

Software Installation

BLG413E - System Programming, Practice Session 1

Different Ways of Installing Linux

Installing on hard drive:

- Linux distribution is installed on PC's harddisk.
- High performance usage.
- Installation alongside with another Operating System (such as Windows).
 - <https://help.ubuntu.com/community/WindowsDualBoot>

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Installing on a usb flash drive:

- Linux distribution is installed on a usb flash drive using a tool such as Universal USB installer
 - <http://www.pendrivelinux.com/universal-usb-installer-easy-as-1-2-3/>

Different Ways of Installing Linux

- Installing on a virtual machine:

- Linux distribution is installed on a virtual machine in another Operating System (such as Windows).
- Virtualization tools such as VirtualBox are used for this purpose.

Operating System Used in This Course

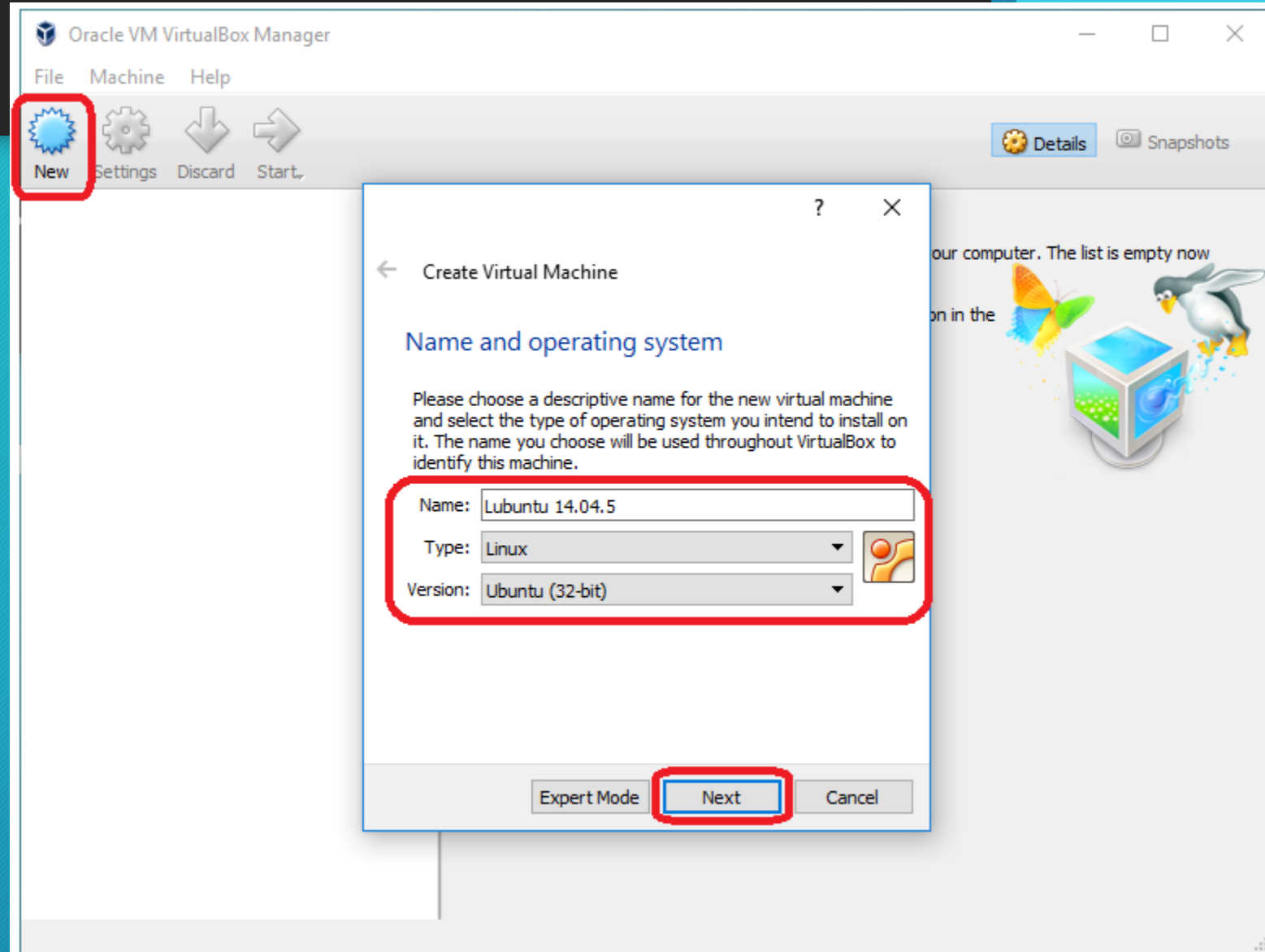
- Course material was tested on Ubuntu 14.04.5 LTS “Trusty Tahr” release, 32 bit version. Although most of the practical information in the material can be applied to any Ubuntu-based system, you might encounter problems when working on a different version.

Installing Lubuntu using VirtualBox

1. Download and install VirtualBox compatible with the operating system you use (Windows, Mac OS etc.):
 - <https://www.virtualbox.org/wiki/Downloads>
2. Download Lubuntu 14.04.5 LTS (Trusty Tahr) 32-bit PC (i386) desktop image:
 - <http://cdimage.ubuntu.com/lubuntu/releases/14.04.5/release/>

