

# Setup a VM on Windows

.VirtualBox is a free and popular virtualization software that allows you to create and run virtual machines on your computer.

## Step 1:

Make sure you have downloaded and installed VirtualBox on your system. You can find the latest version on the VirtualBox website.

The screenshot shows the VirtualBox website with the following content:

- Downloads** (link)
- Documentation** (link)
- End-user docs** (link)
- Technical docs** (link)
- Contribute** (link)
- Community** (link)

enterprise as well as home use, not only is VirtualBox an extremely feature rich, high performance product for enterprise customers, it is also the only professional solution that is freely available as Open Source Software under the terms of the GNU General Public License (GPL) version 3. See "About VirtualBox" for an introduction.

Presently, VirtualBox runs on Windows, Linux, macOS, and Solaris hosts and supports a large number of **guest operating systems** including but not limited to Windows (NT 4.0, 2000, XP, Server 2003, Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8, Windows 10), DOS/Windows 3.x, Linux (2.4, 2.6, 3.x and 4.x), Solaris and OpenSolaris, OS/2, and OpenBSD.

VirtualBox is being actively developed with frequent releases and has an ever growing list of features, supported guest operating systems and platforms it runs on. VirtualBox is a community effort backed by a dedicated company: everyone is encouraged to contribute while Oracle ensures the product always meets professional quality criteria.

**Download VirtualBox 7.0**

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- **New July 18th, 2023 VirtualBox 7.0.10 released!**  
Oracle today released a 7.0 maintenance release which improves stability and fixes regressions. See the [Changelog](#) for details.
- **New July 18th, 2023 VirtualBox 6.1.46 released!**  
Oracle today released a 6.1 maintenance release which improves stability and fixes regressions. See the [Changelog](#) for details.
- **New April 18th, 2023 VirtualBox 7.0.8 released!**  
Oracle today released a 7.0 maintenance release which improves stability and fixes regressions. See the [Changelog](#) for details.
- **New April 18th, 2023 VirtualBox 6.1.44 released!**  
Oracle today released a 6.1 maintenance release which improves stability and fixes regressions. See the [Changelog](#) for details.
- **New January 17th, 2023 VirtualBox 7.0.6 released!**  
Oracle today released a 7.0 maintenance release which improves stability and fixes regressions. See the [Changelog](#) for details.
- **New January 17th, 2023 VirtualBox 6.1.42**

**Download VirtualBox**

Here you will find links to VirtualBox binaries and its source code.

**VirtualBox binaries**

By downloading, you agree to the terms and conditions of the respective license.

If you're looking for the latest VirtualBox 6.1 packages, see [VirtualBox 6.1 builds](#). Version 6.1 will remain supported until December 2023.

**VirtualBox 7.0.10 platform packages**

- [Windows hosts](#)
- [macOS / Intel hosts](#)
- [Linux distributions](#)
- [Solaris hosts](#)
- [Solaris 11 IPS hosts](#)

The binaries are released under the terms of the GPL version 3.

See the [changelog](#) for what has changed.

You might want to compare the checksums to verify the integrity of downloaded packages. *The SHA256 checksums should be favored as the MD5 algorithm must be treated as insecure!*

- [SHA256 checksums](#), [MD5 checksums](#)

