

Odoo Installation Report



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Assignment # 1

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Hardware & Software Requirements for Odoo Installation

Hardware Requirements

- ❖ **CPU:** Minimum 2-core processor
- ❖ **RAM:** Minimum 2GB
- ❖ **Storage:** Minimum 10GB free space
- ❖ **Network:** Stable internet connection

Software Requirements

- ❖ **OS:** Ubuntu 20.04 / 22.04
- ❖ **Python:** Version 3.8+
- ❖ **PostgreSQL:** Version 12+
- ❖ **Node.js & npm:** Required for web assets
- ❖ **wkhtmltopdf:** For PDF reports
- ❖ **Pip & Virtual Environment:** For managing Python dependencies

Problem of my PC for Requirements:

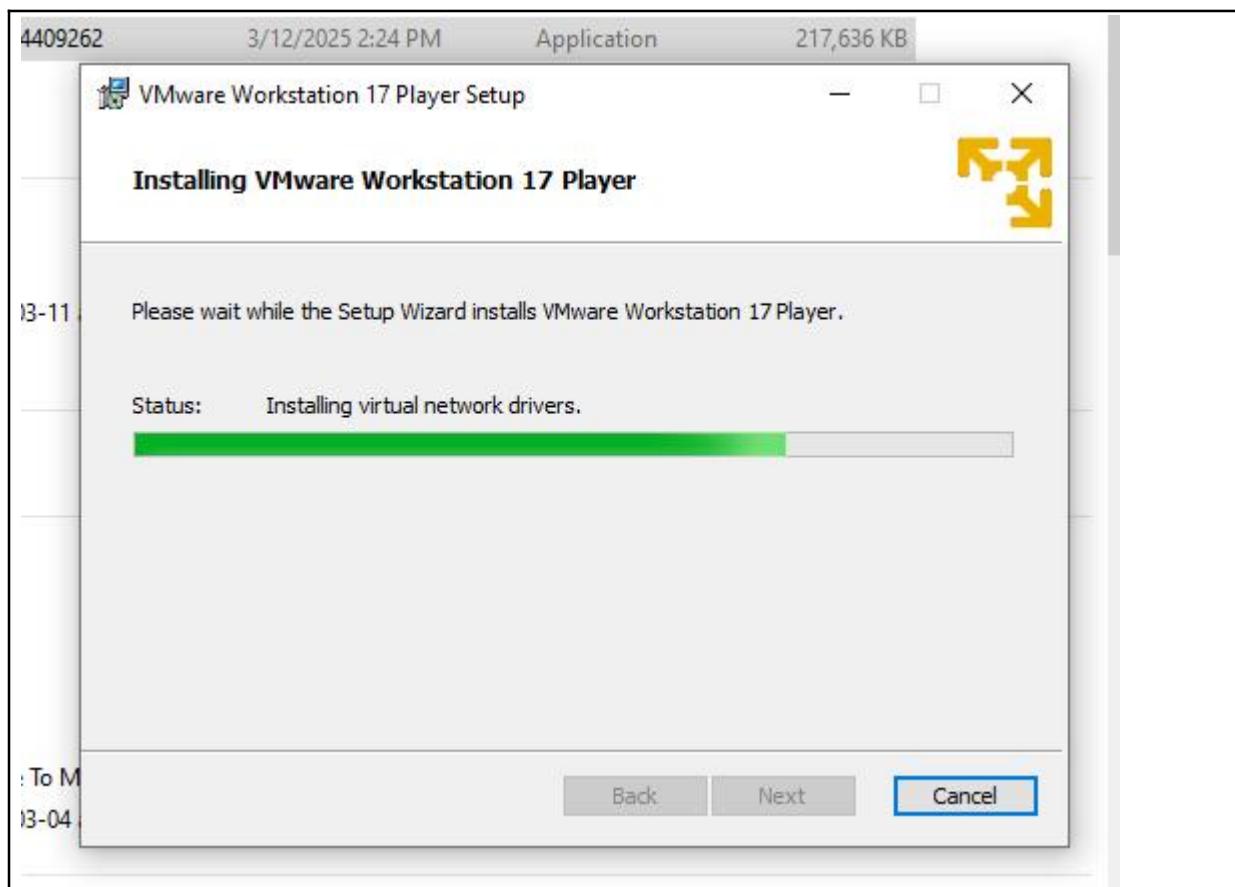
I had dual boot on my PC. So there was no space to install Virtual Machine on my PC as it requires more than 60GB of space. So I searched for any other alternative which consumes less space. I had 2 options:

1. Using cloud based server
2. Using VMware Workstation

Solution:

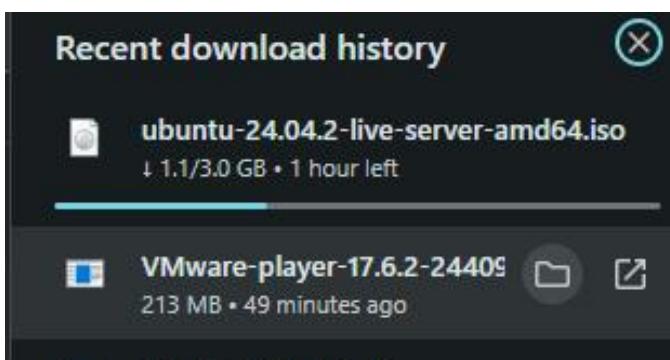
For a cloud based server, I searched a lot but there was no such server which doesn't ask me about card information. So I selected VMware for my assignment. Following are steps of how I installed it:

- ❖ I visited this link: <https://www.techspot.com/downloads/1969-vmware-player.html>
- ❖ I selected Windows option
- ❖ It started downloading on my PC. After completion, I executed that ".exec" file and finished installing the procedure.



