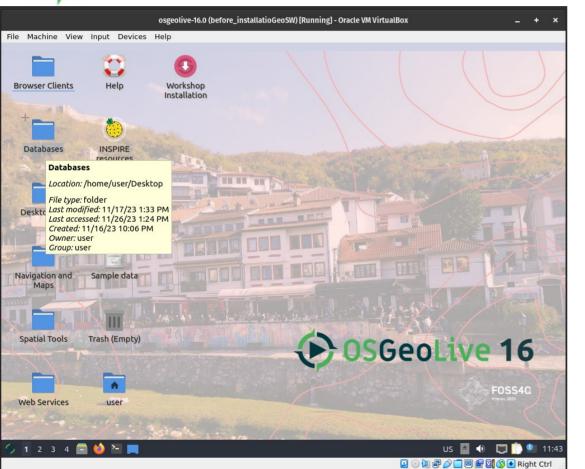


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#### **VirtualBox**

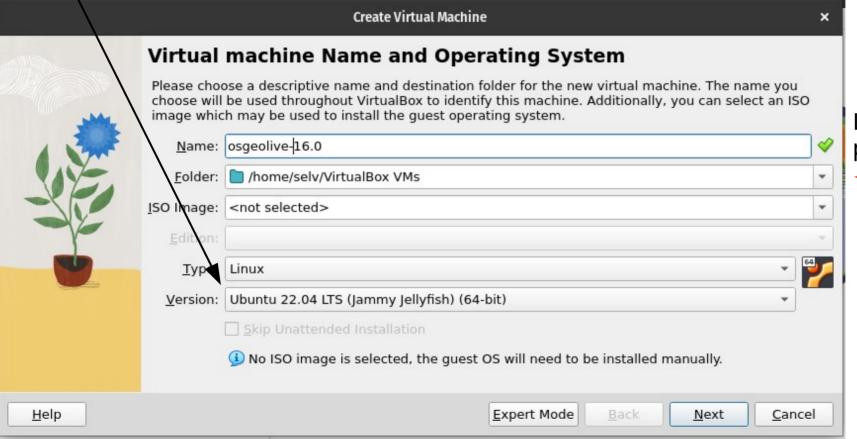
Start the VirtualBox application and click on the New button to create a new VM, and then Next.



#### **Create Virtual Machine**

Enter a name such as osgeolive-16, and choose Linux as the "Operating system", and Ubuntu (64bit) as "Version".

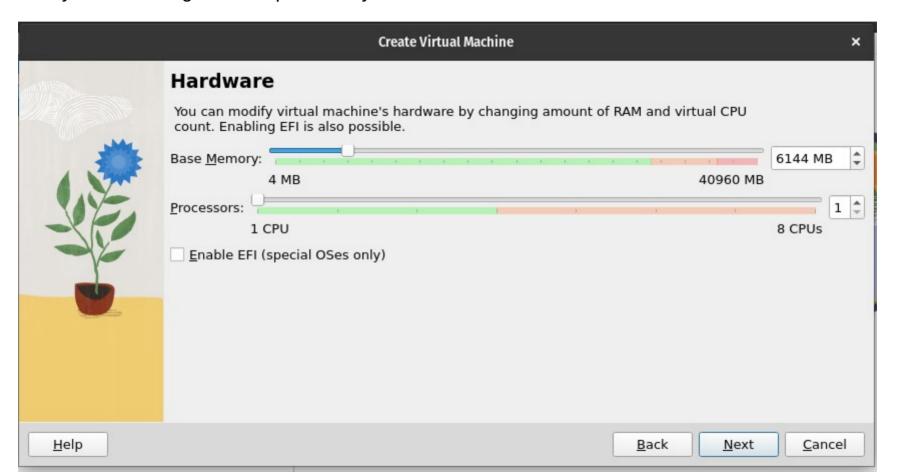
**Pay attention if you do not see Ubuntu (64bit) but only Ubuntu (32bit)** means that your BIOS is not set for virtualization. Enter BIOS according to your PC configuration and enable virtualization ( see example at https://goo.gl/Zgq14A)



