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Step 1: Update your CodeIgniter files[**¶**](#30j0zll)

Replace all files and directories in your *system/* directory.

Note

If you have any custom developed files in these directories, please make copies of them first.

Step 2: Remove usage of the APC Cache driver (deprecation)[**¶**](#1fob9te)

The [Cache Library](http://docs.google.com/libraries/caching.html) APC driver is now deprecated, as the APC extension is effectively dead, as explained in its [PHP Manual page](https://secure.php.net/manual/en/intro.apc.php).

If your application happens to be using it, you can switch to another cache driver, as APC support will be removed in a future CodeIgniter version.

Note

The driver is still available, but you’re strongly encouraged to remove its usage sooner rather than later.

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