Docker Composed Setting up a composed webserver

Introduction:

This report outlines the methodology for establishing a Docker Compose environment tailored for web application development. This environment will encompass three core components: a web server, a database, and an administrative interface. The deployment will leverage Docker and Docker Compose, ensuring seamless communication and data persistence among the services. A solid understanding of YAML syntax and web server configurations is a prerequisite for this endeavor.

Pre-requisites:

- Docker and Docker Compose are installed on your machine. Verify installation by running docker --version and docker-compose --version in your terminal.
- Basic understanding of YAML syntax and web server configurations.

Task 1: Docker Compose File Creation

- 1. Create a directory for your project:
 - Create a new directory named composed-server.
 - Navigate into the directory.

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(root@ samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker]
# mkdir composed-server

Create function

(root@ samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker]
# cd composed-server

Create function

(root@ samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker/composed-server]
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- 2. Create a Docker Compose file:
 - o Inside the composed-server directory, create a file named docker-compose.yml.
 - Open the file in a text editor.

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(root@ samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker/composed-server]
# touch docker-compose.yml

(root@ samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker/composed-server]
# gedit docker-compose.yml
Someman public
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3. Define Services:

- o In the docker-compose.yml file, define three services: web, db, and adminer.
- Use the nginx:alpine image for the web service.
- Use the postgres:13 image for the db service. Define environment variables for POSTGRES DB, POSTGRES USER, and POSTGRES PASSWORD.
- Use the adminer image for the adminer service.

4. Configure Networking:

- Create a custom network called webnet for your services to communicate.
- Assign all three services to this network.

5. Volumes and Ports:

- Mount a volume for the PostgreSQL data to persist data outside the container lifecycle.
- Map port 8080 to the web service's port 80.
- Map port 8081 to the adminer service's port 8080.

Task 2: Running and Testing Your Composed Environment

1. Starting Services:

 Run your composed environment with the following command: docker-compose up -d

 Ensure all containers are running by using: docker-compose ps



2. Testing the Web Server:

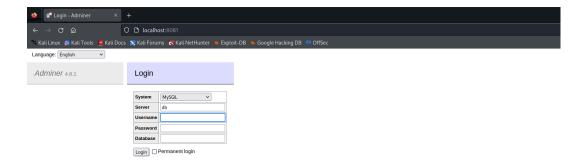
 Open your browser and navigate to http://localhost:8080. You should see the Nginx welcome page.



3. Testing the Database and Adminer:

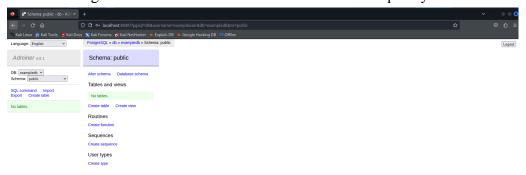
- Open your browser and navigate to http://localhost:8081. You should see the Adminer login page.
- Log in using the PostgreSQL credentials you defined in your Docker Compose file.

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Click on the MySQL dropdown to switch to PostgreSQL and them log into the database using the credentials mentioned in the docker-compose.yml file.



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Task 3: Docker Compose Management

- 1. Stopping Services:
 - Stop your composed environment using: docker-compose down
- 2. Cleanup:
 - Remove all stopped containers, networks, and volumes created by Docker Compose using:
 - docker-compose down --volumes

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docker-compose ps
Name
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5432/tcp
composed-server_adminer_1 entrypoint.sh php -S [::]: ...
docker-entrypoint.sh postgres
composed-server_web_1 /docker-entrypoint.sh ngin ...
                                                                                                                                                           5432/tcp
0.0.0.0:8080→80/tcp,:::8080→80/tcp
                                   )-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker/composed-server]
Stopping composed-server_adminer_1 ... done
Stopping composed-server_adminer_1 ... done
Stopping composed-server_web_1 ... done
Removing composed-server_db_1 ... done
Removing composed-server_adminer_1 ... done
Removing composed-server_adminer_1 ... done
Removing composed-server_web_1 ... done
Removing network composed-server_webnet
(roox@samuel)-[/home/samuel/Desktop/docker/composed-server]
docker-compose down --volumes
Removing network composed-server_webnet
                                                                          webnet not found.
WARNING: Network composed-server_webnet
Removing volume composed-server_db-data
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