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# Workshop on Synopsys ARC CPU with TensorFlow Lite

## Tutorial 2 - WE-I Project Environment Setup & Development Flow

主辦單位：國立清華大學電機系、新思科技  
協辦單位：智慧製造電子應用聯盟  
指導單位：教育部資訊及科技教育司

# WE-I Project Development Flow



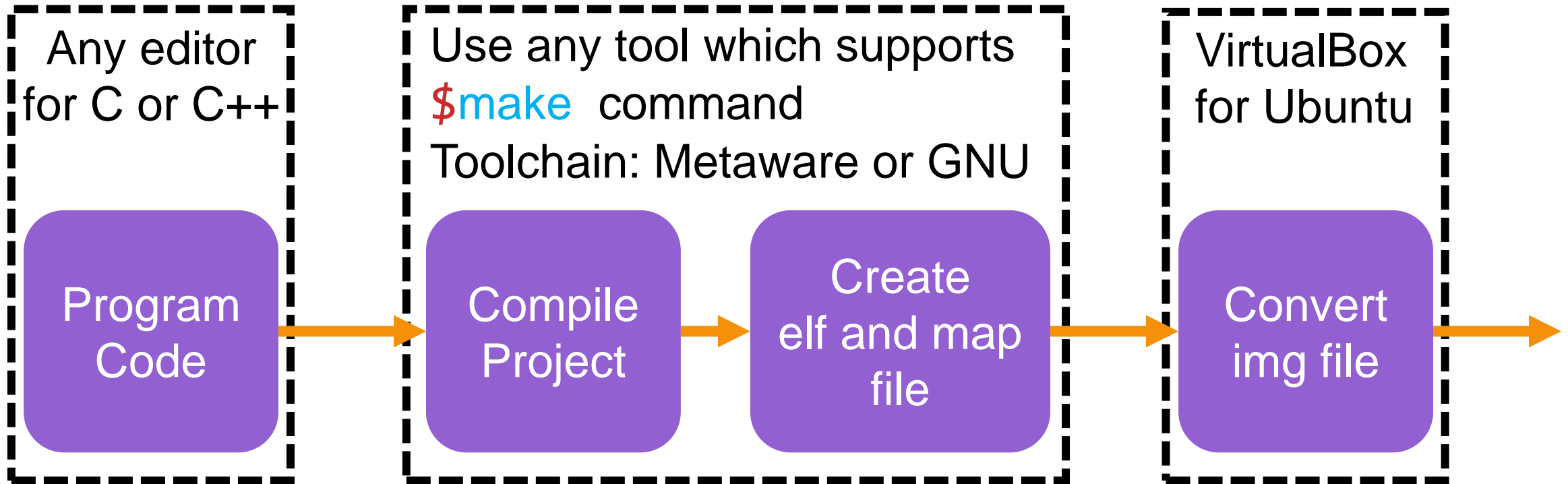
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# Firmware Development





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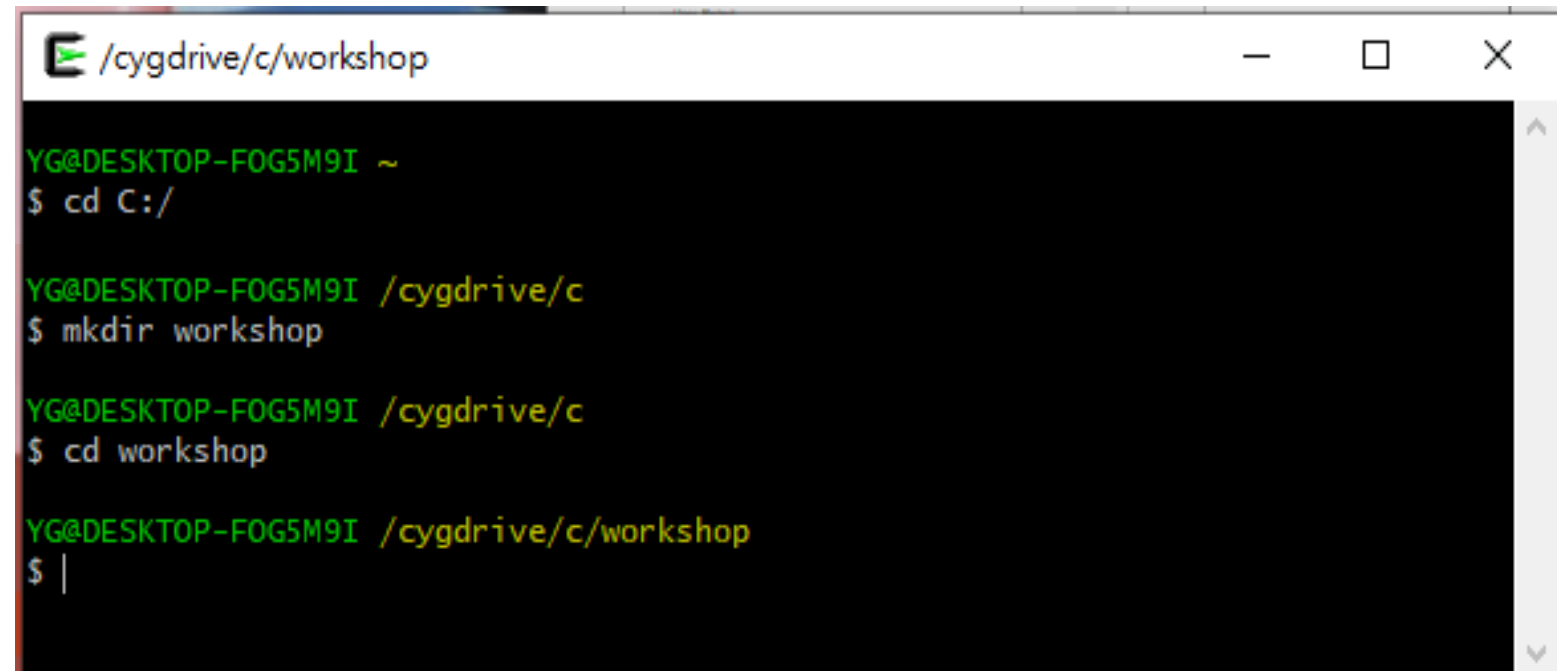
# Download and Setup SDK

## 1. Open Cygwin64 Terminal

\$ `cd c:` (to your working file path)

\$ `mkdir workshop` (Suggest create a new folder named “workshop”)

\$ `cd workshop`



```
/cygdrive/c/workshop

YG@DESKTOP-FOG5M9I ~
$ cd C:/

YG@DESKTOP-FOG5M9I /cygdrive/c
$ mkdir workshop

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$ cd workshop

YG@DESKTOP-FOG5M9I /cygdrive/c/workshop
$ |
```

# Download and Setup SDK

Commands in cygwin64 terminal

2. Download SDK from Himax Github

```
$ git clone https://github.com/HimaxWiseEyePlus/himax\_tflm.git
```

3. Go to the root of Himax SDK

```
$ cd himax_tflm
```

4. Download third party files (3 packages)

```
$ make download
```

5. Download SDK from Synopsys Github

```
$ git clone https://github.com/worldskills2017tw/Synopsys\_WEI.git
```

# Download and Setup SDK

After these steps, your file structure will be like:

*himax\_tflm*

|

----*himax\_we1\_sdk*

----*image\_gen\_linux*

----*tensorflow*

----*third\_party*

----*Synopsys\_WEI*

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----*Example\_Project*

----*User\_Project*

----*doc\_tutorial*

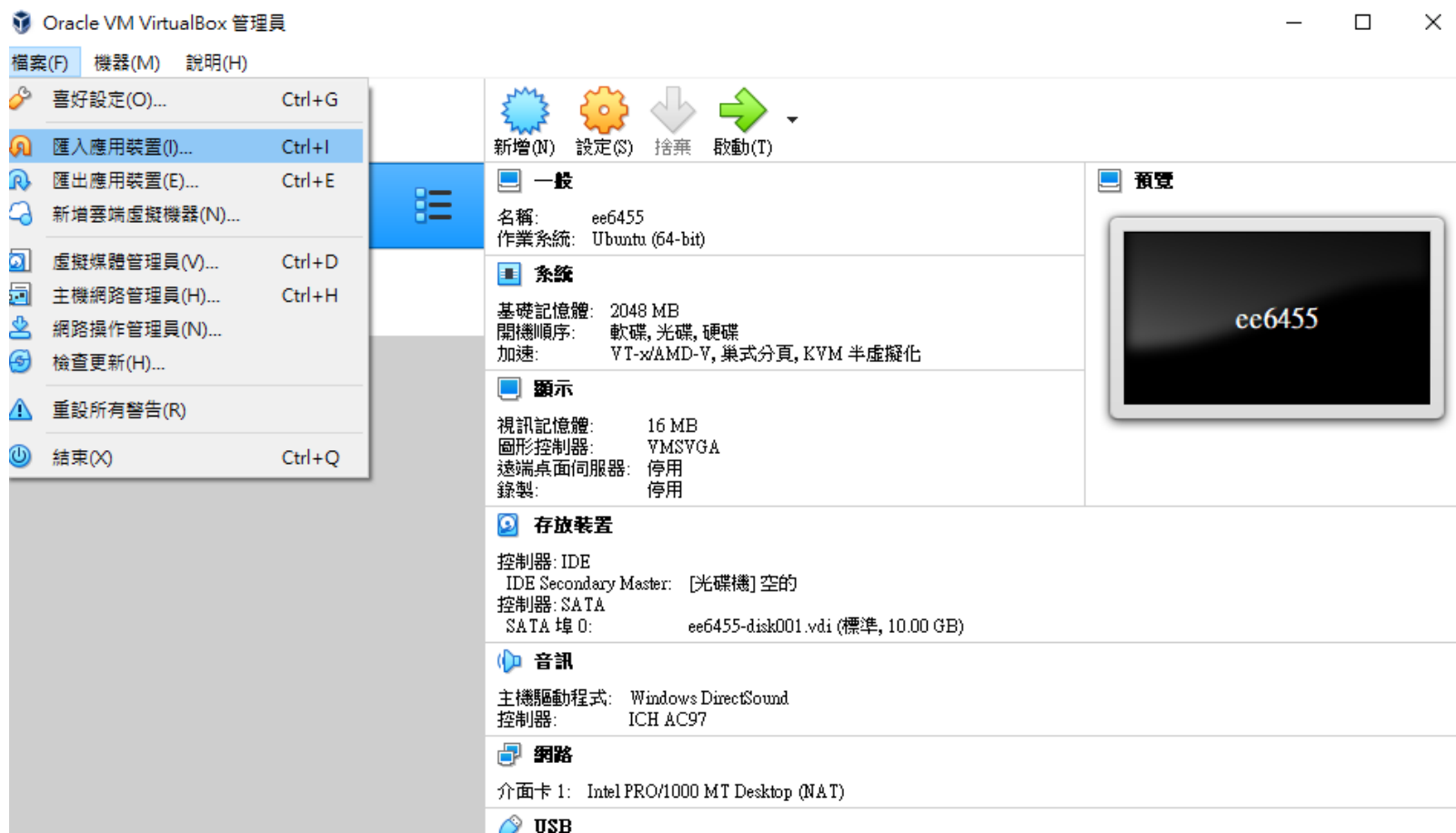
----*arc\_bin*



# Download and Setup SDK

## 6. Setting Virtual Box

Open Virtual Box > 檔案 > 匯入應用裝置



# Download and Setup SDK

## 解壓縮雲端下載的Workshop.zip 匯入workshop.ova

← 匯入虛擬應用裝置

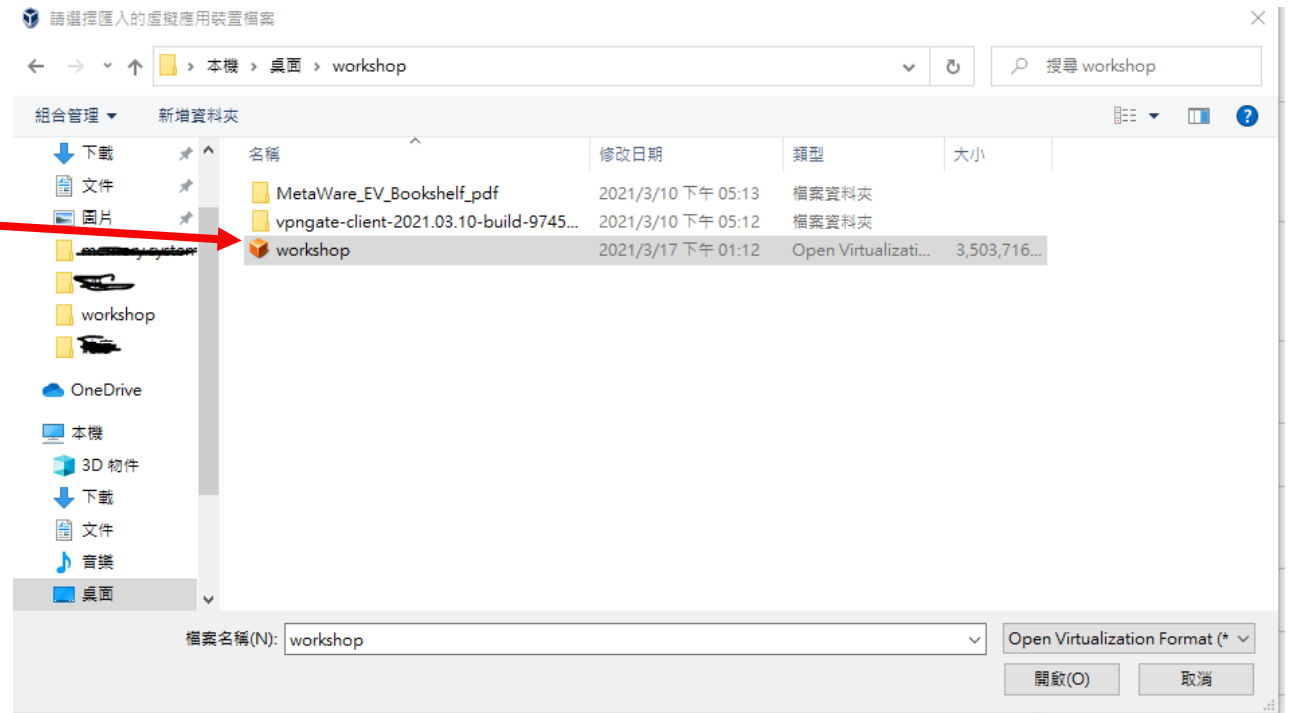
### 匯入的應用裝置

請選擇要從中匯入應用裝置的來源。這可以是本機檔案系統，用於匯入 OVF 存檔，也可以是一個已知的雲端服務提供商，用於匯入雲端虛擬機器。

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檔案(F): C:\Users\w7\Desktop\workshop\workshop.ova