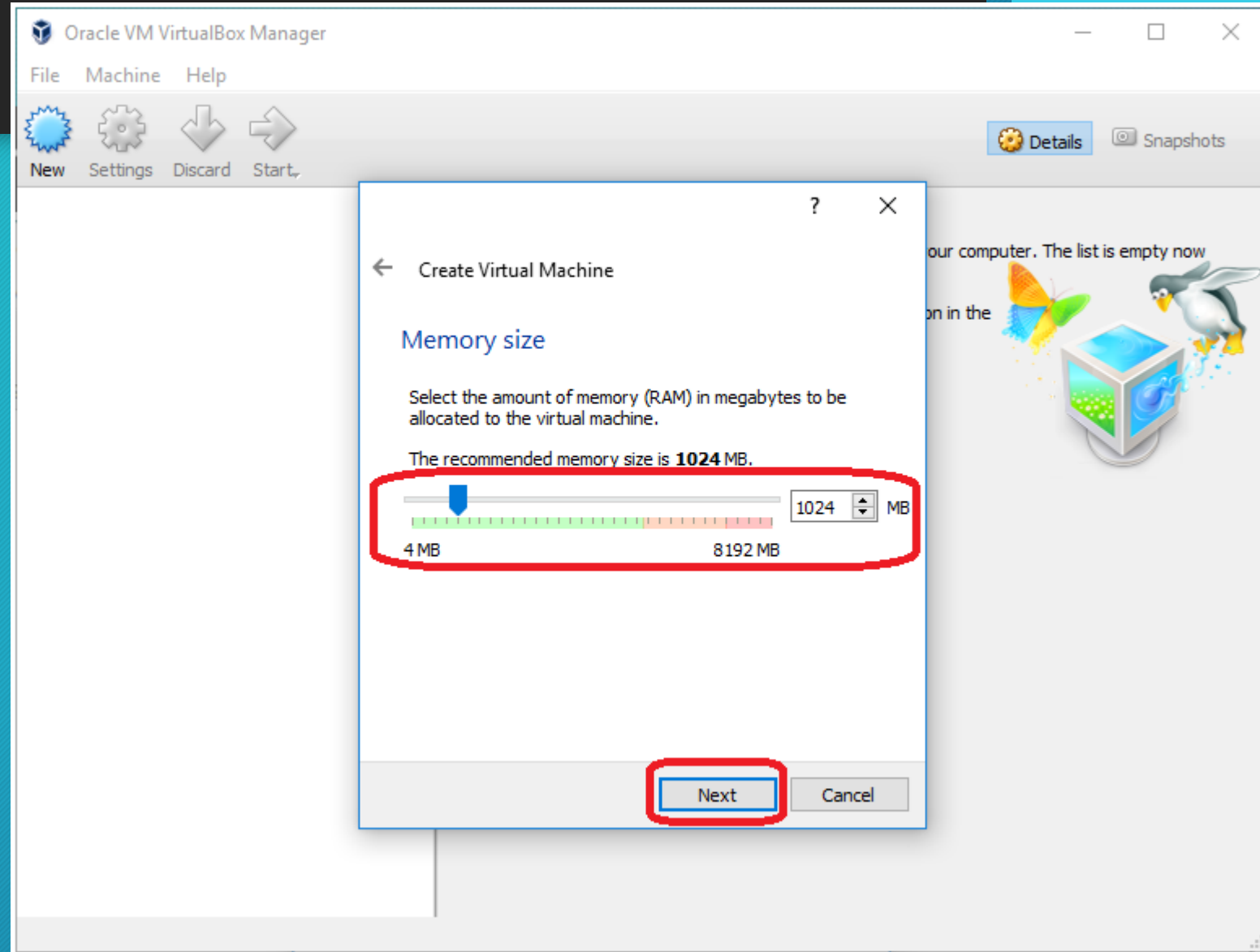
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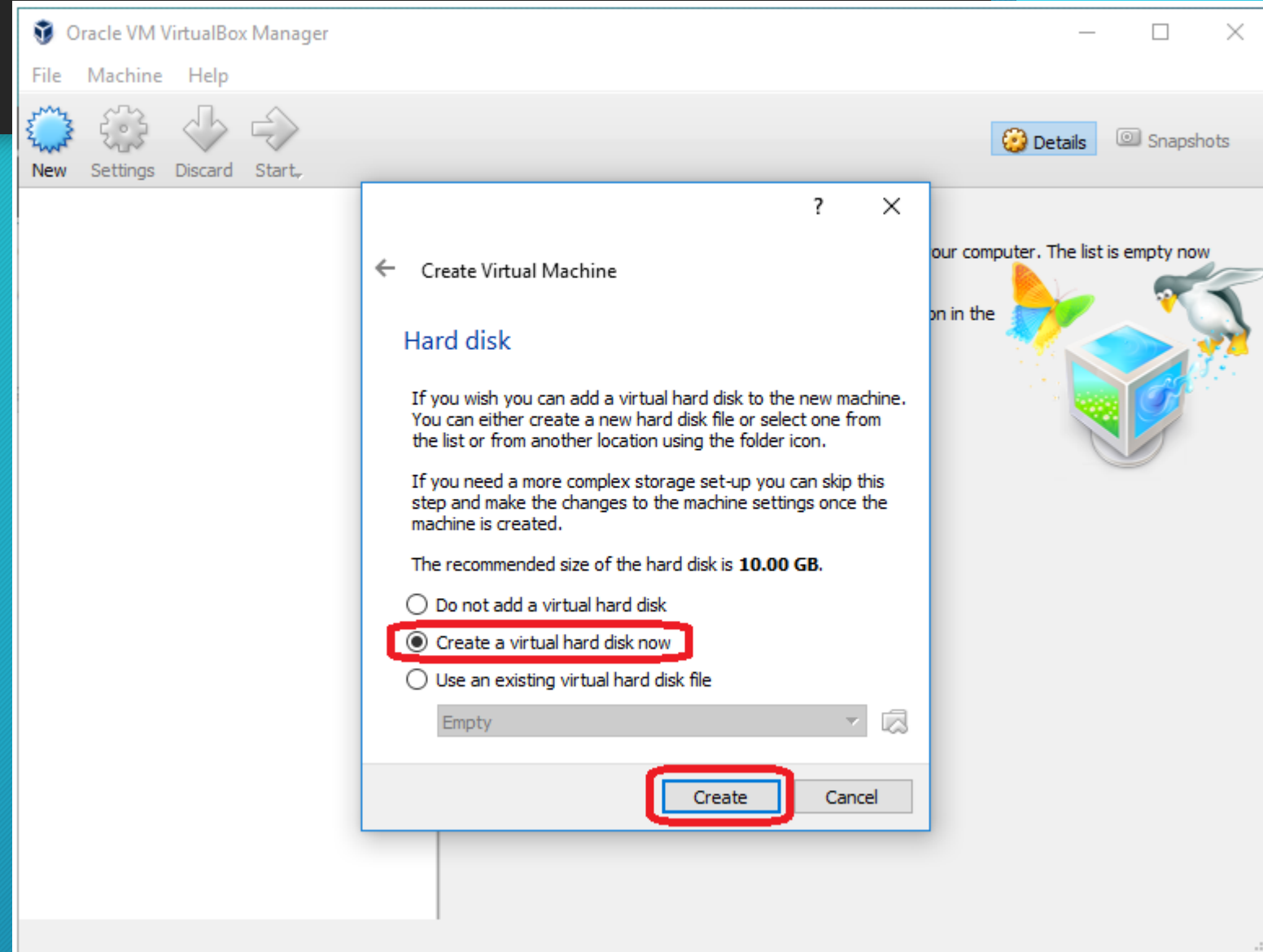
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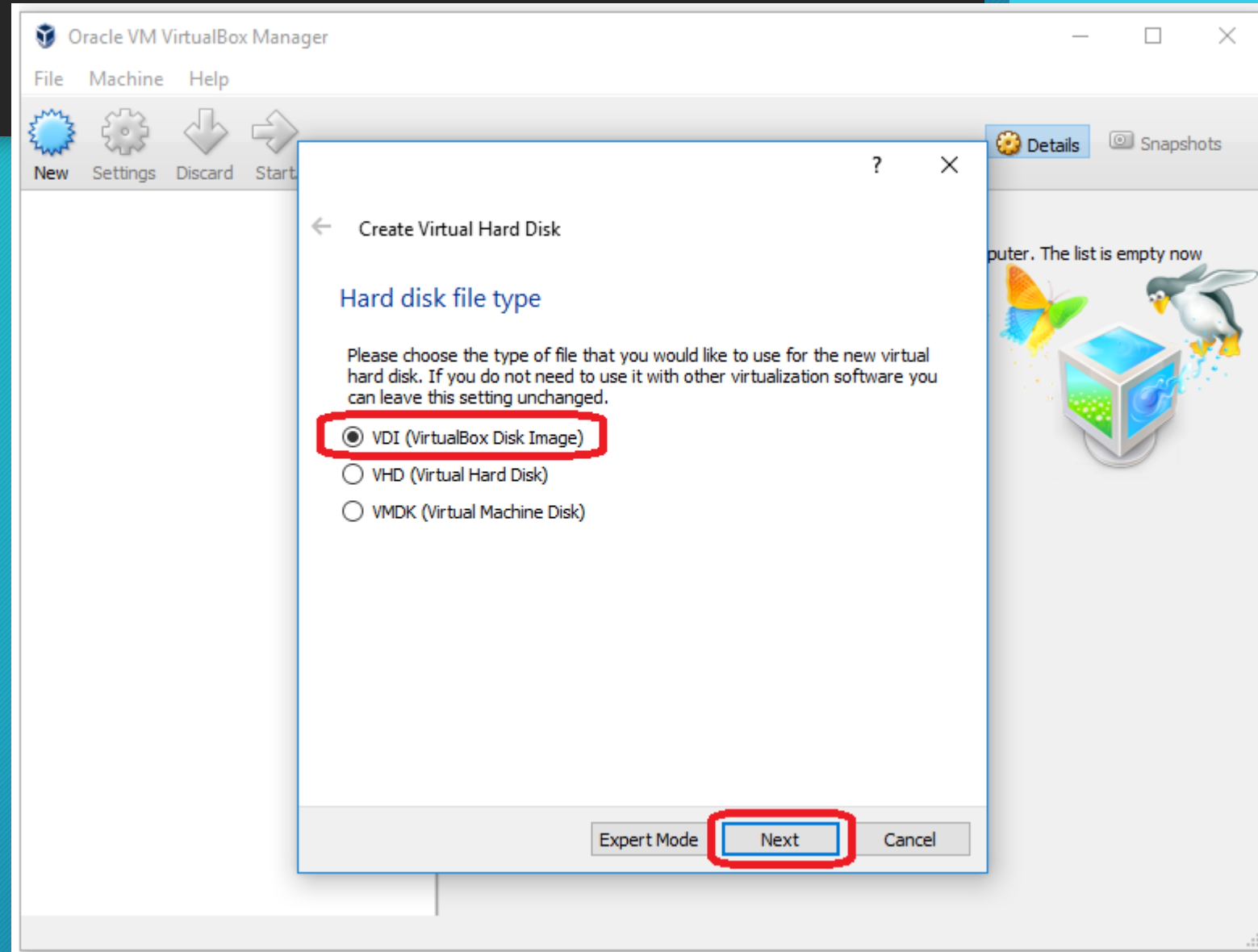
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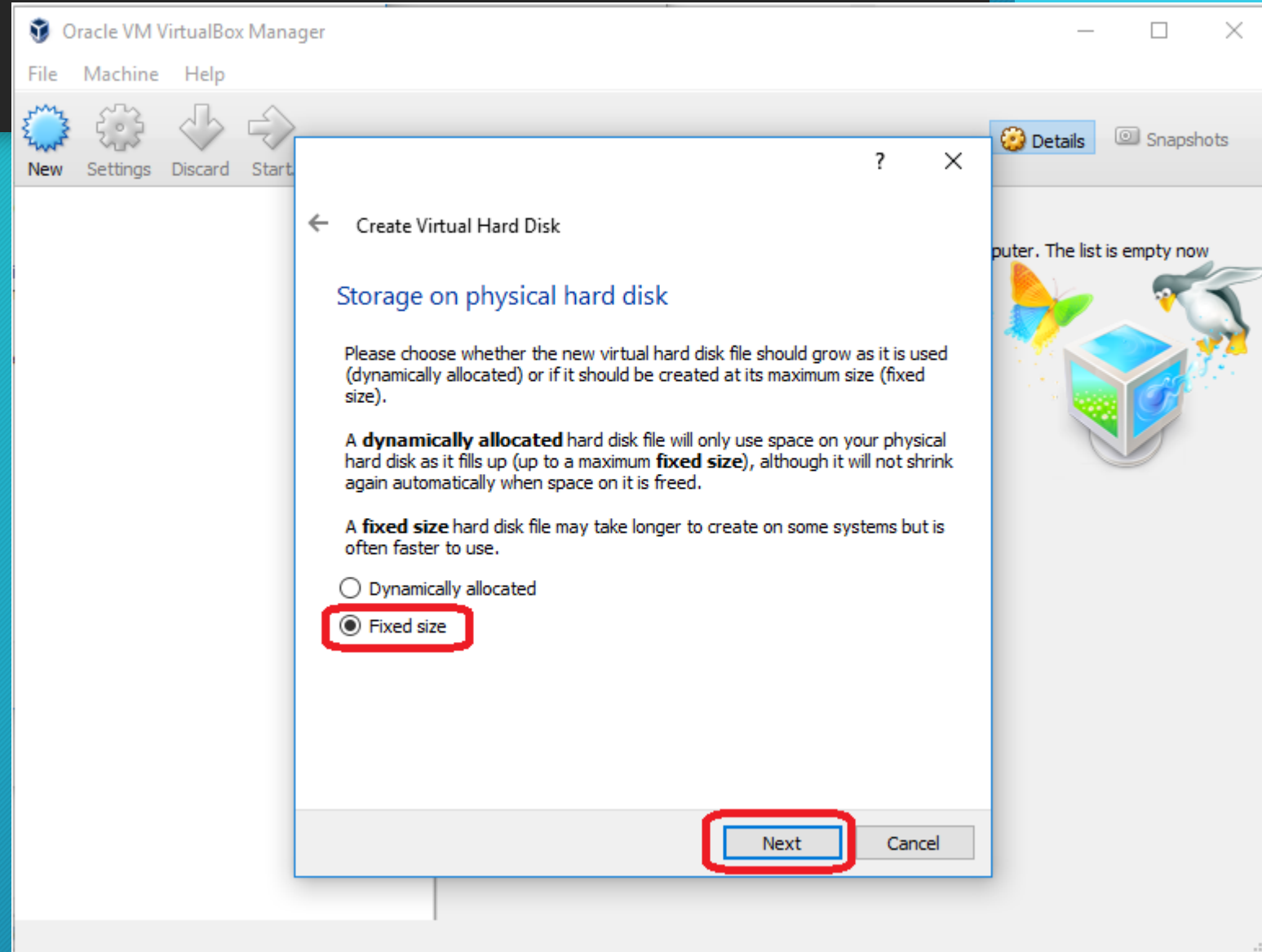
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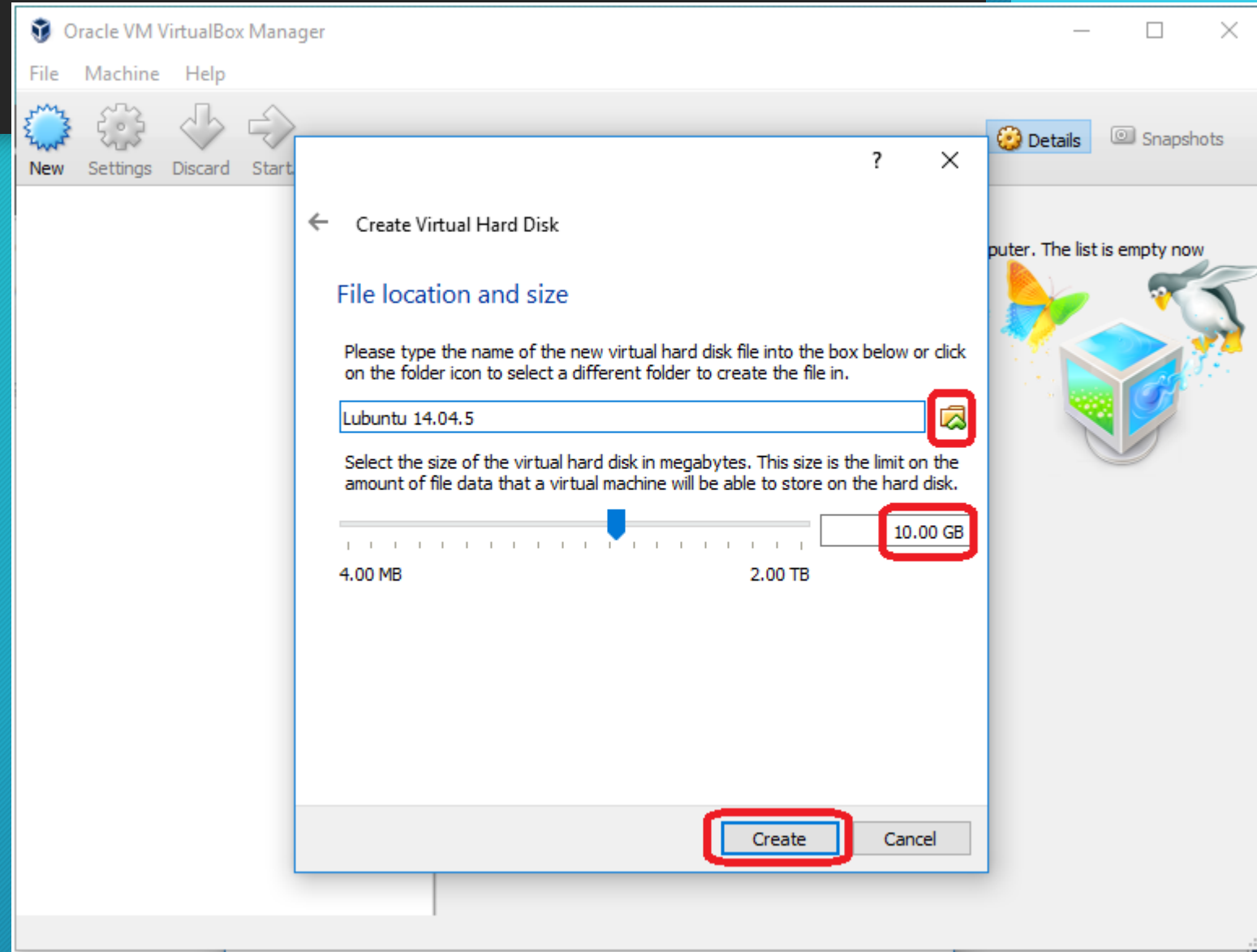
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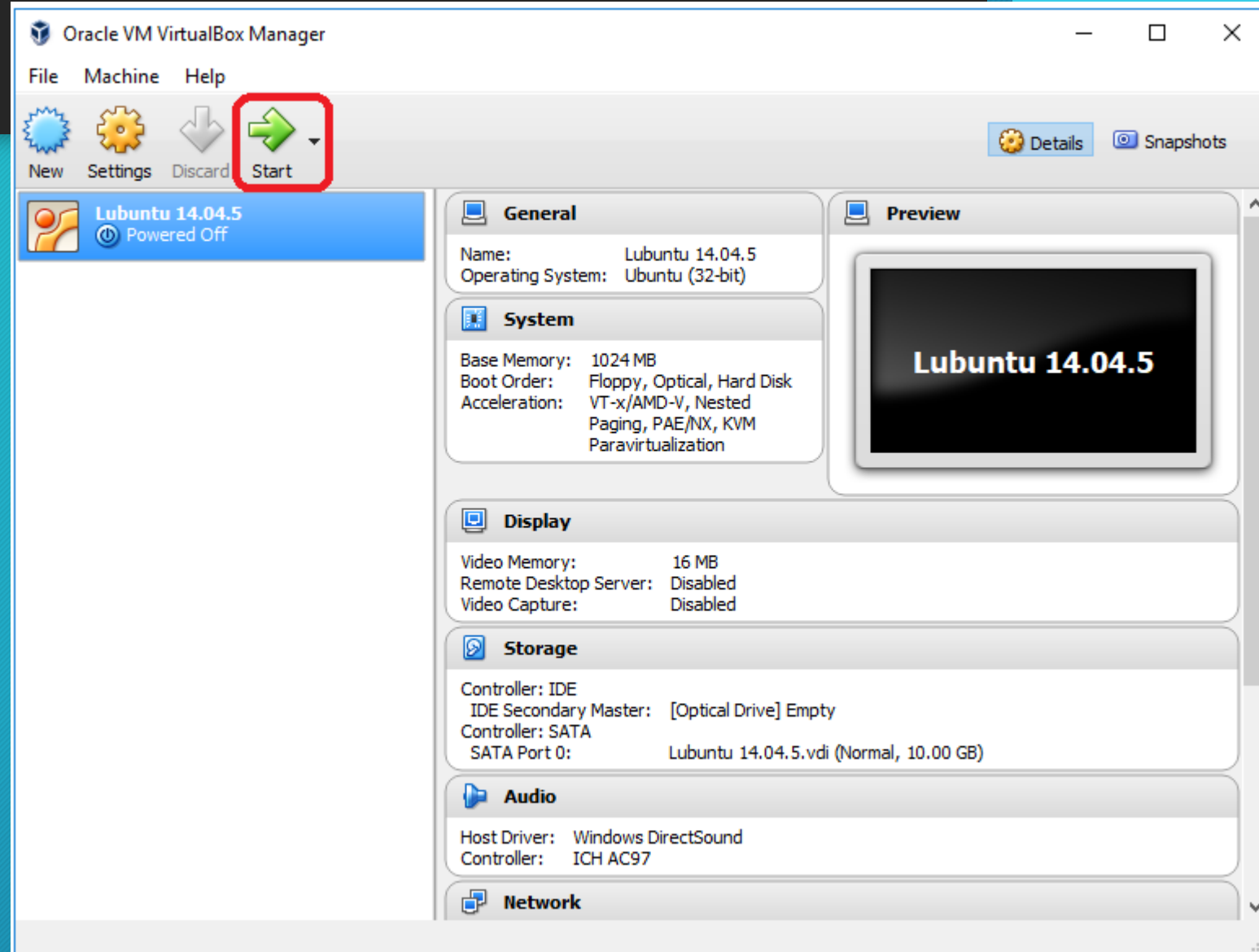
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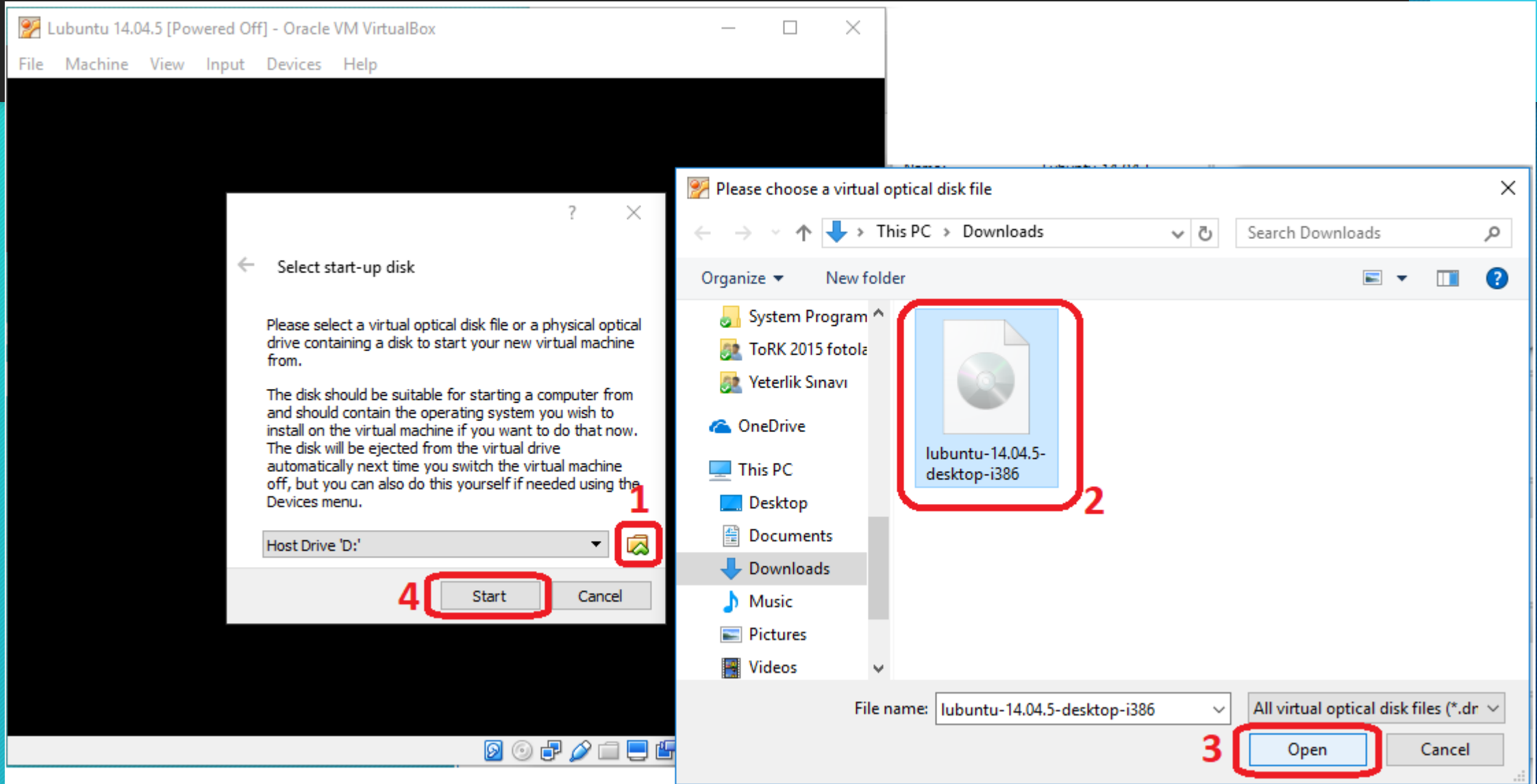


