

Réponses questions TP01 :

Question 01: Why Do We Need a Volume? (Question 1-2)

if we don't use a volume the data is stored in a container, so if we will have problems in the container, or it will be deleted, we will lose the data, so by using the volume, data is stored persistently.

Question 02 : Why do we need a multistage build? And explain each step of this dockerfile?

to be sure that the image is lightweight, secure, and contains only the files necessary to run the application.

Question 03 : Why do we need a reverse proxy?

A reverse proxy is an intermediary server that receives client requests and forwards them to backend servers, we need it because:

1. **Security:** It hides the internal architecture and IP addresses of backend servers, protecting the internal network.
2. **Load balancing:** It distributes incoming traffic across multiple servers to prevent any single server from being overloaded.
3. **SSL/TLS termination:** It handles HTTPS encryption/decryption, offloading this work from backend servers.
4. **access control:** It allows filtering requests and consolidating logs for easier management.

Question 04: Why is docker-compose so important?

Docker Compose is a tool for defining and running multi-container Docker applications using a YAML file.

Docker Compose is important since:

1. **Simplified management :** It automates starting, stopping, and configuring multiple containers with a single command.

2. **Reproducibility:** It ensures the same environment everywhere (development, testing, production), reducing environment-related errors.
3. **Clear stack definition:** All services, networks, and volumes are defined in a single, easy-to-read file.
4. **Easy local orchestration :** It manages service dependencies (e.g., database starts before backend).
5. **Easier maintenance :** Updating, scaling, restarting, or stopping containers is much easier.