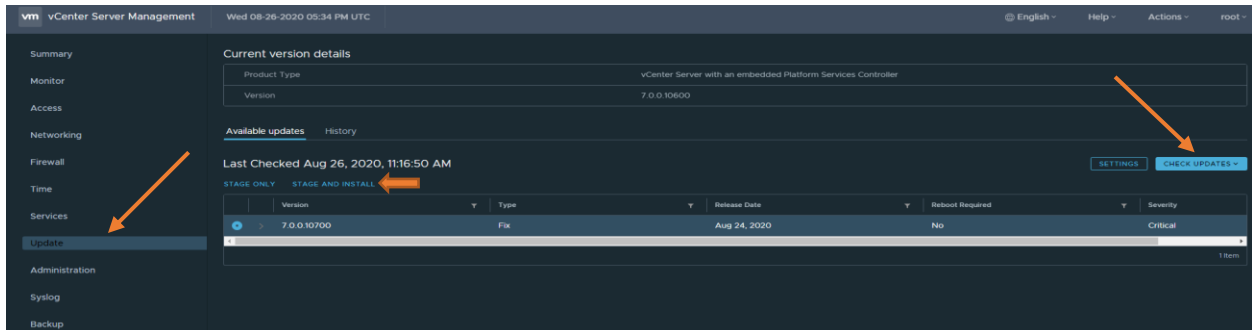


## Installing available updates to vCenter Server Appliance 7

In this post, I will show you the steps to install latest updates to vCenter Server Appliance. Login to Appliance Management Server.

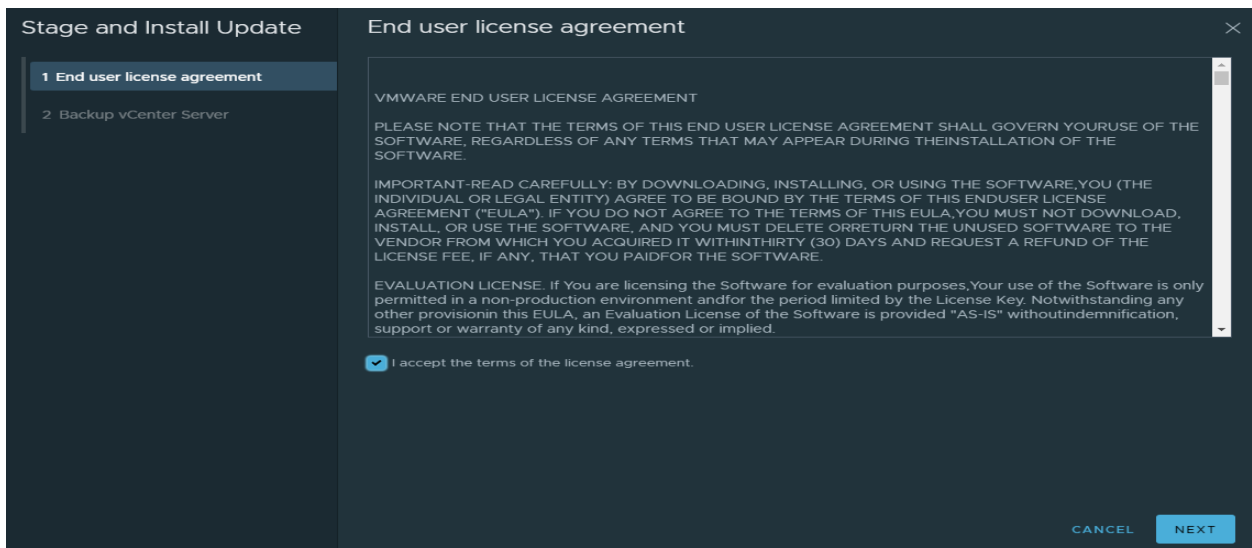
Click Update – Check Updates

When the updates are ready it is time to install.

