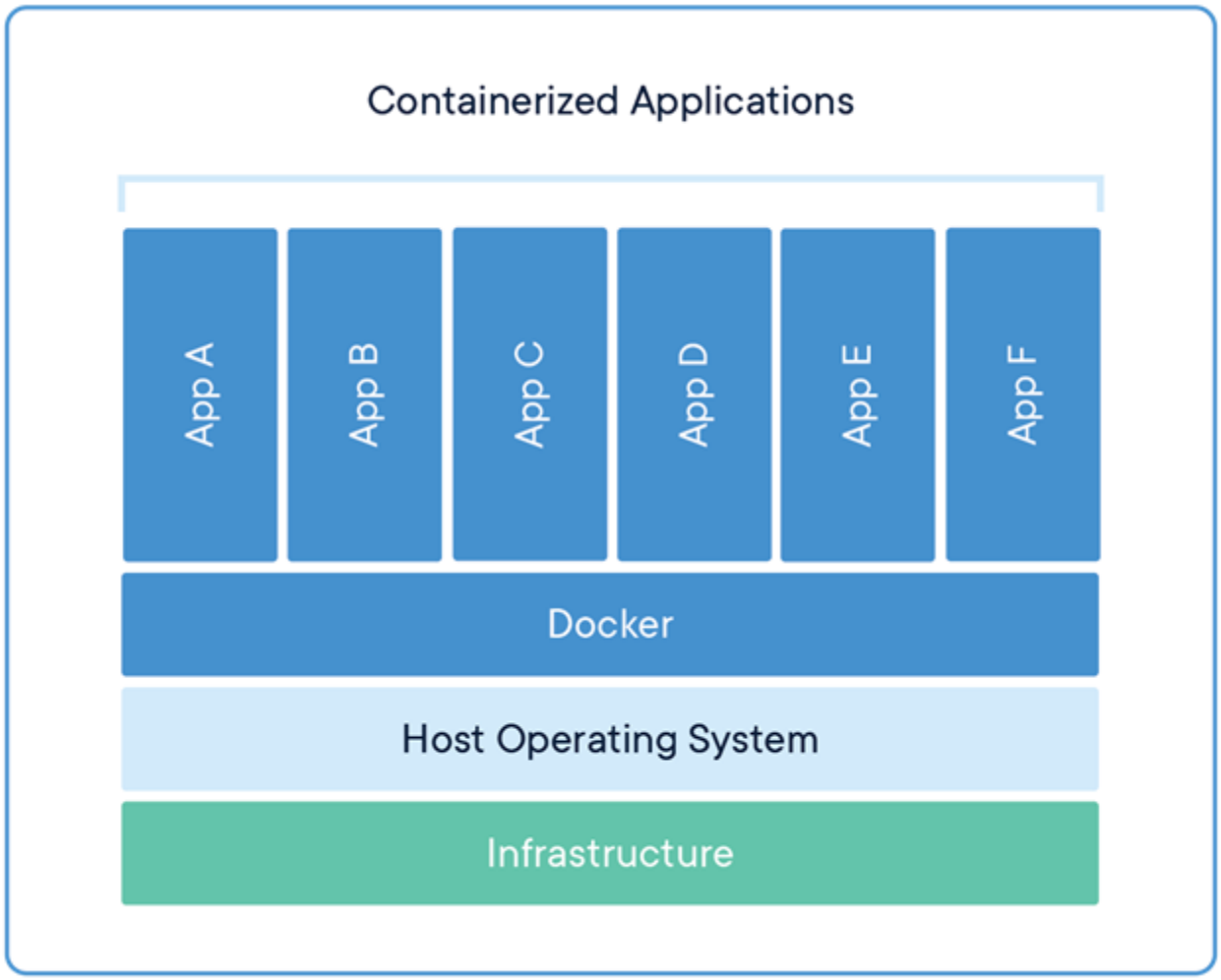
Deployment of Machine Learning Model Inside Docker Container

What is Docker?

