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An underwater scene with various types of coral and seaweed in shades of blue, green, and purple. Bubbles are visible in the upper left. The background is a dark blue gradient.

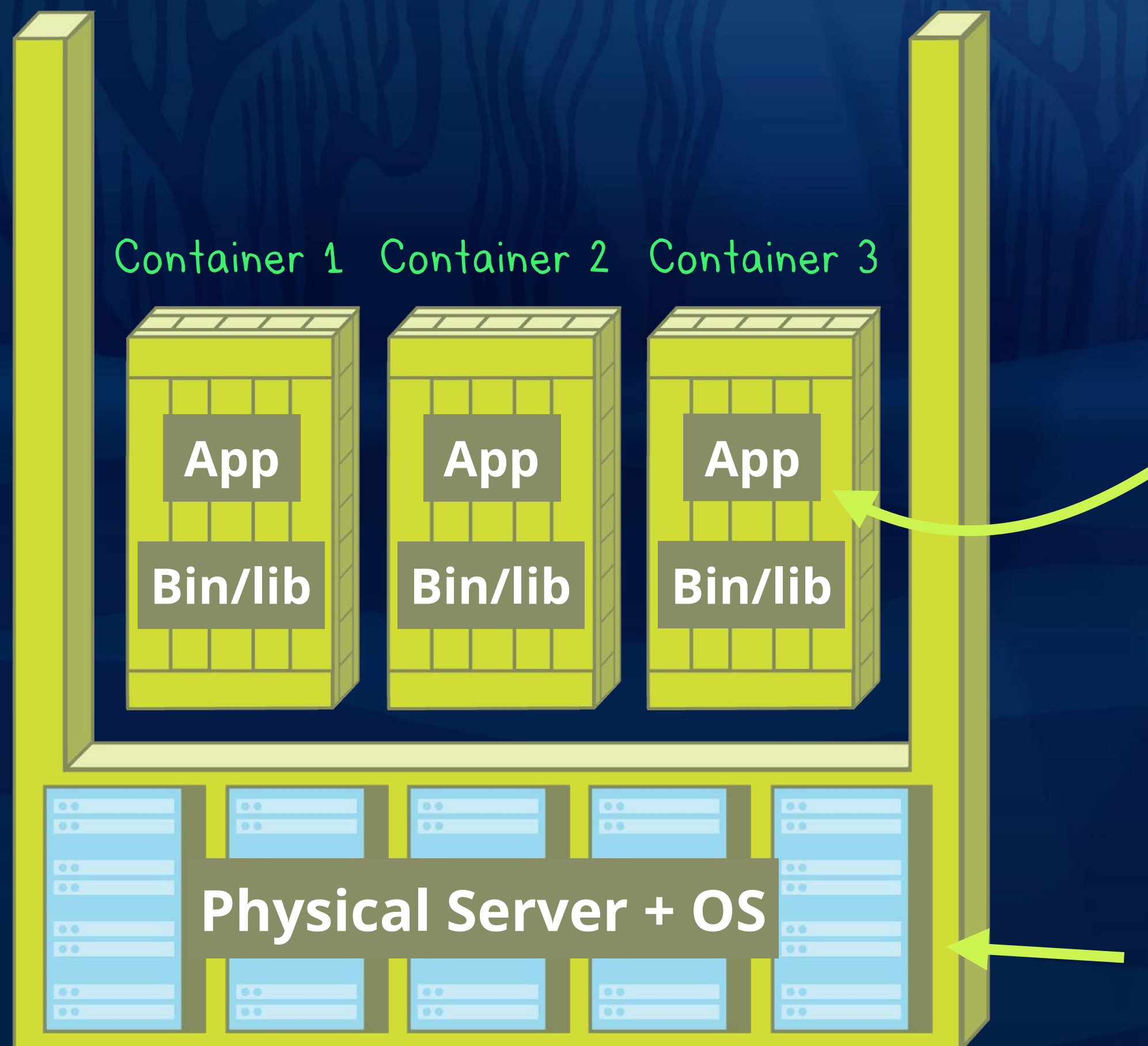
Level 1 – Section 1

Containers & Images

Running Your First Container

What Are Linux Containers?

Linux containers are a way to create isolated environments that can run code while sharing a single operating system.



