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Activity 11: Containorization		

# **Activity 11: Containerization**

# 1. Objectives

Create a Dockerfile and form a workflow using Ansible as Infrastructure as Code (IaC) to enable Continuous Delivery process

## 2. Discussion

Docker is an open platform for developing, shipping, and running applications. Docker enables you to separate your applications from your infrastructure so you can deliver software quickly. With Docker, you can manage your infrastructure in the same ways you manage your applications. By taking advantage of Docker's methodologies for shipping, testing, and deploying code quickly, you can significantly reduce the delay between writing code and running it in production.

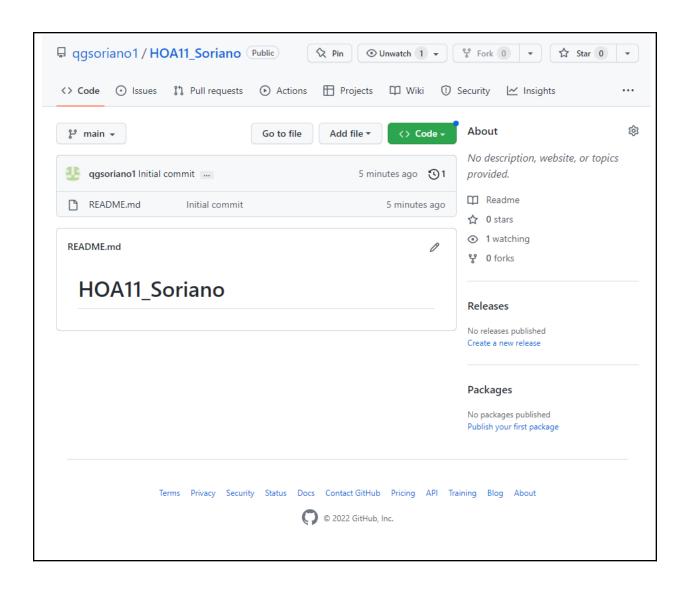
Source: https://docs.docker.com/get-started/overview/

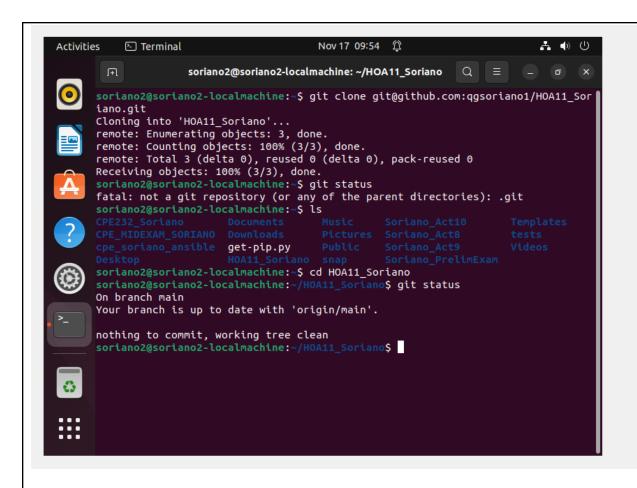
You may also check the difference between containers and virtual machines. Click the link given below.

Source: <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co">https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/co</a> <a href="https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers/about/com/en-us/virtualization/windowscontainers

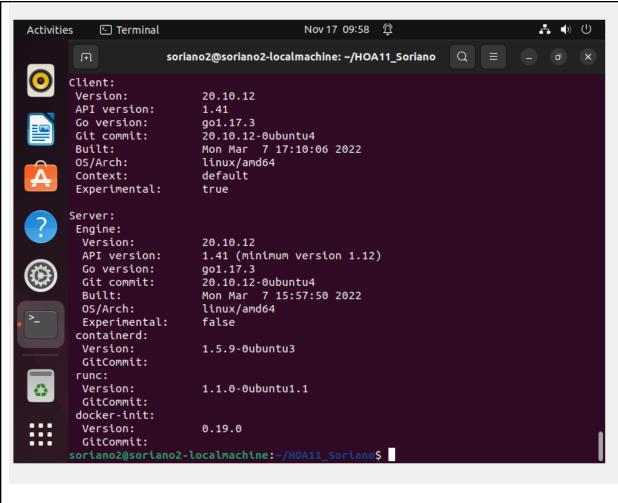
## 3. Tasks

- 1. Create a new repository for this activity. **DONE**
- 2. Install Docker and enable the docker socket. **DONE**
- 3. Add to Docker group to your current user. **DONE**
- 4. Create a Dockerfile to install web and DB server. **DONE**
- 5. Install and build the Dockerfile using Ansible. **DONE**
- 6. Add, commit and push it to your repository. **DONE**
- 4. Output (screenshots and explanations)

