

# Docker: Containerization

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# What is Docker

**Docker** separates applications from infrastructure using the container technology. This is similar to the way VMs separate operating systems from the hardware. Using Docker containers, you can deploy, replicate, move, and back up a workload even more quickly and easily than you can do so using virtual machines. Docker containers are highly **scalable** (can be expanded rapidly), **portable** (Dockerized applications are extremely portable). Docker uses **google 'Go'** programming language for Docker development.

- **Docker Registries:**

A registry is a storage and content delivery system, holding named Docker images, available in different tagged versions. Users interact with a registry by using Docker push and pull commands.

One can create and share Docker images on 'Docker hub' for sharing with co-workers, customers etc.

```
$ docker pull  
$ docker run <container name>
```

- Docker formerly known as **dotCloud**

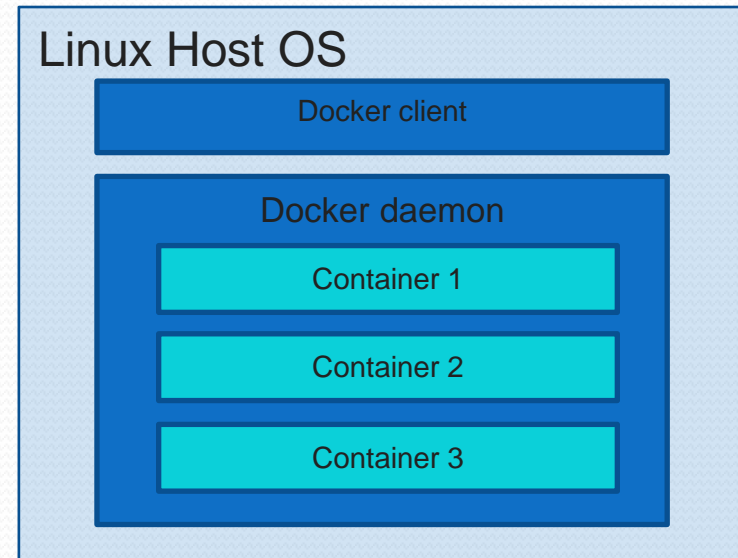
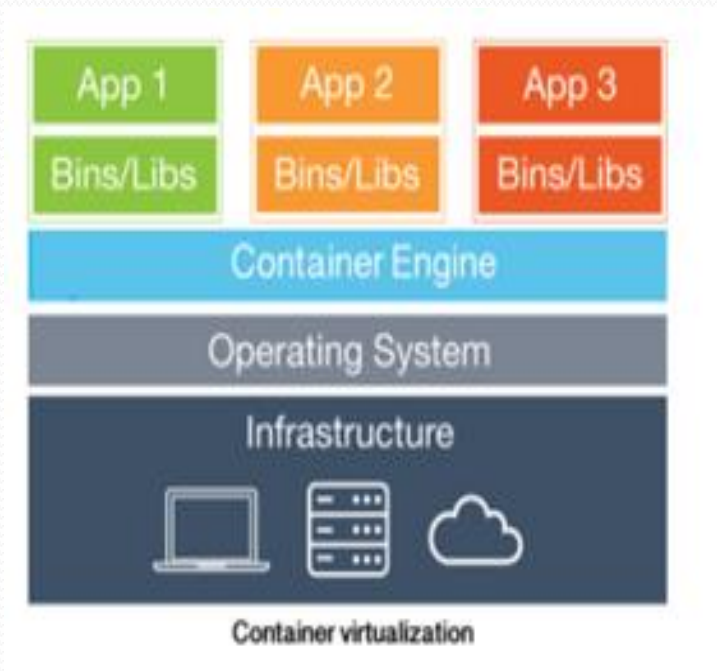
Linux Kernel

Namespaces

CGroups

Capabilities

# Docker Architecture



- Container are very light weight that shared same OS kernel, as compared to a VM.
- Container still provides isolated user space like a VM. This can also be referred as container virtualization or OS level virtualization.
- Container share Host OS resources like, RAM, CPU, Storage, network, etc.
- Each container has its own set of file system, like /etc, /var, /opt, etc.
- Container is created from a Docker image that can be customized. One create own Docker image using Dockerfile suitable to your requirement.
- Containerization is based on the Linux Kernel Namespaces.
- Docker uses '**libcontainer**' as the execution driver instead of Linux LXC that was used earlier.

