

Hadoop Tutorial

I. Download and install virtualbox 5.2.8 to run virtual images at:

a. Download:

For Mac OS X users, the link is at: <https://download.virtualbox.org/virtualbox/5.2.8/VirtualBox-5.2.8-121009-OSX.dmg>

For Window users, the link is at: <https://download.virtualbox.org/virtualbox/5.2.8/VirtualBox-5.2.8-121009-Win.exe>

For Linux users, the link is at: https://www.virtualbox.org/wiki/Linux_Downloads

Choose the right version corresponding to the current OS system you are using

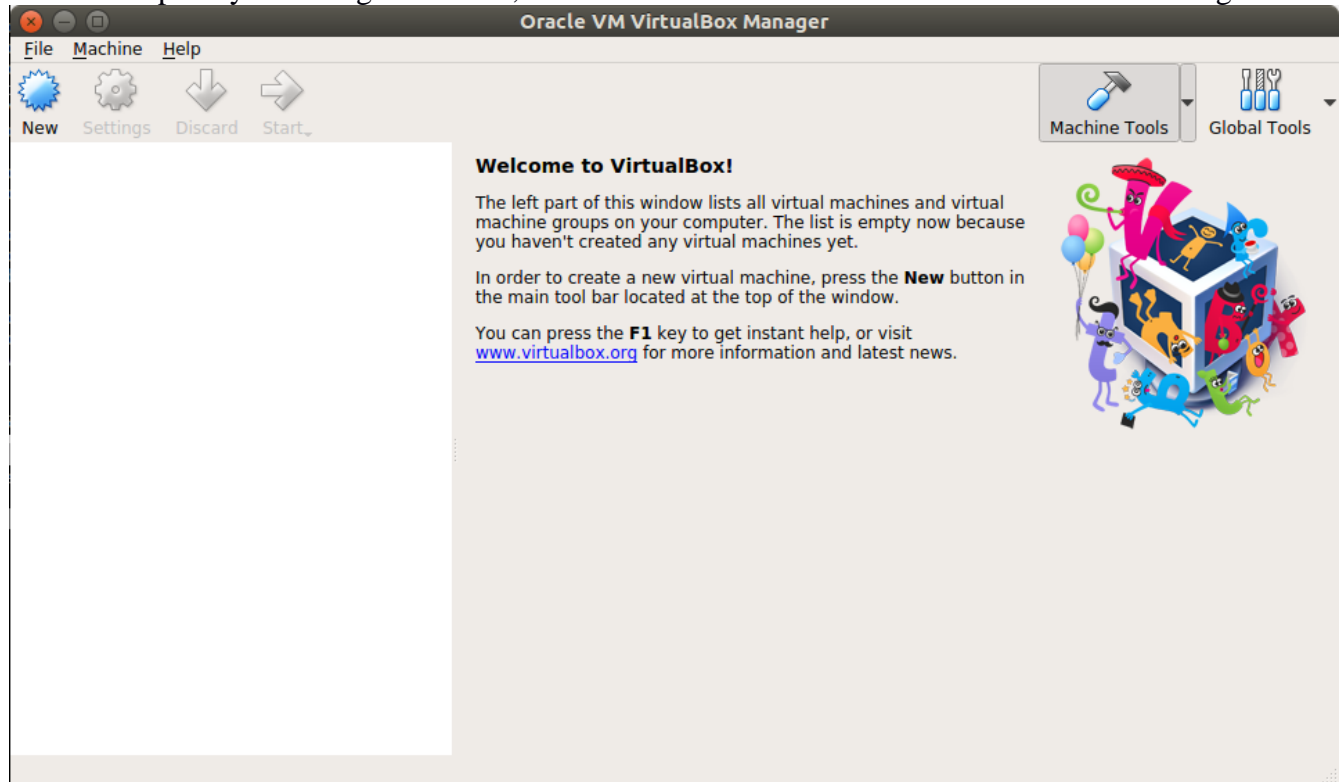
b. Install:

- For window and OS X users, installing virtualbox is similar to installing other apps.
- For Linux users (e.g. Ubuntu), you will need sudo permission. Installing virtualbox can be done by running following commands:

```
sudo dpkg -i [path_to_downloaded_virtualbox]
sudo apt-get install -f
```

c. Run virtualbox:

- After completely installing virtualbox, we will run it. The virtualbox GUI will be as following:



