

DevOps - Build, Test, Deploy, Monitor

Containerize a Basic Express JS Application and Deploy it on a Cloud Platform.

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Build

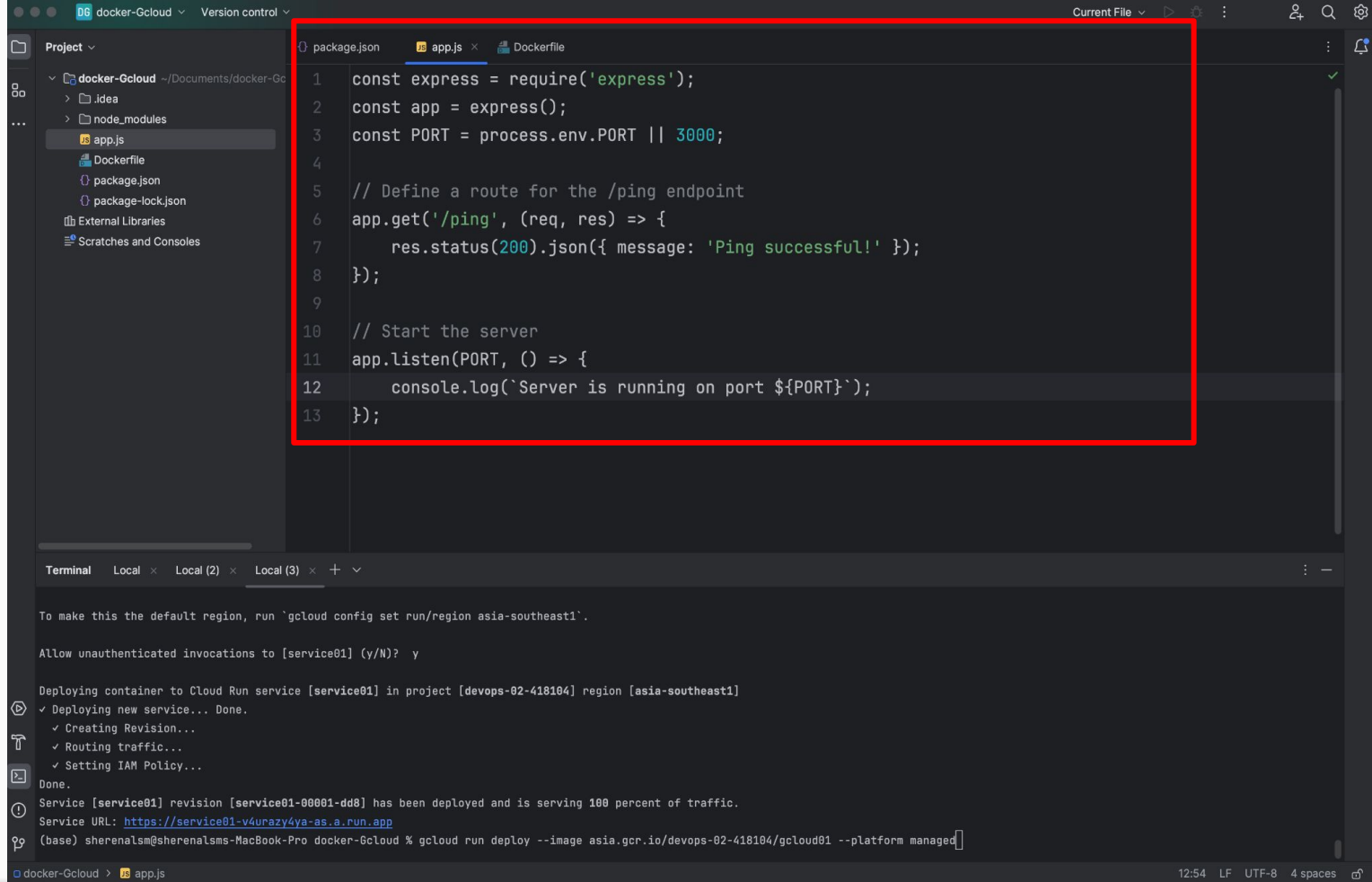
Develop a Simple Express JS Application.

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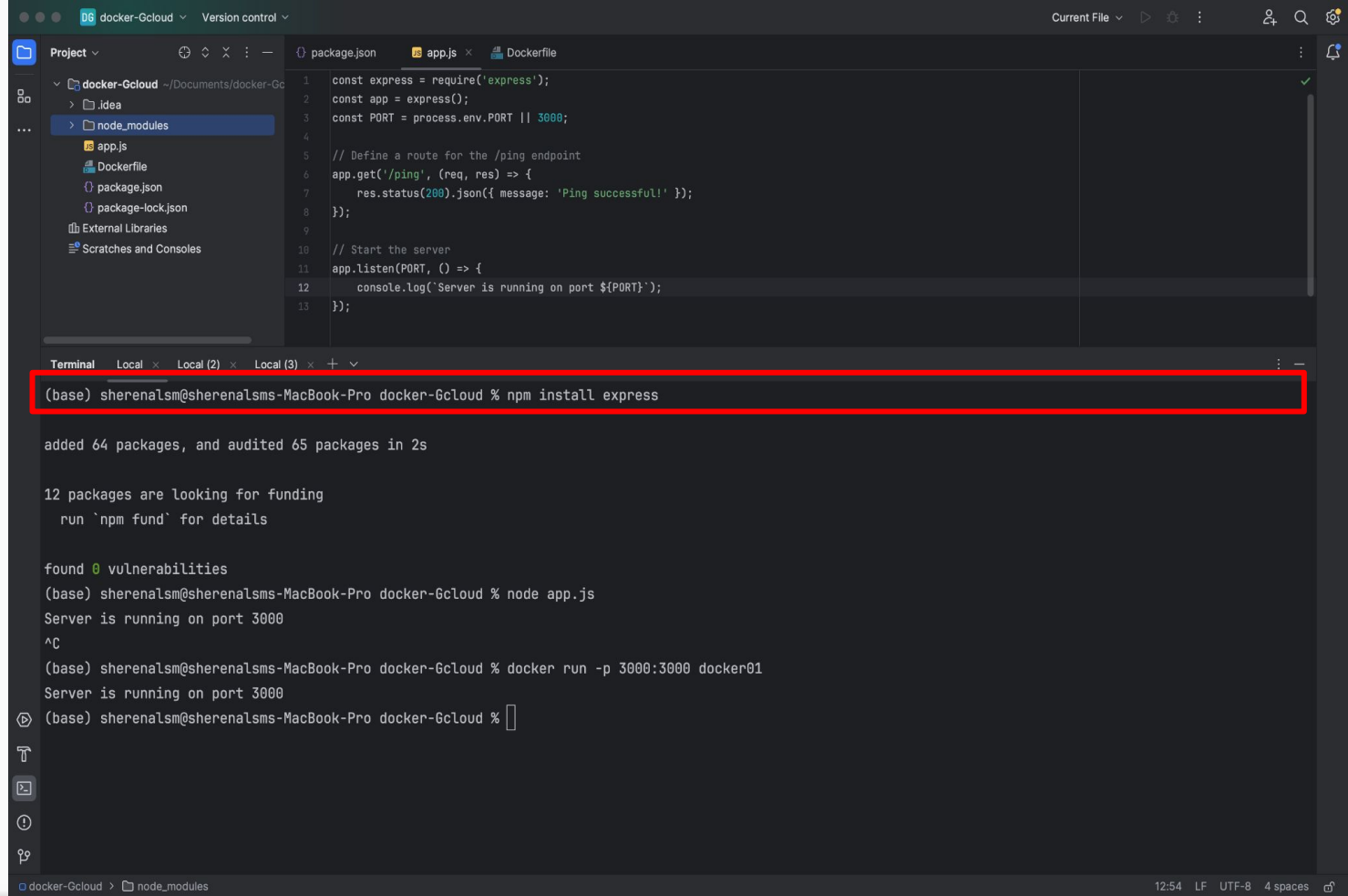
1: Generate Basic Node JS Application

Why Node JS instead of popular alternatives (e.g., Angular/React JS + Spring Boot application using Jhipster)?