A **Docker container** is an open-source software development platform. Its main benefit is to package applications in **containers**, allowing them to be portable to any system running a Linux or Windows operating system (OS). ... While it is a major player in the **container** field, **Docker** is only one form of **container technology**.



In this article, we will replicate a machine learning model into a Docker container and write a Python program to predict the output based on it. For this entire configuration, we will generate a Docker image.

Task Description:

- Create a new container using the CentOS image from Docker Hub.
- On top of the docker container, install the Python software.
- You must train a machine learning model in Container.

NOTE:

1. I have used RHEL 8 for this practical, you can also use any OS.

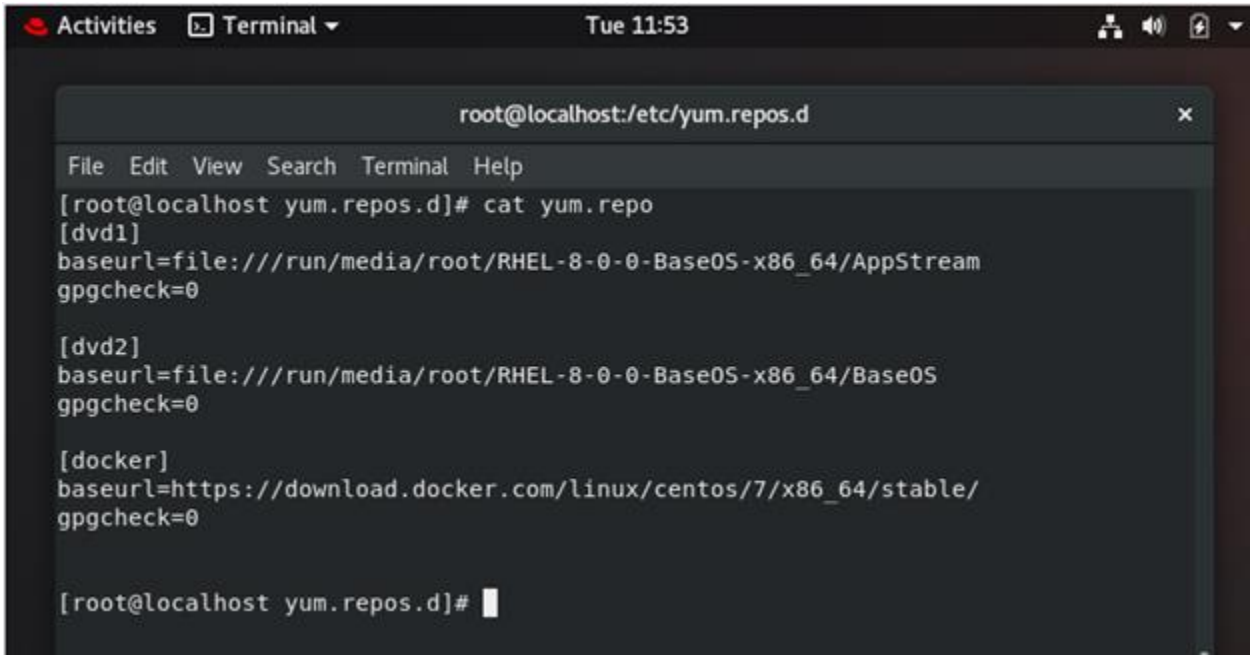
2. You can pull my docker image Anuddeeph/mldocker for reference.