Leave the default path of your OS

# **Set memory size**

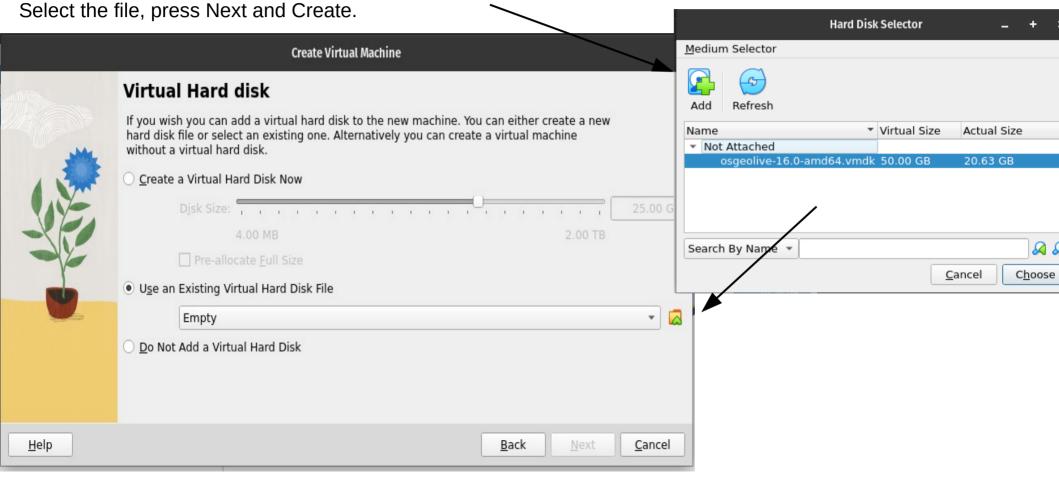
Set the memory Size (4-6G). The dedicate RAM for the VM can change according to the RAM of your host-pc. Do not overpass the green area! Increase the processors (2CPUs) only if your VM is too slow. Remember you can change these options only when the VM has been shout-down.



#### Load the vmdk file

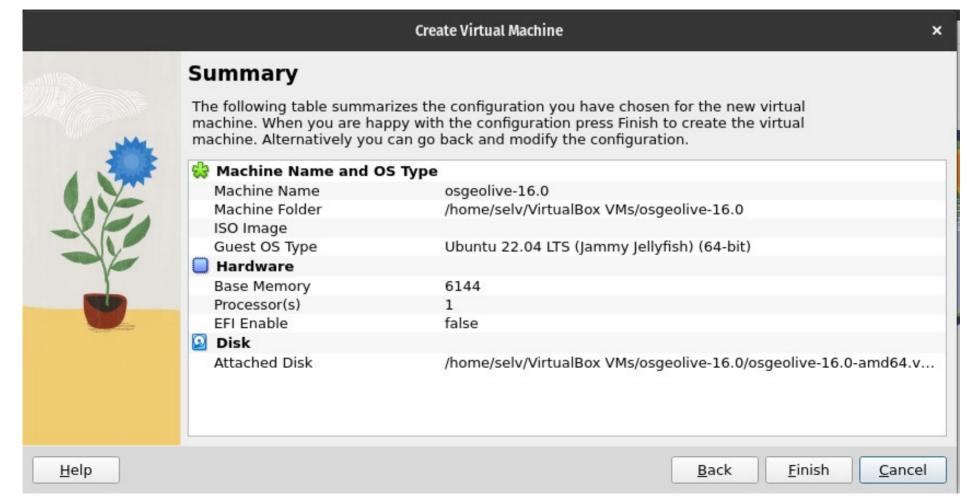
Choose "Use existing virtual hard disk file".

Now click on the button (a folder yellow icon) to browse to where you saved the osgeolive-16.0-amd64.vmdk file.



