



Discover Our Update Site for Eclipse-Based U2 DBTools

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Ben Wedewer's Biography





- Joined the U2 team in 1999 as a Support Engineer responsible for U2 WebDE and related development tools
- Current role as U2 Quality Control Engineer
- Responsible for test development of U2 DBTools, U2 Clients, U2
 WebDE and data servers
- Expertise across the product line including tools such as BDT,
 XAdmin, and U2 WebDE
- Over 14 years experience with multivalue databases

Agenda

- What is the U2 Eclipse Update Site?
- Benefits
- Highlights of monthly updates
- Enabling the Update Site
- Demonstration
- Future plans



What is the U2 Eclipse Update Site?

- Part of the standard Eclipse framework
 - Allows installation of add-on components
- The best way to receive updates to U2 DBTools products
- Install new U2 DBTools software without downloading InstallShield packages





Benefits of U2 Eclipse Update Site

- Receive fixes and enhancements monthly
 - "Check for Updates" option
- Urgent fixes can be installed immediately, for a true on-demand solution
- Can allow for a single tool installation
 - Install only one U2 Eclipse tool, launch all others internally, shares workspace
 - You choose the tools you want to install







Highlights

- U2 Extensible Administration Tool (XAdmin)
 - \blacksquare 3.10.2 > 3.10.3 > 3.10.4 > 3.10.5
 - Major bug fixes to configuration editor, consumability fixes
- U2 Basic Developer Toolkit (BDT)
 - $\blacksquare 3.0.2 > 3.0.3 > 3.0.4$
 - Major fixes for compiler, syntax checking, code completion



Highlights

- U2 RESTful Web Services Developer
 - $\blacksquare 3.60.2 > 3.60.3 > 3.60.4$
 - Complete online help added, fixes to REST server
- U2 Metadata Manager (MDM)
 - $\blacksquare 3.70.1 > 3.70.2$
 - Major consumability fixes, online help updated
- Full listing of every issue in monthly release notes
 - http://updates.rocketsoftware.com/u2



- Launch any installed U2 Eclipse-based tool
- Access through
 - Help > Install New Software...
- Click "Add" and enter update site details
 - URL = http://updates.rocketsoftware.com/u2



Now let's launch BDT for a brief demo of U2 Eclipse Update Site usage...





Future Plans*

- Continued monthly enhancements and bug fixes reported by customers
- Major Metadata Manager release in March 2013 to support UniVerse 11.1
- Continued integration of DBTools to allow for more seamless operations
- Change to structure of release notes on Update Site for better navigation and searchability

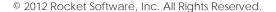
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Summary

- In this session we covered
 - What is the U2 Eclipse Update Site?
 - Benefits of the Update Site
 - Monthly update highlights
 - How to use the Update Site with demo
 - Future plans for the Update Site and U2
 DBTools

