

Debian-User: upgrade a packge

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Hi there,

I need help to upgrade a certain package. I used following command:

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apt-get upgrade perl
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Once I do this it gives me a list of packages and goes back to the prompt. I see perl-base in the list.

Can I upgrade single package ?? There is sendmail also in the list so if

I upgrade all the packages I am afraid that sendmail will also get

upgraded and so is the configuration files. I don't want to affect my

mailing system.

Any Help !!

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