

DOWNLOADING AND INSTALLING METASPLOITABLE ON VIRTUAL BOX

OVERVIEW

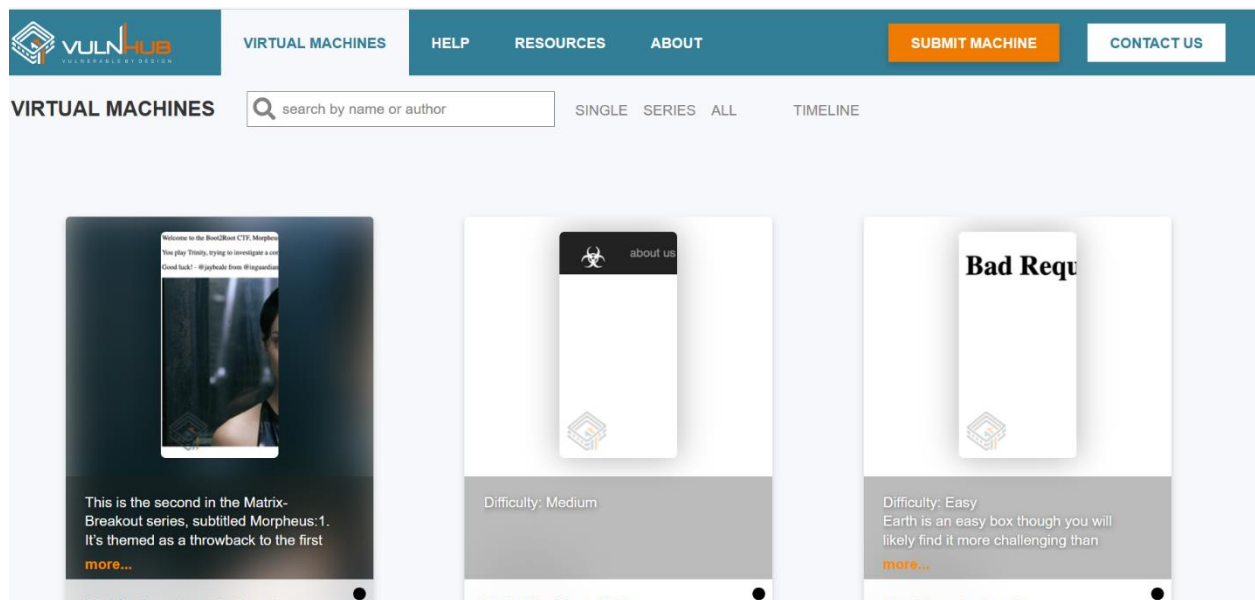
Metasploitable is an intentionally vulnerable machine that can be used to conduct security training ,test security tools, and practice common penetration testing techniques.

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Downloading metasploitable

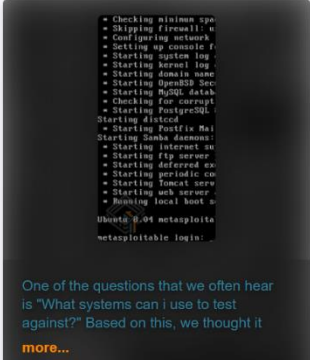
- Lunch google chrome or any browser of your choice
- Goto vulnhub.com



- On the search engine type in 'metasploitable'



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One of the questions that we often hear is "What systems can I use to test against?" Based on this, we thought it

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Metasploitable: 1

19 May 2010 by Metasploit




Some folks may already be aware of Metasploitable, an intentionally vulnerable virtual machine designed for

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Metasploitable: 2

12 Jun 2012 by Metasploit




Morning Catch is a VMware virtual machine, similar to Metasploitable, to demonstrate and teach about targeted

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Morning Catch: Phishing Industries

6 Aug 2014 by Strategic Cyber LLC

- Select metasploitable 2



Series: Metasploitable

Web page: <https://community.rapid7.com/community/metasploit/blog/2012/06/12/introducing-metasploitable-2>

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Please remember that VulnHub is a free community resource so we are unable to check the machines that are provided to us. Before you download, please read our FAQs sections dealing with the dangers of running unknown VMs and our suggestions for "protecting yourself and your network. If you understand the risks, please download!

metasploitable-linux-2.0.0.zip (Size: 833 MB)

Download: <http://sourceforge.net/projects/metasploitable/files/Metasploitable2/metasploitable-linux-2.0.0.zip/download>

Download (Mirror): <https://download.vulnhub.com/metasploitable/metasploitable-linux-2.0.0.zip>

- Click on download (mirror) link
- Goto downloads and locate your metasploitable file

Note: metasploitable comes in different file format but for this project we have zip file.

