


# The Ultimate Docker Cheat Sheet

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## Complete Docker CLI

 Cheatsheet for Docker CLI			
Run a new Container	Manage Containers	Manage Images	Info & Stats
<p>Start a new Container from an Image</p> <pre>docker run IMAGE docker run nginx</pre> <p>...and assign it a name</p> <pre>docker run --name CONTAINER IMAGE docker run --name web nginx</pre> <p>...and map a port</p> <pre>docker run -p HOSTPORT:CONTAINERPORT IMAGE docker run -p 8080:80 nginx</pre> <p>...and map all ports</p> <pre>docker run -P IMAGE docker run -P nginx</pre> <p>...and start container in background</p> <pre>docker run -d IMAGE docker run -d nginx</pre> <p>...and assign it a hostname</p> <pre>docker run --hostname HOSTNAME IMAGE docker run --hostname srv nginx</pre> <p>...and add a dns entry</p> <pre>docker run --add-host HOSTNAME:IP IMAGE</pre> <p>...and map a local directory into the container</p> <pre>docker run -v HOSTDIR:TARGETDIR IMAGE docker run -v ~/.usr/share/nginx/html nginx</pre> <p>...but change the entrypoint</p> <pre>docker run -it --entrypoint EXECUTABLE IMAGE docker run -it --entrypoint bash nginx</pre>	<p>Show a list of running containers</p> <pre>docker ps</pre> <p>Show a list of all containers</p> <pre>docker ps -a</pre> <p>Delete a container</p> <pre>docker rm CONTAINER docker rm web</pre> <p>Delete a running container</p> <pre>docker rm -f CONTAINER docker rm -f web</pre> <p>Delete stopped containers</p> <pre>docker container prune</pre> <p>Stop a running container</p> <pre>docker stop CONTAINER docker stop web</pre> <p>Start a stopped container</p> <pre>docker start CONTAINER docker start web</pre> <p>Copy a file from a container to the host</p> <pre>docker cp CONTAINER:SOURCE TARGET docker cp web:/index.html index.html</pre> <p>Copy a file from the host to a container</p> <pre>docker cp TARGET CONTAINER:SOURCE docker cp index.html web:/index.html</pre> <p>Start a shell inside a running container</p> <pre>docker exec -it CONTAINER EXECUTABLE docker exec -it web bash</pre> <p>Rename a container</p> <pre>docker rename OLD_NAME NEW_NAME docker rename 096 web</pre> <p>Create an image out of container</p> <pre>docker commit CONTAINER docker commit web</pre>	<p>Download an image</p> <pre>docker pull IMAGE[:TAG] docker pull nginx</pre> <p>Upload an image to a repository</p> <pre>docker push IMAGE docker push myimage:1.0</pre> <p>Delete an image</p> <pre>docker rmi IMAGE</pre> <p>Show a list of all Images</p> <pre>docker images</pre> <p>Delete dangling images</p> <pre>docker image prune</pre> <p>Delete all unused images</p> <pre>docker image prune -a</pre> <p>Build an image from a Dockerfile</p> <pre>docker build DIRECTORY docker build .</pre> <p>Tag an image</p> <pre>docker tag IMAGE NEWIMAGE docker tag ubuntu ubuntu:18.04</pre> <p>Build and tag an image from a Dockerfile</p> <pre>docker build -t IMAGE DIRECTORY docker build -t myimage .</pre> <p>Save an image to .tar file</p> <pre>docker save IMAGE &gt; FILE docker save nginx &gt; nginx.tar</pre> <p>Load an image from a .tar file</p> <pre>docker load -i TARFILE docker load -i nginx.tar</pre>	<p>Show the logs of a container</p> <pre>docker logs CONTAINER docker logs web</pre> <p>Show stats of running containers</p> <pre>docker stats</pre> <p>Show processes of container</p> <pre>docker top CONTAINER docker top web</pre> <p>Show installed docker version</p> <pre>docker version</pre> <p>Get detailed info about an object</p> <pre>docker inspect NAME docker inspect nginx</pre> <p>Show all modified files in container</p> <pre>docker diff CONTAINER docker diff web</pre> <p>Show mapped ports of a container</p> <pre>docker port CONTAINER docker port web</pre>

## Container management commands

command	description
<code>docker create image [ command ]</code> <code>docker run image [ command ]</code>	create the container = <code>create</code> + <code>start</code>
<code>docker start container...</code> <code>docker stop container...</code> <code>docker kill container...</code> <code>docker restart container...</code>	start the container graceful <sup>2</sup> stop kill (SIGKILL) the container = <code>stop</code> + <code>start</code>
<code>docker pause container...</code> <code>docker unpause container...</code>	suspend the container resume the container
<code>docker rm [ -f<sup>3</sup> ] container...</code>	destroy the container

