

SLAC PingER MA administration

This is a Linux VM `pinger.slac.stanford.edu`

It is centrally managed. Thus required patches are automatically applied. The machine is scanned and if you are notified that a reboot is required to activate the patches then if you have sudo access you can proceed as follows:

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sudo yum -y update
sudo reboot
Example:
455cottrell@pinger:~$sudo yum -y update
[sudo] password for cottrell:
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for cottrell:
Loaded plugins: refresh-packagekit, security Setting up
Update Process
dag | 951 B 00:00
dag-noarch | 951 B 00:00
epel | 4.7 kB 00:00
epel/primary_db | 5.1 MB 00:00
openafs-stanford | 951 B 00:00
sl | 951 B 00:00
slac-noarch | 951 B 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-6 | 4.1 kB 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-6-thirdparty-oracle-java | 3.3 kB 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-dts2-6 | 3.3 kB 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-optional-6 | 4.1 kB 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-rh-common-6 | 3.3 kB 00:00
slac-rhel-i386-server-supplementary-6 | 3.6 kB 00:00
No Packages marked for Update
456cottrell@pinger:~$sudo reboot
457cottrell@pinger:~$
Broadcast message from cottrell@pinger
(/dev/pts/1) at 13:43 ...

The system is going down for reboot NOW!
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