

# Perform System Upgrade and Install Feature Packages

The system upgrade and package installation processes are executed using **install** commands on the NCS 1001. The processes involve adding and activating the iso images (*.iso*), feature packages (*.rpm*), and software maintenance upgrade files (*.smu*) on the NCS 1001. These files are accessed from a network server and then activated on the NCS 1001. If the installed package or SMU causes any issue, it can be uninstalled.

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## **Upgrade the System**

Upgrading the system is the process of installing a new version of the Cisco IOS XR operating system on the NCS 1001. The NCS 1001 comes pre-installed with the Cisco IOS XR image. However, you can install the new version in order to keep features up to date. The system upgrade operation is performed from the XR mode. However, during system upgrade, the operating systems that run both on the XR and the System Admin get upgraded.

System upgrade is done by installing a base package—Cisco IOS XR Core Bundle plus Manageability Package. The file name for this bundle is *ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso*. Install this ISO image using **install** commands. For more information about the install process, see Workflow for Install Process, on page 14.

## **Software Upgrade and Downgrade Matrix**

The following table lists the upgrade and downgrade paths supported for Cisco NCS 1001.

Upgrade Path		Downgrade Path				
Source Release	Destination Release	Source Release	Destination Release			
R7.3.1, R7.5.2, R7.7.1, R7.8.1, R7.9.1	R7.10.1	R7.10.1	R7.9.1, R7.8.1, R7.7.1, R7.5.2, R7.3.1			

## **Software Compatibility Matrix**

The following table describes the software compatibility for all firmware.

Table 1: Software Compatibility Matrix

FPD	R621	R622	R6.3.1	R6.3.2	R6.5.1	R6.5.2	R7.0.0	R7.0.1	R7.1.1	R7.12	R721	R731 and R732	R751, R752, and R7.7.1	R7.81, R7.91, and 7.10.1
FW_PSMv1	1.38	1.38	1.43	1.45	1.45	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51
FW_PSMv2	0.09	0.09	0.12	0.14	0.14	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16	0.16
FW_PSMv3														1.64 only for 7.10.1
Control_ BKP	1.07	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
Control_ FPGA	1.07	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10
FW_EDFAv1	1.39	1.39	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.51	1.54	1.55	1.56	1.56	1.56	1.60	1.60 for R75.1 and 1.61 for R752 and R77.1	1.61
FW_EDFAv2	0.12	0.12	0.28	0.31	0.37	0.37	0.39	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.40	0.43	0.43	0.45
FW_OIDR_p	NA	NA	NA	NA	5.02	5.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.02	6.03	6.03	6.03
FW_OIDR_s	NA	NA	NA	NA	1.47	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51
PO-PriMCU (AC)	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.00	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0

FPD	R621	R622	R6.3.1	R6.3.2	R6.5.1	R6.5.2	R7.0.0	R7.0.1	R7.1.1	R7.12	R721	R7.3.1 and R7.3.2	R751, R752, and R7.7.1	R7.81, R7.91, and 7.10.1
PO-PriMCU (DC)	NA	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.10	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	1.14	2.01
BIOS_ Backup	13.50	13.60	13.80	14.20	14.20	14.20	14.20	14.50	14.60	14.60	15.10	15.10	15.10	15.10
BIOS_ Primary	13.50	13.60	13.80	14.20	14.20	14.20	14.20	14.50	14.60	14.60	15.10	15.10	15.10	15.10 for 7.8.1 and 7.9.1; 15.30 for 7.10.1
Daisy_ Duke_ BKP	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20
Daisy_ Duke_ FPGA	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20

## **Upgrade the Firmware**

Use the following procedure to upgrade the firmware.



Attention

If you are upgrading FPDs from R7.8.1 to later releases, refer to Upgrade FPDs, on page 10 for serialized upgrade.



Note

The output of this procedure is related to R7.7.1. The FPDs to be installed for later releases are different. Refer to Software Compatibility Matrix, on page 2 for FPD versions.



Note

The BIOS and Daisy Duke FPD upgrade from R6.3.x and R6.5.x to R7.1.1, R7.1.2, R7.3.1, R7.3.2, R7.5.1, R7.5.2, R7.7.1, R7.8.1, R7.9.1, or R7.10.1 must be executed with proper steps. We recommend that you read through the entire procedure before performing any upgrade steps.

#### **Procedure**

Perform the procedures in the following sequence.

- **a.** Upgrade BIOS and Daisy Duke FPDs, on page 4
- **b.** Upgrade Control FPGA and Control BKP FPDs, on page 6
- c. Upgrade PSM, on page 7
- **d.** Upgrade EDFA, on page 9

## **Upgrade BIOS and Daisy Duke FPDs**



#### Attention

This procedure is valid only until Release 7.7.1.

From R7.0.1 and later, the upgrade procedure also updates the secure boot keys.



### Caution

Ensure that secure boot keys are updated prior to other FPD upgrades. If BIOS and Daisy Duke FPGA FPDs are upgraded without updating the secure boot keys, it can lead to RMA of the device.