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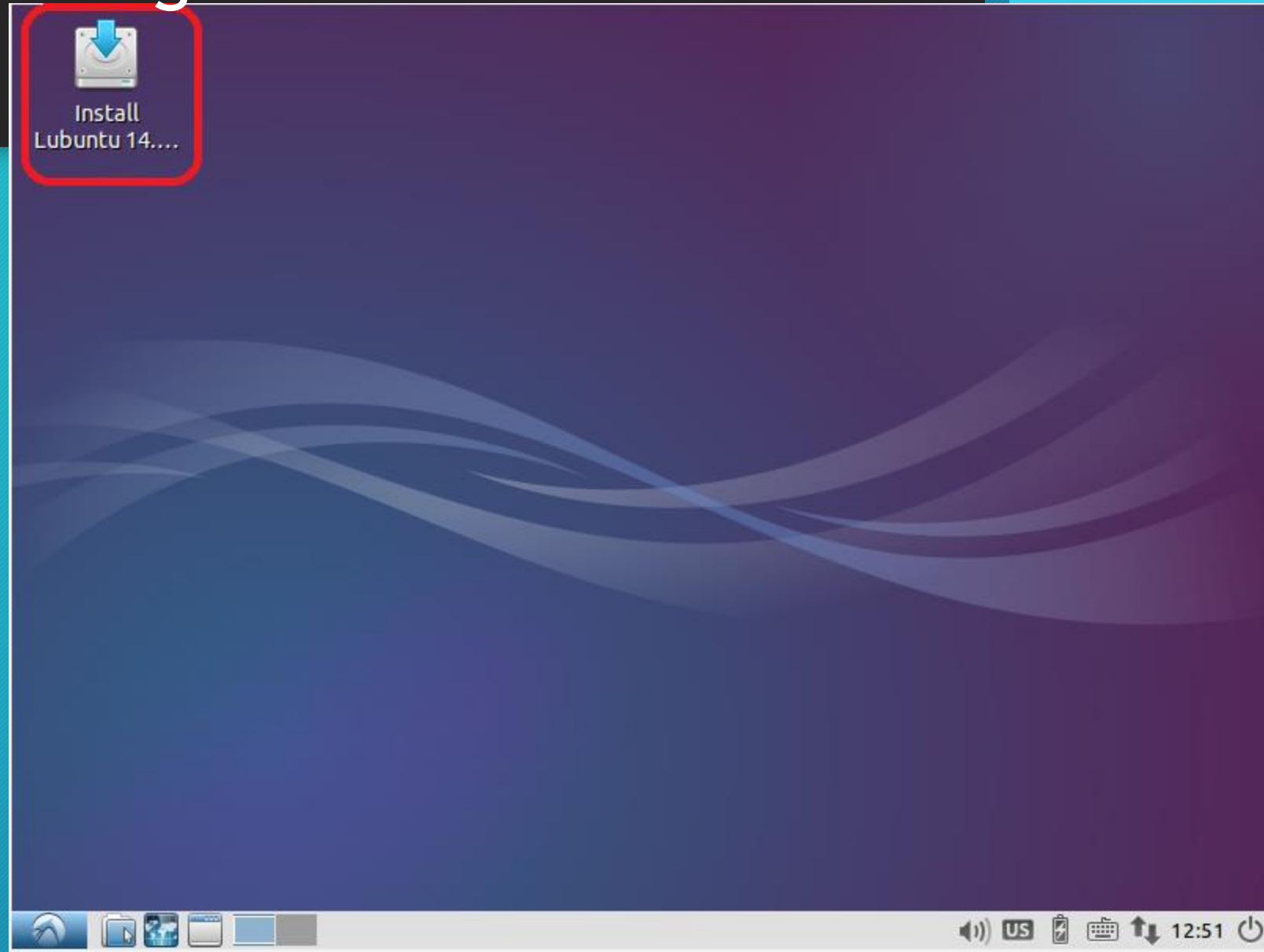


