


# **Vagrant box setup**

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# CREATING CUSTOM VAGRANT BOX

Install Oracle VirtualBox and Vagrant

In any folder of your choice, create configuration file named Vagrantfile

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
 Vagrantfile	2/15/2017 10:00 AM	File	1 KB

Insert code fragment from below into Vagrantfile

```
Vagrant.configure("2") do |config|
  config.vm.box = "ubuntu/trusty64"
  config.vm.provision :shell, path: "provision.sh"
  config.vm.provider "virtualbox" do |vb|
    vb.customize ["modifyvm", :id, "--memory", "1024"]
  end
end
```

Some explanation:

```
config.vm.box = "ubuntu/trusty64"
```

tells Vagrant which box should be loaded, ubuntu/trusty64 is the name of basic box provided by HashiCorp. If it is not available locally, Vagrant will download it from Vagrant's public box catalog (<https://atlas.hashicorp.com/boxes/search>) when we try to run our box.



```
config.vm.provision :shell, path: "provision.sh"
```

points to shell script which will be executed after vagrant box is up and running. Content of provision.sh will be explained later on.

```
config.vm.provider "virtualbox" do |vb|  
  vb.customize ["modifyvm", :id, "--memory", "1024"]  
end
```

sets memory limit for vagrant box to 1024 MB

Create `provision.sh` in the same folder as `Vagrantfile`

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
 <code>provision.sh</code>	2/14/2017 7:52 AM	Shell Script	2 KB
 <code>Vagrantfile</code>	2/16/2017 7:59 AM	File	1 KB

Insert code fragment from below into `provision.sh`

```
#!/bin/sh -e
#POSTGRES
echo "Installing PostgreSQL"
# PostgreSQL Version
PG_VERSION=9.4
export DEBIAN_FRONTEND=noninteractive
PG_REPO_APT_SOURCE=/etc/apt/sources.list.d/pgdg.list
# Add PG apt repo:
echo "deb http://apt.postgresql.org/pub/repos/apt/ trusty-pgdg main" >
"$PG_REPO_APT_SOURCE"
# Add PGDG repo key:
wget --quiet -O - https://apt.postgresql.org/pub/repos/apt/ACCC4CF8.asc | apt-key add -
# Update package list and upgrade all packages
apt-get update
apt-get -y upgrade
apt-get -y install "postgresql-$PG_VERSION" "postgresql-contrib-$PG_VERSION"
PG_CONF="/etc/postgresql/$PG_VERSION/main/postgresql.conf"
PG_HBA="/etc/postgresql/$PG_VERSION/main/pg_hba.conf"
PG_DIR="/var/lib/postgresql/$PG_VERSION/main"
# Edit postgresql.conf to change listen address to '*':
sed -i "s/#listen_addresses = 'localhost'/listen_addresses = '*'/" "$PG_CONF"
# Append to pg_hba.conf to add password auth:
echo "host all all md5" >> "$PG_HBA"
# Explicitly set default client_encoding
echo "client_encoding = utf8" >> "$PG_CONF"
service postgresql restart
echo "Successfully created PostgreSQL dev virtual machine."
echo "Cleaning for box exporting"
sudo apt-get clean
echo "Cleaning finished"
```

`provision.sh` script downloads and installs PostgreSQL version 9.4.  
Script content will be explained in further version of this guide.

Next step is to start box based on Vagrantfile. Open command line, go to folder with Vagrantfile and execute `vagrant up` command.  
Screen after vagrant start up:

```
==> default: * Starting PostgreSQL 9.4 database server
==> default: ...done.
==> default: Setting up postgresql-contrib-9.4 (9.4.11-1.pgdg14.04+1) ...
==> default: Processing triggers for libc-bin (2.19-0ubuntu6.9) ...
==> default: * Restarting PostgreSQL 9.4 database server
==> default: ...done.
==> default: Successfully created PostgreSQL dev virtual machine.
==> default: Cleaning for box exporting
==> default: Cleaning finished

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```

Now vagrant basic box is ready for packaging to final box.

In command line type in:

```
vagrant package -output schooldaily64.box
```





Packaging may take a while...

Screen after packaging:

```
D:\EDziennik\schooldaily\vagrant\base>vagrant package --output schooldaily64.box
==> default: Attempting graceful shutdown of VM...
==> default: Clearing any previously set forwarded ports...
==> default: Exporting VM...
==> default: Compressing package to: D:/EDziennik/schooldaily/vagrant/base/schooldaily64.box

