

IBM i Release life cycle



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Release	Announce date	GA date	End of Marketing	End of program support	Program Support Extension Available
V4R5	22/05/2000	28/07/2000	02/07/2002	31/07/2002	
V5R1	23/04/2001	25/05/2001	21/11/2003	30/09/2005	
V5R2	04/06/2002	30/08/2002	01/10/2005	30/04/2007	
V5R3	04/05/2004	11/06/2004	04/10/2008	30/04/2009	30/04/2013
V5R4	31/01/2006	14/02/2006	27/05/2011	30/09/2013	30/09/2017
V6R1	29/01/2008	21/03/2008	09/12/2014	30/09/2015	30/09/2018
V7R1	13/04/2010	23/04/2010	30/09/2017	30/04/2018	30/04/2021
V7R2	08/04/2014	02/05/2014	30/04/2020	30/04/2021	
V7R3	12/04/2016	15/04/2016		Note 1	
V7R4	23/04/2019	21/06/2019		Note 1	

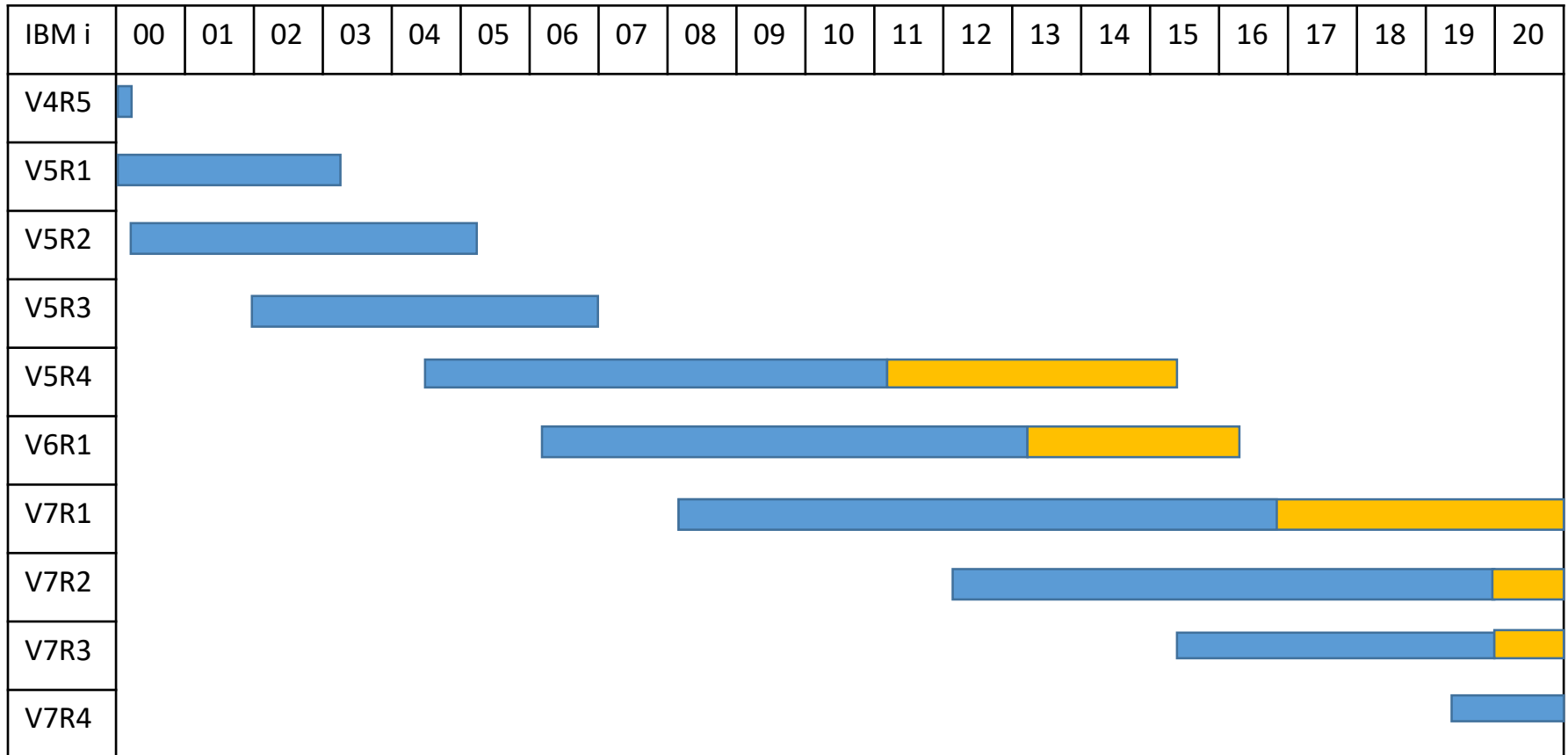
Note 1: End of program support date will be announced with at least 12 months notice prior to the effective termination date.

<http://www-947.ibm.com/systems/support/i/planning/upgrade/suptschedule.html>

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IBM i Systems Support



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	IBM i 5.4	IBM i 6.1	IBM i 7.1	IBM i 7.2	IBM i 7.3	IBM i 7.4
POWER9 S914, S922 (VIOS only), S924						
POWER8 S814, S822 (VIOS only), S824, E870, E88						
POWER7/7+ Servers 710, 720, 730, 740, 750, 760, 780, 795						
Power7/7+ Blades and Compute Nodes PS700/701/702/730/704, PureFlex p260/460						
POWER6/6+ 520, 550, 560, 570, 595, JS12/22, JS23/43						
POWER5/5+ 515, 520, 525, 550, 570, 595						
800, 810, 825, 870, 890						