CS6 Deployment Checklist

1. Determine Extensis UTC client requirements
   1. Do we need to upgrade the server also? Is there a substantial benefit to upgrading the server?
      1. If either question is yes, determine Extensis UT server requirements.
      2. Answer: We do not need to upgrade the server to use UTC 3.3.0. The largest benefit for UTS 3.2.0 is improved AD integration functionality, and Extensis has advised us to wait until 3.3.0 as there are performance issues with 3.2.0.
2. Determine Creative Suite 6 requirements **(Begin 10/15)**
   1. How to uninstall CS5.5?
      1. Uninstall Process
         1. Step 1 – Deactivate plugins prior to transfer
            1. **How?**

**Manual deactivation**

**Determine which users have 3rd party plugins installed**

**Deactivate the plugins on each users’ machine**

**Make sure the machine has been authenticated to Websense; if not, authenticate it**

**Launch Adobe Photoshop**

**Create a new document with default settings**

**Launch the plugin to be deactivated**

**Locate the deactivation mechanism, and activate it.**

* + - 1. Step 2 – Uninstall CS5.5 Suite -- **Done**
         1. Deploy CS5.5 Uninstaller to machine and run
      2. Step 3 – Uninstall Adobe Acrobat X -- **Done**
         1. Run /Applications/Adobe\ Acrobat\ Pro.app/Contents/Support/Acrobat\ Uninstaller.app/Contents/MacOS/RemoverTool
      3. Step 4 – Perform Cleanup -- **Done**
         1. Delete leftover directories
  1. How to deploy CS6?
     1. Step 1 – Master Collection (Adam, Barry, Pete, Tom)
        1. Adobe CS6 Master Collection AAMEE package
        2. Adobe CS6 Exceptions Install
     2. Step 1 – Design Standard (All other Mac workstations)
        1. Adobe CS6 Design Standard AAMEE package -- **Done**
        2. Adobe CS6 Exceptions Install -- **Done**
     3. Step 2 – Install Extensis UTC 3.3.0 -- **Done**
     4. Step 3 – Install Updates
        1. Create ‘baseline’ update package that encompasses all updates released between CS6’s release date and 30 days prior to deployment date
     5. Step 4 – Reinstall Plugins
  2. How to deploy updates?
  3. How to lock down updates / registration?
  4. What information needs to be conveyed to users regarding:
     1. Preferences
        1. In keeping with previous Creative Suite rollouts and to prevent conflicts, preferences will not be transferred automatically. If you would like to transfer your preferences on your own, at your own risk, you may do so as they will not be deleted.
     2. Plugins
        1. Plugins must be deactivated manually prior to upgrade, and must be reinstalled manually post-upgrade.

1. Create and internally test deployment packages:
   1. Websense authentication on target machine
   2. Adobe CS5.5 Uninstall -- Done
      1. Conditions
         1. Design Standard
            1. If /Applications/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS5.1 /Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS5.1.app exists

Deploy and run CS5.5 Design Standard uninstaller first

Deploy and run CS5.5cleanup script second

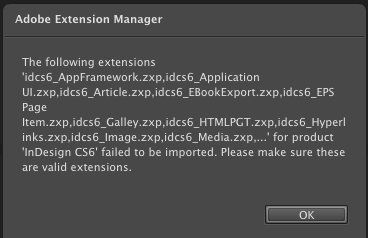
Reboot

* + - 1. ~~Master Collection~~
         1. ~~If /Applications/Adobe\ After\ Effects\ CS5.5/Adobe\ After\ Effects\ CS5.5.app exists~~

~~Deploy and run CS5.5 Master Collection uninstaller first~~

~~Deploy and run CS5.5 cleanup script second~~

~~Reboot~~

* 1. Adobe CS6 Install -- Done
     1. Conditions
        1. If /Applications/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS5.1 does not exist
           1. Deploy and run CS6 installer first
           2. Deploy and run CS6 exceptions installer second
           3. Reboot
     2. FeatureLockdown / Update Lockdown
     3. Exceptions
  2. Adobe CS6/Acrobat Updates Install
     1. Conditions
        1. **If /Applications/Adobe\ exists AND /Applications/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS6 exists and /Applications/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS6/Applications\ Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS6.app version is 13.0.0 (DOUBLE CHECK)**
           1. Deploy and run CS6 Baseline Updates first
           2. Deploy and run Acrobat 10.1.4 Update second
           3. Deploy and run Acrobat 10.1.4 FeatureLockDown file third
           4. Reboot
     2. CS6 Updates -- DONE
        1. Install baseline updates
        2. Known Issue: When loading Extension Manager, users may receive the following error message:
           1. 

This is a known issue due an Adobe certificate revocation, and will not prevent InDesign from working properly. Adobe is working to have this resolved in an upcoming update.

Please see: [http://forums.adobe.com/message/4755114#4755114#4755114](http://forums.adobe.com/message/4755114#4755114)

* 1. Extensis UTC Install
     1. Conditions
        1. If /Applications/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS6/Adobe\ Photoshop\ CS6.app exists AND version is 13.0.1 AND /Applications/Adobe\ Acrobat\ X\ Pro/Adobe\ Acrobat\ X\ Pro.app exists AND version is 10.1.4
           1. Deploy and run Extensis UTC 3.3.0 Installer
           2. Reboot

1. Externally (user) test deployment packages **(10/29 – 11/12)**
   1. Determine 1-2 users each within Creative, Design and Production.
   2. Each user should test CS6 for one week.
   3. Request feedback from users
2. Plan deployments:
   1. Extensis UT Server upgrade (if necessary)
   2. CS6 Rollout
      1. Stagger rollout; no more than 1/3 of a department should be upgraded at any one time to prevent any 1 department from being taken completely offline.