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← 匯入虛擬應用裝置

## 應用裝置設定

這些是包含在應用裝置的虛擬機器和匯入 VirtualBox 機器的建議設定。您可以透過按兩下項目來變更顯示的許多內容，並使用以下的核取方塊停用其它內容。

虛擬系統 1	
名稱	workshop 1
客體作業系統類型	Ubuntu (64-bit)
CPU	1
RAM	2048 MB
DVD	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
USB 控制器	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
音效卡	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ICH AC97
網路卡	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intel PRO/1000 MT Desktop (82540EM)
存放裝置控制器 (IDE)	PIIX4
存放裝置控制器 (IDE)	PIIX4
存放裝置控制器 (SATA)	AHCI
虛擬磁碟映像	workshop-disk002.vmdk
基礎資料夾	C:\Users\w7\VirtualBox VMs
主要群組	/

機器基礎資料夾(M): C:\Users\w7\VirtualBox VMs

MAC 位址原則(P): 只包含 NAT 網路卡 MAC 位址

額外選項: ☒ 匯入硬碟磁碟機作為 VDI(I)

應用裝置未簽署

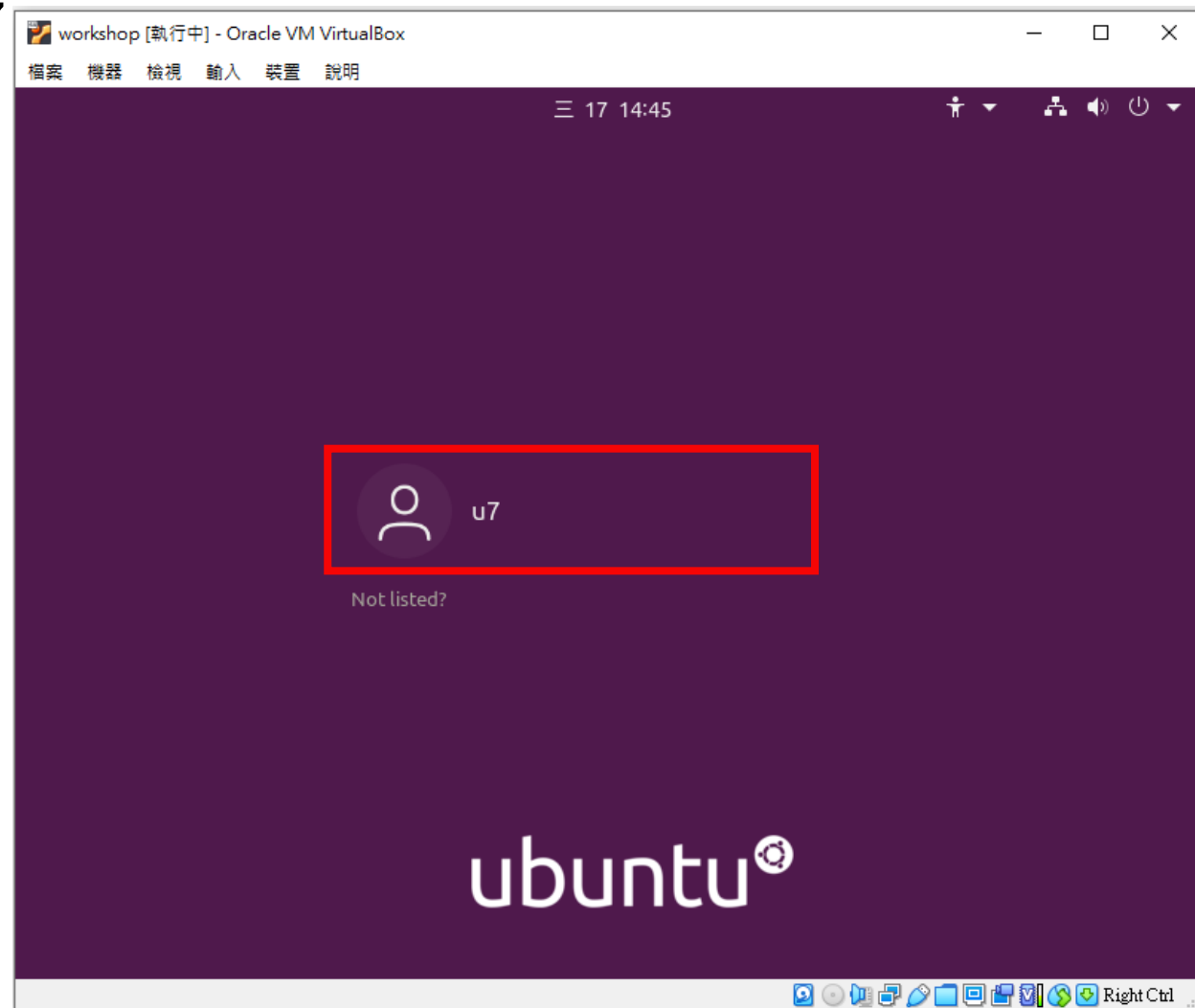
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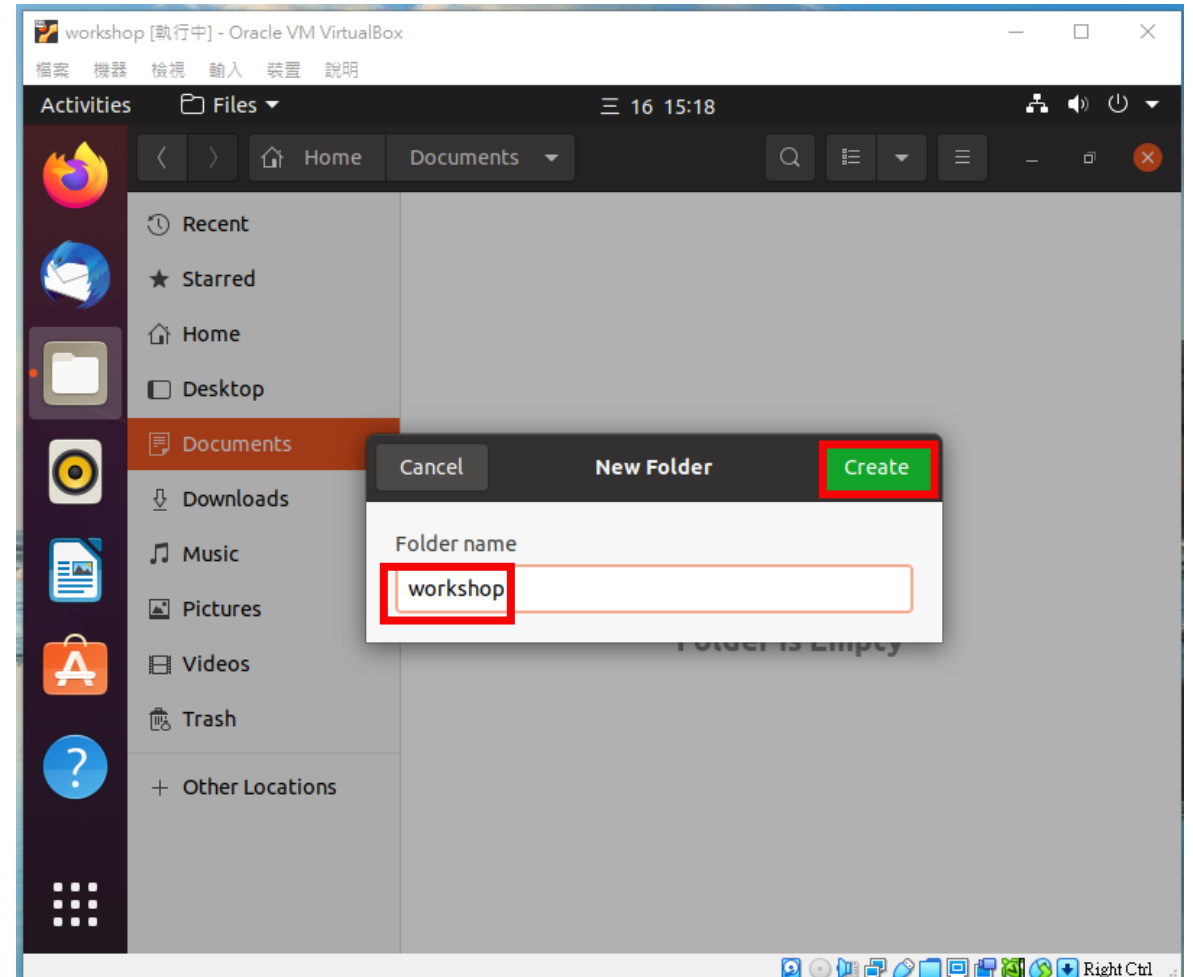
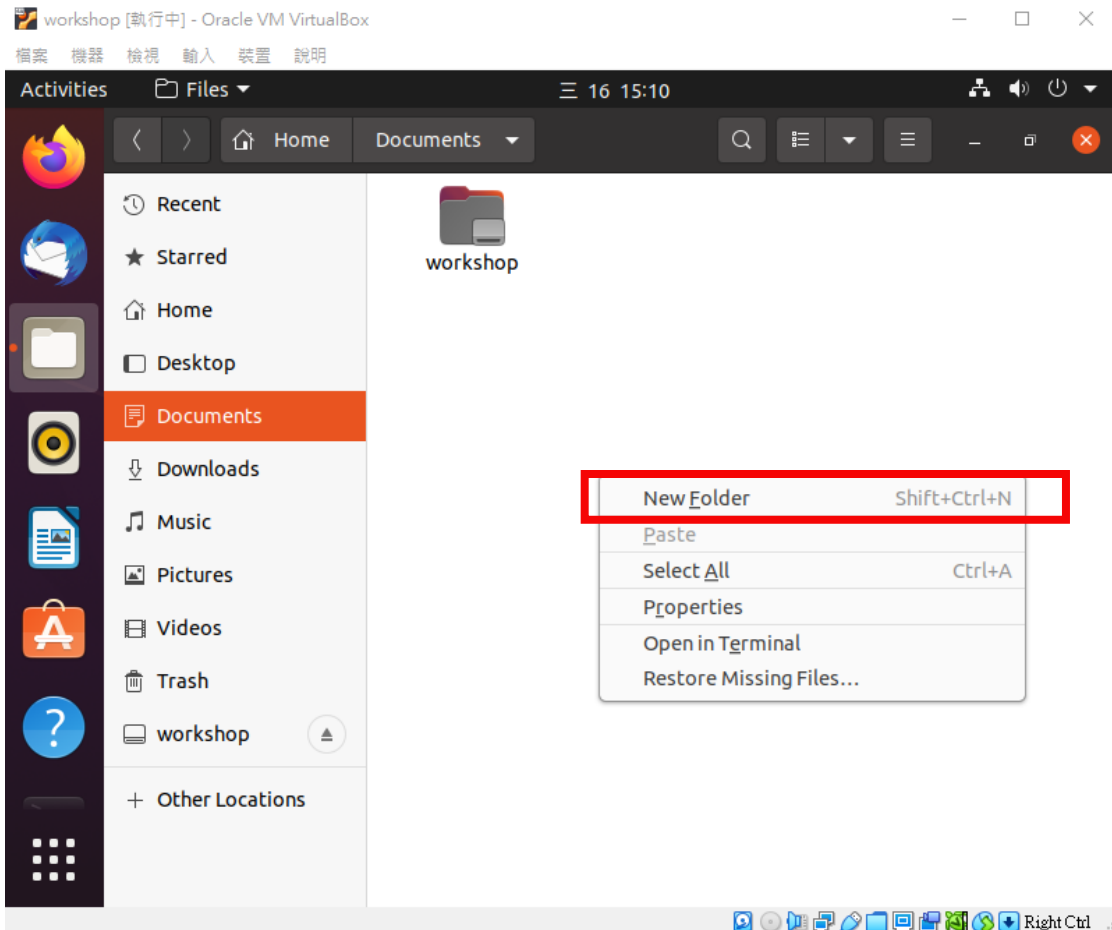
# Download and Setup SDK

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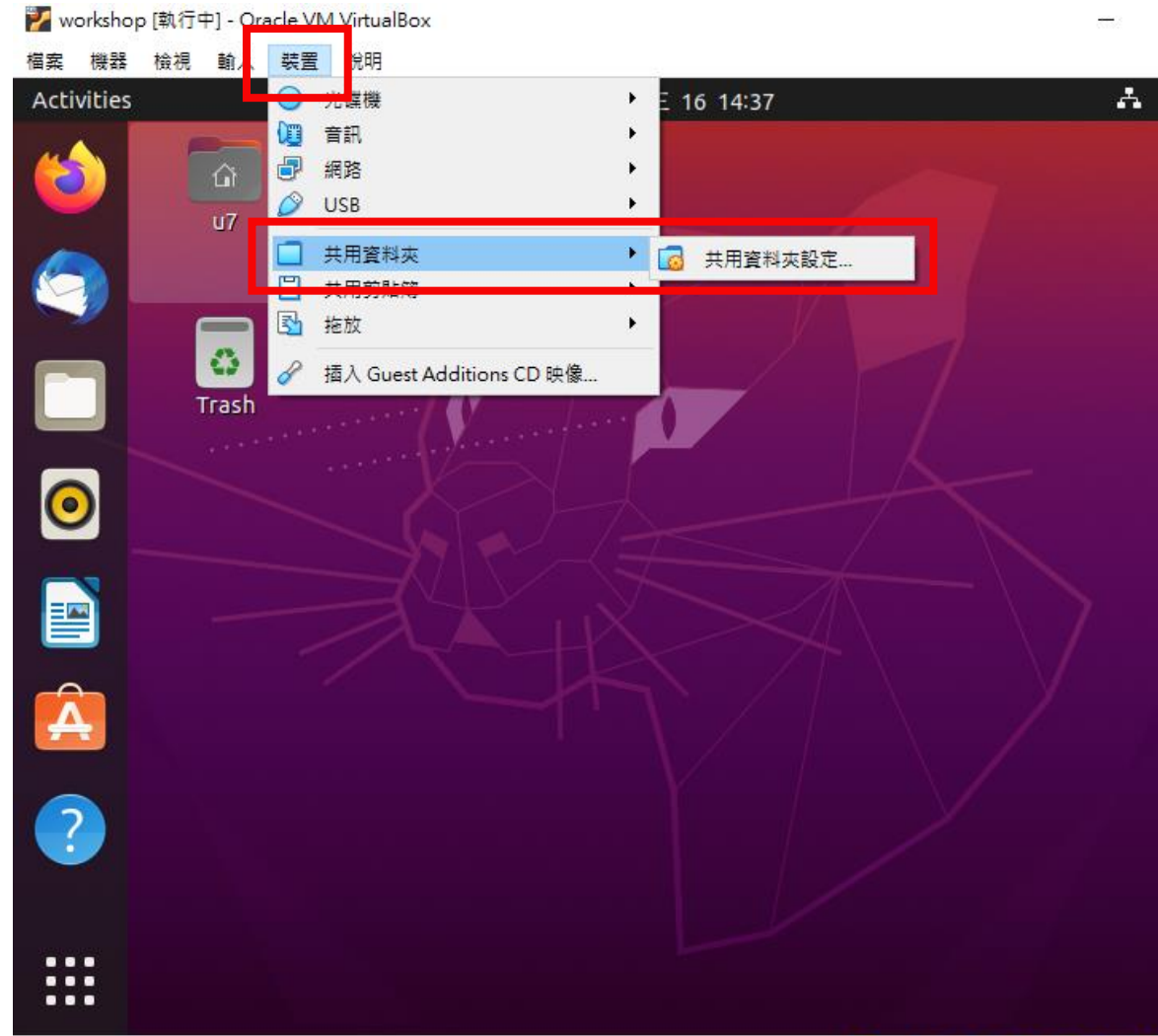
# Download and Setup SDK