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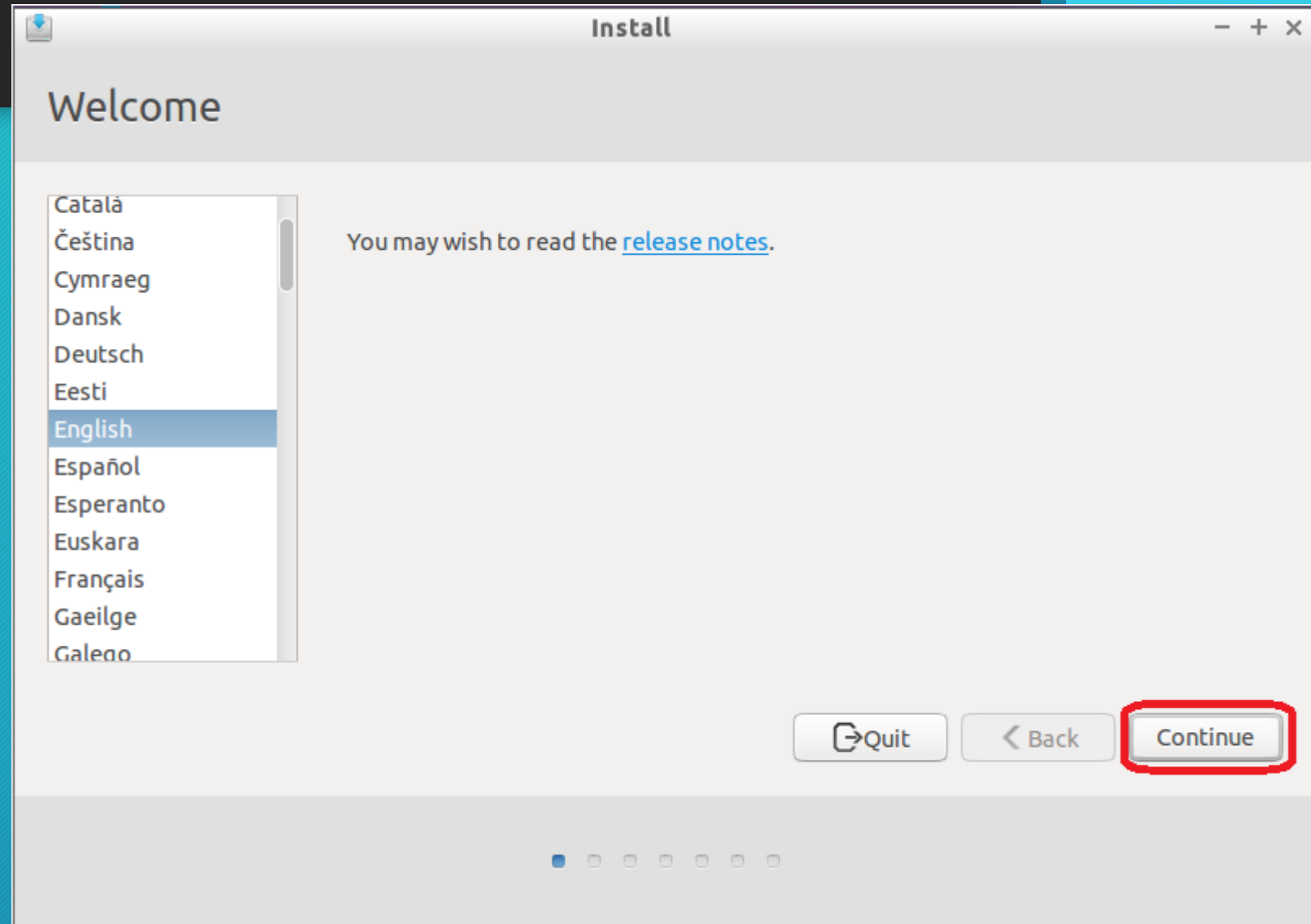
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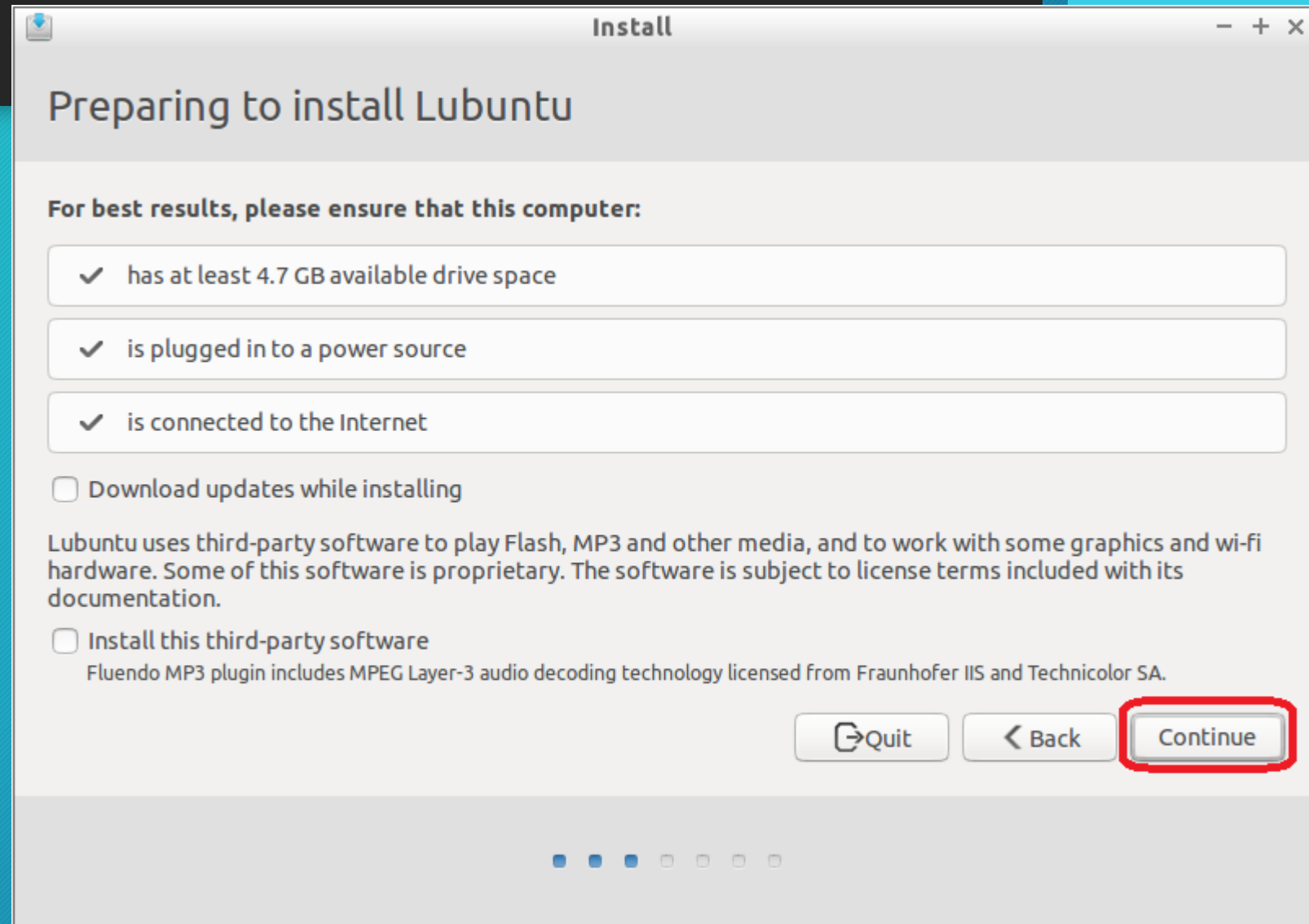
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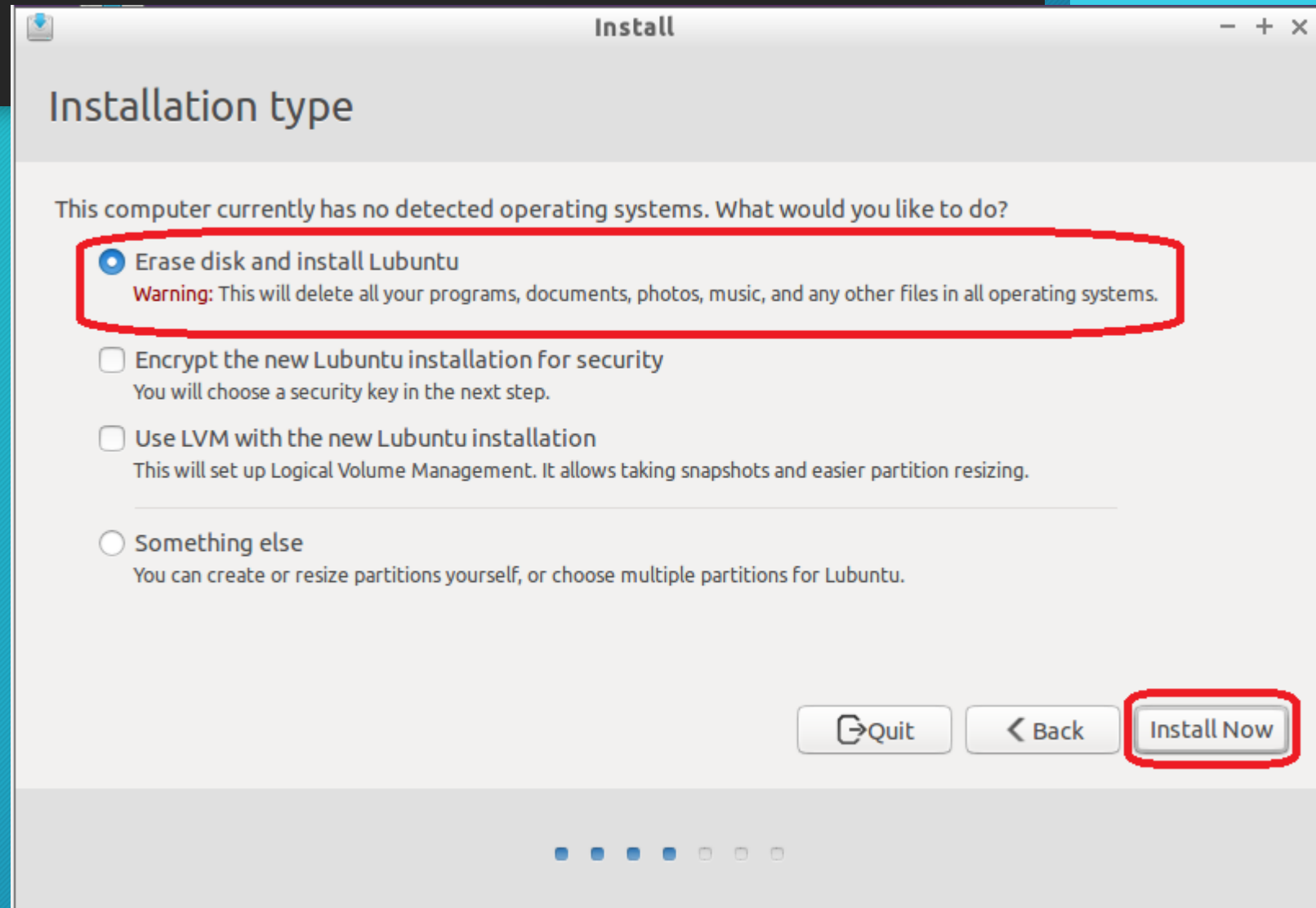
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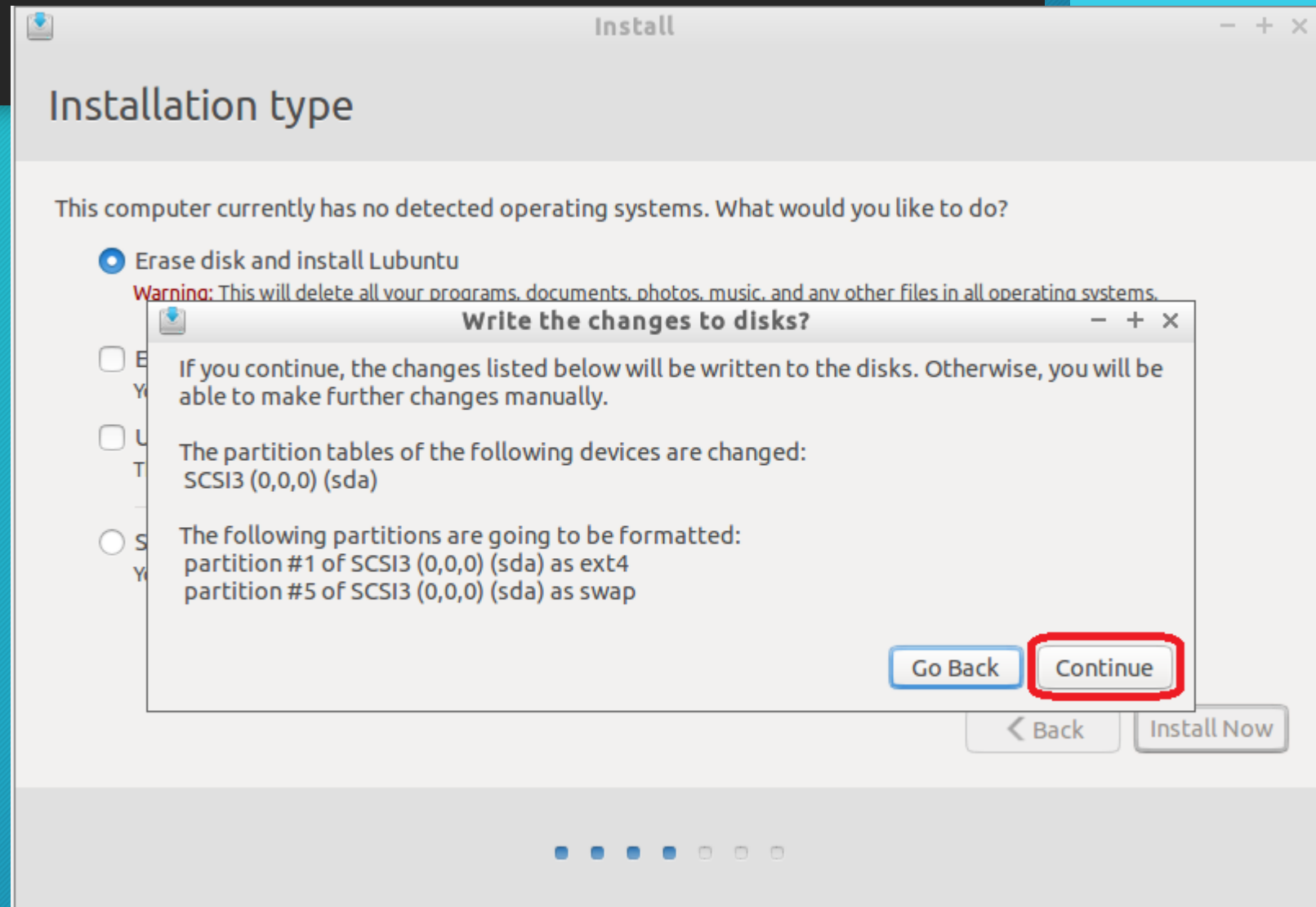
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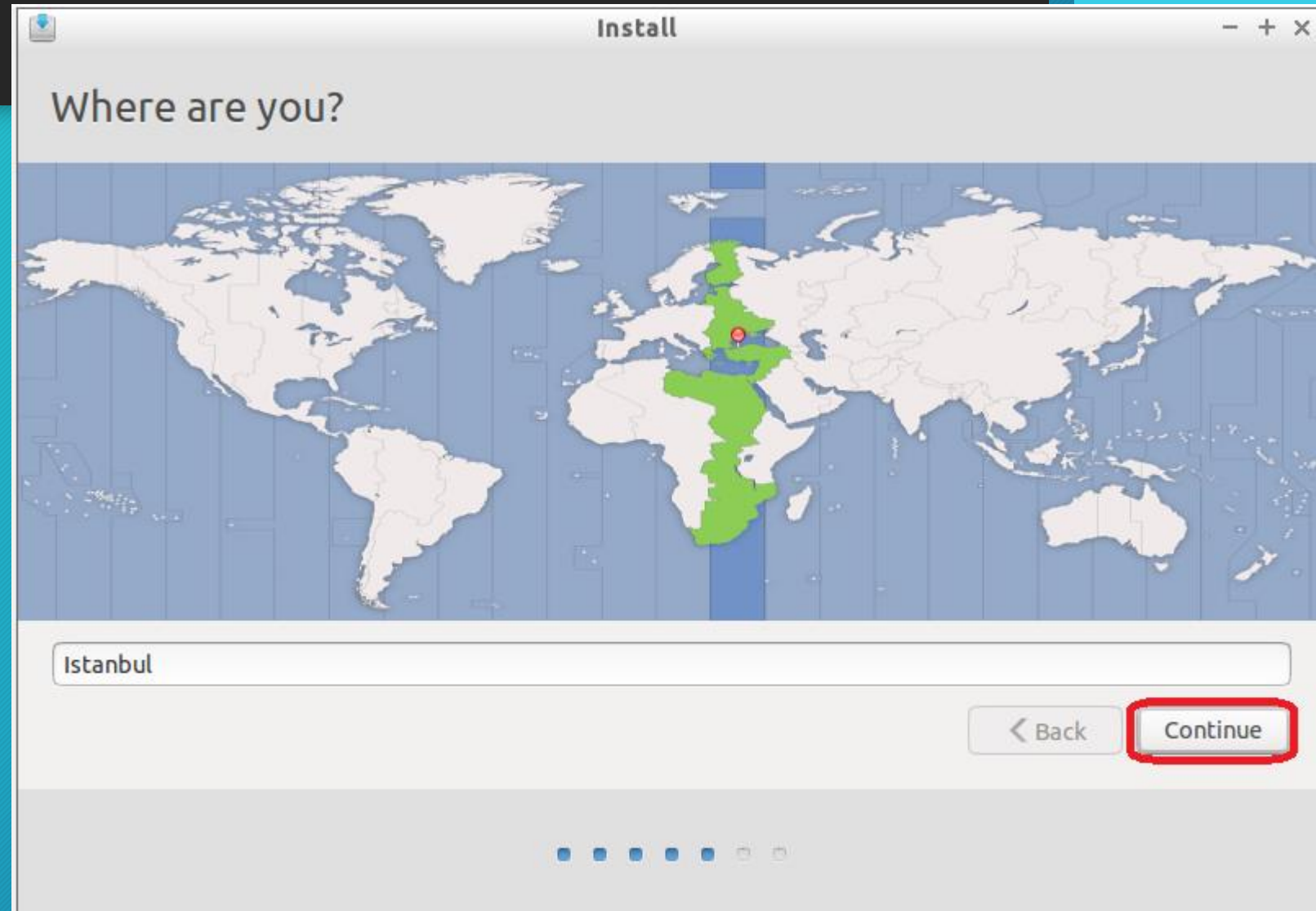
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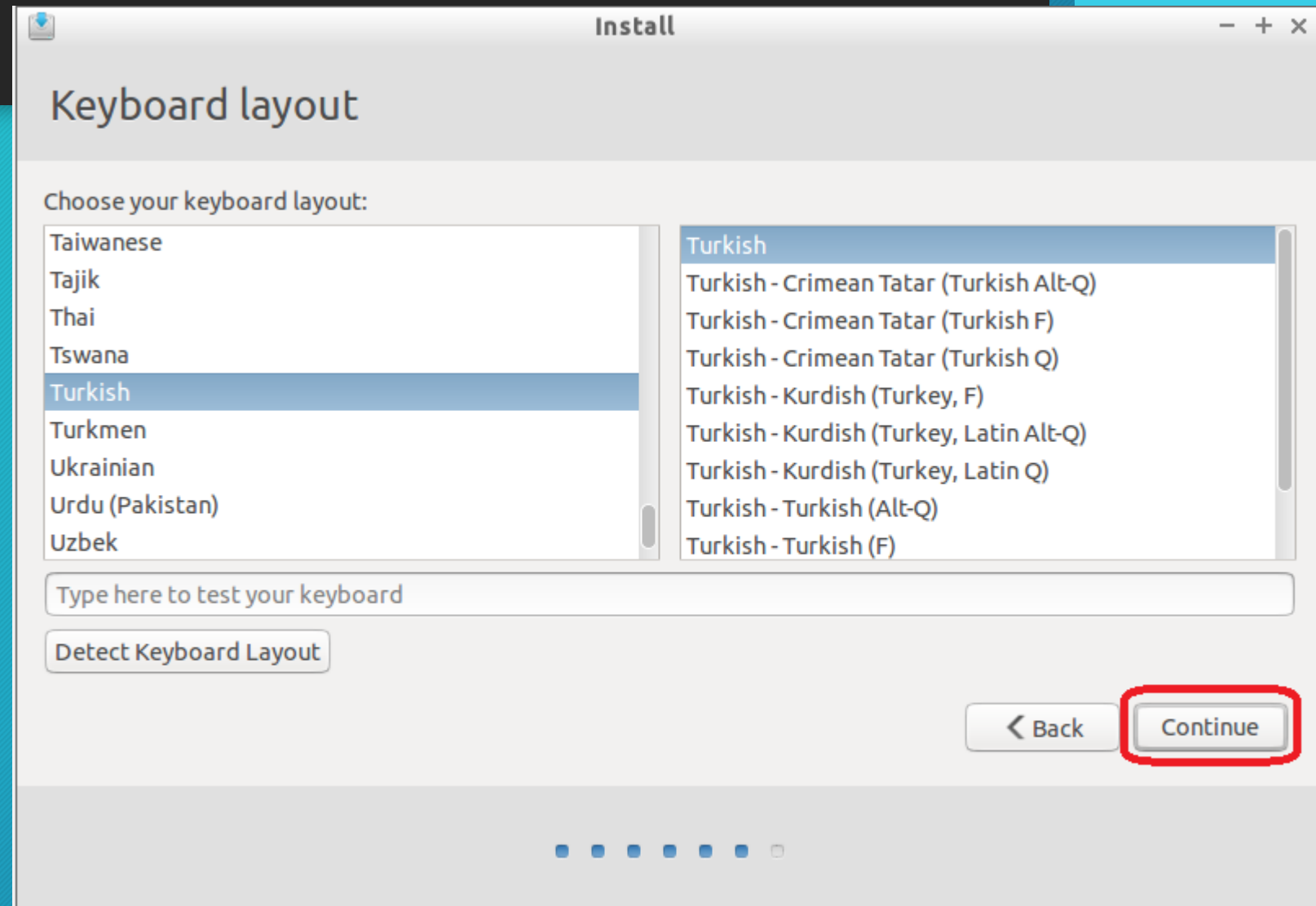
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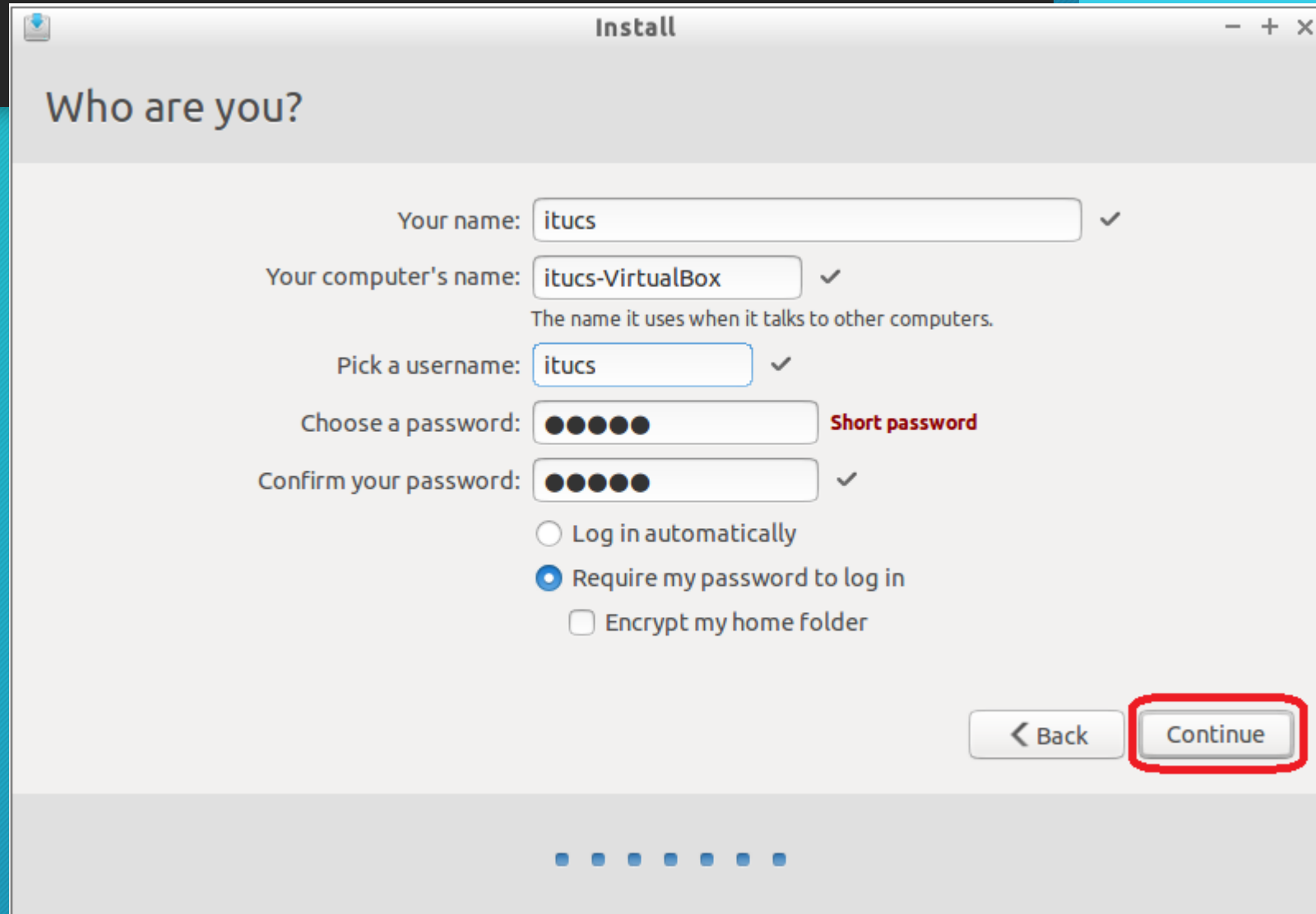
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The screenshot shows the 'Install' window titled 'Who are you?'. It contains several input fields and checkboxes. The 'Your name' field is filled with 'itucs' and has a checkmark. The 'Your computer's name' field is filled with 'itucs-VirtualBox' and has a checkmark. Below it, a note says 'The name it uses when it talks to other computers.' The 'Pick a username' field is filled with 'itucs' and has a checkmark. The 'Choose a password' field is filled with six dots and has a red warning 'Short password'. The 'Confirm your password' field is also filled with six dots and has a checkmark. Below these fields are three radio buttons: 'Log in automatically' (unselected), 'Require my password to log in' (selected), and 'Encrypt my home folder' (unselected). At the bottom right, there are two buttons: '< Back' and 'Continue'. The 'Continue' button is highlighted with a red rectangle. At the very bottom, there are seven small blue squares, with the first one being slightly larger and darker.

