

End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for the Cisco NX-OS Software Release 6.0 for the Cisco Nexus 2000 Series Fabric Extenders and 6000 Series Switches

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Cisco announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life dates for the Cisco NX-OS Software Release 6.0 for the Cisco Nexus 2000 Series Fabric Extenders and 6000 Series Switches. The last day to order the affected product(s) is October 14, 2015. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) as shown in Table 1 of the EoL bulletin. Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the affected product(s). Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement. For customers with active and paid service and support contracts, support will be available under the terms and conditions of customers' service contract.

Table 1. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for the Cisco NX-OS Software Release 6.0 for the Cisco Nexus 2000 Series Fabric Extenders and 6000 Series Switches

Milestone	Definition	Date
End-of-Life Announcement Date	The date the document that announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life of a product is distributed to the general public.	April 15, 2015
End-of-Sale Date	The last date to order the product through Cisco point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	October 14, 2015
Last Ship Date: OS SW	The last-possible ship date that can be requested of Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers. Actual ship date is dependent on lead time.	January 12, 2016
End of SW Maintenance Releases Date: OS SW	The last date that Cisco Engineering may release any final software maintenance releases or bug fixes. After this date, Cisco Engineering will no longer develop, repair, maintain, or test the product software.	October 13, 2016
End of New Service Attachment Date: OS SW	For equipment and software that is not covered by a service-and-support contract, this is the last date to order a new service-and-support contract or add the equipment and/or software to an existing service-and-support contract.	October 13, 2016
End of Service Contract Renewal Date: OS SW	The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product.	January 9, 2020
Last Date of Support: OS SW	The last date to receive applicable service and support for the product as entitled by active service contracts or by warranty terms and conditions. After this date, all support services for the product are unavailable, and the product becomes obsolete.	October 31, 2020

HW = Hardware OS SW = Operating System Software App. SW = Application Software

Customers are encouraged to migrate to the Cisco NX-OS Software Release 7.0 for the Cisco Nexus 2000 Series Fabric Extenders and 6000 Series Switches. Information about this product can be found at: http://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/support/switches/nexus-6000-series-switches/products-release-notes-list.html.

 Table 2.
 Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description	Additional Information
N6KUK9-602N1.1	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.1=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.1A	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(1a)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.1A=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(1a)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.2	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(2)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.2=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(2)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.2A	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(2A)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N1.2A=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N1(2A)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1A	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1a)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1A=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1a)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1B	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1b)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.1B=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(1b)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.2	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(2)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.2=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(2)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.3	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(3)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.3=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N2(3)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.4	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR3	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.4=	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR3	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.5	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR4	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.5=	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR4	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.5A	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR4(A)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.5A=	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR4(A)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description	Additional Information
N6KUK9-602N2.6	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR5	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N2.6=	Nexus 6K Base OS Software for Harbord Plus MR5	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N31	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N3(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-
N6KUK9-602N31=	Nexus 6000 Base OS Software Rel 6.0(2)N3(1)	N6KUK9-705N1.1	Nexus 5600/6000 Base OS Software Rel 7.0(5)N1(1)	-

Product Migration Options

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For More Information

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