

Vision Maintenance Release 1.2

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Summary

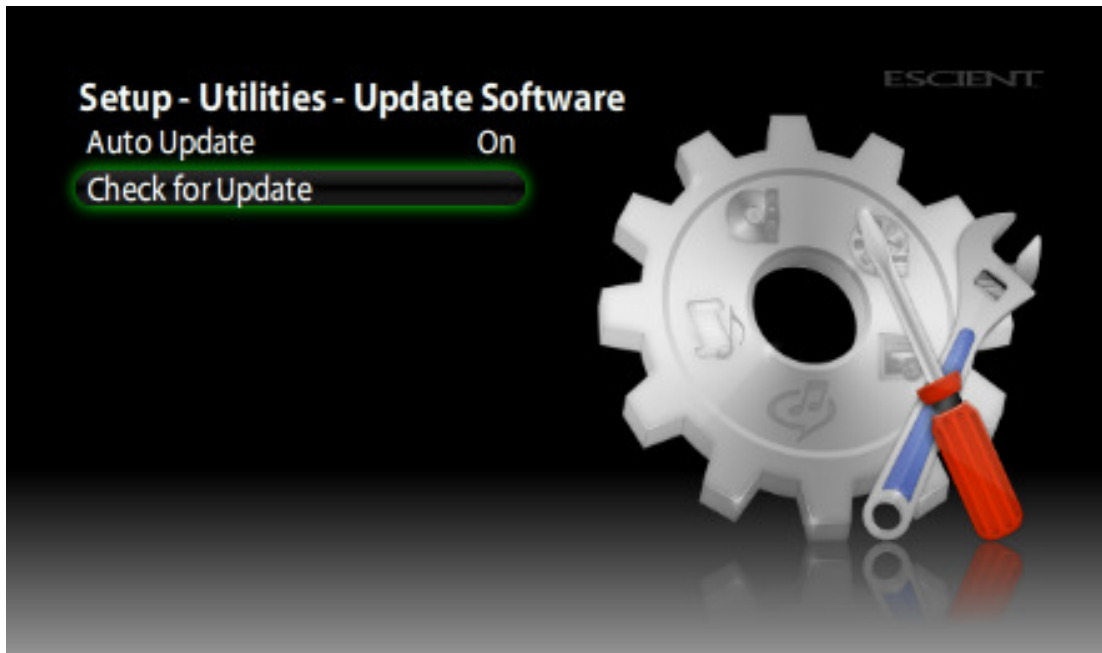
The Vision maintenance release 1.2 update is recommended for all Vision-VS and Vision-VC Media Servers currently running 1.0.2.0 and later. It includes several new features and a number of bug fixes that improve the stability, compatibility, and performance of your Vision system. A software update is also available for the Vision-VX servers but this is a minor bug fix update so it is still a v1.0 update.

Important: Read before updating

- It is required that you have your Vision properly configured and connected to the Internet prior to installing any updates.
- Stop playback and/or import of all media before starting the installation.
- The installation process should not be interrupted even if the progress bar remains unchanged for several minutes. If a power outage or other interruption occurs during installation, contact Escient Tech Support to obtain an update CD.

Installing the update

To update to the Vision maintenance release 1.2, wait for the automatic update period (one per week) or manually trigger the update by selecting **Check for Updates** from the **Setup/Utilities/Software Update** menu on your Vision.



The software update process may take several minutes to download and run depending on the speed of your Internet connection and the current load on the Escient update servers. When the update is complete, the Vision will reboot itself and display the main menu. You can verify the current software version by viewing the **System Information** screen from the **Setup/Utilities/System Information** menu on your Vision.

New Features in MR 1.2

- Sony BDP-CX7000ES Blu-Ray Changer support (BD and DVD discs only)
- Playback Behavior Options and the ability to Replace the Music Queue
- DVD On-Screen display
- Gracenote VideoID® Service
- Multi-language support (English, Spanish, French, German, Italian, and Dutch)
- DVD Playback Frequency recognition for NTSC and PAL formats DVDs
- Music Compilation Tag support
- Cover art support for FLAC audio files

Improvements in MR 1.2

General

- Improved overall system stability
- Improved system memory usage
- Faster startup
- More reliable media streaming for movies and music
- Faster RAID re-syncing

Video

- Improved DVD playback
- Improved sharpness and black levels
- Improved de-interlacing of 30fps video
- Elimination of video stuttering
- Improved HDMI connectivity
- “Play Movie” feature removed for improved compatibility

Audio

- Faster audio playback
- Rhapsody playback reliability is improved

Additional Information

Additional information about this software update may be found by visiting the Escient Support web site at <http://www.escient.com/support> or by calling our Tech Support team directly at 1-800-ESCIENT.