Step 1: Install Oracle VirtualBox

• Download and install Oracle VirtualBox from VirtualBox official site.

Step 2: Download an OS ISO (Linux/Windows)

- For **Linux**, you can download Ubuntu, CentOS, or Debian ISO.
- For Windows, download a Windows ISO from Microsoft's official website.

Step 3: Create a New Virtual Machine (VM)

- 1. Open VirtualBox → Click New.
- 2. Set a Name, Type (Linux/Windows), and Version.
- 3. Allocate RAM (Minimum: 2GB for Linux, 4GB for Windows).
- 4. Choose Create a Virtual Hard Disk Now → Select VDI (VirtualBox Disk Image).
- 5. Choose **Dynamically Allocated** or **Fixed Size** storage → Set at least **20GB**.
- 6. Click Create.

Step 4: Enable Para-Virtualization

- 1. Select the created VM → Click **Settings**.
- 2. Go to **System** → **Acceleration** tab.
- 3. In the Paravirtualization Interface dropdown, choose:
 - o KVM (for Linux)
 - Hyper-V (for Windows)

Step 5: Attach OS ISO and Install OS

- 1. Go to **Settings** → **Storage**.
- 2. Click Empty under Controller: IDE → Select Choose a disk file.
- 3. Select the downloaded ISO file.
- 4. Click OK and Start the VM.
- 5. Follow the OS installation steps.

Step 6: Verify Para-Virtualization

- Run:
 - For Linux: lscpu | grep Hypervisor
 - For Windows: Check Task Manager → Performance → CPU (See "Virtualization: Enabled")