Note

- BIOS downgrade is not supported once BIOS FPD is upgraded to 15.10.
- The 15.10 BIOS FPD version does not have issues for software images prior to R7.2.1. If the user needs to downgrade the software image prior to R7.2.1, the BIOS FPDs always show the status as "NEED UPGRADE".

## Before you begin

- For software upgrades from any release to R7.0.1 and later, disable auto-fpd upgrade using the **fpd auto-upgrade disable** command.
- Install SMUs for R6.3.2 and R6.5.2 software to upgrade the FPDs with secure boot keys and then upgrade the software to R7.0.1 and later.

## **Procedure**

**Step 1** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from IOS XR console.

## Example:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

, , , , , , ,						FPD	Versions	
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd	_
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control BKP	В	NEED UPGI	)	1.09	
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control FPGA		NEED UPGI	1.09	1.09	
0/1	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv2		NEED UPGI	0.31	0.31	
0/2	NCS1K-PSM	0.0	FW PSMv2		NEED UPGI	0.12	0.12	
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv2		NEED UPGI	0.31	0.31	
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS Backup	BS	NEED UPGI	)	13.80	
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS Primary	S	NEED UPGI	13.80	13.80	
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy Duke BKP	BS	NEED UPGI	)	0.17	
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy Duke FPGA	S	NEED UPGI	0.17	0.17	

- **Step 2** Enter the **upgrade hw-module location 0/RP0 fpd all** command from IOS XR console to upgrade the BIOS and Daisy Duke FPDs.
- **Step 3** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command again from IOS XR console to view the status of BIOS and Daisy Duke FPDs.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

					_	FPD Ve	rsions
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status		Programd
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control BKP	В	NEED UPGI		1.09
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control FPGA		NEED UPGI	1.09	1.09
0/1	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv2		NEED UPGI	0.31	0.31
0/2	NCS1K-PSM	0.0	FW PSMv2		NEED UPGI	0.12	0.12
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv2		NEED UPGI	0.31	0.31
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS Backup	BS	RLOAD REG	Q	15.10
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS Primary	S	RLOAD REG	13.80	15.10
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy Duke BKP	BS	CURRENT		0.20
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_FPGA	S	RLOAD REQ	0.17	0.20

- **Step 4** Enter the **admin** command to change to admin console.
- **Step 5** Enter the **hw-module location 0/RP0 reload** command to reload NCS 1001.

The system reboots within few seconds.

**Step 6** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from the admin console to view the status of BIOS and Daisy Duke FPDs.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

						FPD Vers	510NS
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd
0/0 0/0 0/1 0/2 0/3 0/RP0	NCS1001-K9 NCS1001-K9 NCS1K-EDFA NCS1K-PSM NCS1K-EDFA NCS1K-EDFA NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0	Control_BKP Control_FPGA FW_EDFAv2 FW_PSMv2 FW_EDFAv2 BIOS_Backup	B B	NEED UPGI NEED UPGI NEED UPGI NEED UPGI NEED UPGI CURRENT	1.09 D 0.31 D 0.12	1.09 1.09 0.31 0.12 0.31 15.10
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	CURRENT	15.10	15.10

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0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	CURRENT		0.20
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy Duke FPGA	S	CURRENT	0.20	0.20

## What to do next

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## **Upgrade Control FPGA and Control BKP FPDs**



#### **Attention**

This procedure is valid only until Release 7.7.1.

Upgrade the Control FPGA and Control BKP FPDs before upgrading the FPDs of PSM and EDFA optical modules.



### Caution

Traffic loss might occur if the following steps are not followed.

## **Procedure**

**Step 1** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from admin console.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

						FPD Ve	rsions
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control BKP	В	NEED UPG	D	1.09
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		NEED UPG	D 1.09	1.09

Step 2 Enter the upgrade hw module location 0/0 fpd Control\_FPGA command from admin console to upgrade the Control FPGA FPD.

**Note** Wait for Control FPGA FPD status to reach the RLOAD REQ state.

**Step 3** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from IOS XR console to view the status of Control FPGA FPD.

#### Example:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

		-				FPD Ve	ersions
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd
0/0	NCS1001-K9 NCS1001-K9		Control_BKP Control_FPGA	В	NEED UPGI RLOAD REÇ		1.09

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Step 4 Enter the upgrade hw-module location 0/0 fpd Control\_BKP command from admin console to upgrade the Control BKP FPD.

**Note** Wait for Control BKP FPD status to reach the CURRENT state.

**Step 5** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from IOS XR console to view the status of Control BKP FPD.

## Example

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

Location	Card type	HWver FPD device	ATR Status	Running Programd
0/0	NCS1001-K9 NCS1001-K9	0.1 Control_BKP 0.1 Control_FPGA	B CURRENT RLOAD RE	

**Step 6** Enter the **hw-module location 0/RP0 reload** command from admin console to reload NCS 1001.

The system reboots within few seconds.

