

## **ERROR: The virtual machine cannot be started**

- Parallels Desktop
- Parallels Desktop for Mac Standard Edition

## **Symptoms**

Parallels Desktop displays the following error:

The virtual machine cannot be started

## Cause

According to Apple Software License Agreement, you may install and run Mac OS 10.5 Leopard and Mac OS X 10.6. Snow Leopard Virtual Machines only on Mac OS X Server host computers.

You may install run Mac OS X 10.7 Lion and OS X 10.8 Mountain Lion Virtual Machines on any Mac computer.

**Note**: In case your system corresponds the above stated requirements but you still get this error, please contact <u>Parallels Technical Support</u>

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