# Default Ingress Controllers

Developed and maintained by a company that provides a full Kubernetes platform (and often support in managing it).

## Pros

Top reasons a default Ingress controller could be right for you

▲ **Free or Low Cost**

▲ **Reliable**

▲ **Supported**

Ideal when...
You're using a Kubernetes platform and are just getting started, in testing, or low-volume production.

## Cons

Top reasons a default Ingress controller could be wrong for you

▼ **Infrastructure Lock-In**

▼ **Basic Features**

▼ **Unpredictable Time or Money Costs as You Scale**

Consider "open source" or "commercial" options to outweigh these cons.

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