Introduction to Docker





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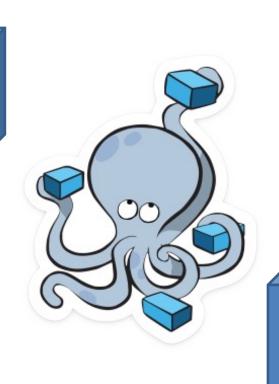
What is Docker

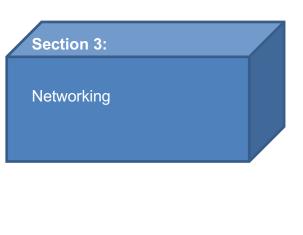
What is Not Docker

Basic Docker Commands Dockerfiles

Section 2:

Anatomy of a Docker image Docker volumes





Section 4:

Docker compose / stacks

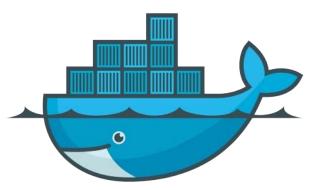
Demo



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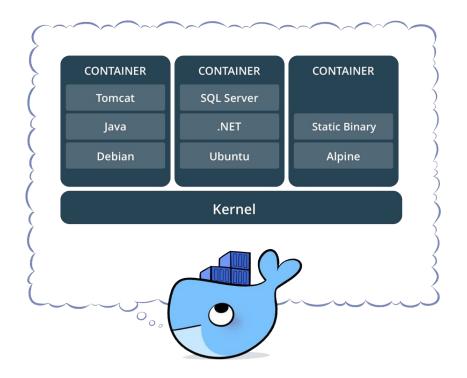
What Is Docker?



- Lightweight, open, secure platform Simplify building, shipping, running apps
- Runs natively on Linux or Windows
 Server
- Runs on Windows or Mac Development machines (with a virtual machine)
- Relies on "images" and "containers"



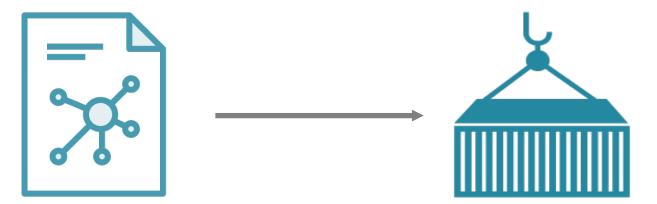
What is a container?



- Standardized packaging for software and dependencies
- Isolate apps from each other
- Share the same OS kernel
- Works for all major Linux distributions
- Containers native to Windows Server 2016



The Role of Images and Containers



Docker Image

Example: Ubuntu with Node.js and Application Code

Docker Container

Created by using an image. Runs your application.