To extract the zip file, right click on the metasploitable file and choose extract all option. Once this is done a new file will be created with the name metasploitable.

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rasheed (2) (1)	2025-04-03 5:14 AM	PNG File	265 KB

Installing metasploitable on virtual box

- lunch virtual box
- click on new

Create Virtual Machine

Virtual machine Name and Operating System

Please choose a descriptive name and destination folder for the new virtual machine. The name you choose will be used throughout VirtualBox to identify this machine. Additionally, you can select an ISO image which may be used to install the guest operating system.

Name:

Folder:

ISO Image:

Edition:

Type:

Subtype:

Version:

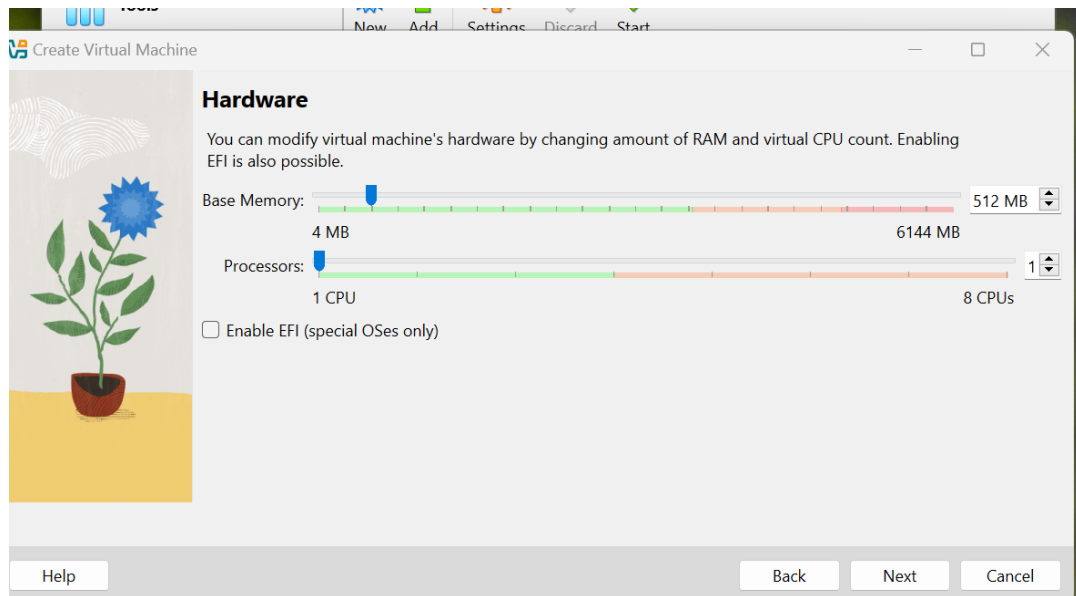
☐ Skip Unattended Installation

No ISO image is selected, the guest OS will need to be installed manually.

