

Guided Exercise: Container Image Registries

Interact with container images in multiple container registries.

Outcomes

You should be able to:

- Log in to container image registries.
- Move container images between registries.
- Test Quay images.

As the student user on the workstation machine, use the `lab` command to prepare your system for this exercise.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ lab start images-basics
```

Instructions

In this exercise, your team must ensure that the internal dev and Test pipelines use the same Python container image as the one that is in Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform (RHOCP).

To do so, copy the Python image from the RHOCP registry to the internal registry:

- Source: `default-route-openshift-image-registry.apps.ocp4.example.com/default/python:3.9-ubi8`
- Destination: `registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8`

1. Log in to the container image registries.

Log in to RHOCP as the admin user.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ oc login -u admin -p redhatocp \
https://api.ocp4.example.com:6443
Login successful.
...output omitted...
```

NOTE

RHOCP and the `oc` command are explored later in the course.

Log in to the RHOCP registry with Podman.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ podman login -u $(oc whoami) -p $(oc whoami -t) \
default-route-openshift-image-registry.apps.ocp4.example.com
Login Succeeded!
```

Log in to the `registry.ocp4.example.com:8443` registry with Podman.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ podman login -u developer -p developer \
registry.ocp4.example.com:8443
Login Succeeded!
```

2. Use `skopeo` to copy the `default-route-openshift-image-registry.apps.ocp4.example.com/default/python:3.9-ubi8` image to the `registry.ocp4.example.com:8443` registry.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ \
RHOCP_REGISTRY="default-route-openshift-image-registry.apps.ocp4.example.com"
[student@workstation ~]$ skopeo copy --dest-tls-verify=false \
docker://$RHOCP_REGISTRY/default/python:3.9-ubi8 \
docker://registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8
Getting image source signatures
...output omitted...
```

3. Make the image public in the internal registry.

In a web browser, navigate to `https://registry.ocp4.example.com:8443` and log in with the user `developer` and password `developer`.

Type `developer` in the **Filter Repositories** field, then click the `developer/python` repository.

Click the **Settings** icon at the bottom of the page. Scroll to the **Repository Visibility** settings and click **Make Public**. Then, click **OK**.

4. Test the image as an unauthenticated user.

In a terminal, log out from all container image registries.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ podman logout --all  
Removed login credentials for all registries
```

Pull the `registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8` image.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ podman pull \  
  registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8  
Trying to pull registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8...  
...output omitted...  
e972...ac821
```

Start a container that uses the image.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ podman run --rm \  
  registry.ocp4.example.com:8443/developer/python:3.9-ubi8 python3 --version  
Python 3.9.13
```

Finish

On the workstation machine, use the `lab` command to complete this exercise. This is important to ensure that resources from previous exercises do not impact upcoming exercises.

```
[student@workstation ~]$ lab finish images-basics
```