Create a new folder at Home/Documents  
(Already done by out workshop.ova)



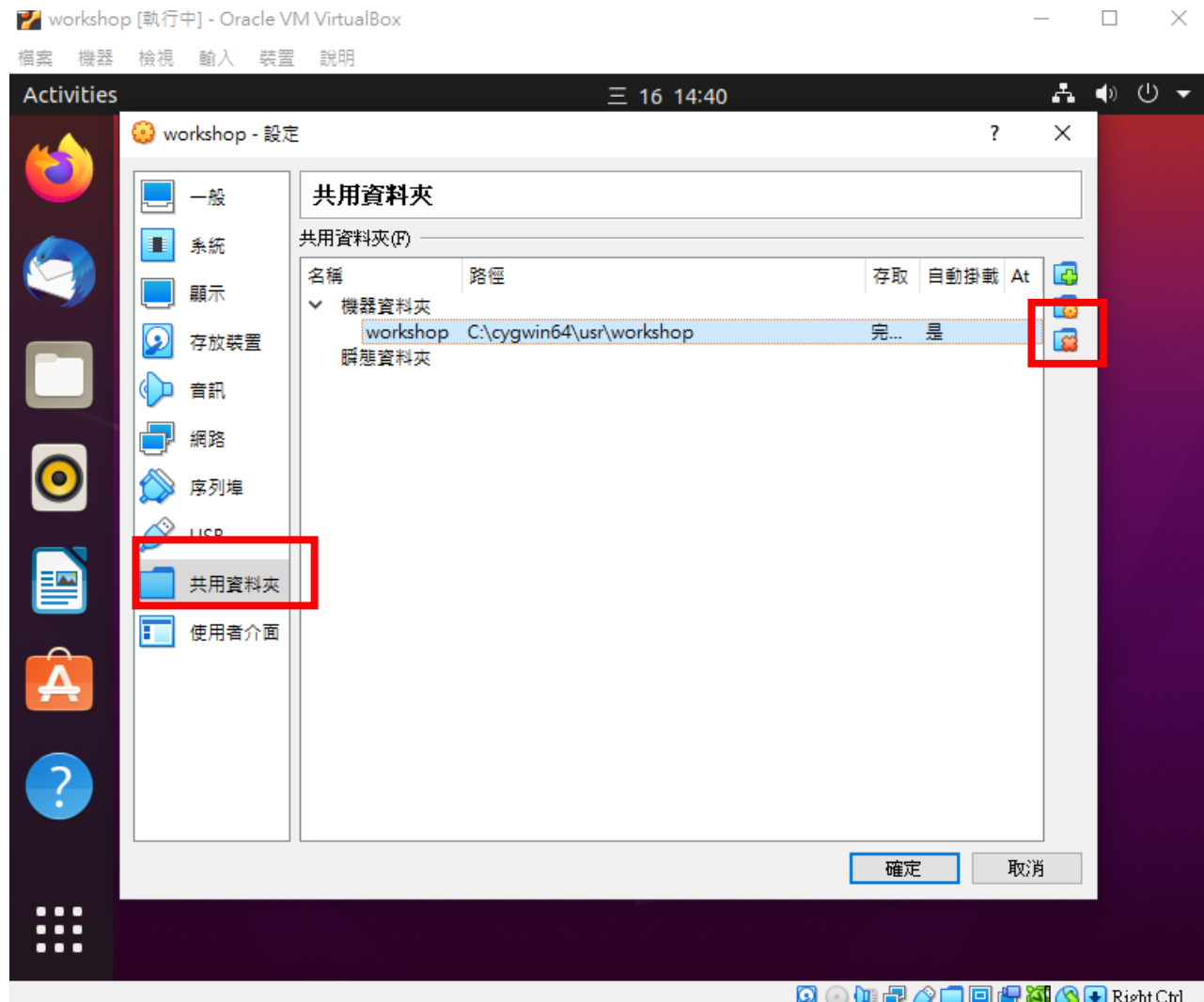
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Set the folder to be shared



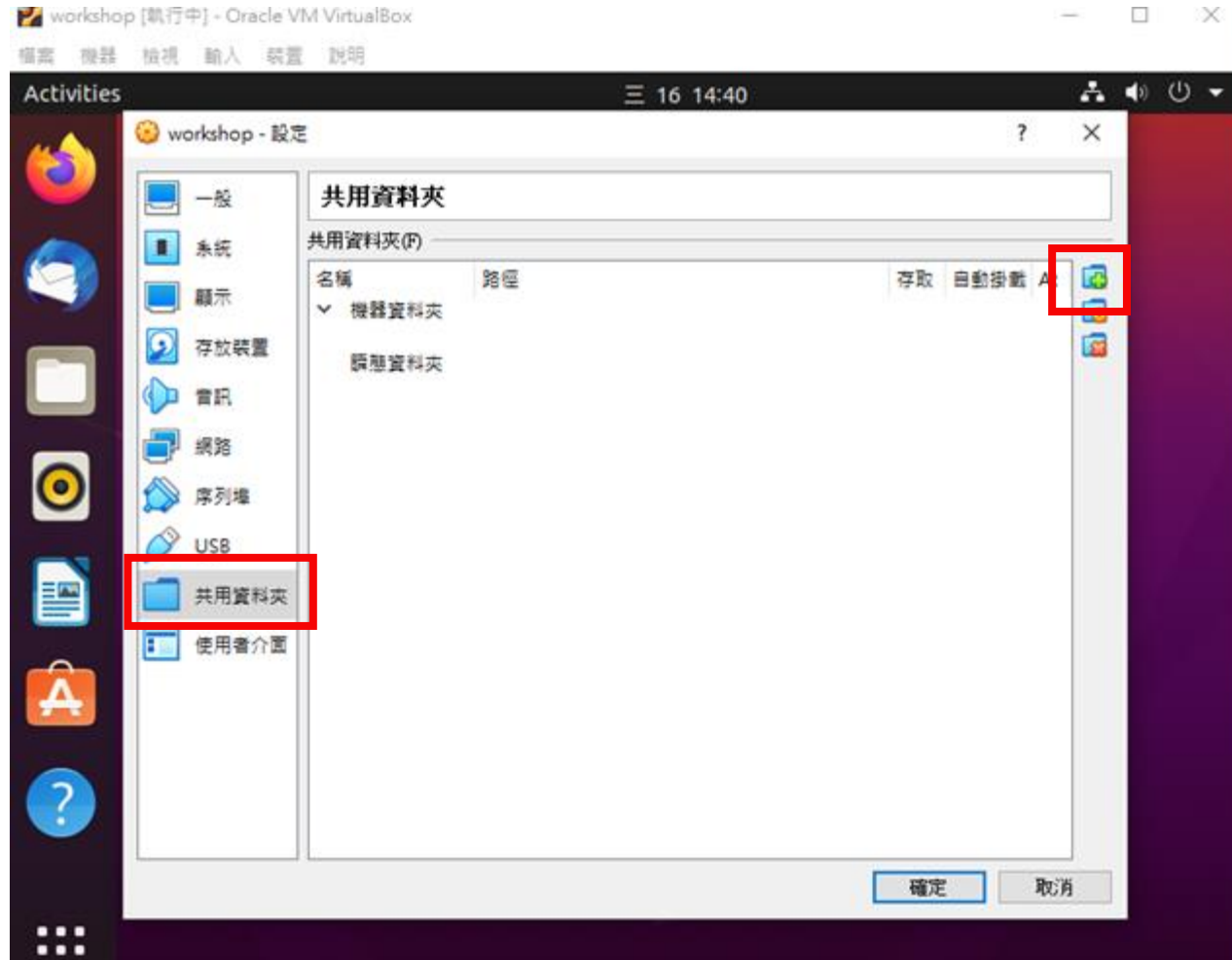
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如果發現已經設定共用資料夾，請先刪除



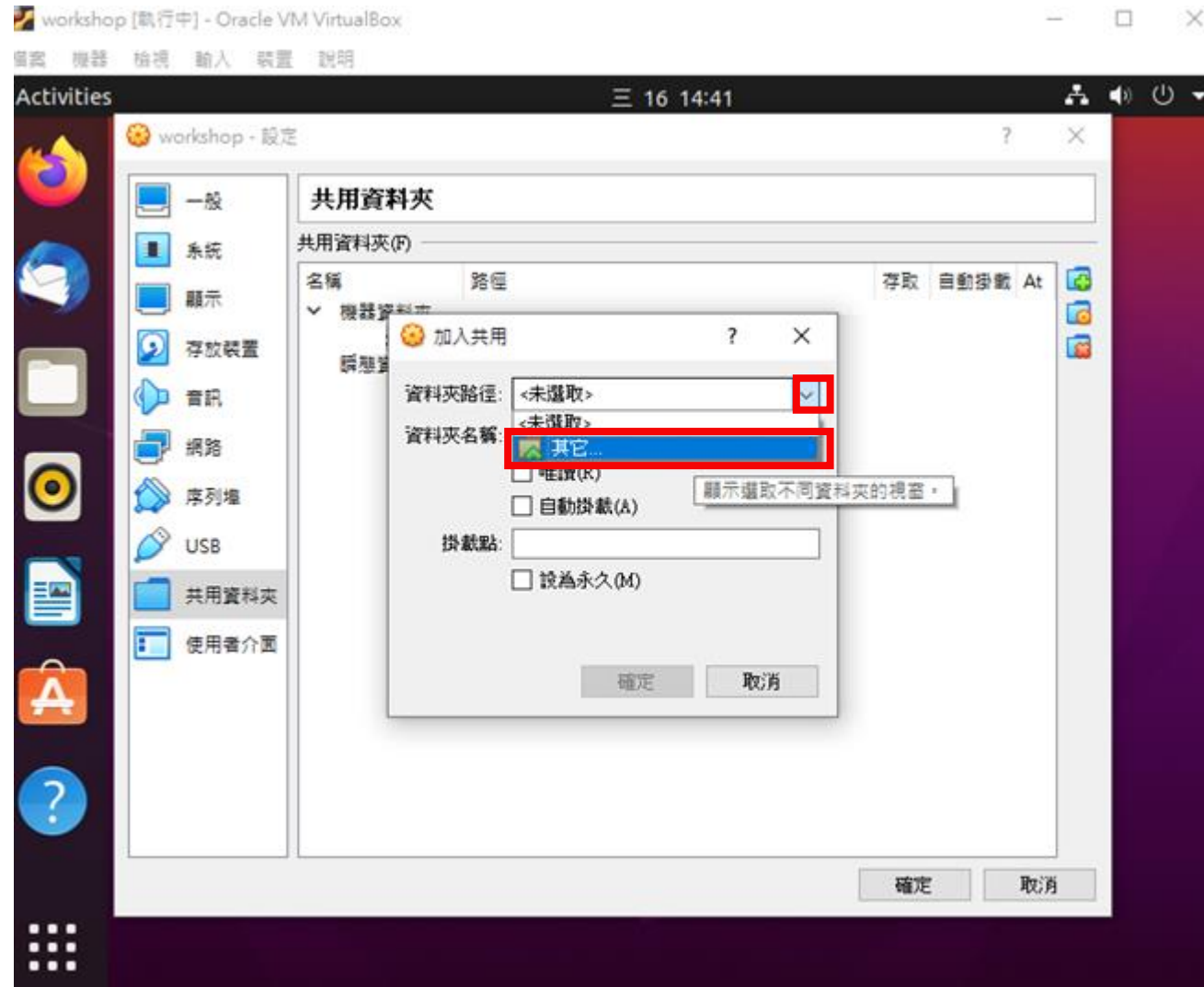
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## 設定共用資料夾