# Docker High Level picture

Docker Engine  
(Shipping Yard)



Docker Images  
(Shipping Manifests)

UNIFORM HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST		Form Approved OMB No. 2000-0039	
Generator's Name and Site Address		Manifest Tracking Number	
1. Generator's Name and Site Address NYC of NY, LLC 59 Falls Industrial Park Rd. Hudson, NY 12534		001649352 GBF	
2. Generator's Phone Brian Henlock 518-828-9997		3. Manifest Tracking Number 800-424-9300	
4. Transporter's Name SJ Transportation Co. Inc.		5. U.S. EPA ID Number HJD071629976	
6. Designated Facility Name and Site Address TCI of Alabama, LLC 101 Parkway East Pell City, AL 35125		7. U.S. EPA ID Number ALD983167891	
8. Facility's Phone 205-338-9997		9. U.S. EPA ID Number	
10. U.S. DOT Description (including Proper Shipping Name, Hazard Class, ID Number, and Packing Group (if any))		11. Containers	12. Total Quantity
1. PC Polychlorinated Biphenyls, SOLID UN3432, 9, PGIII PCB DEBRIS		1 DM 159	K 3007
2. PC Polychlorinated Biphenyls, LIQUID UN2315, 9, PGIII 50-499ppm PCB OIL		4 DM 901	K 8002

Docker containers  
(Shipping Containers)



While using a container from public repository, utmost care should be taken of using only trusted container as there can be malicious code in the containers.

**Docker engine** is also known as **Docker Daemon** or **Docker Runtime**.....

# Installing Docker

**Docker** can be installed on **Windows** as well as Linux flavor machine.

- Currently Docker can be installed only on Windows7, Windows8 and Windows10. For Win7 and Win8, one need Docker toolbox to work.
- Download Docker for windows from the URL,
- <https://docs.docker.com/docker-for-windows/install>
- Docker on windows will need the **hyper-v** to be enabled on windows. If you have any other virtualization platform installed on your windows machine, like VirtualBox, it will have to be disabled in order to use Docker on Windows.
- Once we download the '[InstallDocker.msi](#)' file, install it by following standard installation instructions.

```
Kernel Version: 3.13.0-105-generic
Operating System: Ubuntu 14.04.5 LTS
CPUs: 1
Total Memory: 1.955 GiB
Name: dockerhost
```

# Install Docker-ce

Installing Docker-ce is advised as against installing docker.io

```
$ sudo apt-get update
$ sudo apt-get install \
    linux-image-extra-$(uname -r) \
    linux-image-extra-virtual
$ sudo apt-get update
$ sudo apt-get install \
    apt-transport-https \
    ca-certificates \
    curl \
    software-properties-common
$ curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo apt-key
add -
$ sudo add-apt-repository \
    "deb [arch=amd64] https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \
    $(lsb_release -cs) \
    stable"
$ sudo apt-get update
$ sudo apt-get install docker-ce
```

# Docker-ce on Centos

```
$ sudo yum install -y yum-utils \  
device-mapper-persistent-data \  
lvm2
```

```
$ sudo yum-config-manager \  
--add-repo \  
https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.repo
```

```
$ sudo yum install docker-ce
```

```
$ sudo systemctl start docker
```



# Docker further

**Now** to use a docker **image** that is part of the docker repository, use below command,

**Docker** promotes the **standardization** ideology and so that a container created on a local machine can easily be **ported** to EC2, Azure or any other **cloud** environment.

`$ docker run -it ubuntu /bin/bash` ---- this tells the docker to run in interactive mode and assign a terminal, use the **Ubuntu image** for the container to create and then run the `/bin/bash` command once the container is ready.

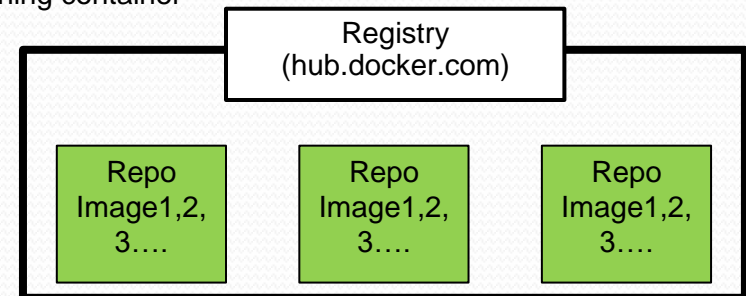
```
Unable to find image 'ubuntu:latest' locally
latest: Pulling from library/ubuntu
ffa920a196d9: Pull complete
5e951a8003f1: Pull complete
1764a46f680f: Pull complete
31c87eb8694d: Pull complete
1d6f52380bd7: Pull complete
fa454a3d0892: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:0c01b5105fc57b5eb8b7bb1d697b9dc5602022f69a0a33bf282b117e7a754a91
Status: Downloaded newer image for ubuntu:latest
```

`$ docker ps -a` ---- this will show all processes running on the host.