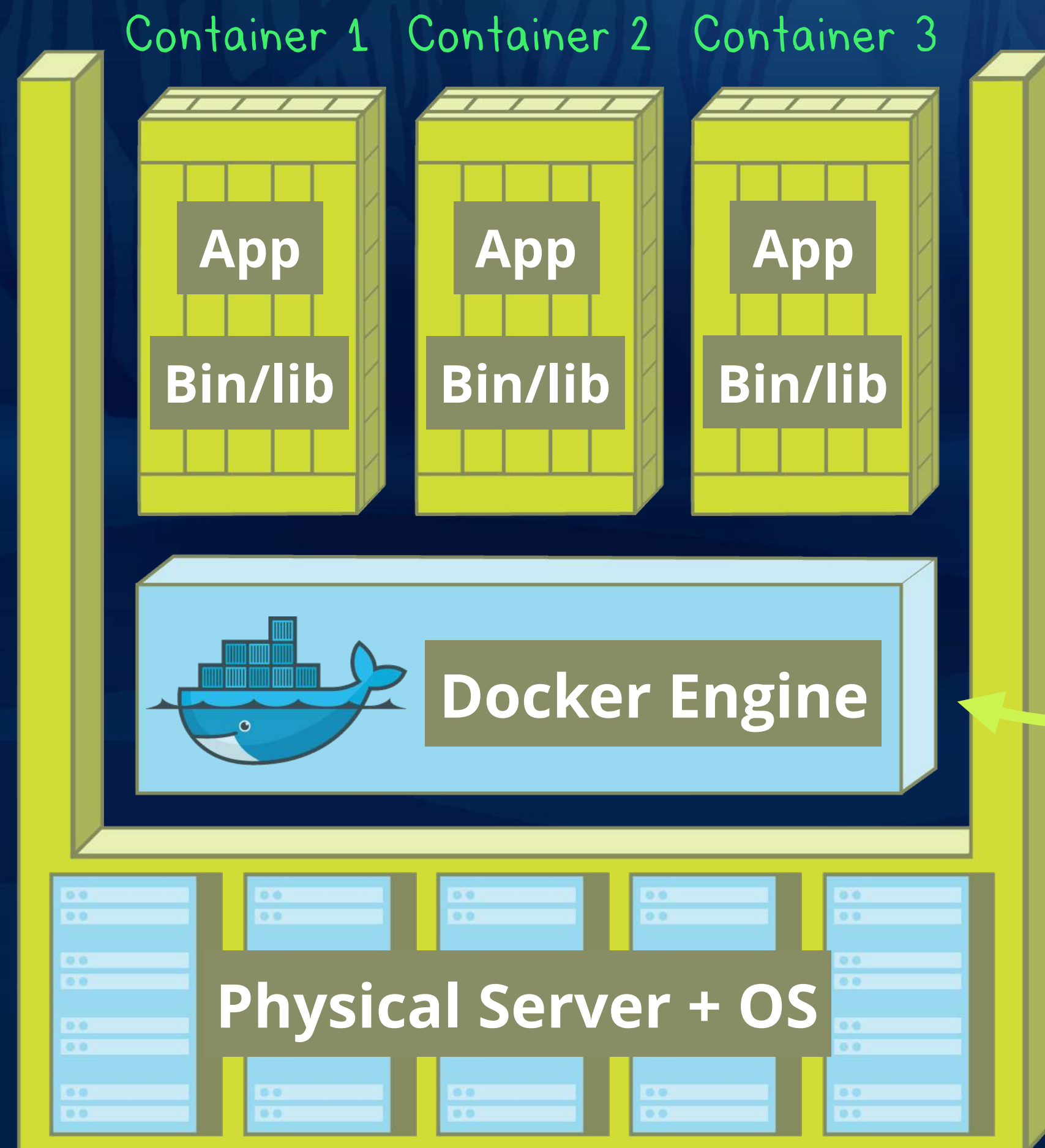
Each container is completely isolated from the others

A computer somewhere - could even be the laptop or desktop computer you're using right now!

Why Docker?

Managing Linux containers is hard.

Docker is a tool that makes it much easier to manage Linux containers.



*Application that manages
containers behind the scenes*

How Can Docker Help Me?

There are many different ways people can use Docker.

Developers

Create contained, controlled dev environment

Share identical dev environment across team

Bug reporting

IT Ops

Testing

Deployment

*This is what
we'll focus on
in this course*

Installing Docker

The simplest way to install Docker is to download one of the official Docker applications.