- lightweight, provides minimalistic framework for building web applications and APIs in node.js
- suitable for small to medium-sized projects where simplicity and flexibility are prioritized
- objective : **demonstrate process of dockerizing a basic web application and deploying it on google cloud**



1a. Generate a basic express.js project with a single endpoint /ping that returns a successful response.



1b. Generate node_modules folder (installation of dependencies) using command `npm install`.

Build

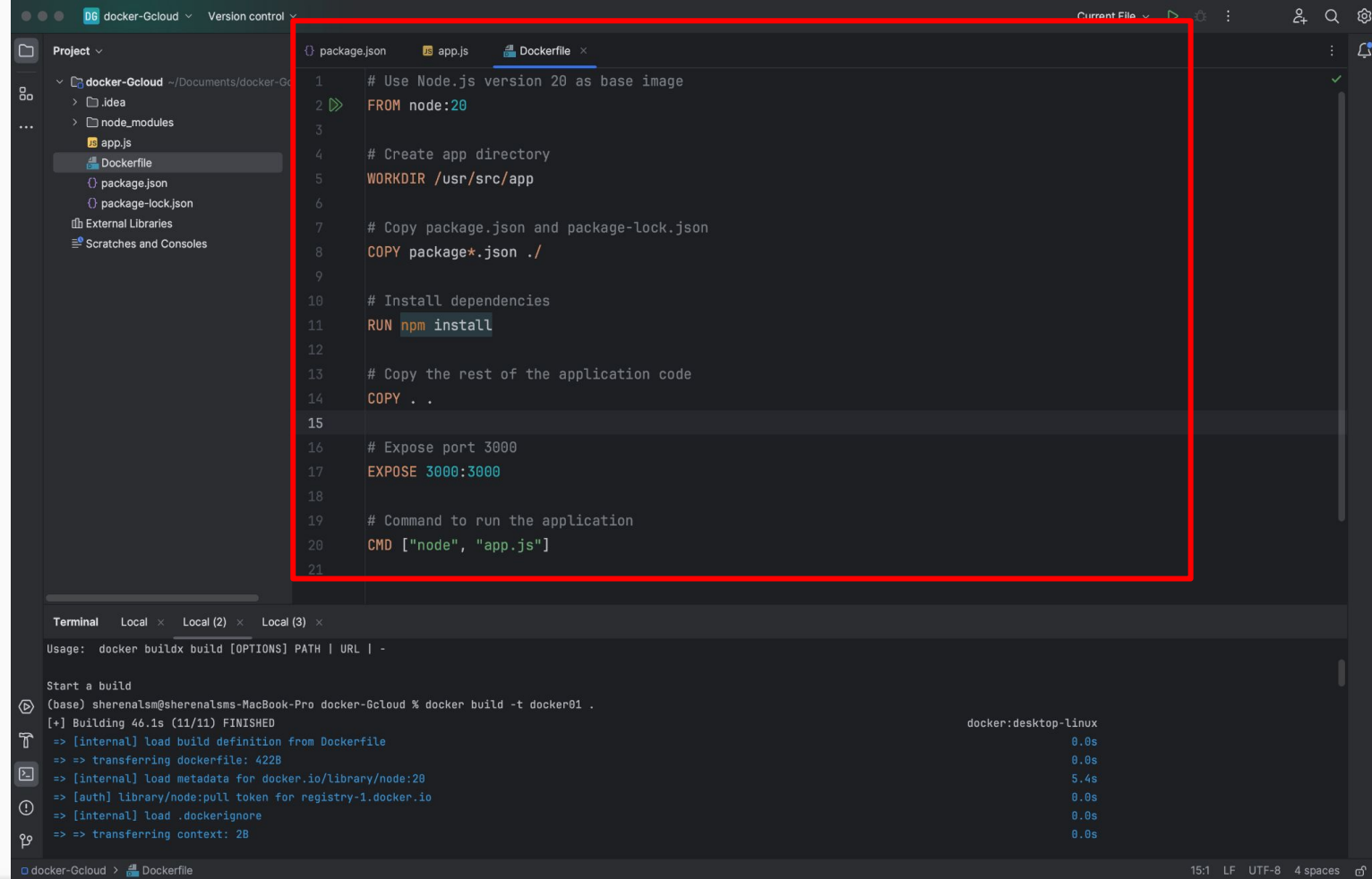
Containerize your Application. Build a Docker Image Locally.

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2: Containerize the Application using Docker

How does Containerization work?

- **dockerfile** : specifies instructions to assemble the image
- encapsulates application code, runtime, and dependencies into a portable unit
- **docker image** : a static, lightweight, standalone, executable software package that you can run using the command `docker run`
- **docker instance** : a runtime instance of an image
 - a.k.a. container or a lightweight virtual machine