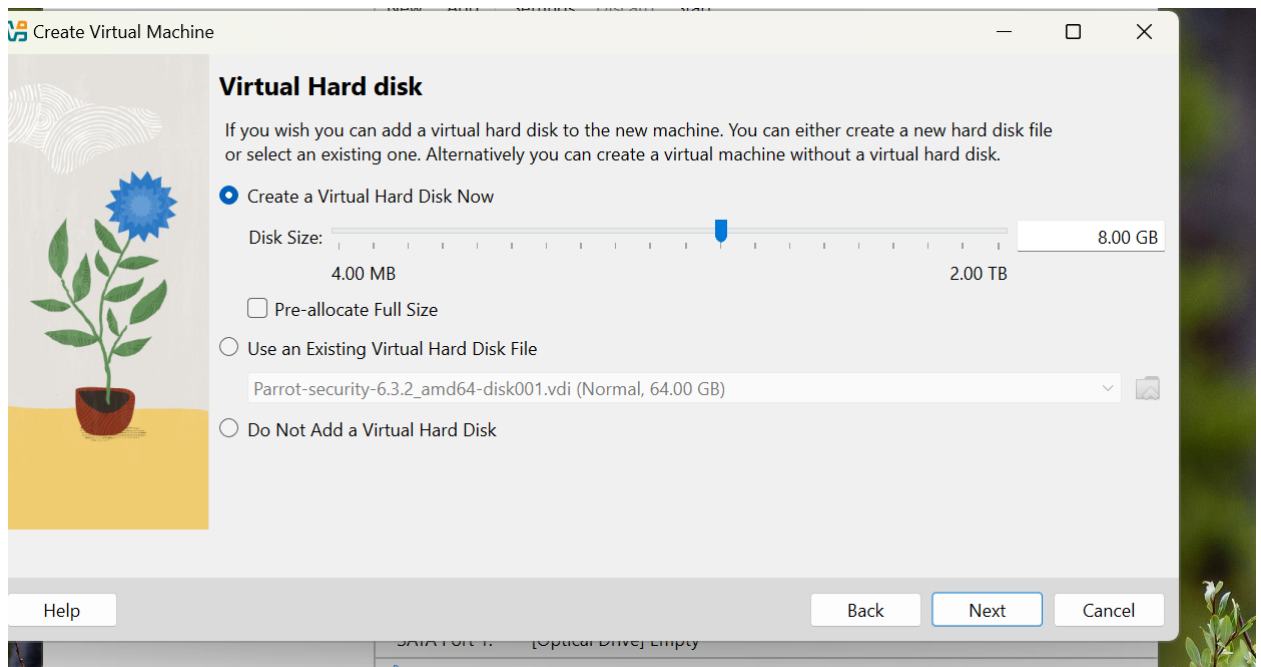
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Note: type should be Linux and subtype should be other Linux.

