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# **Building a Docker Image for an HTML App Using Nginx**

## 1. Setup

You will need:

- Docker installed on your machine.
- A simple HTML file for the app.

## 2. Step 1: Create the HTML File

Create a directory for your HTML app and place an index.html file in it.

mkdir nginx-html-app

cd nginx-html-app

Inside the nginx-html-app directory, create the HTML file.

Edit the index.html file with the following content (or any custom HTML content you want):

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html>
<head>
    <title>Welcome to My Nginx HTML App</title>
    </head>
<body>
    <h1>Hello, Nginx Docker!</h1>
```

This is a simple HTML app served by Nginx in a Docker container. </body>

## </html>

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## 3. Step 2: Create a Dockerfile

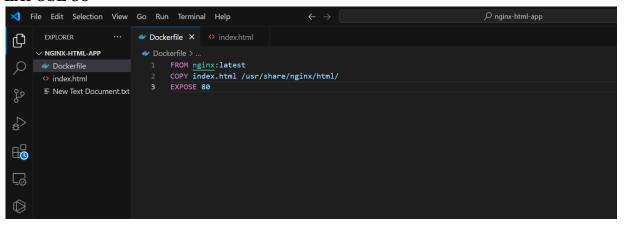
In the same directory, create a Dockerfile. This file will define how to build the Docker image using Nginx as the base image.

Edit the Dockerfile and add the following content:

FROM nginx:latest

COPY index.html /usr/share/nginx/html/

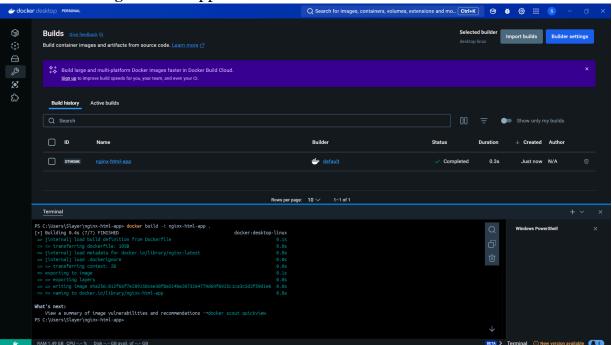
#### **EXPOSE 80**



## 4. Step 3: Build the Docker Image

Now that you have the Dockerfile and index.html, it's time to build the Docker image. Run the following command to build the image, giving it a tag (e.g., nginx-html-app):

docker build -t nginx-html-app.



Docker will use the Nginx base image, copy your index.html into the appropriate directory, and build the image.

## 5. Step 4: Run the Docker Container

After building the image, you can run the container with the following command:

docker run -d -p 8080:80 nginx-html-app

```
Terminal

PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app> docker run -d -p 8080:80 nginx-html-app
0807f0385d417d26ae4c36542597faf12e087ff8fb2c6eec1fbb995824d02222

PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app>
```

This command runs the container in detached mode (-d) and maps port 8080 on your host machine to port 80 inside the container, where Nginx is serving your HTML app.

## 6. Step 5: Verify

Open a browser and go to http://localhost:8080. You should see your HTML page with the message "Hello, Nginx Docker!".



# Hello, Nginx Docker!

This is a simple HTML app served by Nginx in a Docker container.

## 7. Step 6: Stop and Remove the Container

Once you're done, you can stop and remove the container:

docker ps # to see running containers

docker stop <container-id>

docker rm <container-id>

```
Terminal

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PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app> docker stop 0807f0385d41

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PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app> docker m 0807f0385d41

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PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app> docker ps

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS PORTS NAMES
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PS C:\Users\Slayer\nginx-html-app>
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