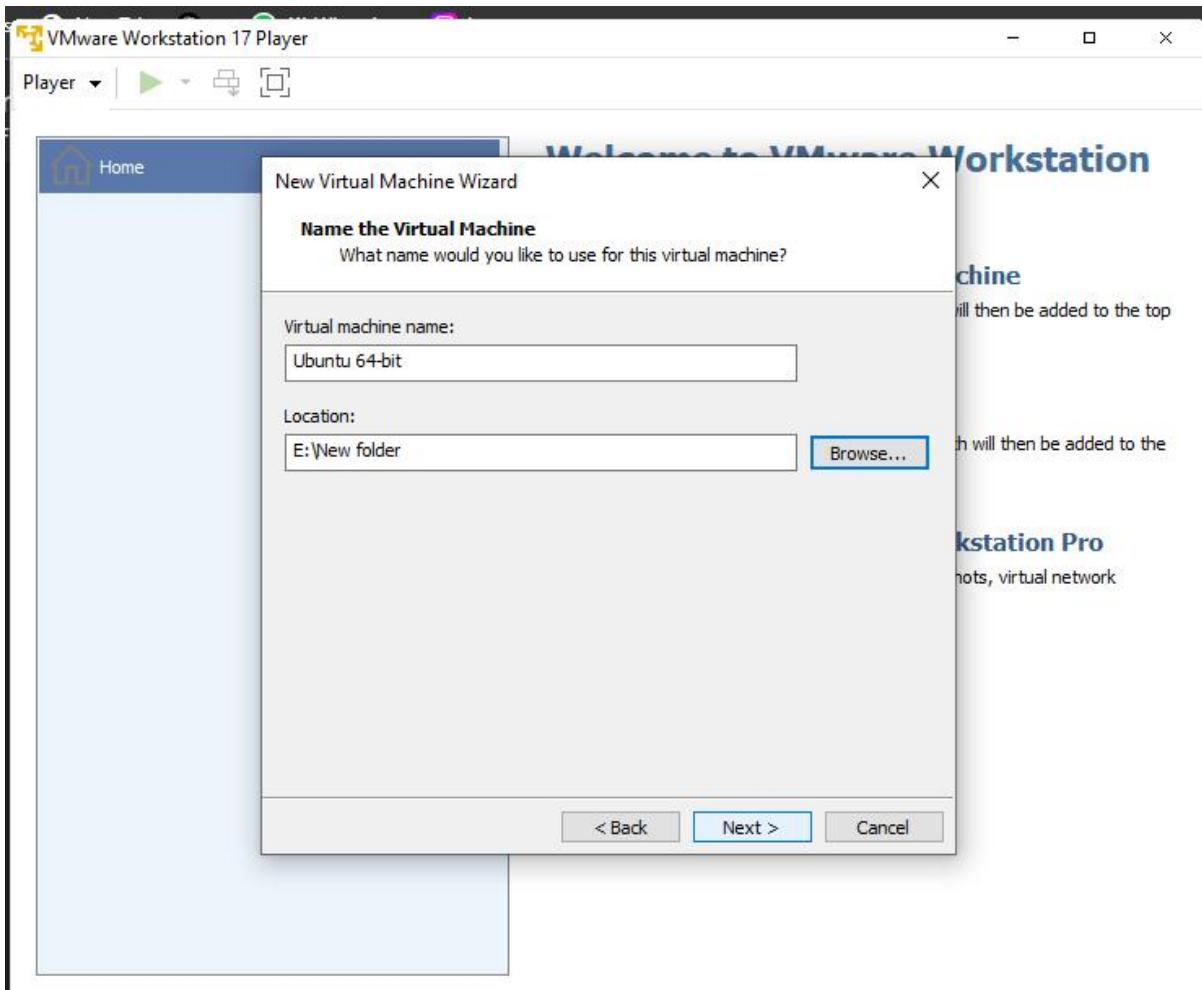
Ubuntu Server Downloading:

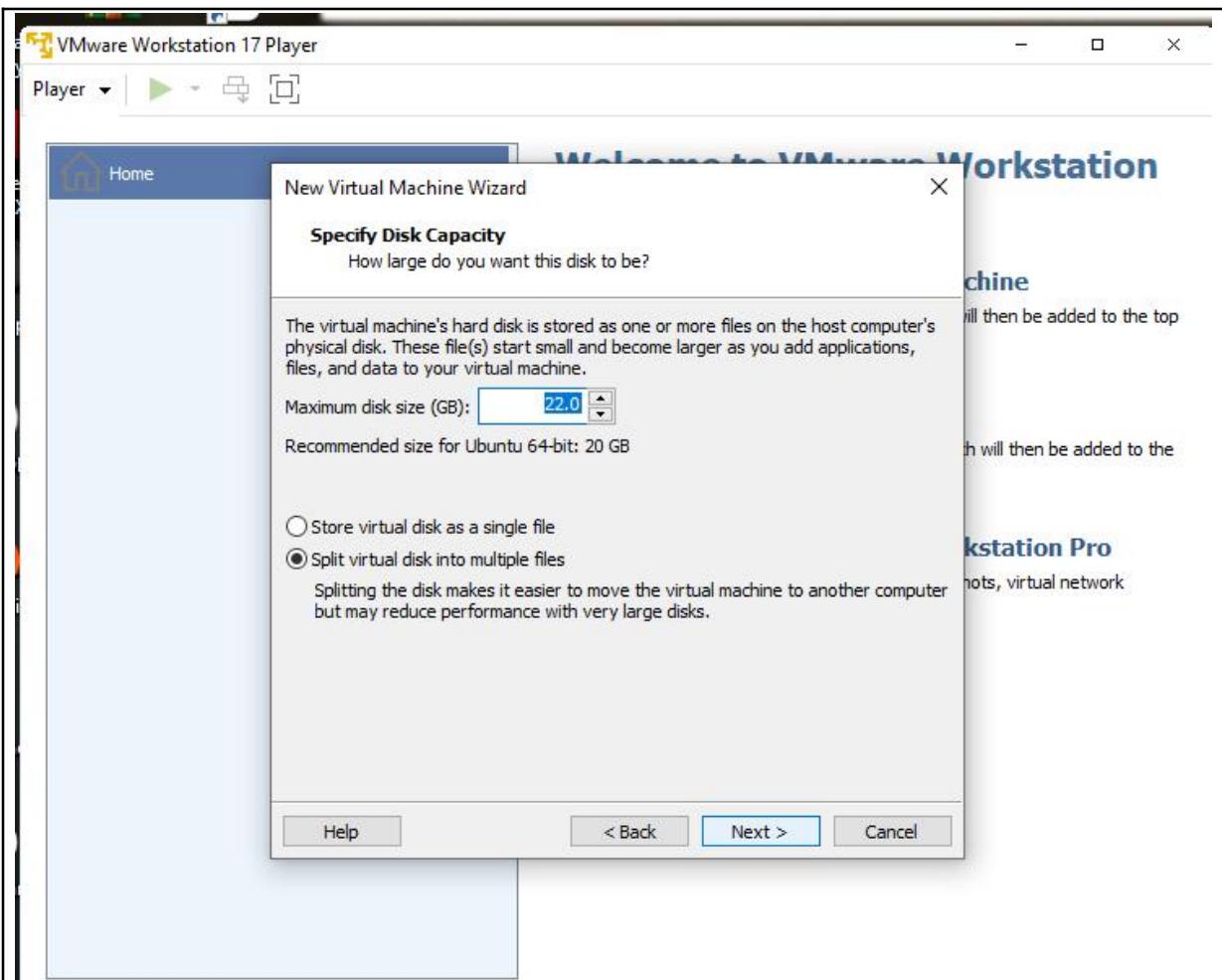
I visited the official website for downloading ubuntu-server 24.0 and installed it from there for windows.



