

How to mount a .iso file from live DVD on Virtual Box

Please follow the given steps:

STEP 1: Double click on the Oracle VM VirtualBox icon to open the Oracle VM VirtualBox Manager. You will see the following window as shown in figure 1.

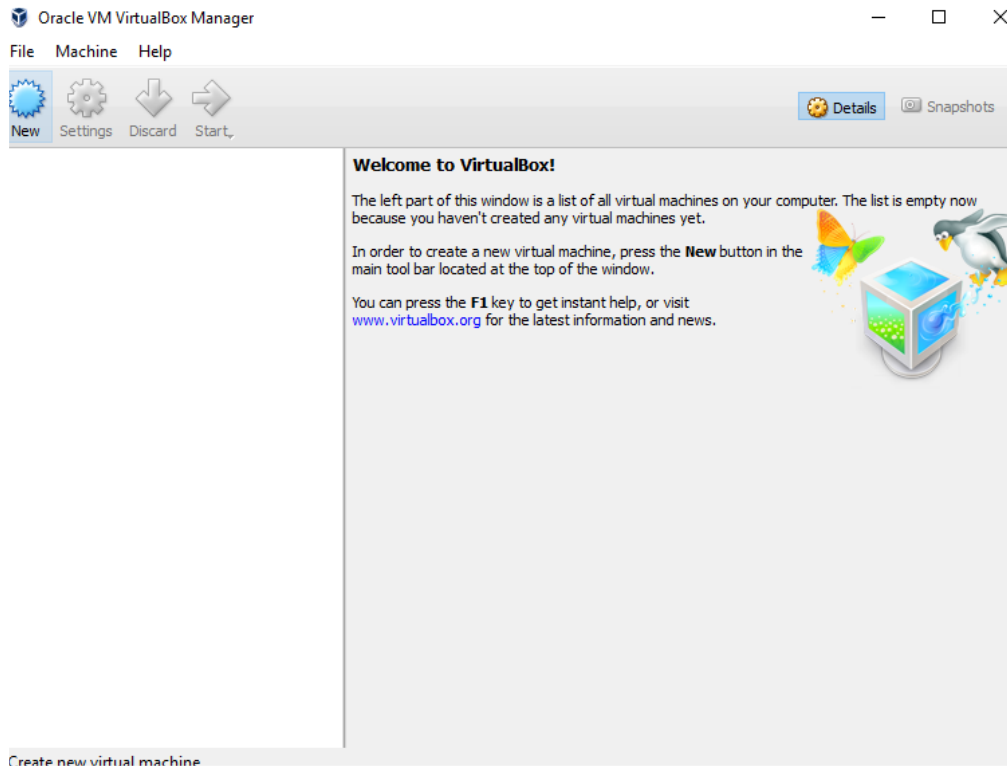


Figure 1: Oracle VM VirtualBox Manager

STEP 2: Click on the **New** icon on the top left corner of the Window. This will open the Create Virtual Machine window as shown in figure 2.

Enter the following details on this window and then click **Create**:

Name: Any name you want to keep for the Virtual Machine; for example Ubuntu.

Type: Linux (Type of operating system)

Version: Ubuntu (64-bit)

Memory size: 1000 to 2000 MB

Hard disk: Do not add a virtual hard disk

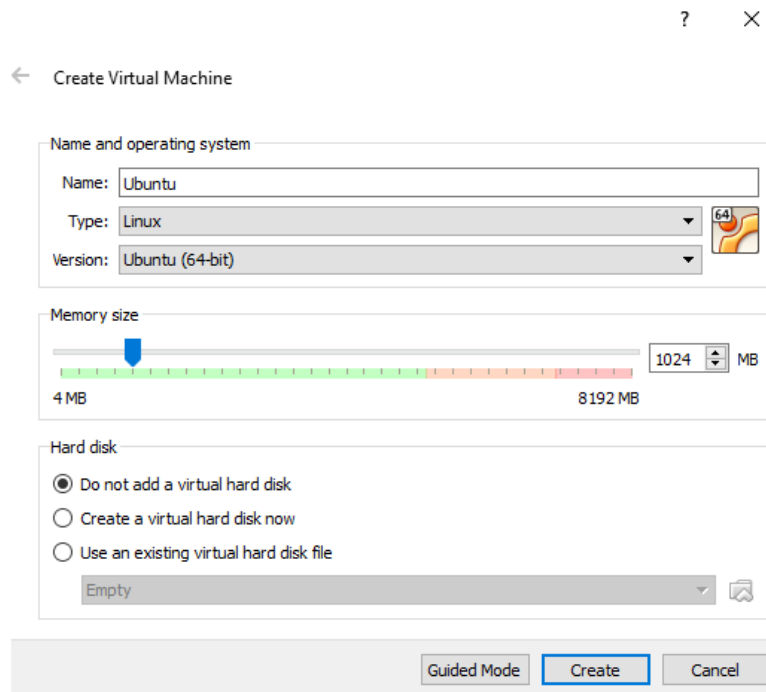


Figure 2: Create Virtual Machine

This will create a virtual operating system within the VirtualBox as shown in figure 3.

