

DOCKER INSTLLATION

1. Update the System

```
sudo apt update
```

```
sudo apt upgrade -y
```

✓ This updates your system package list and installed packages.

2. Install Required Packages for Repository Management

```
sudo apt install ca-certificates curl gnupg lsb-release -y
```

✓ These packages are needed to securely add external repositories.

3. Create the keyrings directory for Docker

```
sudo mkdir -p /etc/apt/keyrings
```

✓ A place where Docker GPG key will be stored.

4. Add Docker's Official GPG Key

```
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --  
dearmor -o /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg
```

✓ This ensures only authentic Docker packages are installed.

5. Set up the Docker Repository

```
echo \  
"deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-  
by=/etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg]  
https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \  
$(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list  
> /dev/null
```

✓ This adds the official Docker repository to your system.

6. Update apt Package List (Now including Docker repo)

```
sudo apt update
```

✓ Now you will see Docker's repository is included.

✓ You should see a line like:

```
Hit: https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu focal/stable amd64  
Packages
```

(if your Ubuntu is 20.04, or jammy for 22.04, etc.)

7. Install Docker Engine and Docker Compose Plugin

```
sudo apt install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io docker-buildx-plugin docker-compose-plugin -y
```

✓ This installs:

- **Docker Engine**
- **Docker CLI**
- **Docker BuildX plugin**
- **Docker Compose V2 plugin**

✓ No need to install docker-compose separately!

8. Start and Enable Docker Service (if not already running)

```
sudo systemctl start docker
```

```
sudo systemctl enable docker
```

✓ Starts Docker service and enables it on boot.

9. (Optional but Recommended) Allow Running Docker Without Sudo

Add your user to the **docker group**:

```
sudo usermod -aG docker $USER
```

✓ Then **logout** and **log back in** (or restart terminal) to apply group change.

✓ Now you can run docker commands without typing sudo every time.

10. Test Docker and Docker Compose Installation

✓ Check Docker version:

```
docker --version
```

Example output:

Docker version 24.0.5, build ced0996

✓ Check Docker Compose version:

```
docker compose version
```

Example output:

Docker Compose version v2.20.2

✓ Run a test container:

```
docker run hello-world
```

✓ You should see:

Hello from Docker!

This message shows that your installation appears to be working correctly.

Quick Copy-Paste Full Commands (One shot)

```
sudo apt update && sudo apt upgrade -y  
sudo apt install ca-certificates curl gnupg lsb-release -y  
sudo mkdir -p /etc/apt/keyrings  
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --  
dearmor -o /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg  
echo \  
"deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-  
by=/etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg]  
https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu \  
$(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/apt/sources.list.d/docker.list  
> /dev/null  
sudo apt update  
sudo apt install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io docker-buildx-  
plugin docker-compose-plugin -y  
sudo systemctl start docker  
sudo systemctl enable docker  
sudo usermod -aG docker $USER
```

 **Important Final Notes:**

- After `usermod -aG docker $USER`, you MUST logout/login to make group active.
 - Use `docker compose` (with space), not `docker-compose` (dash).
 - No manual pip install needed anymore.
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Final Summary:

	Purpose
Install Packages	ca-certificates, curl, gnupg, lsb-release
Add GPG Key	Trust Docker repo
Add Repository	Official stable Docker repo
Update apt	Refresh repo list
Install Docker	Engine + CLI + Compose
Start/Enable Docker Service	Keep Docker running
Add to Docker Group	Run docker without sudo
Test Installation	Confirm with hello-world