

# Important LOFAR dates

Collection of important dates regarding the LOFAR system. This collects known Stopdays, Software releases, etc. Subject to change, so if you need to stay up-to-date, subscribe to this page (use 'manage subscriptions' tab at the top of this page).

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## LOFAR stop days

Note: The dates are links to pages with planned changes/activities!

|                                 |
|---------------------------------|
| <b>2016</b>                     |
| <a href="#">Apr 5</a>           |
| <a href="#">May 10 NEW DATE</a> |
| <a href="#">Jun 7</a>           |
| <a href="#">Jul 12</a>          |
| <a href="#">Aug 2</a>           |
| <a href="#">Aug 30</a>          |
| <a href="#">Oct 4</a>           |
| <a href="#">Nov 1</a>           |
| <a href="#">Dec 6</a>           |
| <b>2017</b>                     |
| <a href="#">Jan 3</a>           |
| <a href="#">Feb 7</a>           |
| <a href="#">Mar 7</a>           |
| <a href="#">Apr 4</a>           |
| <a href="#">May 2</a>           |
| <a href="#">Jun 6</a>           |

After a stopday, software support will go through a checklist before handing over the system to science support and operators. That list is [here](#).

## LOFAR Software Releases

| 2016                   | Version | 2017 (proposed dates)  | Version |
|------------------------|---------|------------------------|---------|
| <a href="#">Jan 25</a> | 2.15    | <a href="#">Jan 30</a> |         |
| <a href="#">Mar 14</a> | 2.16    | <a href="#">Mar 13</a> |         |
| <a href="#">May 23</a> | 2.17    | <a href="#">May 8</a>  |         |
| <a href="#">Jul 4</a>  |         | <a href="#">Jul 10</a> |         |
| <a href="#">Sep 12</a> | 2.17.6  | <a href="#">Sep 11</a> |         |

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| 2016  | Version | 2017 (proposed dates) | Version |
|-------|---------|-----------------------|---------|
| Nov 7 |         | Oct 23                |         |
| Dec 5 |         | Dec 4                 |         |

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