

# Setup a local docker registry (insecure)

- Pull the registry [image](#) from docker hub by running `docker pull registry`
- Run a container of this image
- Check in the browser <http://127.0.0.1:5000/v2/catalog> or <http://localhost:5000/v2/catalog>
- Now you can inspect the Container

```
docker container inspect <container>
```

You will see volume attached with this container here `/var/lib/registry`

```
.
.
.
"Mounts": [
  {
    "Type": "volume",
    "Name":
"5ae483d077d9113b246b08e2a6d8b2afe800a23912c234d52f5b0fed202101e9",
    "Source":
"/var/lib/docker/volumes/5ae483d077d9113b246b08e2a6d8b2afe800a23912c234d52f5
b0fed202101e9/_data",
    "Destination": "/var/lib/registry",
    "Driver": "local",
    "Mode": "",
    "RW": true,
    "Propagation": ""
  }
],
.
.
.
```

if somehow this container stops, then spin up a new container of the image and give this mount point `/var/lib/registry` to that container. so that you can retrieve the data/images of the container.

- Push some images to your local docker registry
  1. give a new tag name the image with `localhost:5000/` prefix

```
sudo docker image tag ubuntu:latest localhost:5000/ubuntu
```
  2. Push this image to the local docker registry

```
sudo docker push localhost:5000/ubuntu
```
- check the browser refresh.  
<http://localhost:5000/v2/catalog>
- By default docker will only allow secure registry.  
But this is exception for this subnet 127.0.0.0/8 CIDR.  
You can't push or pull if your IP range differ from this range.

for my system's IP *ifconfig* 192.168.123.136 (this is insecure)

for this IP we need to add this then only we can push or pull...

1. cd /etc/docker/
2. Create a file daemon.json
3. Give the server IP

```
{  
  "insecure-registries" : ["192.168.123.136:5000"]  
}
```

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## Setup a Secure docker registry (certificate based)

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- Create certificates and store the certificates.
- For that create a directory certs.

```
mkdir certs
```

```
openssl req -newkey rsa:4096 -nodes -sha256 -keyout certs/domain.key -x509 -  
days 365 -out certs/domain.crt
```

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- After hitting above cert gen code in in command line you need to enter some details.  
so press enter for all the fields but in Common Name :

```
Common Name (e.g. server FQDN or YOUR name) []:repo.docker.local
```

anyone else who will be accessing the registry he should access it at `repo.docker.local`  
url otherwise it will not be accessible.

- And now follow these steps...

```
cd /etc/docker/  
mkdir certs.d  
  
cd certs.d/  
mkdir repo.docker.local:5000  
  
cp certs/domain.crt /etc/docker/certs.d/repo.docker.local\:5000/ca.crt
```

- **restart docker service...**

```
service docker restart
```

- **Start the container...**

```
docker container run -d -p 5000:5000 --name secure_registry -v  
$(pwd)/certs/:/certs -e REGISTRY_HTTP_TLS_CERTIFICATE=/certs/domain.crt -e  
REGISTRY_HTTP_TLS_KEY=/certs/domain.key registry
```

- Rename tag to push the image.

```
sudo docker tag ubuntu repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu
```

- Push the image.

```
docker image push repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu
```

**you will see...**

```
Got permission denied while trying to connect to the Docker daemon socket at
unix:///var/run/docker.sock: Post
http://%2Fvar%2Frun%2Fdocker.sock/v1.40/images/repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu
/push?tag=: dial unix /var/run/docker.sock: connect: permission denied
```

because this doesn't resolve this name repo.docker.local

so for this we need to add <ip\_addr> repo.docker.local in `/etc/hosts`

add this `192.168.123.136 repo.docker.local`

again run the above docker push command. And this time it will be successfully pushed.

So this was all about to set up secure docker registry.

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## Setting up Docker Registry With Basic Authentication

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- Create a auth directory to store the htpasswd

```
mkdir auth
```

docker container run --entrypoint htpasswd registry -bnB >auth/htpasswd

eg.

```
docker container run --entrypoint htpasswd registry -bnB saurabh password
>auth/htpasswd
```

-bnB for

**b** - run in batch mode

**n** - output should be displayed

**B** - bcrypt (passwd will be encrypted in this fashion)

you can see this htpasswd file which stored the username and bcrypt password.

```
server@ubuntu:~$ cat /auth/htpasswd
saurabh:$2y$05$VzJ.ud8r06fY0/V/SV7df0pb2i5ipU5E05IdtaDbW8Py15e.y8ix0
```

- Spin up a container

```
docker container run -d \  
-p 5000:5000 \  
--name registry \  
-v "$(pwd)"/auth:/auth \  
-v "$(pwd)"/certs:/certs \  
-e "REGISTRY_AUTH=htpasswd" \  
-e "REGISTRY_AUTH_HTPASSWD_REALM=Registry Realm" \  
-e REGISTRY_AUTH_HTPASSWD_PATH=/auth/htpasswd \  
-e REGISTRY_HTTP_TLS_CERTIFICATE=/certs/domain.crt \  
-e REGISTRY_HTTP_TLS_KEY=/certs/domain.key \  
registry
```

Now your container is Up and Running

so you will see this error when you try to push image after running the registry container...

```
server@ubuntu:~$ sudo docker image push repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu  
The push refers to repository [repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu]  
16542a8fc3be: Preparing  
6597da2e2e52: Preparing  
977183d4e999: Preparing  
c8be1b8f4d60: Preparing  
no basic auth credentials
```

So now you need to login...

```
docker login repo.docker.local:5000
```

it will ask Username and password

```
server@ubuntu:~$ sudo docker login repo.docker.local:5000  
Username: saurabh  
Password:  
Error saving credentials: error storing credentials - err: exit status 1, out:  
`Error calling StartServiceByName for org.freedesktop.secrets:  
GDBus.Error:org.freedesktop.DBus.Error.TimedOut: Failed to activate service  
'org.freedesktop.secrets': timed out (service_start_timeout=120000ms)`
```

I faced the above error while login because it was not able to store credential...

```
sudo apt install gnupg2 pass
```

This worked for me..

so now you can push the image.

```
sudo docker image push repo.docker.local:5000/ubuntu
```