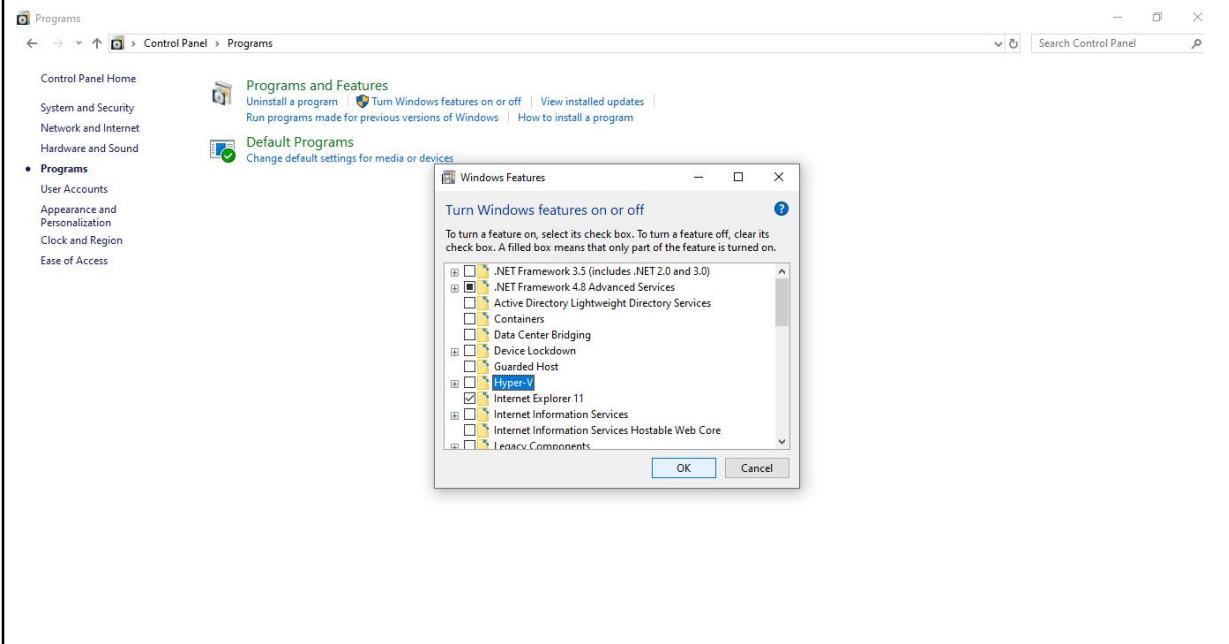
Creating new Virtual Machine:

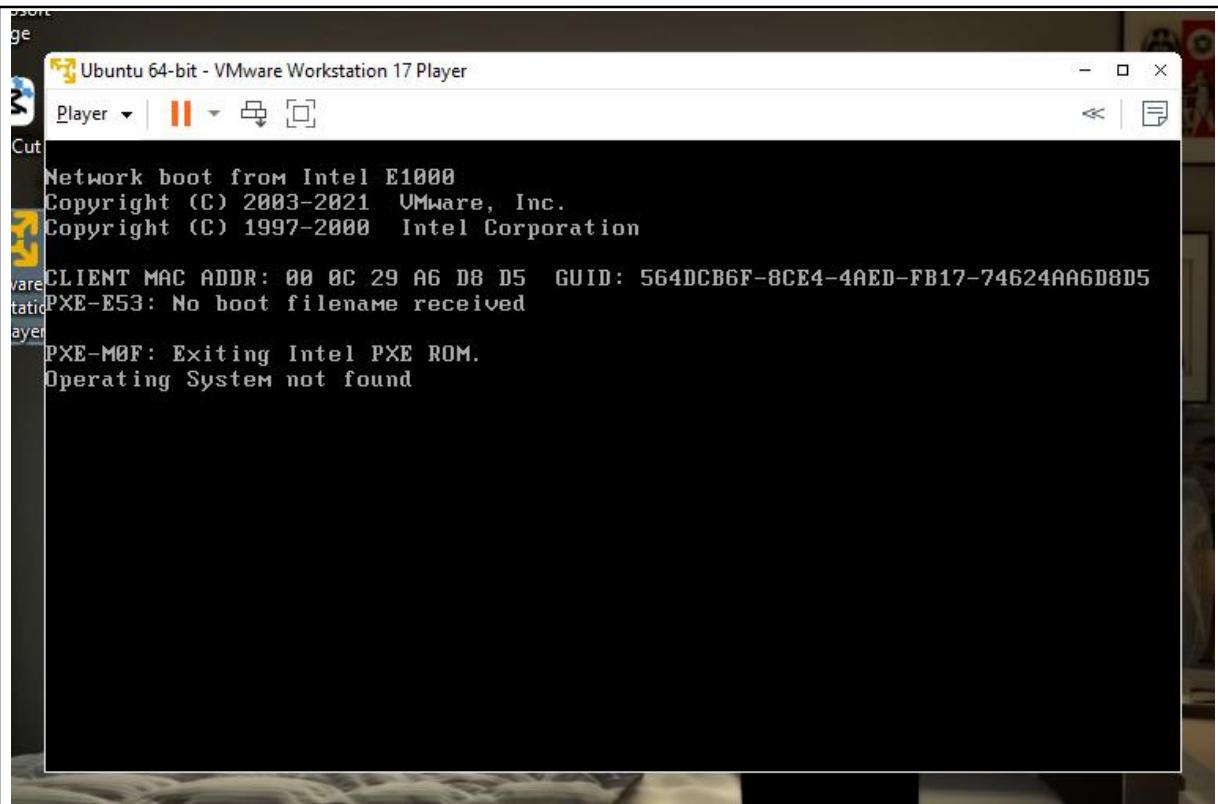
After installing the Ubuntu server, I opened VMware Workstation Player and selected the option “Create New Virtual Machine”. Then I gave the required information. Here I gave 30GB for disk size and 3 GB RAM for Virtual Machine.