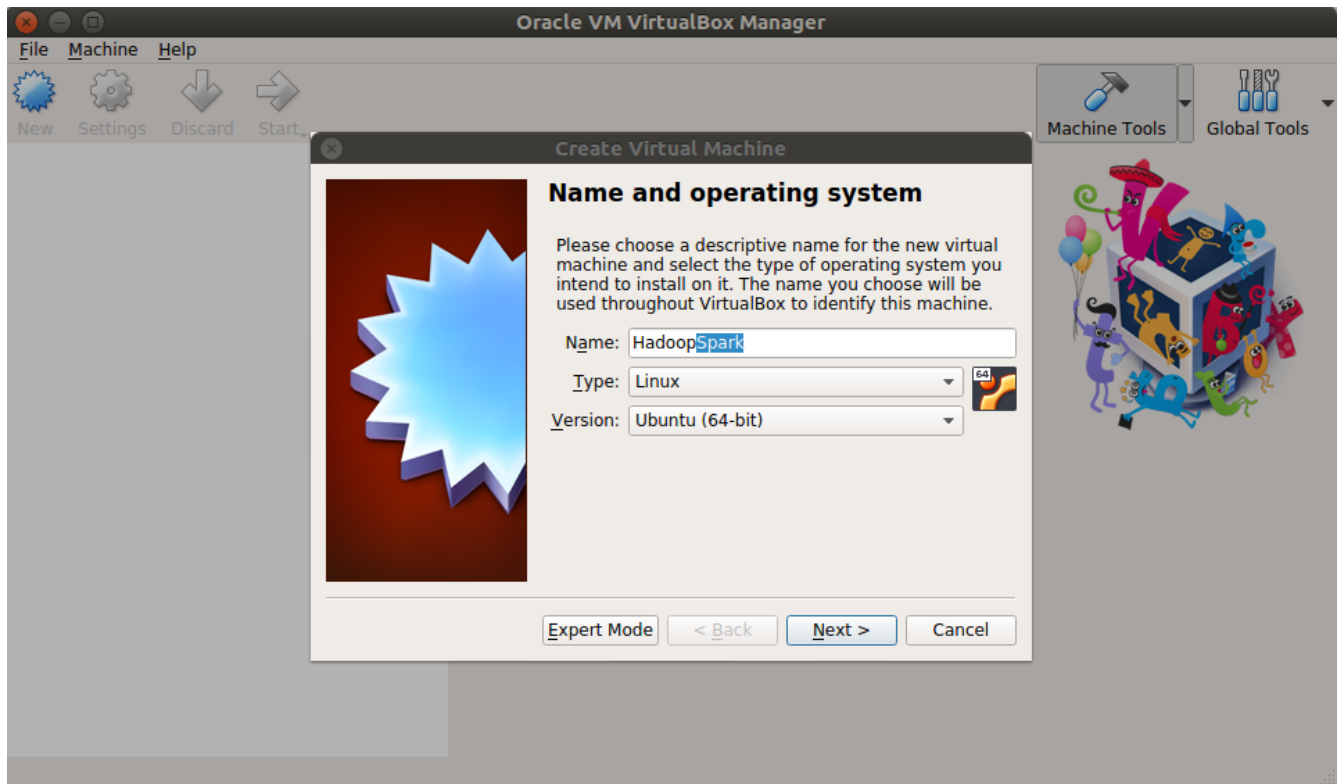
II. Downloading and running virtual machine:

1. Download a compressed virtual machine image file at

<http://kmlee06.cs.wpi.edu/ds3001/HadoopSpark.vdi.tar.gz> (Strongly recommend downloading it on