Note: All demo screen shots attached at the end of slide deck



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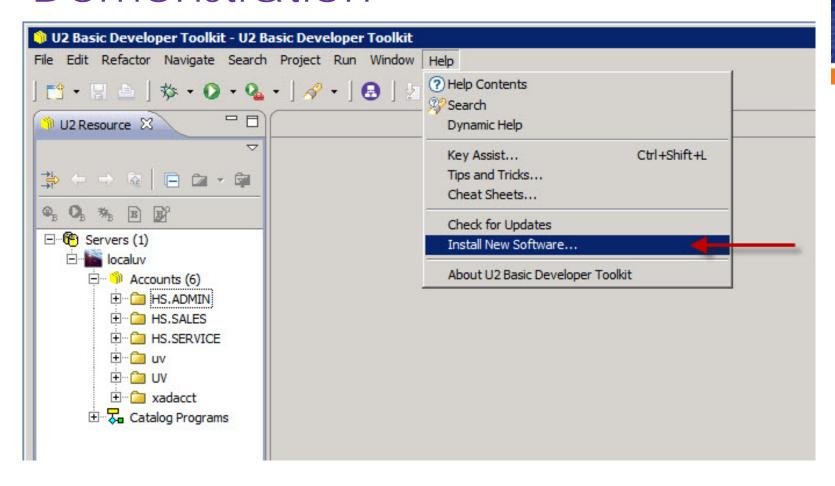
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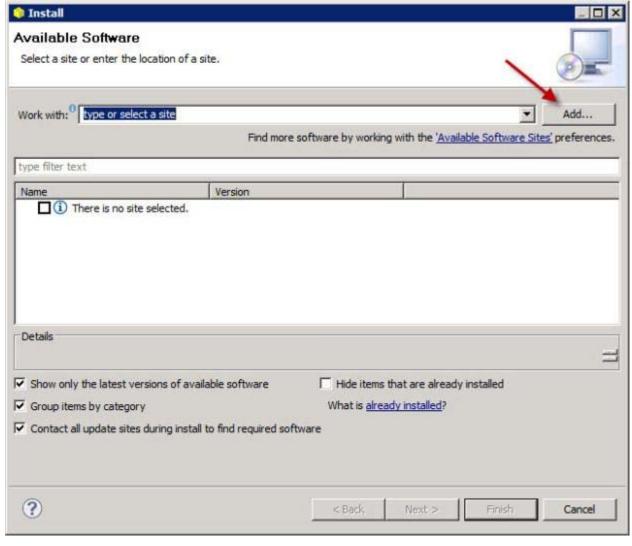
Demonstration Slides



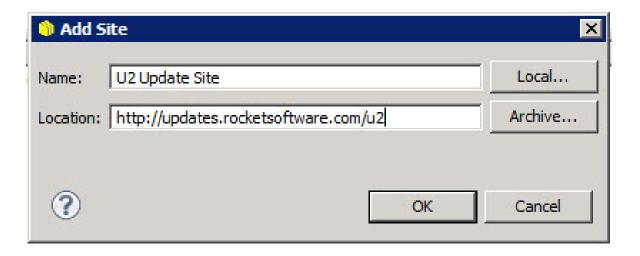
Adding U2 Update Site to installed U2 DBTools





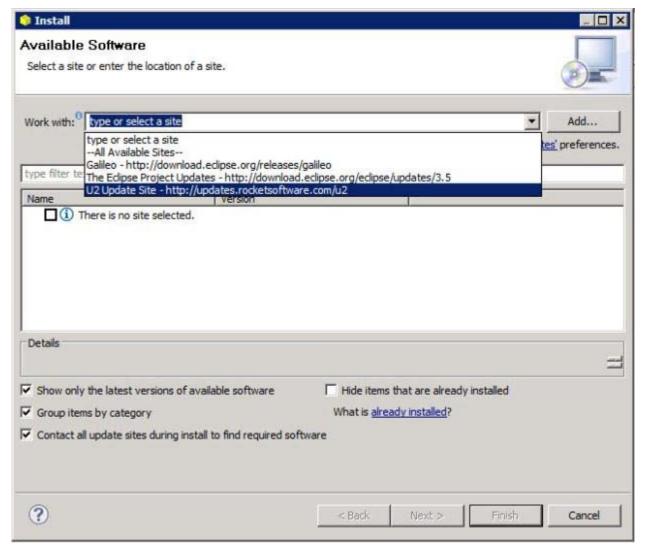






- Clicking "Add" brings up the "Add Site" dialog
- Enter the name for U2 Update Site
- Enter the URL in Location