<sup>2</sup>send SIGTERM to the main process + SIGKILL 10 seconds later

<sup>3</sup>-f allows removing running containers (= `docker kill` + `docker rm`)

## Inspecting the container

command	description
<code>docker ps</code>	list running containers
<code>docker ps -a</code>	list all containers
<code>docker logs [ -f<sup>6</sup> ] container</code>	show the container output ( <code>stdout+stderr</code> )
<code>docker top container [ ps options ]</code>	list the processes running inside the containers
<code>docker diff container</code>	show the differences with the image (modified files)
<code>docker inspect container...</code>	show low-level infos (in json format)

## Interacting with the container

command	description
<code>docker attach container</code>	attach to a running container (stdin/stdout/stderr)
<code>docker cp container:path hostpath -</code> <code>docker cp hostpath - container:path</code>	copy files from the container copy files into the container
<code>docker export container</code>	export the content of the container (tar archive)
<code>docker exec container args...</code>	run a command in an existing container ( <b>useful</b> for debugging)
<code>docker wait container</code>	wait until the container terminates and return the exit code
<code>docker commit container image</code>	commit a new docker image (snapshot of the container)

## Image management commands

command	description
<code>docker images</code> <code>docker history image</code> <code>docker inspect image...</code>	list all local images show the image history (list of ancestors) show low-level infos (in json format)
<code>docker tag image tag</code>	tag an image
<code>docker commit container image</code> <code>docker import url - [tag]</code>	create an image (from a container) create an image (from a tarball)
<code>docker rmi image...</code>	delete images

## Image transfer commands

### Using the registry API

<code>docker pull repo[:tag]...</code>	pull an image/repo from a registry
<code>docker push repo[:tag]...</code>	push an image/repo from a registry
<code>docker search text</code>	search an image on the official registry
<code>docker login ...</code>	login to a registry
<code>docker logout ...</code>	logout from a registry

### Manual transfer

<code>docker save repo[:tag]...</code>	export an image/repo as a tarball
<code>docker load</code>	load images from a tarball
<code>docker-ssh<sup>10</sup> ...</code>	proposed script to transfer images between two daemons over ssh

## Builder main commands

command	description
<code>FROM image scratch</code>	base image for the build
<code>MAINTAINER email</code>	name of the maintainer (metadata)
<code>COPY path dst</code>	copy <i>path</i> from the context into the container at location <i>dst</i>
<code>ADD src dst</code>	same as <code>COPY</code> but untar archives and accepts http urls
<code>RUN args...</code>	run an arbitrary command inside the container
<code>USER name</code>	set the default username
<code>WORKDIR path</code>	set the default working directory
<code>CMD args...</code>	set the default command
<code>ENV name value</code>	set an environment variable

## The Docker CLI

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### Manage images

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## **docker build**

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```
docker build [options] .  
  -t "app/container_name"    # name
```

Create an **image** from a Dockerfile.

## **docker run**

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```
docker run [options] IMAGE  
  # see `docker create` for options
```

Run a command in an **image**.

## **Manage containers**

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### **docker create**

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```
docker create [options] IMAGE  
  -a, --attach                # attach stdout/err  
  -i, --interactive          # attach stdin (interactive)  
  -t, --tty                  # pseudo-tty  
    --name NAME              # name your image  
  -p, --publish 5000:5000    # port map  
    --expose 5432            # expose a port to linked containers  
  -P, --publish-all         # publish all ports  
    --link container:alias   # linking  
  -v, --volume `pwd`:/app    # mount (absolute paths needed)  
  -e, --env NAME=hello       # env vars
```

### **Example**

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```
$ docker create --name app_redis_1 \  
  --expose 6379 \  
  redis:3.0.2
```

Create a **container** from an **image**.

### **docker exec**

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```
docker exec [options] CONTAINER COMMAND  
  -d, --detach               # run in background  
  -i, --interactive          # stdin  
  -t, --tty                  # interactive
```

## Example

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```
$ docker exec app_web_1 tail logs/development.log
$ docker exec -t -i app_web_1 rails c
```

Run commands in a `container` .

### `docker start`

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```
docker start [options] CONTAINER
-a, --attach          # attach stdout/err
-i, --interactive     # attach stdin
```

```
docker stop [options] CONTAINER
```

Start/stop a `container` .

### `docker ps`

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```
$ docker ps
$ docker ps -a
$ docker kill $ID
```

Manage `container` s using ps/kill.