Steps:

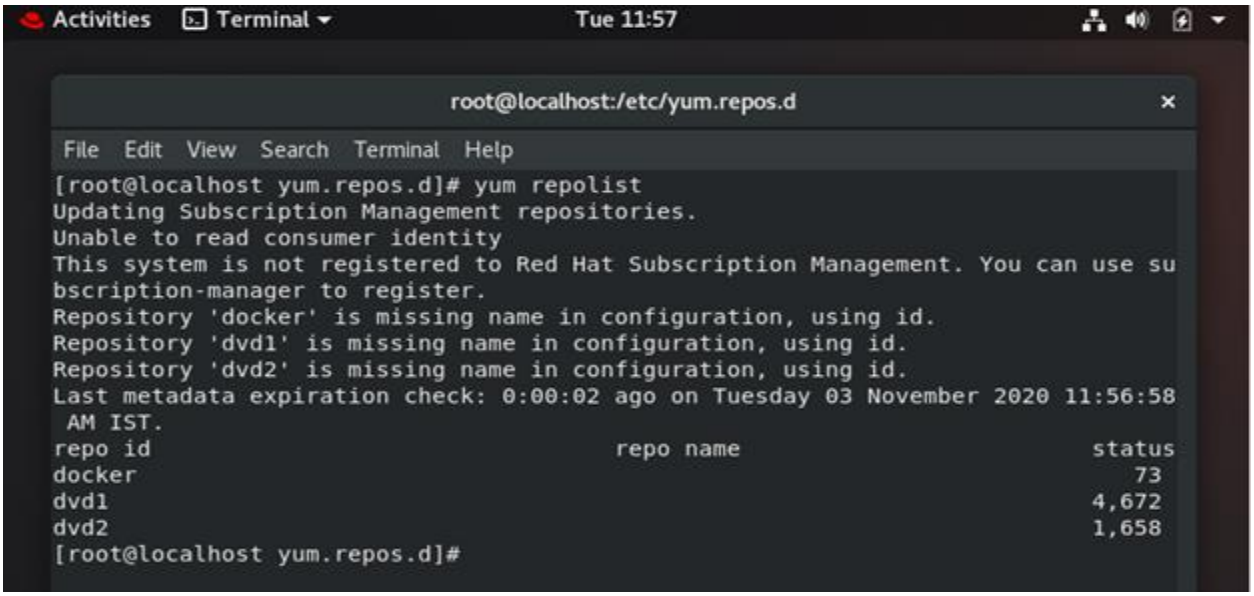
1) Install Docker.

- As I am using Redhat 8, so I need to first configure yum and create docker repo for installing the Docker.

- For this, go to the location, /etc/yum.repos.d and then create a file for configure yum and docker