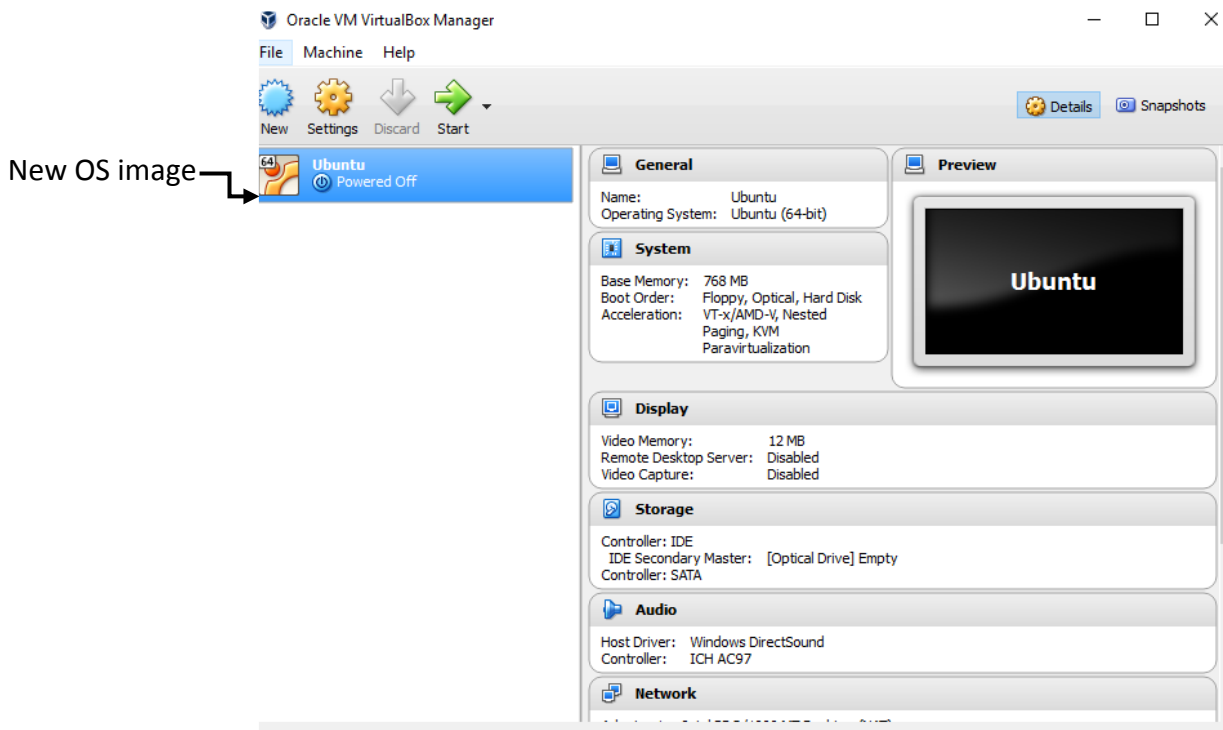


Figure 3: New OS image created

STEP 4: Click on the Settings icon and go to the storage menu. Here you will see the following window as shown in figure 4.