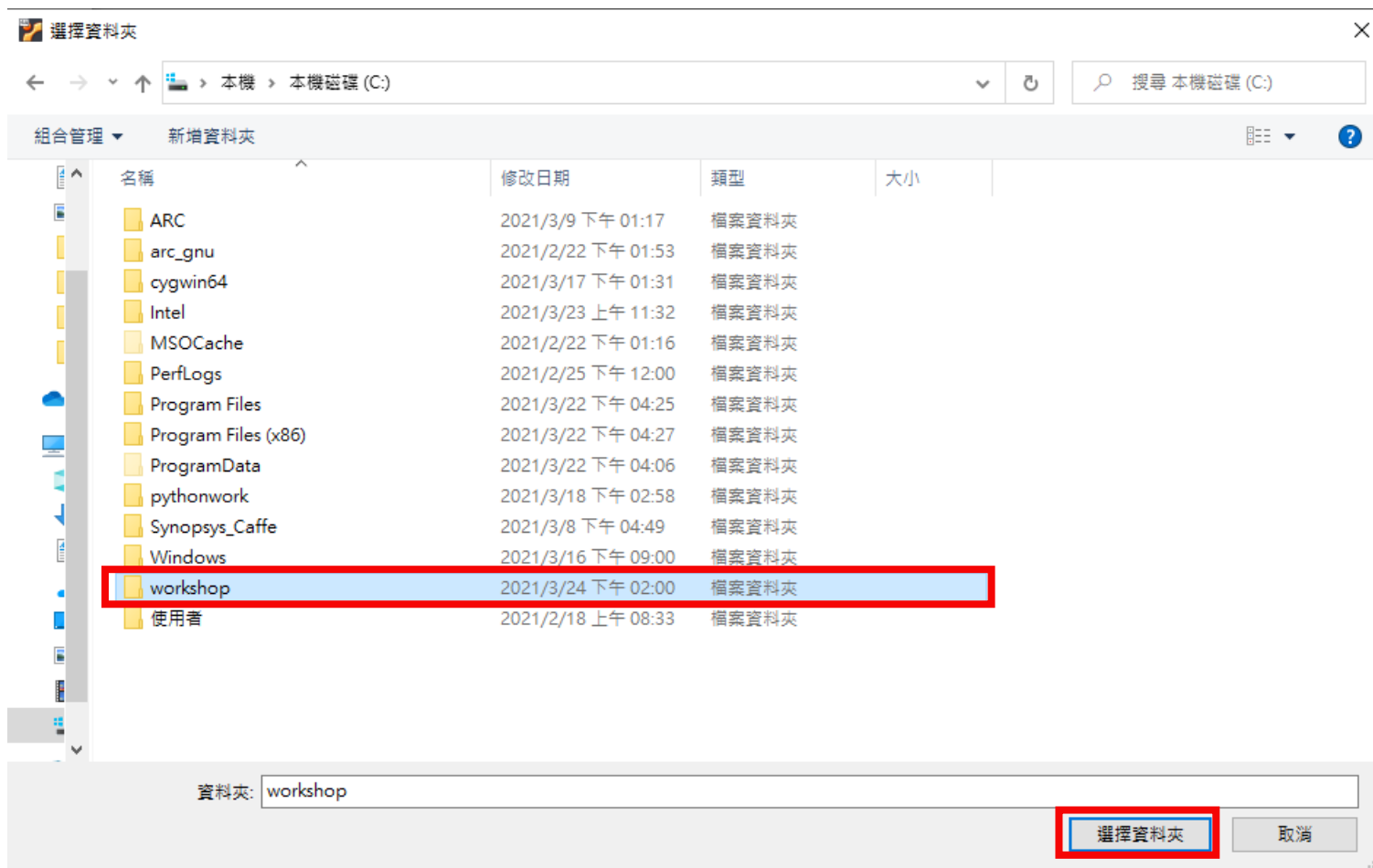


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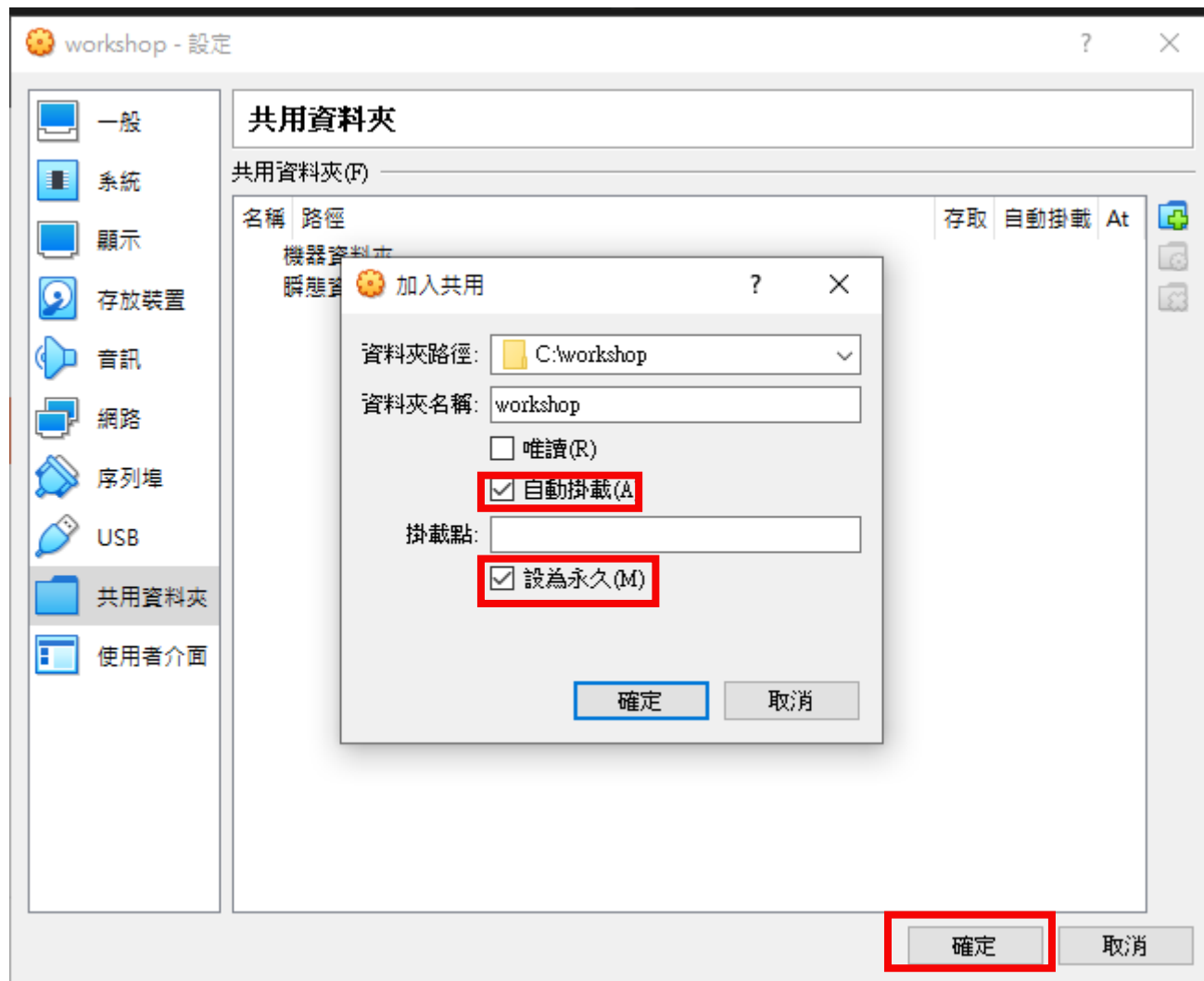


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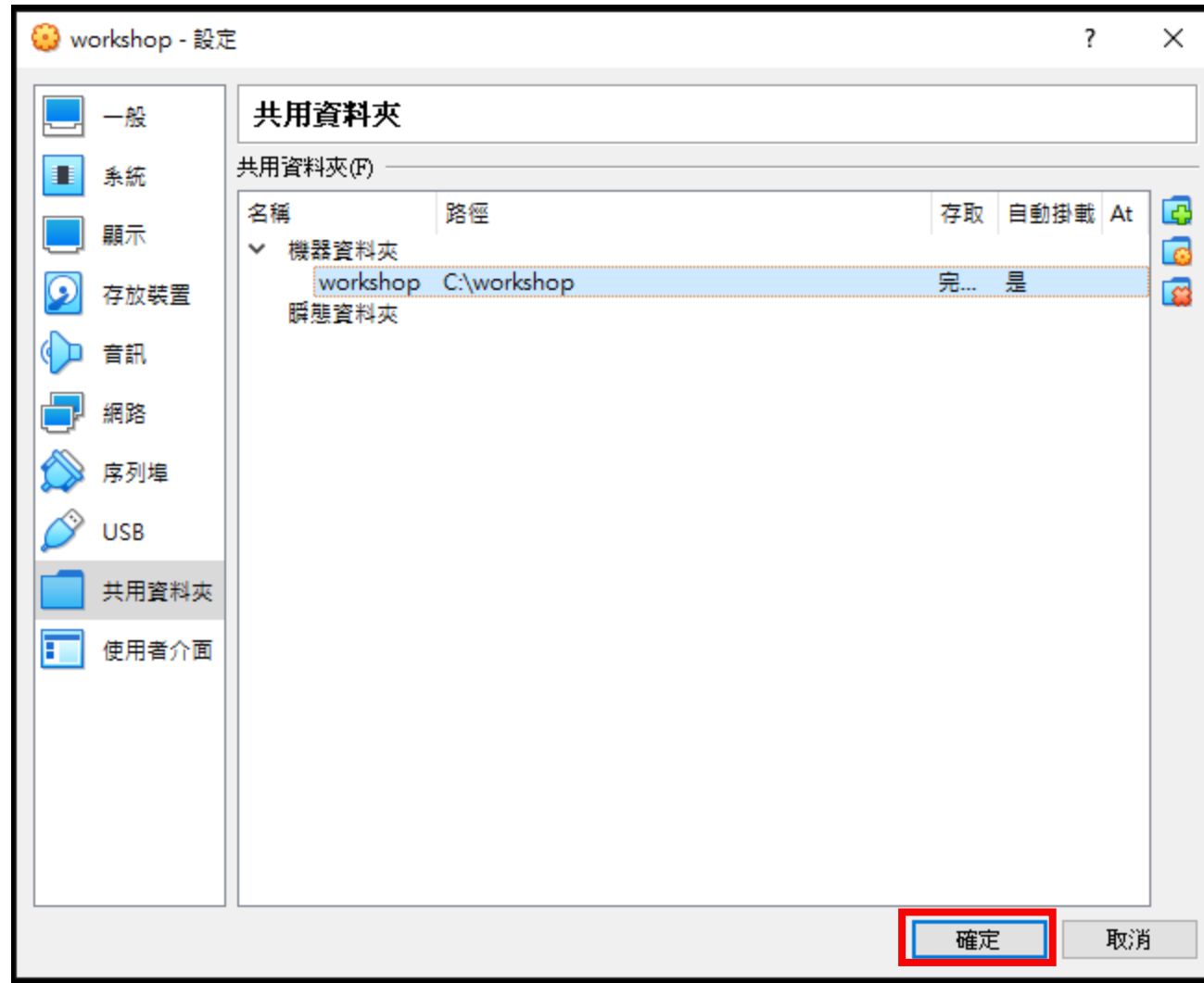
Path C:\workshop



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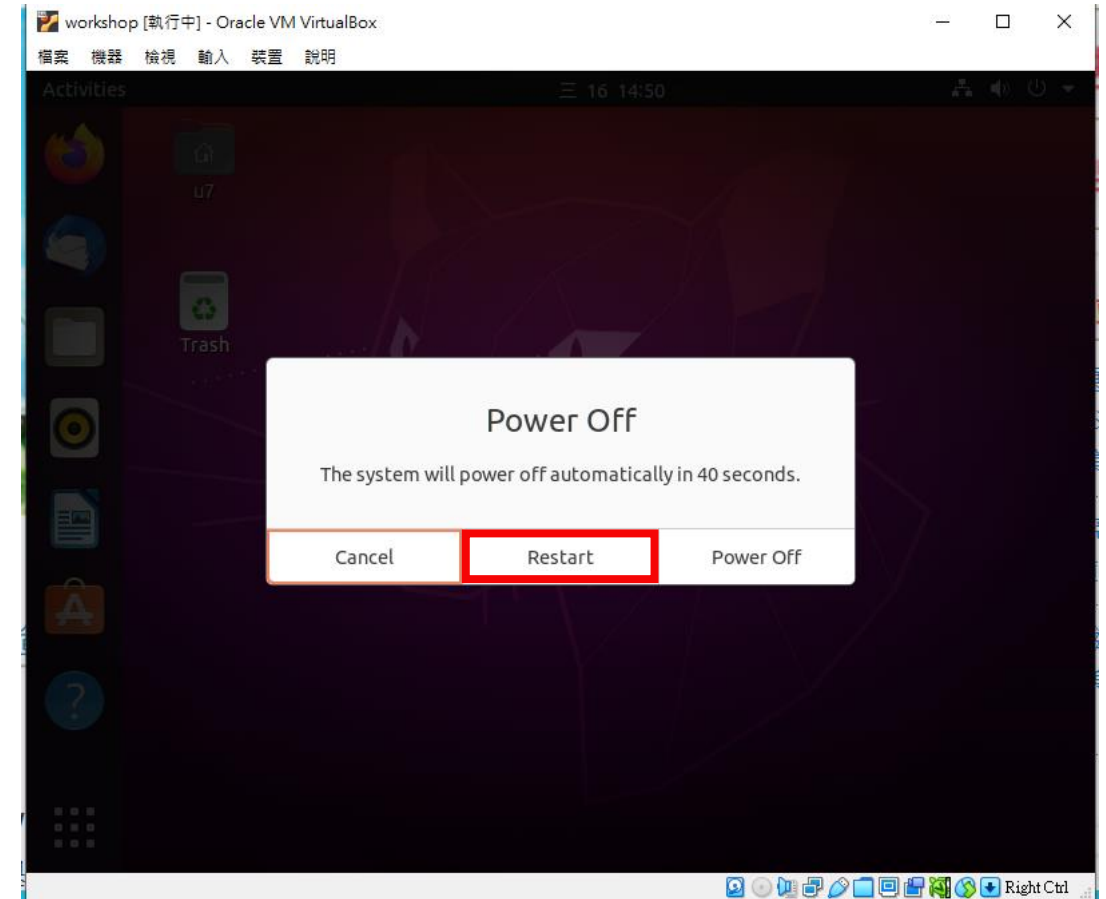
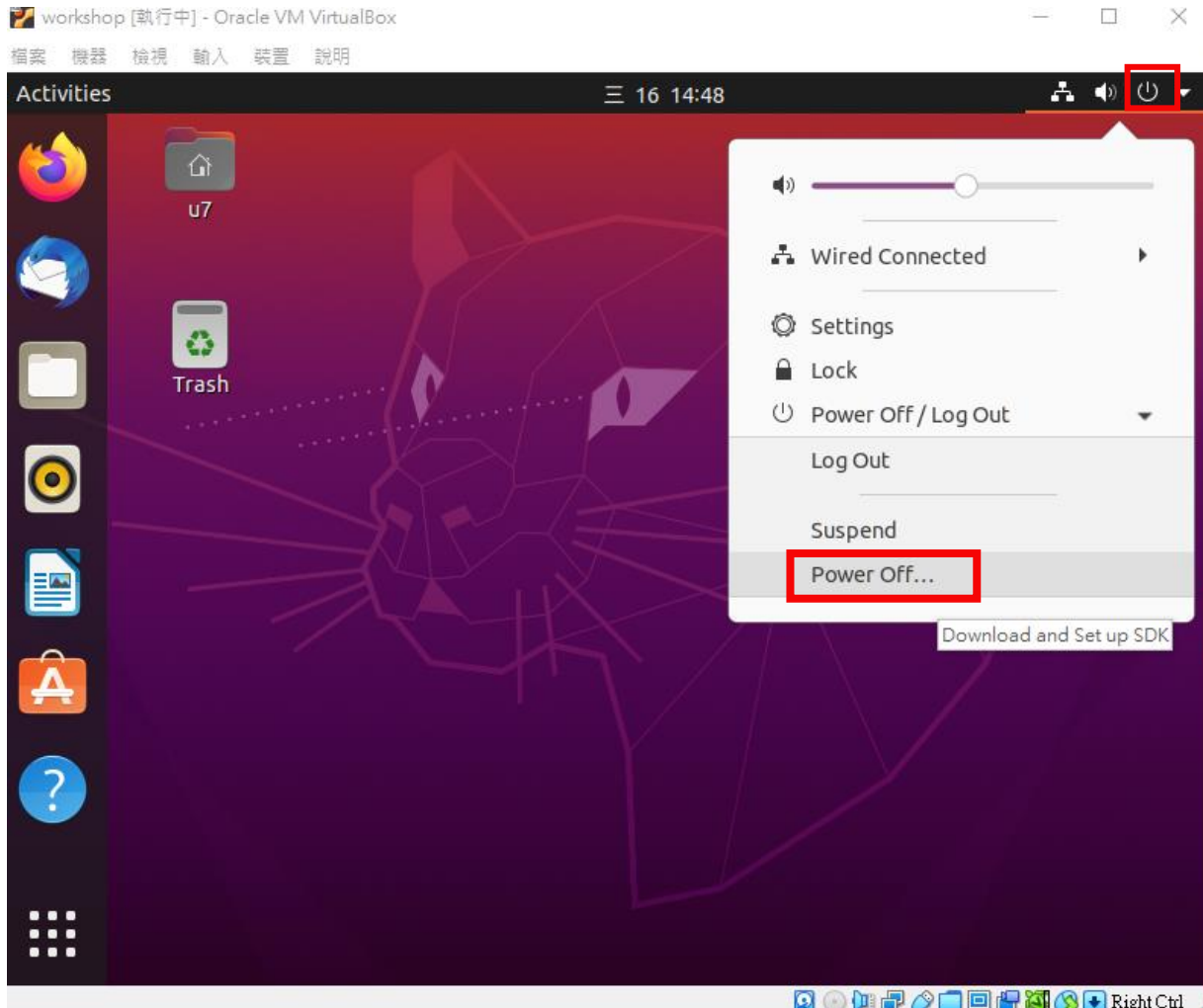


