



IBM Sterling Connect:Direct Compatibility and Connectivity Chart

The IBM® Sterling Connect:Direct® Compatibility and Connectivity chart shows the currently supported versions and platforms of IBM® Sterling Connect:Direct® and the Connect:Direct Service Adapter on IBM® Sterling B2B Integrator or IBM® Sterling Gentran Integration Suite and the compatible Sterling Connect:Direct versions. To determine if a Sterling Connect:Direct version is compatible with another Sterling Connect:Direct platform, find a Sterling Connect:Direct platform and version number in the left column. Look across that row to the desired platform, and find the compatible Sterling Connect:Direct version and the connectivity type.

For example, to see if version 5.0.00 of IBM® Sterling Connect:Direct for z/OS® is compatible with Sterling Connect:Direct for UNIX, find z/OS in the left column and look down the column until you find version 5.0.xx. Look to the right until you find the UNIX column. You see that version 5.0.00 of Sterling Connect:Direct for z/OS runs with version 3.8.00 or later of Sterling Connect:Direct for UNIX using LU6.2, TCP/IP, or UDT (requires Sterling Connect:Direct for UNIX version 4.0.00 or later). Unless otherwise specified, the compatibility applies to all maintenance releases for a Sterling Connect:Direct version. Some features require a specific platform release level. See the documentation for each Sterling Connect:Direct platform for more information.

	z/OS	UNIX (Linux)	Microsoft Windows	Sterling Connect:Direct Select	HP NonStop (Tandem)	OpenVMS	i5/OS	VM/VSE	Sterling B2B Integrator or Sterling Gentran Integration Suite (Connect:Direct Service Adapter)
z/OS									
4.6.xx 4.7.xx 4.8.xx 5.0.xx	4.6.00 or later LU0 LU6.2 TCP/IP CTCA NETEX ¹ UDT ²	3.8.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP UDT ³	4.2.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP UDT ⁴	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP NETEX	3.4.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU0 LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU0 LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.3.00 or later
Note: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Version 4.6 is the last release to support NETEX. 2. Version 4.8 is the first release to support UDT (Sterling File Accelerator). 3. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for UNIX version 4.0.00 or later. 4. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for Microsoft Windows version 4.5.00 or later. 									
UNIX (Linux)									
3.8.xx 4.0.xx	4.6.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP UDT ²	3.8.00 or later TCP/IP UDT ¹	4.2.00 or later TCP/IP UDT ³	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.3.00 or later
Note: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Version 4.0 is the first release to support UDT. 2. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for z/OS version 4.8.00 or later. 3. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for Microsoft Windows version 4.5.00 or later. 									
Microsoft Windows									
4.2.xx 4.3.xx ¹ 4.4.xx 4.5.xx	4.6.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP UDT ²	3.8.00 or later TCP/IP UDT ³	4.2.00 or later TCP/IP UDT ⁴	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.3.00 or later
Note: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Version 4.3 is available only in select markets. 2. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for z/OS version 4.8.00 or later. 3. Requires Sterling Connect:Direct for UNIX version 4.0.00 or later. 4. Version 4.5 is the first release to support UDT. 									

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IBM® Sterling Connect:Direct® Select									
1.2.xx	4.6.00 or later TCP/IP	3.8.00 or later TCP/IP	4.2.00 or later TCP/IP	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	No	3.5.00 or later TCP/IP	No	4.3.00 or later
HP NonStop (Tandem)									
3.4.xx 3.5.xx	4.6.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	3.8.00 or later TCP/IP	4.2.00 or later TCP/IP	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP NETEX	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	4.3.00 with patch 4305 or later
OpenVMS									
3.4.xx	4.6.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP SNA*	3.8.00 or later TCP/IP	4.2.00 or later TCP/IP	No	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later DECnet TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	4.3.00 with patch 4305 or later
Note: *Version 3.3 is the last release to support the SNA protocol and VAX hardware.									
i5/OS									
3.5.xx 3.6.xx	4.6.00 or later LU0* LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.8.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.2.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	1.2.00 or later TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later LU0* TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU0* (VSE only) LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.3.00 with patch 4305 or later
Note: *i5/OS cannot initiate LU0 sessions with z/OS, HP NonStop, or VM/VSE. It can only act as the SNODE.									
VM/VSE									
3.2.xx	4.6.00 or later LU0 LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.8.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	4.2.00 or later LU6.2 TCP/IP	No	3.4.00 or later LU0 TCP/IP	3.4.00 or later TCP/IP	3.5.00 or later LU0 (VSE only) LU6.2 TCP/IP	3.2.00 or later LU0 LU6.2 TCP/IP	No
Sterling B2B Integrator / Sterling Gentran Integration Suite (Connect:Direct Service Adapter)									
4.3.xx 5.0.xx	4.6.00 or later	3.8.00 or later	4.2.00 or later	1.2.00 or later	3.4.00	3.4.00	3.5.00	No	4.3.00 or later

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