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IBM Power Systems	LPAR	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	September 2010	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	PowerVM - DLPAR	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	September 2010	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	PowerVM - Single Shared Processor Pool - Micro-Partitioning	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	September 2010	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	PowerVM - Multiple Shared Processor Pools	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.35
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	September 2010	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
	PowerVM - Shared Dedicated Processor	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
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	PowerVM - Mobility (Live Partition Mobility) (13)	IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	September 2010	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	PowerVM - AIX Workload Partition (System WPARs that are unregulated, or regulated with hard maximum limit) - Mobility (AIX Live Application Mobility)	AIX 7.1 (20)	September 2010	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26

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IBM Power Systems	Power Enterprise Pools	AIX 7.1 (20)	October 2013	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	October 2013	9.0.0
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	Processor deconfiguration (9)	AIX 7.1 (20)	May 2011	9.0.0
		AIX 7.2	October 2016	9.2.5
		AIX 7.3	December 2021	9.2.26
		IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.5 (11)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	9.2.19 (11)
		IBM i 7.5	July 2022	9.2.28 (11)
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	9.2.40 (11)
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 BE	May 2011	9.0.1.2
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 LE	July 2016	9.2.4
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	November 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	March 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
	IBM i Workload Groups (10)	IBM i 7.3	October 2016	9.2.37 Limited support See (18)
		IBM i 7.4	March 2020	
		IBM i 7.5	March 2020	
		IBM i 7.6	July 2025	
IBM System z (IFL or CP engine)	LPAR	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	April 2016	9.2.3
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	January 2020	9.2.18
	z/VM	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	April 2016	9.2.3
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	January 2020	9.2.18
		Ubuntu 22	October 2022	9.2.29
	z/VM with CPU Capping (Capacity CPU)	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	September 2014	9.2.3
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	January 2020	9.2.18
		Ubuntu 22	October 2022	9.2.29
	LPAR Group Capping	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2016	9.2.5
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.21
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2023	9.2.31
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1	January 2020	9.2.18
IBM System z (zIIP or CP engine)	IBM z/OS Container Extensions (IBM zCX)		January 2020	9.2.18
Oracle (UltraSPARC and SPARC) and Fujitsu (SPARC)	Dynamic Domains (7)	Solaris 11	July 2012	9.0.0
	Oracle VM Server for SPARC 3.x (Native CPU Architecture Type)	Solaris 11	November 2014	9.0.1.2
	Containers/Zones - inside node OS	Solaris 11	July 2012	9.0.0
	Containers/Zones (with Resource Pools) - inside Dynamic Domains (7)	Solaris 11	July 2012	9.0.0
	Containers/Zones - inside Oracle VM Server for SPARC 3.x (Native CPU Architecture Type)	Solaris 11	November 2013	9.0.1.1

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Intel/AMD (x86)	KVM hypervisor on * Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 * Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 * Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9 * Red Hat Virtualization Hypervisor managed by Red Hat Virtualization Manager/Red Hat Virtualization 4.x (15) (21)	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2012	9.0.0
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	April 2025	9.2.39
	KVM hypervisor on * Oracle Linux 8 * Oracle Linux 9 managed by Oracle Linux Virtualization Manager 4.x (16)	CentOS 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	October 2025	9.2.41
		CentOS Stream 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	June 2015	9.2.0.6
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.16
		Ubuntu 22	July 2022	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2025	9.2.41
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	October 2025	9.2.41
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	October 2025	9.2.41
	KVM hypervisor on x86 platform a) KVM standalone host only - not managed by virtualization manager For KVM host managed by RedHat Virtualization Manager (RHV-M) see section above For KVM host managed by Oracle Linux Virtualization Manager (OLVM) see section above b) Only supported RedHat, Centos, Debian, Oracle Linux, SUSE Linux Enterprise Server or Ubuntu releases can be configured as KVM host c) You can use only vendor supported KVM-host-OS KVM-guest-OS combinations. d) libvirtd must be running, libvirt-client must be installed, libxml2 must be installed	CentOS 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		CentOS Stream 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.34
		Debian 13	October 2025	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	June 2015	9.2.0.6
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.16
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
		Ubuntu 22	July 2022	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.37
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38