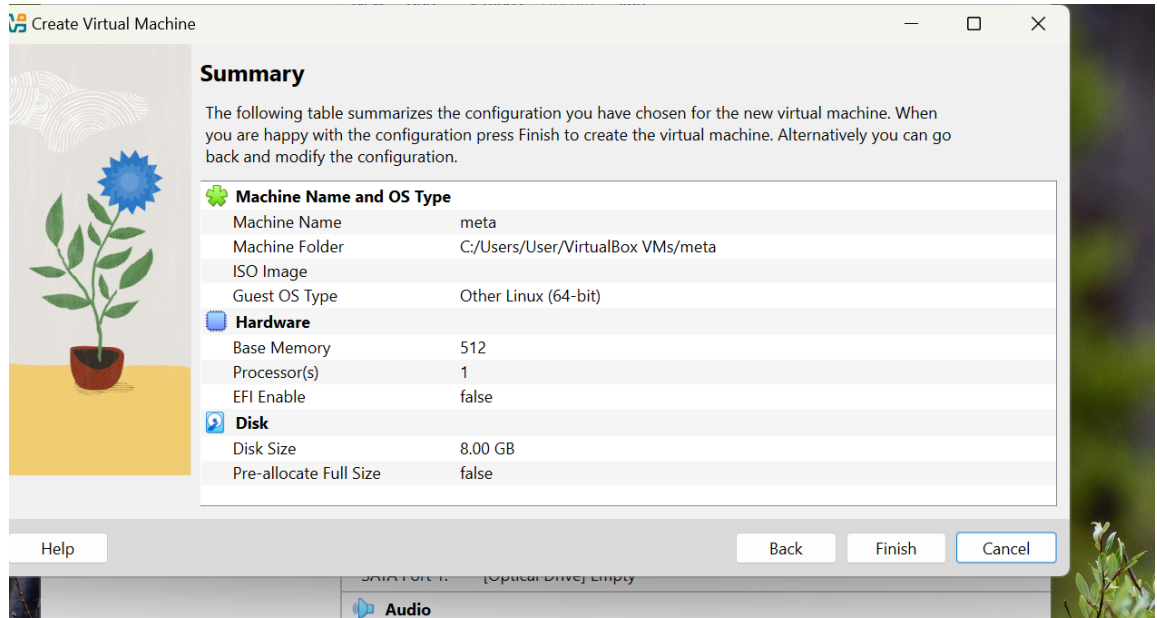
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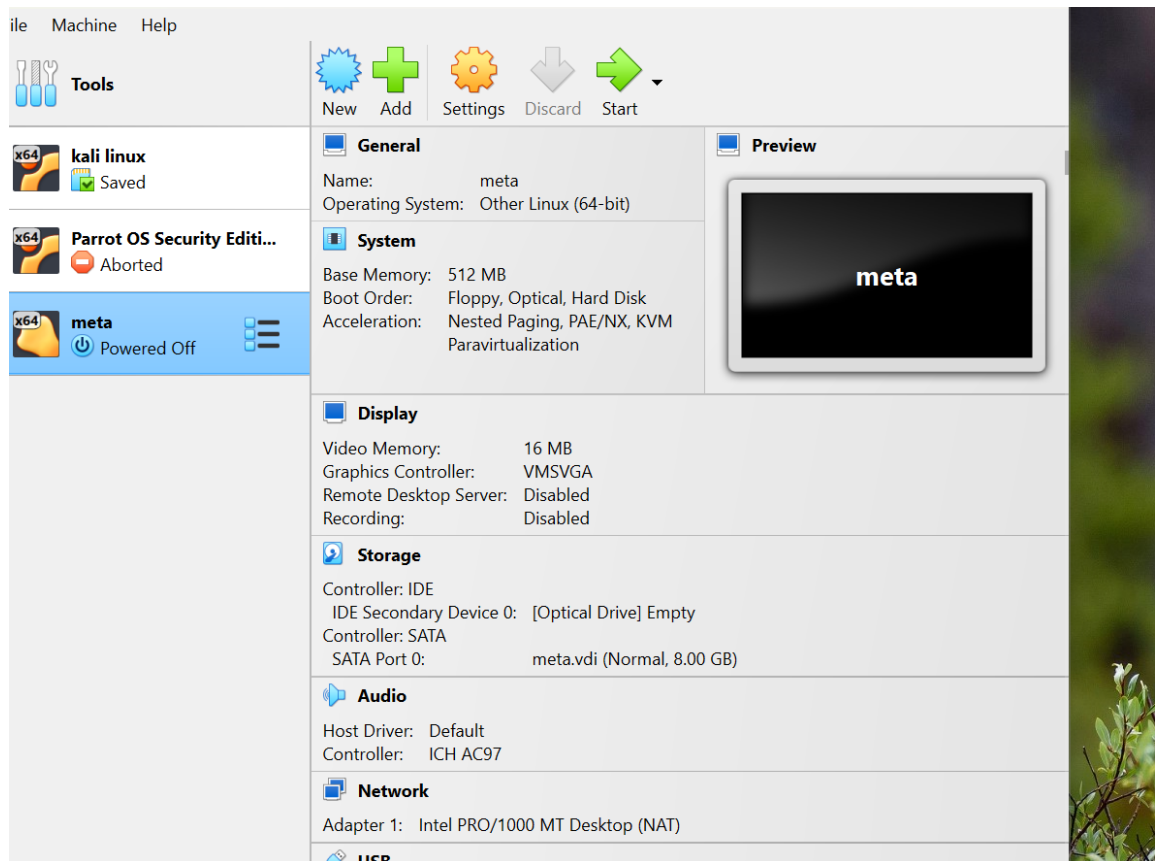
