Installing VirtualBox and the Nature’s Source Website

1. Download VirtualBox platform package from here: <https://www.virtualbox.org/wiki/Downloads>

2. Install the downloaded VirtualBox package.

3. Download this file: <http://cs.smu.ca/~pawan/webbook.ova>

4. Double click on the downloaded webbook.ova file, and accept all of the defaults during the installation process which follows. A “virtual machine” called webbook will be created in your VirtualBox.

5. Select the webbook machine in your VirtualBox, and click on the Run button. Once again, accept all of the defaults.

Once the system starts running, you will need to log in to the webbook account with webbook as the password. Click on the Firefox icon in the top bar. The website for the book will come up.

Here are some additional technical details for readers of the text:

a. You can look at all of the cdrom files (the ones referred to in the text as being “on the CD-ROM”) in this directory: /opt/lampp/htdocs/cdrom

b. Here is the URL for the cdrom when you have Firefox running in your VirtualBox setup: <http://localhost/cdrom>

c. You can access mysql from Firefox with the URL <http://localhost/phpmyadmin>. Then click on the webbook database to see the book's database.