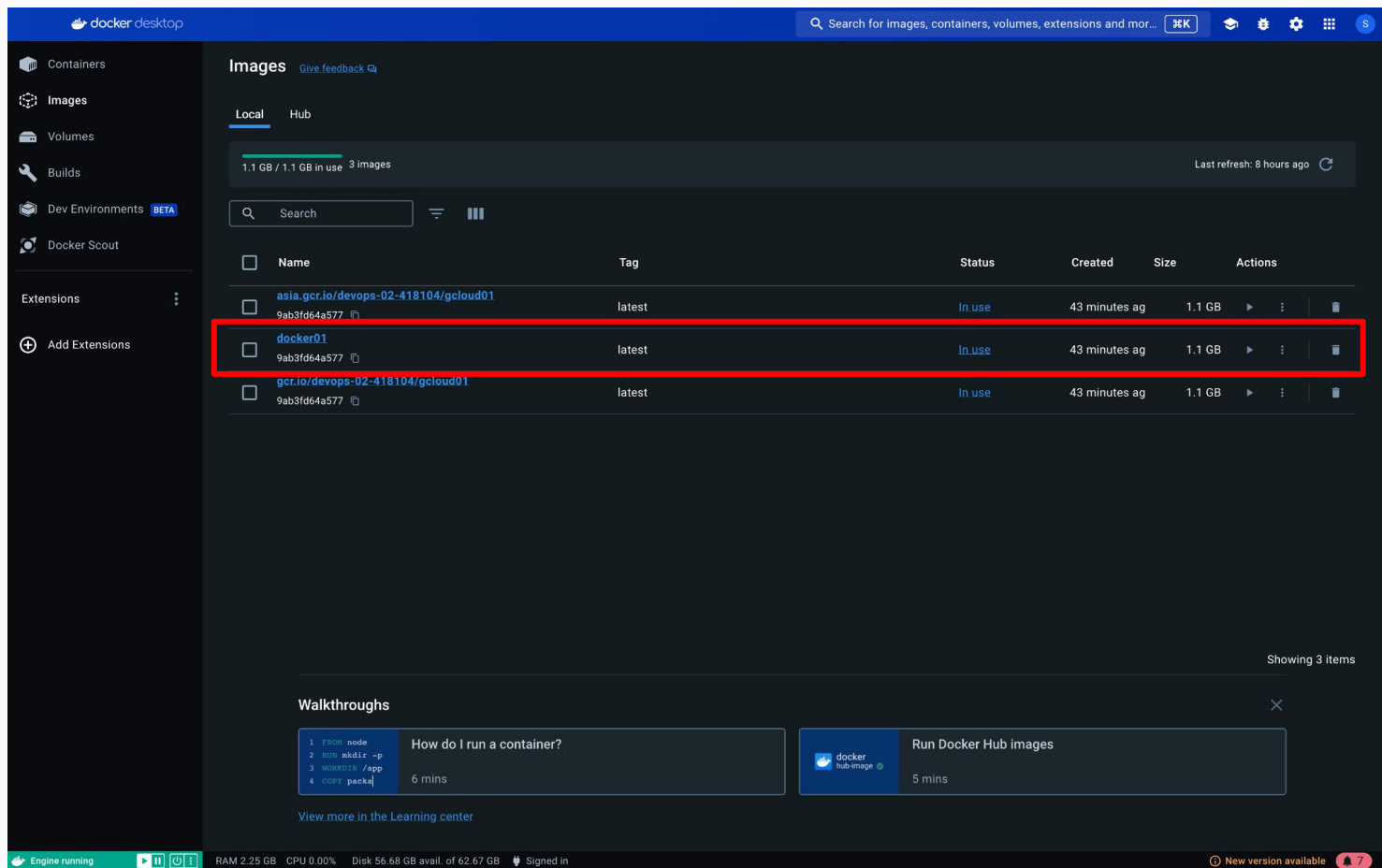


2a. Create a Dockerfile which specifies the instructions for assembling the image.


```
(base) sherenals@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-GCloud % docker build -t docker01 .
[+] Building 66.3s (11/11) FINISHED
=> [internal] load build definition from Dockerfile
=> transferring dockerfile: 422B
=> [internal] load metadata for docker.io/library/node:20
=> [auth] library/node:pull token for registry-1.docker.io
=> [internal] load .dockerignore
=> transferring context: 2B
=> [1/5] FROM docker.io/library/node:20@sha256:844b41cf784f66d7920fd673f7af54ca7b81e289985edcc6d864e7d05e0d133c
=> resolve docker.io/library/node:20@sha256:844b41cf784f66d7920fd673f7af54ca7b81e289985edcc6d864e7d05e0d133c
=> sha256:7c689462a154b893df44ff5f1a087f64aed9ce284725a21117fe627e5dab3bdf 2.00kB / 2.00kB
=> sha256:609c73876867487da051ad470802217da69bb052e2538710ade0730d893f5f1f 49.56MB / 49.56MB
=> sha256:be374d06f38273b62dd7aa5bc3ce3f9c781fd49a1f5a5dd94a46d2986920d7a 64.14MB / 64.14MB
=> sha256:844b41cf784f66d7920fd673f7af54ca7b81e289985edcc6d864e7d05e0d133c 1.21kB / 1.21kB
=> sha256:95de56e551c8db26018236fcb7fc17f33f85ca171d0273ad745debe239522a 7.38kB / 7.38kB
=> sha256:7247ea8d81e671d079d67f3a9909315ef4641b45db90d62a1b18e3430c1937d4 24.05MB / 24.05MB
=> sha256:b4580645a8e50b87a19330da289a9b1540822379f2c99d3f0112e3c5c4a8d051 211.14MB / 211.14MB
=> extracting sha256:609c73876867487da051ad470802217da69bb052e2538710ade0730d893f5f1f
=> sha256:d9c93b8f025cacb2b7fb13be1c7b87ff1cb1e46f0141022a5bdeed203a17ebd 3.37kB / 3.37kB
=> sha256:b78e0edd59dc94571661e04adbcf309d82aacb5a7263ce0e10e461e1e137f9b 48.02MB / 48.02MB
=> sha256:36d9352ffc81605e2962b594f23b64aba8cc7dc47f569a603131410120af3c88 2.21MB / 2.21MB
=> sha256:e95fc6a502bf2b434609578f98cb6ef31da8c3ffc0c087de250c395599f84e7 450B / 450B
=> extracting sha256:7247ea8d81e671d079d67f3a9909315ef4641b45db90d62a1b18e3430c1937d4
=> extracting sha256:be374d06f38273b62dd7aa5bc3ce3f9c781fd49a1f5a5dd94a46d2986920d7a
=> extracting sha256:b4580645a8e50b87a19330da289a9b1540822379f2c99d3f0112e3c5c4a8d051
=> extracting sha256:d9c93b8f025cacb2b7fb13be1c7b87ff1cb1e46f0141022a5bdeed203a17ebd
=> extracting sha256:b78e0edd59dc94571661e04adbcf309d82aacb5a7263ce0e10e461e1e137f9b
=> extracting sha256:36d9352ffc81605e2962b594f23b64aba8cc7dc47f569a603131410120af3c88
=> extracting sha256:e95fc6a502bf2b434609578f98cb6ef31da8c3ffc0c087de250c395599f84e7
=> [internal] load build context
=> transferring context: 2.23MB
[2/5] WORKDIR /usr/src/app
[3/5] COPY package*.json ./
[4/5] RUN npm install
[5/5] COPY . .
=> exporting to image
=> exporting layers
=> writing image sha256:9ab3fd64a577d35ad5d39fb3d3c2c344052106ddc089e671267e1b7250551d05
=> naming to docker.io/library/docker01
```

What's Next?
View a summary of image vulnerabilities and recommendations → [docker scout quickview](#)
(base) sherenals@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-GCloud % docker run docker01

2b. Navigate to the directory containing your Dockerfile and run the command `docker build`.



2c. Docker image 'docker01' successfully generated !

Portability + Isolation = Replicability

What problem does Containerisation solve?

- image can be deployed and run consistently across various environments
- application remains unaffected by changes to the underlying infrastructure