`$ docker start <container code>` --- start the container

`$ docker attach <container code>` --- attach to running container

**Docker HUB: Registries and Repository:**



# Docker Commands

## Commands:

attach	Attach to a running container
build	Build an image from a Dockerfile
commit	Create a new image from a container's changes
cp	Copy files/folders between a container and the local filesystem
create	Create a new container
diff	Inspect changes on a container's filesystem
events	Get real time events from the server
exec	Run a command in a running container
export	Export a container's filesystem as a tar archive
history	Show the history of an image
images	List images
import	Import the contents from a tarball to create a filesystem image
info	Display system-wide information
inspect	Return low-level information on a container or image
kill	Kill a running container
load	Load an image from a tar archive or STDIN
login	Register or log in to a Docker registry
logout	Log out from a Docker registry
logs	Fetch the logs of a container
network	Manage Docker networks
pause	Pause all processes within a container
port	List port mappings or a specific mapping for the CONTAINER
ps	List containers
pull	Pull an image or a repository from a registry
push	Push an image or a repository to a registry
rename	Rename a container
restart	Restart a container
rm	Remove one or more containers
rmi	Remove one or more images
run	Run a command in a new container
save	Save an image(s) to a tar archive
search	Search the Docker Hub for images

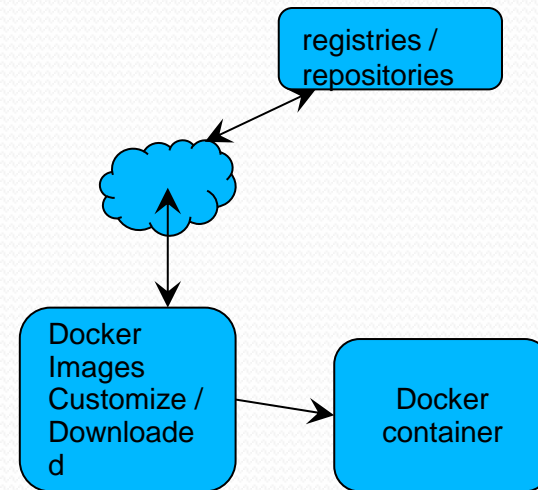
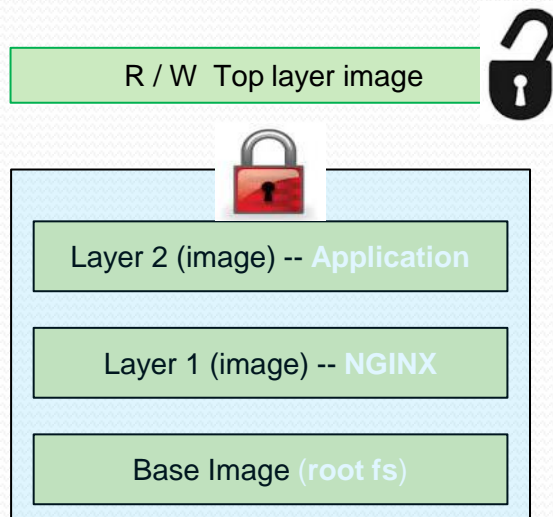
Docker provides commands to manage, to create and share the images

start	Start one or more stopped containers
stats	Display a live stream of container(s) resource usage statistics
stop	Stop a running container
tag	Tag an image into a repository
top	Display the running processes of a container
unpause	Unpause all processes within a container
version	Show the Docker version information
volume	Manage Docker volumes
wait	Block until a container stops, then print its exit code

# Docker Images

**Docker Images:** Docker images can be **stacked** on one another to form a single image. This is achieved using the **Union mounts**.

This scenario is very much likely when we go on adding new application on the existing images. This provides a lot of flexibility of maintaining and updating, making it highly scalable and portable.



