

What's new in Imaging Engine FlexRip & FlexProof 14

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1. Global changes

- Support for Windows 8.1 and Windows Server 2012 R2

2. FlexProof/E

- Based on EFI Proof Server 5.0
- Support Roland LEC 330/530 (in pre-release mode)

3. End of life program

- End of life process for FlexRip is started
- Migration to Imaging Engine starts with Suite 14
- FlexProof E end of life process not started yet

FlexProof/E

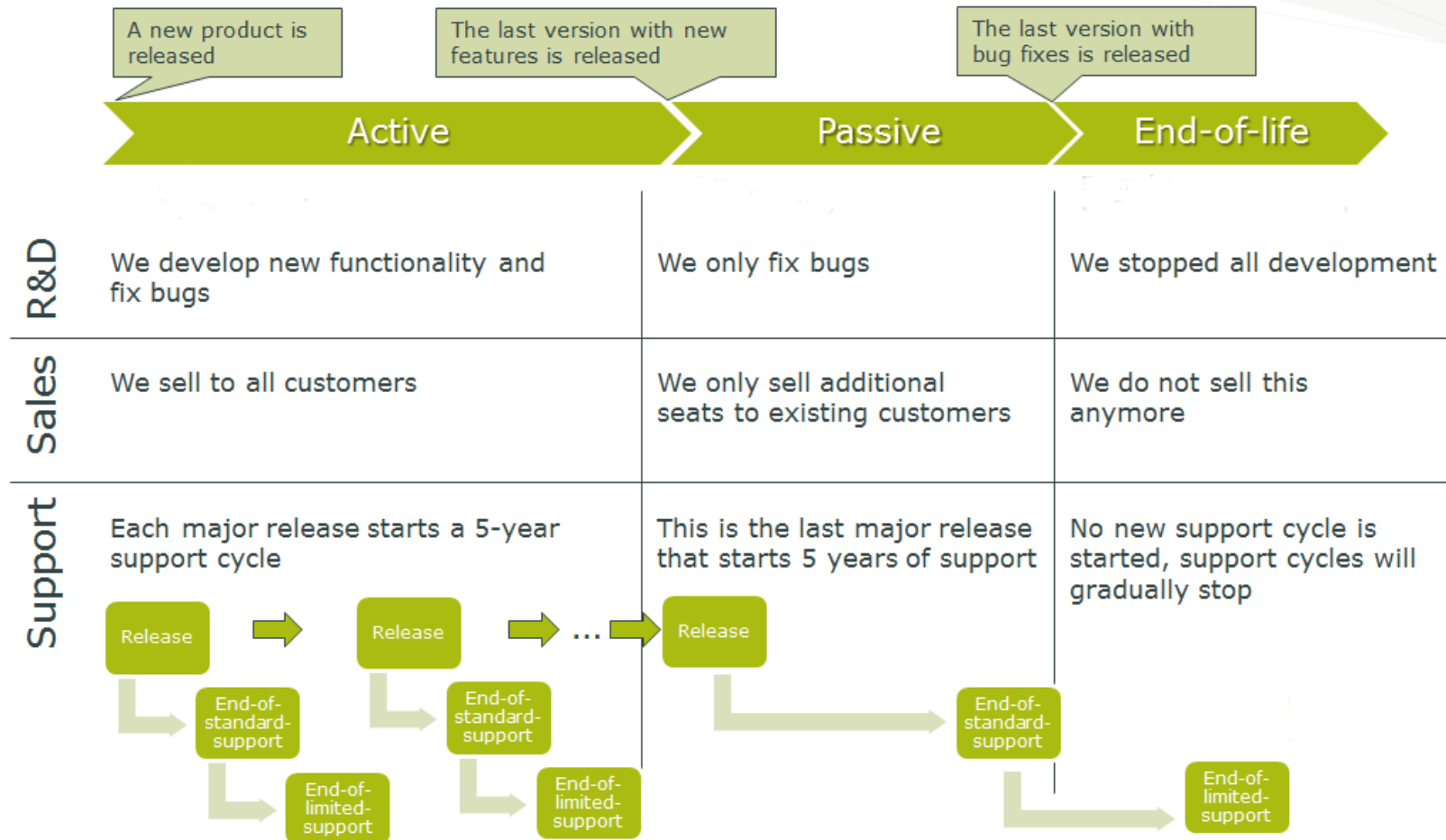
- Updated to Proof Server (EFI Server 5.0)
 - Contains numerous fixes and improvements
- Support for Roland LEC series
 - LEC 330 and 530 devices (www.roland.com for more information)
 - UV inkjet can print on wide variety of substrates. Ideal for packaging proofs
 - Note:
 - Driver is in pre-release mode: please contact Product Manager if you have a candidate customer
 - We do not support finishing operations (cutting) from FlexProof yet



End of life program

- FlexRip 14 will be the last major version of FlexRip
 - FlexRip will now be in **passive mode**
 - Customers will be offered a migration to Imaging Engine
- Support for FlexRip will follow Esko's *Software Support Lifecycle Policy*
 - Standard support for FlexRip will continue for **three years** (until June 2017)
 - In standard support, Esko will continue to provide fixes for critical issues
 - After June 2017, FlexRip will be in *Limited support* for **two years** (until June 2019)
 - In Limited support, Esko will not provide fixes, but will provide phone/email support
 - After June 2019, there will not be any guaranteed support for FlexRip
 - Refer to Esko Software Lifecycle policy for more details

Esko standard end of life process



FAQs about the End of Life of FlexRip

- Q: Is “End of life” for FlexProof E declared?
 - A: No, not yet. First of all a replacement product will be released for customers to migrate to. We currently expect this to begin in June 2015
- Q: “On what hardware or software platforms will Esko support FlexRip in the future”?
 - Since FlexRip is now a passive product, Esko does not guarantee to support new hardware or software platforms (new versions of Windows) in FlexRip
 - Support will continue in accordance with the current system requirements, until FlexRip is end of life

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