**Note:** After upgrading VirtualBox it is recommended to upgrade the guest additions as well.

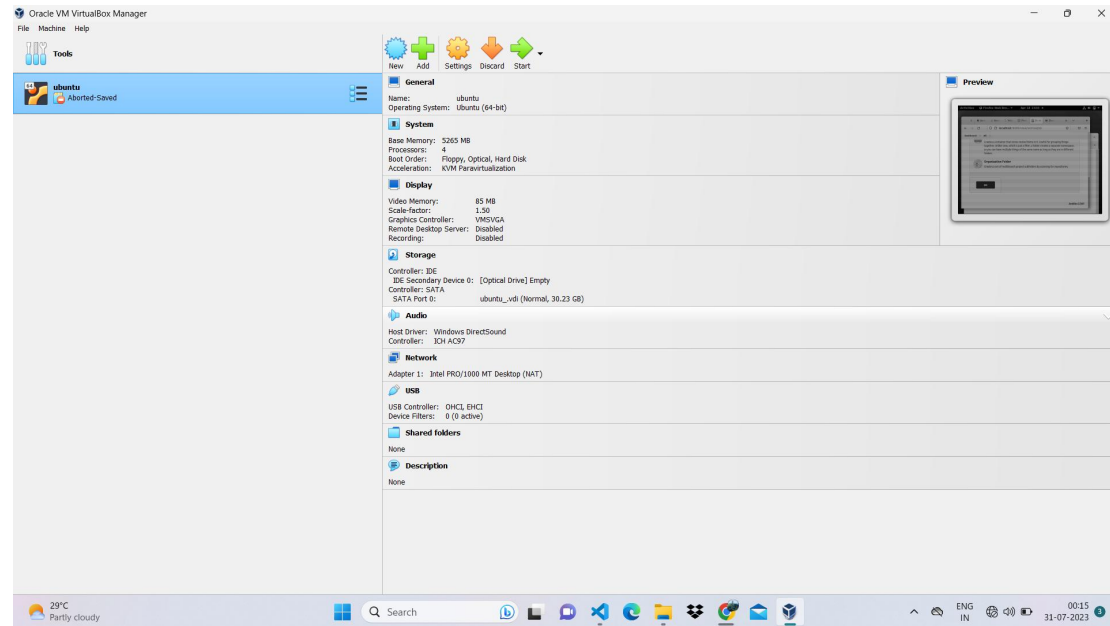
**VirtualBox 7.0.10 Oracle VM VirtualBox Extension Pack**

[All supported platforms](#)

