.6.xx-yy-generic
```

Replace xx.yy with kernel version number. Reboot the system.

GUI tools

This is recommended method for most user. Click on System > Administration > Update Manager > Click on Check button > Apply all updates including kernel.

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