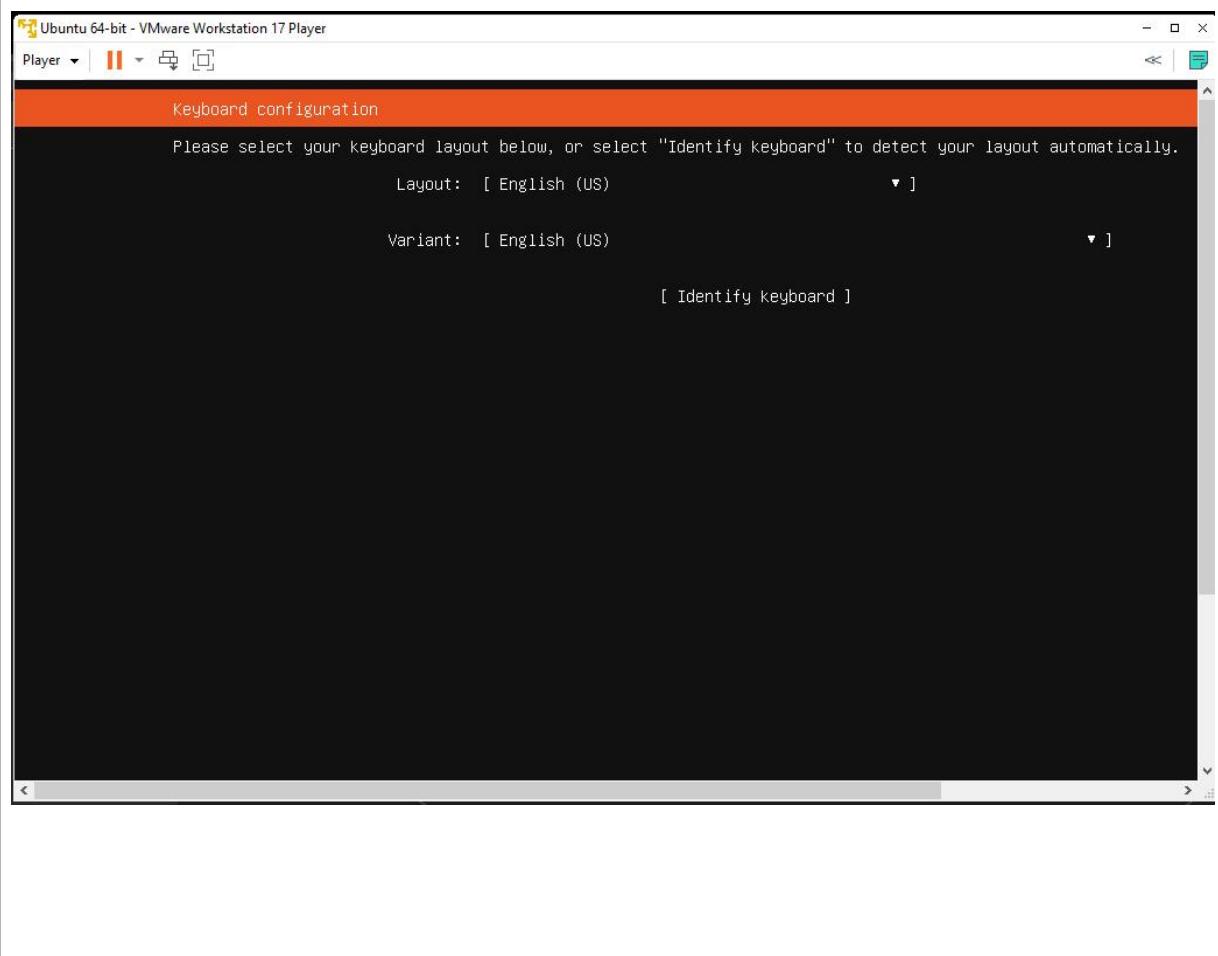


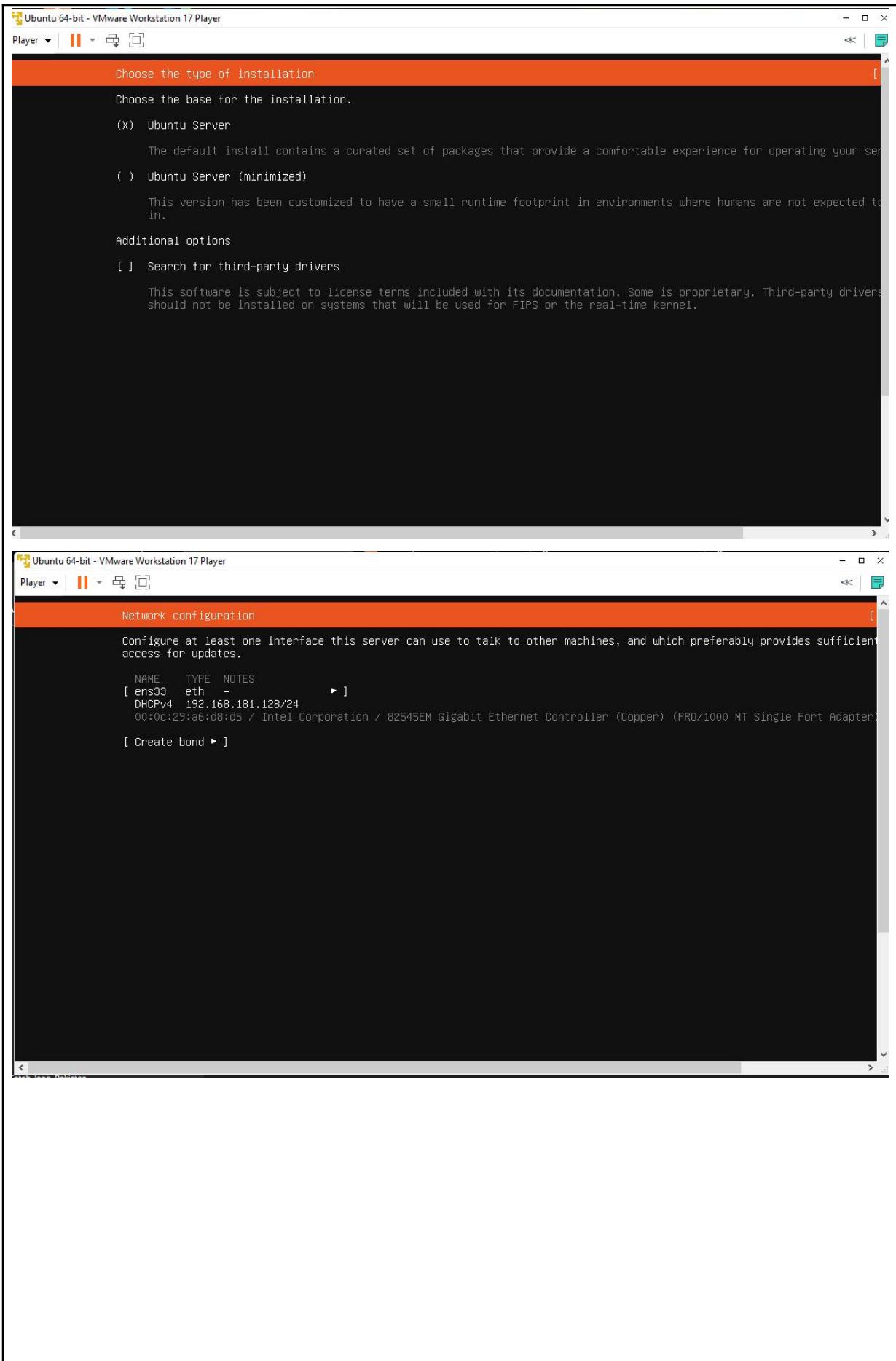
Problem: It was giving me permission issues. Then I turned Hyper-V off for my PC. Here is how I solved permission problem:

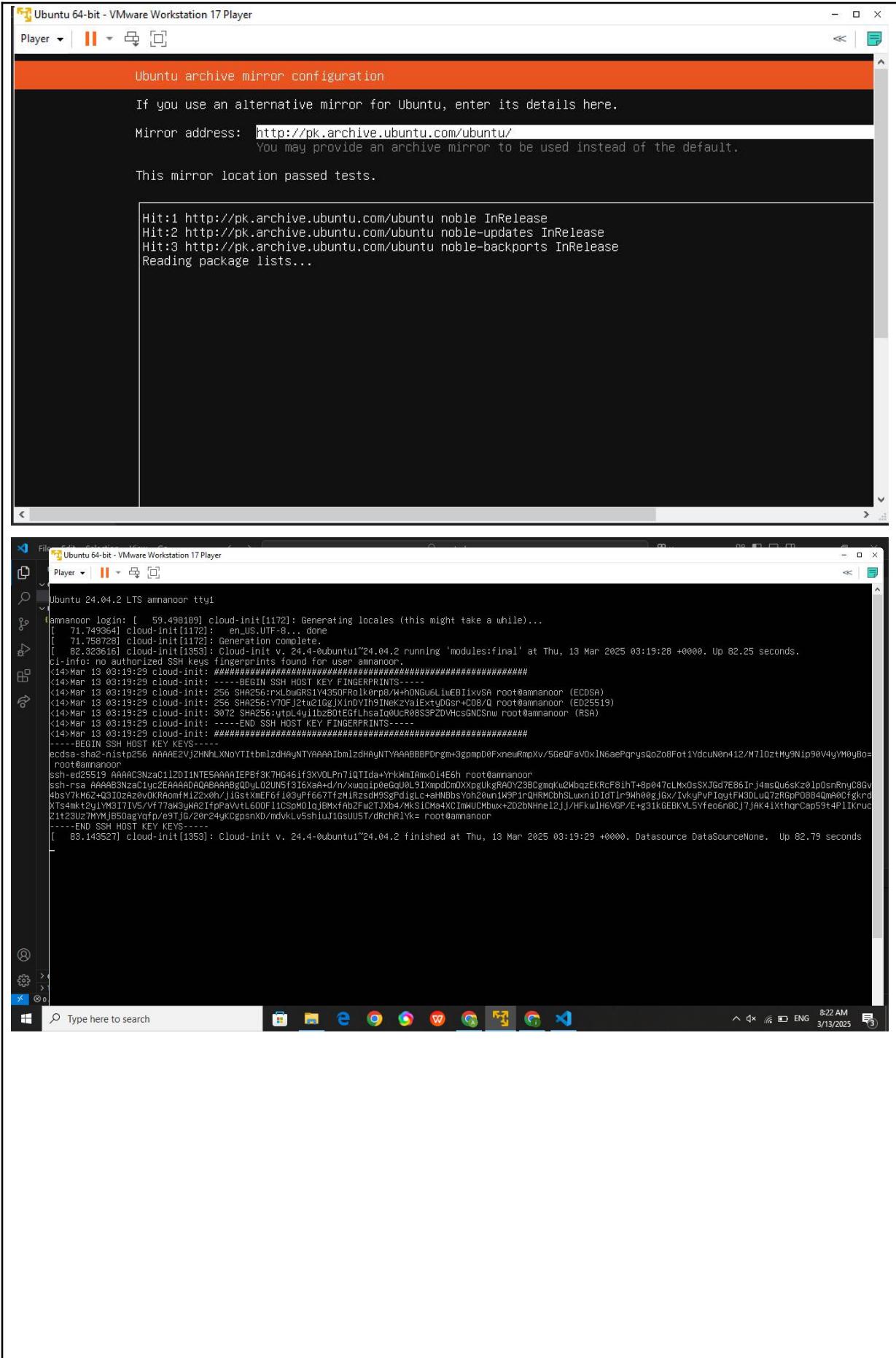




After that, I set my server's settings:







```

Ubuntu 64-bit - VMware Workstation 17 Player
Player | ||| | ☰
[ 83.143527] cloud-init[1353]: Cloud-init v. 24.4-0ubuntu1~24.04.2 finished at Thu, 13 Mar 2025 03:19:29 +0000. Datasource DataSourceNone. Up 82.79 se
amnanoor login: an
Password:
Login incorrect
amnanoor login: amnanoor
Password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 24.04.2 LTS (GNU/Linux 6.8.0-53-generic x86_64)

 * Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
 * Management: https://landscape.canonical.com
 * Support: https://ubuntu.com/pro

System information as of Thu Mar 13 03:45:32 AM UTC 2025

System load: 0.09      Processes:          209
Usage of /: 34.8% of 14.66GB   Users logged in:    0
Memory usage: 8%
Swap usage:  0%

Expanded Security Maintenance for Applications is not enabled.

0 updates can be applied immediately.

Enable ESM Apps to receive additional future security updates.
See https://ubuntu.com/esm or run: sudo pro status

The programs included with the Ubuntu system are free software;
the exact distribution terms for each program are described in the
individual files in /usr/share/doc/*copyright.

Ubuntu comes with ABSOLUTELY NO WARRANTY, to the extent permitted by
applicable law.

To run a command as administrator (user "root"), use "sudo <command>".
See "man sudo_root" for details.

```

Odoo Installation:

After the above processes, I actually started Odoo Installation. Steps and their screenshots are given below:

1. Update System Packages

```
sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade -y
```

```

amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ 
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt update
[sudo] password for amnanoor:
Get:1 http://security.ubuntu.com/ubuntu noble-security InRelease [126 kB]
Get:2 http://security.ubuntu.com/ubuntu noble-security/main amd64 Packages [670 kB]
Hit:3 https://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu noble InRelease

```

2. Install Required Dependencies

```
sudo apt install python3 python3-pip python3-venv python3-dev \
```

```

As my guest OS is running on a nested Hyper-V host (QEMU) binary is not available
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install python3 python3-pip
[sudo] password for amnanoor:
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree... Done
Reading state information... Done
python3 is already the newest version (3.12.3-0ubuntu2).
python3 set to manually installed.
The following additional packages will be installed:

```

```
sudo apt install postgresql
```

```
No VM guests are running outdated hypervisor (qemu) binaries or  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install postgresql  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree... Done  
Reading state information... Done  
The following additional packages will be installed:  
  libcommon-sense-perl libjson-perl libjson-xs-perl libl1vm17t6  
  postgresql-common ssl-cert  
Suggested packages:
```

sudo apt install git wget nodejs npm -y

```
user sessions running outdated binaries.  
amnanoor @ session #4: login[1149]  
amnanoor @ user manager service: systemd[1508]  
  
No VM guests are running outdated hypervisor (qemu) binaries on this host.  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install git wget nodejs npm -y
```

sudo apt install python3-dev python3-venv python3-wheel -y

```
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0 not upgraded.  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install python3-dev python3-venv python3-wheel -y  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree... Done  
Reading state information... Done  
python3-dev is already the newest version (3.12.3-0ubuntu2).  
python3-wheel is already the newest version (0.42.0-2).  
python3-wheel set to manually installed.  
The following additional packages will be installed:  
  python3-pip-whl python3-setuptools-whl python3.12-venv  
The following NEW packages will be installed:  
  python3-pip-whl python3-setuptools-whl python3-venv python3.12-venv  
0 upgraded, 4 newly installed, 0 to remove and 5 not upgraded.  
Need to get 2,425 kB of archives.  
After this operation, 2,777 kB of additional disk space will be used.  
Get:1 https://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu noble-updates/universe amd64 python3-pip-whl a.  
40% [1 python3-pip-whl 1,208 kB/1,703 kB 71%]
```

sudo apt install libldap2-dev libsasl2-dev libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpq-dev -y

```
No VM guests are running outdated hypervisor (qemu) binaries on this host.  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install libldap2-dev libsasl2-dev libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpq-dev -y  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree... Done  
Reading state information... Done  
The following additional packages will be installed:  
  icu-devtools libcu-dev libjpeg-turbo8-dev libjpeg8-dev libldap-dev libxml2-dev  
Suggested packages:  
  icu-doc postgresql-doc-16 pkg-config  
The following NEW packages will be installed:  
  icu-devtools libcu-dev libjpeg-dev libjpeg-turbo8-dev libjpeg8-dev libldap-dev libldap2-dev libpq-dev  
0 upgraded, 11 newly installed, 0 to remove and 5 not upgraded.  
Need to get 14.0 MB of archives.  
After this operation, 58.2 MB of additional disk space will be used.  
Get:1 https://in.archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu noble-updates/main amd64 icu-devtools amd64 74.2-1ubuntu3.1 [0% [1 icu-devtools 7,900 B/212 kB 4%]
```

sudo apt install postgresql -y

```
sudo systemctl enable --now postgresql
```

```
NO VM guests are running outdated hypervisor (QEMU) binaries on  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo apt install postgresql -y  
Reading package lists... Done  
Building dependency tree... Done  
Reading state information... Done  
postgresql is already the newest version (16+257build1.1).  
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 5 not upgraded.  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo systemctl enable --now postgresql
```