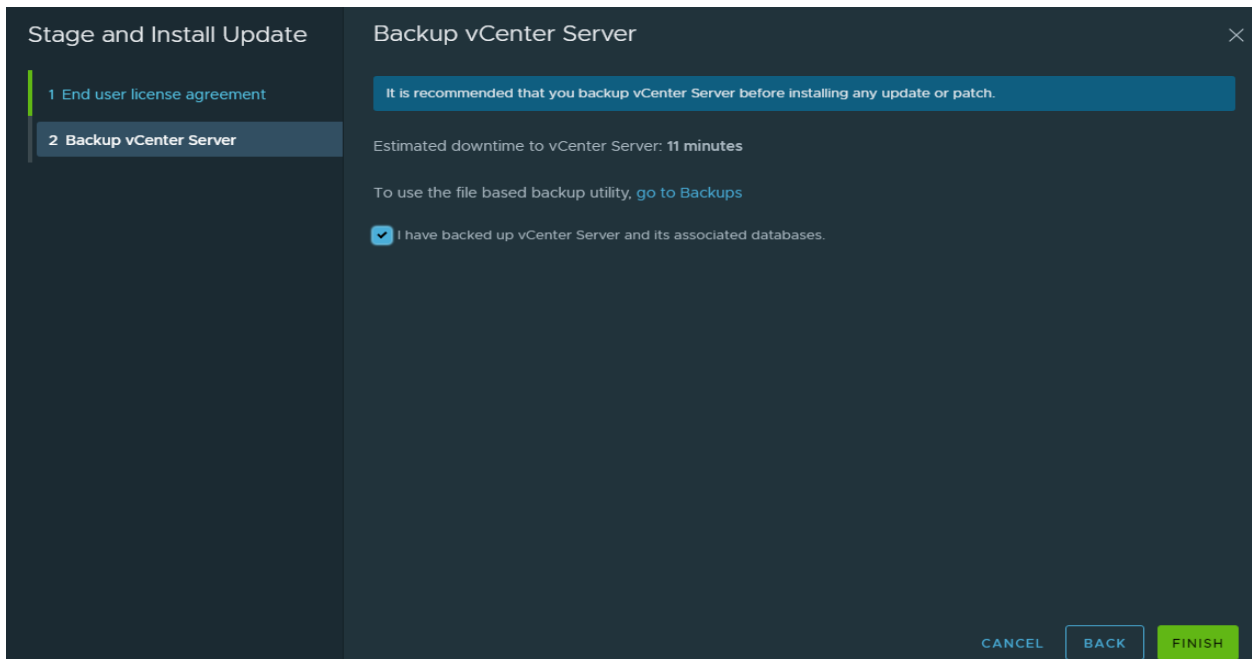


The screenshot shows the vCenter Server Management interface. On the left, a navigation menu has the 'Update' option highlighted with an orange arrow. The main content area shows 'Current version details' with 'Product Type' as 'vCenter Server with an embedded Platform Services Controller' and 'Version' as '7.0.0.10600'. Below this, the 'Available updates' section shows 'Last Checked Aug 26, 2020, 11:16:50 AM' and a 'CHECK UPDATES' button with an orange arrow pointing to it. A table below lists available updates:

Version	Type	Release Date	Reboot Required	Severity
7.0.0.10700	Fix	Aug 24, 2020	No	Critical



The screenshot shows the 'Stage and Install Update' dialog box with the 'End user license agreement' step selected. The dialog contains the VMware End User License Agreement text and a checkbox labeled 'I accept the terms of the license agreement.' which is checked. At the bottom right, there are 'CANCEL' and 'NEXT' buttons.



The screenshot shows the 'Stage and Install Update' dialog box with the 'Backup vCenter Server' step selected. A blue banner at the top states: 'It is recommended that you backup vCenter Server before installing any update or patch.' Below this, it says 'Estimated downtime to vCenter Server: 11 minutes' and 'To use the file based backup utility, go to Backups'. A checkbox labeled 'I have backed up vCenter Server and its associated databases.' is checked. At the bottom right, there are 'CANCEL', 'BACK', and 'FINISH' buttons.

### Installation in progress

1%

Downloading RPM VMware-UpdateManager-7.0.0-16749653.x86\_64.rpm

CANCEL INSTALLATION

### Installation in progress

66%

Stopping services

CANCEL INSTALLATION

### Installation succeeded

100%


Installation complete

CLOSE

Available updates History

Last Checked Aug 26, 2020, 06:52:06 PM

SETTINGS CHECK UPDATES

Version	Type	Release Date	Reboot Required	Severity
 No applicable update found.				

This concludes the update for vCenter Appliance.

Thanks

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