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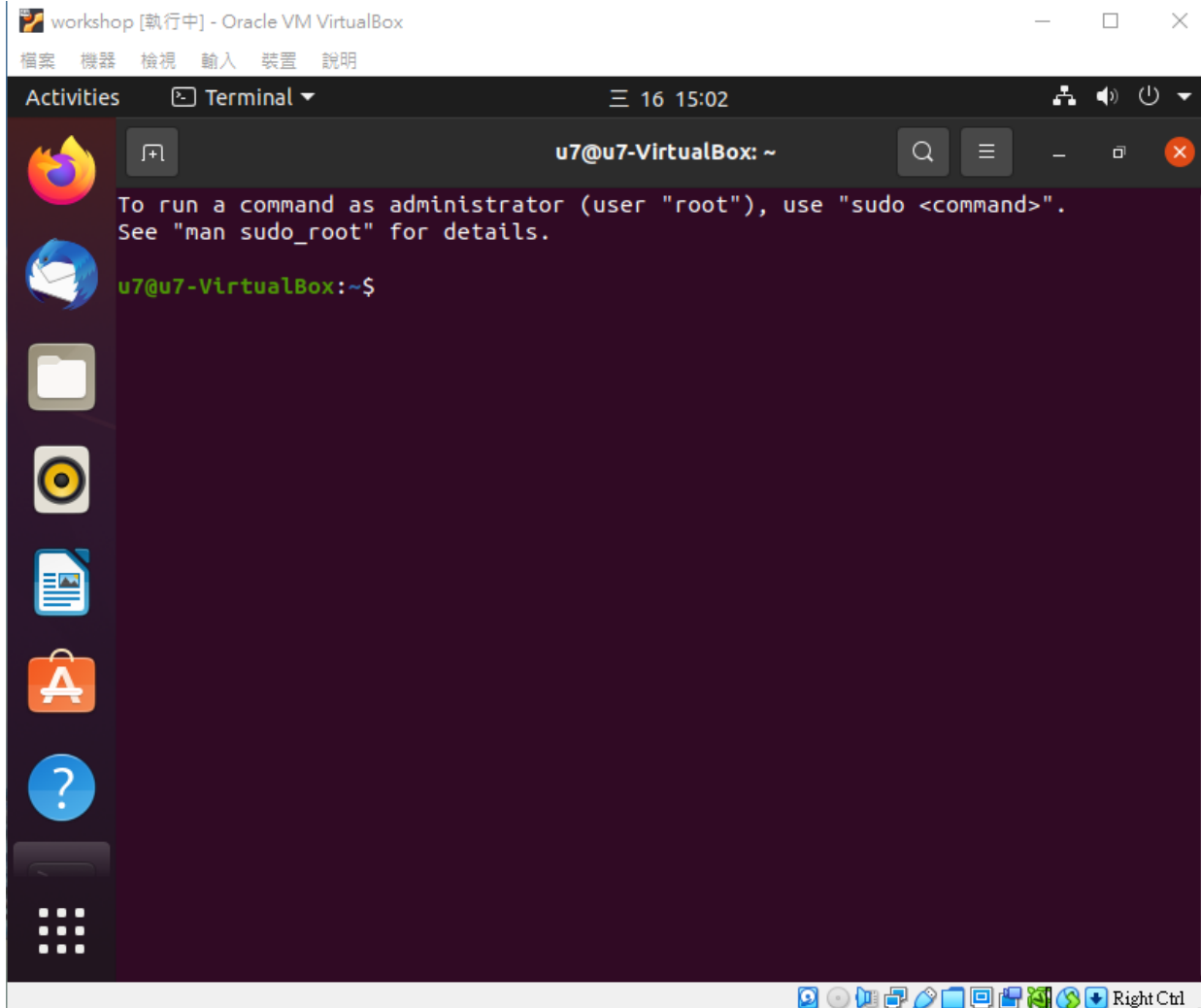
# Download and Setup SDK

Restart 



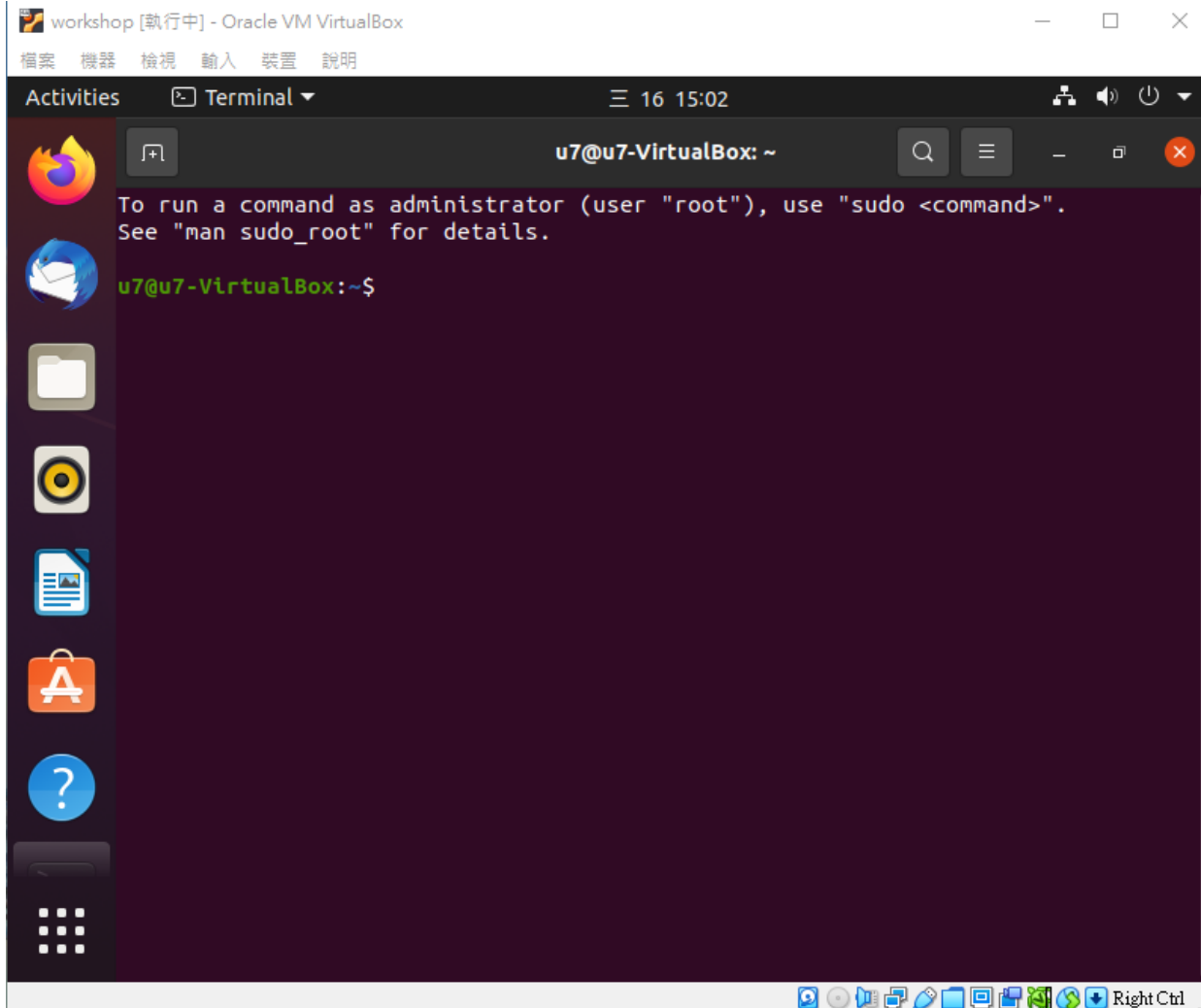
# Download and Setup SDK

Open Ubuntu terminal: Ctrl+Alt+t



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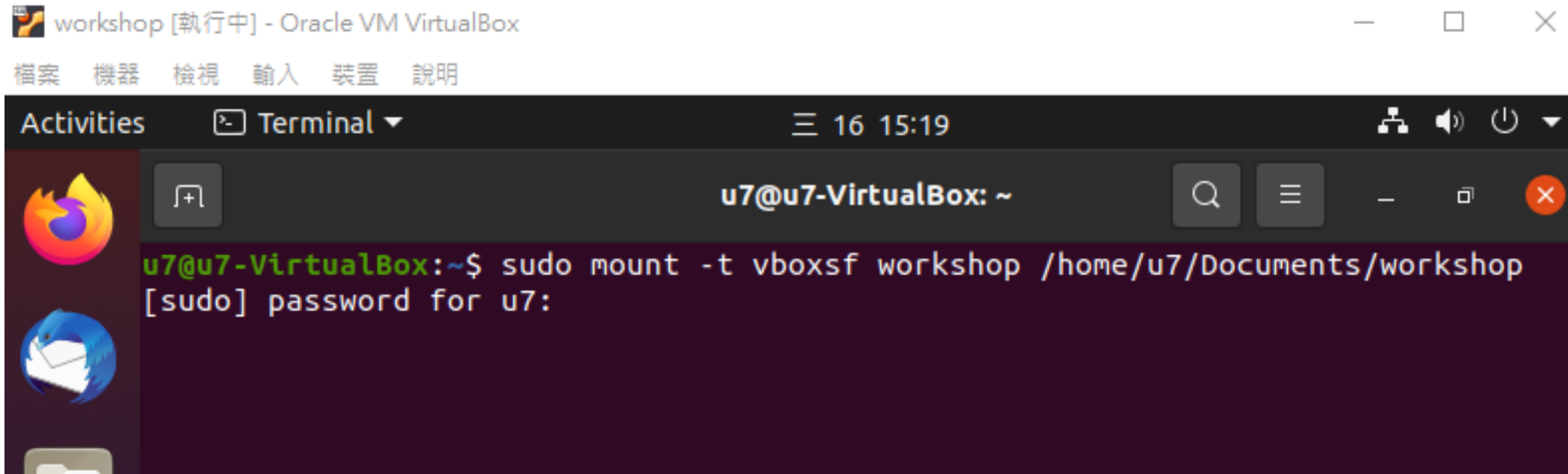
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# Download and Setup SDK

```
$ sudo mount -t vboxsf workshop /home/u7/Documents/workshop
```