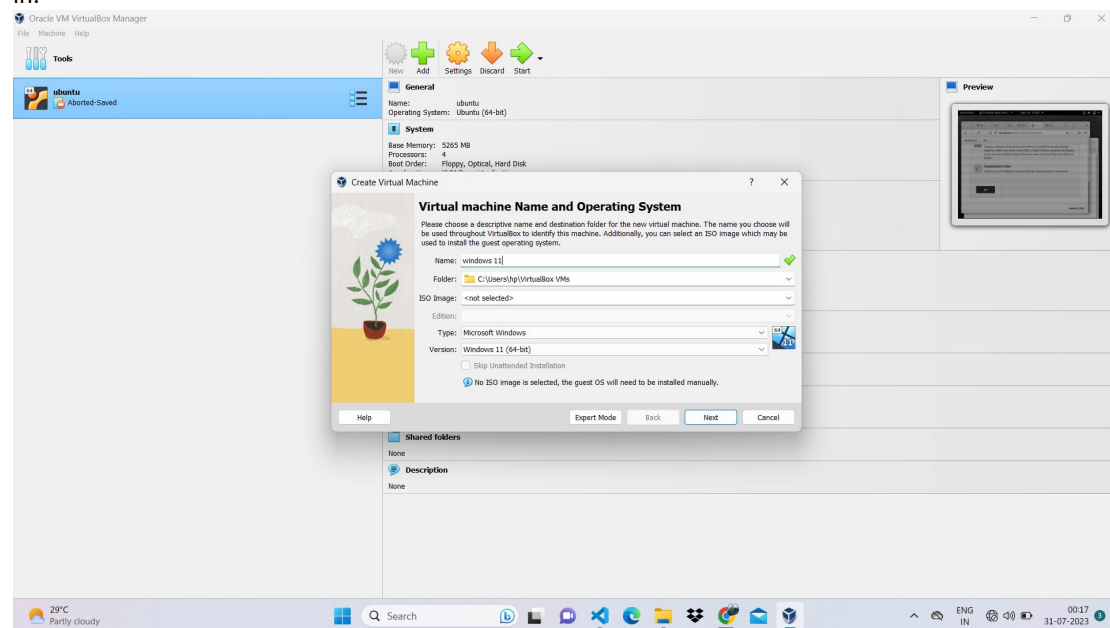
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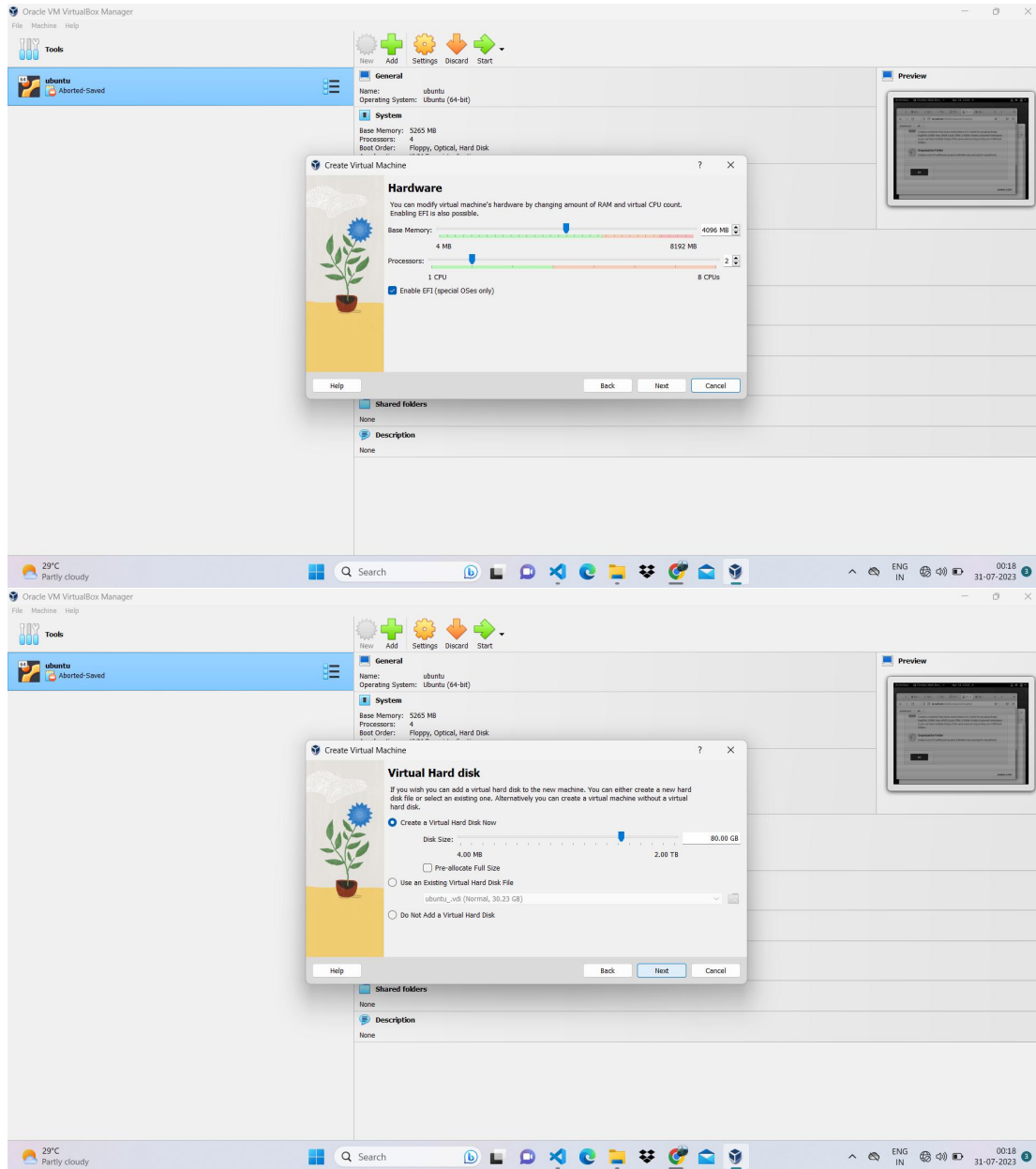
Once you have VirtualBox installed, download the windows 11 iso disk Image.

