

# Container Host

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A **Container Host** or **Host OS** is the Host Operating System on which the [Container client](#) and Container [daemon](#) run. In the case of Linux and non-Hyper-V containers, the Host OS shares its kernel with running containers. For Hyper-V each container has its own Hyper-V kernel.

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