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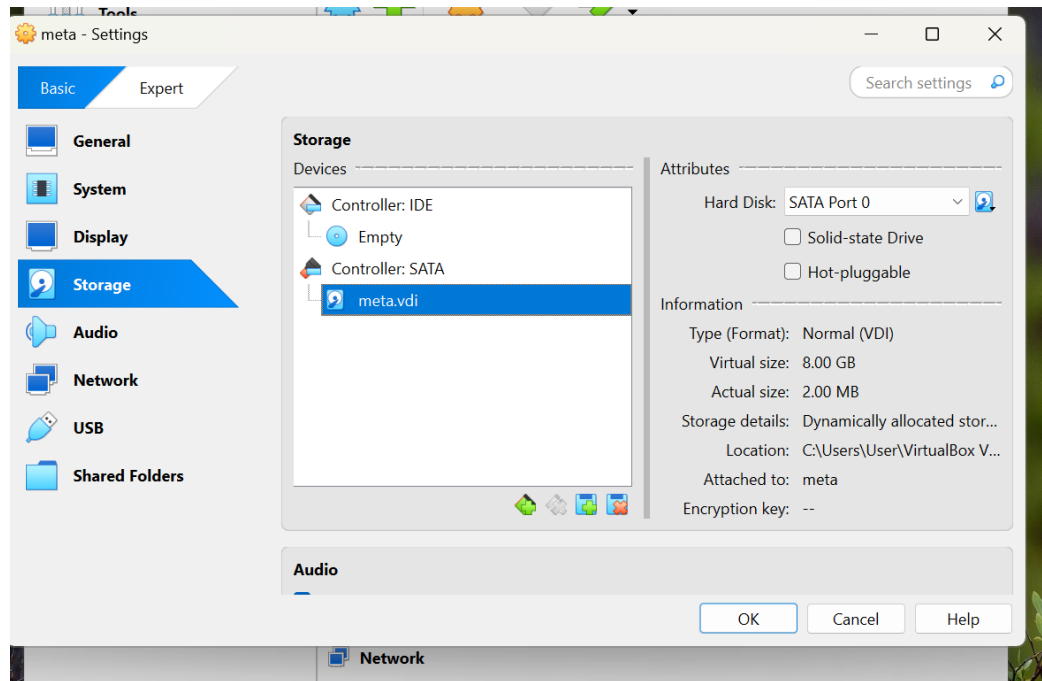