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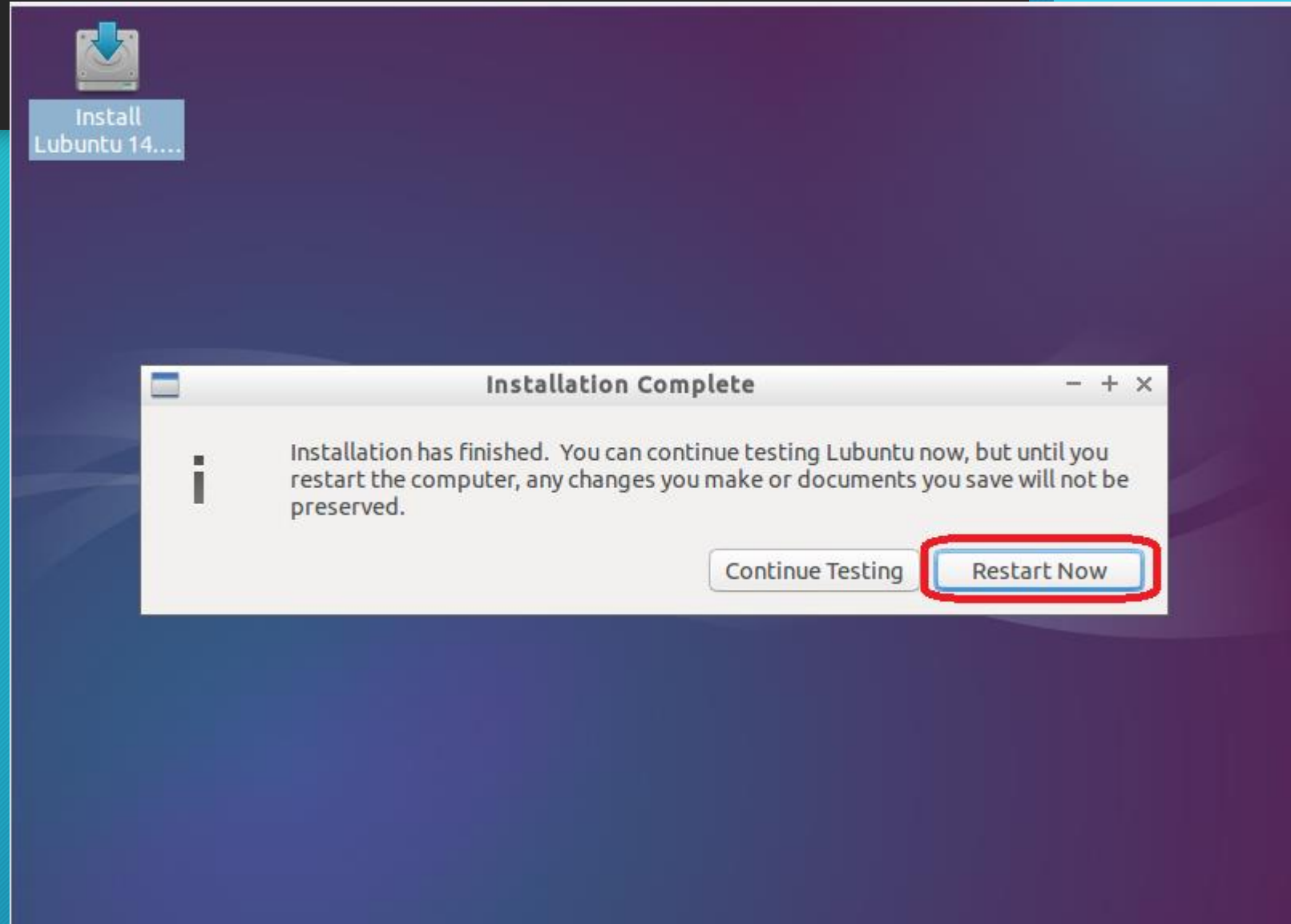
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4. Install Lubuntu on virtual machine
 - Wait until the installation is complete