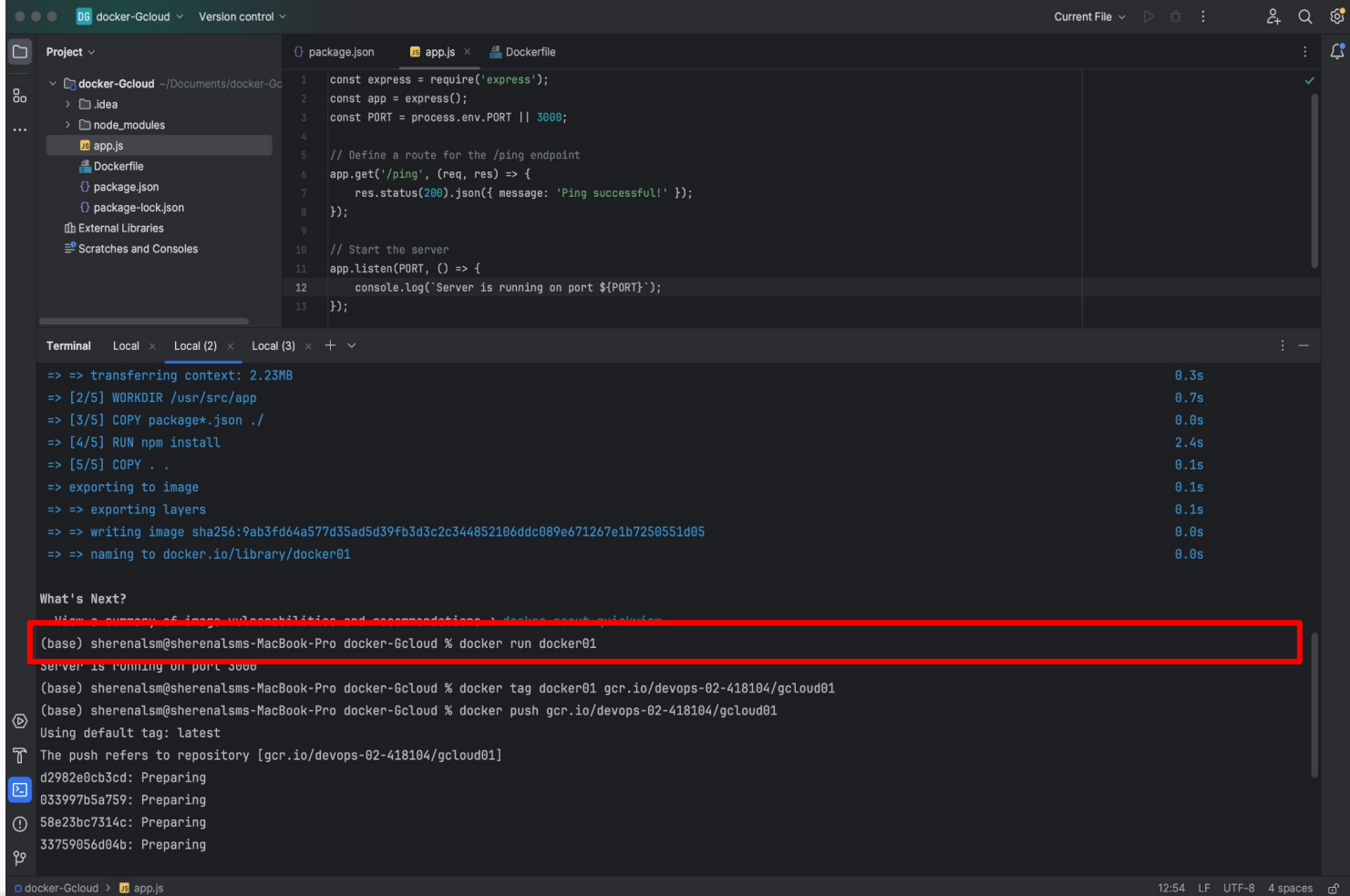
Limitation of Docker :

- Docker Desktop is not free for organizations with >250 employees or more than \$10mil in annual revenue
- more suitable for medium-sized or small pet projects

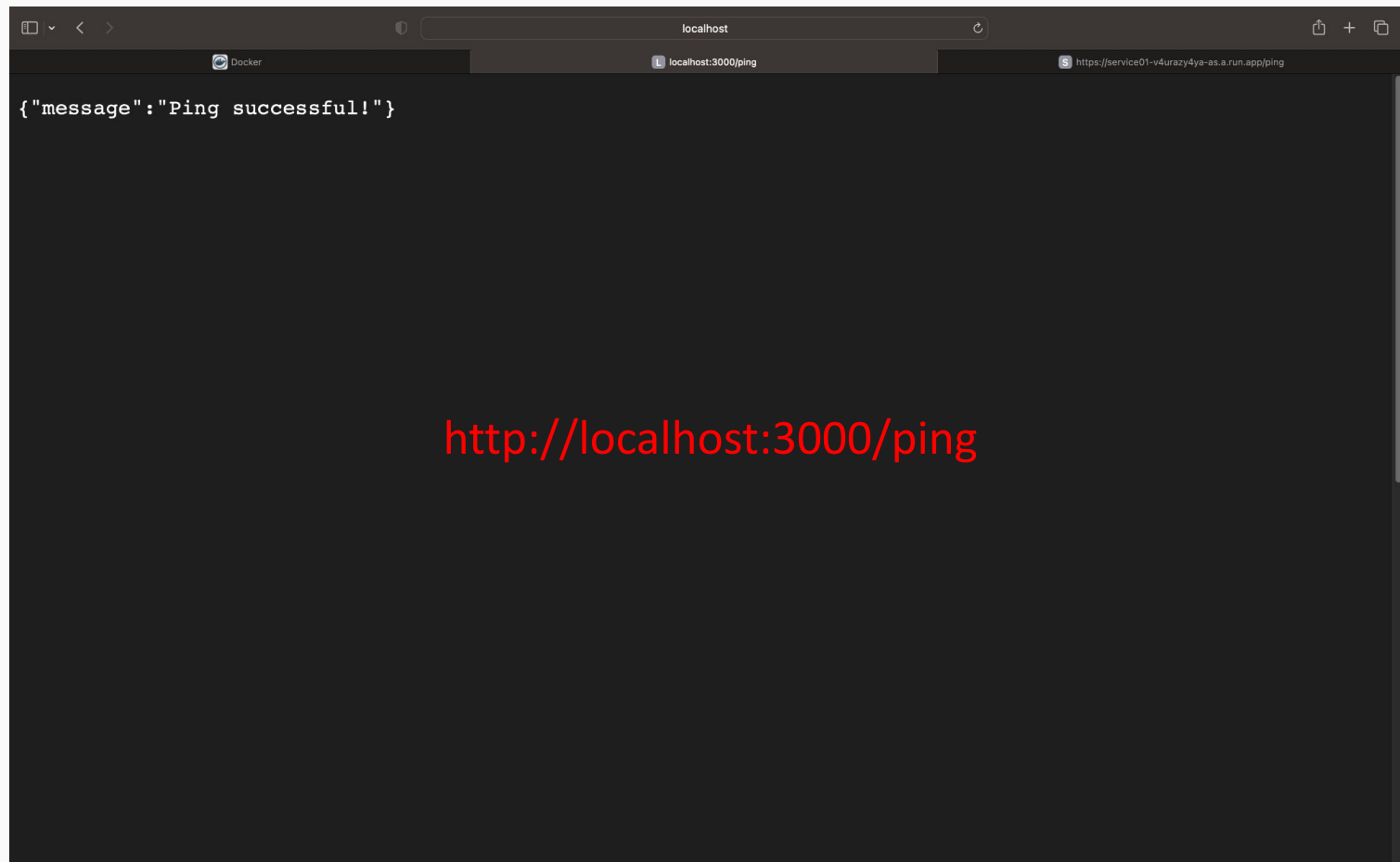
Test

Run your Dockerized Application Locally.

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3a. Deploy docker image locally. Run it as a container using the command `docker run`.



3b. Access the application on a web browser or use tools like curl or Postman.

Deploy

Deploy Docker Image to Google Cloud Run.

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4: Set Up Required Google Cloud Services

Install Google Cloud CLI command-line tools to manage resources hosted on the cloud.



Cloud Build



Cloud Run



Artifact Registry



Google
Kubernetes Engine

console.cloud.google.com/artifacts/docker/devops-02-418104/asia/asia.gcr.io/gcloud01/sha256:458be991185cf92118a179446ebe25677ca7d9ef816a58800aadadc457e35b89?projec...