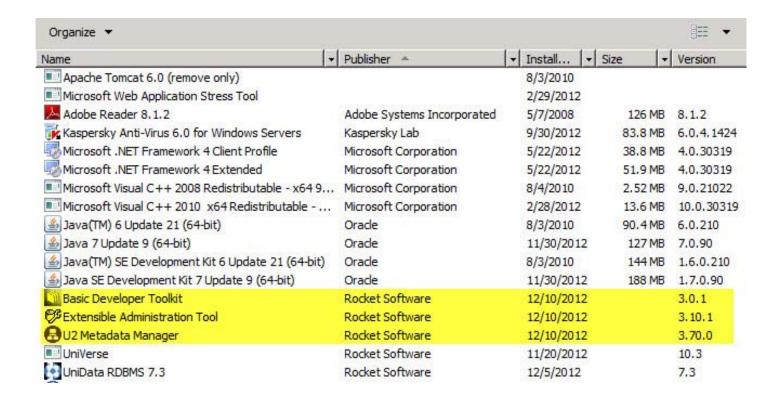






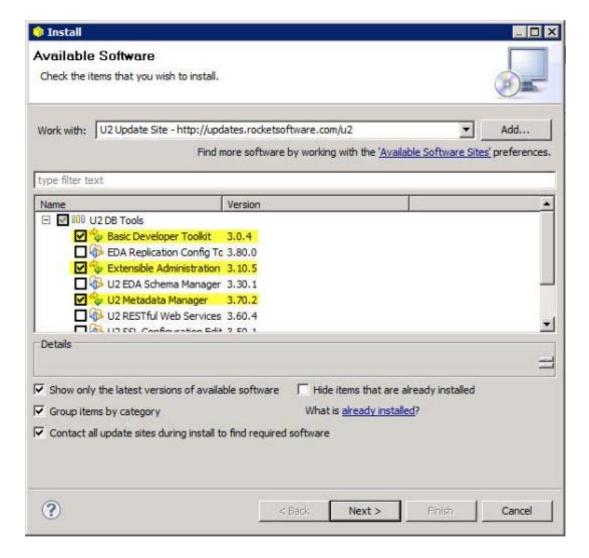
Updating tools installed prior to Update Site introduction