3. Create PostgreSQL User for Odoo

```
sudo -u postgres createuser -s odoo
```

```
Synchronizing state of postgresql.service with SysV service script with /usr/lib/systemd/system-sysv-install enable postgresql  
Executing: /usr/lib/systemd/system-sysv-install enable postgresql  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo -u postgres createuser -s odoo  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~$ sudo useradd -m -d /opt/odoo -U -r -s /bin/bash odoo
```

4. Download & Setup Odoo Source Code

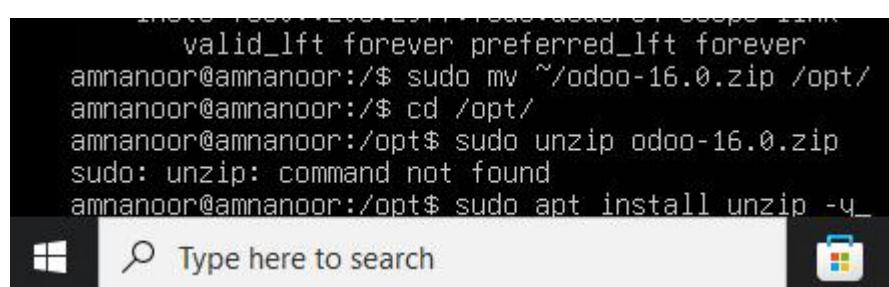
```
git clone https://www.github.com/odoo/odoo --depth=1 --branch 16.0
```

Above command didn't work. So, I manually downloaded the zip file and moved it to the required directory.

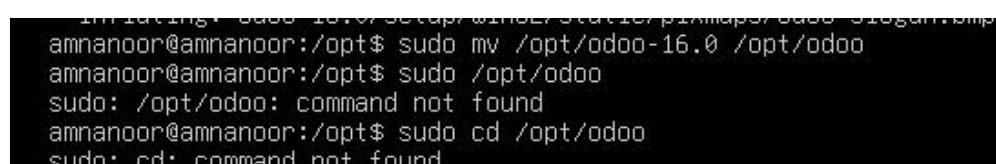
```
cd /opt/
```

```
sudo unzip odoo-16.0.zip
```

```
sudo mv /opt/odoo-16.0 /opt/odoo
```



```
valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~/Downloads$ sudo mv ~/odoo-16.0.zip /opt/  
amnanoor@amnanoor:~/Downloads$ cd /opt/  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo unzip odoo-16.0.zip  
sudo: unzip: command not found  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo apt install unzip -y
```



```
Integrating: odoo_16.0-setup-win32/Static/pinmaps/odoo_160garn.bmp  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo mv /opt/odoo-16.0 /opt/odoo  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo /opt/odoo  
sudo: /opt/odoo: command not found  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo cd /opt/odoo  
sudo: cd: command not found
```

5. Create a Virtual Environment & Install Dependencies

```
cd /opt/odoo
```

```
python3 -m venv venv
```

```
source venv/bin/activate  
pip3 install -r requirements.txt
```

```
sudo: the -D option may be used to run a command in a specific directory.  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ cd /opt/odoo  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ python3 -m venv venv  
Error: [Errno 13] Permission denied: '/opt/odoo/venv'  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo python3 -m venv venv  
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ source venv/bin/activate  
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ pip3 install -r requirements.txt  
Type here to search  
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Player | || Type here to search  
Downloading pytz-2025.1-py2.py3-none-any.whl (507 kB) 507.9/507.9 kB 327.1 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading appdirs-1.4.4-py2.py3-none-any.whl (9.6 kB)  
Downloading attrs-25.2.0-py3-none-any.whl (64 kB) 64.0/64.0 kB 149.4 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading cached_property-2.0.1-py3-none-any.whl (7.4 kB)  
Downloading certifi-2025.1.31-py3-none-any.whl (166 kB) 166.4/166.4 kB 198.9 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading cffi-1.17.1-cp312-cp312-manylinux_2_17_x86_64_manylinux2014_x86_64.whl (479 kB) 479.4/479.4 kB 94.3 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading charset_normalizer-3.4.1-cp312-cp312-manylinux_2_17_x86_64_manylinux2014_x86_64.whl (145 kB) 145.3/145.3 kB 122.8 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading defusedxml-0.7.1-py2.py3-none-any.whl (25 kB)  
Downloading idna-2.30.0-py3-none-any.whl (22 kB)  
Downloading pyasn1-0.6.1-py3-none-any.whl (83 kB) 83.1/83.1 kB 270.1 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading pyasn1_modules-0.4.1-py3-none-any.whl (181 kB) 181.5/181.5 kB 210.1 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading pyparsing-3.2.1-py3-none-any.whl (197 kB) 197.7/197.7 kB 131.3 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading requests_file-2.1.0-py2.py3-none-any.whl (4.2 kB)  
Downloading requests_toolbelt-1.0.0-py2.py3-none-any.whl (54 kB) 54.5/54.5 kB 398.3 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading six-1.17.0-py2.py3-none-any.whl (11 kB)  
Downloading beautifulsoup4-4.13.3-py3-none-any.whl (186 kB) 186.0/186.0 kB 125.5 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading zope.event-5.0-py3-none-any.whl (6.8 kB)  
Downloading zope.interface-7.2-cp312-cp312-manylinux_2_17_x86_64_manylinux2014_x86_64.whl (264 kB) 264.7/264.7 kB 200.6 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Downloading soupsieve-2.6-py3-none-any.whl (36 kB)  
Downloading typing_extensions-4.12.2-py3-none-any.whl (37 kB)  
Downloading pyccparser-2.22-py3-none-any.whl (117 kB) 117.6/117.6 kB 132.6 kB/s eta 0:00:00  
Using cached setuptools-76.0.0-py3-none-any.whl (1.2 MB)  
Building wheels for collected packages: ebaySDK, oxparse, psycopg2, python-ldap, vobject, docopt  
Building wheel for ebaySDK (pyproject.toml) ... done  
Created wheel for ebaySDK: filename=ebaySDK-2.1.5-py3-none-any.whl size=62751 sha256=6205349d93d83b2763aefbd74023aa5d7c5e4c8e2c779ecd6d64ff1104798170  
Stored in directory: /home/amnanoor/.cache/pip/wheels/2b/81/b7/fe19eb0d37a2a10db94ceead430819339869bc974b421b0  
Building wheel for oxparse (pyproject.toml) ... done  
Created wheel for oxparse: filename=oxparse-0.21-py3-none-any.whl size=35352 sha256=9ec1fd6f78c5a506832cc738bbd5df925b6e980b49ccb705f62dd0e72a31cd56  
Stored in directory: /home/amnanoor/.cache/pip/wheels/fa/b9/74/fddaedbeedab03989516f7c3f13fdae69856160288679f102f  
Building wheel for psycopg2 (pyproject.toml) ... -  
Windows Terminal  
Type here to search  
12:02 PM 3/13/2025
```

