

1. mkdir app
2. cd app
3. code .
4. package.json

```
{  
  "dependencies": {  
    "express": "*",  
    "redis": "2.8.0"  
  },  
  
  "scripts": {  
    "start": "node index.js"  
  }  
}
```

5. index.js

```
const express = require('express');  
const redis = require('redis');  
  
const app = express();  
const client = redis.createClient();  
client.set('visits', 0);  
  
app.get('/', (req, res) => {  
  client.get('visits', (err, visits) => {  
    res.send('Number of visits is ' + visits);  
    client.set('visits', parseInt(visits) + 1);  
  });  
});
```

```
app.listen(8081, () => {  
  console.log("listening on port 8081");  
});
```

6. Dockerfile

```
FROM node:alpine  
WORKDIR '/app'  
COPY package.json .  
RUN npm install  
COPY . .  
CMD ["npm", "start"]
```

7. docker build .

8. docker build -t priya123456/nodeapp:latest

9. Try to run container from the built image : docker container run priya123456/nodeapp You observe that container starts with an error

10. Run the redis container : docker container run redis

Introducing Docker Compose

1. docker-compose.yml file

```
version: '3'  
  
services:  
  
  redis-server:  
    image: 'redis'  
  
  node-app:  
    build: .  
  
    ports:  
      - "4001:8081"
```

Networking in docker compose file

2. Now when the node-app should start, it will look for redis server. As both containers will be started by docker-compose, the name of the redis service in docker-compose.yml file will identify the redis-server running in the container.

Modify the index.js file with redis connection string.

```
const client = redis.createClient({  
  host: 'redis-server',  
  port: 6379  
});
```

Docker Compose commands

1. Command : ls
Output: Dockerfile index.js package.json docker-compose.yml
2. Docker-compose up
3. Verify both container details: docker ps
4. Access web page: <http://<<ip address of linux machine>>:4001>

Number of visits = 1

Keep refreshing the page
5. To start containers in the detach mode: docker-compose up -d
6. To view containers: docker ps OR docker-compose ps
7. To stop all containers: docker-compose down

