

Module Eight

Docker in CI/CD



A Problem

Drift



What is Drift?



"The unintentional divergence of configurations and settings across different environments"

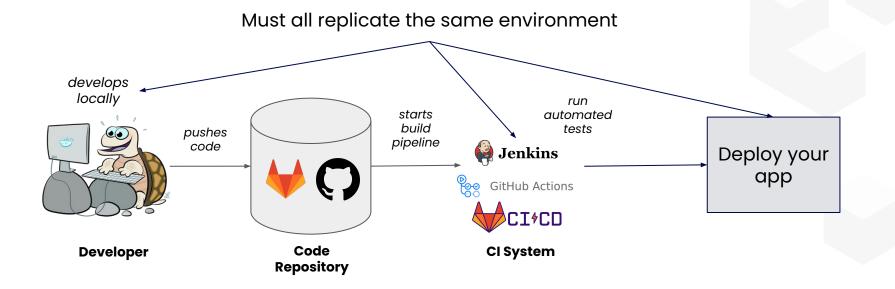


Lots of Things Drift....





Chances for Drift

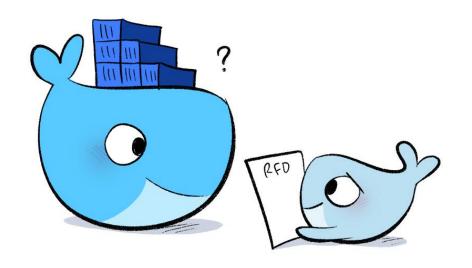






Continuous Integration Continuous Deployment

What is Continuous Integration (CI)?



"An automated process of merging, building testing, scanning, and releasing code changes regularly"



Continuous Integration



- Automated Testing
- Frequent Code Integration
- Immediate Feedback
- Consistent Build Process
- Collaboration and Transparency



- Release Management
- Replacement for Dev Testing
- Infrastructure Management
- Readiness Guarantee
- Developer Environment



Benefits of CI

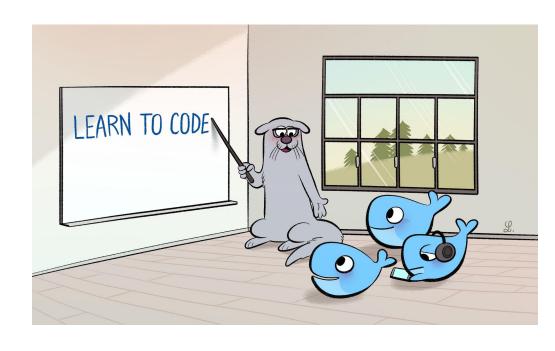
- Rapid Feedback
- Early Bug Detection
- Reduced Context Switching
- Consistent Codebase
- Enhanced Collaboration
- Reduced Integration Risks





What is Continuous Delivery (CD)?

"Continuous delivery is the practice of automating the entire software release process, ensuring that code changes are always deployable to production at any time."



Continuous Delivery



- Automated Deployment
- Frequent Releases
- Consistency
- Rollback Mechanism
- Pipeline Approach

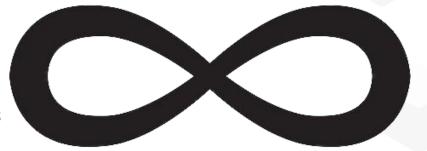


- Continuous Deployment
- Only for Large Releases
- Replacement for Testing
- Developer Responsibility
- One Size Fits All



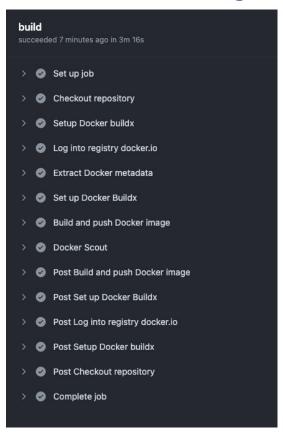
Benefits of CD

- Reduced Deployment Risks
- Faster Time to Market
- Rapid Feedback Loop
- Consistent and Reliable Releases
- Enhanced Collaboration
- Cost Efficiency





What makes a good CI/CD pipeline?