Tools previously installed individually via InstallShield

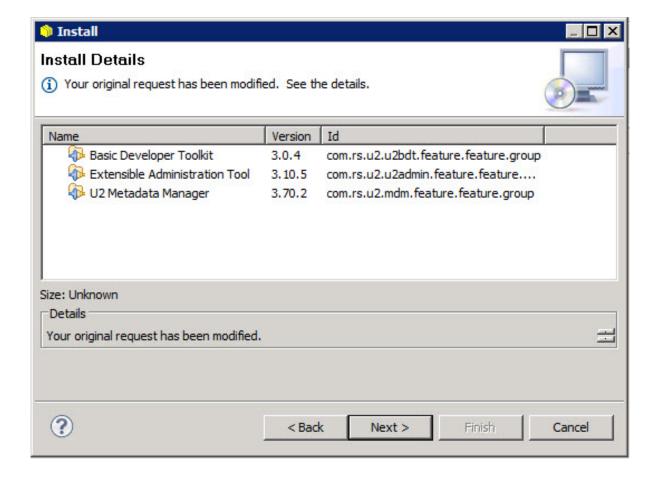


Windows Control Panel as seen with March 2012 version of DBTools installed

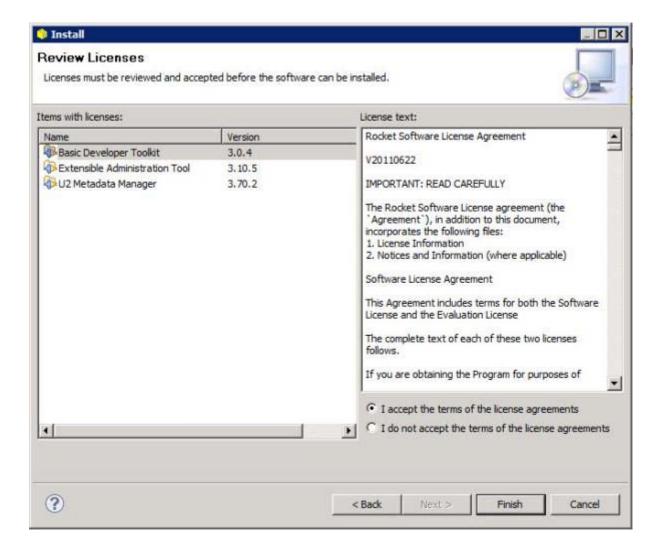




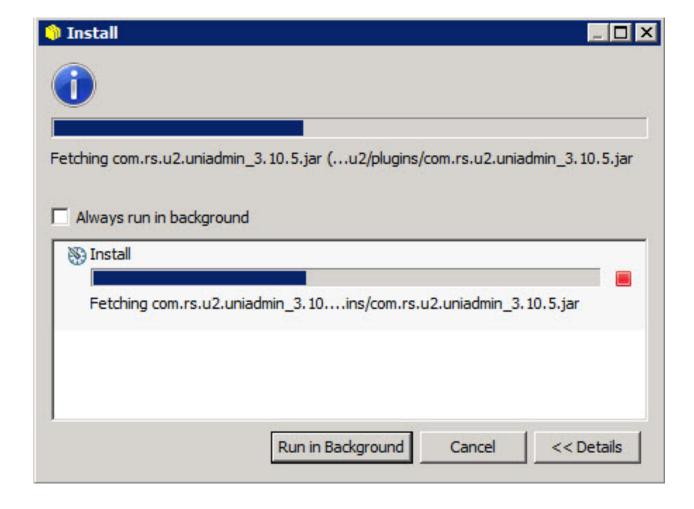




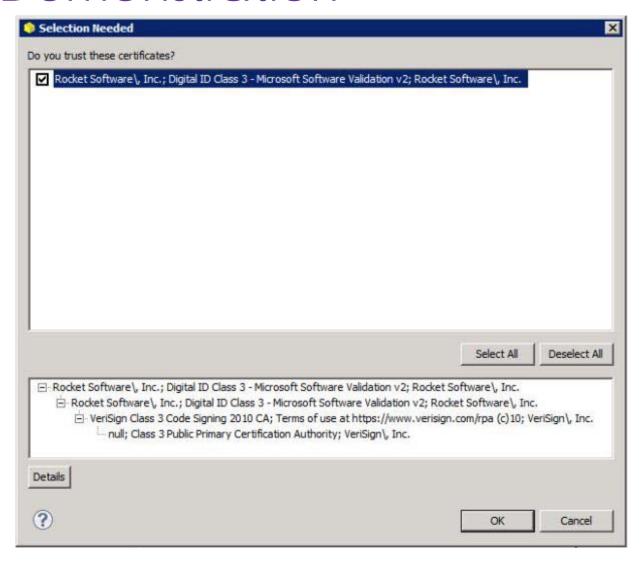






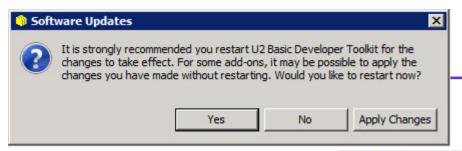








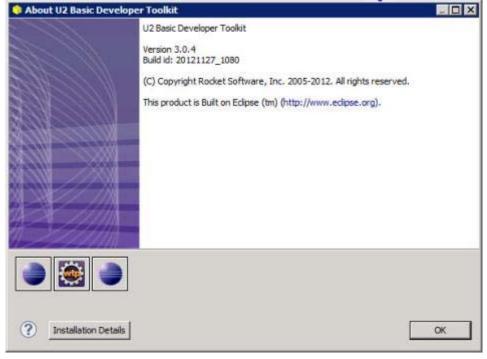
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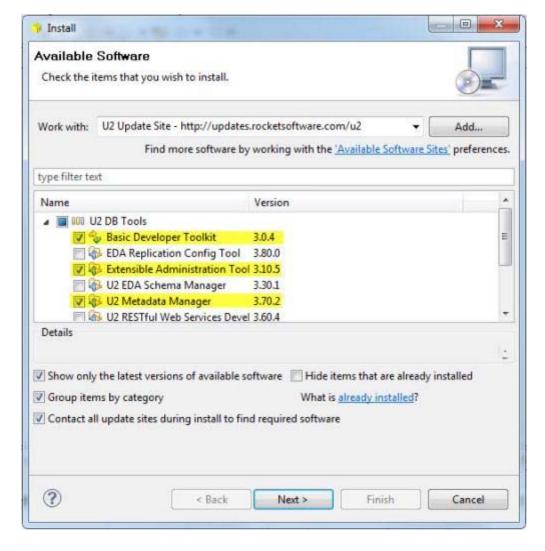
Updating and installing tools into a single Eclipse workspace