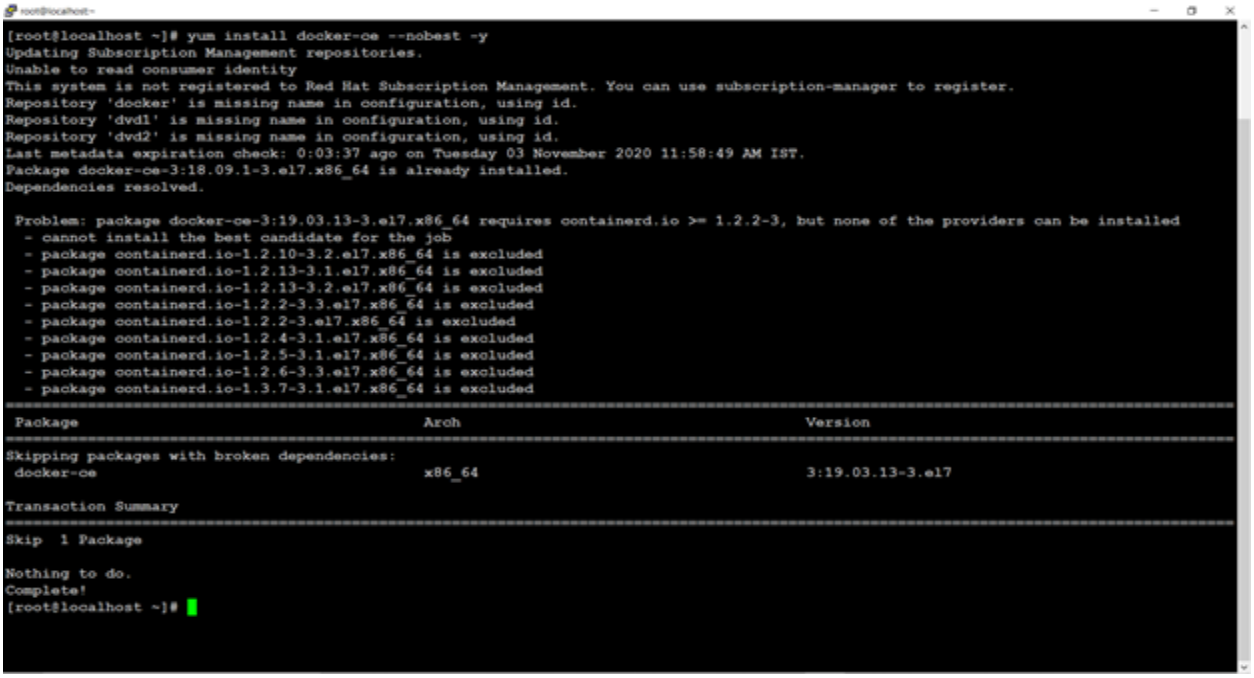


- Check the yum is properly configured or not using," yum repolist"



- Its working fine!

- To install Docker-ce software, run: "yum install docker-ce –nobest -y"

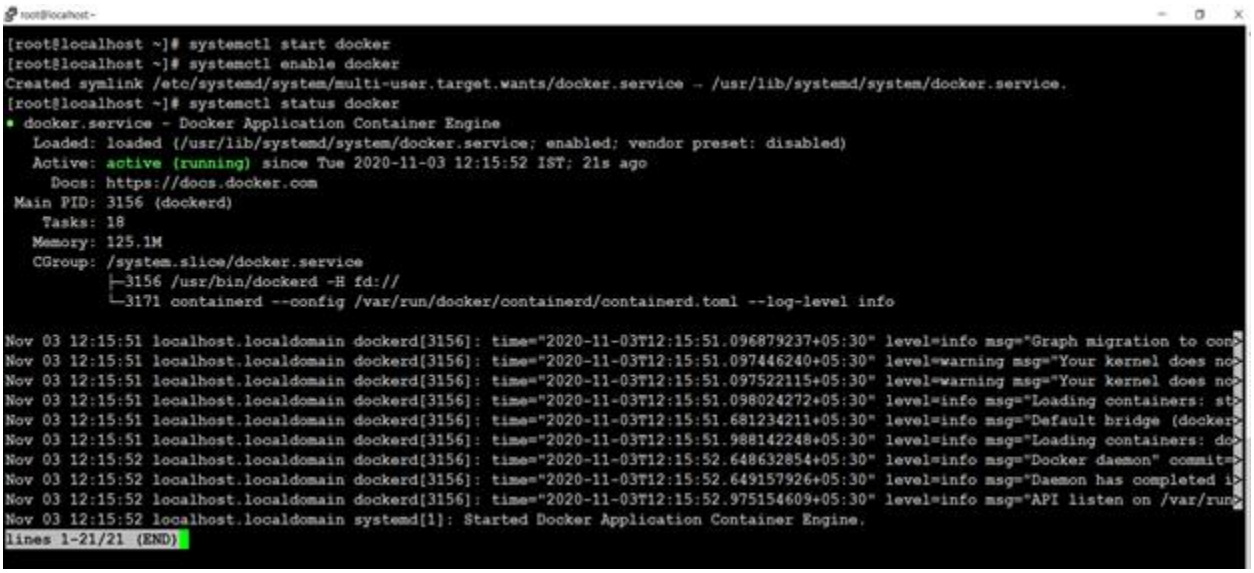


- I have already installed docker before, Finally docker installed successfully.

- Start the Docker services using,

  ➔ Systemctl start docker

  ➔ Systemctl enable docker



- We require ISO file for installing any operating system. In Docker, we have docker images for installing any container.

- Go to **[docker hub](#)** and check for images.