- Automated Testing
- Consistent Environments
- Fast Feedback Loops
- Rollback Mechanism
- Monitoring and Logging



CI/CD tools

- Provide automation to minimize manual intervention
- Integrate with version control systems
- Provide build and test execution
- Allow configuration and visualization of pipelines
- Provide feedback mechanisms
- Can be extended with plugins, etc.





Docker (in, out, context)

Docker / Docker Use Cases

- CI/CD Pipeline Integration
- Environment Isolation
- Resource Control and Limitation
- Multi-Tenancy
- Security and Access Control
- Testing Docker at Scale
- Portability and Versioning



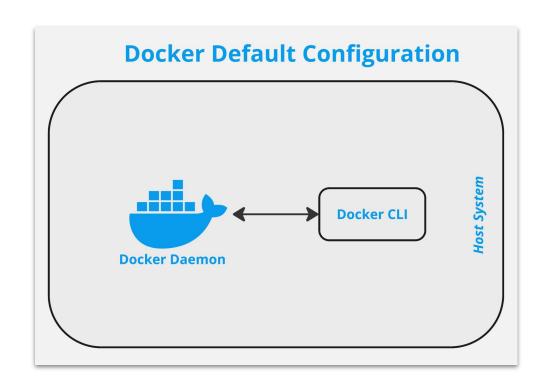


Standard Docker Configuration

This is the familiar, default configuration.

Client and Daemon run on the same workstation.

Note there is an additional abstraction layer with Docker Desktop and it's internal VM.





Docker outside of Docker (DooD)

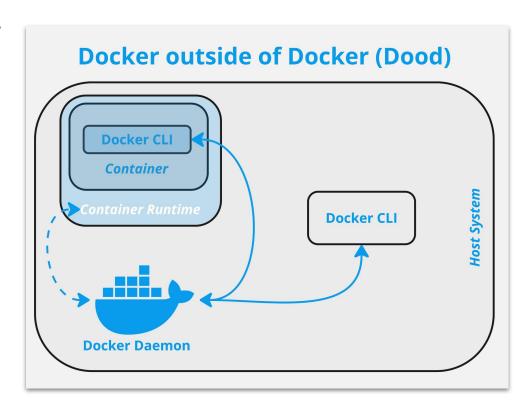
DooD uses the host system Docker installation from the container.

Pros

- Simpler to set up
- Uses host resources directly
- No nested virtualization
- Does not require privileged containers
- Could use sysbox

Cons

- Potential security implications
- Exposes Daemon to container
- Shared Daemon may cause confusion





Running DooD

```
$ docker run -v /var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock -ti --rm docker:latest /bin/sh
# docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE
COMMAND
                       CREATED
                                      STATUS
                                                                              NAMES
                                                               PORTS
117d332ffa18 docker:latest
"dockerd-entrypoint..." 5 seconds ago
                                     Up 4 seconds
                                                               2375-2376/tcp
ecstatic mestorf
36cb6f4646e3 docker:latest
"dockerd-entrypoint..." 2 hours ago Up 2 hours
                                                               2375-2376/tcp
eloquent_mcnulty
e7f0c6996051 vsc-demo-888a7dd5ef05b182d8381d9115c369a3be963b93a7e298e9e0639b3bdefcf444-features
"/bin/sh -c 'echo Co..." 6 days ago Exited (255) 2 hours ago
                                                                               epic_hypatia
# exit
```



