

# How to import a virtual machine to LXD instance

## VM 移轉 LXD 平台

If you have an existing machine, either physical or virtual (VM or container), you can use the lxd-migrate tool to create a LXD instance based on your existing disk or image.

[https://documentation.ubuntu.com/lxd/en/latest/howto/import\\_machines\\_to\\_instances/](https://documentation.ubuntu.com/lxd/en/latest/howto/import_machines_to_instances/)

### 安裝 Migrate 套件與環境

於 Ubuntu24.04 LTS 配置環境

```
sudo apt update
sudo apt install -y libvirt-clients virtinst virt-v2v
sudo wget -nd -O srvany.rpm https://kojipkgs.fedoraproject.org//packages/mingw-srvany/1.1/4.fc38/noarch/mingw32-srvany-1.1-4.fc38.noarch.rpm
sudo apt install -y rpm2cpio
sudo rpm2cpio srvany.rpm | cpio -idmv && mkdir /usr/share/virt-tools && mv ./usr/i686-w64-mingw32/sys-root/mingw/bin/*exe /usr/share/virt-tools/
sudo apt install -y dnf
sudo dnf install https://fedorapeople.org/groups/virt/virtio-win/repo/stable/virtio-win-0.1.240-1.noarch.rpm
sudo virt-v2v --block-driver virtio-scsi -o local -of raw -os ./ -i disk WindowsServer-2016-BIOS.vmdk
```

## 轉檔範例

```

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2016-1-BIOS.vmdk
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[ 1.0] Opening the source
[ 16.7] Inspecting the source
[ 21.1] Checking for sufficient free disk space in the guest
[ 21.1] Converting Windows Server 2016 Standard Evaluation to run on KVM
virt-v2v: This guest has virtio drivers installed.
[ 42.6] Mapping filesystem data to avoid copying unused and blank areas
[ 43.5] Closing the overlay
[ 43.6] Assigning disks to buses
[ 43.6] Checking if the guest needs BIOS or UEFI to boot
[ 43.6] Setting up the destination: -o disk -os ./
[ 44.6] Copying disk 1/1
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Instance to be created:

Name: windowsMigrate

Project: default

Type: virtual-machine

Source: /home/lester/WindowsServer-2016-1-BIOS-sda

Config:

security.secureboot: "false"

Additional overrides can be applied at this stage:

- 1) Begin the migration with the above configuration
- 2) Override profile list
- 3) Set additional configuration options
- 4) Change instance storage pool or volume size
- 5) Change instance network

Please pick one of the options above [default=1]:

```
root@node2:/home/lester# ./bin.linux.lxd-migrate.x86_64
Please provide LXD server URL: https://192.168.2.166:8443/
Certificate fingerprint: 0b1787fe001b7d51522104f3e99a89b7b53eadc19d6f406afcff625d983c38e7
ok (y/n)? y

1) Use a certificate token
2) Use an existing TLS authentication certificate
3) Generate a temporary TLS authentication certificate
Please pick an authentication mechanism above: 1
Please provide the certificate token: eyJjbGllbnRfZmFtZSI6Imxlc3R1ciIsImZpbmdlcjByaW50IjoiaWGIxNzg3ZmUwMDI1cyI6WyIxOTIuMTY4LjIuMTY2Ojg0NDMiLCIyNDIuMTY2LjIuMTY2Ojg0NDQzIl0sInN1Y3JldCI6ImM4ODR4MTIxc2ZmZDlkZWY1NmIyMTY4MS0wMVQwMDowMDowMfoifQ==

Remote LXD server:
  Hostname: node2
  Version: 5.21.1

Would you like to create a container (1) or virtual-machine (2)? : 2
Name of the new instance: windowsMigrate
Please provide the path to a disk, partition, or image file: /home/lester/WindowsServer-2016-1-BIOS-sda
Does the VM support UEFI Secure Boot? [default=no]:

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## 虛擬機開機前設定

```
sudo lxc config set security.csm=true
sudo lxc config set migration.stateful=true
sudo lxc config set security.secureboot=false
```

## VM 資源配置：CPU、記憶體、硬碟及設定

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CONFIGURATION	INHERITED	OVERRIDE
<b>Exposed CPU limit</b> Which CPUs to expose to the instance	1 From: LXD (VM)	<div> <input checked="" type="radio"/> number           <input type="radio"/> fixed           <span>×</span> </div> <div>2</div> <div>Total number of CPU cores: 4</div>
<b>Memory limit</b> Usage limit for the host's memory	1GB From: LXD (VM)	<div> <input checked="" type="radio"/> absolute           <input type="radio"/> percentage           <span>×</span> </div> <div>4</div> <div>GiB <span>▼</span></div> <div>Total memory: 16 GiB</div>
<b>Memory swap (Containers only)</b> Whether to encourage/discourage swapping less used pages for this instance	Allow From: LXD	<span>✎</span>
<b>Disk priority</b> Priority of the instance's I/O requests	5 From: LXD	<span>✎</span>
<b>Max number of processes (Containers only)</b> Maximum number of processes that can run in the instance	- From: LXD	<span>✎</span>

Cancel

Create

## YAML 檢視虛擬機設定

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## ① YAML Configuration

This is the YAML representation of the instance.

[Learn more about instances](#)

```
13 profiles:
14   - default
15   config:
16     limits.memory: 4GiB
17     migration.stateful: 'true'
18     security.csm: 'true'
19     security.secureboot: 'false'
20   volatile.cloud-init.instance-id: b728579e-358b-47d1-a768-d9186d3a1d4d
21   volatile.eth0.hwaddr: 00:16:3e:ab:ec:99
22   volatile.last_state.power: STOPPED
23   volatile.last_state.ready: 'false'
24   volatile.uuid: e8959975-8f74-4c50-b31a-9e6ace5db01f
25   volatile.uuid.generation: e8959975-8f74-4c50-b31a-9e6ace5db01f
```

Edit instance