

ECC - Assignment 3

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Docker Installation:

1. I have used Jetstream because it has preinstalled docker in root user.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ docker --version
Docker version 24.0.5, build 24.0.5-0ubuntu1~22.04.1
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$
```

Note: Since the docker was installed on root user to access the volumes I had to use sudo commands.

Directory Structure:

Below is the directory which I created to perform this assignment.

1. As seen in screenshot below, I have created a folder Assignment3, which consists of docker-compose.yml, serverFolder and clientFolder.
2. Inside of clientFolder I have created a dockerfile.client and client.py.
3. Inside of serverFolder I have created a dockerfile.server and server.py.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ ls -lart
total 20
-rw-rw-r-- 1 exouser exouser 575 Dec 8 22:31 docker-compose.yml
drwxrwxr-x 2 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:55 serverFolder
drwxrwxr-x 4 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 .
drwxrwxr-x 2 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 clientFolder
drwxr-x--- 17 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 ..
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ cd clientFolder/
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/clientFolder$ ll
total 16
drwxrwxr-x 2 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 ./
drwxrwxr-x 4 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 ../
-rw-rw-r-- 1 exouser exouser 318 Dec 8 23:56 Dockerfile.client
-rw-rw-r-- 1 exouser exouser 1269 Dec 8 23:49 client.py
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/clientFolder$ cd ../serverFolder/
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/serverFolder$ ll
total 16
drwxrwxr-x 2 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:55 ./
drwxrwxr-x 4 exouser exouser 4096 Dec 8 23:56 ../
-rw-rw-r-- 1 exouser exouser 141 Dec 8 23:52 Dockerfile.server
-rw-rw-r-- 1 exouser exouser 1037 Dec 8 23:50 server.py
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/serverFolder$
```

Files:

1. Docker-compose.yml:

- Below is the screenshot of docker-compose.yml.
- It defines two services, "server" and "client," connected to a custom network named "mydockerNetwork."
- Each service utilizes named volumes ("servervol" and "clientvol").
- Volumes are used to persist data for the "server" and "client" services in the /serverdata and /clientdata
- The "client" service depends on the "server" service, ensuring proper service startup order.

```
version: '3'

services:
  server:
    build:
      context: ./serverFolder
      dockerfile: Dockerfile.server
    networks:
      - mydockerNetwork
    volumes:
      - servervol:/serverdata

  client:
    build:
      context: ./clientFolder
      dockerfile: Dockerfile.client
    networks:
      - mydockerNetwork
    volumes:
      - clientvol:/clientdata
    depends_on:
      - server

networks:
  mydockerNetwork:
    driver: bridge
    name: mydockerNetwork

volumes:
  servervol:
  clientvol:
```

2. Dockerfile.server:

- This Dockerfile sets up a Python 3.9 environment, defines the working directory as /app, and specifies a volume at /serverdata.
- It copies a Flask-based Python script named server.py into the container's /app directory, installs the Flask library.

- It specifies the default command to run the Flask server on port 8080 when the container starts.

```
FROM python:3.9

WORKDIR /app

VOLUME /serverdata

COPY server.py /app/server.py

RUN pip install Flask

CMD ["python", "server.py", "8080"]
```

3. Server.py:

- It creates a Flask web application with a single route ('/') that generates a random file (randomFile.txt),
- Calculates its SHA-256 checksum and accepts the file with the checksum included in the response headers.
- The server listens on the specified port 8080.

```
from flask import Flask, send_file, make_response
import os
import hashlib
import string
import random
import sys

app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/')
def serveRandomFile():
    filePath = '/serverdata/randomFile.txt'
    checksum = generateRandomFile(filePath)
    response = make_response(send_file(filePath, as_attachment=True, download_name='randomFile.txt', mimetype='application/octet-stream'))
    response.headers['Checksum'] = checksum
    return response

def generateRandomFile(filePath):
    with open(filePath, 'w') as file:
        characters = string.ascii_letters + string.digits
        fileContent = ''.join(random.choice(characters) for _ in range(1024))
        file.write(fileContent)

    # Calculate checksum (SHA-256 in this example)
    sha256 = hashlib.sha256()
    sha256.update(fileContent.encode('utf-8'))
    return sha256.hexdigest()

if __name__ == '__main__':
    serverPort = int(sys.argv[1]) if len(sys.argv) > 1 else 8080
    app.run(host='0.0.0.0', port=serverPort)
```

4. Dockerfile.client

- This Dockerfile sets up a Python 3.9 environment for a client application, installs the requests library, copies a Python script (client.py) into the container's /app directory.
- It defines a volume at /clientdata.

```
FROM python:3.9

WORKDIR /app

RUN pip install requests

COPY client.py /app/client.py

VOLUME /clientdata

CMD ["python", "client.py"]
```

