

## Unable to create Mac OS X Yosemite virtual machine.

• Parallels Desktop for Mac Standard Edition

## **Symptoms**

I would like to create a Mac OS X Yosemite virtual machine but unable to do that because of "no entry" sign.

## Cause

VM misconfiguration.

## Resolution

- 1. Shut down the Virtual Machine. Make sure that the virtual machine is shut down. If it is in a suspended state, please run it and then shut down (**Actions** > **Shut Down**).
- 2. Open your virtual machine's <u>Configuration</u> > Hardware Tab > Boot Order > Advanced.
- 3. Add the following boot flag into the **Boot flags** field:

vm.efi.mac\_recovery=1

4. Start the virtual machine.

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