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Artifact Registry

Repositories

Settings

458be991185cf DELETE SETUP INSTRUCTIONS DEPLOY REFRESH SHOW ALL VERSIONS

asia.gcr.io > devops-02-418104 > gcloud01 > sha256:458be991185cf92118a179446ebe25677ca7d9ef816a58800aadadc457e35b89

OVERVIEW PULL MANIFEST

Format Docker

Media type application/vnd.docker.distribution.manifest.v2+json

Project devops-02-418104

Location asia (multiple regions in Asia)

Repository asia.gcr.io

Image gcloud01

Digest sha256:458be991185cf92118a179446ebe25677ca7d9ef816a58800aadadc457e35b89

Virtual size 382.6 MB

Built 20 Apr 2024, 11:51:33

Created 20 Apr 2024, 12:36:44

Updated 20 Apr 2024, 12:36:44

Tags latest

Release notes

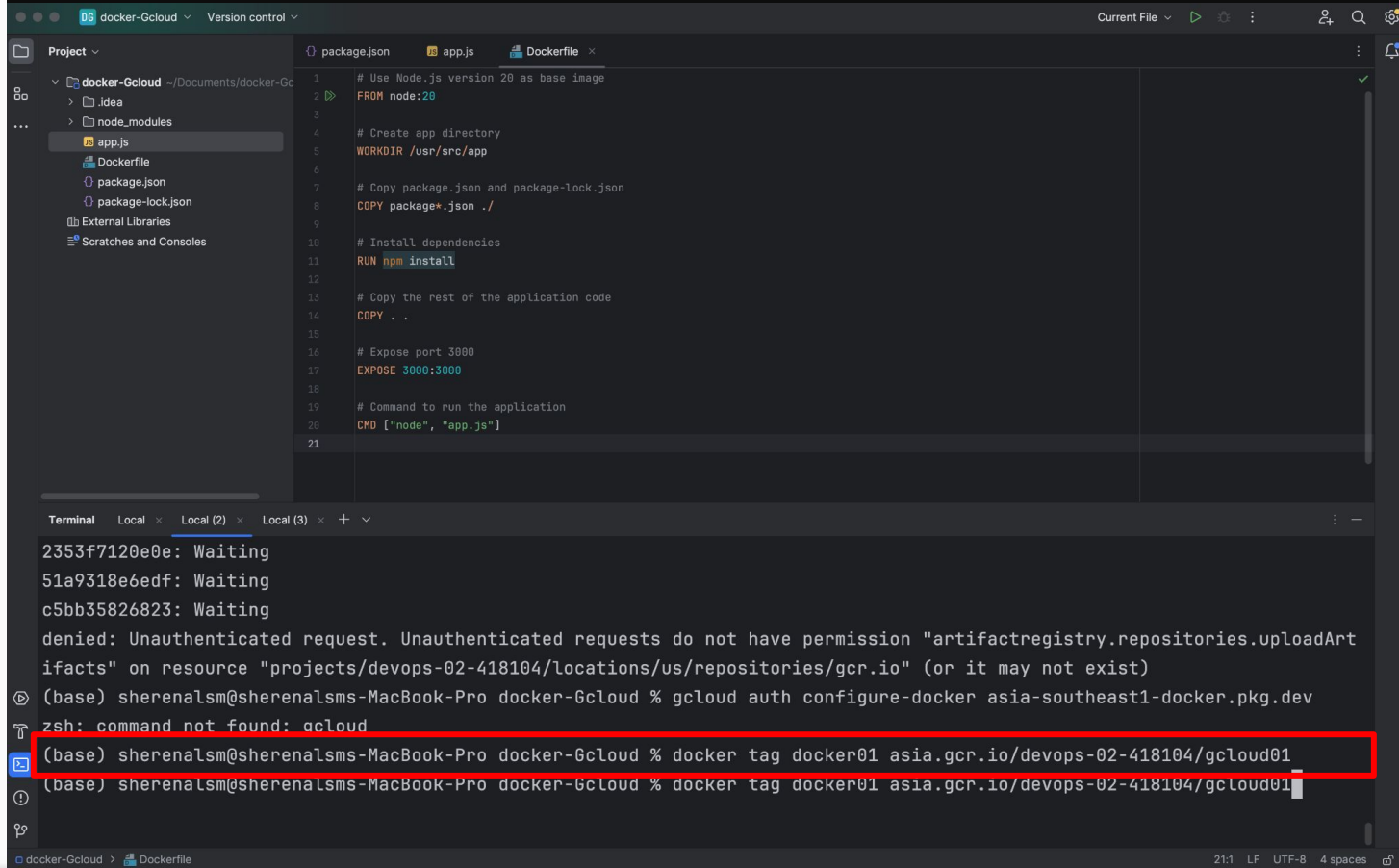
4a. Set-up Google Artifact Repository.

```
15
16 # Expose port 3000
17 EXPOSE 3000:3000
18
19 # Command to run the application
20 CMD ["node", "app.js"]
21
```

```
(base) sherenalsm@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % gcloud auth configure-docker
WARNING: Your config file at [/Users/sherenalsm/.docker/config.json] contains these credential helper entries:
{
  "credHelpers": {
    "asia-southeast1-docker.pkg.dev": "gcloud"
  }
}
Adding credentials for all GCR repositories.
WARNING: A long list of credential helpers may cause delays running 'docker build'. We recommend passing the registry name to configure only the registry you are using.
After update, the following will be written to your Docker config file located at [/Users/sherenalsm/.docker/config.json]:
{
  "credHelpers": {
    "asia-southeast1-docker.pkg.dev": "gcloud",
    "gcr.io": "gcloud",
    "us.gcr.io": "gcloud",
    "eu.gcr.io": "gcloud",
    "asia.gcr.io": "gcloud",
    "staging-k8s.gcr.io": "gcloud",
    "marketplace.gcr.io": "gcloud"
  }
}
Do you want to continue (Y/n)? y
Docker configuration file updated.
```

4b. Configure Docker to authenticate with Google Cloud Registry.

```
docker tag myimage gcr.io/myproject/myimage:latest
```



The screenshot shows an IDE with a project named 'docker-Gcloud'. The file explorer on the left shows the project structure, including 'app.js', 'Dockerfile', 'package.json', and 'package-lock.json'. The main editor displays the 'Dockerfile' with the following content:

