

## Cornelis Omni-Path Express™ Supports Rocky\* Linux\*

**Q:** With CentOS Linux 8 End of Life (EOL) in December 2021, what is Cornelis' replacement strategy?

**A:** The EOL for CentOS Linux 8 has prompted Cornelis Networks to find a replacement for CentOS. Cornelis Networks is happy to announce support for Rocky Linux. We will continue to evaluate other Linux options to add to our OS support as needed.

**Q:** Now that you have decided to support Rocky Linux, which fabric software release will reflect this support?

**A:** Rocky Linux support is included in Omni-Path Express Fabric Suite (OPXS) version 10.11.1.x and later. For details, please refer to Omni-Path software announcement supporting RHEL 8.5 dated March 2022.

**Q:** When should I expect End of Support (EOS) for CentOS from Cornelis?

**A:** Cornelis will support CentOS 8.4 until the OPXS 10.12.1 is released. CentOS 8.5 will be supported through 2022.

**Q:** When ready to migrate to Rocky Linux, who should I reach out to for questions or issues?

**A:** You can get in touch with our support team by sending an email to [support@cornelisnetworks.com](mailto:support@cornelisnetworks.com).

**Q:** What if I decide to adopt another CentOS alternative like AlmaLinux?

**A:** We currently support Rocky Linux as the CentOS alternative. Cornelis will use best effort practices with customers who are running AlmaLinux.