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Installation of the Ubuntu Security Guide

The Ubuntu Security Guide is an easy to use tool for compliance and auditing, and is part of [Ubuntu Advantage](https://ubuntu.com/advantage) <<https://ubuntu.com/advantage>> and [Ubuntu Pro](https://ubuntu.com/public-cloud) <<https://ubuntu.com/public-cloud>> and is installed using the Ubuntu Advantage Tool. The tool is available to Ubuntu 20.04 or later versions.

Install the UA client

```
sudo apt update
sudo apt install ubuntu-advantage-tools
```

Attach the subscription

NOTE: This step is not necessary in Ubuntu PRO images.

To attach your subscription follow the steps on [the official Ubuntu guide](https://ubuntu.com/server/docs/install/subscription) <<https://ubuntu.com/server/docs/install/subscription>>.

Set up the Ubuntu Security Guide

Use the following commands to install the Ubuntu Security Guide (USG).

```
sudo ua enable usg
sudo apt install usg
```

Transitioning from the previous compliance tooling

The previous compliance tooling available in Ubuntu provided per-release scripts for CIS compliance. The following points map the old commands to the Ubuntu Security Guide syntax.

Command	Replacement
<code>/usr/share/ubuntu-scrap-security-guides/cis-hardening/Canonical_Ubuntu_20.04_CIS-harden.sh</code>	usg_fix
<code>/usr/share/ubuntu-scrap-security-guides/cis-hardening/Canonical_Ubuntu_18.04_CIS-harden.sh</code>	usg_fix
<code>/usr/share/ubuntu-scrap-security-guides/cis-hardening/Canonical_Ubuntu_16.04_CIS_v1.1.0-harden.sh</code>	usg_fix
<code>cis-audit</code>	usg_audit
Custom configuration with <code>ruleset-params.conf</code>	Profile customization

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