Docker General

Display the Docker version information.

docker version

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Display system-wide information about Docker and its components

docker info

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Clean up unused networks, volumes, and images

docker system prune

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Docker Build and Run

Build Image from Dockerfile

docker build -t <image_name>:<tag> <path_to_dockerfile>

docker build -t myapp:1.0.

Build Image with No Cache

docker build --no-cache -t <image_name>:<tag> <path_to_dockerfile>

docker build --no-cache -t myapp:1.0 .

Build Image with Build Argument

docker build --build-arg <key>=<value> -t <image_name>:<tag> <path_to_dockerfile>

docker build --build-arg ENVIRONMENT=production -t myapp:1.0.

Build Image with Docker Compose

docker-compose build

docker-compose build web

Run Container Interactively

docker run -it <image_name>:<tag> /bin/

docker run -it myapp:1.0 /bin/

Run a Docker container in the background (detached mode)

docker run -d -p <host_port>:<container_port> <image_name>:<tag>

docker run -d -p 8080:80 myapp:latest

Run a Docker container with a volume mounted

docker run -v <host_path>:<container_path> <image_name>:<tag>

docker run -v /path/on/host:/path/in/container myapp:1.0

Run a Docker container with an environment variable

docker run -e <key>=<value> <image name>:<tag>

docker run -e DATABASE_URL=postgresgl://user:password@host:port/db myapp:1.0

Maps a host port to a container port when running a Docker container

docker run -p <host_port>:<container_port> <image_name>:<tag>

docker run -p 8080:80 myapp:latest

Docker Login

Logs in to a Docker registry

docker login

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You will be prompted to enter your Docker Hub username, password, and optionally, an access token.

Docker Image

DownLoad a Docker image from a registry

docker pull <image_name>

docker pull nginx:latest

Display a list of locally available Docker images

docker images

docker images

Remove a Docker image from the local machine

docker rmi <image name>

docker rmi nginx:latest

Builds a Docker image from a Dockerfile

docker build -t <image_name>:<tag> <path_to_dockerfile>

docker build -t myapp:1.0 .

Assigns a new tag to an existing Docker image

docker tag <source_image>:<source_tag> <target_image>:<target_tag>

docker tag myapp:1.0 myapp:latest

UpLoad a Docker image to a container registry

docker push <image_name>:<tag>

docker push myapp:latest

Display detailed information about a Docker image

docker image inspect <image name>

docker image inspect myapp:latest

Search for Docker images on a container registry

docker search < search_term>

docker search ubuntu

Save a Docker image to a tar archive file

docker save -o <output file.tar> <image name>:<tag>

docker save -o myapp.tar myapp:latest

Load a Docker image from a tar archive file

docker load -i <input file.tar>

docker load -i myapp.tar

Docker Container

Start a new container from a Docker image.

docker run <image_name>:<tag>

docker run nginx:latest

Run a container in the background (detached mode).

docker run -d <image_name>:<tag>

docker run -d nginx:latest

List the currently running containers.

docker ps

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List all containers, including stopped ones.

docker ps -a

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Display detailed information about a container.

docker inspect <container_id_or_name>

docker inspect my_container

Attaches to a running container, allowing interaction with its console.

docker attach <container_id_or_name>

docker attach my container

Stop a running container gracefully.

docker stop <container id or name>

docker stop my_container

Forcefully Stop a running container.

docker kill <container_id_or_name>

docker kill my_container

Remove a stopped container.

docker rm < container id or name>

docker rm my_container

Executes a command inside a running container.

docker exec -it <container_id_or_name> <command>

docker exec -it my container