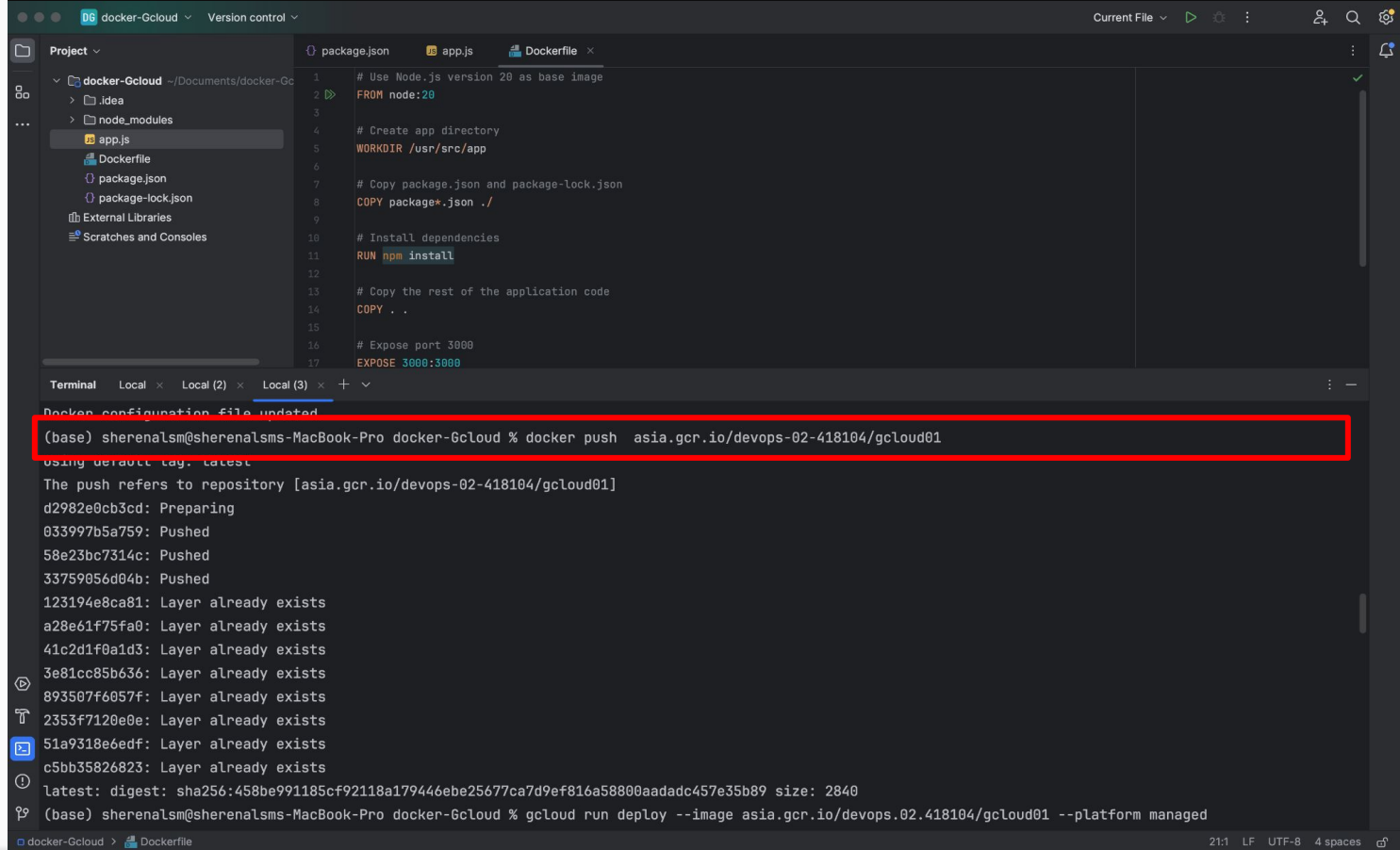
```
1 # Use Node.js version 20 as base image
2 FROM node:20
3
4 # Create app directory
5 WORKDIR /usr/src/app
6
7 # Copy package.json and package-lock.json
8 COPY package*.json ./
9
10 # Install dependencies
11 RUN npm install
12
13 # Copy the rest of the application code
14 COPY . .
15
16 # Expose port 3000
17 EXPOSE 3000:3000
18
19 # Command to run the application
20 CMD ["node", "app.js"]
21
```

The terminal at the bottom shows the following commands and output:

```
2353f7120e0e: Waiting
51a9318e6edf: Waiting
c5bb35826823: Waiting
denied: Unauthenticated request. Unauthenticated requests do not have permission "artifactregistry.repositories.uploadArtifacts" on resource "projects/devops-02-418104/locations/us/repositories/gcr.io" (or it may not exist)
(base) sherenalsm@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % gcloud auth configure-docker asia-southeast1-docker.pkg.dev
zsh: command not found: gcloud
(base) sherenalsm@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % docker tag docker01 asia.gcr.io/devops-02-418104/gcloud01
(base) sherenalsm@sherenalsms-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % docker tag docker01 asia.gcr.io/devops-02-418104/gcloud01
```

4c. Tag docker image (docker01) with the GCR repository name (devops-02-418104) and tag (gcloud01).

docker push gcr.io/myproject/myimage:latest



```
1 # Use Node.js version 20 as base image
2 FROM node:20
3
4 # Create app directory
5 WORKDIR /usr/src/app
6
7 # Copy package.json and package-lock.json
8 COPY package*.json ./
9
10 # Install dependencies
11 RUN npm install
12
13 # Copy the rest of the application code
14 COPY . .
15
16 # Expose port 3000
17 EXPOSE 3000:3000
```

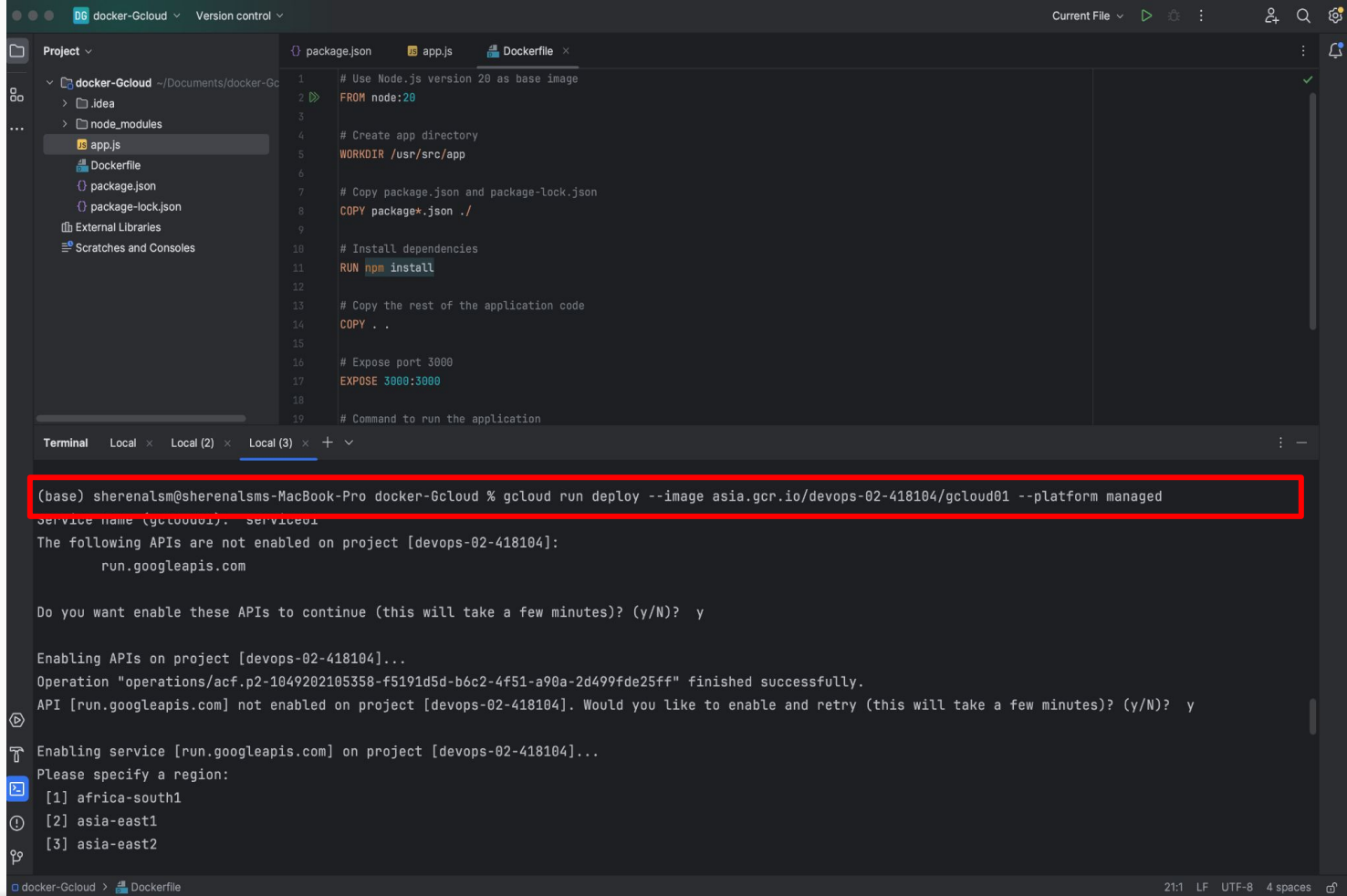
Terminal

Local (3)

Docker configuration file updated

```
(base) sherenaLsm@sherenaLsm-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % docker push asia.gcr.io/devops-02-418104/gcloud01
Using default tag: latest
The push refers to repository [asia.gcr.io/devops-02-418104/gcloud01]
d2982e0cb3cd: Preparing
033997b5a759: Pushed
58e23bc7314c: Pushed
33759056d04b: Pushed
123194e8ca81: Layer already exists
a28e61f75fa0: Layer already exists
41c2d1f0a1d3: Layer already exists
3e81cc85b636: Layer already exists
893507f6057f: Layer already exists
2353f7120e0e: Layer already exists
51a9318e6edf: Layer already exists
c5bb35826823: Layer already exists
latest: digest: sha256:458be991185cf92118a179446ebe25677ca7d9ef816a58800aadadc457e35b89 size: 2840
(base) sherenaLsm@sherenaLsm-MacBook-Pro docker-Gcloud % gcloud run deploy --image asia.gcr.io/devops.02.418104/gcloud01 --platform managed
```

4d. Push the tagged docker image to GCR.



