

Exercise_1: running container

when we want to run a particular container, we must pull the image.

pulling an image:

If we want to check what images, we have currently on our machine by running **docker images**.

```
dhruvrajsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$ docker images
```

REPOSITORY	TAG	IMAGE ID	CREATED	SIZE
node_crud_server	latest	8341dfd54ef4	2 days ago	1.01GB
node_crud_client	latest	7e60920f7dee	7 days ago	746MB
exercise-image	version_1	a168c8879468	7 days ago	1GB
dabhidhruvraj/trainee-practical-devops	latest	a168c8879468	7 days ago	1GB
node_crud_db	latest	9f6d0d222a47	8 days ago	496MB
my_db	latest	90baf543c3d	8 days ago	496MB
mysql	latest	412b8cc72e4a	2 weeks ago	531MB
ubuntu	latest	08d22c0ceb15	6 weeks ago	77.8MB
ubuntu	16.04	b6f507652425	19 months ago	135MB

```
dhruvrajsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$
```

let's pull the images from dockerhub by using the **docker pull** command. we want the image of ubuntu.

```
dhruvrajsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$ docker pull ubuntu:16:04
```

here 16:04 is a specific version of ubuntu images and we can also pull different version on the same image.

After this we can run **docker images** to see our images is pulling down or not

Removing images:

Ok now we want to delete or remove these images so we can do that by using **docker rmi** command then provide an id of that images or name of that images.

```
$ docker rmi 08d22
or
$ docker rmi ubuntu
```

running a container:

now we pull the images of ubuntu let's run our first container by using **docker run** command.

```
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker run ubuntu
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker ps
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE     COMMAND   CREATED   STATUS    PORTS   NAMES
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE     COMMAND   CREATED   STATUS    PORTS   NAMES
08f580861b9e   ubuntu   "/bin/bash"   17 seconds ago   Exited (0) 16 seconds ago   serene_hofstadter
c2f18885e798   ubuntu:16.04   "/bin/bash"   47 hours ago   Exited (0) 47 hours ago   hello
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$
```

here we don't mention a name of container so docker create a random name for that container but if we want to give name by ourselves we can do that by **--name**

\$ docker run --name dhruvraj ubuntu:16.04

we can check the list of containers by typing docker ps command

```
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker run --name dhruvraj ubuntu
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE     COMMAND   CREATED   STATUS    PORTS   NAMES
a8036d9d4a08   ubuntu   "/bin/bash"   6 seconds ago   Exited (0) 5 seconds ago   dhruvraj
08f580861b9e   ubuntu   "/bin/bash"   3 minutes ago   Exited (0) 3 minutes ago   serene_hofstadter
c2f18885e798   ubuntu:16.04   "/bin/bash"   47 hours ago   Exited (0) 47 hours ago   hello
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$
```

we can also see the previous container or stopped container by typing **docker ps -a** command.

also, we can run the container in interactively mode by providing **-it**.

```
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$ docker run -it ubuntu
root@22bb0642b189:/# pwd
/
root@22bb0642b189:/# ls
bin boot dev etc home lib lib32 lib64 libx32 media mnt opt proc root run sbin srv sys tmp usr var
root@22bb0642b189:/# cd tmp
root@22bb0642b189:/tmp# ls
root@22bb0642b189:/tmp#
```

If we want to exit from this container provide exit.

```
root@22bb0642b189:/# cd tmp
root@22bb0642b189:/tmp# ls
root@22bb0642b189:/tmp# cd ~
root@22bb0642b189:~# exit
exit
dhruvrjash@sfcpu-371:~$
```

By default our terminal remains attached to the container when you run docker run. What if we don't want to remain attached?

By adding the **-d** flag, we can run in detached mode, meaning the container will continue to run as long as the command is, but it won't print the output.

```
dhruvradsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$ docker run -d ubuntu  
1b83095fd5b9b907234f1d8f78260b820dd0823ed59456b50f21ae921bcf9ded  
dhruvradsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$
```

Let's use `docker stop`, passing it the first few characters of the container name or container id we want to stop.

```
dhruvradsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$ docker stop 08f580  
08f580  
dhruvradsinh@sf-cpu-371:~$
```