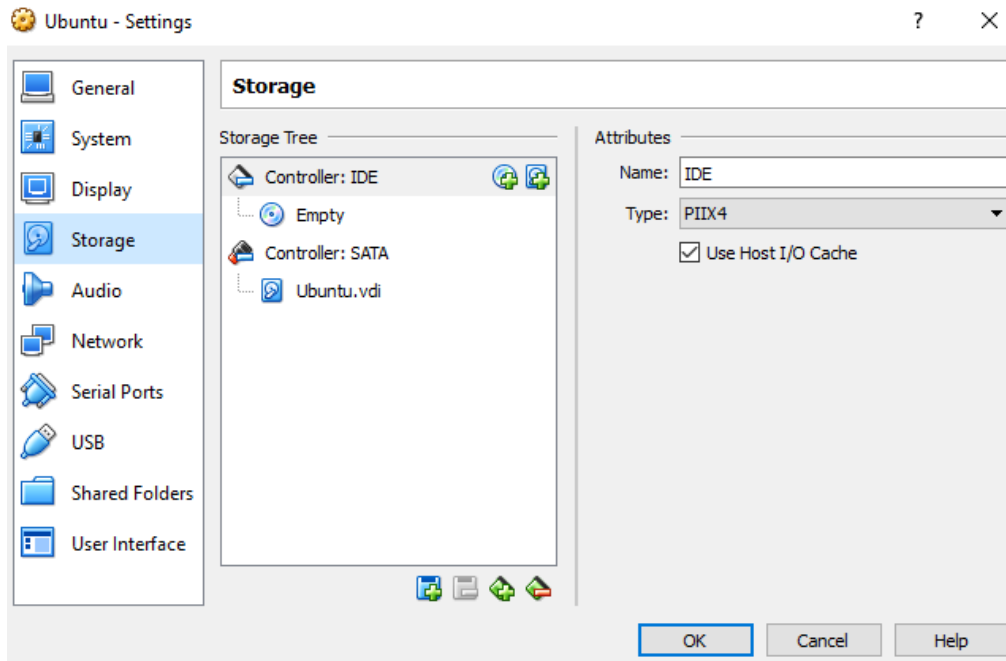


Figure 4: Settings menu

STEP 5: Within the **Storage Tree** click on the **Empty** icon within **Controller:IDE**. This will show the following window as shown in figure 5.

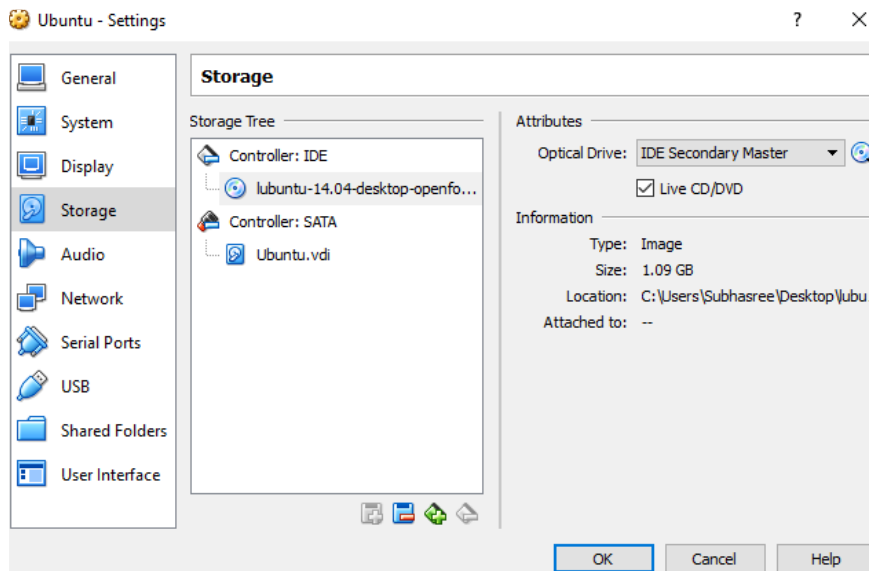


Figure 5: Storage Menu

Within this, click on the disk image on the right hand side of the **Optical Drive** under **Attributes** option and give the path for the .iso file. Also check the Live CD/DVD option and click ok.

STEP 6: After this click **Start**. This will open the virtual operating system window as shown below:

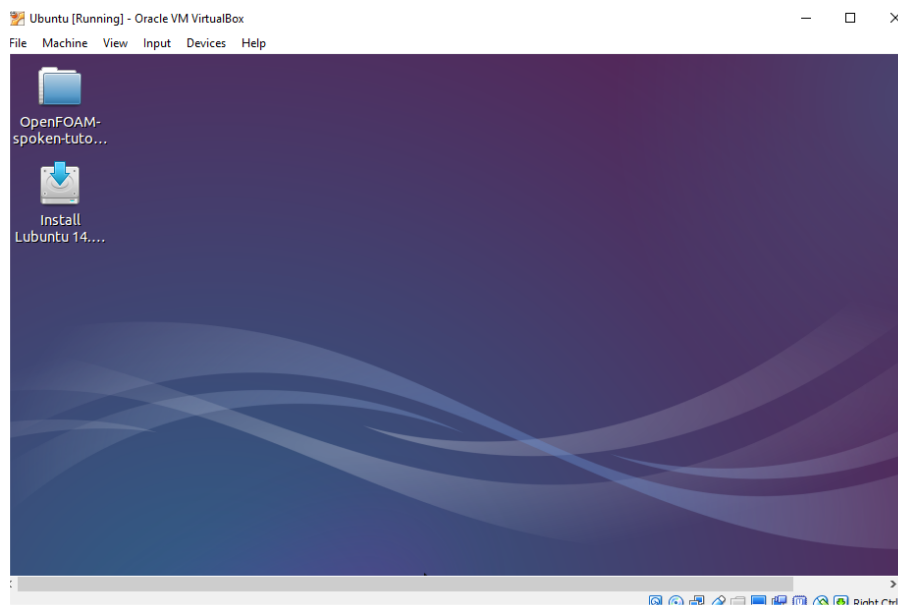


Figure 6: New OS on VirtualBox