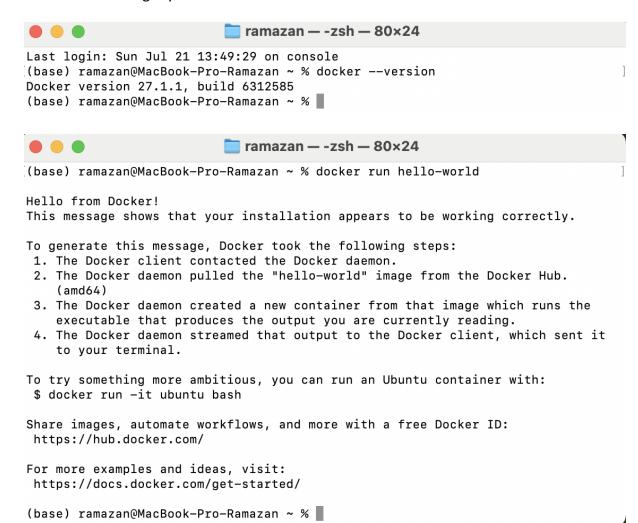
Assignment 1, Web Application Development, Akhmetov R.R.

Intro to Containerization: Docker

Exercise 1: Installing Docker

- 1. **Objective**: Install Docker on your local machine.
- 2. Steps:
 - Follow the installation guide for Docker from the official website, choosing the appropriate version for your operating system (Windows, macOS, or Linux).
 - After installation, verify that Docker is running by executing the command docker --version in your terminal or command prompt.
 - Run the command docker run hello-world to verify that Docker is set up correctly.

- What are the key components of Docker (e.g., Docker Engine, Docker CLI)?
- o How does Docker compare to traditional virtual machines?
- What was the output of the docker run hello-world command, and what does it signify?



• What are the key components of Docker (e.g., Docker Engine, Docker CLI)?

Docker Engine is the main engine that runs and manages containers, Docker CLI is the command line that allows you to execute commands to work with Docker. Docker Image - this can be called a kind of template or image based on which containers are created. Docker Container is an environment in which applications are launched with all the necessary components, such as code and libraries.

o How does Docker compare to traditional virtual machines?

Virtual machines provide full virtualization, including emulation of the entire operating system, which is resource-intensive. Docker containers, on the other hand, isolate applications at the process level using the host operating system kernel. This makes them lighter and faster to run than virtual machines.

 Run the command docker run hello-world to verify that Docker is set up correctly.

This command starts a test container that prints "Hello from Docker!" This indicates that Docker is installed and configured correctly, and that containers are running successfully.

Exercise 2: Basic Docker Commands

1. **Objective**: Familiarize yourself with basic Docker commands.

2. Steps:

- Pull an official Docker image from Docker Hub (e.g., nginx or ubuntu) using the command docker pull <image-name>.
- List all Docker images on your system using docker images.
- o Run a container from the pulled image using docker run -d <image-name>.
- List all running containers using docker ps and stop a container using docker stop <container-id>.

- o What is the difference between docker pull and docker run?
- o How do you find the details of a running container, such as its ID and status?
- What happens to a container after it is stopped? Can it be restarted?

```
[(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker pull nginx
Using default tag: latest
latest: Pulling from library/nginx
a2318d6c47ec: Pull complete
095d327c79ae: Pull complete
bbfaa25db775: Pull complete
7bb6fb0cfb2b: Pull complete
0723edc10c17: Pull complete
24b3fdc4d1e3: Pull complete
3122471704d5: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:04ba374043ccd2fc5c593885c0eacddebabd5ca375f9323666f28dfd5a9710e3
Status: Downloaded newer image for nginx:latest
docker.io/library/nginx:latest
What's next:
    View a summary of image vulnerabilities and recommendations → docker scout quickview nginx
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker images
              TAG
REPOSITORY
                        TMAGE ID
                                       CREATED
                                                       ST7F
                        39286ab8a5e1
nainx
              latest
                                       5 weeks ago
                                                       188MB
hello-world latest
                        d2c94e258dcb
                                       16 months ago
                                                       13.3kB
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker run -d nginx
[b4df8b9caf0bb47121cee16f044d66ffbbda2c411c2045236229f6e3e4a61f52] \\
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker ps
             IMAGE
[CONTAINER ID
                         COMMAND
                                                  CREATED
                                                                   STATUS
                                                                                   PORTS
                                                                                             NAMES
                          "/docker-entrypoint..."
                                                                   Up 24 seconds 80/tcp
b4df8b9caf0b
               nginx
                                                  25 seconds ago
                                                                                             goofy_wu
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker stop b4df8b9caf0b
b4df8b9caf0b
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ %
```

o What is the difference between docker pull and docker run?