Step 7 Enter the show hw-module fpd command from the admin console to view the status of Control FPGA and Control BKP FPDs.

## Example:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running F	rogramd
0/0 0/0	NCS1001-K9 NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP Control_FPGA	В	CURRENT CURRENT	1.10	1.10 1.10

## What to do next

Upgrade PSM, on page 7

## **Upgrade PSM**



Attention

This procedure is valid only until Release 7.7.1.



Note

When you upgrade the FW\_PSMv1 FPD from 1.38 to 1.43 or higher version, traffic is affected for around 120 seconds.

FPD Versions



Note

When you upgrade the FW PSMv1 FPD from 1.43 to higher version, traffic is affected.

Perform the following steps to upgrade PSM in section protection configuration.

#### **Procedure**

**Step 1** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from IOS XR console.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR Status	Running Programd
0/2	NCS1K-PSM	0.0	FW_PSMv1	NEED UPGD	a.bc x.yz

**Step 2** Enter the **show controllers ots** 0/2/0/\* **summary** command to check the port status.

If the output shows Ots0\_2\_0\_2 Protected Active, switch the PSM state to Ots0\_2\_0\_1 Working Active and Ots0\_2\_0\_2 Protected Standby.

- Step 3 config
- Enter the **no hw-module location 0/RP0/CPU0 slot 2 psm lockout-from WORKING** to move the PSM state to **Ots0\_2\_0\_1 Working Active** without any lockout in place.
- Step 5 commit
- Step 6 Enter the **hw-module slot 2 manual-switch-to WORKING** command from IOS XR console to switch the traffic manually from the protect to the working path.

PSM switch causes traffic loss for less than 50 ms.

Step 7 Enter the show controllers ots 0/2/0\* summary command to check the output.

If the switch to the Working port is successful, **Ots0\_2\_0\_1 Working** port is reported as **Active**. If the switch to the Working port is successful, check whether the far-end node is also active on the same port.

Step 8 Enter the show controllers ots 0/2/0/\* summary command on the far-end node to verify that Ots0\_2\_0\_1 Working port is reported as Active.

**Note** If the status of PSM Working port is still Standby, it indicates that the previous switch command was not successful.

Failure to switch to the Working path indicates that the Working path is alarmed, or a **lockout-from working** is intentionally set in the configuration. In both the cases, further troubleshooting of the overall Working path (near-end node to far-end node) is required to resolve outstanding problems.

When both the near-end and far-end nodes are **Active** on the Working port, proceed with the following upgrade steps.

Step 9 Enter the upgrade hw module location 0/2 fpd FW\_PSMv1 command from IOS XR console to upgrade the PSMv1 FPD.

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If the FPD type is FW\_PSMv2, the above command changes to **upgrade hw module location 0/1 fpd FW\_PSMv2**.

If the configuration includes path protection topology, FW\_PSMv1 upgrade is traffic-affecting and can be done using the force option as follows:

Enter the **upgrade hw module location 0/2 fpd FW\_PSMv1 force** command from IOS XR console to upgrade the PSMv1 FPD.

**Step 10** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from the admin console to view the status of PSM FPD.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

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Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd
NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control BKP	В	CURRENT		1.10
NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control FPGA		CURRENT	1.10	1.10
NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv2		CURRENT	0.43	0.43
NCS1K-PSM	0.0	FW_PSMv2		CURRENT	0.16	0.16
NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		CURRENT	1.60	1.60
NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		CURRENT	1.60	1.60
	NCS1001-K9 NCS1001-K9 NCS1K-EDFA NCS1K-PSM NCS1K-EDFA	NCS1001-K9 0.1 NCS1001-K9 0.1 NCS1K-EDFA 0.0 NCS1K-PSM 0.0 NCS1K-EDFA 0.0	NCS1001-K9 0.1 Control_BKP NCS1001-K9 0.1 Control_FPGA NCS1K-EDFA 0.0 FW_EDFAv2 NCS1K-PSM 0.0 FW_PSMv2 NCS1K-EDFA 0.0 FW_EDFAv1	NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_BKP         B           NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_FPGA           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv2           NCS1K-PSM         0.0         FW_PSMv2           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv1	NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_BKP         B         CURRENT           NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_FPGA         CURRENT           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv2         CURRENT           NCS1K-PSM         0.0         FW_PSMv2         CURRENT           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv1         CURRENT	NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_BKP         B         CURRENT           NCS1001-K9         0.1         Control_FPGA         CURRENT         1.10           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv2         CURRENT         0.43           NCS1K-PSM         0.0         FW_PSMv2         CURRENT         0.16           NCS1K-EDFA         0.0         FW_EDFAv1         CURRENT         1.60

**Note** Wait for PSM FPD status to reach the CURRENT state.

## What to do next

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## **Upgrade EDFA**



Attention

This procedure is valid only until Release 7.7.1.

To upgrade each EDFA module present in NCS 1001, you must identify the correct location, based on the specific FPD device.

