

# Antergos Linux Project Ends

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What started as a summertime hobby seven years ago quickly grew into an awesome Linux distribution with an even more awesome community around it. Our goal was to make Arch Linux available to a wider audience of users by providing a streamlined, user friendly experience including a safe place for users to communicate, learn, and help one another. There have been 931,439 unique downloads of Antergos since 2014 (when we began keeping track). We think it's safe to say we've accomplished our goal.

Today, we are announcing the end of this project. As many of you probably noticed over the past several months, we no longer have enough free time to properly maintain Antergos. We came to this decision because we believe that continuing to neglect the project would be a huge disservice to the community. Taking this action now, while the project's code still works, provides an opportunity for interested developers to take what they find useful and start their own projects.

For existing Antergos users: there is no need to worry about your installed systems as they will continue to receive updates directly from Arch. Soon, we will release an update that will remove the Antergos repos from your system along with any Antergos-specific packages that no longer serve a purpose due to the project ending. Once that is completed, any packages installed from the Antergos repo that are in the AUR will begin to receive updates from there.

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Also: [Arch-Based Antergos Linux Distribution Calls It Quits](#) [3]

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## Links:

[1] <http://www.tuxmachines.org/taxonomy/term/63>

[2] <https://antergos.com/blog/antergos-linux-project-ends/>

[3] [http://www.phoronix.com/scan.php?page=news\\_item&px=Antergos-EOL](http://www.phoronix.com/scan.php?page=news_item&px=Antergos-EOL)