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Lab Exercise – 1

Docker Fundamental Commands

Objective

Learn and practice the fundamental Docker CLI commands to:

- Manage images and containers
- Understand container lifecycle
- Build and run applications using Docker

1. Setup

Prerequisites

- Docker installed on your system
(Check using: `docker --version`)
- Internet access to pull images

2. Basic Docker Commands

Step 1: Verify Installation

docker --version:

```
Microsoft Windows [Version 10.0.26200.7623]  
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```

```
Docker version 28.3.0, build 38b7060
```

docker info:

```
Client:  
Version:      28.3.0  
Context:      desktop-linux  
Debug Mode:   false  
Plugins:  
ai: Docker AI Agent - Ask Gordon (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v1.6.0  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-ai.exe  
buildx: Docker Buildx (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.25.0-desktop.1  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-buildx.exe  
cloud: Docker Cloud (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.4.2  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-cloud.exe  
compose: Docker Compose (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v2.38.1-desktop.1  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-compose.exe  
debug: Get a shell into any image or container (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    0.0.41  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-debug.exe  
desktop: Docker Desktop commands (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.1.11  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-desktop.exe  
extension: Manages Docker extensions (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.2.29  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-extension.exe  
init: Creates Docker-related starter files for your project (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v1.4.0  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-init.exe  
mcp: Docker MCP Plugin (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.9.3  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-mcp.exe  
model: Docker Model Runner (EXPERIMENTAL) (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v0.1.32  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-model.exe  
sbom: View the packaged-based Software Bill Of Materials (SBOM) for an image (Anchore Inc.)  
  Version:    0.6.0  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-sbom.exe  
scout: Docker Scout (Docker Inc.)  
  Version:    v1.18.1  
  Path:       C:\Program Files\Docker\cli-plugins\docker-scout.exe  
  
Server:  
error during connect: Get "http://%2F%2F.%2Fpipe%2FdockerDesktopLinuxEngine/v1.51/info": open //./pipe/dockerDesktopLinuxEngine: The system cannot find the file specified.
```

Expected Output: Docker version and system details.

Step 2: Pull an Image from Docker Hub

docker pull ubuntu:latest

```
C:\Users\Yash Chaudhary>docker pull ubuntu:latest
latest: Pulling from library/ubuntu
a3629ac5b9f4: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:cd1dba651b3080c3686ecf4e3c4220f026b521fb76978881737d24f200828b2b
Status: Downloaded newer image for ubuntu:latest
docker.io/library/ubuntu:latest
```

Explanation: Downloads the latest Ubuntu image from Docker Hub

Check available images:

docker images

REPOSITORY	TAG	IMAGE ID	CREATED	SIZE
ubuntu	latest	cd1dba651b30	6 days ago	117MB

Step 3: Run a Container

Run Ubuntu interactively:

docker run -it --name myubuntu ubuntu bash

```
root@22af9bf73046: /#
```

Now you're inside a running container (prompt will change).

Exit:

exit

```
root@22af9bf73046: /# exit
exit
```

Step 4: List Containers

- Show running containers:

docker ps

- Show all containers (including stopped):

docker ps -a

CONTAINER ID	IMAGE	COMMAND	CREATED	STATUS	PORTS	NAMES
22af9bf73046	ubuntu	"bash"	2 minutes ago	Exited (0) 56 seconds ago		myubuntu

Step 5: Start / Stop / Remove Containers

Start a stopped container

`docker start <container_id>`

Stop a running container

`docker stop <container_id>`

Remove a container

`docker rm <container_id>`

```
>docker start 22af9bf73046

>docker stop 22af9bf73046

>docker rm 22af9bf73046
```

Step 6: Remove Images

`docker rmi ubuntu:latest`

```
Untagged: ubuntu:latest
Deleted: sha256:cd1dba651b3080c3686ecf4e3c4220f026b521fb76978881737d24f200828b2b
```