Applications

Docker for Mac - Community Edition

Docker for Windows - Community Edition

Installation Instructions

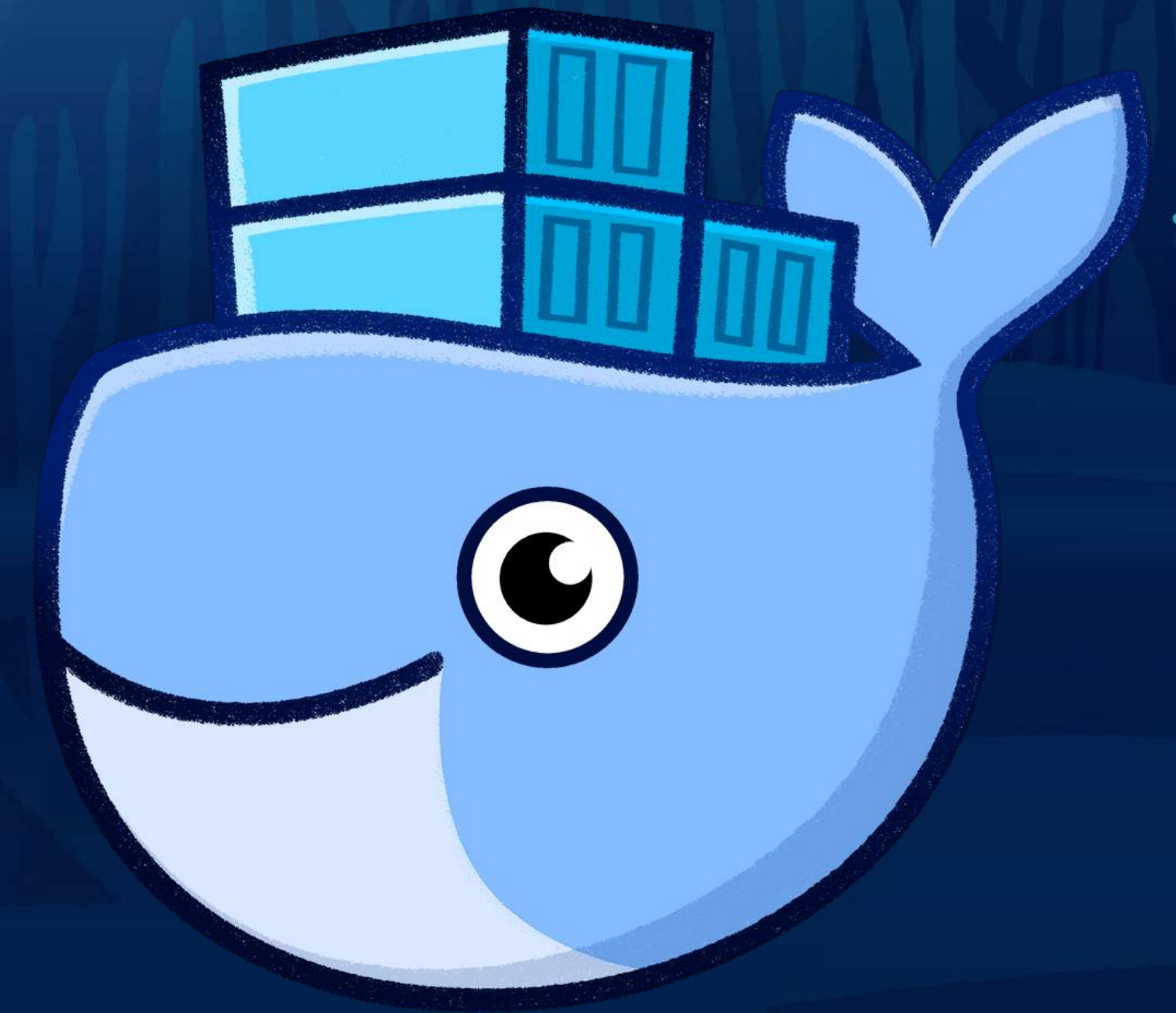
Linux

AWS

Azure

Windows Server

<https://go.codeschool.com/install-docker>



Containers & Images

An image is a blueprint for creating a container.



*Pre-built images
available in Docker
Store (and Docker
Hub)*