Running DooD: Caveat

```
$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID
              IMAGE
COMMAND
                        CREATED
                                      STATUS
                                                                PORTS
                                                                                NAMES
36cb6f4646e3 docker:latest
"dockerd-entrypoint..." 2 hours ago Up 2 hours
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```

As inside...so outside...



Docker in Docker (DinD)

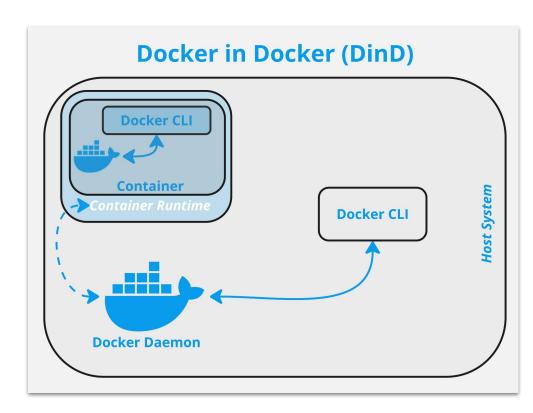
DinD runs its own Docker daemon in the container.

Pros

- Isolated docker environment
- Simplified CI/CD
- Multi-tenancy workloads

Cons

- Requires nested virtualization
- Requires privileged containers
- Greater complexity
- Requires root access
- Security model implications
- Cannot use compose by default





Running DinD

```
$ docker run --privileged -d --name demo-container docker:dind
731e2ac792f4f9c17cfece34395d2b9fa2dd4eb3ef13833cb1df3755aa4a8d5d
$ docker exec -it 731e2ac792f4f9c17cfece34395d2b9fa2dd4eb3ef13833cb1df3755aa4a8d5d /bin/sh
# docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE
                        COMMAND CREATED STATUS
                                                      PORTS
                                                               NAMES
# docker run -P -d nginx:latest
Unable to find image 'nginx:latest' locally
latest: Pulling from library/nginx
← SNIP →
Digest: sha256:6db391d1c0cfb30588ba0bf72ea999404f2764febf0f1f196acd5867ac7efa7e
Status: Downloaded newer image for nginx:latest
1a16c1907ffc05d0c305d8444528ba59149eec032d6364fed1b4d7b9c041480f
# docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE
                             COMMAND
                                                      CREATED
                                                                     STATUS
                                                                                    PORTS
NAMES
1a16c1907ffc nginx:latest "/docker-entrypoint..." 6 seconds ago Up 5 seconds
0.0.0.0:32768->80/tcp vibrant_mccarthy
# exit
```

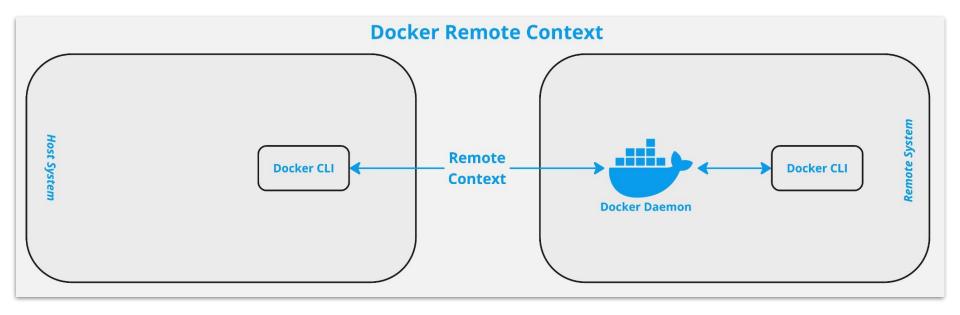


Running DinD: Isolated