## Images

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### `docker images`

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```
$ docker images
REPOSITORY    TAG       ID
ubuntu        12.10     b750fe78269d
me/myapp      latest    7b2431a8d968

$ docker images -a  # also show intermediate
```

Manages `image` s.

### `docker rmi`

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```
docker rmi b750fe78269d
```

Deletes `image` s.

## Dockerfile

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### Inheritance

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```
FROM ruby:2.2.2
```

### Variables

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```
ENV APP_HOME /myapp
RUN mkdir $APP_HOME
```

## Initialization

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```
RUN bundle install
```

```
WORKDIR /myapp
```

```
VOLUME ["/data"]
# Specification for mount point
```

```
ADD file.xyz /file.xyz
COPY --chown=user:group host_file.xyz /path/container_file.xyz
```

## Onbuild

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```
ONBUILD RUN bundle install
# when used with another file
```

## Commands

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```
EXPOSE 5900
CMD ["bundle", "exec", "rails", "server"]
```

## Entrypoint

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```
ENTRYPOINT ["executable", "param1", "param2"]
ENTRYPOINT command param1 param2
```

Configures a container that will run as an executable.

```
ENTRYPOINT exec top -b
```

This will use shell processing to substitute shell variables, and will ignore any `CMD` or `docker run` command line arguments.

## Metadata

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```
LABEL version="1.0"

LABEL "com.example.vendor"="ACME Incorporated"
LABEL com.example.label-with-value="foo"

LABEL description="This text illustrates \
that label-values can span multiple lines."
```

## docker-compose

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### Basic example

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```
# docker-compose.yml
version: '2'

services:
  web:
    build: .
    # build from Dockerfile
    context: ./Path
    dockerfile: Dockerfile
    ports:
      - "5000:5000"
    volumes:
      - ./code
  redis:
    image: redis
```

## Commands

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```
docker-compose start
docker-compose stop

docker-compose pause
docker-compose unpause

docker-compose ps
docker-compose up
docker-compose down
```

## Reference

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### Building

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```
web:
  # build from Dockerfile
  build: .

  # build from custom Dockerfile
  build:
    context: ./dir
    dockerfile: Dockerfile.dev

  # build from image
  image: ubuntu
  image: ubuntu:14.04
  image: tutum/influxdb
  image: example-registry:4000/postgresql
  image: a4bc65fd
```

### Ports

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```
ports:
  - "3000"
  - "8000:80" # guest:host

# expose ports to linked services (not to host)
expose: ["3000"]
```



## Commands

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```
# command to execute
command: bundle exec thin -p 3000
command: [bundle, exec, thin, -p, 3000]

# override the entrypoint
entrypoint: /app/start.sh
entrypoint: [php, -d, vendor/bin/phpunit]
```

## Environment variables

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```
# environment vars
environment:
  RACK_ENV: development
environment:
  - RACK_ENV=development

# environment vars from file
env_file: .env
env_file: [.env, .development.env]
```

## Dependencies

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```
# makes the `db` service available as the hostname `database`
# (implies depends_on)
links:
  - db:database
  - redis

# make sure `db` is alive before starting
depends_on:
  - db
```

## Other options

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```
# make this service extend another
extends:
  file: common.yml # optional
  service: webapp

volumes:
  - /var/lib/mysql
  - ./_data:/var/lib/mysql
```

## Advanced features

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### Labels

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```
services:
  web:
    labels:
      com.example.description: "Accounting web app"
```

## DNS servers

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```
services:
  web:
    dns: 8.8.8.8
    dns:
      - 8.8.8.8
      - 8.8.4.4
```

## Devices

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```
services:
  web:
    devices:
      - "/dev/ttyUSB0:/dev/ttyUSB0"
```

## External links

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```
services:
  web:
    external_links:
      - redis_1
      - project_db_1:mysql
```

## Hosts

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```
services:
  web:
    extra_hosts:
      - "somehost:192.168.1.100"
```

## services

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To view list of all the services running in swarm

```
docker service ls
```

To see all running services

```
docker stack services stack_name
```

to see all services logs

```
docker service logs stack_name service_name
```

To scale services quickly across qualified node

```
docker service scale stack_name_service_name=replicas
```

## clean up

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To clean or prune unused (dangling) images

```
docker image prune
```

To remove all images which are not in use containers , add - a

```
docker image prune -a
```

To Purne your entire system

```
docker system prune
```

To leave swarm

```
docker swarm leave
```

To remove swarm ( deletes all volume data and database info)

```
docker stack rm stack_name
```

To kill all running containers

```
docker kill $(docekr ps -q )
```

## **Contributor -**

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