5. Client.py:

- It defines a client application that gets a file with checksum from a specified server URL (<http://server:8080/>).
- The file is saved at /clientdata/receivedFile.txt, and its checksum is verified using SHA-256.
- If the checksum verification fails, an error message is printed.

```
import requests
import hashlib
import time
import os

SERVER_URL = "http://server:8080/"
FILE_PATH = '/clientdata/receivedFile.txt'

def downloadFile(url):
    response = requests.get(url)
    if response.status_code == 200:
        with open(FILE_PATH, 'wb') as file:
            file.write(response.content)
        return FILE_PATH, response.headers.get('Checksum')
    else:
        return None, None

def calculateChecksum(filePath):
    sha256 = hashlib.sha256()
    with open(filePath, 'rb') as file:
        for chunk in iter(lambda: file.read(8192), b''):
            sha256.update(chunk)
    return sha256.hexdigest()

def verification(filePath, recievedChecksum):
    actual_checksum = calculateChecksum(filePath)
    return actual_checksum == recievedChecksum

def main():
    downloadedFile, recievedChecksum = downloadFile(SERVER_URL)
    if downloadedFile and recievedChecksum:
        if verification(downloadedFile, recievedChecksum):
            print("----- File received and Checksum verified. -----")
        else:
            print("Checksum verification failed.")
    else:
        print("Error downloading file")

    while True:
        time.sleep(10)

if __name__ == '__main__':
    main()
```

Questions:

Build and Run your server and client container.

- I have used the docker-compose.yml to define and configure multi-container.
- Using docker-compose build as below I have built and run my containers – assignment3-client_1 and assignment3-server_1.
- The docker-compose build command is used to build or rebuild the docker images defined in my docker compose file.
- When I run this command in the directory where my docker-compose.yml file is located, it reads the configuration and builds images for all the services defined in the file.

```

exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ docker-compose build
Building server
DEPRECATED: The legacy builder is deprecated and will be removed in a future release.
             Install the buildx component to build images with BuildKit:
             https://docs.docker.com/go/buildx/

Sending build context to Docker daemon 4.096kB
Step 1/6 : FROM python:3.9
--> f40a52f78dc1
Step 2/6 : WORKDIR /app
--> Using cache
--> a85c71ea1809
Step 3/6 : VOLUME /serverdata
--> Using cache
--> 6acc00356725
Step 4/6 : COPY server.py /app/server.py
--> Using cache
--> dd6b073a4623
Step 5/6 : RUN pip install Flask
--> Using cache
--> 210158b80353
Step 6/6 : CMD ["python", "server.py", "8080"]
--> Using cache
--> c5a76d42dba6
Successfully built c5a76d42dba6
Successfully tagged assignment3_server:latest
Building client
DEPRECATED: The legacy builder is deprecated and will be removed in a future release.
             Install the buildx component to build images with BuildKit:
             https://docs.docker.com/go/buildx/

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Step 1/6 : FROM python:3.9
--> f40a52f78dc1
Step 2/6 : WORKDIR /app
--> Using cache
--> a85c71ea1809
Step 3/6 : RUN pip install requests
--> Using cache
--> 93095c43528f
Step 4/6 : COPY client.py /app/client.py
--> 7f92aeaf7245
Step 5/6 : VOLUME /clientdata
--> Running in c31f006a6948
Removing intermediate container c31f006a6948
--> 6b56063d3b2a
Step 6/6 : CMD ["python", "client.py"]
--> Running in 4b82d2b90280
Removing intermediate container 4b82d2b90280
--> 229e54c81456
Successfully built 229e54c81456
Successfully tagged assignment3_client:latest
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$

```

- After that I executed the command **docker-compose up -d** to start the services mentioned in the docker compose file.
- I have used -d flag which is detached mode use to run services in the background.
- Below is the screenshot of docker-compose up -d and as we can see, network **mydockerNetwork** is created, with two volumes **assignment3_servervol** and **assignment3_clientvol** and two services **assignment3_server_1** and **assignment3_client_1**.

```

exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ docker-compose up -d
Creating network "mydockerNetwork" with driver "bridge"
Creating volume "assignment3_servervol" with default driver
Creating volume "assignment3_clientvol" with default driver
Creating assignment3_server_1 ... done
Creating assignment3_client_1 ... done
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$

```

- Below is the screenshot of docker-compose ps command and we can see both containers are up and running.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ docker-compose ps
```

Name	Command	State	Ports
assignment3_client_1	python client.py	Up	
assignment3_server_1	python server.py 8080	Up	

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$
```