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Intel/AMD (x86)	Red Hat OpenShift Virtualization 4.16+ (17)	CentOS 8	April 2025	9.2.39
		CentOS Stream 9	April 2025	9.2.39
		CentOS Stream 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	January 2026	9.2.42
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	April 2024	9.2.37
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	April 2024	9.2.37
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2024	9.2.37
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Debian 12	October 2025	9.2.41
		Debian 13	October 2025	9.2.41
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2025	9.2.41
		Ubuntu 22	April 2025	9.2.39
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows 11 Professional	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows 11 Enterprise	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2024	9.2.37
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	MS Hyper-V Server 2016, Windows Server 2016 with Hyper-V role - Mobility (4) - Failover clusters	CentOS 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2012	9.2.7
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Ubuntu 22	January 2023	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.16
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	October 2012	9.2.7
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	October 2012	9.2.7
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38

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		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2012	9.2.15
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Ubuntu 22	January 2023	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.16
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	October 2012	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	October 2012	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	Windows Server 2022 with Hyper-V role - Mobility (4) - Failover clusters	CentOS 8	January 2020	9.2.27
		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.41
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2012	9.2.27
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.27
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Ubuntu 22	January 2023	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	January 2023	9.2.16
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	October 2012	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	October 2012	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	Windows Server 2025 with Hyper-V role - Mobility (4) - Failover clusters	CentOS 8	April 2025	9.2.39
		CentOS Stream 9	April 2025	9.2.39
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.41
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	April 2025	9.2.39
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	April 2025	9.2.39
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	April 2025	9.2.39
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Ubuntu 22	April 2025	9.2.39
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	January 2023	9.2.41
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows 11 Professional	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows 11 Enterprise	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2025	9.2.39

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		Windows Server 2022 Standard	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	April 2025	9.2.39
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	April 2025	9.2.39
	Azure Stack HCI	CentOS 8	January 2020	9.2.27
		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.41
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2012	9.2.27
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.27
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Ubuntu 22	January 2023	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	April 2025	9.2.39
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	January 2023	9.2.27
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2023	9.2.43
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	October 2012	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	October 2012	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.27
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38

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Intel/AMD (x86)	Sun Microsystems Containers/Zones - Single Server	Solaris 11	October 2012	9.0.0
	VMware vSphere 8 (ESXi 8) (4)	CentOS 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	July 2026	9.2.44
		CentOS Stream 10	July 2026	9.2.44
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.34
		Debian 13	April 2026	9.2.34
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	October 2018	9.2.13
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Solaris 11 (12)	October 2018	9.2.13
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.17
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.33
		Ubuntu 22	July 2022	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.37
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	October 2018	9.2.13
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	October 2018	9.2.13
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	VMware vSphere 9 (ESXi 9) (4)	CentOS 8	July 2026	9.2.44
		CentOS Stream 9	July 2026	9.2.44
		CentOS Stream 10	July 2026	9.2.44
		Debian 12	July 2026	9.2.44
		Debian 13	July 2026	9.2.44
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	July 2026	9.2.44
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	July 2026	9.2.44
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	July 2026	9.2.44
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	July 2026	9.2.44
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	July 2026	9.2.44
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2026	9.2.44
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2026	9.2.44
		Solaris 11 (12)	July 2026	9.2.44
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	July 2026	9.2.44
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	July 2026	9.2.44
		Ubuntu 22	July 2026	9.2.44
		Ubuntu 24	July 2026	9.2.44
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		Windows 11 Professional	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows 11 Enterprise	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	July 2026	9.2.44
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	July 2026	9.2.44
	VMware vCenter Server 8	All equivalent to ESXi 8	April 2023	9.2.31
	VMware vCenter Server 9	All equivalent to ESXi 9	July 2026	9.2.44
	Azure VMware Solution	All equivalent to ESXi 7 or later	July 2022	9.2.28
	VMware Cloud on AWS	All equivalent to ESXi 7 or later	April 2022	9.2.27
	XenServer 8.4	CentOS 8	April 2020	9.2.40
		CentOS Stream 9	April 2025	9.2.41
		CentOS Stream 10	July 2025	9.2.41
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.40