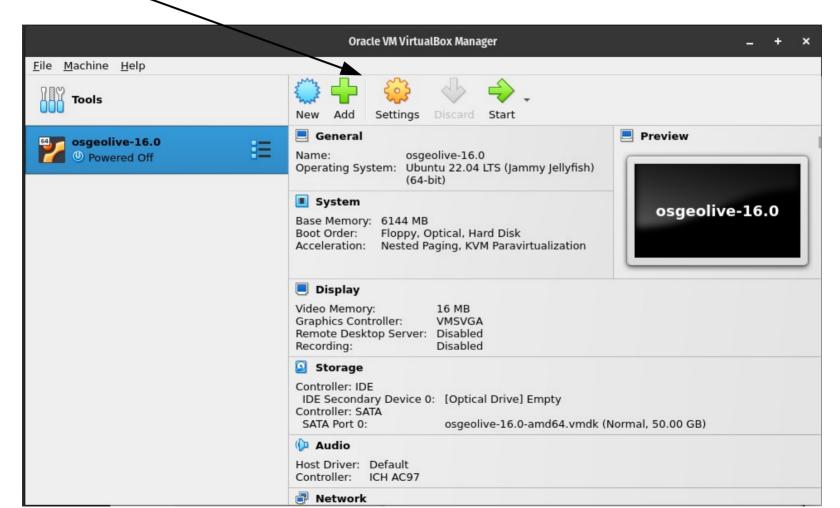
#### **Overview**

Check if everything is correct



# Setup

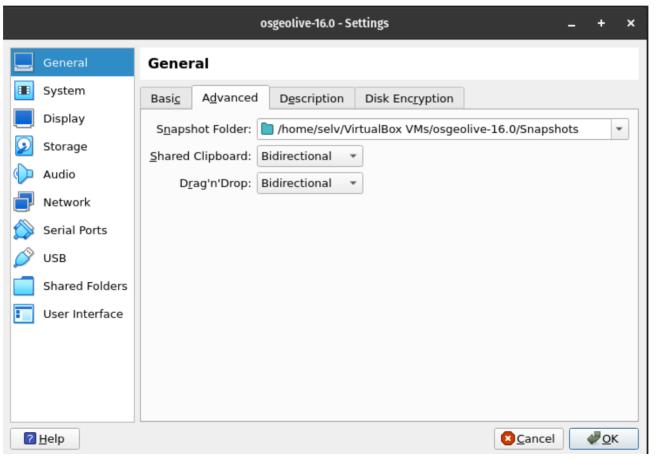
Adjust the settings -



## **Virtual Machine settings**

In VirtualBox → setting → General

Set Shared Clipboard and Drag and Drop to Bidirectional Optional. Do not change the Snapshot Folder

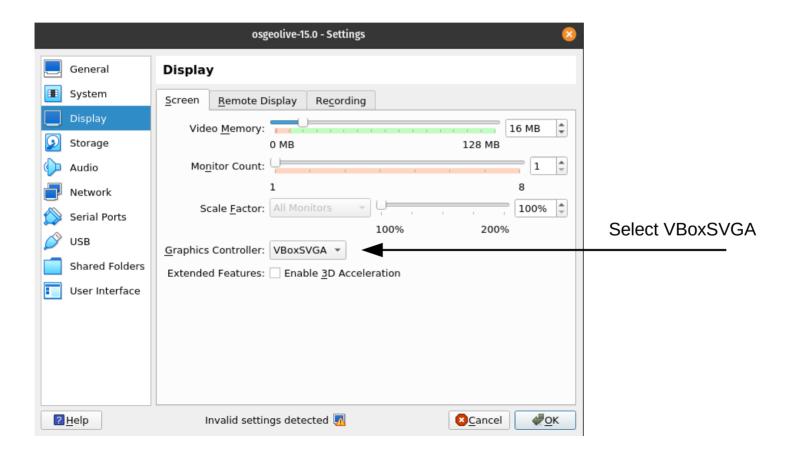


## **Virtual Machine settings**

In VirtualBox → setting → General

Set the Graphics Controller to allow the "Auto-resize Guest Display".

If the VM screen resolutions will be too small try to change the Graphics Controller to adjust the "Auto-resize Guest Display".