`$ docker image history <image_id>` ... provides history of the image... what changes have happened while creating the image.

# Docker Images

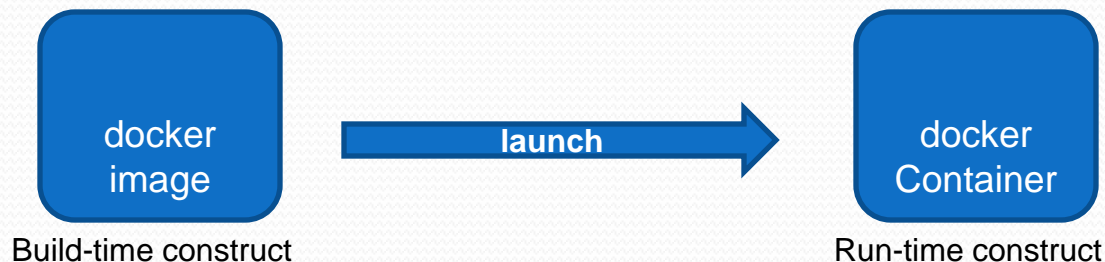
When we pull docker images from hub / repository, there are other images that are pulled along with it. Those are the **layers** of images that are part of the top level image.

REPOSITORY	TAG	IMAGE ID	CREATED	VIRTUAL SIZE
ubuntu	latest	fa454a3d0892	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
<none>	<none>	1d6f52380bd/	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
<none>	<none>	31c87eb8694d	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
<none>	<none>	1764a46f680f	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
<none>	<none>	5e951a8003f1	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
<none>	<none>	ffa920a196d9	3 weeks ago	129.5 MB
centos	latest	2785d012ae3e	9 weeks ago	191.8 MB
<none>	<none>	8a478b6da50a	9 weeks ago	191.8 MB
<none>	<none>	a06898bd69f9	9 weeks ago	191.8 MB
<none>	<none>	8aae2253a786	5 months ago	0 B

`$ docker load -i <location_of_image_file>` ... load a image file downloaded

`$ docker pull -a <image_name>` ... pulls all docker images for an image name e.g.

`docker pull -a ubuntu..` Will pull all available versions of Ubuntu images from docker hub.



# Docker Containers

Every Docker container get a **writable top layer** where changes to the container are done, like installing a new app, file creation, IP address changes etc.,

```
$ docker run -it ubuntu /bin/bash
```

 --- run a container using mentioned image, unpacks the image, layers and build a container with a terminal in interactive mode and assign a shell prompt.

```
$ docker -p -q ..
```

 Keep docker running in the background without exiting.

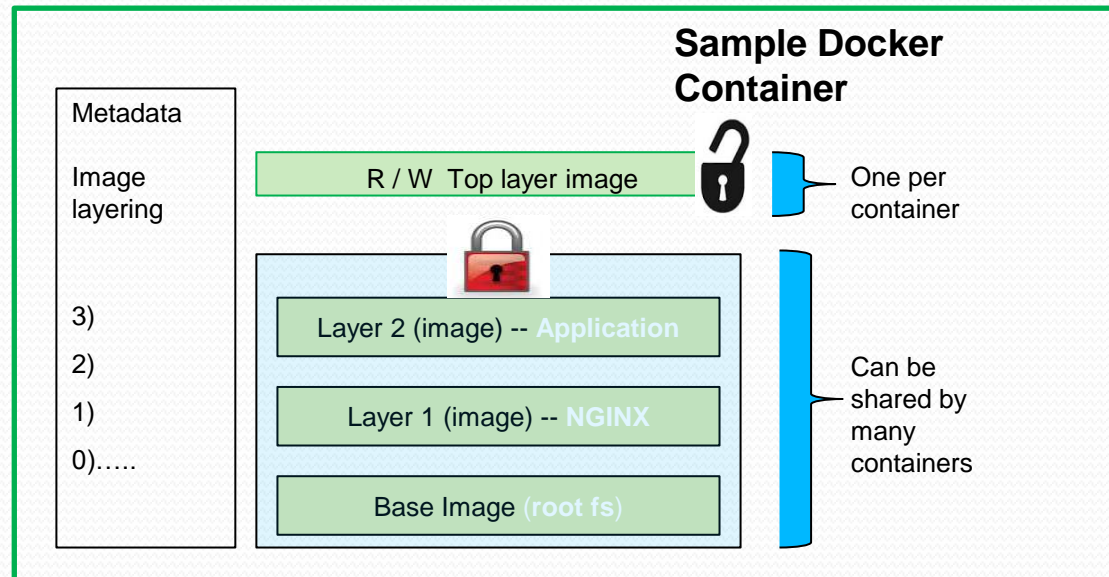
```
$ docker run -it -d ubuntu
```

 ----- run a docker container in detached mode. The container can be attached to with the command, 

```
$ docker attach <container_ID>
```

