

Dockerized Node.js App Documentation

Overview

This project is a simple Node.js application that uses Express to serve a "Hello, Dockerized Node.js App!" message. The application is containerized using Docker, making it easy to deploy and scale.

Prerequisites

- **Node.js**
- **Docker**

Project Structure

```
my-node-app/  
├── app.js           # Main application file  
├── Dockerfile       # Docker configuration file  
├── package.json     # Node.js dependencies and scripts  
└── README.md        # Project documentation (this file)
```

Setup Instructions

1 Install Dependencies

Install the required Node.js dependencies:

```
npm install
```

```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % sudo npm install express  
added 69 packages, and audited 70 packages in 2s  
  
14 packages are looking for funding  
  run `npm fund` for details  
  
found 0 vulnerabilities  
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % sudo node app.js  
Listening on port 3000
```

2 Run the App Locally

To run the app without Docker:

Visit **<http://localhost:3000>**



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Docker Setup

1 Build the Docker Image

Build the Docker image for the Node.js app:

```
FROM node:18
WORKDIR /usr/src/app
COPY package*.json ./
RUN npm install
COPY . .
EXPOSE 3000
CMD ["node", "app.js"]
```

```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker login
Authenticating with existing credentials...
Login Succeeded
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker build -t lab1-docker .
[+] Building 1788.1s (12/12) FINISHED
=> [internal] load build definition from Dockerfile
=> => transferring dockerfile: 188B
=> [internal] load metadata for docker.io/library/node:18
=> [auth] library/node:pull token for registry-1.docker.io
=> [internal] load .dockerignore
=> => transferring context: 103B
=> [1/5] FROM docker.io/library/node:18@sha256:ba756f198b4b1e0114b53b23121c8ae27f7ae4d5d95ca4a0554b0649cc9c7dcf
=> => resolve docker.io/library/node:18@sha256:ba756f198b4b1e0114b53b23121c8ae27f7ae4d5d95ca4a0554b0649cc9c7dcf
=> => sha256:ba756f198b4b1e0114b53b23121c8ae27f7ae4d5d95ca4a0554b0649cc9c7dcf 6.41kB / 6.41kB
=> => sha256:92bc55c03ade8f2fe25f75fdff0df86d88efacad9365978376ff4caad85a9010 2.50kB / 2.50kB
=> => sha256:fc10358e89334399648688e760ec7f005e3c8944e96231e6223ba9bf6bb50860 6.40kB / 6.40kB
```

2 Create a New Bridge Network

To ensure network isolation and facilitate communication between containers, create a new Docker bridge network:

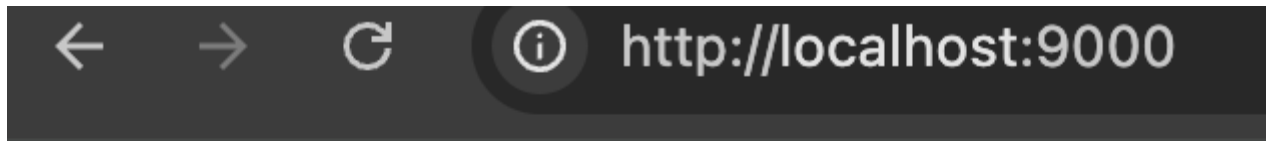
```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker network create docker-lab
476d9eae4ecd93262b6899da0072d0886b63290be9de940f920c7fee9ae8cc49
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker network ls
NETWORK ID        NAME          DRIVER         SCOPE
7e1dc4dc7857      bridge       bridge        local
476d9eae4ecd      docker-lab   bridge        local
```

3 Run the Docker Container Inside the Network

Run the container within the newly created bridge network:

```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker run -d --name node-app --network docker-lab -p 9000:3000 lab1-docker  
be9d14689f06208e9363c0c391c061cb73793c9fcc2e06a6c48666aeec5fc14f
```

Visit **<http://localhost:9000>** to access the app.



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4 Stop the Container

To stop the running container, first find its container ID using:

```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker ps  
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE     COMMAND                  CREATED        STATUS        PORTS  
d62e5ddca2eb   lab1-docker  "docker-entrypoint.s..." About a minute ago Up About a minute 0.0.0.0:9000->3000/tcp
```

Then, stop the container with remove:

```
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker stop be9d14689f06  
be9d14689f06  
macbook@macbooks-MacBook-Air On-Job-Training % docker remove be9d14689f06  
be9d14689f06
```