

# Lab Exercise 6- Docker-Compose file

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## **Objective:**

Set up a WordPress environment using Docker Compose, including a MySQL database as the backend.

## **Prerequisites:**

- Docker and Docker Compose installed on your system.

## **Step 1: Create a docker-compose.yml File**

1. In the project directory, create a file named docker-compose.yml.
2. Add the following content to docker-compose.yml:

### ***docker-compose.yml***

```
version: '3.8'

services:
  wordpress:
    image: wordpress:latest
    ports:
      - "8002:80"
    environment:
      WORDPRESS_DB_HOST: db:3306
      WORDPRESS_DB_USER: wp_user
      WORDPRESS_DB_PASSWORD: wp_pass
      WORDPRESS_DB_NAME: wp_database
    depends_on:
      - db
```

```
db:  
  image: mysql:latest  
  environment:  
    MYSQL_ROOT_PASSWORD: root_password  
    MYSQL_DATABASE: wp_database  
    MYSQL_USER: wp_user  
    MYSQL_PASSWORD: wp_pass  
  volumes:  
    - db_data:/var/lib/mysql
```

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  db_data:
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## Step 2: Start the Containers

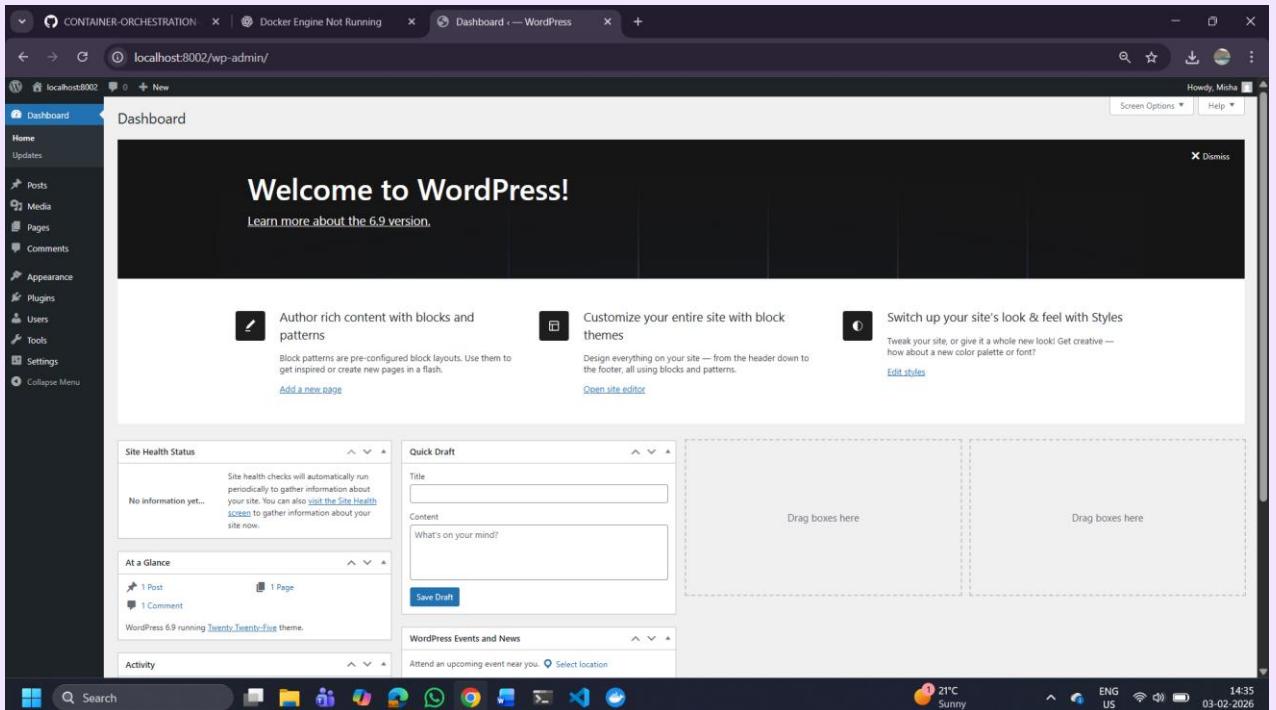
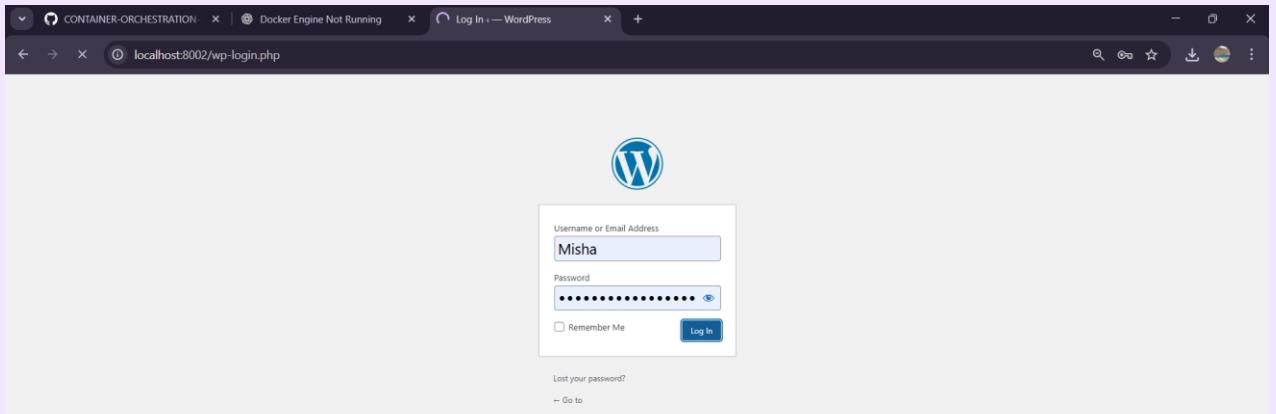
- Run the following command to start the containers:

```
docker-compose up -d  
PS D:\yaml-test> code .  
PS D:\yaml-test> docker-compose up -d  
time="2026-02-03T14:27:12+05:30" level=warning msg="D:\\yaml-test\\docker-compose.yml: the attribute 'version' is obsolete, it will be ignored, please remove it to avoid potential confusion"  
[+] Running 36/36  
E ✓wordpress Pulled  
✓db Pulled  
Y  
D  
  
[+] Running 4/4  