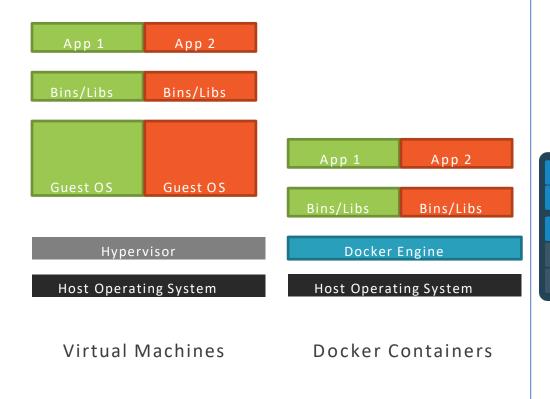


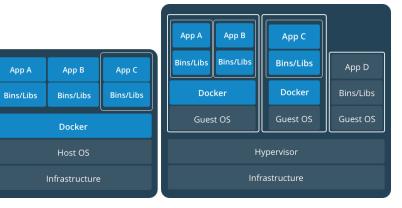
Docker containers are NOT VMs

- Easily misconceptualised
- Fundamentally different architectures



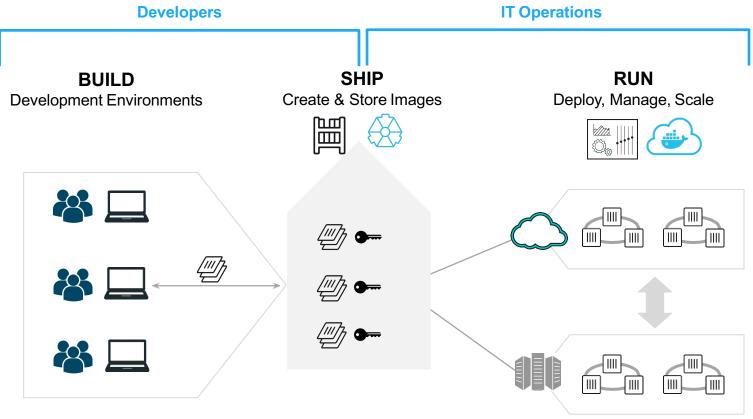
Docker Containers Versus Virtual Machines







Using Docker: Build, Ship, Run Workflow



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Some Docker vocabulary



Docker Image

The basis of a Docker container. Represents a full application



Docker Container

The standard unit in which the application service resides and executes



Docker Engine

Creates, ships and runs Docker containers deployable on a physical or virtual, host locally, in a datacenter or cloud service provider



Registry Service (Docker Hub(Public) or Docker Trusted Registry(Private))

Cloud or server based storage and distribution service for your images



Basic Docker Commands

- \$ docker image pull node:latest
- \$ docker image ls
- \$ docker container run -d -p 5000:5000 --name node node:latest
- \$ docker container ps
- \$ docker container stop node(or <container id>)
- \$ docker container rm node (or <container id>)
- \$ docker image rmi (or <image id>)
- \$ docker build -t node:2.0 .
- \$ docker image push node:2.0
- \$ docker --help



Docker Build Cache Gotcha

- Sometimes you will change your Dockerfile and do a build and yet your container image will not change.
- This is because of the docker **cache** when you do a docker build it trys to intelligently cache the layers such that it only rebuilds the minimum number of layers.
- You can override this behavior by doing:
 - docker build -t <image-name> . --no-cache
- You can also avoid this by deleting the container image and then rebuilding it, but it is likely more convenient for you to use the no-cache option in docker build shown above.
- Sometimes you may also need to delete the image and completely regenerate.
 - You can remove all unused images with docker image prune -a



Docker Build Args Gotcha

• You can pass build



Dockerfile – Linux Example

```
👉 Dockerfile 🗙
   FROM node:latest
   # Create a directory where our app will be placed
   RUN mkdir -p /usr/src/app
   WORKDIR /usr/src/app
   COPY package.json /usr/src/app
   RUN npm install
   COPY . /usr/src/app
   EXPOSE 4200
   # Serve the app
   CMD ["npm", "start"]
```

- Instructions on how to build a Docker image
- Looks very similar to "native" commands
- Important to optimize your Dockerfile

