# HOW TO CREATE A DOCKERFILE

CREATE DOCKER IMAGE FROM A DOCKERFILE

#### **Build Docker Image:**

#### **Dockerfile Overview:**

- Create a file called DockerFile
- It contains all the information that is required to build a custom image

### General requirement for a Docker application

- We need an image of our application
- We will create container from the image to run our application

### **Docker Image Options**

- Create our own custom Docker image.
- Use a ready made image from Docker Hub

#### Advantages of creating custom Docker Image

- Provides more control
- More customization options.
- Know exactly, what is happening at each step of image creation.

#### Steps of a basic Dockerfile

- Base OS (Example Alpine)
- Environment Setup
- Copy Application code to image
- Install Dependencies
- Expose Port
- Command to run the application inside container

## THANK YOU

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