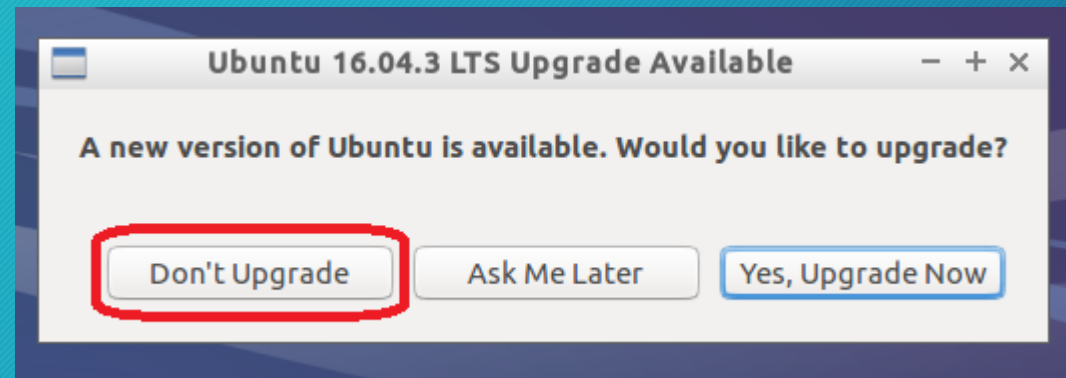
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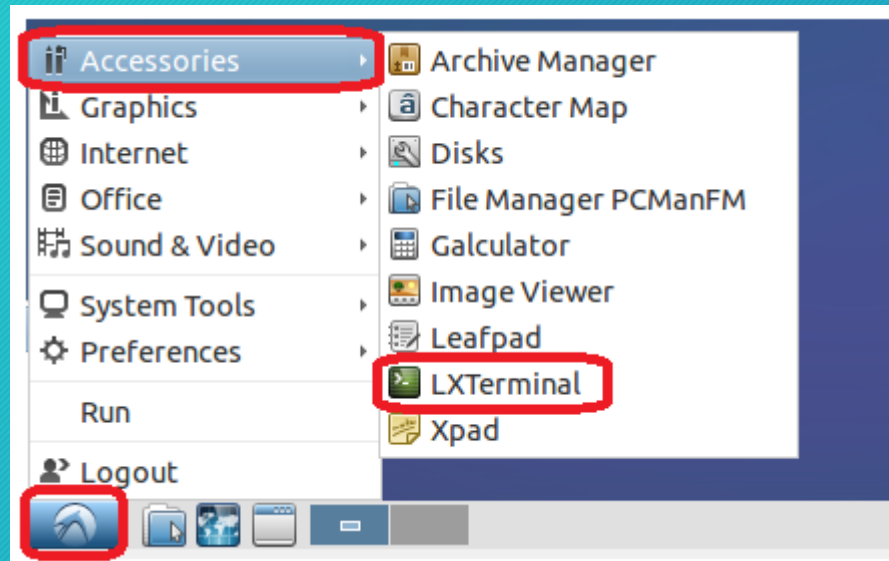
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5. Install required software for the course:

