CUDA Container Tag Support EOL Chart

Driver EOL =>	Jul-2024	Feb-2025	Jun-2026
Driver Version =>	470	550	535
Branch =>	LTSB	PROD	LTSB

Active			
12.6.0	C	C	C
12.5.1	C	C	C
12.4.1	C	C	C
12.3.2	C		C
12.2.2	C		C
12.1.1	C		
12.0.1	C		
11.8.0	C		
11.7.1	C		
11.6.2	C		
11.5.2	C		
11.4.3	C		

End of Life (EOL)	Marked EOL on	Est deletion date	Status
12.5.0	Jul-2024	Jan-2025	planned
12.4.0	May-2024	Nov-2024	planned
12.3.1	Feb-2024	Aug-2024	overdue
12.3.0	Dec-2023	Jun-2024	overdue
12.2.0	Oct-2023	Apr-2024	overdue
12.1.0	Apr-2023	Oct-2023	overdue
12.0.0	Feb-2023	Aug-2023	overdue
11.6.1	Jul-2023	Jan-2024	overdue
11.3.1	Jul-2023	Jan-2024	overdue
11.2.2	Jul-2023	Jan-2024	overdue
11.1.1	Jul-2023	Jan-2024	overdue
11.0.3	Jul-2023	Jan-2024	overdue

* A tag is marked EOL, when the last driver it supports goes EOL (e.g. 11.4.3 will be marked EOL on Jul-2024)
or when a new patch version is released (e.g. after 12.1.1 release, 12.1.0 is marked EOL)
* Containers marked EOL are available for atleast 6 months from EOL date
* Additionally "build.sh" script can be used to build containers for any tags released in the past and deprecated

** Plan is to support 2 major CUDA versions at any given time (e.g. 11 & 12 or 12 & 13)
i.e. 11 will be marked EOL, after 13 is released. If 11 is already past deletion date based on other conditions,
a month will be added to 11's deletion time to avoid disruption and provide ample time for customers
to plan the transition

* C for nvidia driver compatible

Ref#

https://docs.nvidia.com/datacenter/tesla/drivers/index.html#cuda-drivers

https://docs.nvidia.com/deploy/cuda-compatibility/index.html#use-the-right-compat-package