# NI Supported Operating Systems Roadmap

This chart summarizes past support and tentative plans for when NI will begin and end software support on various OSs. Support typically is added gradually over multiple quarterly releases. Refer to the Release Notes for specific software products for details about OS support per release.

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## Notes and Caveats

When an OS is introduced, support is added gradually as various products release new versions that include the new OS support. These periods are shown in the chart as "Roll Out".

Detailed information about which OS versions are supported by NI products are included in the Release Notes for your specific product version.

Linux Distributions are validated with their default Linux kernel. However, NI products use Dynamic Kernel Module Support (DKMS), which enables customers to upgrade to newer kernels.

NI Software products have standard life cycle policies that define release frequency and support.

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