## **Procedure**

Step 1 Enter the upgrade hw module location 0/1 fpd FW\_EDFAv1 force command from IOS XR console to upgrade the EDFA FPD.

If the FPD type is FW\_EDFAv2, the above command changes to **upgrade hw module location 0/1 fpd FW EDFAv2 force**.

**Step 2** Enter the **show hw-module fpd** command from IOS XR console to view the status of EDFA FPD.

**Note** Wait for EDFA FPD status to reach the CURRENT state.

## **Example:**

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show hw-module fpd

				FPD		FPD Ve	Versions	
Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running	Programd	
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control BKP	В	CURRENT		1.10	
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control FPGA		CURRENT	1.10	1.10	
0/1	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv2		CURRENT	0.43	0.43	
0/2	NCS1K-PSM	0.0	FW PSMv2		CURRENT	0.16	0.16	
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv1		CURRENT	1.60	1.60	
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW EDFAv1		CURRENT	1.60	1.60	

When you upgrade the FW\_EDFAv1 FPD from 1.38 to 1.43 or higher version, traffic is affected for around 120 seconds due to restart of line amplifier. FW\_EDFAv2 FPD is not affected by this issue.

- **Step 3** (Only for FW\_EDFAv1 FPD) Enter the **admin** command to change to admin console.
- **Step 4** (Only for FW\_EDFAv1 FPD) Enter the **hw-module location 0/slot reload** command to perform hardware reset of the EDFA module.
- Step 5 (Only for FW\_EDFAv1 FPD) After the reload, check the state of EDFA modules using the show controllers ots 0/slot/0/0 and show controllers ots 0/slot/0/0 commands.