Only one tool previously installed via InstallShield

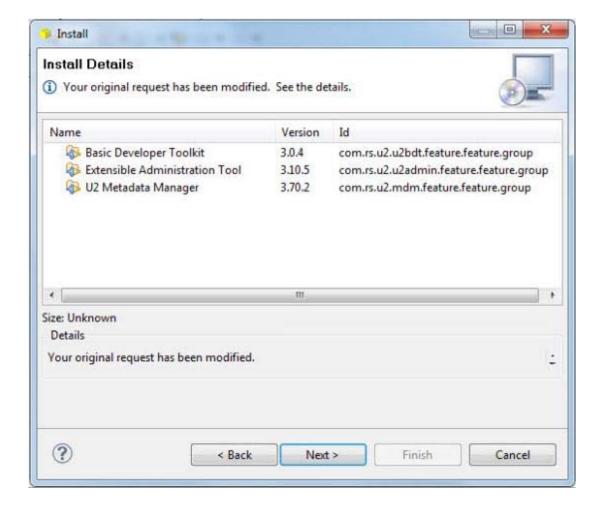


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Basic Developer Toolkit	Rocket Software	12/10/2012		3.0.1
UniData ODBC Driver	Rocket Software	11/28/2012		3.180.1
U2 Web Development Environment 5.0.3.3043	Rocket Software	10/19/2012		5.0.3
UniData RDBMS 7.3	Rocket Software	11/16/2012		7.3

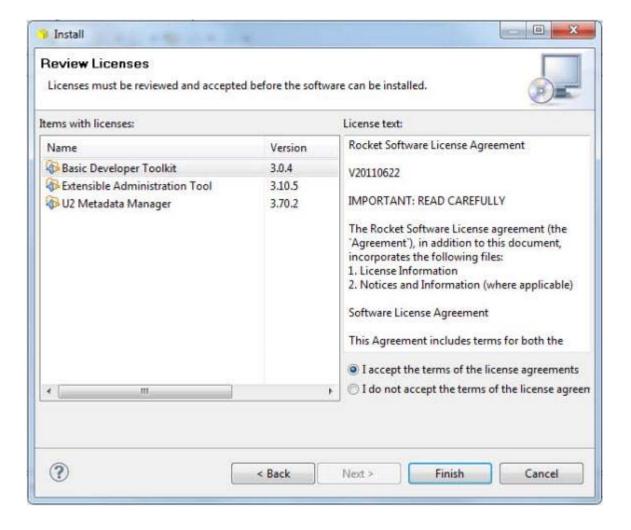
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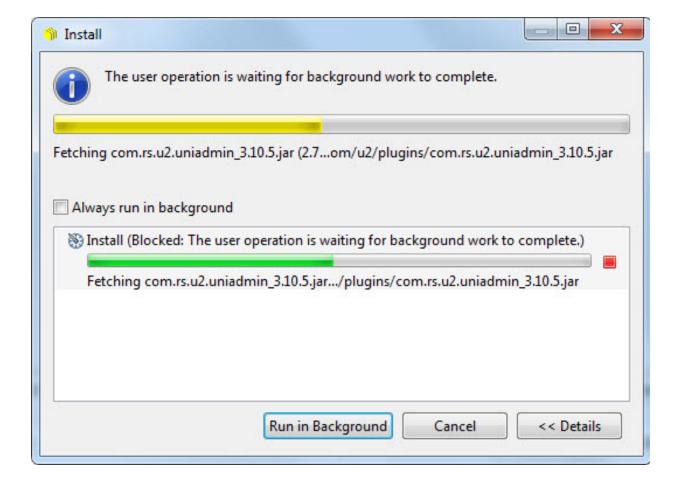