Dockerizing a Node.js web app



Section 2: Anatomy of a Docker



Let's Go Back to Our Dockerfile

```
👉 Dockerfile 🗙
   # Create image based on the official Node 6 image from dockerhub
   FROM node:latest
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Each Dockerfile Command Creates a Layer

EXPOSE	
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WORKDIR	
RUN	
FROM	
Kernel	



Docker Image Pull: Pulls Layers

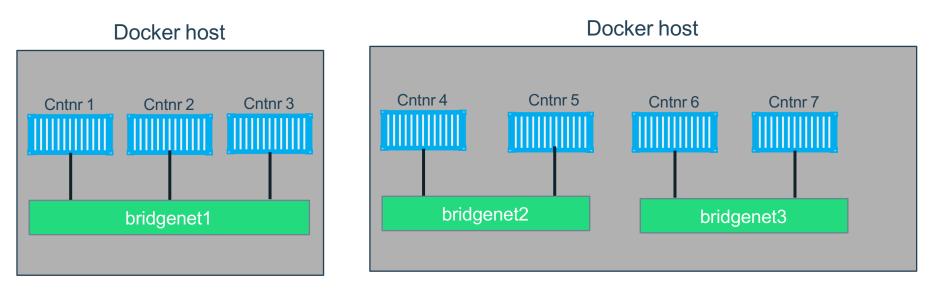
Alexander@DESKTOP-90ATKET MINGW64 ~/Docker/Demo \$ docker pull nginx:latest latest: Pulling from library/nginx bc95e04b23c0: Pull complete f3186e650f4e: Pull complete 9ac7d6621708: Pull complete Digest: sha256:b81f317384d7388708a498555c28a7cce778a8f291d90021208b3eba3fe74887 Status: Downloaded newer image for nginx:latest



Section 3: Networking



What is Docker Bridge Networking

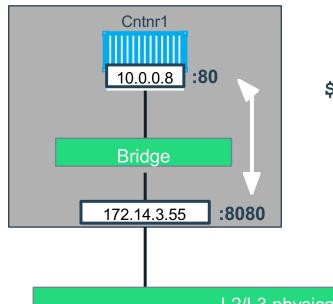


docker network create -d bridge --name bridgenet1



Docker Bridge Networking and Port Mapping

Docker host 1





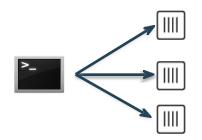


Section 4: Docker Compose

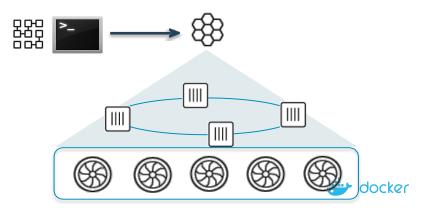


Docker Compose: Multi Container Applications

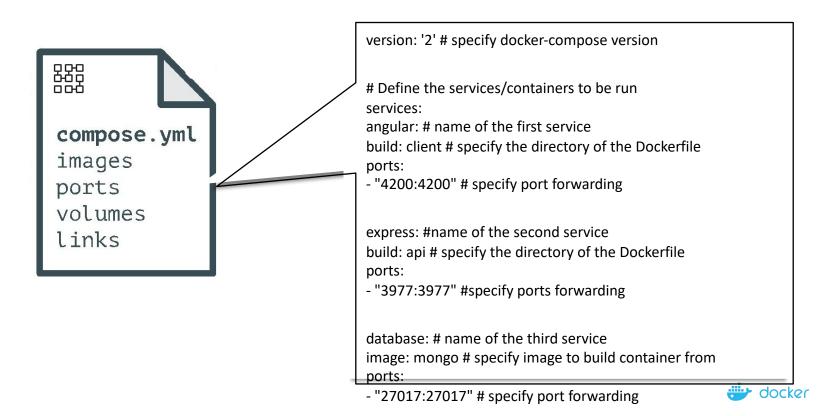
- Build and run one container at a time
- Manually connect containers together
- Must be careful with dependencies and start up order



- Define multi container app in compose.yml file
- Single command to deploy entire app
- Handles container dependencies
- Works with Docker Swarm, Networking, Volumes, Universal Control Plane



Docker Compose: Multi Container Applications



Docker Compose Networking

- By default, docker compose will put all of the **services** specified in your compose.yml file will be put on a docker network together.
- This allows you to access the other containers in the network via their name in the compose.yml file.
- If you have one service named **server** and another service named **database**
 - Suppose database exposes port 5001 to access the database
 - In the server container you can use database:5001 to access it across the network
- Helpful Tip: The server container may take some time to

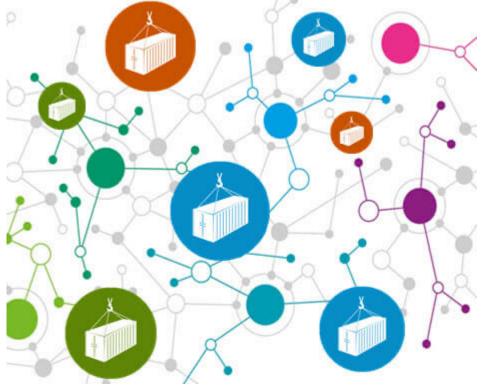


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Docker Compose: Scale Container Applications





Python Server

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Python Client

To run Python Client-side code, you'll need to use requests framework. This is included by importing the urllib.req

Then you need to listen the port you have exposed from the server

Read the content from the port, print the values and close the connection.