## Example:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show controllers ots 0/1/0/0
Fri Jan 22 10:14:29.305 CET
Controller State: Down
Transport Admin State: In Service
Port Type: Com
Laser State: Off
Optics Status::
```

Step 6 (Only for FW\_EDFAv1 FPD) If the Laser State field is reported as Off, restart the laser using the controller ots 0/slot/0/port osri on and controller ots 0/slot/0/portosri off commands.

## **Upgrade FPDs**

**Table 2: Feature History** 

Feature Name	Release	Description
FPD Upgrade Enhancement	Cisco IOS XR Release 7.8.1	FPD upgrade is made easy with a new command upgrade hw-module location all fpd all. It performs the end-to-end upgrade of all FPD modules with a single execution. As a result, the need to make progressive upgrades is eliminated.

From Release 7.8.1, the upgrade of the NCS 1001 FPD devices is serialized and requires no manual intervention. The command works only when the FPD devices are in **NEED UPGD** status.

You can also use the upgrade hw-module location all fpd all force command to force the upgrade of the FPD devices. This command upgrades all the components forcefully even if the FPDs are in the current version.



Note

The upgrade hw-module location all fpd all force command on FW\_PSMv1 from 1.43 to higher version is traffic-affecting.

The FPD devices upgrade in the following sequence:

 Control\_BKP Control\_FPGA



Note

After upgrade of control\_BKP and control\_FPGA FPDs, the NCS 1001 controller cards reload automatically

- FPDs of NCS 1001 cards in slots 1, 2, and 3
- 3. BIOS\_Backup

BIOS\_Primary

Daisy\_Duke\_BKP

Daisy\_Duke\_FPGA

## **Procedure**

#### Step 1 Use the **show hw-module fpd** command to check the status of the FPD.

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show hw-module fpd

The following output shows the details of the FPD devices.

Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	Running
Programd 0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP	В	NEED UPGD	1.09
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		NEED UPGD	1.09
0/1 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		NEED UPGD	1.43
0/2 6.02	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_p		NEED UPGD	6.02
0/2 1.47	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_s		NEED UPGD	1.47
0/3 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		NEED UPGD	1.43
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Backup	BS	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0 13.80	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	NEED UPGD	0.20

0/RPO NCS1K-CNTLR2 0.1 Daisy\_Duke\_FPGA S NEED UPGD 0.20 0.20

**Step 2** To upgrade all the FPD devices, execute the following command:

 $\label{eq:rp_operate_hw-module} $$\operatorname{RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios\#upgrade\ hw-module\ location\ all\ fpd\ all}$$$ 

**Step 3** To check the status of the FPD devices, execute the following command:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show hw-module fpd

The following output shows the status of control\_BKP and control\_FPGA as current and RLOAD REQ.

Note The control\_BKP and control\_FPGA FPD devices reload automatically.

Location Programd	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	FPD Versions Running
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP	В	Current	1.10
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		RLOAD REQ	1.10
0/1 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		NEED UPGD	1.43
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_p		NEED UPGD	6.02
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_s		NEED UPGD	1.47
0/3 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		NEED UPGD	1.43
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Backup	BS	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0 13.80	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	NEED UPGD	0.20
0/RP0 0.20	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_FPGA	S	NEED UPGD	0.20

After the status of the control\_BKP and control\_FPGA FPD devices becomes current, repeat the previous step to check the status of other FPDs.

The following output shows that all the optical cards are upgraded with the status as current.

Location Programd	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	FPD Versions Running
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP	В	Current	1.10
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		Current	1.10
0/1 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_p		Current	6.02
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_s		Current	1.47
0/3 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Backup	BS	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0 13.80	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	NEED UPGD	13.80
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	NEED UPGD	0.20

0/RP0 NCS1K-CNTLR2 0.1 Daisy\_Duke\_FPGA S NEED UPGD 0.20 0.20

**Step 5** To see if all the FPD devices are upgraded, use the following command:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show hw-module fpd

The following output shows the status of the BIOS and Daisy\_Duke FPDs as RLOAD REQ.

Location	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	FPD Versions Running
Programd 0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP	В	Current	1.10
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		Current	1.10
0/1 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_p		Current	6.02
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_s		Current	1.47
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Backup	BS	RLOAD REQ	15.10
0/RP0 15.10	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	RLOAD REQ	15.10
0/RP0 0.20	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	RLOAD REQ	
0.20 0/RP0 0.20	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_FPGA	S	RLOAD REQ	0.20

**Step 6** To reload the BIOS and Daisy\_Duke FPDs, execute the following command:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#hw-module location 0/RP0 reload

**Step 7** Use the **show hw-module fpd** command to check the status of the upgraded FPD devices.

 ${\tt RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios\#show~hw-module~fpd}$ 

The following output shows the details of the upgraded FPD devices with their status highlighted as current.

Location Programd	Card type	HWver	FPD device	ATR	Status	FPD Versions Running
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_BKP	В	Current	1.10
0/0	NCS1001-K9	0.1	Control_FPGA		Current	1.10
0/1 1.43	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_p		Current	6.02
0/2	NCS1K-OTDR	0.0	FW_OTDR_s		Current	1.47
0/3	NCS1K-EDFA	0.0	FW_EDFAv1		Current	1.43
0/RP0	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Backup	BS	Current	15.10
0/RP0 15.10	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	BIOS_Primary	S	Current	15.10
0/RP0 0.20	NCS1K-CNTLR2	0.1	Daisy_Duke_BKP	BS	Current	

0/RP0 NCS1K-CNTLR2 0.1 Daisy\_Duke\_FPGA S **Current** 0.20

## **Install Packages**

Packages and software patches (SMU) can be installed on NCS 1001. Installing a package on NCS 1001 installs specific features that are part of that package. Cisco IOS XR software is divided into various software packages; this enables you to select the features to run on NCS 1001. Each package contains components that perform a specific set of NCS 1001 functions.

The naming convention of the package is <platform>-<pkg>-<pkg version>-<release version>.<architecture>.rpm. Standard packages are:

Feature Set	Filename	Description			
Composite Package	1				
Cisco IOS XR Core Bundle + Manageability Package	ncs1001-iosxr-px-k9-7.10.1.tar	Contains required core packages, including OS, Admin, Base, Forwarding, SNMP Agent, FPD, and Alarm Correlation and Netconf-yang, Telemetry, Extensible Markup Language (XML) Parser, HTTP server packages.			
Individually-Installable Optional Packages					
Cisco IOS XR Security Package	ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm	Support for Encryption, Decryption, IP Security (IPSec), Secure Socket Layer (SSL), and Public-key infrastructure (PKI).			

## **Workflow for Install Process**

To install a package, see Install Packages, on page 17. To uninstall a package, see Uninstall Packages, on page 23. The workflow for installation and uninstallation processes are depicted in individual flowcharts in their respective subsections.

## Creating Repository to Access Files for Upgrading IOS XR Software

To install packages (RPM), code upgrades, and updates in XR, you need to copy the required RPMs to a reachable repository to download and install. You can host the repository locally on the router or on a remote server that can be accessed via FTP, HTTP, or HTTPS.

When you access the repository remotely, you must provide a repository URL from where the install files are fetched. The URL contains:

· IP address of the server

Port number of the server

The format of the repository URL is one of the following:

- FTP: ftp://[;]/
- HTTP: http://[;]/
- HTTPS: https://[;]/
- Local: file:///

The path to the repository must be under /harddisk:/ location, for example, the URL for HTTP server is http://172.16.0.0:3333/.



Note

Username and password are not supported for HTTP and FTP repositories.

## **Create and Configure a Local Repository**

The router can serve as a repository to host the RPMs. You must be a **root-lr** user with access to the router shell. Remote repository is the recommended method to access the RPMs. However, if remote repository is not your preferred option, then you can use the router as a repository to host the RPMs.

Using a local repository removes the need to setup an external server for software installation. In this method, the image files are copied directly to the router, and used to create a repository locally. However, on the downside, the files for future updates must be copied to each router individually.

The following process explains how to set up a local RPM repository on the router.

## **Procedure**

**Step 1** Create a directory locally on the router's /harddisk, for example, "new\_repo".

```
[node0_RP0_CPU0:/harddisk:]$mkdir /harddisk\:/new_repo
```

- **Step 2** Copy the required RPMs and ISO files (using the copy or scp command) from the server to the local directory on the router.
- **Step 3** Access the shell of the router using run the command and untar the RPMs.