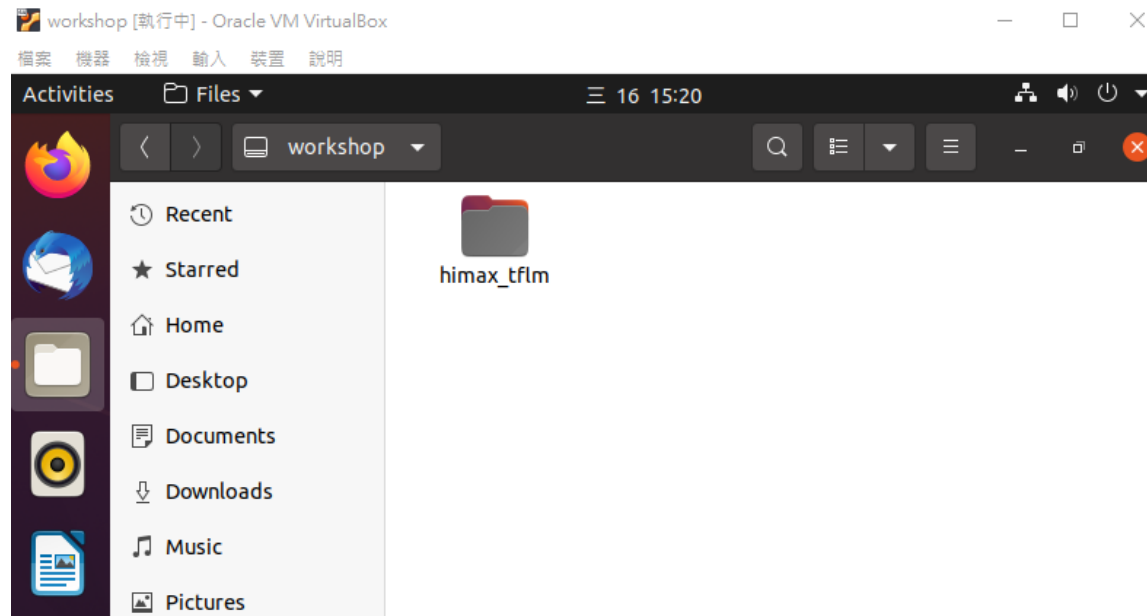
password for u7: u1234567





# Download and Setup SDK

7. Check workshop file again to confirm whether file is shared.  
Step 8 & 9 has already done by workshop.ova file.  
If you create Ubuntu by yourself, please do step 8 & 9.
8. (SKIP) Copy “...\\himax\_tflm\\Synopsys\_WE\\arc\_bin” to  
“Home/arc\_bin”
9. (SKIP) Edit /home/.bashrc for setting environment variable, add  
“*export PATH=\$PATH:\$HOME/arc\_bin*” at the last line





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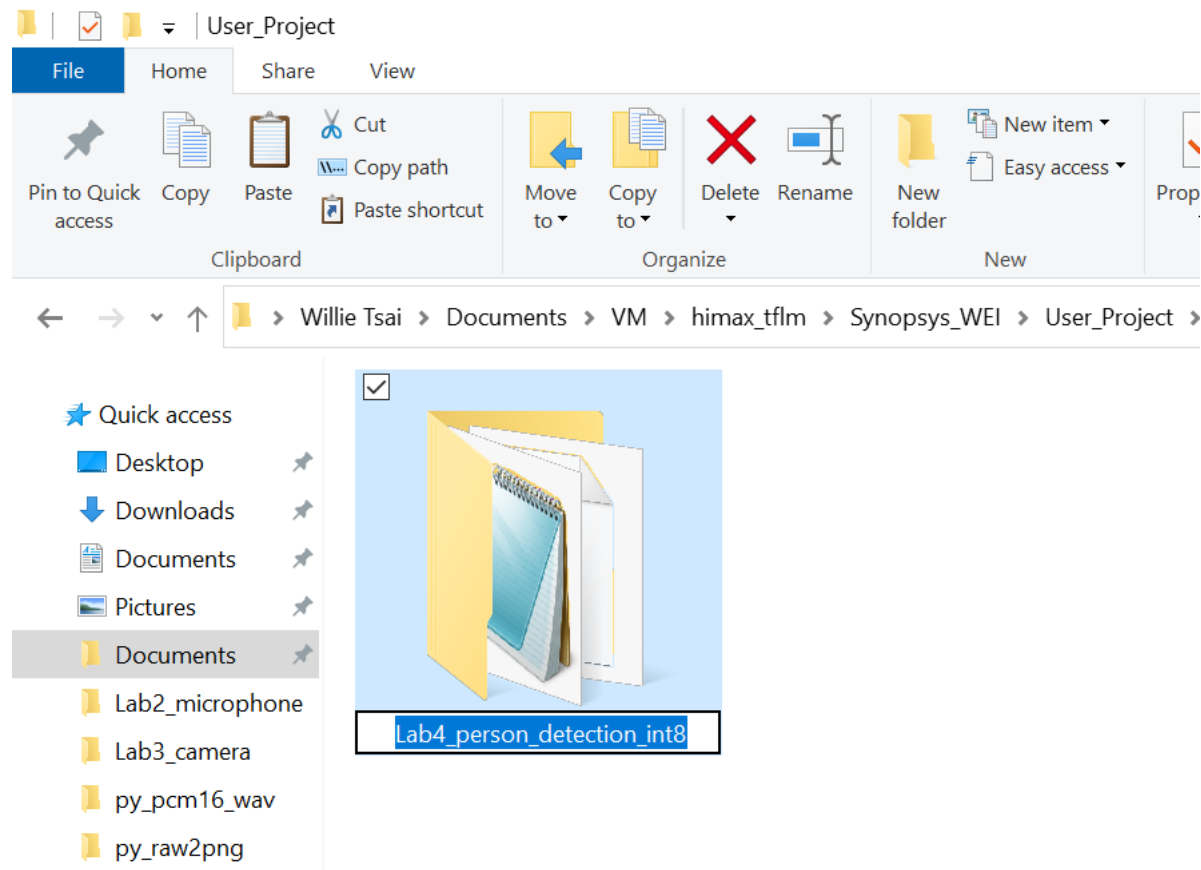
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# Program Code & Make Project & Make Flash File



# Program Code

1. Copy folder “*Synopsys\_WEI/Example Project/Lab4\_person\_detection\_int8*” to folder “*Synopsys\_WEI/User Project/*”
2. Rename the folder “*Lab4\_person\_detection\_int8*” to “*Flow\_Test*”



# Program Code

3. Go into folder “*Flow\_Test*” you will see folder “src” and “inc”  
“src” folder: always keep your .c and .cc file in here.  
“inc” folder: always keep your .h file in here.  
(c file: c language)  
(cc file: c++ language)


# Make Project (By cygwin64)

4. Go to your project path in cygwin64 terminal

\$ cd C:

\$ cd /workshop/himax\_tflm/Synopsys\_WEI/User\_Project/Flow\_Test

\$ make



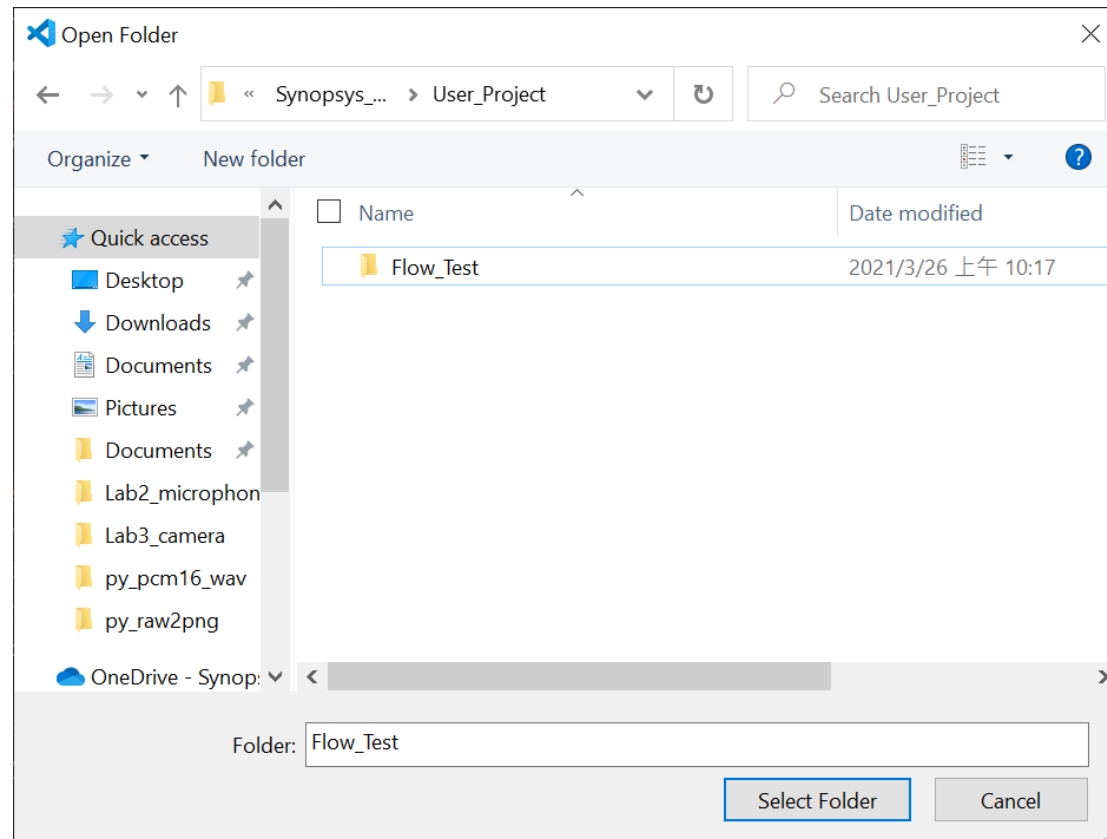
```
YG@DESKTOP-FOG5M9I /cygdrive/c/workshop/himax_tflm/Synopsys_WEI/User_Project/Flow_Test  
$ make|
```

# Make Project (Visual Studio Code)

4. You can also use Visual Studio Code to make project.

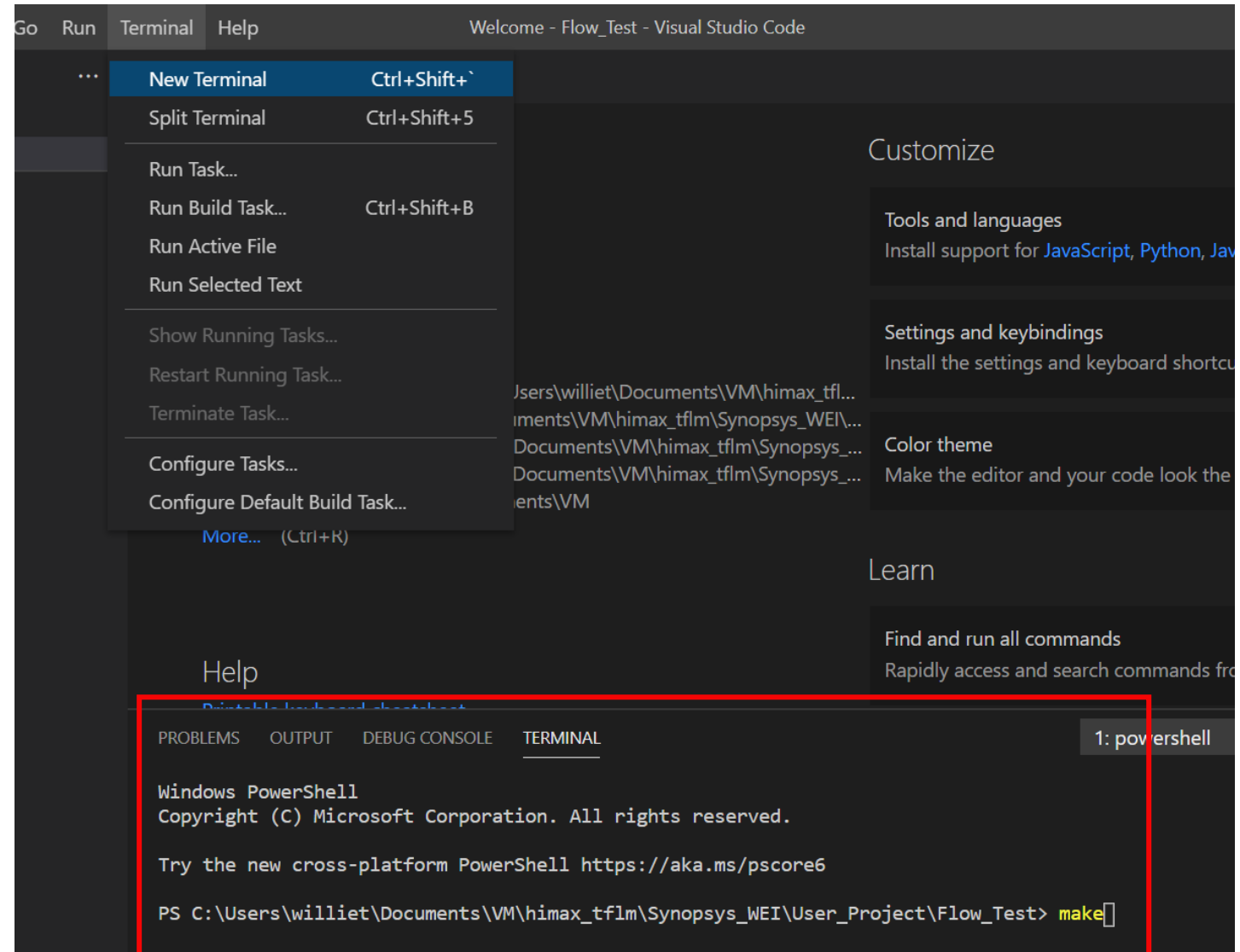
Open Folder and Select Folder:

/workshop/himax\_tflm/Synopsys\_WEI/User\_Project/Flow\_Tes



# Make Project (Visual Studio Code)

Terminal > New Terminal  
You will see terminal block.  
Type command:  
`$ make`

