Here is a short, step-by-step procedure for your exam, covering both experiments.

Procedure for Docker Image Management and Building a Custom Image
This procedure covers the container life cycle (Experiment 6) and building a custom web server image (Experiment 7).

Experiment 6: Docker Container Life Cycle Management
Pull an Image: Download an image (e.g., ubuntu) from the Docker Hub registry.

Bash

docker pull ubuntu
List Images: Verify that the image is now stored locally.

Bash

docker images
Run a Container: Create and run a new container from the image. We use -it to run in interactive terminal mode.

Bash

docker run -it ubuntu bash
Exit Container: Inside the container's shell, type exit to stop it.

Bash

exit
List Stopped Containers: Use docker ps -a to see all containers, including those that have exited. Note the container's name or ID.

Bash

docker ps -a
Remove a Container: Clean up the stopped container using its name or ID.

Bash

docker rm <container_name_or_id>
Remove an Image: Remove the image that is no longer in use by any container.

Bash

docker rmi ubuntu
Experiment 7: Build a Custom Image using a Dockerfile
Create Project Directory: Make a new folder for the project and move into it.

Bash

mkdir nginx-app
cd nginx-app
Create Content File: Create a static web page.

Bash

nano index.html
(Inside the file, add HTML content like <h1>Hello World</h1>)

Create Dockerfile: Create the build instruction file (note the capital 'D').

Bash

nano Dockerfile
Write Dockerfile Instructions: Add the following lines to the Dockerfile:

Dockerfile

Use the official Nginx image as the base
FROM nginx:alpine

Copy the local index.html into the Nginx web root directory
COPY index.html /usr/share/nginx/html/
Build the Image: Build a new image from the Dockerfile and tag (-t) it with a name (e.g., my-nginx-app). The . points to the current directory.

Bash

docker build -t my-nginx-app .
Run the Custom Image: Run the newly built image as a container.

-d: Run in detached (background) mode.

-p 80:80: Map port 80 on the host to port 80 in the container.

--name nginx-web-app: Give the container a custom name.

Bash

docker run -d -p 80:80 --name nginx-web-app my-nginx-app
Verify Application: Test the running container using curl (or a web browser at http://localhost).

Bash

curl http://localhost
Stop and Clean Up: Stop and remove the running container.

Bash

docker stop nginx-web-app
docker rm nginx-web-app

Bash
docker login

docker tag my-nginx-app YOUR_DOCKERHUB_USERNAME/my-nginx-app:latest

docker push YOUR_DOCKERHUB_USERNAME/my-nginx-app:latest