



nShield Security World Release Information

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This section lists the **currently supported** nShield Software releases for the Security World Software and related firmware and Connect images. It details versions released under the new [nShield Security World Software Release Policy](#). For each version, it lists the details of their latest released version, support dates, the phase the release is in and a link to the relevant release notes. Versions no longer supported are not listed on this page.

See [nShield Security World Software Release Policy](#) for details of the Security World software release and support policy. This includes details of the different phases of the releases and the expectations of the different release types. Consult this policy before deciding on the software version to use.

1. Security World Client-side

The table below lists the supported Security World client-side releases:

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Support Phase	Planned End of Support	Planned End of Extended Support
Latest STS	v13.9	August 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.9.0 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	April 2026	n/a
STS	v13.7	April 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.7.3 - Apr 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	December 2025	n/a
Latest LTS	v13.6	June 2024	LTS Update 4 - v13.6.12 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Update 3 - v13.6.11 - Apr 2025 • LTS Update 2 - v13.6.8 - Jan 2025 • LTS Update 1 - v13.6.5 - Oct 2024 • LTS Release - v13.6.3 - Jun 2024	Release Notes	LTS Support	October 2027	October 2028

2. nShield 5s Firmware

The tables below list the supported nShield 5s firmware releases.

As detailed in the [nShield Security World Release Policy](#), the [LTS-C releases](#) are certified HSM firmware that is still in support for use with a later supported version of Security World Software (both Connect image the client software). The table below shows all supported nShield 5s firmware versions, including both LTS and LTS-C versions. These should be used with a supported [Security World client-side Software](#) and a [nShield 5c image](#) version.

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
Latest STS	13.8	August 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.8.0 - Aug 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> • Primary: 13.8.0-0-0e63150bd1 • Recovery: 13.5.0-0-e2ec16ee • Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	-	STS Support	April 2026

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
STS	13.7	April 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.7.1 - Apr 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> • Primary: 13.7.1-60-29caa782 • Recovery: 13.5.0-0-e2ec16ee • Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	-	STS Support	December 2025
Latest LTS	13.5	June 2024	LTS Update 3 - v13.5.6 - Apr 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> • Primary: 13.5.6-104-d14de646 • Recovery: 13.5.0-0-e2ec16ee • Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Release - v13.5.1 - Jun 2024	Release Notes	-	LTS Support	October 2028

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
Common Criteria LTS-C	13.5	April 2024	LTS Release - v13.5.1 - Apr 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> - Primary: 13.5.1-0-3daee55f - Recovery: 13.5.0-0-e2ec16ee - Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> - None	Release Notes	Common Criteria Dutch cert. Singapore cert.	LTS-C Support	September 2029
FIPS LTS-C <i>Recommended FIPS FW</i>	13.4	June 2023	LTS Update 1 - v13.4.5 - Oct 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> - Primary: 13.4.5-751-56c6f1db - Recovery: 13.2.4-280-7f4f0c24 - Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e - OR Bootloader: 1.1.0-1245-b9bedfa ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> LTS Release - v13.4.3 - Jun 2023	Release Notes	FIPS 140-3 Level 3: 4765	LTS-C Support	August 2029

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
FIPS LTS-C	13.2	May 2022	LTS Update 1 - v13.2.4 - Jun 2024 ▼ <i>Detailed version info</i> • Primary: 13.2.4-280-7f4f0c24 • Recovery: 13.2.4-280-7f4f0c24 • Bootloader: 1.4.1-0-edb84d6e • OR Bootloader: 1.1.0-1245-b9bedfa ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Release - v13.2.2 - May 2022	Release Notes 	FIPS 140-3 • Level 3: 4745	LTS-C Support	July 2029

3. Solo XC Firmware

The tables below list the supported Solo XC firmware releases.

As detailed in the [nShield Security World Release Policy](#), the [LTS-C releases](#) are certified HSM firmware that is still in support for use with a later supported version of Security World Software (both Connect image the client software). The table below shows all supported Solo XC firmware versions, including both LTS and LTS-C versions. These should be used with a supported [Security World client-side Software](#) release and a [Connect XC image](#) version.