```
Router#run
```

```
[node:~]$cd <directory-with-rpms>
[node:~]$tar -xvzf <rpm-name>.tgz
```

- **Step 4** Exit from the shell.
- **Step 5** Configure the local repository.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# install repository new_repo url file:/harddisk:/new_repo
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install commit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show running-config install repository new_repo
Mon Mar 6 16:46:45.891 IST install
  repository new_repo url file:/harddisk:/new_repo !
```

**Note** Only the top-level packages are displayed. The contents of the repository are displayed only when the configured repository is valid, and the RPMs are present in the repository. It displays only the packages that are available in the repository and not part of the active system.

## **Create and Configure an External Repository**

To create an external repository, use a server that can be reached over HTTP, HTTPS, or FTP. The following instructions are applicable to Linux distribution systems. Using an external repository provides a central common repository to be used across devices. This eliminates the need to copy files for future updates to each router individually. It also serves as a single source when new RPMs (bug fixes, packages, and updates) are made available. This is the recommended method to setup a repository.

Ensure that you have completed the following tasks:

- Set up your HTTP, HTTPS, or FTP server. Ensure that the server is reachable.
- Install the **createrepo** utility on the Linux distribution system (if not installed already).

#### **Procedure**

Step 1 Create a new directory on the server and copy all the RPMs to a directory. This directory hosts the repository and must be accessible to the HTTP, HTTPS, or FTP server that the router will use to access the repository. For example, /var/www/html, is the directory where the repository will be created.

If the RPM files are archived (.tar format) or compressed (.tgz or .gz format), extract the files. The files hierarchically arrange in sub directories under the main directory that is used as a repository.

Step 2 Convert the directory to a repository by running 'createrepo </path/to/repo-dir/>'. This creates a directory named **repodata** with the metadata of all the RPMs.

```
[node]$createrepo --database /var/www/html/
Saving Primary metadata
Saving file lists metadata
Saving other metadata
Generating sqlite DBs
Sqlite DBs complete
[node]$cd /var/www/html/
[node]$ls
Repodata
```

If you add new packages to the repository, change, or remove packages from the repository, you must run **createrepo** command again to update the metadata. This ensures that the package manager chooses the correct packages.

**Step 3** Configure the external repository.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# install repository new_repo url file:/harddisk:/new_repo RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install commit RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios# show running-config install repository new_repo Mon Mar 6 16:46:45.891 IST install repository new repo url file:/harddisk:/new repo ! !
```

Verify connectivity to the server and check the contents of the repository.

## **Install Packages**

Complete this task to upgrade the system or install a patch. The system upgrade is done using an ISO image file, while the patch installation is done using packages and SMUs. This task is also used to install .tar files. The .tar file contains multiple packages and SMUs that are merged into a single file. A single .tar file can contain up to 64 individual files. The packaging format defines one RPM per component, without dependency on the card type.

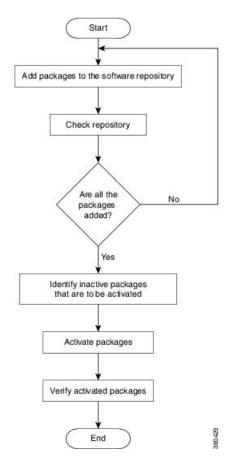


Note

To install a System Admin package or a XR package, execute the **install** commands in System Admin EXEC mode or XR EXEC mode respectively. All **install** commands are applicable in both these modes.

The workflow for installing a package is shown in this flowchart.

Figure 1: Installing Packages Workflow





Note

Disable auto-fpd upgrade before start of software upgrade.

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#configure
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios(config)#fpd auto-upgrade disable
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios(config)#commit
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios(config)#end
```

## Before you begin

- Configure and connect to the management port. You can access the installable file through the management port. For details about configuring the management port, see Configure Management Interface.
- You need to create either local or external repository to copy the tar file from FTP or TFTP server. For more information, See Creating Repository to Access Files for Upgrading IOS XR Software.
- Copy the package to be installed either on the NCS 1001 hard disk or on a network server to which the NCS 1001 has access.
- When ncs1001-k9sec package is not installed, use only FTP or TFTP to copy files or during the **install** add operation.

### **Procedure**

- **Step 1** Log into the Cisco software download site with your Cisco user ID and password.
- **Step 2** Click **Browse All** to see the product categories.
- Step 3 Select the software either by searching across all product categories or by entering the complete product name or a partial string in the search box.

## **Example:**

For example, NCS1001 software download page is available at https://software.cisco.com/download/home/286315098/type

- **Step 4** Download the Cisco IOS tar file either to FTP or TFTP server.
- **Step 5** Copy the tar file from the FTP or TFTP server either to router's harddisk or external repository.