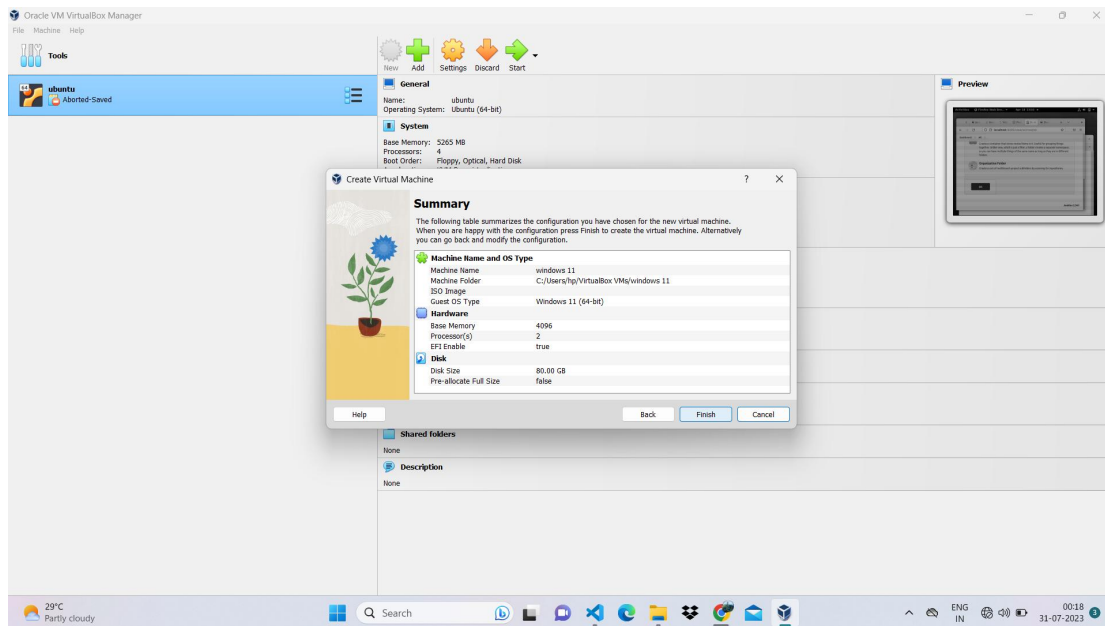
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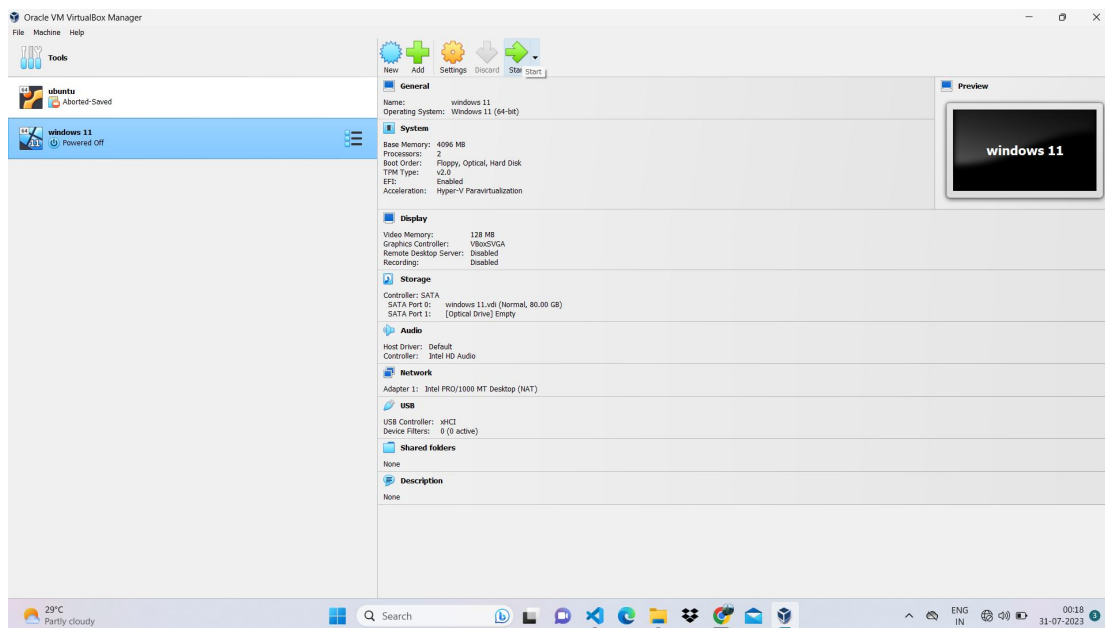
In the "Name" box, type the name of the OS you want to install. VirtualBox will guess the type and version based on the name you type in.