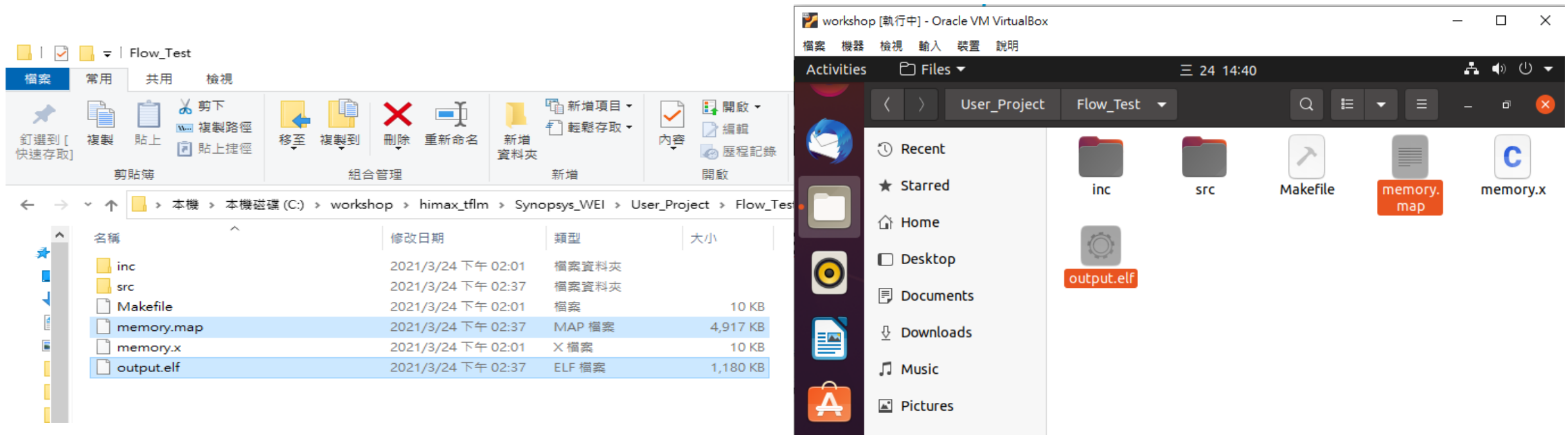


# Make Project

5. Check your folder whether contains .elf and .map files.

GNU: output.elf & memory.map

MetaWare: output.elf & output.map



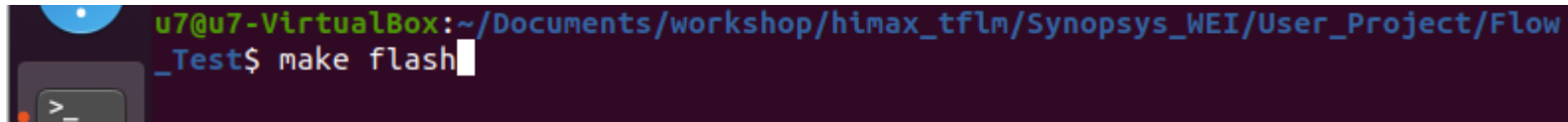


# Make Flash File

6. Open terminal in VM, and go to the same path:

*“Documents/workshop/himax\_tflm/Synopsys\_WEI/User\_Project/Flow\_Test”*

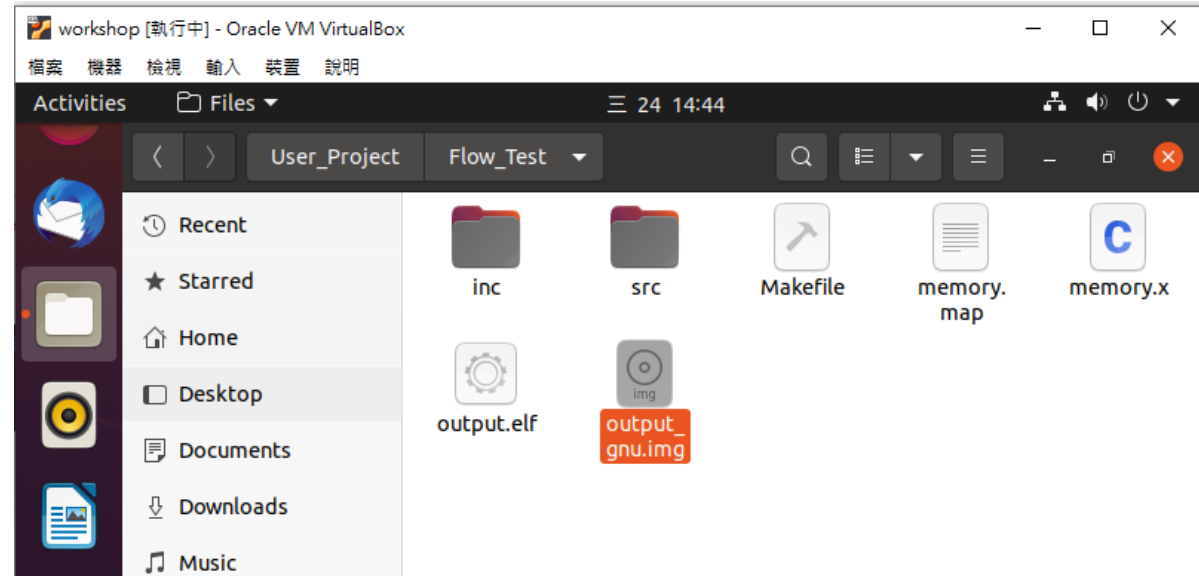
\$ **make flash**



7. Check your img file in directory, it will be downloaded to WE-I.

GNU: output\_gnu.img

MetaWare: output\_mwdt.img



# Make Project and Flash File

There are some commands can be used,

\$ **make** : compile and link your project, then create .elf and .map file

\$ **make flash** : combine .elf and .map file to .img file

\$ **make clean** : remove all .o file of this project

\$ **make clean\_all** : remove all .o file of this project and third party

You can add a command for changing toolchain

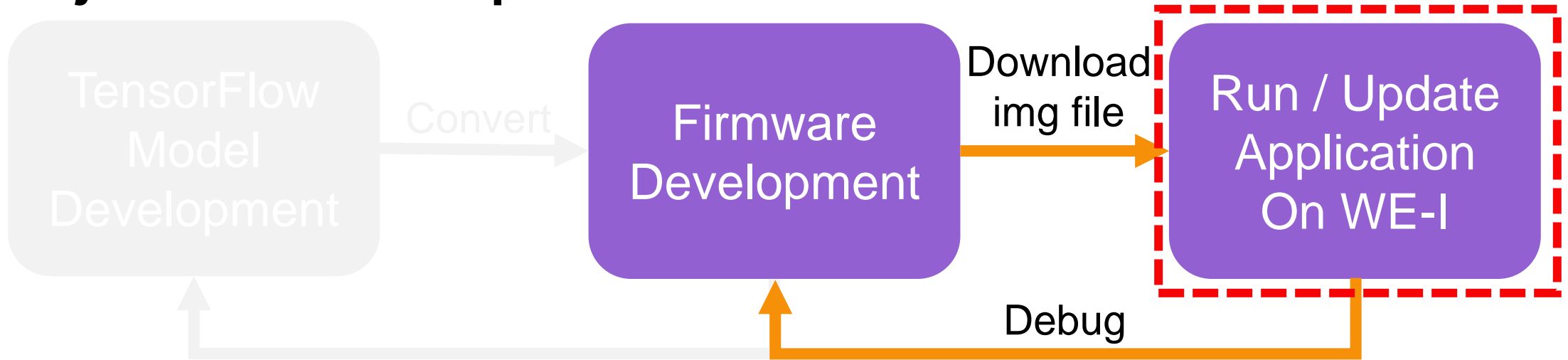
(default toolchain is gnu, define in makefile)

“ARC\_TOOLCHAIN=mwdt”: compile with MetaWare

“ARC\_TOOLCHAIN=gnu”: compile with ARC GNU Toolchain

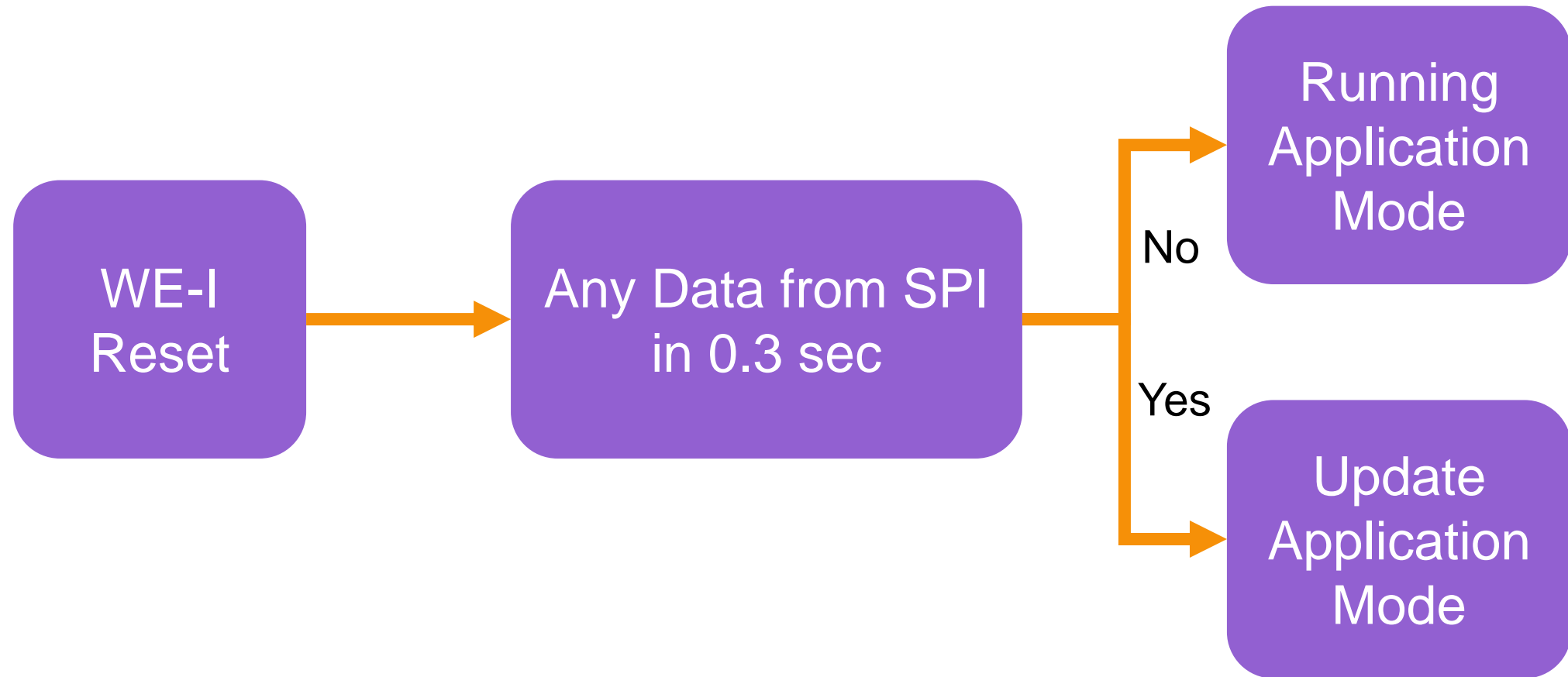
Please use \$ **make clean\_all** before you change toolchain.

