

# Installation and deployment process for CAST Imaging

Learn about the deployment of **CAST Imaging**. This includes understanding what you need to prepare, the installation process and updating/upgrading to new releases.

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## Prerequisites

To successfully deploy **CAST Imaging** in your organization, it is important to understand:

- the different ways that it can be **deployed**
  - hardware **sizing**
  - the **software requirements**
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## Installation process

Find out where you can get the **installation media** for all required packages. All steps in the **installation process** are then described in full:

- CAST Imaging
  - AIP Core
  - CAST Storage Service/PostgreSQL
  - AIP Console
  - CAST Extend Offline/Proxy
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## Upgrade process

Information about how to **upgrade to a new release**. The following components/packages can all be upgraded independently:

- AIP Console package (including "embedded" Dashboards), AIP Node package and deployed RestAPI war file
  - AIP Core analysis engine on target AIP Nodes
  - Applications to new AIP Core release (schema upgrade)
  - CAST Imaging
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## Uninstall process

Learn how to uninstall your **CAST Imaging instance** and completely remove all data.

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