

Proxmox renaming CT id or LVM id

Note: Please backup first

From here on out, I'll use PVE as the node, container 100 and/or virtual machine 200

Virtual Machine id renaming, if storing on local-lvm

On PVE node, go to shell

```
cd /etc/pve/nodes/pve/qemu-server
```

Rename the conf file to the new file (eg. Mv 200.conf 300.conf)

Edit 300.conf using nano (eg. Nano 300.conf)

Look for local-lvm:vm-200-disk-0 and change it to local-lvm:vm-300-disk-0

Save and exit nano

```
cd /dev/pve
```

```
lvrename /dev/pve/vm-200-disk-0 /dev/pve/vm-300-disk-0
```

You should be able to boot your container.

Container id renaming, and storing image on a different hard drive

Note: Mount point is /mnt/externalusbdrive for this example

On PVE node, go to shell

```
cd /etc/pve/lxc
```

Rename the conf file to the new file (eg. Mv 100.conf 120.conf)

Edit 120.conf using nano (eg. Nano 120.conf)

Look for externalusbdrive:100/vm-100-disk-0 and change it to externalusbdrive:120/vm-120-disk-0

```
cd /mnt/externalusbdrive/images
```

Rename the directory (eg. Mv 100 120)

```
cd 120
```

Rename the raw file (eg. Mv vm-100-disk-0.raw vm-120-disk-0.raw)