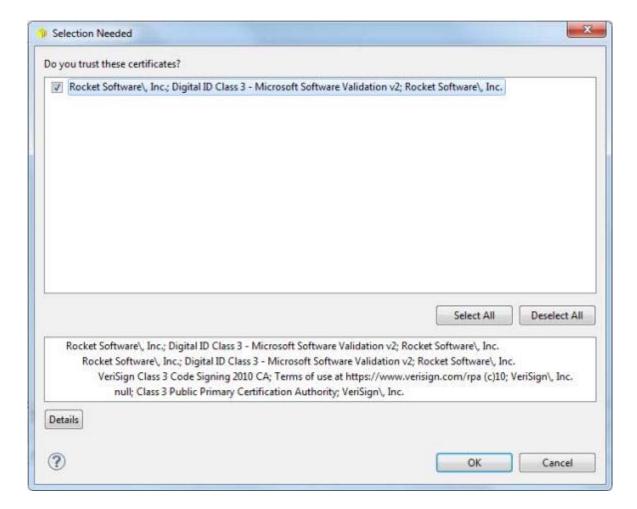














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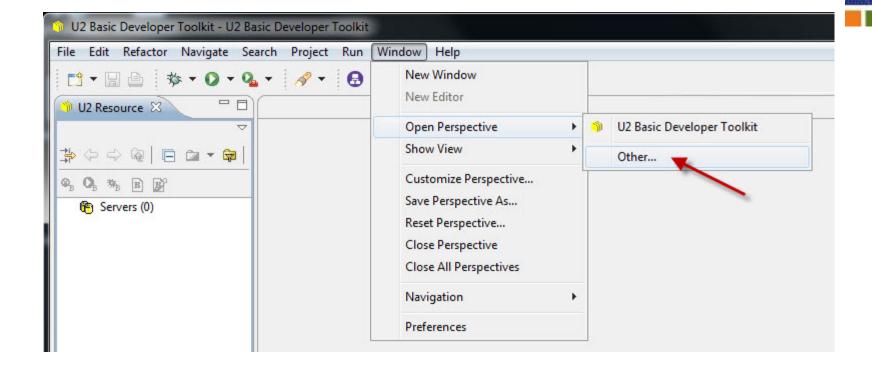
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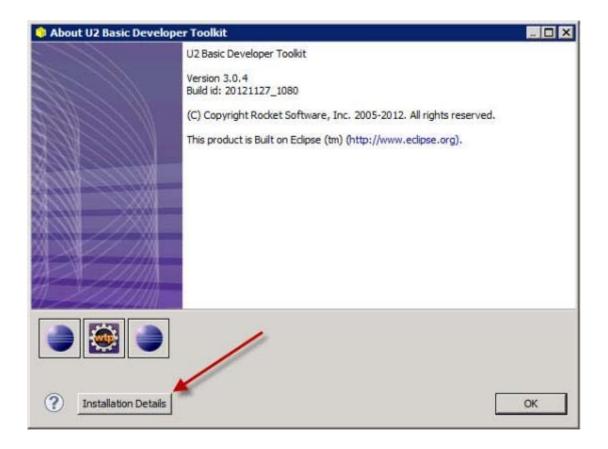




