

Install Missing Software Updates — Client Tool on Collection

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The **Install Missing Software Updates** tool displays required or available software updates that are not currently installed on a device, allowing a user to select and install them on a remote device.

This tool can be run on a device collection, or with a [similar tool designed to run on single and multi-selected devices](#).

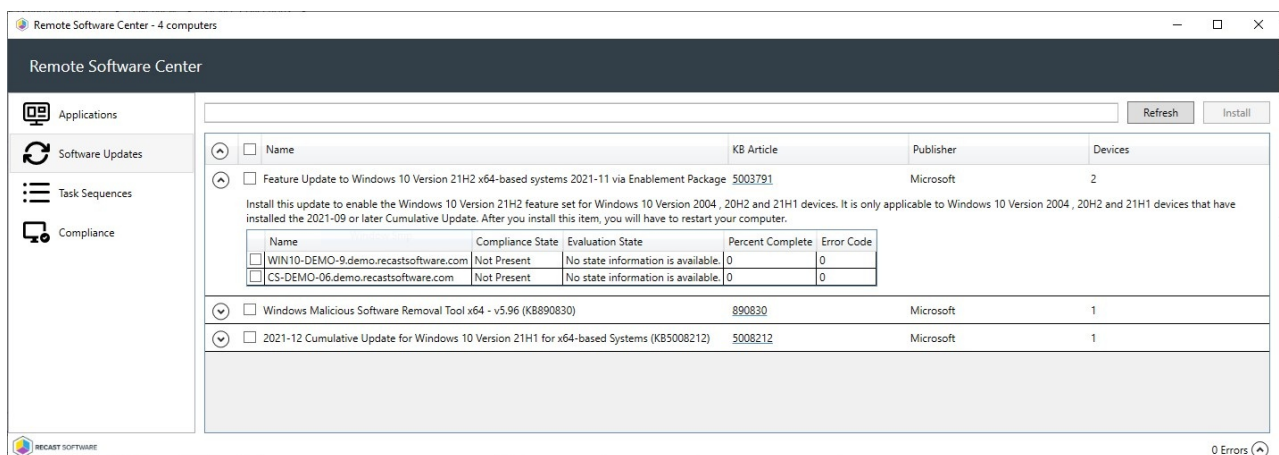
This tool **will not deploy** updates — it **will install updates that have already been deployed**.

To run this tool:

1. Right-click on a device collection.
2. Select **Right Click Tools** > **Client Tools on Collection** > **Install Missing Software Updates**.

The Remote Software Center will open and start scanning for available or required Software Update Deployments.

3. Select desired updates and click **Install**.



Upon successfully kicking off the remote install, the Remote Software Center displays progress (of the kick-off, not the installation itself). Devices are sorted according to success.

Recast Permissions

ConfigMgr Client

InstallSoftwareUpdates

Microsoft Permissions

- This tool requires administrator permission on the remote device.
- If using a Recast Management Server with a proxy, the service account needs administrator permission on the remote device.
- This tool requires [Remote WMI](#) access.

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