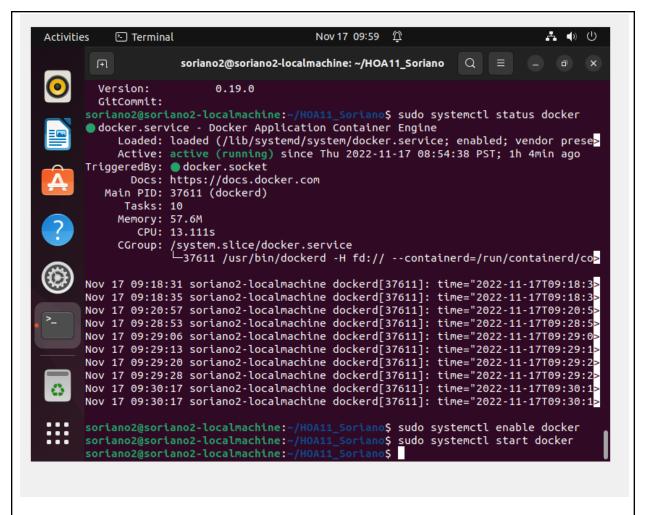




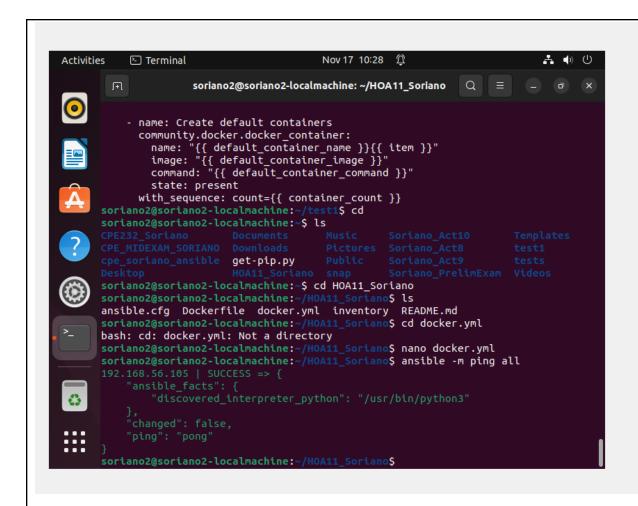
- This shows the creation of a new repository in github site, this is named HOA11\_Soriano, and is successfully connected to the local machine.



- This shows the successful installation of docker in the local machine



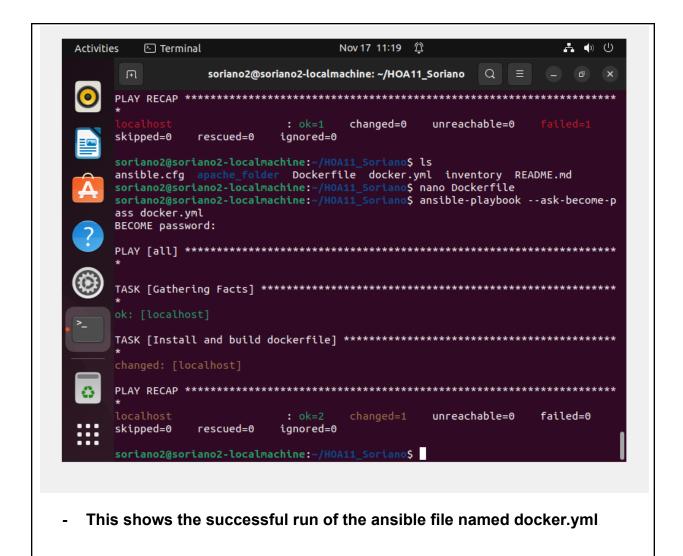
- This shows the enabling of the docker in the local machine.

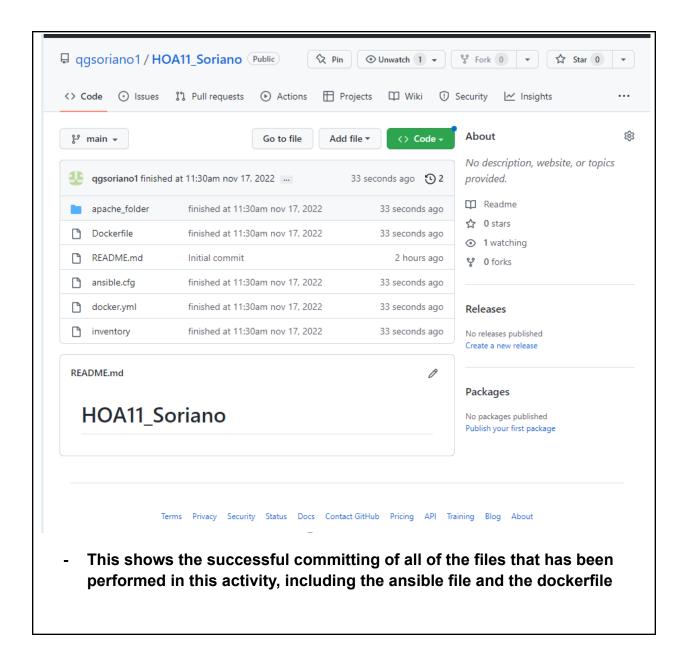


- This shows the successful connection between the workstation and the remote server