Communication between the two:

- Using the client.py and server.py the communication is happening between the containers, and it can be seen using the file transfer that is happening within the network between the client and server containers.
- I have created a network named **mydockerNetwork** as seen in the below screenshot.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/clientFolder$ docker network ls
```

NETWORK ID	NAME	DRIVER	SCOPE
900fa06adce4	bridge	bridge	local
6cd018d4f906	guacamole_exo-guac-net	bridge	local
209cb00891c2	host	host	local
08d769dcfb3e	mydockerNetwork	bridge	local
dda764d9e437	none	null	local

- Both my containers **assignment3_server_1** and **assignment3_client_1** is running the same network mydockerNetwork which can be seen in the screenshot below.
- I have configured all of these in docker-compose.yml as mentioned in File section above.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$ docker network inspect mydockerNetwork
```

```
[
  {
    "Name": "mydockerNetwork",
    "Id": "08d769dcfb3e32af6f1e67345d792b9291a7fb3e4f2f647d70512e2bf3fc22c8",
    "Created": "2023-12-08T23:58:20.057698235Z",
    "Scope": "local",
    "Driver": "bridge",
    "EnableIPv6": false,
    "IPAM": {
      "Driver": "default",
      "Options": null,
      "Config": [
        {
          "Subnet": "172.20.0.0/16",
          "Gateway": "172.20.0.1"
        }
      ]
    },
    "Internal": false,
    "Attachable": true,
    "Ingress": false,
    "ConfigFrom": {
      "Network": ""
    },
    "ConfigOnly": false,
    "Containers": {
      "a6e00d6fcbc3657d8988e4e9e68e49c96f4ce838a01d74fe4d8699c20cd29e3f": {
        "Name": "assignment3_client_1",
        "EndpointID": "6648bcd03cddb922ef37c82b9f4040e05807c56af19779c0cf8914a48fb37fea",
        "MacAddress": "02:42:ac:14:00:03",
        "IPv4Address": "172.20.0.3/16",
        "IPv6Address": ""
      },
      "fb646a2a623a9a11048927a4d4988f06e1d61c3a92b66ae9303ca6930659f28c": {
        "Name": "assignment3_server_1",
        "EndpointID": "c2eeabe86ff10d1c5dab612966d3495ce515ab914e72c312752b2579d66ec241",
        "MacAddress": "02:42:ac:14:00:02",
        "IPv4Address": "172.20.0.2/16",
        "IPv6Address": ""
      }
    },
    "Options": {},
    "Labels": {
      "com.docker.compose.network": "mydockerNetwork",
      "com.docker.compose.project": "assignment3",
      "com.docker.compose.version": "1.29.2"
    }
  }
]
```

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$
```

- I also created two volumes **assignment3_clientvol** and **assignment3_servervol** as shown below to store the container data.

```
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3/clientFolder$ docker volume ls
DRIVER      VOLUME NAME
local       assignment3_clientvol
local       assignment3_servervol
```

- Below is screenshot of volumes prior to creating the volumes for the assignment.

```
root@sdiware:~#
root@sdiware:~# cd /var/lib/docker/volumes/
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes# ll
total 32
drwx-----x  2 root root  4096 Dec  8 21:53 ./
drwx--x--- 12 root root  4096 Dec  8 21:53 ../
brw-----   1 root root    8, 1 Dec  8 21:53 backingFsBlockDev
-rw-----   1 root root 32768 Dec  8 21:53 metadata.db
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes# exit
logout
exouser@sdiware:~/Assignment3$
```

- Below is screenshot of volumes after creating the volumes for the assignment.

```
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes# ll
total 40
drwx-----x  4 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 ./
drwx--x--- 12 root root  4096 Dec  8 21:53 ../
drwx-----x  3 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 assignment3_clientvol/
drwx-----x  3 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 assignment3_servervol/
brw-----   1 root root    8, 1 Dec  8 21:53 backingFsBlockDev
-rw-----   1 root root 32768 Dec  8 23:58 metadata.db
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes#
```

- After successfully running the containers, the randomFile.txt in the server.py is transferred from server to client and recievedFile.txt is received at the client side.
- I verified this by navigating to the volumes as shown below.

```
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes# cd assignment3_clientvol/_data/
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data#
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data#
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data# ll
total 12
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 ./
drwx-----x  3 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 ../
-rw-r--r--   1 root root  1024 Dec  8 23:58 recievedFile.txt
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data# cd ../../assignment3_servervol/_data/
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data# ll
total 12
drwxr-xr-x  2 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 ./
drwx-----x  3 root root  4096 Dec  8 23:58 ../
-rw-r--r--   1 root root  1024 Dec  8 23:58 randomFile.txt
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data#
```

- Also, I verified the cksum too for both the files and it is the same as seen below. (I have done this for additional verification).

