



UT 11.

DOCKER

Activities

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Nomenclature

Throughout this unit different symbols will be used to distinguish important elements within the content. These symbols are:



Important



Attention



Interesting

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You will need Docker installed in your machine in order to carry out these exercises. If you don't want to install Docker in your computer, remember that you can use a virtual machine and install Docker there.

Take a look often to your containers with `docker ps -a` until you can understand easily what is happening.

4. EXERCISE 4

Search in Docker Hub and download a Docker's official image for Java JDK, version 11, provided by IBM (ibmjava)

Create a container and test that the command `javac` exists in the container. Don't forget to remove the container after that.

Remove the image from your computer.

5. EXERCISE 5

Create an image for containers that runs the `sl` command when started. You will need to install the `sl` package to have that command available. It will install the command in the `/usr/games` directory.

6. EXERCISE 6

Part 1

Create an image based on a `python:3` container with a file named `reverse.py` in the directory `/usr/bin`. The file will have this content:

```
import sys

param = sys.argv[1]
print(param[::-1])
```

Part 2

Modify the image so the script is launched with the string `Yo, banana boy!` when a container using that image runs (it should print `!yob ananab ,oY`):

```
docker run --rm <image name>
!yob ananab ,oY
```

Part 3

Modify the image so the script is launched using a parameter provided in the command line. For example, when run with:

```
docker run --rm <image name> Kayak
```

It should print `kayaK`.

7. EXERCISE 7

Part 1

Create an image tagged `ubuntu-net`, based on `ubuntu:latest`, that has the following network tool packages installed: `iproute2` (for the `ip` command), `iputils-ping` (for `ping`) and `net-tools` (for `ifconfig`).

Part 2

Launch four containers: `container_a`, `container_b`, `container_c` and `container_d`, based on the previous image:

- Containers `container_a` and `container_b` should be able to communicate between them through the network, but not with `container_c` and `container_d`
- Containers `container_c` and `container_d` should be able to communicate between them but not with `container_a` and `container_b`.

Test the connections using ping with the container addresses (ping from `container_a` to `container_b`, and from `container_a` to `container_c`) For example, if container `container_b` has the IP `5.6.7.8` run `ping 5.6.7.8` from `container_a`.

Test the connections using ping with the container's names. For example, run `ping B` from `container_a`.