```
$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID
              IMAGE
COMMAND
                       CREATED
                                            STATUS
                                                                     PORTS
                                                                                     NAMES
731e2ac792f4 docker:dind
"dockerd-entrypoint..." About a minute ago
                                           Up About a minute
                                                                     2375-2376/tcp
demo-container
94d0c9d09aa8 docker:dind
"dockerd-entrypoint..." About a minute ago Up About a minute
                                                                     2375-2376/tcp
brave_hoover
e7f0c6996051
            vsc-demo-888a7dd5ef05b182d8381d9115c369a3be963b93a7e298e9e0639b3bdefcf444-features
"/bin/sh -c 'echo Co…"
                       6 days ago
                                           Exited (255) 2 hours ago
epic_hypatia
```



Docker Remote Context



Connects across a top port or ssh connection to allow access to a remote docker daemon



Docker contexts 101

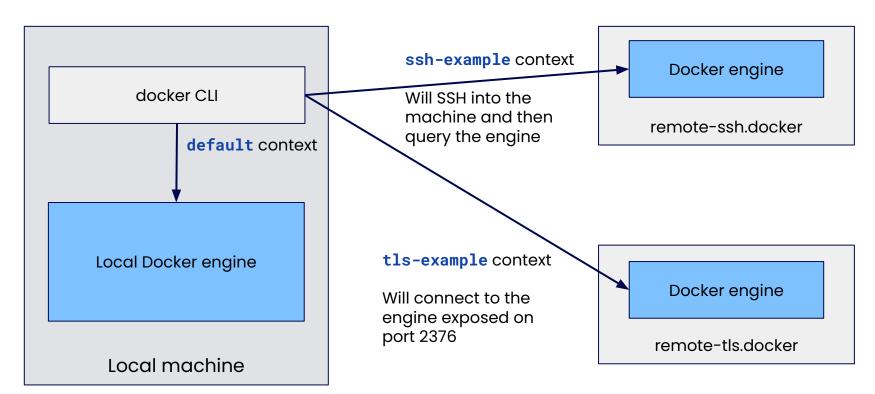
- Contexts allow your local CLI to work with other Docker engines
- The default context works with the engine on your machine
- Common commands:
 - docker context create create a new context
 - docker context 1s list current contexts
 - o docker context use <name> make the specified context the default

```
docker context create ssh-example --docker \
"host=ssh://user@remote-ssh.docker"

docker context create tls-example --docker \
"host=tcp://remote-tls.docker:2376,ca=ca.pem,cert=cert.pem,key=key.pem"
```



Docker contexts visually





Using Docker Contexts

```
$ docker context create docker01 --docker host=ssh://root@docker01.virington.com
docker01
Successfully created context "docker01"
$ docker context use docker01
docker01
Current context is now "docker01"
$ docker images
REPOSITORY TAG
                TMAGE TD
                                CREATED SIZE
$ docker run -d -P nginx:latest
Unable to find image 'nginx:latest' locally
latest: Pulling from library/nginx
← Snip →
Digest: sha256:6db391d1c0cfb30588ba0bf72ea999404f2764febf0f1f196acd5867ac7efa7e
Status: Downloaded newer image for nginx:latest
10bdfd89871ee1c47318e5ad2902cb70e72353871daf77307ee402eabb6f2793
$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE
                                                     CREATED
                                                                     STATUS
                                                                                   PORTS
                            COMMAND
NAMES
10bdfd89871e nginx:latest "/docker-entrypoint..." 3 seconds ago
                                                                     Up 2 seconds
0.0.0:32768->80/tcp, :::32768->80/tcp gracious_hawking
```

Using Docker Contexts, Continued

```
$ docker context use desktop-linux
desktop-linux
Current context is now "desktop-linux"
$ docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE
COMMAND
                       CREATED
                                       STATUS
                                                                                NAMES
                                                                 PORTS
731e2ac792f4 docker:dind
"dockerd-entrypoint..." 26 minutes ago Up 26 minutes
                                                                 2375-2376/tcp
demo-container
94d0c9d09aa8 docker dind
"dockerd-entrypoint..." 26 minutes ago Up 26 minutes
                                                                2375-2376/tcp
                                                                                brave hoover
e7f0c6996051 vsc-demo-888a7dd5ef05b182d8381d9115c369a3be963b93a7e298e9e0639b3bdefcf444-features
'/bin/sh -c 'echo Co..." 6 days ago Exited (255) 3 hours ago
                                                                                epic_hypatia
```

```
$ ssh docker01.virington.com -l root

# docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS PORTS
NAMES
10bdfd89871e nginx:latest "/docker-entrypoint..." 2 minutes ago Up 2 minutes
0.0.0.0:32768->80/tcp, :::32768->80/tcp gracious_hawking
```



Questions and Answers