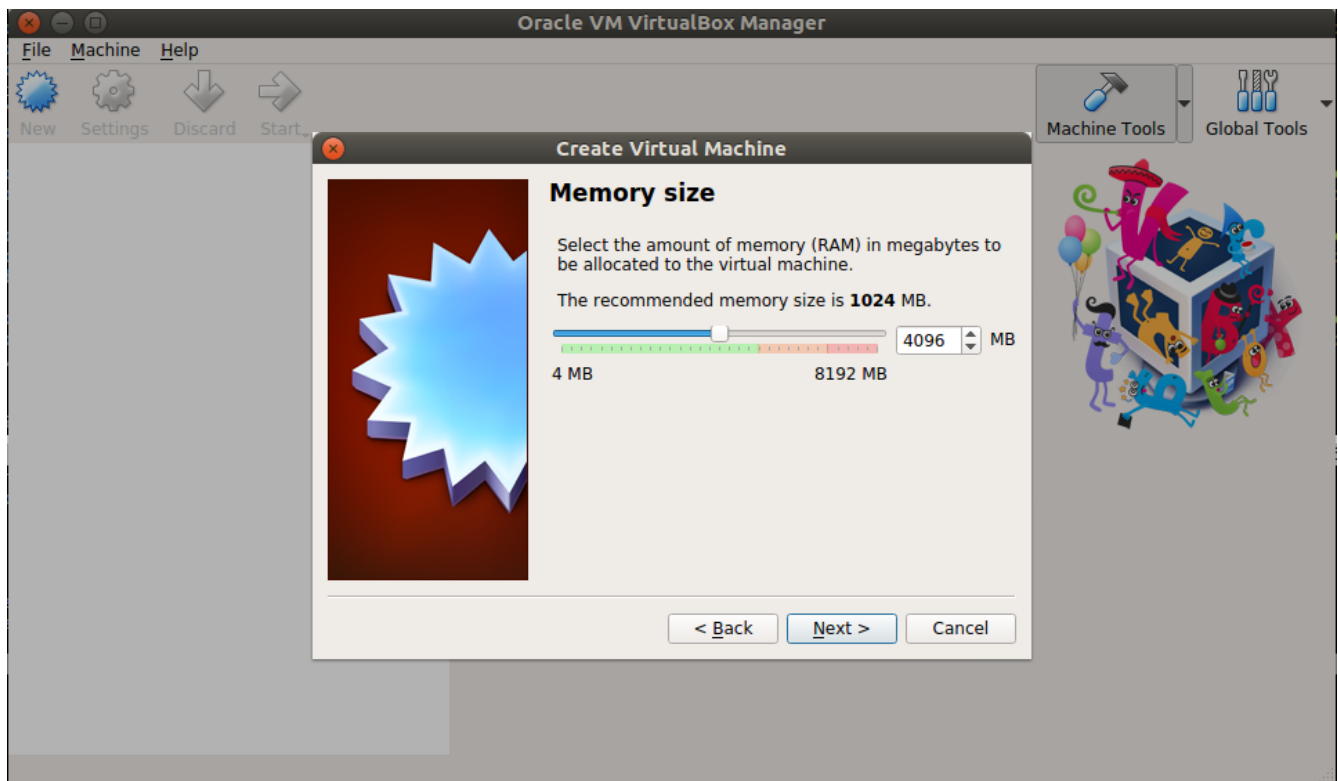
campus because it does not require running VPN and you can download it quickly. WPI VPN is required if you are off-campus). The virtual machine image occupies 7.1 Gb after decompressing it. Make sure your hard drive has enough space before downloading (or you have use an external hard drive which may be slightly slow).