- click on finish and mtasploitable will appear on virtualbox.

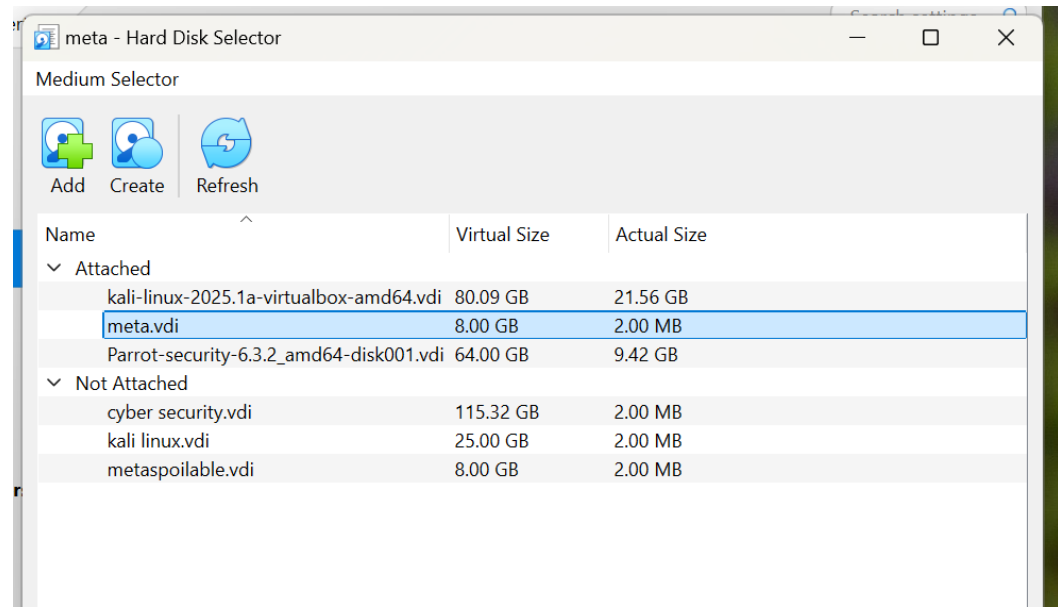


Mounting metasploitable on VirtualBox