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#copy tftp:ncs1001-iosxr-px-k9-7.10.1.tar harddisk RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#copy ftp:ncs1001-iosxr-px-k9-7.10.1.tar harddisk
```

**Note** This operation may take time, depending on the size of the files being added. For details about configuring the repository, see Creating Repository to Access Files for Upgrading IOS XR Software

- **Step 6** Execute **install add** command to extract and install the packages from the tar file.
  - install add source <tftp transfer protocol>/ package\_path/ filename1 filename2 ...
  - install add source <ftp or sftp transfer protocol>// user@server:/ package\_path/ filename1 filename2

### Example:

RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install add source harddisk: ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86\_64.rpm

or

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install add source tftp://10.58.230.32/mystique/iso/7.10.1/ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm

Thu Jul 25 14:26:43.661 CEST
Jul 25 14:26:47 Install operation 13 started by root:
install add source tftp://10.58.230.32/mystique/iso/7.10.1
ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
Jul 25 14:26:49 Install operation will continue in the background
```

Note

- A space must be provided between the *package\_path* and *filename*.
- Install operation over IPv6 is not supported.
- **Step 7** Execute **show install repository** to display packages that are added to the repository.

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:router#show install repository
```

**Step 8** (Optional) Execute the **show install request** command to display the operation ID of the add operation and its status. The operation ID can be used later to execute the activate command.

## Example:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show install request

User root, Op Id 13
install add
ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso

The install add operation 13 is 30% complete
......
Jul 25 14:46:36 Install operation 13 finished successfully
```

**Step 9** Execute **show install log** operation ID to display packages that are added to the repository.

## **Example:**

Packages are displayed only after the install add operation is complete.

**Step 10** Execute **show install inactive** to display inactive packages that are present in the repository. Only inactive packages can be activated.

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show install inactive
Thu Jul 25 14:51:45.852 CEST
2 inactive package(s) found:
    ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
    ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
```

- **Step 11** Execute one of the following commands for the pre-activation checks and load individual components of the installable files onto the router setup.
  - · install prepare
  - · install prepare id

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install prepare ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
or
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install prepare id 5
Fri Jul 26 11:36:41.163 CEST
Jul 26 11:36:45 Install operation 5 started by root:
install prepare pkg ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso pkg ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
Jul 26 11:36:46 Package list:
Jul 26 11:36:46 ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
Jul 26 11:36:46 ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
Jul 26 11:36:53 Install operation will continue in the background
Could not start this install operation. Install operation 5 is still in progress
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:152#Jul 26 11:48:57 Install operation 5 finished successfully
```

The prepare process takes place. This operation is performed in asynchronous mode. The **install prepare** command runs in the background, and the EXEC prompt is returned. **Install prepare** is the first step of the activation process. If you use the operation ID, all packages that were added in the specified operation are prepared together. For example, if 5 packages are added in operation 5, by executing the **install prepare id** 5 command, all 5 packages are prepared together. You do not have to prepare the packages individually.

- **Step 12** Execute one of the following commands for the package activation. **install activate** package\_name
  - Install activate package name
  - Install activate id operation\_id

## **Example:**

```
RP/O/RPO/CPU0:ios#install activate ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
Thu Jul 25 14:53:27.564 CEST

Jul 25 14:53:30 Install operation 14 started by root:
   install activate pkg ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101 ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1
Jul 25 14:53:30 Package list:
Jul 25 14:53:30 ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
Jul 25 14:53:31 ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso

This install operation will reload the system, continue?
[yes/no]:[yes] yes

Install operation will continue in the background
RP/O/RPO/CPU0:ios#show install log 14
```

```
Thu Jul 25 15:11:49.780 CEST
Jul 25 14:53:30 Install operation 14 started by root:
 install activate pkg ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86 64.rpm ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
Jul 25 14:53:30 Package list:
                ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86 64.rpm
Jul 25 14:53:30
Jul 25 14:53:31
                   ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
Jul 25 14:53:37 Action 1: install prepare action started
Jul 25 14:55:17 The prepared software is set to be activated with reload upgrade
Jul 25 14:55:18 This install operation will reload the system, continue?
 [yes/no]:[yes] yes
Jul 25 14:55:18 Install operation will continue in the background
Jul 25 14:55:18 Start preparing new VM for reload upgrade
Jul 25 15:06:17 All the above nodes completed System Upgrade prepare.
Jul 25 15:06:18 Action 1: install prepare action completed successfully
Jul 25 15:06:19 Action 2: install activate action started
Jul 25 15:06:19 The software will be activated with reload upgrade
Jul 25 15:06:22 Following nodes are available for System Upgrade activate:
Jul 25 15:06:22 0/RP0
Jul 25 15:11:09 Action 2: install activate action completed successfully
Jul 25 15:11:10 Action 2: install activate action completed successfully
Jul 25 15:11:20 Install operation 14 finished successfully
Jul 25 15:11:21 Ending operation 14
```

The package configurations are made active on the NCS 1001. As a result, new features and software fixes take effect. This operation is performed in asynchronous mode. The **install activate** command runs in the background, and the EXEC prompt is returned.

