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Exercise: Exercise: Managing Containers

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1. Create a container from the base image for the latest version of Ubuntu available (if you do not have an Ubuntu base image installed locally, pull the latest one down for your local repository). The container should be started in interactive mode attached to the current terminal and running the bash shell. Once running, shut the container down by exiting.

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker pull ubuntu:latest

Pulling repository ubuntu

91e54dfb1179: Download complete

d3a1f33e8a5a: Download complete

c22013c84729: Download complete

d74508fb6632: Download complete

Status: Downloaded newer image for ubuntu:latest

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker images

REPOSITORY TAG IMAGE ID

CREATED VIRTUAL SIZE

mycustomimg/withservices v1

dcfdd130c812 29 hours ago 506.9 MB

newcentos withapache

18bd1fc4d60f 2 days ago 480.6 MB

ubuntu latest

91e54dfb1179 4 days ago 188.4 MB

ubuntu trusty

91e54dfb1179 4 days ago 188.4 MB

ubuntu trusty-20150814

91e54dfb1179 4 days ago 188.4 MB

ubuntu 14.04

91e54dfb1179 4 days ago 188.4 MB

ubuntu 14.04.3

91e54dfb1179 4 days ago 188.4 MB

centos 6

a005304e4e74 9 weeks ago 203.1 MB

centos centos6

a005304e4e74 9 weeks ago 203.1 MB

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker run —it ubuntu:latest

/bin/bash

root@a163412a382b:/# exit

2. Run the appropriate Docker command to get the name of the previously run container. Issue the appropriate command to restart the container that you obtained the name of. Do NOT create a new container, restart the one we just used.

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps -a

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS

PORTS NAMES

a163412a382b ubuntu:14.04 "/bin/bash"

About a minute ago Exited (0) About a minute ago

agitated_bohr

b237d65fd197 centos:6 "/bin/bash"

2 days ago Exited (0) 2 days ago

furious_rosalind

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker restart agitated_bohr

agitated_bohr

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

a163412a382b ubuntu:14.04 "/bin/bash"

2 minutes ago Up 16 seconds

agitated_bohr

3. Stop the container. Remove that container from the system completely using the appropriate command.

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker stop agitated_bohr
agitated_bohr

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps -a

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

a163412a382b ubuntu:14.04 "/bin/bash"

3 minutes ago Exited (0) 5 seconds ago

agitated_bohr

b237d65fd197 centos:6 "/bin/bash"

2 days ago Exited (0) 2 days ago

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user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker rm agitated_bohr

agitated_bohr

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps -a

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

b237d65fd197 centos:6 "/bin/bash"

2 days ago Exited (0) 2 days ago

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^{4.} Create (not run) a container called "my_container", create it with parameters that will allow it to run interactively and attached to the local console running the bash shell. Verify that the container is not running.

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker create -it -name="my_container" ubuntu:latest /bin/bash

a8eccaa97e322ff640bb9f7071f191dc9a514afb324af28269ffbb7ae75466

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps -a

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

a8eccaa97e32 ubuntu:14.04 "/bin/bash"

4 seconds ago

my_container

b237d65fd197 centos:6 "/bin/bash"

2 days ago Exited (0) 2 days ago

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5. Start the container and again, verify the container is running. Run the appropriate command to attach your session to the running container so you are logged into the shell.

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker start my_container

my_container

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker ps

CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND

CREATED STATUS PORTS

NAMES

a8eccaa97e32 ubuntu:14.04 "/bin/bash"

30 seconds ago Up 2 seconds

my_container

user@linuxacademy:~\$ docker attach my_container

root@a8eccaa97e32:/#

root@a8eccaa97e32:/# exit