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maintenance levels are available at:

<http://www-1.ibm.com/servers/eserver/support/pseries/aixfixes.html>

-----Original Message-----

From: IBM AIX Discussion List [<mailto:aix-l@Princeton.EDU>] On Behalf Of Michael Cheselka

Sent: Wednesday, October 27, 2004 5:39 AM

To: aix-l@Princeton.EDU

Subject: questions about where to download the Maintenance Level packages and about patches

Hello

Where are the Maintenance Level packages for 5.1?

They used to be easy to find on IBM's website.

Maybe the link was right in front of me but I just didn't see it.

Where can I find the patches recommended for AIX 5.1 running Oracle 9i(9.2.04)? I've googled for "oracle 9i" with "aix 5.1" with "instfix" or "lpar" and found nothing. I'd like to find the web page which has the official list but will take what I can get from this list. Is it possible none are needed?

Also, should I switch to SVr4 printing? Is it as good as the old chimera printing system?

Much Thanks!

Mike

On Wed, 27 Oct 2004 11:15:35 +0200, Green, Simon

<simon.green@eu.altria.com> wrote:

> *Instructions for applying the latest AIX fixes should be available on the*

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- > *fix download site; perhaps in a README file. Also check the AIX*
- > *Installation Guide. Most people tend to stick to Maintenance Level*
- packages
- > *rather than the very latest fixes.*
- >
- > *There are tools available which will check for firmware/microcode levels*
- on
- > *all devices and tell you what needs to be updated. I've used Inventory*
- > *Scout a couple of times and it seemed quite simple.*
- > <http://techsupport.services.ibm.com/server/mdownload/mcodetools.html>
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- > --
- > *Simon Green*
- > *Altria ITSC Europe Ltd*
- > *AIX-L Archive at <https://new-lists.princeton.edu/listserv/aix-l.html>*
- > *New to AIX? <http://publib-b.boulder.ibm.com/redbooks.nsf/portals/UNIX>*
- > *N.B. Unsolicited email from vendors will not be appreciated.*
- > *Please post all follow-ups to the list.*