6. Create Odoo Configuration File

```
sudo nano /etc/odoo.conf
```

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```
GNU nano 7.2                                     /etc/odoo.conf
[options]
admin_passwd = admin
db_host = False
db_port = False
db_user = odoo
db_password = False
addons_path = /opt/odoo/addons
logfile = /var/log/odoo.log
```

7. Set Up a Systemd Service for Odoo

```
sudo nano /etc/systemd/system/odoo.service
```

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```
GNU nano 7.2                                     /etc/systemd/system/odoo.service
[Unit]
Description=Odoo
After=network.target postgresql.service

[Service]
User=odoo
Group=odoo
ExecStart=/opt/odoo/venv/bin/python3 /opt/odoo/odoo-bin --config=/etc/odoo.config
Restart=always

[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target
```

8. Start and Enable Odoo Service

```
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
```

```
sudo systemctl enable odoo
```

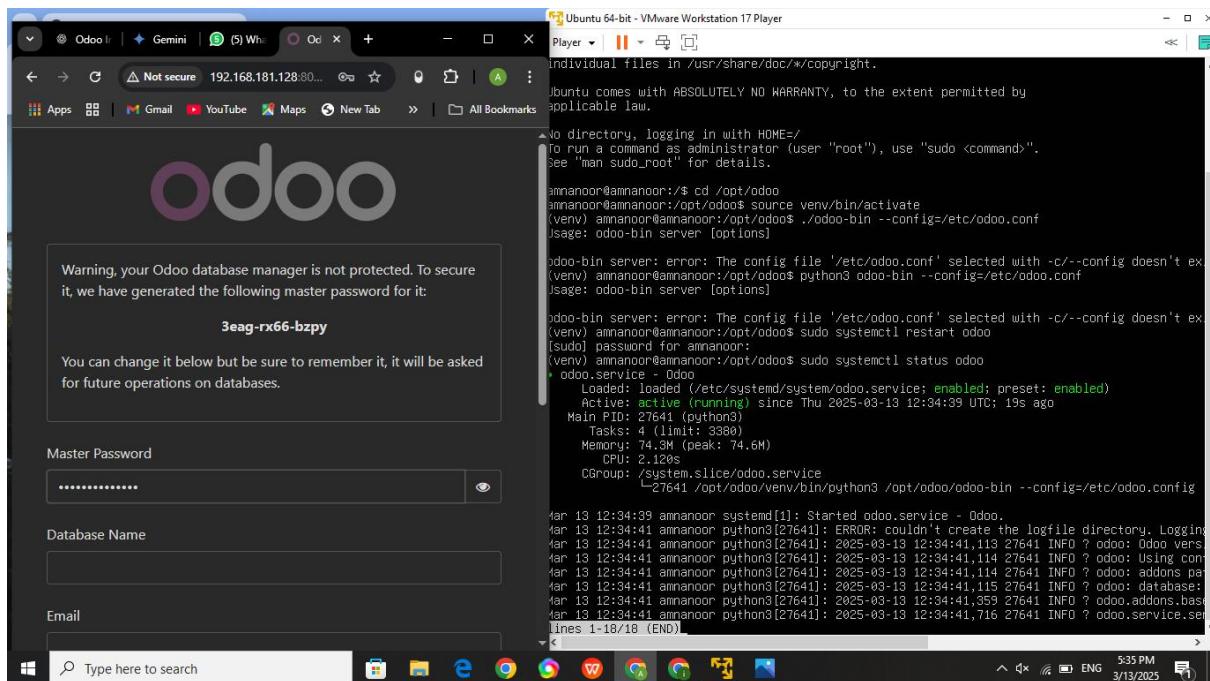
```
sudo systemctl start odoo
```

```
sudo systemctl status odoo
```

```
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo systemctl daemon-reload
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo systemctl start odoo
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo systemctl enable odoo
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/odoo.service → /etc/systemd/system/odoo.service.
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo systemctl status odoo
● odoo.service - Odoo
    Loaded: loaded (/etc/systemd/system/odoo.service; enabled; preset: enabled)
      Active: active (running) since Thu 2025-03-13 07:26:26 UTC; 4min 28s ago
        Main PID: 24591 (python3)
           CPU: 2.120s
```

9. Odoo on Browser

- Open <http://192.168.181.128:8069> in your browser.



Troubleshooting Errors

1. "Permission Denied"

Fix: Grant permissions to the Odoo directory

```
sudo chown -R odoo:odoo /opt/odoo
```

```
sudo chmod -R 755 /opt/odoo
```

```
Mar 13 07:35:55 amnanoor python3[24702]:   FILE </frozen os> , line 225, in makedirs
Mar 13 07:35:55 amnanoor python3[24702]: PermissionError: [Errno 13] Permission denied: '/opt/odoo/.local'
Mar 13 07:35:55 amnanoor python3[24702]: 2025-03-13 07:35:55,650 24702 INFO werkzeug: 192.168.181.1 - - [13/Mar/2025]
- 0 0.000 0.004
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo chown -R odoo:odoo /opt/odoo
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$ sudo chmod -R 775 /opt/odoo
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$
```

Then restart Odoo:

```
sudo systemctl restart odoo
```

2. Error (while installing requirements.txt):

```
Installing collected packages: xiwt, XLSXWriter, pgtz, python-stddom, pgserial, apduio, passlib, docopt, appdirs, x
psieve, six, setuptools, pyusb, PyPDF2, pyparsring, pycparser, pyasn1, psycopg2, psutil, Pillow, num2words, MarkupS
ocutils, defusedxml, decorator, charset-normalizer, chardet, certifi, cached-property, Babel, attrs, zope.interfac
thon-dateutil, pydot, pyasn1_modules, lxml.html-clean, Jinja2, cffi, beautifulsoup4, vobject, requests-toolbelt, r
ezeugun, ebaySDK, cryptography, zeep, pyopenssl
ERROR: Could not install packages due to an OSError: [Errno 13] Permission denied: '/opt/odoo/venv/lib/python3.12.
Check the permissions.
```

```
(venv) amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt/odoo$
```