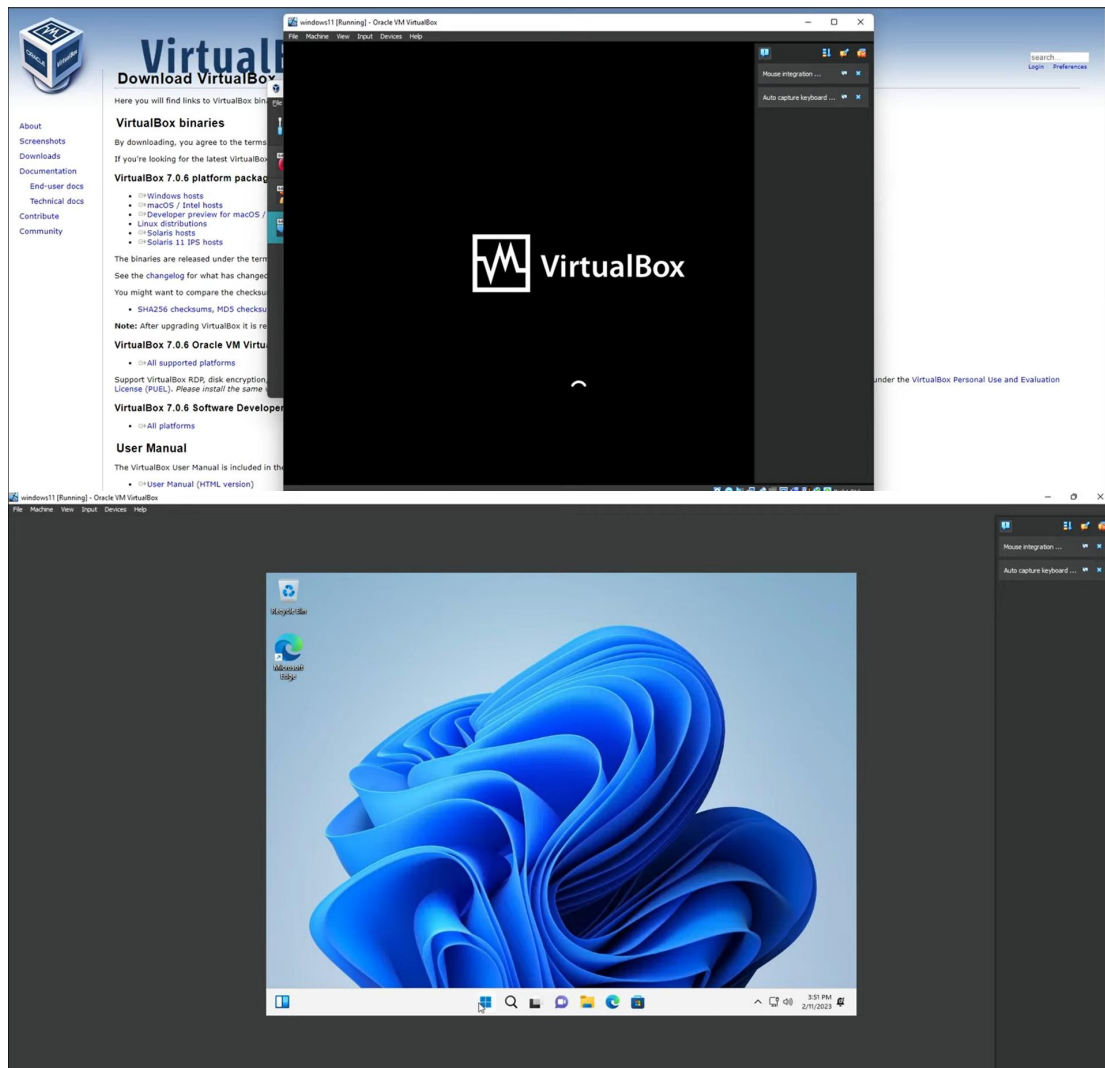




Once the virtual machine starts up, select the .iso image file you want to use.



The virtual machine will now boot from the ISO file, and you can proceed with the OS installation just like you would on a physical machine.



Congratulations! You now have a virtual environment set up using VirtualBox with the operating system of your choice. You can install any software, experiment, and use the virtual machine for various purposes without affecting your host system.