The docker pull command downloads an image from a Docker repository to your local computer.

The docker run command uses the image to create and run a container. For example: if the image is not downloaded locally, the command will automatically docker pull.

o How do you find the details of a running container, such as its ID and status?

The docker ps command will show a list of all running containers with their ID, status, name, etc. For more detailed information about a container, you can use docker inspect containerID.

• What happens to a container after it is stopped? Can it be restarted?

After stopping, the container remains in the system in a stopped state. Its data and settings are saved. The container can be restarted with the docker start containerID command.

Exercise 3: Working with Docker Containers

1. **Objective**: Learn how to manage Docker containers.

2. Steps:

- Start a new container from the nginx image and map port 8080 on your host to port 80 in the container using docker run -d -p 8080:80 nginx.
- Access the Nginx web server running in the container by navigating to http://localhost:8080 in your web browser.
- Explore the container's file system by accessing its shell using docker exec -it
 <container-id> /bin/bash.
- Stop and remove the container using docker stop <container-id> and docker rm <container-id>.

3. Questions:

o How does port mapping work in Docker, and why is it important?

- o What is the purpose of the docker exec command?
- How do you ensure that a stopped container does not consume system resources?

```
[(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker run -d -p 8080:80 nginx 02a7d313f8b4464fb1df31a732202071035c48f549b2e29456c0796ef7290b01
[(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker images
 REPOSITORY
                                   IMAGE ID
                    latest 39286ab8a5e1 5 weeks ago
latest d2c94e258dcb 16 months ago
nginx
                                                                               188MB
hello-world latest d2c94e258dcb 16 months
[(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker ps
                                                                              13.3kB
CONTAINER ID IMAGE COMMAND CREATED STATUS
02a7d313f8b4 nginx "/docker-entrypoint..." About a minute ago Up Abou
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker exec -it 02a7d313f8b4 /bin/bash
                                                                                                                                  PORTS
                                                                                                                                                                  NAMES
                                                                                                                                  0.0.0.0:8080->80/tcp
                                                                                                                                                                  unruffled_jepsen
                                                                                                     Up About a minute
 root@02a7d313f8b4:/# whoami
root@02a7d313f8b4:/# close
bash: close: command not root@02a7d313f8b4:/# exit
What's next:
      Try Docker Debug for seamless, persistent debugging tools in any container or image → docker debug 02a7d313f8b4 Learn more at https://docs.docker.com/go/debug-cli/
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker stop 02a7d313f8b4
 (base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker rm 02a7d313f8b4
02a7d313f8h4
 (base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ %
```

o How does port mapping work in Docker, and why is it important?

Port mapping allows us to forward ports on the host machine to ports inside the container. This allows you to interact with the application running in the container from the outside network. For example, the -p 8080:80 command maps port 8080 on the host to port 80 in the container, where the web server can be running. This will allow you to access the containers from the outside.

o What is the purpose of the docker exec command?

The docker exec command allows you to execute commands inside an already running container. For example, you can connect to the container terminal with the docker exec -it containerID /bin/bash command.

 How do you ensure that a stopped container does not consume system resources?

To completely remove a container and free up resources, use the docker rm containerID command.