- manpages-dev
- g++
- patch
- strace
- ltrace
- linux-headers-\$(uname -r)
- linux-source
- kernel-package
- fakeroot
- libncurses5-dev
- libfuse-dev

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5. Install required software for the course:
- Open terminal



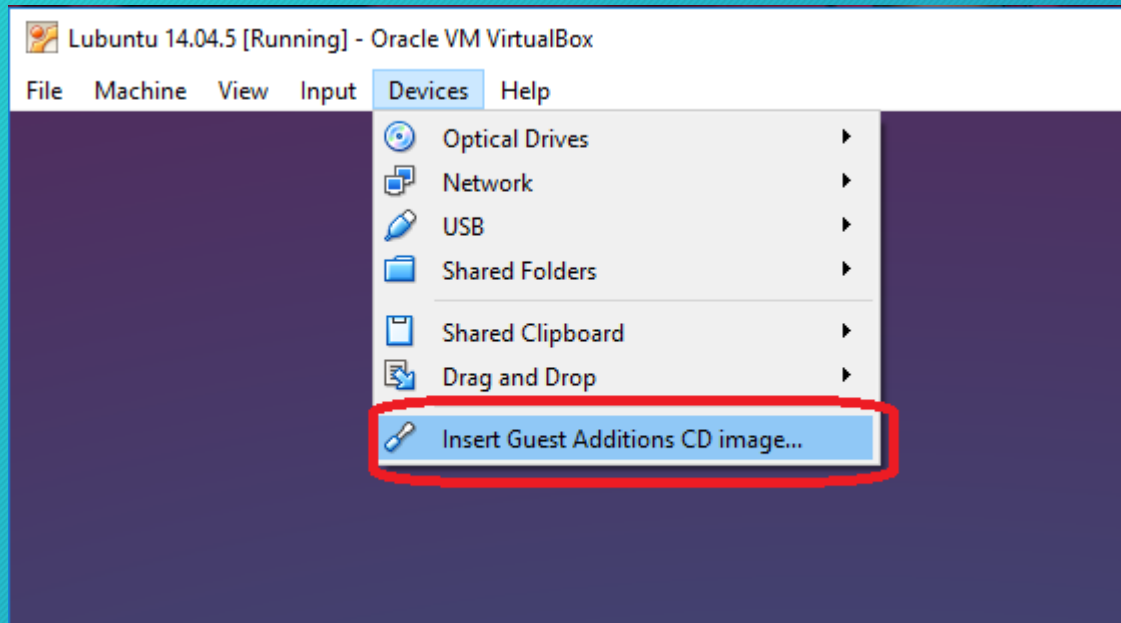
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5. Install required software for the course:

- Update package lists
 - `sudo apt-get update`
- Install required packages
 - `sudo apt-get install manpages-dev g++ patch strace ltrace linux-headers-$(uname -r) linux-source kernel-package fakeroot libncurses5-dev libfuse-dev`
- Install a code editor
 - `sudo apt-get install geany`

Installing VirtualBox Guest Additions

- Guest additions are necessary to be able to share files between your host operating system and virtual operating system.



