

VDAB Server Updates

VDAB can be updated using built in updating flows or by manually applying update packages. This document describes how to manually apply a server update.

Before This

You should have successfully installed VDAB and know where the VDAB base installation directory is located on your computer. You should know how to start and stop VDAB.
If you are updating a UNIX system you should be familiar with basic operations on your UNIX platform including file management and unzipping archives.

Related Documentation

The following document and tutorials either are a) available or b) being developed to further support this subject.

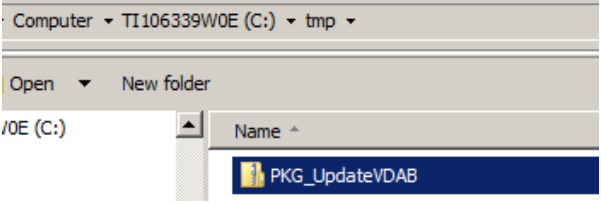
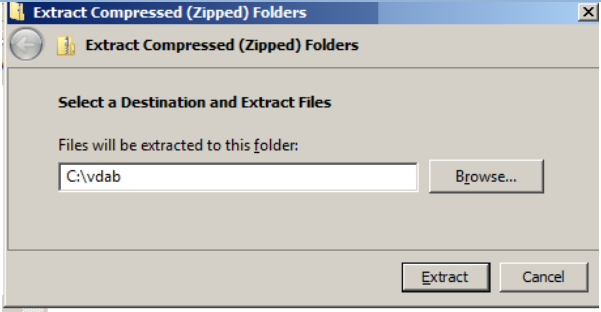
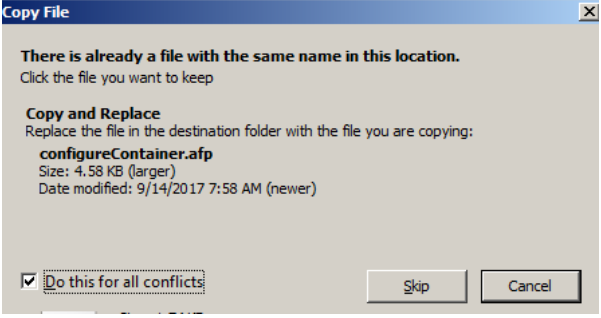
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Related Guides	Details
UNIX Server Installation	This document provides complete installation instructions for installing VDAB on a UNIX server.
Windows Server Installation	This document provides complete installation instructions for installing VDAB on a Windows server.
VDAB Directories Reference	Reference document detailing the standard directory layout used by VDAB.

Manually applying an update on Windows

Updates are provided as zip file with a filename prefix of PKG_ and an extension of zip. The file may or may not include the data of the version.

Updates are applied by simply unzipping this zip file into the base VDAB installation directory. If you know that you want to only take part of the update, copy only the files of interest into the same folder in your base installation.

<p>1. Obtain the update file from the vtabtec.com website. The file should have the prefix PKG and should indicate the version.</p>	
<p>2. Copy the update file to a temporary directory .</p>	
<p>3. Right click on the update file and select to Extract All. When asked for the destination, specify the base VDAB installation directory. This location varies by installation but in this installation is C:\vdab.</p>	
<p>4. Choose the option to copy and replace all conflicting files.</p>	
<p>5. Restart VDAB.</p>	

Manually applying an update on UNIX

Updates are provided as zip file with a filename prefix of PKG_ and an extension of zip.

The file may or may not include the date of the update package.

Updates are applied by simply unzipping this zip file into the base VDAB installation directory.

If you know that you want to only take part of the update, copy only the files of interest into the same folder in your base installation.

Specific directions for updating for UNIX are not provided. It is assumed that your UNIX administrator will understand how to perform this operation for your version of UNIX.