Also one get attached to docker running container using command,

```
$ docker exec -it <docker_container_id> bash
```



# Docker Containers

Inside `/var/lib/docker/container` folder are the container structures.

```
root@dockerhost:/var/lib/docker/containers# tree
.
├── a28b32ef431bab576f7108a3891a4c0254b42b1582a1173bbb923c4a4bd7e438
│   ├── a28b32ef431bab576f7108a3891a4c0254b42b1582a1173bbb923c4a4bd7e438-json.log
│   ├── config.json
│   ├── hostconfig.json
│   ├── hostname
│   ├── hosts
│   ├── mqueue
│   ├── resolv.conf
│   ├── resolv.conf.hash
│   └── shm
└── e709c244a36ce0ea6786b66b5322293a0d70f96bb5d66af866f1b8351c687a40
    ├── config.json
    ├── e709c244a36ce0ea6786b66b5322293a0d70f96bb5d66af866f1b8351c687a40-json.log
    ├── hostconfig.json
    ├── hostname
    ├── hosts
    ├── mqueue
    ├── resolv.conf
    ├── resolv.conf.hash
    └── shm
```

We can create images that can be exported / shared with using the command,

```
$ docker commit <container ID> <image_name>
```

e.g.

```
$ docker ps -a    --- to list all
docker container that's been
running currently and in the past.
```

```
$ docker commit
e709c244a36c new_img
```

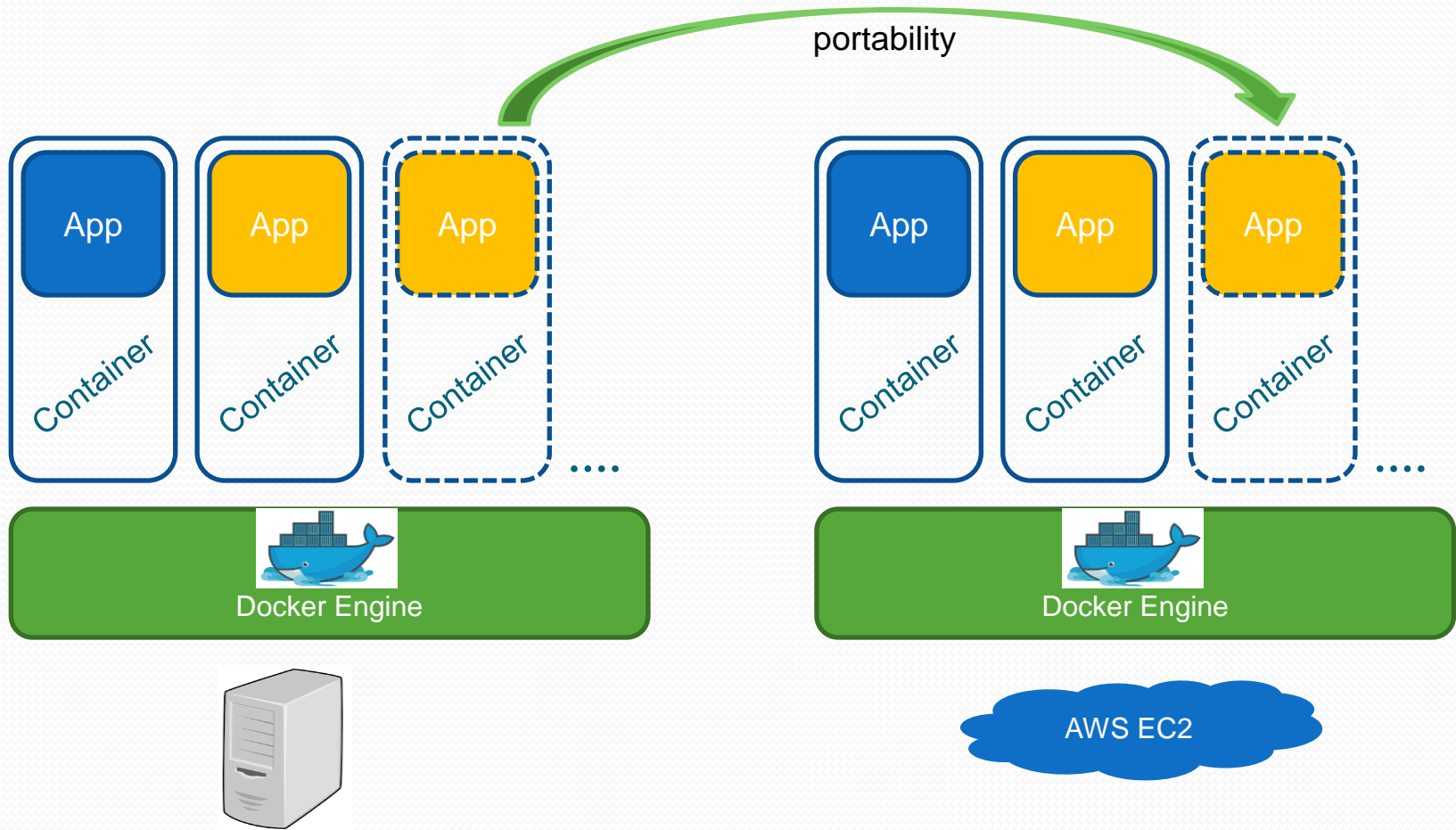
The image that gets created is only the top layer image with very small size that holds only the latest updates, etc.

```
132048 -rw-r--r-- 1 root root 135214080 Feb 17 05:14 /tmp/new_img.tar
```