D:\EDziennik\schooldaily\vagrant\base>_
```




Vagrant should create `schooldaily64.box` file:

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
 .vagrant	2/16/2017 7:41 AM	File folder	
 provision.sh	2/14/2017 7:52 AM	Shell Script	2 KB
 schooldaily64.box	2/16/2017 10:39 AM	BOX File	454,956 KB
 Vagrantfile	2/16/2017 7:59 AM	File	1 KB

And that's it, our custom box with preinstalled PostgreSQL is ready to use.

## STARTING CUSTOM VAGRANT BOX

In new empty folder create `Vagrantfile`, `provision.sh` and copy newly created `schooldaily64.box`.

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
 <code>provision.sh</code>	2/15/2017 10:04 AM	Shell Script	2 KB
 <code>schooldaily64.box</code>	2/13/2017 1:32 PM	BOX File	465,295 KB
 <code>Vagrantfile</code>	2/16/2017 7:58 AM	File	1 KB

Insert code fragment from below into `Vagrantfile`

```
Vagrant.configure("2") do |config|
  config.vm.box = "schooldaily64"
  config.vm.box_url = "file://schooldaily64.box"
  config.vm.provision :shell, path: "provision.sh"
  config.vm.network :forwarded_port, guest:5432, host:15432
end
```

```
config.vw.box = "schooldaily64"
```

sets name of registered vagrant box to use, if `schooldaily64` is not registered by vagrant then box will be imported from `config.vm.box_url`

```
config.vm.box_url = "file://schooldaily64.box"
```

points to box file which should be imported and registered by vagrant when there is no `schooldaily64` box available in vagrant local cache. It can also point to web resources i.e.:

```
config.vm.box_url = "https://atlas.hashicorp.com/ubuntu/boxes/trusty64"
```

```
config.vm.provision :shell, path: "provision.sh"
```

points to shell script that will be executed after vagrant box is up and running.

```
config.vm.network :forwarded_port, guest:5432, host:15432
```

forwards PostgreSQL default access port to be accessible from outside the VM on port 15432

Insert code fragment from below into `provision.sh`

```
echo "Starting PostgreSQL"
APP_DB_USER=pgsuser
APP_DB_PASS=pgspass
# Database Name
APP_DB_NAME=schooldaily
print_db_usage () {
    echo " PostgreSQL database has been setup and can be accessed on port 15432"
    echo " Host: localhost"
    echo " Port: 15432"
    echo " Database: $APP_DB_NAME"
    echo " Username: $APP_DB_USER"
    echo " Password: $APP_DB_PASS"
    echo ""
    echo "Admin access to postgres user via VM:"
    echo " vagrant ssh"
    echo " sudo su - postgres"
    echo ""
    echo "psql access to app database user via VM:"
    echo " vagrant ssh"
    echo " sudo su - postgres"
    echo " PGUSER=$APP_DB_USER PGPASSWORD=$APP_DB_PASS psql -h localhost $APP_DB_NAME"
}

cat << EOF | su - postgres -c psql
-- Create the database user:
CREATE USER $APP_DB_USER WITH PASSWORD '$APP_DB_PASS';
-- Create the database:
CREATE DATABASE $APP_DB_NAME WITH OWNER=$APP_DB_USER
                LC_COLLATE='en_US.utf8'
                LC_CTYPE='en_US.utf8'
                ENCODING='UTF8'
                TEMPLATE=template0;

EOF

sudo su postgres
service postgresql restart
echo "Successfully started PostgreSQL."
print_db_usage
```

`provision.sh` creates new PostgreSQL user `pgsuser` with password `pgspass` and `schooldaily` database. It also restarts PostgreSQL and display some additional information about accessing it.



Now we can call `vagrant up`

```
D:\EDziennik\schooldaily\vagrant>vagrant up
Bringing machine 'default' up with 'virtualbox' provider...
==> default: Box 'schooldaily64' could not be found. Attempting to find and install...
    default: Box Provider: virtualbox
    default: Box Version: >= 0
==> default: Box file was not detected as metadata. Adding it directly...
==> default: Adding box 'schooldaily64' (v0) for provider: virtualbox
    default: Unpacking necessary files from: file:///D:/EDziennik/schooldaily/vagrant/schooldaily64.box
    default: Progress: 100% (Rate: 121M/s, Estimated time remaining: --:--:--)
==> default: Successfully added box 'schooldaily64' (v0) for 'virtualbox'!
==> default: Importing base box 'schooldaily64'...
```

```
==> default: Starting PostgreSQL
==> default: CREATE ROLE
==> default: CREATE DATABASE
==> default: * Restarting PostgreSQL 9.4 database server
==> default:   ...done.
==> default: Successfully started PostgreSQL.
==> default: PostgreSQL database has been setup and can be accessed on port 15432
==> default:   Host: localhost
==> default:   Port: 15432
==> default:   Database: schooldaily
==> default:   Username: pgsuser
==> default:   Password: pgspass
==> default: Admin access to postgres user via VM:
==> default:   vagrant ssh
==> default:   sudo su - postgres
==> default: psql access to app database user via VM:
==> default:   vagrant ssh
==> default:   sudo su - postgres
==> default:   PGUSER=pgsuser PGPASSWORD=pgspass psql -h localhost schooldaily

D:\EDziennik\schooldaily\vagrant>
```

On final screen, there are some information about how to access PostgreSQL on our VM.