



# Update ONTAP on MetroCluster clusters

## ONTAP System Manager

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You can use System Manager to upgrade both clusters in a MetroCluster configuration to a newer version of ONTAP. During the upgrade, the storage service remains online.

## *Before you start*

- Upload the ONTAP image using a local drive or from an HTTP server on both clusters of the MetroCluster configuration.

## *Steps*

1. Log in to System Manager.
2. Select **Cluster > Update**.

The **ONTAP Update** window displays a list of images that are available to upload.

3. Hover over any image name that you do *NOT* want to upload, and click the trash can icon.
4. Select the radio button next to the image name that you want to update, and click **Update**.
5. Wait for the system to validate the images.

When the images are successfully validated, the update process begins to install a new version of ONTAP on both clusters.

You can click **Pause** at any time to pause the updating process.

6. When the update process is completed, click **Relaunch System Manager**.

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