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		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	April 2020	9.2.40
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	April 2020	9.2.40
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.40
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	April 2020	9.2.40
		Ubuntu 22	July 2022	9.2.40
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.40
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.40
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	April 2020	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	April 2020	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2020	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2020	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2020	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	April 2025	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	April 2025	9.2.40
	Xen Hypervisor - version 4.4+	Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	April 2017	9.2.7
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	October 2019	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	October 2019	9.2.17
		Windows 11	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	April 2017	9.2.7
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	April 2017	9.2.7
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2020	9.2.19
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2020	9.2.19
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2020	9.2.19
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	Nutanix AHV for x86 (as delivered with Nutanix AOS 6.x) managed by Prism Element or Prism Central	CentOS 8	April 2021	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	October 2025	9.2.41
		CentOS Stream 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Debian 12	July 2025	9.2.40
		Debian 13	October 2025	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	April 2021	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Ubuntu 22	January 2024	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.37
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	April 2021	9.2.18
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	April 2022	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38
	Nutanix AHV for x86 (as delivered with Nutanix AOS 7.x) managed by Prism Element or Prism Central	CentOS 8	April 2021	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	October 2025	9.2.41
		CentOS Stream 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Debian 12	July 2025	9.2.40
		Debian 13	October 2025	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	April 2021	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28

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		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Ubuntu 22	January 2024	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.37
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	April 2021	9.2.18
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
		Windows 11	July 2025	9.2.40
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	January 2020	9.2.18
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	April 2022	9.2.26
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Intel/AMD (x86)	1. Operating System commands and BIOS limits for operating system - To limit processor core capacity available to the Eligible Operating System environment installed on bare metal according to the Virtualization Capacity Counting Rules for Operating System Commands and BIOS Settings. IMPORTANT: Operating System Commands can not be mixed with with other Eligible Virtualization Technologies and are supported ONLY on bare metal. 2. BIOS limits for hypervisors - To limit processor core capacity on following hypervisors installed on bare metal using BIOS settings - Microsoft Hyper-V (2012/2016/2019) - Vmware vSphere/ESXi (7.0/8.x) - Red Hat Virtualization 4 - Citrix Hypervisor 8.x IMPORTANT: BIOS limits for hypervisors are supported ONLY on bare metal and cannot be mixed with Operating System Commands. Hardware environment must use SMBIOS 2.5 or higher. Note SMBIOS 2.5 or higher supports both legacy BIOS and UEFI standards.	CentOS 8	December 2020	9.2.18
		CentOS Stream 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		CentOS Stream 10	October 2025	9.2.41
		Debian 12	January 2024	9.2.34
		Debian 13	October 2025	9.2.41
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 8	January 2020	9.2.18
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 9	January 2023	9.2.30
		Oracle Enterprise Linux 10	January 2026	9.2.42
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7	September 2010	9.0.0
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	December 2020	9.2.17
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 9	July 2022	9.2.28
		Red Hat Enterprise Linux 10	July 2025	9.2.40
		Solaris 11	July 2012	9.0.0
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15	December 2020	9.2.19
		SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 16	April 2026	9.2.43
		Ubuntu 22	July 2022	9.2.28
		Ubuntu 24	October 2024	9.2.37
		Ubuntu 26	October 2026	9.2.45
		Windows 11 Professional	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows 11 Enterprise	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2016 Datacenter (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2016 Standard (19)	January 2017	9.2.6
		Windows Server 2019 Standard	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Datacenter	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2019 Essentials	April 2019	9.2.15
		Windows Server 2022 Standard	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2022 Datacenter	December 2021	9.2.26
		Windows Server 2025 Standard	January 2025	9.2.38
		Windows Server 2025 Datacenter	January 2025	9.2.38

