

# Increase swap file size

Check existing swap file:

```
sudo swapon -s
```

Example setting/resetting swapfile to 6GB. Note that while multiple swap files can exist, when hibernating to disk only one swap file is being used.

```
sudo swapoff /swapfile
sudo dd if=/dev/zero of=/swapfile count=1k bs=6M
sudo mkswap /swapfile
sudo chown root:root /swapfile
sudo chmod 600 /swapfile
sudo swapon /swapfile
```

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