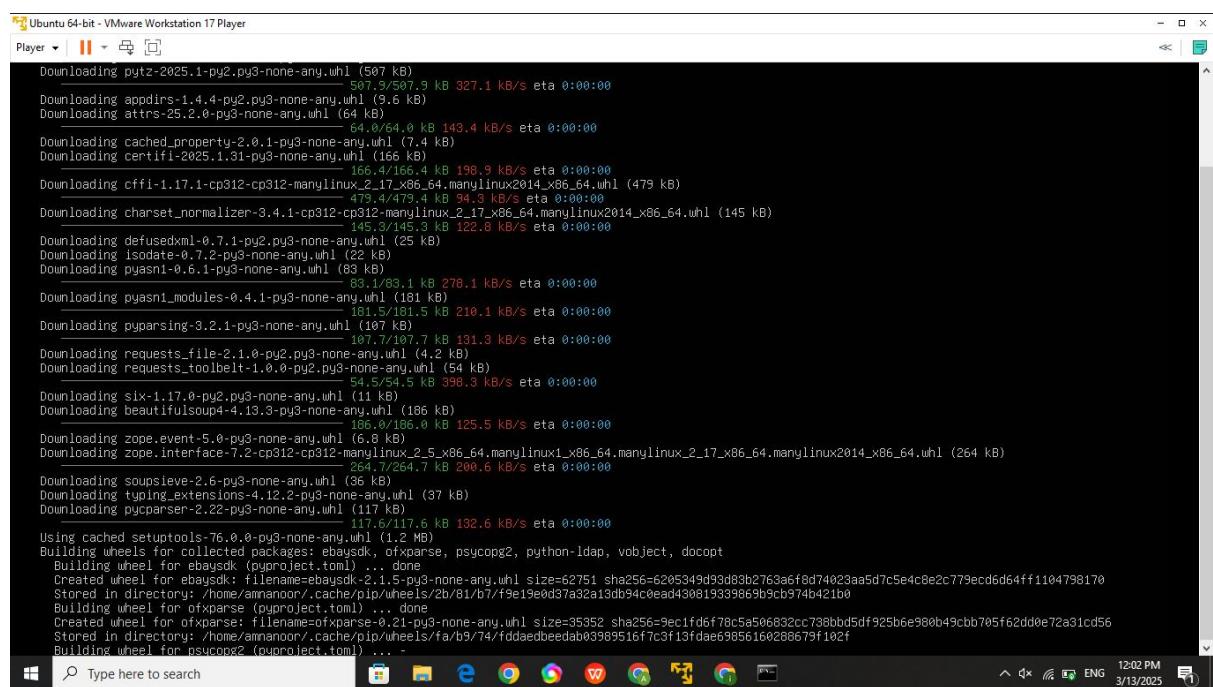
Solution:

Grant permissions:

```
sudo chown -R amnanoor:amnanoor /opt/odoo/venv
```

```
source venv/bin/activate
```

```
pip3 install -r requirements.txt
```



3. Error while cloning:

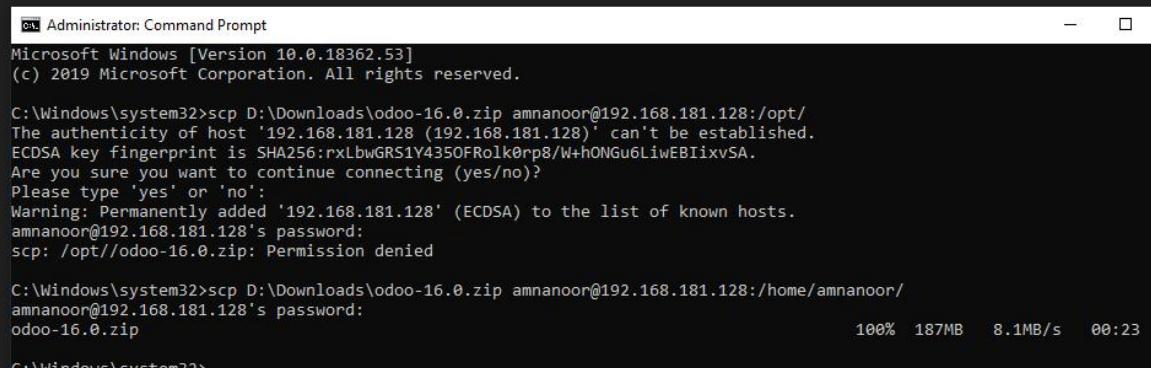
```
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo mv /opt/base /opt/base_backup
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo git clone --depth 1 --branch 16.0 https://www.github.com/odoo/odoo.git /opt/odoo
Cloning into '/opt/odoo'...
warning: redirecting to https://github.com/odoo/odoo.git/
remote: Enumerating objects: 42316, done.
remote: Counting objects: 100% (42316/42316), done.
remote: Compressing objects: 100% (30998/30998), done.
error: RPC failed; curl 92 HTTP/2 stream 5 was not closed cleanly: CANCEL (err 8)
error: 4300 bytes of body are still expected
fetch-pack: unexpected disconnect while reading sideband packet
fatal: early EOF
fatal: fetch-pack: invalid index-pack output
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo mv ~/Downloads/odoo-16.0.zip /opt/
mv: cannot stat '/home/amnanoor/Downloads/odoo-16.0.zip': No such file or directory
```

Fix:

Get your ip address of VMware

Shift downloaded zip file from you PC's host location in to home/root directory of VMware

```
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ cd ..
amnanoor@amnanoor:/$ ip a
1: lo: <LOOPBACK,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 65536 qdisc noqueue state UNKNOWN group default qlen 1000
    link/loopback 00:00:00:00:00 brd 00:00:00:00:00:00
    inet 127.0.0.1/8 scope host lo
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
    inet6 ::1/128 scope host noprefixroute
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
2: ens33: <BROADCAST,MULTICAST,UP,LOWER_UP> mtu 1500 qdisc fq_codel state UP group default qlen 1000
    link/ether 00:c2:9a:6:d8:d5 brd ff:ff:ff:ff:ff:ff
    altname enp2s1
    inet 192.168.181.128/24 metric 100 brd 192.168.181.255 scope global dynamic ens33
        valid_lft 1769sec preferred_lft 1769sec
    inet6 fe80::20c:29ff:fea6:d8d5/64 scope link
        valid_lft forever preferred_lft forever
amnanoor@amnanoor:/$ sudo mv ~/odoo-16.0.zip /opt/
amnanoor@amnanoor:/$ cd /opt/
amnanoor@amnanoor:/opt$ sudo unzip odoo-16.0.zip
```



A screenshot of a Windows Command Prompt window titled "Administrator: Command Prompt". The window shows the following command and its execution:

```
C:\Windows\system32>scp D:\Downloads\odoo-16.0.zip amnanoor@192.168.181.128:/opt/
The authenticity of host '192.168.181.128 (192.168.181.128)' can't be established.
ECDSA key fingerprint is SHA256:rxLbwGRS1Y4350FRolk0rp8/W+hONGu6LiwEBIixvSA.
Are you sure you want to continue connecting (yes/no)?
Please type 'yes' or 'no':
Warning: Permanently added '192.168.181.128' (ECDSA) to the list of known hosts.
amnanoor@192.168.181.128's password:
scp: /opt/odoo-16.0.zip: Permission denied

C:\Windows\system32>scp D:\Downloads\odoo-16.0.zip amnanoor@192.168.181.128:/home/amnanoor/
amnanoor@192.168.181.128's password:
100% 187MB 8.1MB/s 00:23

C:\Windows\system32>
```