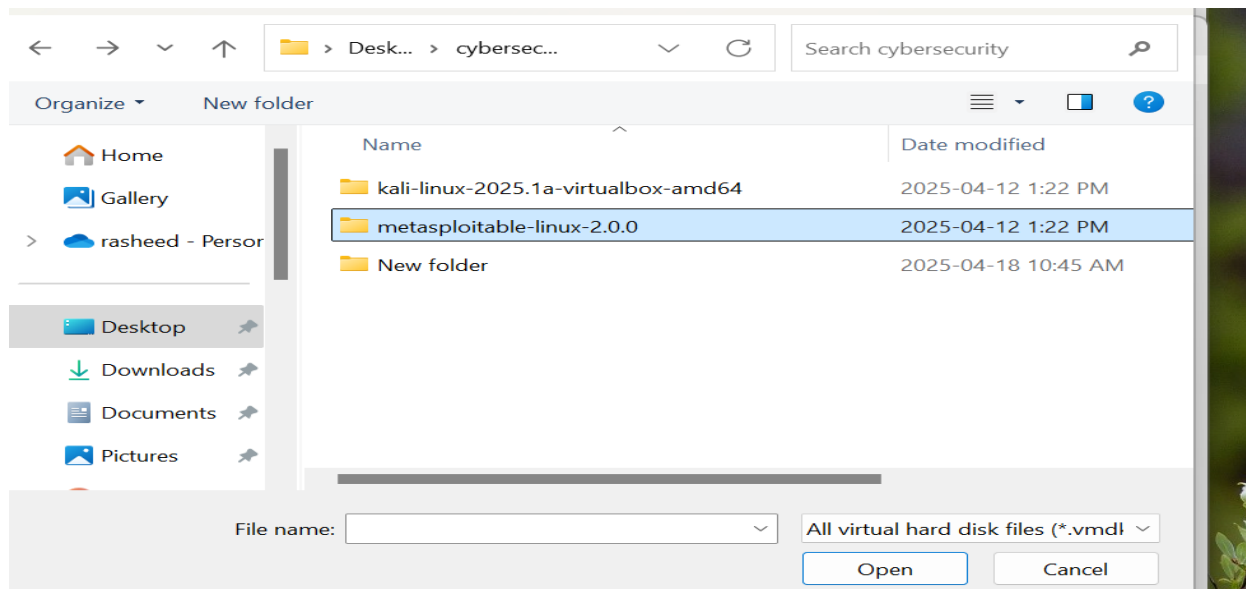
- click on setting on virtual box
- click on storage

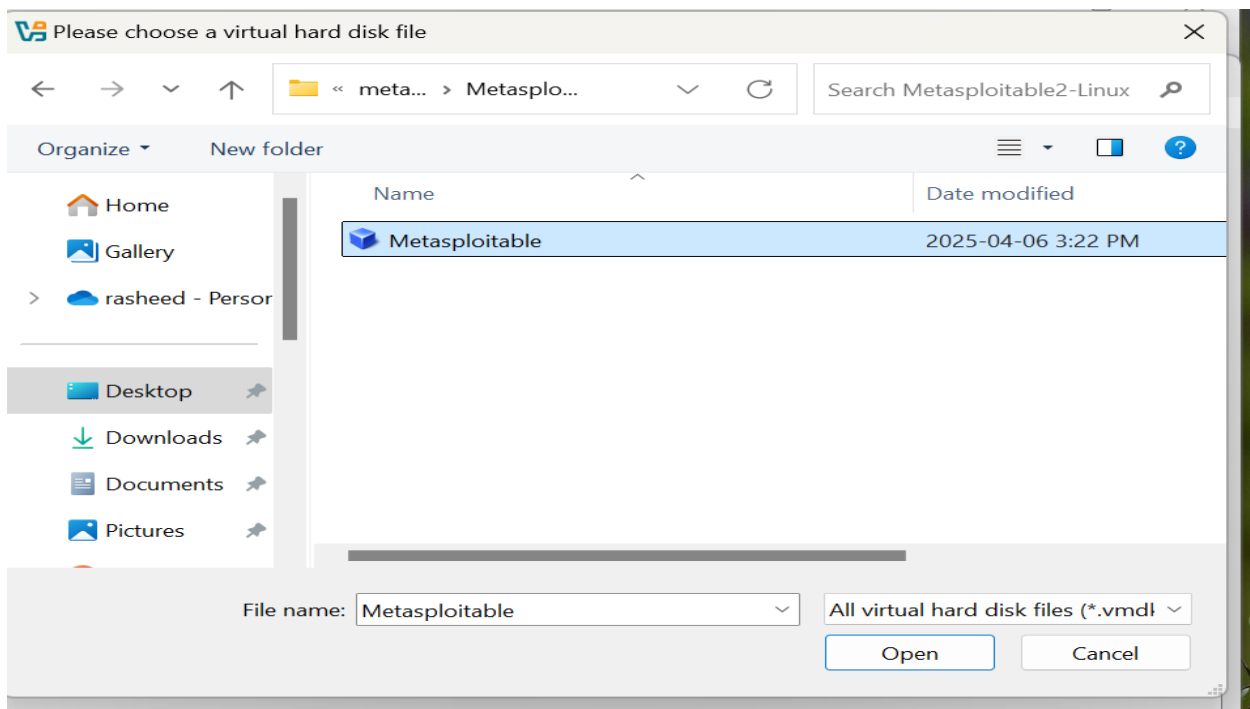
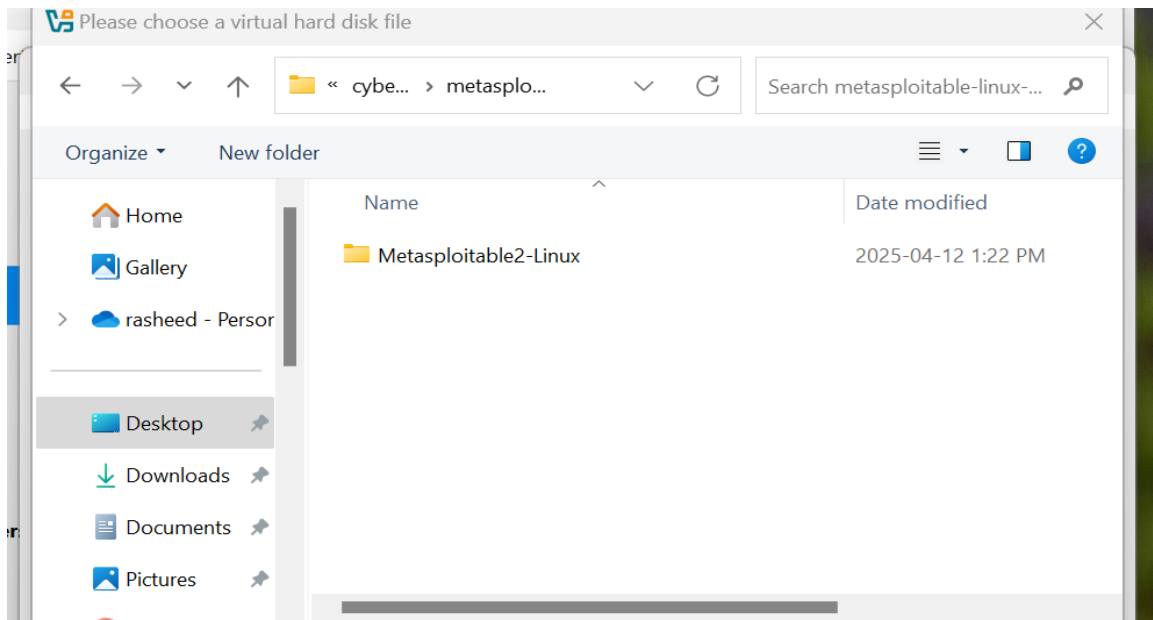