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soriano2@soriano2-localmachine: ~/HOA11 Soriano
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Be*** System restart required ***
 Last login: Thu Nov 17 10:26:24 2022 from 192.168.56.1
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~$ ls
 CPE232_Soriano
                      Documents
                                     Music
                                               Soriano_Act10
                                                                   Templates
 CPE_MIDEXAM_SORIANO Downloads
                                     Pictures Soriano_Act8
                                                                   test1
cacpe_soriano_ansible get-pip.py
                                     Public
                                               Soriano_Act9
                                                                   tests
                      HOA11_Soriano snap
 Desktop
                                               Soriano_PrelimExam Videos
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~$ cd HOA11_Soriano
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$ ls
 ansible.cfg apache_folder Dockerfile docker.yml inventory README.md
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$ cat inventory
 [workstation]
 localhost ansible_connection=local
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$ cat docker.yml
   hosts: all
   become: true
   tasks:
   - name: Install and build dockerfile
     command: docker build -t apache2/mariadb .
     when: ansible_distribution == "Ubuntu"
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$
  soriano2@soriano2-localmachine: ~/HOA11_Soriano.
  hosts: all
  become: true
  tasks:
   - name: Install and build dockerfile
     command: docker build -t apache2/mariadb .
     when: ansible_distribution == "Ubuntu"
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$ ls
 ansible.cfg apache_folder Dockerfile docker.yml inventory README.md
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$ cat Dockerfile
 FROM ubuntu
MAINTAINER soriano2 <qgsoriano1@tip.edu.ph>
 # skip prompt
 ARG DEBIAN_FRONTEND=noninteractive
 # update packages
RUN apt update; apt dist-upgrade -y
 # install apache
RUN apt install -y apache2
# set entrypoint
ENTRYPOINT apache2ctl -D FOREGROUND
 soriano2@soriano2-localmachine:~/HOA11_Soriano$
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- This shows the content of the inventory, docker.yml, and the dockerfile







## **Apache2 Debian Default Page**

# debian

#### It works!

This is the default welcome page used to test the correct operation of the Apache2 server after installation on Debian systems. If you can read this page, it means that the Apache HTTP server installed at this site is working properly. You should **replace this file** (located at /var/www/html/index.html) before continuing to operate your HTTP server.

If you are a normal user of this web site and don't know what this page is about, this probably means that the site is currently unavailable due to maintenance. If the problem persists, please contact the site's administrator.

### **Configuration Overview**

Debian's Apache2 default configuration is different from the upstream default configuration, and split into several files optimized for interaction with Debian tools. The configuration system is **fully documented in !usr/share/doc/apache2/README.Debian.gz**. Refer to this for the full documentation. Documentation for the web server itself can be found by accessing the **manual** if the apache2-doc package was installed on this server.

The configuration layout for an Apache2 web server installation on Debian systems is as follows:

- apache2.conf is the main configuration file. It puts the pieces together by including all remaining configuration
  files when starting up the web server.
- ports.conf is always included from the main configuration file. It is used to determine the listening ports for incoming connections, and this file can be customized anytime.
- Configuration files in the mods-enabled/, conf-enabled/ and sites-enabled/ directories contain
  particular configuration snippets which manage modules, global configuration fragments, or virtual host
  configurations, respectively.
- They are activated by symlinking available configuration files from their respective \*-available/ counterparts.
   These should be managed by using our helpers a2enmod, a2dismod, a2ensite, a2dissite, and a2enconf, a2disconf. See their respective man pages for detailed information.
- The binary is called apache2. Due to the use of environment variables, in the default configuration, apache2 needs to be started/stopped with /etc/init.d/apache2 or apache2ctl. Calling /usr/bin/apache2 directly will not work with the default configuration.
  - This shows the proof of installation of the apache on the remote server

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## Answer the following:

- 1. What are the benefits of implementing containerizations?
  - It is portable, you can take your application almost anywhere without having to rebuild it to take into account a different environment because a container dependencies. Additionally, containerization's abstraction guarantees that your container will function the same wherever you deploy it. This means that you can run your app on bare metal, in a virtual machine, or in the cloud. You can deploy quickly as long as the host operating system is compatible with your containerization tools. It is also efficient, One of the most effective virtualization techniques for developers is containerization. Containers increase productivity in two ways: by utilizing all resources and reducing overhead. Containers enable a host to utilize nearly all of the resources available when set up properly. A single host can carry out numerous tasks thanks to isolated containers, which can operate independently of other containers. There are other more advantages in using containers and all of the statements above are just one of them.

### Conclusions:

- While performing this activity, there are times that I forget some of the codes and commands in the ansible part. Honestly, this activity is new to us because docker was just introduced to some of us, and I'm not familiar at all with this platform. Docker is a platform that offers service products and softwares in packages that are known as containers. The service offers both free and paid tiers. Docker is basically a collection of platforms that delivers software in packages that are called containers that are used in multiple platforms, and we have used this in Linux, Ubuntu Operating system. By this, we were able to run multiple installation commands in just one go. It is very similar to ansible, but the process is way shorter when compared to ansible. By the end of this activity, the creation of the requirement, which is the dockerfile, is completed and successful. By this, we were able to install apache, web and db servers on a remote server, which is also a linux Ubuntu Operating system. Proofs are pasted above. Thank you.