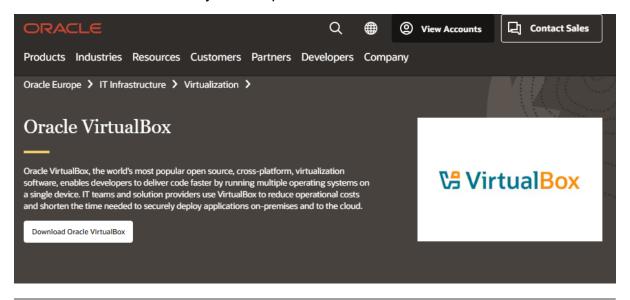
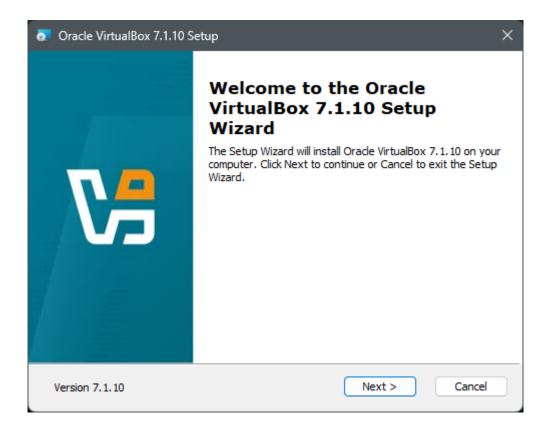
Step 1 - Download VirtualBox

- 1. Open a web browser.
- 2. Go to: https://www.oracle.com/europe/virtualization/virtualbox/
- 3. Select Windows hosts (or macOS/Linux if applicable).
- 4. Save the installer to your computer.



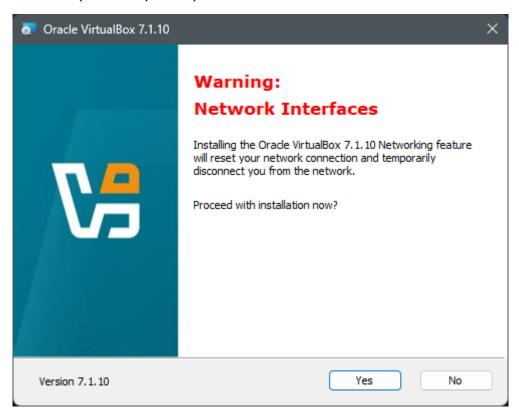
Step 2 – Run the Installer

- 1. Double-click the downloaded file (e.g., VirtualBox-x.x.x-win.exe). https://download.virtualbox.org/virtualbox/7.1.10/VirtualBox-7.1.10-169112-Win.exe?source=:ow:o:p:nav:mmddyyVirtualBoxHero_europe
- 2. Setup wizard steps:
 - Click Next
 - Leave installation path as default
 - Keep all features checked (USB, Networking, etc.)
 - Click Next



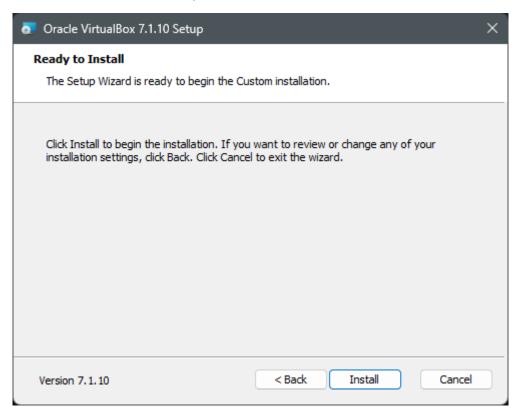
Step 3 – Network Warning

- A warning about resetting **network interfaces** will appear.
- Click Yes (this is expected).



Step 4 - Install

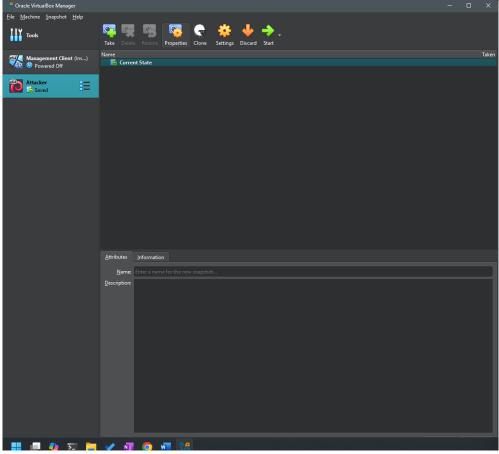
- 1. Click Install.
- 2. Approve Windows permission requests (Yes).
- 3. Wait until installation completes.



Step 5 - Verify Installation

- 1. Launch Oracle VM VirtualBox from Start Menu.
- 2. Confirm version number at top (e.g., *VirtualBox 7.0*).
- 3. Optional: $Help \rightarrow About \ VirtualBox \ to \ double-check.$





✓ Lab Complete! You are ready to create your first virtual machine.