```
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data# cksum randomFile.txt
455717187 1024 randomFile.txt
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data#
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data#
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_servervol/_data# cd ../../assignment3_clientvol/_data/
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data#
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data# cksum recievedFile.txt
455717187 1024 recievedFile.txt
root@sdiware:/var/lib/docker/volumes/assignment3_clientvol/_data#
```

- Note: Since the docker was installed on root user to access the volumes I had to use sudo commands.

→ Although I am sending the checksum and verifying it in client.py too as mentioned in files section.

Client Container Shell:

- Below is the screenshot of client container shell.
- I used docker-compose exec client sh to open the client container shell.
- I navigated to /clientdata to verify the received file.
- As seen below the file is received and checksum is also the correct one.

```
root@xouser:~/Assignment3$ docker-compose exec client sh
#
# pwd
/app
# cd ../
# ls -lart
total 64
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Sep 29 20:04 home
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Sep 29 20:04 boot
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 var
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 usr
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 srv
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 8 Nov 20 00:00 sbin -> usr/sbin
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 opt
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 mnt
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Nov 20 00:00 media
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 10 Nov 20 00:00 libx32 -> usr/libx32
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 9 Nov 20 00:00 lib64 -> usr/lib64
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 9 Nov 20 00:00 lib32 -> usr/lib32
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 7 Nov 20 00:00 lib -> usr/lib
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 7 Nov 20 00:00 bin -> usr/bin
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Nov 21 09:53 run
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:55 root
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:55 tmp
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:56 app
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 etc
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 0 Dec 8 23:58 .dockerenv
dr-xr-xr-x 13 root root 0 Dec 8 23:58 sys
dr-xr-xr-x 392 root root 0 Dec 8 23:58 proc
drwxr-xr-x 5 root root 340 Dec 8 23:58 dev
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 .
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 .
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 clientdata
# cd clientdata
#
# ls -lart
total 12
drwxr-xr-x 1 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 .
-rw-r--r-- 1 root root 1024 Dec 8 23:58 receivedFile.txt
drwxr-xr-x 2 root root 4096 Dec 8 23:58 .
# cat receivedFile.txt
f8B1pfo0BPu13Z0l8kpsnzUwToj0oLly4Tb0S2SD8F98H79BYcsFRAORQFNT7KSLXU61UDJm81x8B8huWVg6D54nCtpvvgomHAKCm0pyaMxH1jZRTphw32Kd5TJTpLB3C08PY4c8dpERKbAg30u0iFoI0uM01xf1MCR927MUCHju7zRyIN7j70Njuggo668zIx3VtBynAiW14
57m6eHACFaSDXVhI1g1K1sBR57kZt2a21B6w3D6vCwoVHe8z1Rd73k6XAGHSAHZEK8En3B00nWghp3s1iC2UgNAC00ytgB2Q3d3oMHT4NencCyEqpgkKa0r9wxsx28aooTu6rq1jkdYNgEwd6f9mp28Cnue8kv4b1C5VE6qVvYRHB3Um5nKob97OXwMEKI1IN6FeoyLcd4cX9g
PkjTHQNGLNDajqXn2HRMOF9Ou15Uwx9p4rYR4obJ5ED01qW0JmIdgz8UuMs07eCfz2TyrwykT1nHgPwVvNby53KpTYWvGrXp6MvN2iCHNNTwI2jFKI2e1rBhnyXyrz2j5mkUdiVmTuu22N2jMwxFQcVg8XRxe5VhK0MEngJUVnFfeHJzD5McrFINobNAJvHUNRmeFTpMs8i8eH
F2b1EDEgDIuz2iZzLTJAH4goPa3DHFaF7b1Hw9FinIhe7CHtU8kMmx01fXGsxGwKfJdFvYbKAiA1be9ADNryEywCk1AxsXp0aAooUVqexImK3JazPulw9C4QXD6mJYsMHPdDzRy1Y11r2G52C7TPzKTDNSwR8HyDnmgL08oyXlWqX9u8kiJDOUOhBecm8dR1o9q4hy3dxA11G37N
pGL3dZHubuFkwTZhYdowpeZYLTYF7FKbBu4vqY8hcodPSiC7eU51KPIVw1rSSZdaAB8EFoxuqqm#
#
# cksum receivedFile.txt
455717187 1024 receivedFile.txt
#
```