

# Linux

## How do I upgrade from Debian Etch to Debian Lenny?

Hi Folks,

Lenny is out for a few days now and the upgrade process is quite straight forward:  
(please do that in textmode and not in your GUI, so KDE or whatever can be restarted without any issues)

- vi /etc/apt/sources.list  
(change etch to lenny)  
Should look a bit like this:

```
deb http://ftp.nl.debian.org/debian lenny main contrib non-free
deb http://security.debian.org lenny/updates main contrib
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- aptitude update
- aptitude install apt dpkg aptitude  
(accept the first solution, it is fine)
- aptitude full-upgrade  
(read through the suggestion, but the first one is usually the best)
- aptitude upgrade

enjoy!

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