

Re: To dselect or aptitude, that is the question

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On 2004-04-21, Michael D Schleif penned:

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>
> I would have been using aptitude long ago, _except_ for this hurdle on
> my systems:
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> # sudo aptitude -P upgrade
> Password:
> Reading Package Lists... Done
> Building Dependency Tree =20
> Reading extended state information... Done
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I think this is the relevant part:

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> The following packages are unused and will be REMOVED:
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Do you have this line in ~/.aptitude/config

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aptitude::Delete-Unused "true";
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Search for "TRACKING UNUSED PACKAGES" in /usr/share/doc/aptitude/README for more details.

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