

upgrading *.tgz and *.zip ...



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Dec 14, 2006 Hi All,

I have ESX 3.5 and 3.0.2. I need to upgrade a software vim, bind, openssl.

Why on 3.0.2 is using extension *.tgz? And on 3.5 is using *.zip.

How do I upgrade the two extension? What I know from the documentation is to do below?

```
mkdir /var/updates
```

```
mv <updatename>.tar.gz /var/updates
```

```
cd /var/updates
```

```
tar -xvzf <updatename>.tar.gz
```

```
cd <updatename>
```

But that's a *.tar.gz. Is *.tgz the same as *.tar.gz? And on the *.zip. Just unzip the file and do below.

```
esxupdate -r file:/var/updates/<updatename> update
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And any last word for openssl upgrade on an ESX vmware center. Any comments like reboot console or reboot server.

Please help, thanks.



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you are correct. A filename.tar.gz is the same as filename.tgz

Take a look at this [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tar_\(file_format\)](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tar_(file_format))

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For .zip files, you want to use unzip. Then follow your normal process.

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