

The \$149 PinePhone Linux smartphone will support modular add-ons

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The upcoming PinePhone is expected to be an inexpensive, but versatile smartphone designed to run GNU/Linux operating systems. Yesterday we took a look at some of the operating systems that are already being ported to run on the PinePhone. But it looks like the software isn't the only thing that's actively under development.

Pine64 has posted an update on the state of the smartphone's hardware with new details about the phone's battery, hardware kill switches, and a previously announced feature ? support for swappable back covers that can add functionality to the \$149 smartphone.

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