# Project Development Flow

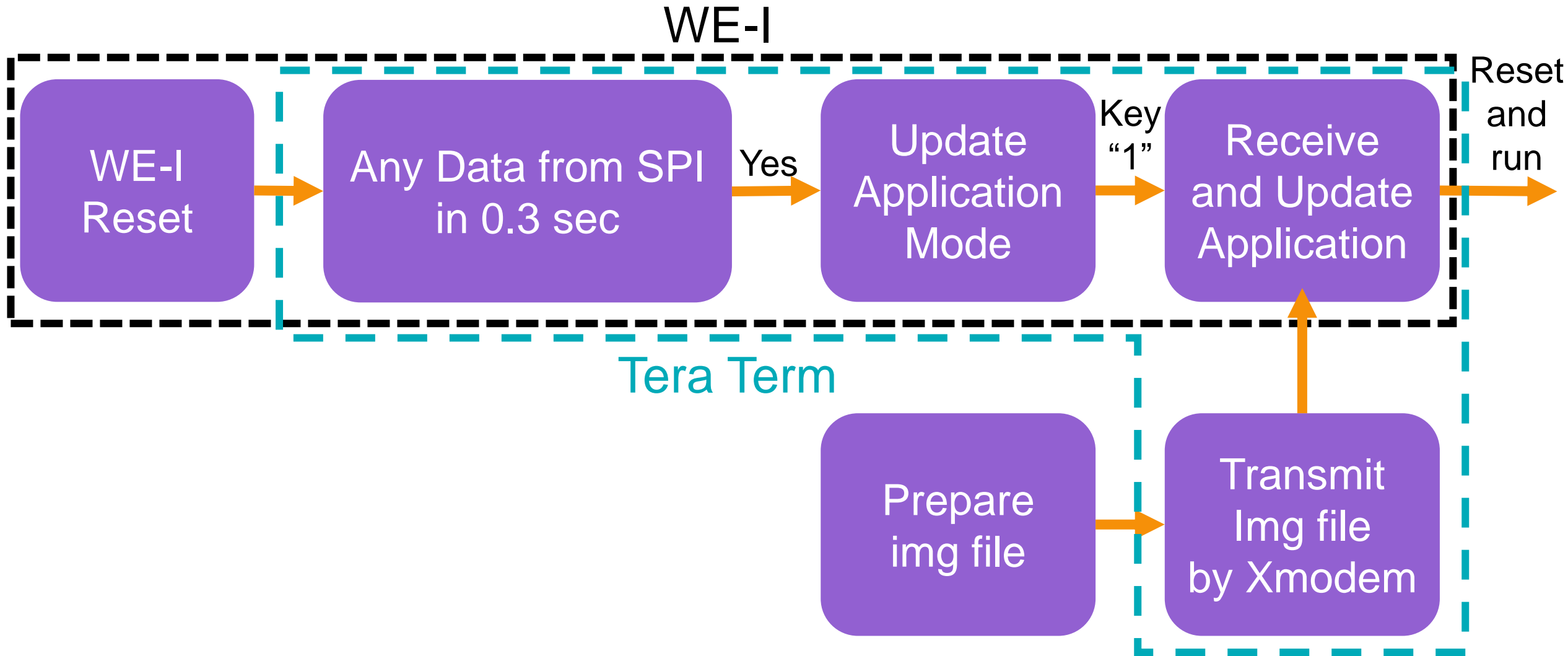


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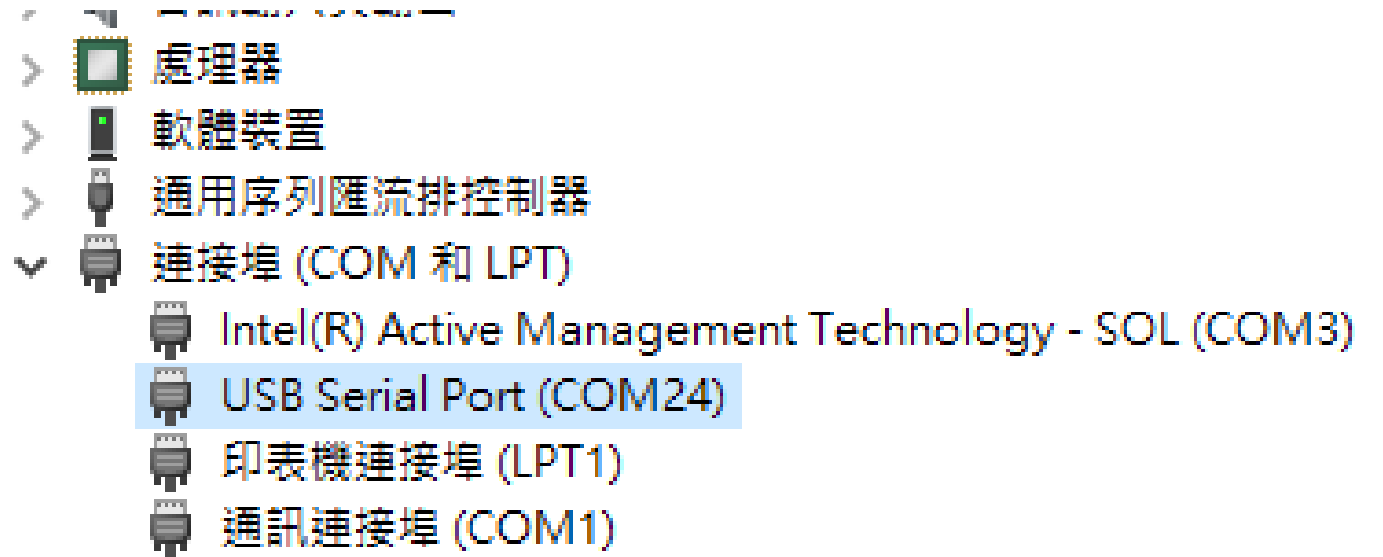
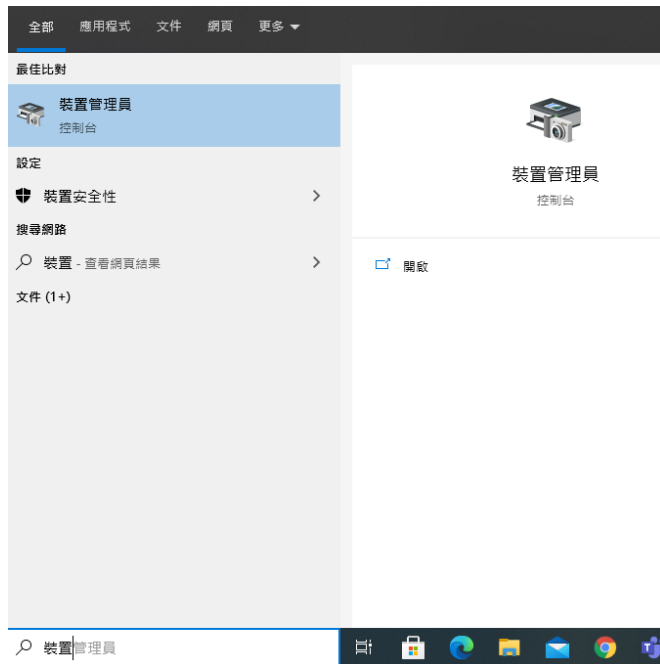
## Connect WE-I with Tera Term

1. Connect WE-I and PC by USB Cable

2. Check your WE-I usb port number

裝置管理員 > 連接埠 (COM & LPT) > USB Serial Port (COM~~x~~)

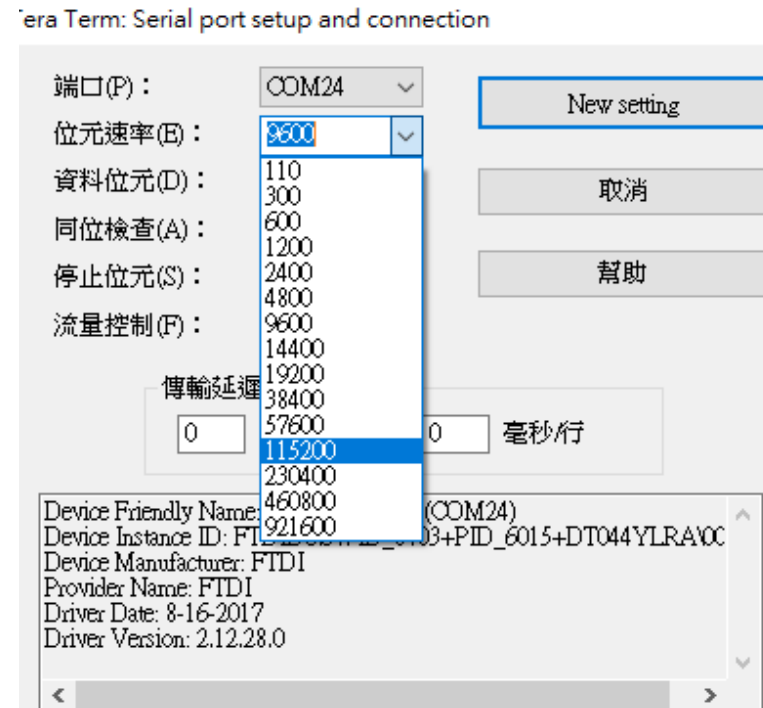
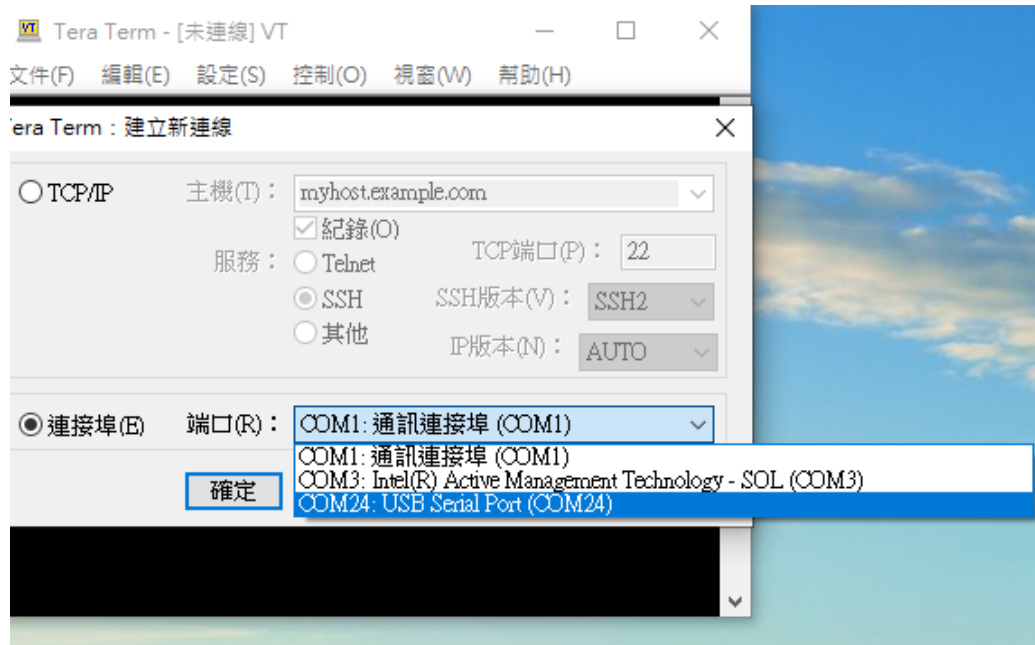
~~x~~: This is your WE-I usb port number



# Update Application On WE-I

## Connect WE-I with Tera Term

3. Open tera term and select “COMx: USB Serial Port (COMx)”
4. Tera term Setting > Com Port > Change Baud to 115200, and keep other setting.



# Update Application On WE-I

## Connect WE-I with Tera Term

5. Reset WE-I by pushing SW2, you will see startup information on tera term.



```
-----  
Himax WEI Boot loader  
-----  
  
enbARC Build Time: Jan  4 2021, 13:44:14  
Compiler Version: MetaWare, 4.2.1 Compatible Clang 8.0.1  
Boot loader Version : 1.4.4 (Date:Jan  4 2021)  
chip version : 0x8535a1  
cpu speed : 400000000 hz  
spi speed : 50000000 hz  
wake up evt:4  
...secure lib version = 352380df9a347b1187d2361bfcd4455178a1ebcb  
1st APPLICATION addr[31]=21000 (main-1966)  
Bootloader Done !!!!!  
jump to app FW : 0x10000004  
12 bytes lost due to alignment. To avoid this loss, please make sure the t  
HM036D RevB,C,D Config  
person score:-2 no person score 2  
person score:-6 no person score 6
```



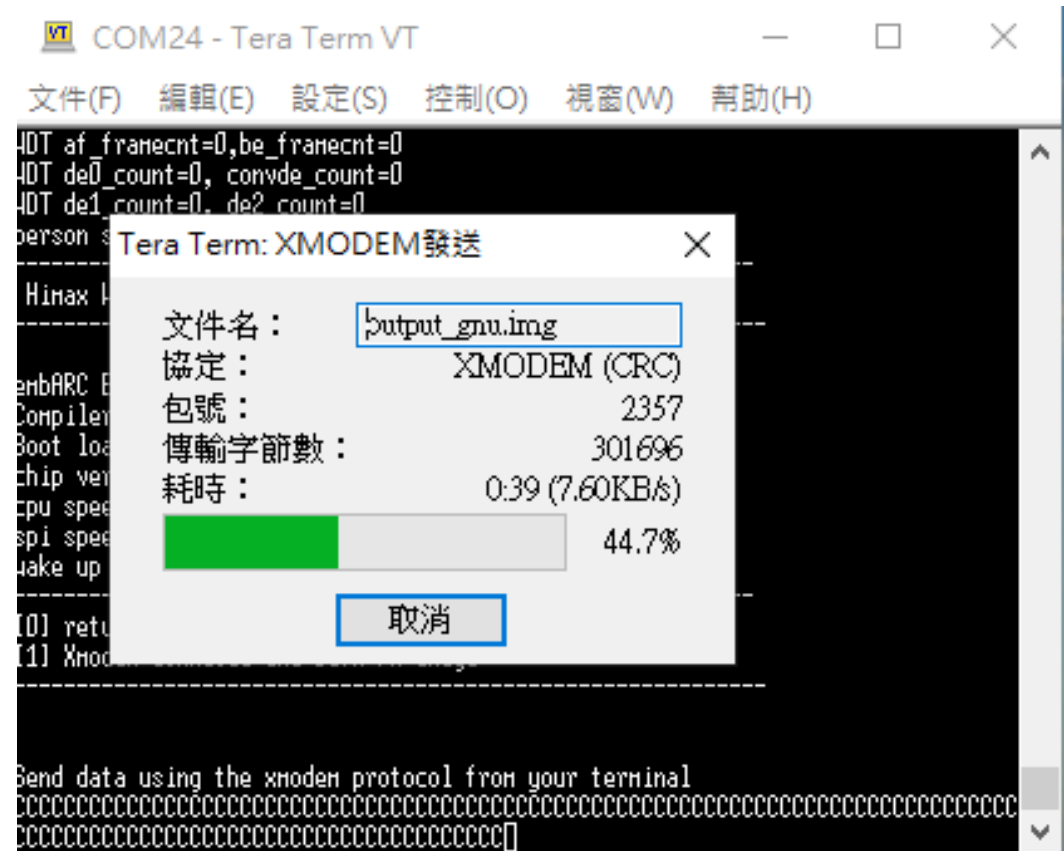


# Update Application On WE-I

## Enable Update Application Mode with Tera Term

5. Tera term File > Transmit > XMODEM > Transmit > select img file

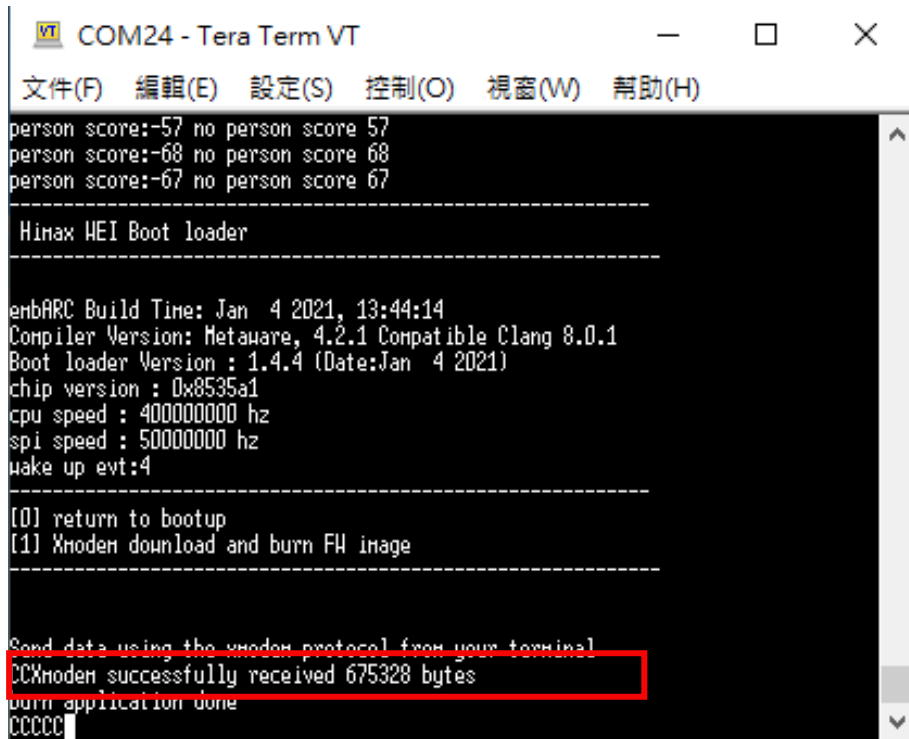
6. Wait for Transmit



# Update Application On WE-I

## Enable Update Application Mode with Tera Term

7. Terminal will show “Xmodem successfully received xxx bytes” after transmission
8. Press reset button to run your application



```
COM24 - Tera Term VT
文件(F) 編輯(E) 設定(S) 控制(O) 視窗(W) 幫助(H)
person score:-57 no person score 57
person score:-68 no person score 68
person score:-67 no person score 67
-----
Hinax WEI Boot loader
-----
enbARC Build Time: Jan  4 2021, 13:44:14
Compiler Version: MetaWare, 4.2.1 Compatible Clang 8.0.1
Boot loader Version : 1.4.4 (Date:Jan  4 2021)
chip version : 0x8535a1
cpu speed : 400000000 hz
spi speed : 50000000 hz
wake up evt:4
-----
[0] return to bootup
[1] Xmodem download and burn FH image
-----
Send data using the xmodem protocol from your terminal
CCXmodem successfully received 675328 bytes
burn application done
CCCCC
```

# Run Application On WE-I

1. Connect USB cable to power up WE-I  
you can also power up by 2.54 pitch connector
2. For debug easily, suggest to use Tera Term and print date or result
3. Start to develop your project, and debug your code