2. In the virtualbox GUI, click New. A box will pop up as following:

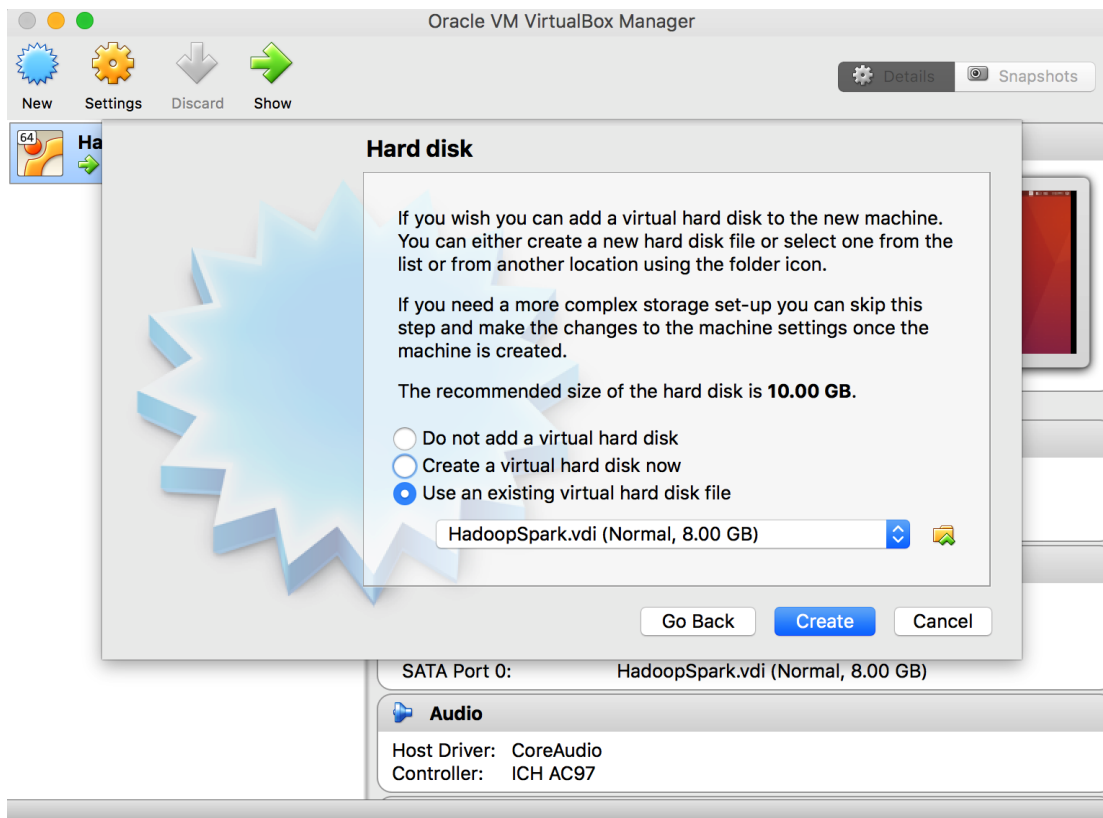


- The first field [Name] is the name of the virtual machine. For example, type **HadoopSpark**
- The second field [Type] is the OS type. Choose **Linux**
- The third field [Version], choose **Ubuntu (64-bit)**

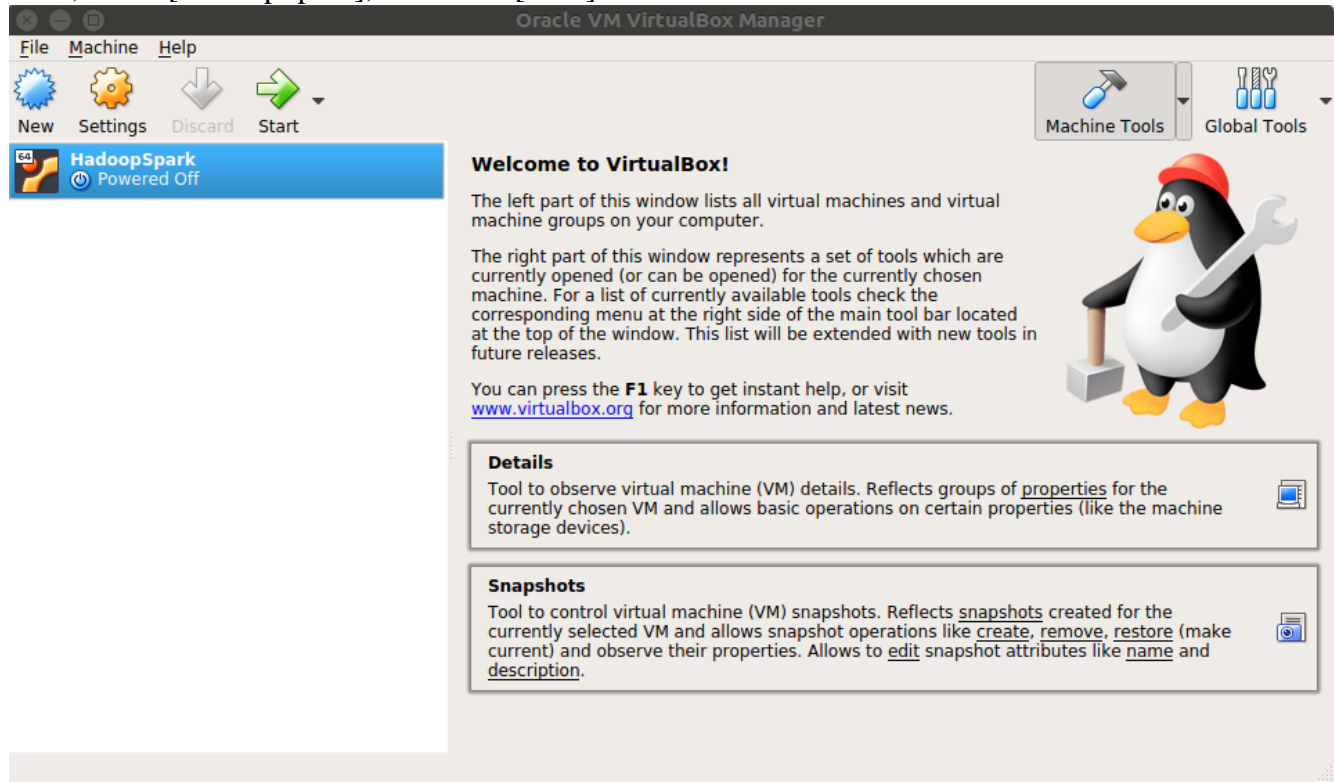
Click Next. Then setting up memory size, recommended to have **at least 4Gb of Ram** to have a good performance.