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- (2) Date from which the Virtualization technology / OS are eligible for sub-capacity licensing
- (3) Indicates the earliest ILMT version/release that supports the specific combination of the listed virtualization technology and operating system, even if ILMT had already supported the virtualization technology and operating system individually in earlier releases. This refers only to the ILMT support. For other IBM Programs support of a virtualization technology, please consult the Program announcement letter or contact your sales representative
- (4) Mobility: The movement of an active Partition or Virtual Machine (VM) between physical servers, where the VM or Partition is not running in two servers simultaneously.
- (5) For eligible technologies not supported by ILMT you must refer to and use the rules for 'Manual Calculation' of Virtualization Capacity. These rules can be found at http://www-01.ibm.com/software/lotus/passportadvantage/Counting_Software_licenses_using_specific_virtualization_technologies.html
- (6) When Sub-capacity eligibility is no longer available because either the Virtualization Technology or the Operating System version in use is no longer supported by its manufacturer in standard support, you have up to 180 days to move to an Eligible Virtualization Environment.
In some cases the effective removal of Virtualization and/or OS from the eligible list is after more than 180 days and in these cases the migration must be completed before the effective removal of Virtualization and/or Operating system from the eligible list
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- (7) ILMT full capacity PVU values will need to be adjusted upward manually for the number of activated cores on the server
- (8) Hardware environment must use SMBIOS 2.5 or higher, use with bare metal OS only. Note SMBIOS 2.5 or higher supports both legacy BIOS and UEFI standards.
- (9) When either BIOS, factory deconfiguration or HP iCAP settings are used to reduce the capacity of a server, ILMT full capacity PVU values must be adjusted upward manually to include the deconfigured cores.
- (10) Sub-capacity eligblity for IBM i Workload Groups is an Eligible Sub-capacity Product starting February 7, 2012 running on Power processors.
- (11) The discovery is based on disconnected scans, a semi-automated procedure for collecting the data about the hardware and software inventory.
No BigFix client available for ILMT version 9.x
- (12) Single Server, Cluster, Mobility (VMware Vmotion). Support for operating system only. Solaris containers (including Zones) are not supported on VMware.
- (13) When virtual machines are live migrated by using Live Partition Mobility technology, the number of PVUs reported by License Metric Tool might increase. For example, when two VMs exist on a sever with 4 cores, and each of the VMs is assigned 3 cores, they are both capped to the capacity of the server. As a result, they can use the maximum of 4 cores. However, when the machines are live migrated to a different server, it is likely to happen that License Metric Tool sees one VM as living on one server and the other VM as living on the second server for a short period of time. Thus, capacity of the VMs is not capped and 3 cores are reported for each VM which gives the total of 6 cores. This is the proper way of calculating PVUs based on the periodic capacity sampling performed by IBM Licensed Metric Tool.
- (14) Solaris containers (including Zones) are not supported in this configuration.
- (15) For detailed information on support of given guest OS please see Red Hat documentation for specific Red Hat Virtualization version (<https://access.redhat.com/articles/973163>) or RedHat Enterprise Linux with KVM (<https://access.redhat.com/articles/973133>)
- (16) For detailed information on support of given guest OS please see Orcale documentation for specific Oracle Linux version (<https://docs.oracle.com/en/operating-systems/oracle-linux/kvm-user/kvm-AboutOracleLinuxKVM.html#support>)
- (17) For detailed information on support of given guest OS please see Red Hat documentation for specific Red Hat Openshift Virtualization version (<https://access.redhat.com/articles/4234591>)
- (18) This technology has limited support in ILMT due to technical reasons. To properly count licenses please consult ILMT product documentation on <https://ibm.biz/BdK7Mt>
- (19) On December 31, 2026 Windows Server 2016 will be removed from list of eligible technologies.
You have up to 180 days to move to supported operating system/virtualization technology. (12/31/2026)
- (20) On April 30, 2022 AIX 7.1 has reached End Of Service.
You have 365 days to move to supported operating system/virtualization technology before end of eligibility date. (12/31/2026)
- (21) On August 30, 2026 Red Hat Virtualization will reach End Of Life.
You have 365 days to move to supported operating system/virtualization technology before end of eligibility date. (12/31/2026)