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OpenAirInterface 5G Core Network Docker Deployment : Pre-Requirements

## 1. Install the proper version of Docker

<pre>\$ dpkg --get-selections   grep docker</pre>			
ii docker-ce	5:19.03.6~3-0~ubuntu-bionic	amd64	Docker: the open-source application container engine
ii docker-ce-cli	5:19.03.6~3-0~ubuntu-bionic	amd64	Docker CLI: the open-source application container engine

Also python3 (at least 3.6) shall be installed.

```
$ python3 --version
Python 3.6.9
```

**CAUTION: do not forget to add your username to the `docker` group**

Otherwise you will have to run in `sudo` mode.

```
$ sudo usermod -a -G docker myusername
```

On Centos 7.7 host:

```
$ sudo yum install -y yum-utils
$ sudo yum-config-manager --add-repo https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo
$ sudo yum install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io
$ sudo systemctl start docker
$ docker info
```

## 2. Create an account on Docker Hub

Go to [docker-hub](#) and create an account.

## 3. Pull base images

- Ubuntu version: We need 2 base images: `ubuntu:bionic` and `mysql/mysql:5.7`

Currently we are working to support `CentOS8` and `RHEL8` distributions.

First log with your Docker Hub credentials. This is required if your organization has reached pulling limit as `anonymous`.

```
$ docker login
Login with your Docker ID to push and pull images from Docker Hub. If you don't have a Docker ID, head over to https://hub.docker.com to create one.
Username:
Password:
```

On a Ubuntu18.04 host:

```
$ docker pull ubuntu:bionic
$ docker pull mysql:5.7
```

Finally you may logoff --> your token is stored in plain text..

```
$ docker logout
```

## 4. Network Configuration

**CAUTION: THIS FIRST STEP IS MANDATORY.**

Based on this [recommendation](#):

```
$ sudo sysctl net.ipv4.conf.all.forwarding=1
$ sudo iptables -P FORWARD ACCEPT
```

**CAUTION: THIS SECOND STEP MAY NOT BE NEEDED IN YOUR ENVIRONMENT.**

- The default docker network (ie "bridge") is on "172.17.0.0/16" range.
- In our Eurecom private network, this IP address range is already in use.
  - We have to change it to another IP range is free in our private network configuration.
  - We picked a **new/IDLE** IP range by adding a `/etc/docker/daemon.json` file:

- We picked a **192.168.17.1** IP range by looking at `192.168.17.1/24` one.
- If you have to do the same change:
  - Select "192.168.17.1/24" range if it is free in your environment.
  - Select another IP range if not.

```
{
  "bip": "192.168.17.1/24"
}
```

Restart the docker daemon:

```
$ sudo service docker restart
$ docker info
```

Check the new network configuration:

```
$ docker network inspect bridge
[
  {
    "Name": "bridge",
    ....
    "Scope": "local",
    "Driver": "bridge",
    "EnableIPv6": false,
    "IPAM": {
      "Driver": "default",
      "Options": null,
      "Config": [
        {
          "Subnet": "192.168.17.1/24",
          "Gateway": "192.168.17.1"
        }
      ]
    },
    ....
  },
  ....
]
```

Here you have 2 choices:

- You can pull official images from Docker Hub like [this](#).
- Or you are ready to [build your-self the network function images](#).