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## **Step 1: Download and Install VirtualBox**

### 1. Download VirtualBox:

- o Go to the <u>VirtualBox website</u>.
- Download the version compatible with your operating system (Windows, macOS, or Linux).

### 2. Install VirtualBox:

o Run the installer and follow the on-screen instructions to complete the installation.

## Step 2: Download Kali Linux ISO

#### 1. Go to the Kali Linux website:

- Visit the Kali Linux download page.
- Choose the ISO file (Installer Images) for your system architecture (usually 64-bit).

## Step 3: Create a New Virtual Machine in VirtualBox

- 1. **Open VirtualBox** and click on the "New" button.
- 2. Name your virtual machine (e.g., "Kali Linux").
- 3. Select the type as Linux and the version as Debian (64-bit).
- 4. Allocate memory (RAM):
  - o Minimum 2 GB (2048 MB) is recommended, but you can allocate more if your system has enough RAM.

## **Step 4: Configure the Virtual Machine**

## 1. Create a Virtual Hard Disk:

- o Select "Create a virtual hard disk now" and click "Create."
- o Choose "VDI (VirtualBox Disk Image)" and click "Next."
- o Select "Dynamically allocated" for disk space allocation.
- Allocate disk space (20 GB is sufficient, but more is better if you plan to install many tools).

### 2. Attach the Kali Linux ISO:

- o Click on "Settings" for the newly created virtual machine.
- Go to "Storage" -> "Controller: IDE" -> Click on the empty disk icon.
- o Choose "Choose a disk file" and select the downloaded Kali Linux ISO.

# **Step 5: Install Kali Linux**

#### 1. Start the Virtual Machine:

- o Click "Start" in VirtualBox to boot the VM.
- o The VM will boot from the Kali Linux ISO.

#### 2. Follow the Installation Process:

o Choose the "Graphical Install" option.

- o Follow the on-screen instructions to set your location, language, keyboard layout, etc.
- o Configure the network (you can skip if not required).
- o Partition the disk: Choose "Guided use entire disk."
- o Complete the installation by following the prompts. Set up your user account and password when prompted.

### 3. Finish the Installation:

o After installation, the VM will reboot, and you can start using Kali Linux within VirtualBox.

## **Step 6: Post-Installation Setup**

### 1. Install VirtualBox Guest Additions:

- o It helps in improving the VM performance, enabling shared folders, and better screen resolution.
- Go to "Devices" -> "Insert Guest Additions CD image" in the VirtualBox menu.
- o Follow the on-screen instructions to install it inside Kali Linux.

## 2. Update Kali Linux:

• Open the terminal and run:

sudo apt update

sudo apt upgrade

## 3. Explore Tools:

• Start exploring the various ethical hacking tools available in Kali Linux, such as Nmap, Metasploit, and Wireshark.