- click on the name you assign to your machine (meta) and also click on click a drop down botton located at the right-hand corner. Click choose or create a virtual hard disk.
- Click on add

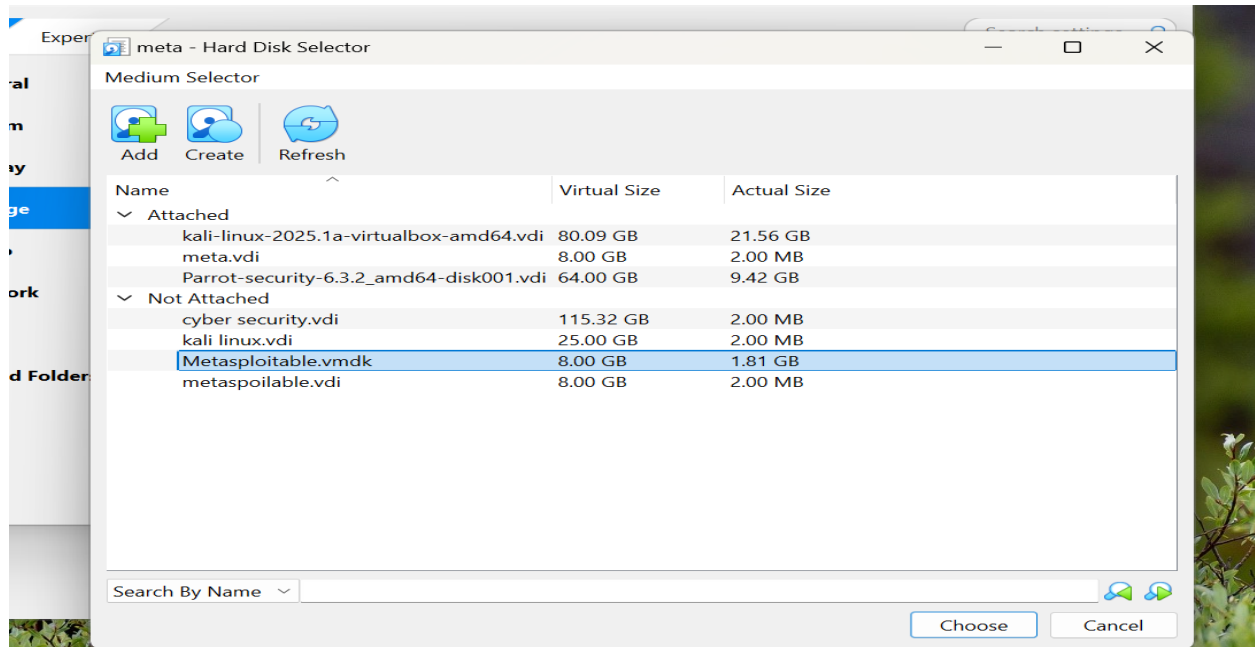


- Goto downloads and open metasploitable file

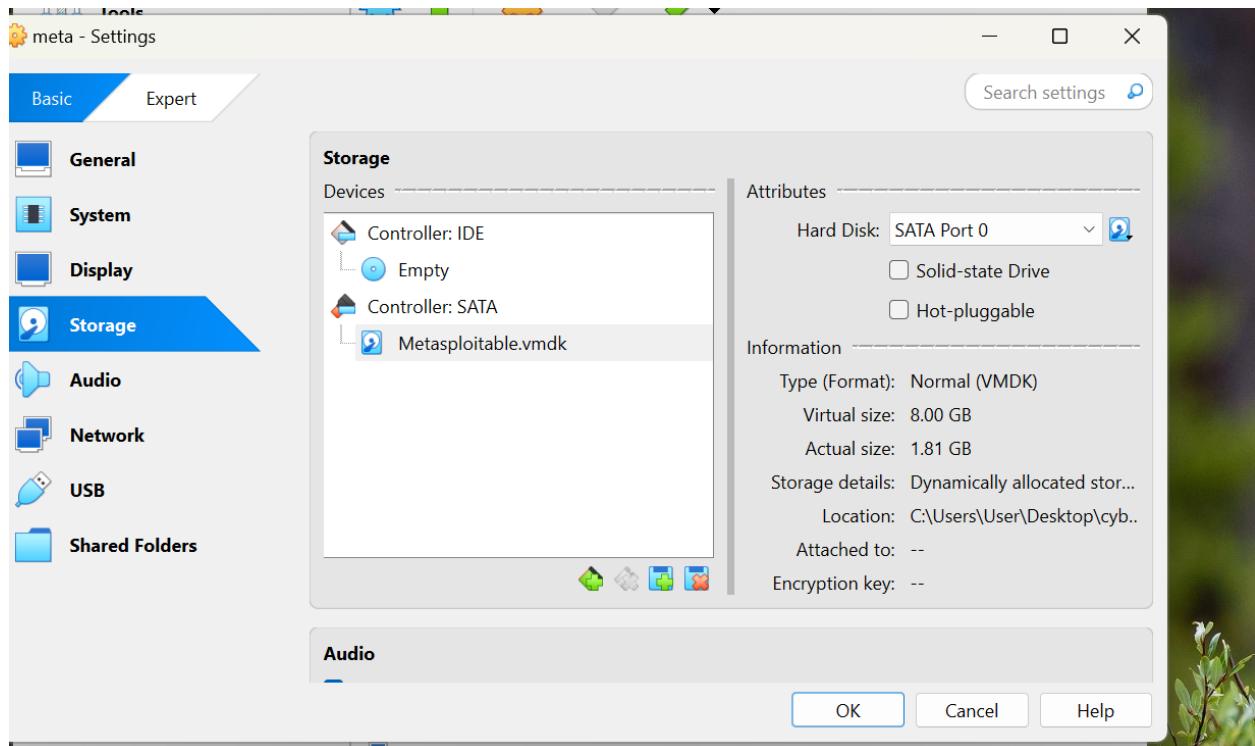




- Click on open



- Click on choose



- Click on ok
- To lunch metasploitable click on start