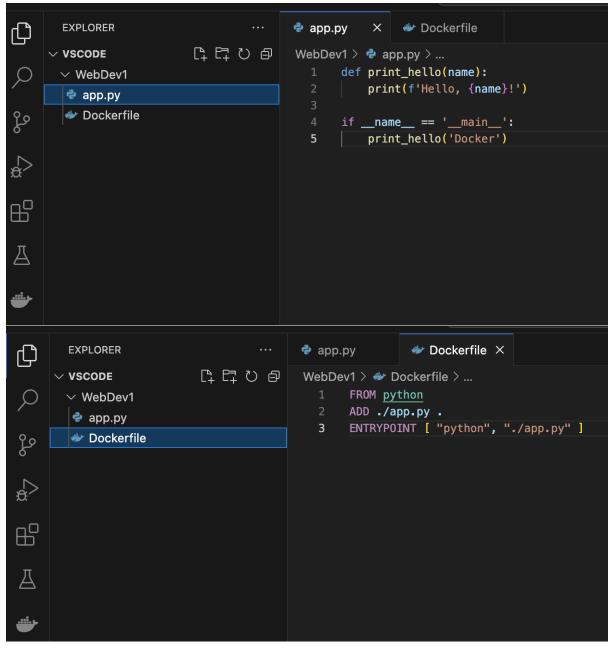
Dockerfile

Exercise 1: Creating a Simple Dockerfile

- 1. **Objective**: Write a Dockerfile to containerize a basic application.
- 2. Steps:
 - Create a new directory for your project and navigate into it.
 - Create a simple Python script (e.g., app.py) that prints "Hello, Docker!" to the console.
 - Write a Dockerfile that:
 - Uses the official Python image as the base image.
 - Copies app.py into the container.
 - Sets app.py as the entry point for the container.

- Build the Docker image using docker build -t hello-docker ...
- o Run the container using docker run hello-docker.

- o What is the purpose of the FROM instruction in a Dockerfile?
- How does the COPY instruction work in Dockerfile?
- o What is the difference between CMD and ENTRYPOINT in Dockerfile?



o What is the purpose of the FROM instruction in a Dockerfile?

The FROM construct specifies the base image from which the new Docker image will be created.

How does the COPY instruction work in Dockerfile?

COPY copies files and folders from the host machine to the container file system.

o What is the difference between CMD and ENTRYPOINT in Dockerfile?

The CMD construct specifies the default command to be executed when the container is started. The ENTRYPOINT construct specifies a command or executable that will be run each time the container is started.

Exercise 2: Optimizing Dockerfile with Layers and Caching

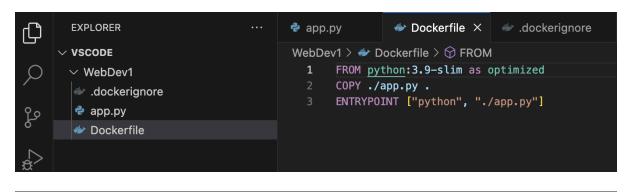
1. **Objective**: Learn how to optimize a Dockerfile for smaller image sizes and faster builds.

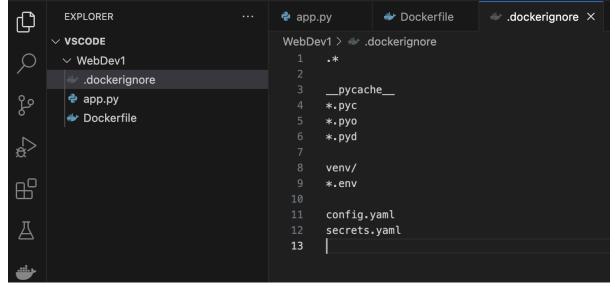
2. Steps:

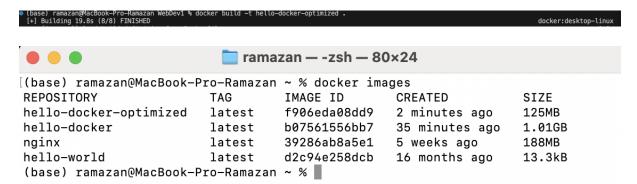
- Modify the Dockerfile created in the previous exercise to:
 - Separate the installation of Python dependencies (if any) from the copying of application code.
 - Use a .dockerignore file to exclude unnecessary files from the image.
- Rebuild the Docker image and observe the build process to understand how caching works.
- Compare the size of the optimized image with the original.

- o What are Docker layers, and how do they affect image size and build times?
- How does Docker's build cache work, and how can it speed up the build process?

o What is the role of the .dockerignore file?







• What are Docker layers, and how do they affect image size and build times?