4e. Deploy docker image to Cloud Run (Part 1).

The screenshot shows a VS Code editor with a project named 'docker-Gcloud'. The file explorer on the left shows the project structure, including 'app.js', 'Dockerfile', 'package.json', and 'package-lock.json'. The Dockerfile in the editor contains the following content:

```
1 # Use Node.js version 20 as base image
2 FROM node:20
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4 # Create app directory
5 WORKDIR /usr/src/app
6
7 # Copy package.json and package-lock.json
8 COPY package*.json ./
9
10 # Install dependencies
11 RUN npm install
12
```

The terminal window at the bottom shows the output of the deployment process:

```
[39] us-west3
[40] us-west4
[41] cancel
Please enter numeric choice or text value (must exactly match list item): 9

To make this the default region, run `gcloud config set run/region asia-southeast1`.

Allow unauthenticated invocations to [service01] (y/N)? y

Deploying container to Cloud Run service [service01] in project [devops-02-418104] region [asia-southeast1]
✓ Deploying new service... Done.

  ✓ Creating Revision...

  ✓ Routing traffic...

  ✓ Setting IAM Policy...

Done.

Service [service01] revision [service01-00001-dd8] has been deployed and is serving 100 percent of traffic.
```

The final line of the terminal output is highlighted with a red box.

4e. Container deployed successfully to Cloud Run (Part 2).