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
Latest STS	13.8	August 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.8.0 - Aug 2024 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	-	STS Support	April 2026
STS	13.7	April 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.7.1 - Apr 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	-	STS Support	December 2025
Latest LTS	13.5	June 2024	LTS Update 3 - v13.5.6 - Apr 2024 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Release - v13.5.3 - Jun 2024	Release Notes	-	LTS Support	October 2027

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
FIPS LTS-C <i>Recommended FIPS FW</i>	12.72	October 2022	LTS Update 2 - v12.72.4 - Apr 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Update 1 - v12.72.3 - Jun 2024 • LTS Release - v12.72.1 - Oct 2022	Release Notes	FIPS 140-2 • F2-Level 2: 4333 • F3-Level 2: 4334 • F3-Level 3: 4335	LTS-C Support	September 2026
Common Criteria LTS-C	12.60	February 2021	LTS Release - v12.60.15 - Feb 2021 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	-	Common Criteria • Dutch cert. • Singapore cert.	LTS-C Support	March 2026
FIPS LTS-C	12.50	May 2019	LTS Release - v12.50.11 - May 2019 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	FIPS 140-2 • F2-Level 2: 3765 • F3-Level 2: 3766 • F3-Level 3: 3760	LTS-C Support	December 2025

4. Edge Firmware

The tables below list the supported Edge firmware releases.

As detailed in the [nShield Security World Release Policy](#), the [LTS-C releases](#) are certified HSM firmware that is still in support for use with a later supported version of Security World Software (both Connect image the client software). The table below shows all supported Edge firmware versions, including both LTS and LTS-C versions. These should be used with a supported [Security World client-side Software](#) release.

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Certification	Support Phase	Planned End of Support
FIPS LTS-C	12.72	October 2022	LTS Update 1 - v12.72.2 - Jun 2024 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Release - v12.72.0 - Oct 2022	Release Notes	FIPS 140-2 • F2-Level 2: 4331 • F3-Level 3: 4332	LTS-C Support	September 2026

5. nShield 5c Images

The tables below lists the supported nShield 5c image releases.

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Support Phase	Supported FW Versions	Planned End of Support	Planned End of Extended Support
Latest STS	v13.9	August 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.9.0 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	• 13.8.0	April 2026	n/a
STS	v13.7	April 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.7.1 - Apr 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	• 13.7.1	December 2025	n/a
Latest LTS	v13.6	June 2024	LTS Update 4 - v13.6.12 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Update 3 - v13.6.11 - Apr 2025 • LTS Update 2 - v13.6.7 - Jan 2025 • LTS Update 1 - v13.6.5 - Oct 2024 • LTS Release - v13.6.1 - Jun 2024	Release Notes	LTS Support	• 13.5.6 • 13.5.1 • 13.4.5 • 13.2.4	October 2027	October 2028

6. Connect XC Images

The tables below lists the supported Connect XC image releases.

Release Type	Version	Original Release Date	Latest Release Info	Release Notes	Support Phase	Supported FW Versions	Planned End of Support	Planned End of Extended Support
Latest STS	v13.9	August 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.9.0 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	• 13.8.0	April 2026	n/a
STS	v13.7	April 2025	STS Release 1 - v13.7.1 - Apr 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • None	Release Notes	STS Support	• 13.7.1	December 2025	n/a
Latest LTS	v13.6	June 2024	LTS Update 4 - v13.6.12 - Aug 2025 ▼ <i>Previous versions</i> • LTS Update 3 - v13.6.11 - Apr 2025 • LTS Update 2 - v13.6.7 - Jan 2025 • LTS Update 1 - v13.6.5 - Oct 2024 • LTS Release - v13.6.1 - Jun 2024	Release Notes	LTS Support	• 13.5.6 • 12.72.4 • 12.60.1 • 12.50.1	October 2027	October 2028