Docker Appliance GoLang

Small, Fast, Single Purposed

Concept

- Tiny Image
- Quick to Stand Up
- Micro Service

Platform

- Docker Container
- Container Management?

Go

- Compiled Binaries
- Garbage Collection
- Concurrency?

Typical Container

- FROM golang:onbuild
- EXPOSE 8080

Minimal Container

- FROM scratch
- ADD HttpServerWithFirewall /
- CMD ["/HttpServerWithFirewall"]

Go Build Script for Static Linking

- CGO_ENABLED=0 GOOS=linux go build -a installsuffix cgo -o HttpServerWithFirewall .
- docker build -t theminimalserver -f
 MinimalGoDockerfile .

Environment Variables

- CGO_ENABLED allow C compiling
- GOOS target operating system

Build flags

- -a force rebuilding of packages that are up to date
- -installsuffix a suffix to use in the name of the package installation directory, in order to keep output separate from default builds.
- -o output

docker images

•	REPOSITORY	TAG	IMAGE ID	CREATED	SIZE
•	theminimalserver	latest	f909ef1a423a	About a minute ac	go 6.676 MB
•	thetypicalserver	latest	1c3d28ae8e2b	33 minutes ago	774.5 MB

References

- Code git@github.com:pcdwr/godfw.git
- Minimal Docker Container https:// blog.codeship.com/building-minimal-dockercontainers-for-go-applications/