

NAME

update-manager – graphical management of software packages updates

SYNOPSIS

update-manager [options]

DESCRIPTION

Update-manager is a frontend for the apt package management system. It allows you to perform some actions of the command line tool apt-get in a graphical environment.

Update-manager is especially designed for upgrading your system, or migrating your system towards a more recent version.

OPTIONS

For a daily use, you may launch update-manager with no options so that your system is just upgraded.

For migration purposes, update-manager accepts some options:

-h, --help

Show a similar help message

-V, --version

Show version

--data-dir=DATA_DIR

Directory that contains the data files

-c, --check-dist-upgrades

Check if a new distribution release is available

-d, --devel-release

If using the latest supported release, upgrade to the development release

-p, --proposed

Upgrade using the latest proposed version of the release upgrader

--no-focus-on-map

Do not focus on map when starting

ACTIONS PERFORMED DURING AN UPGRADE TO A NEW VERSION

* eventually reinstall the package ubuntu-desktop

* switch to an updated sources.list entries

* adds the default user to new groups if needed

SEE ALSO

Synaptic, sources.list, aptitude

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