2) Dockerfile

- First we need to specify the base image using the **FROM** keyword and then install python3 using the yum installer

```
FROM centos:latest

RUN yum install python3 -y
```

- we need to install the required python libraries using the pip installer and create a workspace for the python program.

```
 RUN pip3 install sklearn
 RUN pip3 install pandas
 RUN mkdir /MLpy_WS
```

- Copy the Salary dataset and the python code for creating the ML model which we had created earlier.

```
COPY Salary_Data.csv /MLpy_WS
COPY salary_pred.py/MLpy_WS
```

- Run the python program whenever the container is launched using this image using the CMD keyword

```
CMD ["python3","/MLpy_WS/salary_pred.py"]
```

- The entire code for your reference

  FROM centos:latest

  RUN yum install python3 -y

  RUN pip3 install sklearn

  RUN pip3 install pandas

RUN pip3 install numpy

RUN mkdir /MLpy_WS

WORKDIR /MLpy_WS

COPY Salary_Data.csv /MLpy_WS

COPY ML_code.py /MLpy_WS

CMD ["python3","/MLpy_WS/ML_code.py"]

3) We will create a Simple Linear Regression model from a dataset containing the Years of Experience and Salary

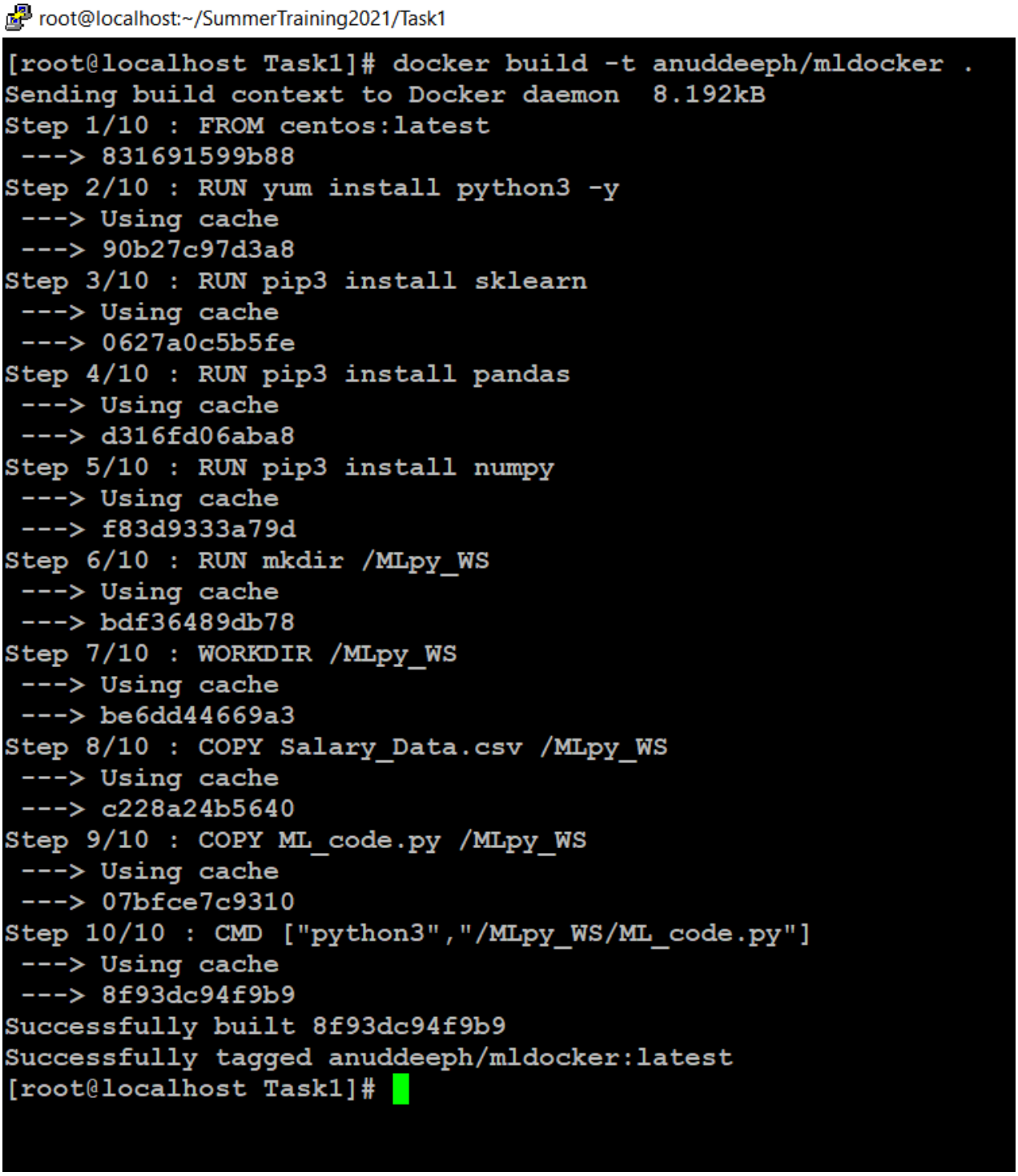
- The code is as follows:

```
import pandas

import numpy as np
```

```
dataset = pandas.read_csv('Salary_Data.csv')



X = dataset[['YearsExperience']]

y = dataset['Salary']



X=X.values.reshape(-1,1)

from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression



model = LinearRegression()

model.fit(X,y)



Experience=float(input("Please Enter the Years of
Experience: "))

Pred_Salary=model.predict([[Experience]])

print("You can expect a salary around {}
".format(Pred_Salary) )
```