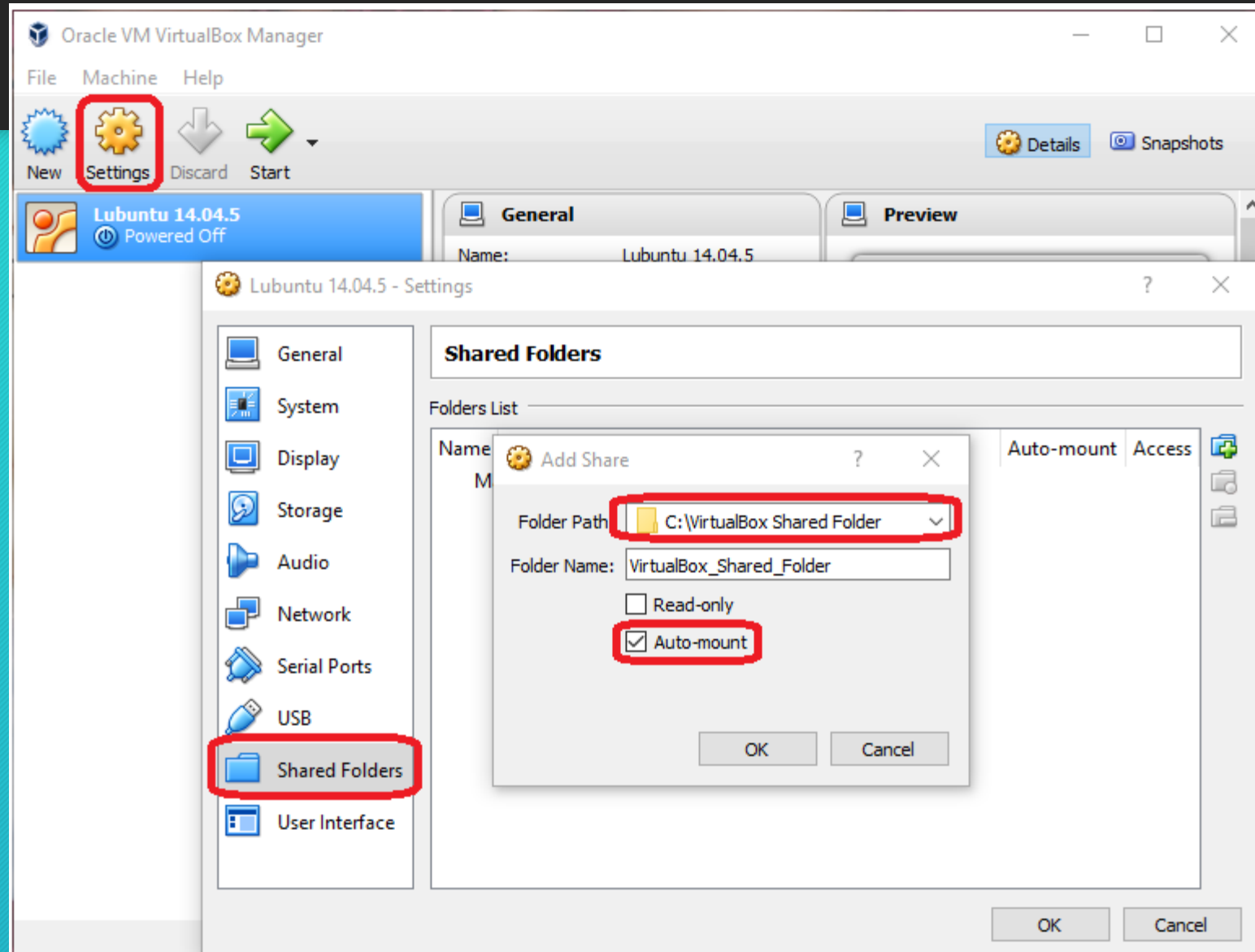
Installing VirtualBox Guest Additions

```
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox: /media/itucs/VBOXADDITIONS_5.1.26_117224
File Edit Tabs Help
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox:~$ cd /media/itucs/VBOXADDITIONS_5.1.26_117224/
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox:/media/itucs/VBOXADDITIONS_5.1.26_117224$ sudo sh ./VBoxLinuxAdditions.run
[sudo] password for itucs:
Verifying archive integrity... All good.
Uncompressing VirtualBox 5.1.26 Guest Additions for Linux.....
VirtualBox Guest Additions installer
Copying additional installer modules ...
Installing additional modules ...
vboxadd.sh: Starting the VirtualBox Guest Additions.

You may need to restart the Window System (or just restart the guest system)
to enable the Guest Additions.

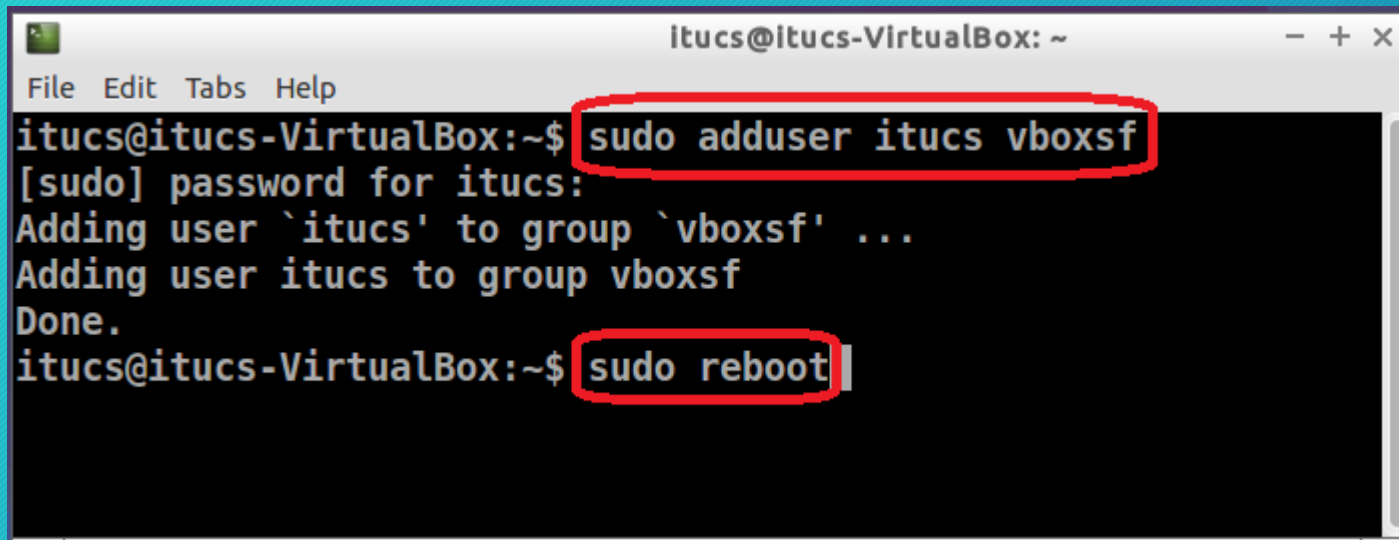
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox:/media/itucs/VBOXADDITIONS_5.1.26_117224$ sudo reboot
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Creating a Shared Folder



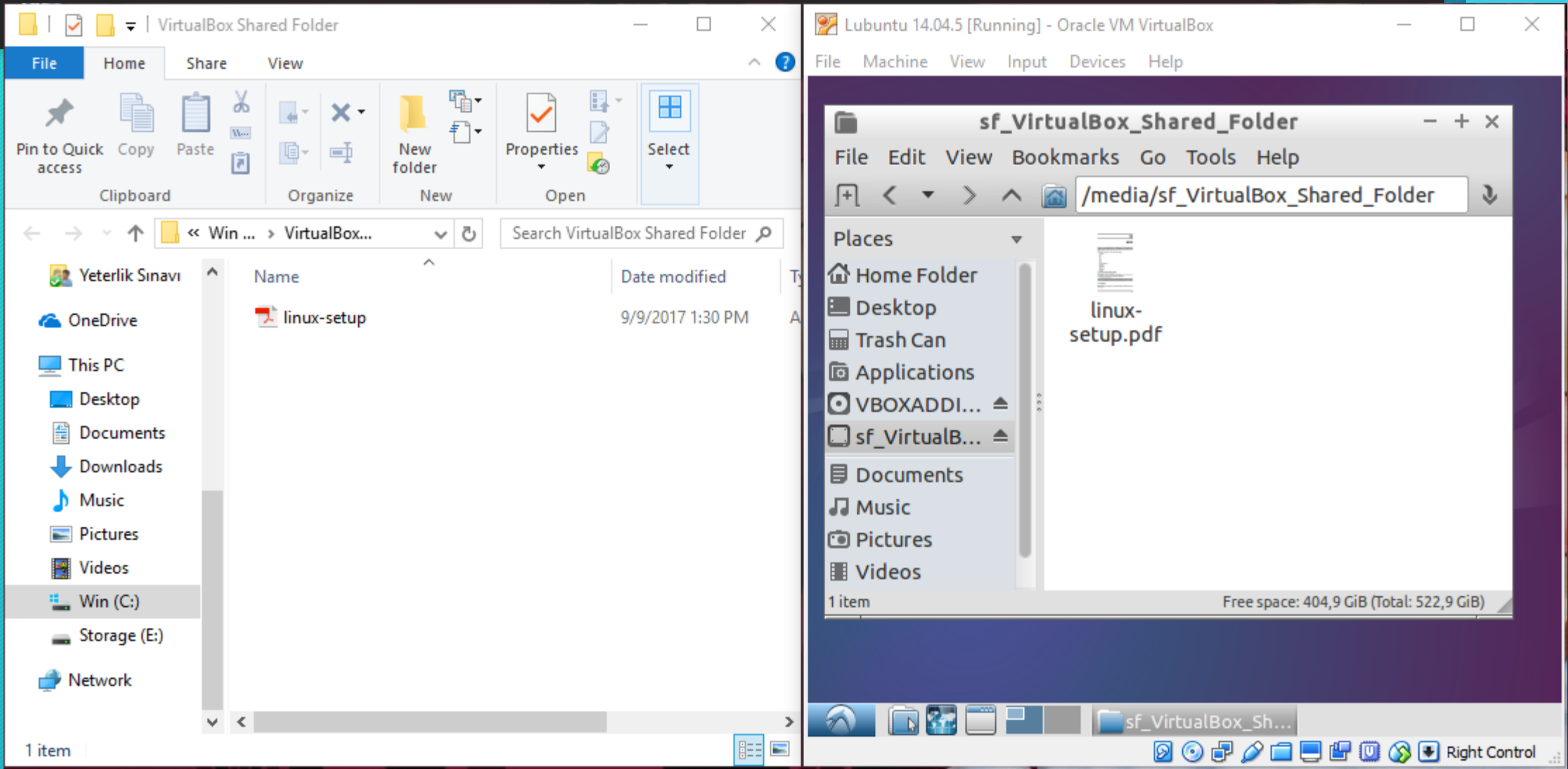
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- Add your user to VirtualBox shared folder group for giving access

A terminal window titled 'itucs@itucs-VirtualBox: ~' with a menu bar containing 'File', 'Edit', 'Tabs', and 'Help'. The terminal shows the command 'sudo adduser itucs vboxsf' being entered and executed. The output indicates the user 'itucs' is being added to the 'vboxsf' group. The command 'sudo reboot' is then entered and highlighted with a red box.

```
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox:~$ sudo adduser itucs vboxsf
[sudo] password for itucs:
Adding user `itucs' to group `vboxsf' ...
Adding user itucs to group vboxsf
Done.
itucs@itucs-VirtualBox:~$ sudo reboot
```


Creating a Shared Folder



Sharing Clipboard Between Host OS and Virtual OS