✓Network yaml-test_default      Created          0.1s  
✓Volume yaml-test_db_data       Created          0.0s  
✓Container yaml-test-db-1       Started         1.5s  
✓Container yaml-test-wordpress-1 Started         1.2s  
PS D:\yaml-test> |  
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- Docker Compose will download the necessary images (WordPress and MySQL) and start both services.

## Step 4: Access WordPress

- Open your web browser and go to **http://localhost:8002**
- Follow the WordPress installation steps to set up your site.



## Step 5: Stop and Remove Containers

To stop the containers and remove the associated resources, run:

```
docker-compose down
```

```
✓Container yaml-test-wordpress-1  Started          1.2s
PS D:\yaml-test> docker-compose down
time="2026-02-03T14:36:23+05:30" level=warning msg="D:\\yaml-test\\docker-compose.yml: the attribute `version` is obsolete, it will be ignored, please remove it to avoid potential confusion"
[+] Running 3/3
✓Container yaml-test-wordpress-1  Removed         1.5s
✓Container yaml-test-db-1       Removed         0.8s
✓Network yaml-test_default    Removed         0.4s
PS D:\yaml-test> |
```

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## Explanation of docker-compose.yml:

- **wordpress**: Sets up the WordPress container, mapping port 80 inside the container to port 8002 on your local machine.
- **db**: Sets up the MySQL container with a volume (db\_data) for persistent storage.

#### **Additional Notes:**

- Modify the environment variables as needed for different configurations.
- To view logs, use docker-compose logs -f.

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