Docker Image file created as tar ball. This can be shared exported to other machine as needed.

# Dockerization





# DockerFile

**Dockerfile:** Declarative way to construct an image.

- A **Dockerfile** is similar in concept to the recipes and manifests found in configuration management tools like Chef or Puppet.
- **Dockerfile** is much more stripped down than the IA tools, consisting of a single file with a DSL that has a handful of instructions.
- Below is sample **Dockerfile** that uses the ubuntu image, **RUN** command is used to run a certain command inside a container., **ADD** is used to add a file from host machine to the container and place it at desired location.

```
FROM ubuntu:latest

RUN apt-get update
RUN apt-get install -y python
python-pip wget
RUN pip install Flask

WORKDIR /home
```

Images are build time constructs and Container are run time constructs.

```
$ docker build -t <dockerimage_name> <dockerfile_path>
```



# Docker registries and repos

<https://registry.hub.docker.com> --- docker official registry

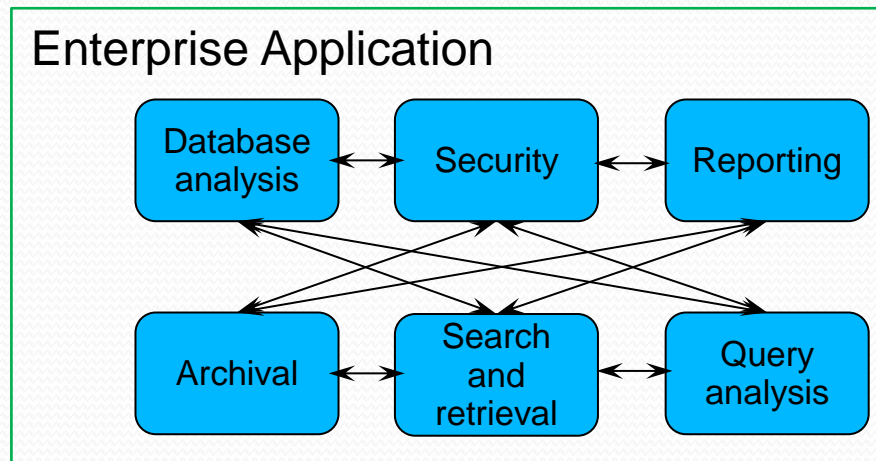
<https://hub.docker.com/> --- create account on docker hub to upload / contribute to the docker public repository.

<https://store.docker.com> --- image repositories.

Use `$ docker pull <image_name>...` command to pull images from registries.

# Docker and Microservices

In an application there are multiple services and such services can be offered in an Docker container as a service and such container working together forms the entire application. This way, the individual service can be updated maintained without imposing any downtime on the application.





Thanks You