

# HP announces extended support for HP-UX 11i v3

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Introduced in February 2007, HP-UX 11i v3 is the main enterprise release for HP-UX. Biannually in March and September, this release is updated to provide significant new functionality that customers can easily update without the need for re-certification. HP recognizes this non-disruptive approach to delivering improved functionality is essential to maintaining the stability required by our mission-critical customers.

The standard support lifecycle for most operating systems ([HP-UX](#), [AIX](#), [Oracle Solaris](#), [Windows Server](#), [Red Hat Enterprise Linux](#)) ranges between 7-10 years. For HP-UX 11i v3, the original end of factory support was slated for Dec 31, 2017.

However, based on customer demand, HP has decided to extend the end of factory support for HP-UX 11i v3 to Dec 31, 2020—3 additional years beyond what is currently offered by the competition. With a 13 year lifecycle, HP-UX 11i v3 provides maximum stability, continuity and investment protection to our customers for the next decade.

Extending factory support for HP-UX 11i v3 also provides our flagship high-end server, Superdome 2, with the enterprise release HP-UX our mission critical customers demand and helps to set the standard for the next decade of mission critical computing.

To view the [HP-UX Public Roadmap](#), and to learn more about HP-UX 11i v3, including details on HP-UX 11i v3 September 2010 (Update 7), go to [www.hp.com/go/hpux11i](http://www.hp.com/go/hpux11i).

HP-UX 11i v3 Update 7:  
Simplified availability and  
consolidation for the mission-critical  
Converged Infrastructure



Outcomes that matter.