Layers are individual levels in a Docker image, each corresponding to a single instruction in the Dockerfile. Layers allow Docker to store and reuse common files, which reduces the overall size of the image.

> How does Docker's build cache work, and how can it speed up the build process?

Docker uses a cache to store the results of previous build steps. If the Dockerfile has not changed and previous layers have not been modified, Docker can use the cached layers instead of rebuilding them. This speeds up the build process because reusable layers do not require instructions to be executed again, saving time and resources.

o What is the role of the .dockerignore file?

The .dockerignore file is used to specify files and folders that should not be included in Docker builds. Excluding these files reduces the size of the final image.

Exercise 3: Multi-Stage Builds

1. **Objective**: Use multi-stage builds to create leaner Docker images.

2. Steps:

- Create a new project that involves compiling a simple Go application (e.g., a "Hello, World!" program).
- Write a Dockerfile that uses multi-stage builds:
 - The first stage should use a Golang image to compile the application.
 - The second stage should use a minimal base image (e.g., alpine) to run the compiled application.
- Build and run the Docker image, and compare the size of the final image with a single-stage build.

3. Questions:

o What are the benefits of using multi-stage builds in Docker?

Multi-stage builds allow you to split the build process into multiple stages, which limits control dependencies and minimizes the number of intermediate files in the traditional style.

o How can multi-stage builds help reduce the size of Docker images?

Allow you to include only the necessary files from the assembly, excluding unnecessary dependencies and temporary files, which significantly reduces the size of the final image.

o What are some scenarios where multi-stage builds are particularly useful?

Useful when building complex applications with many dependencies.

Exercise 4: Pushing Docker Images to Docker Hub

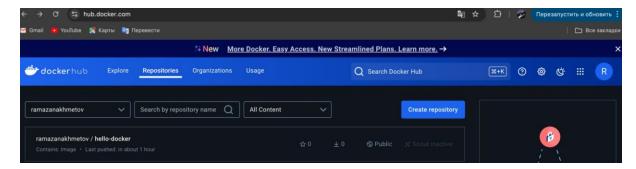
1. **Objective**: Learn how to share Docker images by pushing them to Docker Hub.

2. Steps:

- Create an account on Docker Hub.
- Tag the Docker image you built earlier with your Docker Hub username (e.g., docker tag hello-docker <your-username>/hello-docker).
- o Log in to Docker Hub using docker login.
- Push the image to Docker Hub using docker push <your-username>/hellodocker.
- Verify that the image is available on Docker Hub and share it with others.

- What is the purpose of Docker Hub in containerization?
- How do you tag a Docker image for pushing to a remote repository?
- What steps are involved in pushing an image to Docker Hub?

```
🚞 ramazan — -zsh — 105×24
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan \sim \% docker tag hello-docker ramazanakhmetov/hello-docker
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker push hello-docker ramazanakhmetov/hello-docker
"docker push" requires exactly 1 argument.
See 'docker push --help'.
Usage: docker push [OPTIONS] NAME[:TAG]
Upload an image to a registry
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ % docker push ramazanakhmetov/hello-docker
Using default tag: latest
The push refers to repository [docker.io/ramazanakhmetov/hello-docker]
c84b94f25d2c: Pushed
d78767df0001: Mounted from library/python
6e12f34fe52a: Mounted from library/python
4bad8619a254: Mounted from library/python
3a8081ce85fa: Mounted from library/python
045d8b74bf0d: Mounted from library/python
25879f85bbb0: Mounted from library/python
6abe10f2f601: Mounted from library/python
latest: digest: sha256:88739729f234365ff8f907b8a3d951b610707f3cfe7ff6cb0848626ce7a3411c size: 2003
(base) ramazan@MacBook-Pro-Ramazan ~ %
```



o What is the purpose of Docker Hub in containerization?

Docker Hub is a cloud service for storing and distributing Docker images, allowing developers to share and use images in their projects.

o How do you tag a Docker image for pushing to a remote repository?

An image is tagged using the docker tag <image_name> < your-username >:<tag> command, where < your-username > is the name of the remote repository and <tag> is the version or tag of the image.

o What steps are involved in pushing an image to Docker Hub?

First, log in to Docker Hub using docker login, then use the docker push < your-username >:<tag> command to push the tagged image to the repository.