Click Next. Choose [Use an existing virtual hard disk file], then point to the downloaded virtual image [HadoopSpark.vdi]. Then click Create.



Next, select [HadoopSpark], then click [Start] to run virtual machine



Default login account:

username: datascience

password: datascience

3. Run a Hadoop distributed file system (when you restart the VM, you have to run the below command to launch your HDFS)

Open a terminal (the 4th icon on the most left bar) and run the below command:

- start hadoop namenode and datanode: (You must start the distributed file system (dfs) first to run Hadoop commands and MapReduce jobs).

Syntax: /usr/local/hadoop/sbin/start-dfs.sh

4. Play around with Hadoop commands:

Open a terminal to play with following commands:

- list directory in Hadoop distributed file system (hdfs):

Syntax: `hadoop fs -ls [path_to_directory]`
for example: `hadoop fs -ls /`

- create a directory in hdfs:

Syntax: `hadoop fs -mkdir [path_to_new_directory]`
for example: `hadoop fs -mkdir /user/tmp`

- remove a directory in hdfs:

Syntax: `hadoop fs -rm -r [path_to_directory]`
for example: `hadoop fs -rmr /user/tmp`

- upload a file in hdfs:

Syntax: `hadoop fs -put [local_file_path] [hadoop_file_path]`

Example:

In the terminal, go to the main directory using command:

`cd /home/datascience`

make a working directory and go to it:

`mkdir /home/datascience/work`

`cd /home/datascience/work`

Create a file with content 'hello world this class is interesting'

`echo 'hello world this class is interesting' > sample.txt`

upload this [sample.txt] file into hadoop distributed file system:

`hadoop fs -put sample.txt /user/`

check if the file is uploaded?

`hadoop fs -ls /user/`

- View content of a hadoop distributed file system file:

Syntax: `hadoop fs -cat [path_to_hadoop_file]`
example: `hadoop fs -cat /user/sample.txt`

- More command lines? refer to <https://hadoop.apache.org/docs/current/hadoop-project-dist/hadoop-common/FileSystemShell.html>

III. Running a toy example in python

In this part, we will run a word count example for Python users. (the example is credited from http://www.science.smith.edu/dftwiki/index.php/Hadoop_Tutorial_2_--_Running_WordCount_in_Python)

All below codes are already given at `/home/datascience/sample_codes/`

The running commands are stored at `/home/datascience/sample_codes/run.sh`. To run it, just simply run `[bash /home/datascience/sample_code/run.sh]`

Details:

- Creating a mapper file using following commands:

`gedit mapper.py`

then add the following content to the file:

```
#!/usr/bin/env python

import sys

for line in sys.stdin:
    line = line.strip()
```

```
words = line.split()
for word in words: print '%s\t%s' %(word, 1) #count 1 for each word
```

- Creating a reducer file as followings:

gedit reducer.py

```
#!/usr/bin/env python
import sys

# maps words to their counts
word2count = { }

# input comes from stdin
for line in sys.stdin:
    # remove leading and trailing whitespace
    line = line.strip()

    # parse the input we got from mapper.py
    word, count = line.split("\t", 1)
    # convert count (currently a string) to int
    try:
        count = int(count)
    except ValueError:
        continue

    try:
        word2count[word] = word2count[word]+count
    except:
        word2count[word] = count

# write the tuples to stdout
# Note: they are unsorted
for word in word2count.keys():
    print '%s\t%s' % ( word, word2count[word] )
```

Run the job:

```
Syntax: hadoop jar /usr/local/hadoop/share/hadoop/tools/lib/hadoop-streaming-2.7.5.jar -files
[path_to_mapper_file],[path_to_reducer_file] -mapper [path_to_mapper_file] -reducer
[path_to_reducer_file] -input [hdfs_file_path] -output [hdfs_output_directory]
```

For example: with the [**sample.txt**] file we already uploaded into hdfs, we will count the frequency of each unique word in the file as followings:

- make sure the output folder [hdfs_output_directory] is not existed:

hadoop fs -rm -r /user/output

- run the job:

```
hadoop jar /usr/local/hadoop/share/hadoop/tools/lib/hadoop-streaming-2.7.5.jar -  
files ./mapper.py,./reducer.py -mapper ./mapper.py -reducer ./reducer.py -input  
/user/sample.txt -output /user/output
```

- view the output file:
hadoop fs -cat /user/output/part*

The result is as following:

```
this      1  
interesting  1  
is         1  
hello     1  
world     1  
class     1
```

IV. Now feel free to revise mapper.py, reducer.py and run.sh files for homework 4.

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