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Cloud Run

Services

+ CREATE SERVICE

+ CREATE JOB

MANAGE CUSTOM DOMAINS

RELEASE NOTES

SERVICES

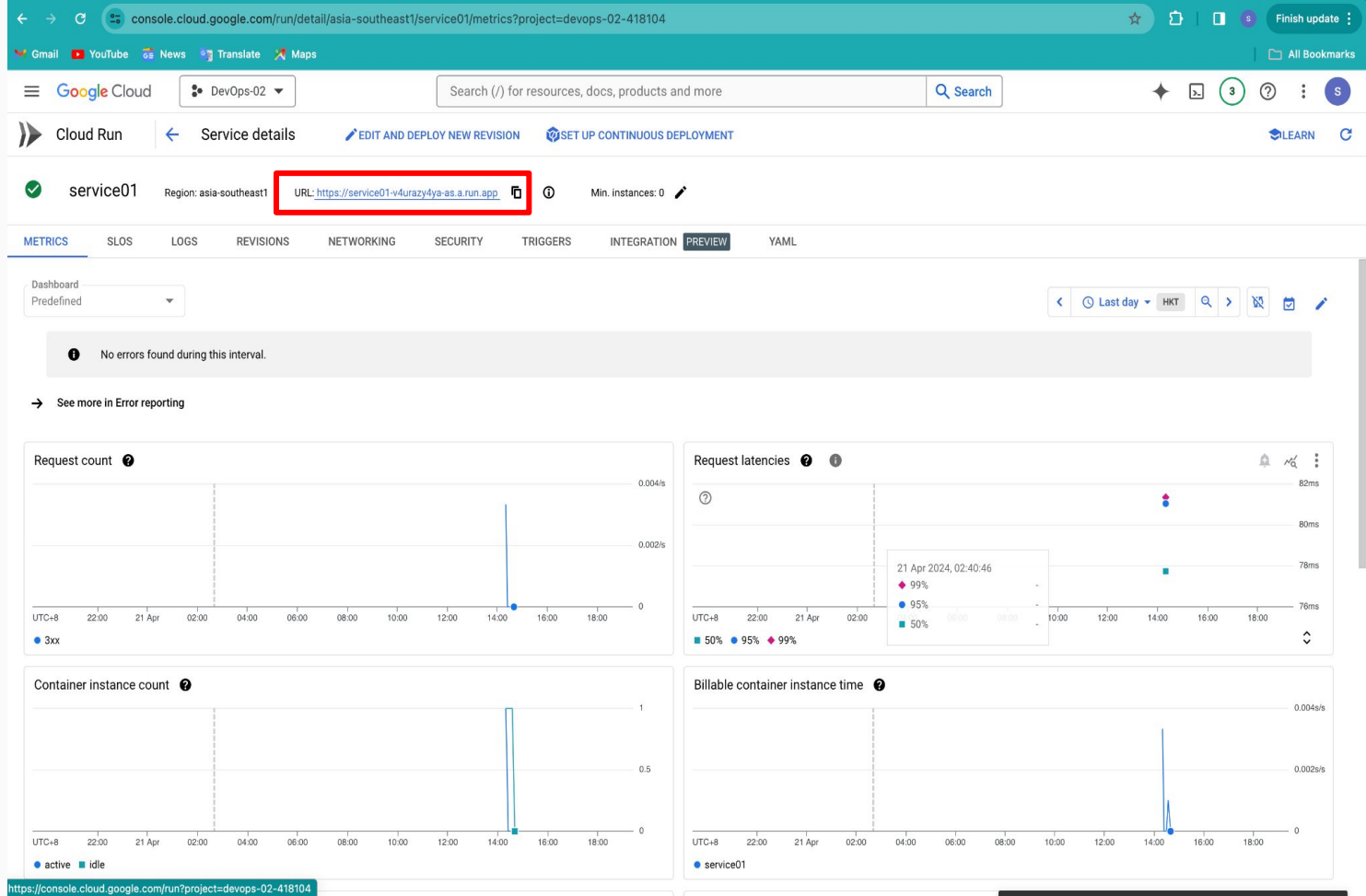
JOB

Services

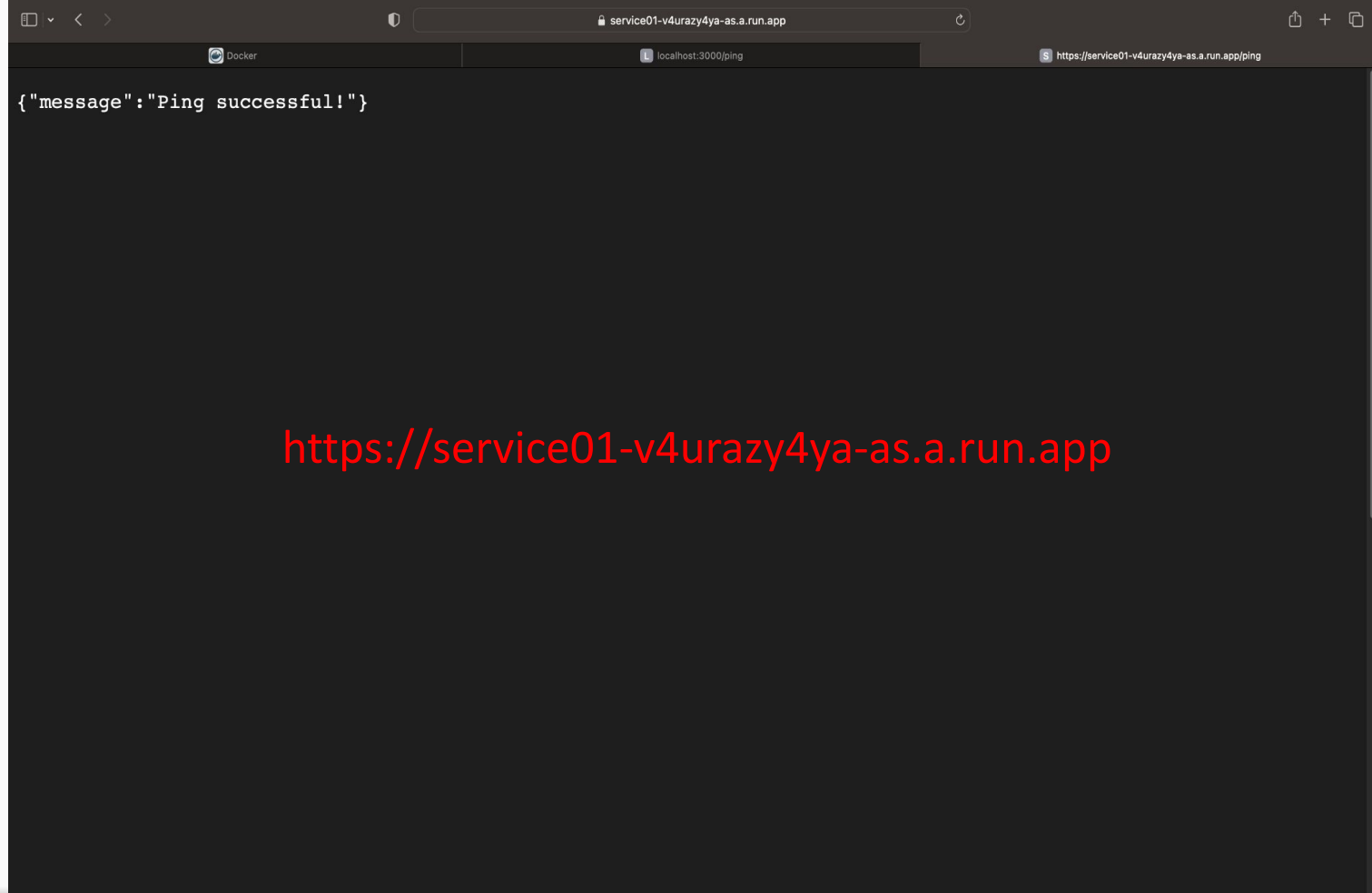
Filter

Filter services

| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Name ↑ | Req/sec ? | Region | Authentication ? | Ingress ? | Recommendation | Last deployed | Deployed by |
|--------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="radio"/> service01 | 0 | asia-southeast1 | Allow unauthenticated | All | SECURITY ▼ | 1 day ago | sherenalsm@gmail.com |



4f. Cloud Run service runs instance of Docker image pushed into Google Artifact Registry. Copy unique URL provided.

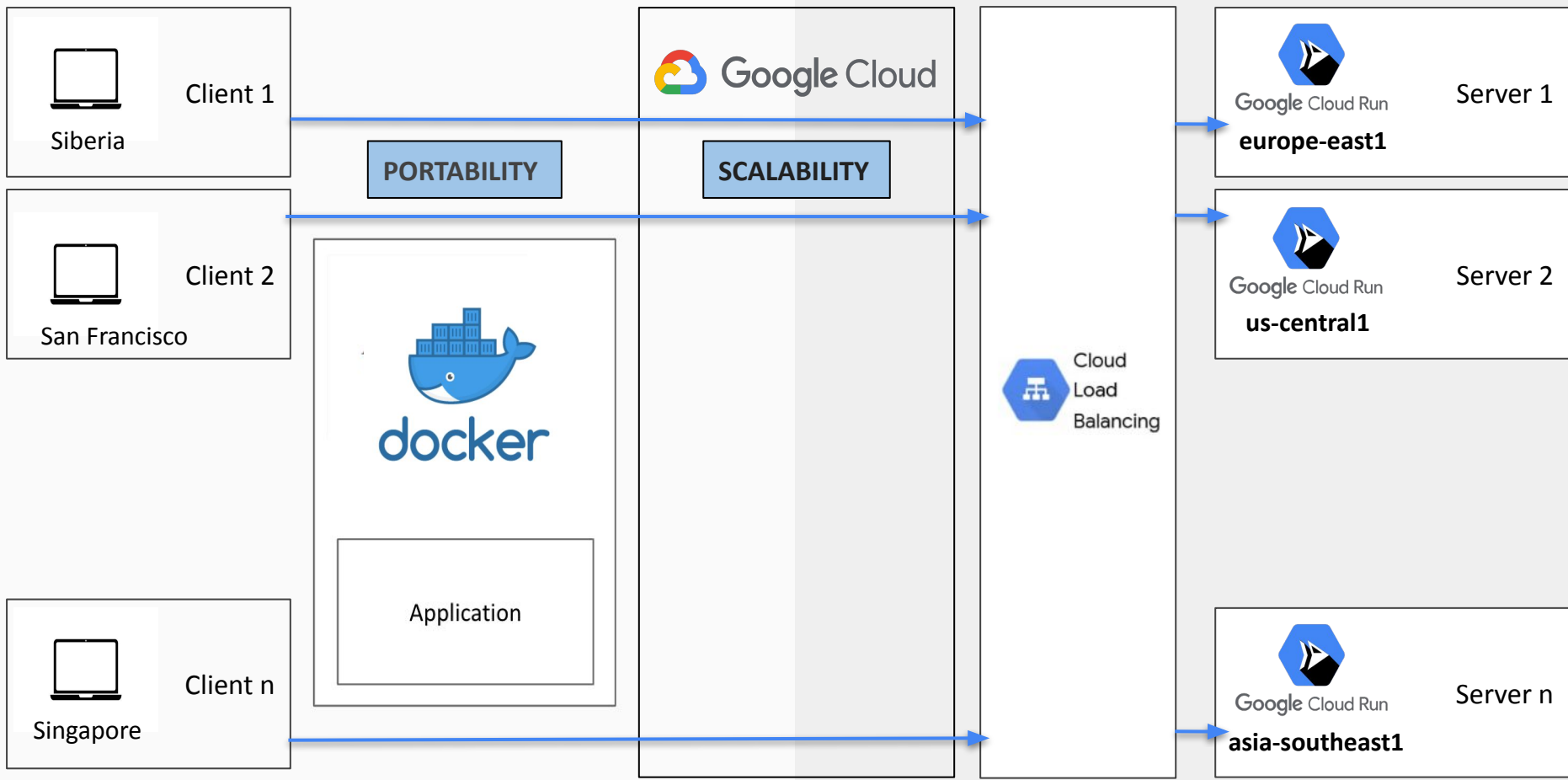


4f. Apply unique URL that serves as the endpoint for accessing service01 over the internet.

Software Architecture

Client-Server Architecture Diagram.

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Deployment of Containerized Monolithic Application on Google Cloud.

Optimal Resource Utilization

A load balancer distributes incoming network traffic across multiple servers or instances.



https://example.com



Cloud
Load
Balancing



Cloud Run
europe-west1



Cloud Run
asia-northeast1



Cloud Run
us-central1

Load Balancing
mitigates
Denial-of-Service (DoS) Attacks