**Note** After an RPM of a higher version is activated, and if it is required to activate an RPM of a lower version, use the force option. For example:

Using the traditional method, add the RPM with lower version to the repository and then force the activation:

```
install add source repository ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
install activate ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm force
or
Using the install update command:
install update source repository ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
```

If you use the operation ID, all packages that were added in the specified operation are activated together. For example, if 5 packages are added in operation 2, all the 5 packages are activated together. You do not have to activate the packages individually.

**Step 13** Execute **show install active** to display active packages. You can verify from the result that the same image and package versions are active on all RPs and LCs

## **Example:**

Displays packages that are active.

**Step 14** Execute **install commit** to commit the Host, XR, and System Admin active software.

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install commit system

Thu Jul 25 17:05:27.364 CEST

Jul 25 17:05:30 Install operation 15 started by root:
   install commit system

Jul 25 17:05:31 Install operation will continue in the background

Jul 25 17:05:55 Install operation 15 finished successfully
```

#### Note

- If you perform a manual or automatic system reload without completing the transaction with the install commit command during system upgrade, the action will revert the system to the point before the install transaction commenced, including any configuration changes. Only the log is preserved for debugging. This action clears all configuration rollback points available. You will not be able to rollback to, or view, any commits made until the install rollback event. Any new commits made after the install rollback event will start from commit ID '1000000001'.
- On Multi-SDR mode, you can use the **install commit sdr** to commit just the sdr from where the CLI is being triggered.

## **Step 15** Execute **show install commit** command to display the committed packages.

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show install commit

Thu Jul 25 17:07:54.255 CEST

Node 0/RP0/CPU0 [RP]

Boot Partition: xr_lv48

Committed Packages: 2

ncs1001-xr-7.10.1 version=7.10.1[Boot image]

ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86 64.rpm
```

## What to do next

- After performing a system upgrade, upgrade FPD by using the **upgrade hw-module location all fpd all** command from the Cisco IOS XR mode. The progress of FPD upgrade process can be monitored using the **show hw-module fpd** command.
- Reload NCS 1001 if any FPD status is in RLOAD REQ state. If CTRL FPGA is in RLOAD REQ state, use the **hw-module location 0/0 reload** command. If Daisy Duke or BIOS is in RLOAD REQ state, use the **hw-module location 0/RP0 reload** command.
- Verify the installation using the **install verify packages** command.
- Uninstall the packages or SMUs if their installation causes any issues on the NCS 1001. See Uninstall Packages, on page 23.



Note

ISO images cannot be uninstalled. However, you can perform a system downgrade by installing an older ISO version.

## **Uninstall Packages**

Complete this task to uninstall a package. All the NCS 1001 functionalities that are part of the uninstalled package are deactivated. Packages that are added in the XR mode cannot be uninstalled from the System Admin mode, and vice versa.

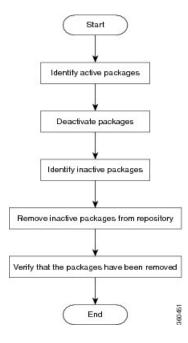


Note

Installed ISO images cannot be uninstalled. Also, kernel SMUs that install third party SMU on host, XR mode and System Admin mode, cannot be uninstalled. However, subsequent installation of ISO image or kernel SMU overwrites the existing installation.

The workflow for uninstalling a package is shown in this flowchart.

Figure 2: Uninstalling Packages Workflow



## **Procedure**

## **Step 1** show install active

## Example:

Displays active packages. Only active packages can be deactivated.

## **Step 2** show install repository

## **Example:**

```
show install repository
Thu Jul 25 16:52:03.432 CEST
2 package(s) in XR repository:
    ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
    ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86 64.rpm
```

## **Step 3** Execute one of these commands:

- install deactivate package\_name
- install deactivate id operation\_id

## Example:

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install deactivate ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86_64.rpm
or
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#install deactivate id 48
```

All features and software patches associated with the package are deactivated. You can specify multiple package names and deactivate them simultaneously.

If you use the operation ID, all packages that were added in the specified operation are deactivated together. You do not have to deactivate the packages individually.

## **Step 4** show install inactive

#### **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show install inactive
Thu Jul 25 16:27:54.005 CEST
1 inactive package(s) found:
    ncs1001-k9sec-1.0.0.0-r7101.x86 64.rpm
```

The deactivated packages are now listed as inactive packages. Only inactive packages can be removed from the repository.

## **Step 5** install remove package\_name

#### Example

The inactive packages are removed from the repository.

Use the **install remove** command with the **id** *operation-id* keyword and argument to remove all packages that were added for the specified operation ID.

## **Step 6** show install repository

## **Example:**

```
RP/0/RP0/CPU0:ios#show install repository
Thu Jul 25 16:52:03.432 CEST
.. package(s) in XR repository:
    ncs1001-mini-x-7.10.1.iso
```

Displays packages available in the repository. The package that are removed are no longer displayed in the result.

## What to do next

Install required packages. See Install Packages, on page 17.

**Uninstall Packages**