



## U Commands

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This chapter describes the basic Cisco NX-OS system commands that begin with U.

# update license

To update an existing license, use the **update license** command.

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update license [filesystem: [//server/]] [directory] src-filename [target-filename]
```

Syntax Description	
<i>filesystem:</i>	(Optional) Name of the file system. Valid values are <b>bootflash</b> or <b>volatile</b> .
<i>//server/</i>	(Optional) Name of the server. Valid values are <i>//</i> , <b>//module-1/</b> , <b>//sup-1/</b> , <b>//sup-active/</b> , or <b>//sup-local/</b> . The double slash ( <i>//</i> ) is required.
<i>directory</i>	(Optional) Name of a directory. The directory name is case sensitive.
<i>src-filename</i>	Name of the source license file.
<i>target-filename</i>	(Optional) Name of the target license file.



## Note

There can be no spaces in the *filesystem://server/directory/filename* string. Individual elements of this string are separated by colons (:) and slashes (/).

Command Default	
None	

Command Modes	
EXEC mode	

Command History	Release	Modification
	5.0(2)N1(1)	This command was introduced.

## Examples

This example shows how to update a license:

```
switch# update license bootflash:fm.lic fm-update.lic
```

Related Commands	Command	Description
	<b>show license</b>	Displays license information.