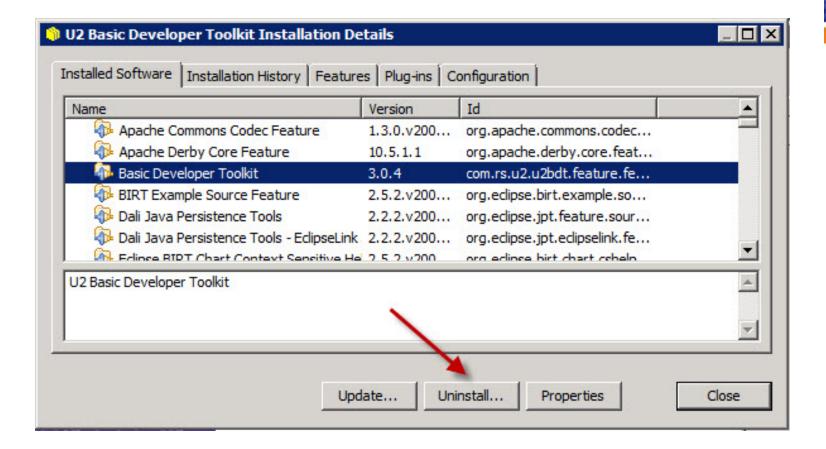
Uninstalling an update or complete tool

Tools installed via Update Site can be removed entirely.

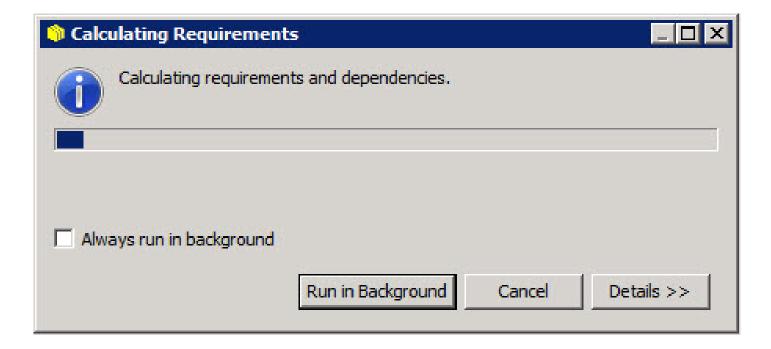
Tools originally installed via InstallShield then updated via Update Site can back out updated versions.



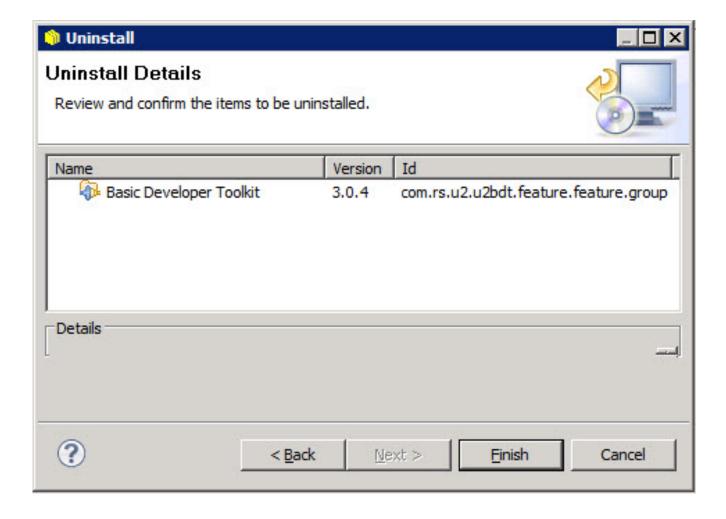




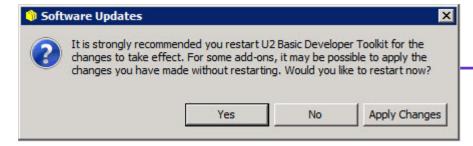












After uninstall, BDT is back to version 3.0.1 as originally installed via InstallShield