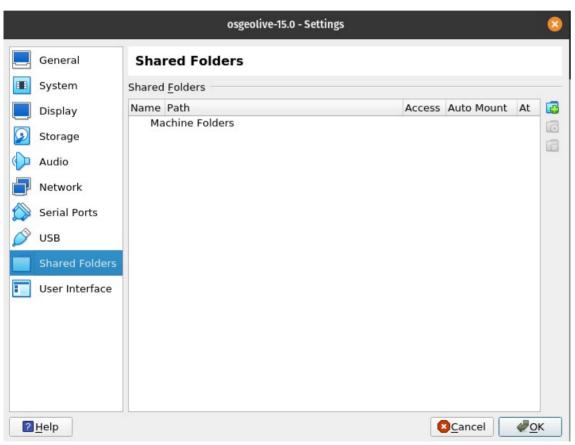
# **Sharing folder**

Create an empty folder named LVM\_shared in your OS

MAC OS X: /Users/yourname/LVM\_shared

Windows OS: C:\Users\yourname\Documents\LVM\_shared

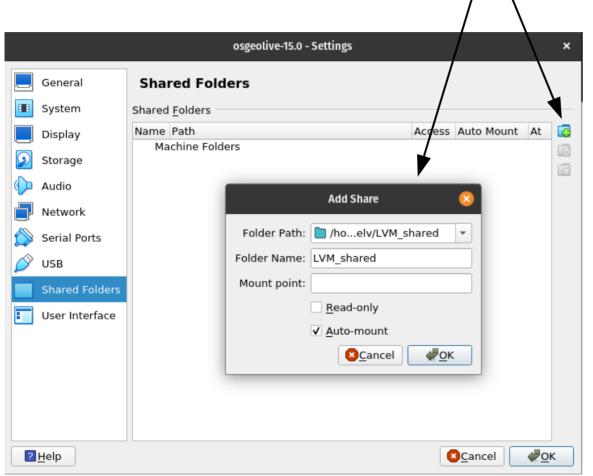
Linux: /home/yourname/LVM\_shared



# **Sharing folder**

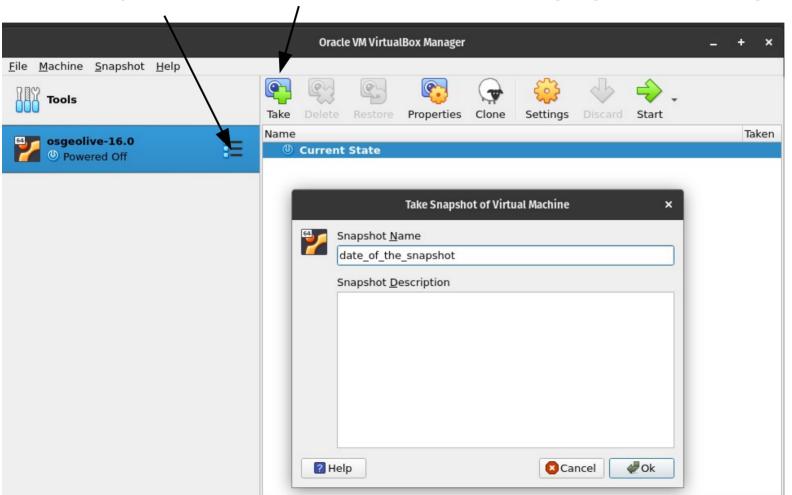
Add new shared folder in VirtualBox → setting → shared folders → Navigate to the host OS LVM\_shared folder.

Activate the Auto-mount option and click OK



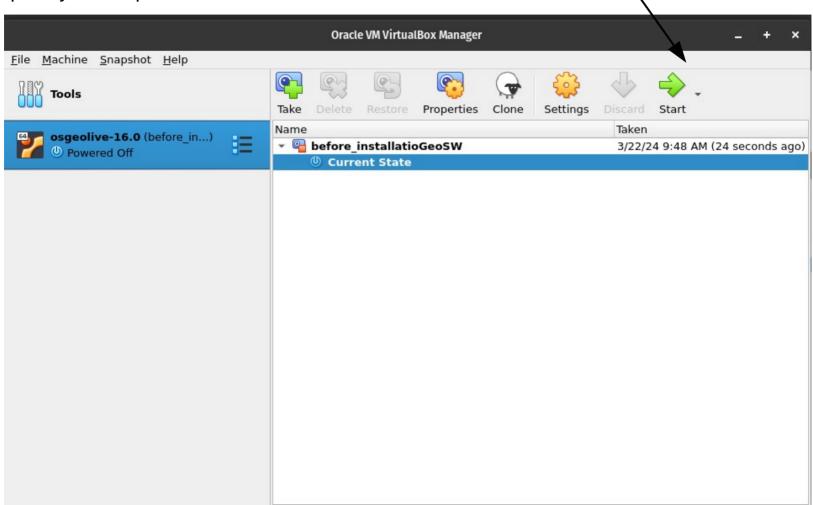
# **Snapshots**

Create a snapshots of the current version. It will be useful for going back if something is not working

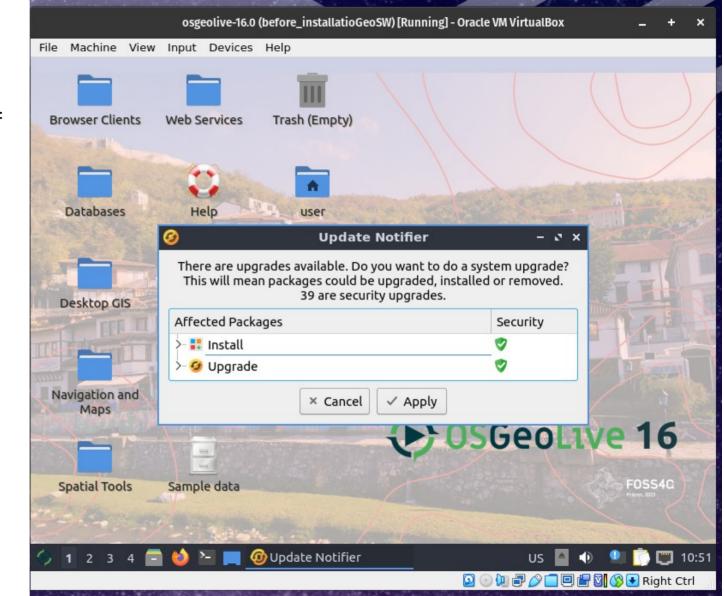


## **Start the Virtual Machine**

At this point you can press the start arrow to boot the Linux Virtual Machine



At this point the VM has been properly installed. Proceed with the update of the OS. The OS password is: user



Always shutdown the VM clicking: Green Icon > Leave > Shutdown