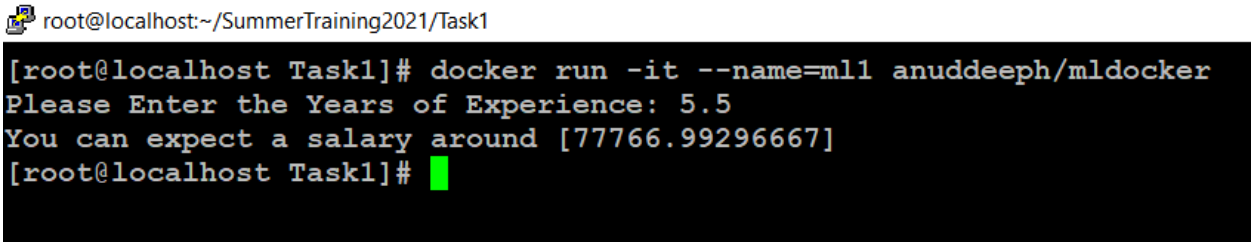
4) Now, build the image using the **docker build** command

```
docker build -t anuddeeph/mldocker:v1 .
```



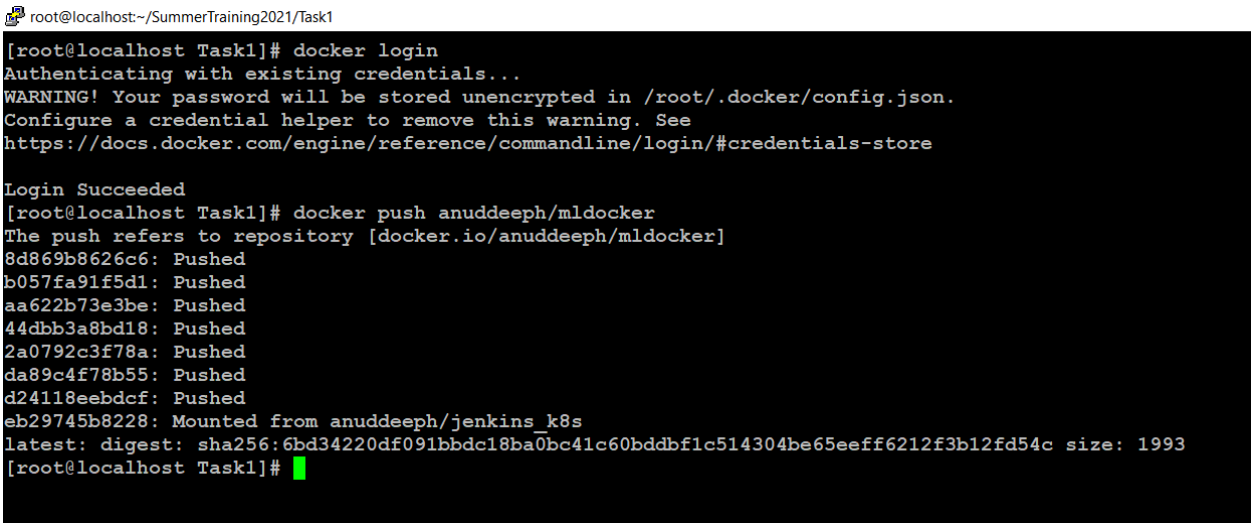
5) Finally, we can launch the container using this image

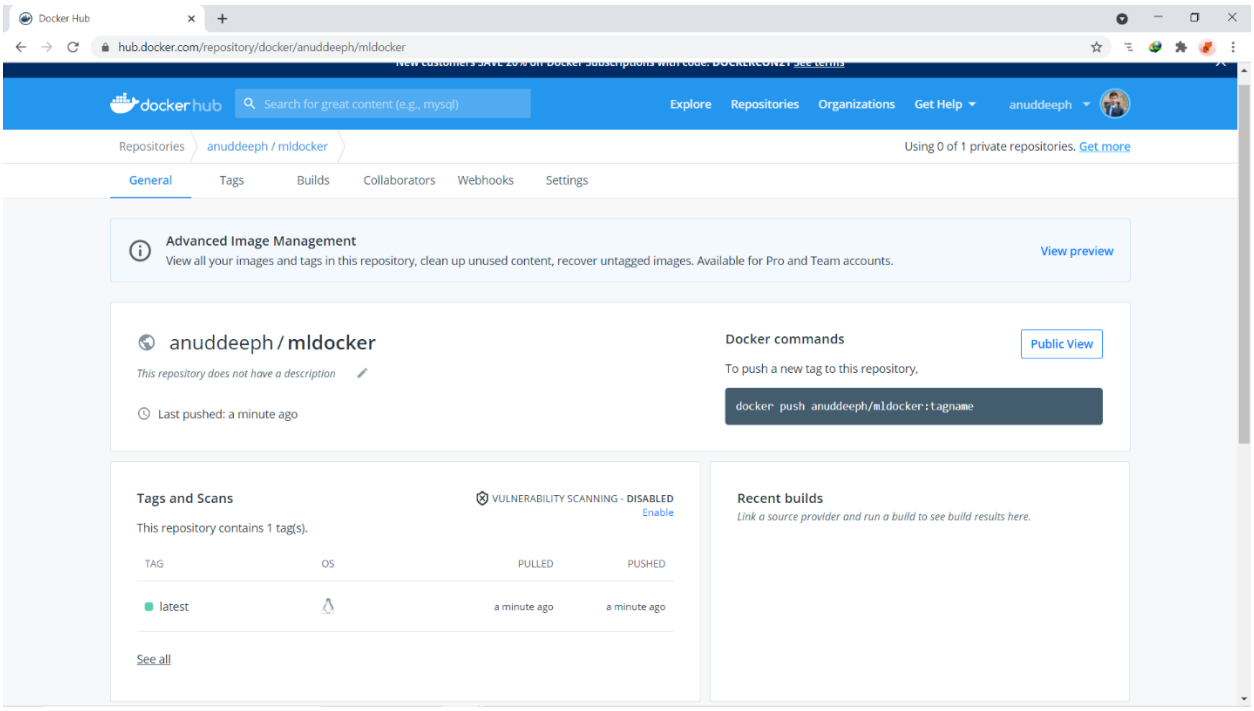
- `docker run -it --name ml Anuddeeph/mldocker`



6) `To push to hub.docker.com`

- `docker push Anuddeeph/mldocker`

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