



# Spotify MVP - Docker Deployment Guide

Deploy your Spotify MVP using Docker with local source file mounting for development.



## Two Docker Deployment Methods

### Method 1: Development with Local Source Files (Recommended for Development)

Your local files are mounted as volumes - changes reflect immediately without rebuilding.

### Method 2: Production with Built Containers

Files are built into containers - for production deployment.

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# Method 1: Development with Local Source Files

## Quick Start

```
# 1. Navigate to project directory
cd spotify-mvp

# 2. Use the development Docker Compose
docker-compose -f ../docker-compose.dev.yml up --build

# Your app will be available at:
# Frontend: http://localhost:3000
# Backend API: http://localhost:3001/api
```

## What This Method Gives You:

- ✓ **Live Reloading** - Changes to local files immediately reflect in containers
- ✓ **Fast Development** - No need to rebuild containers for code changes
- ✓ **Node Modules Persistence** - Dependencies are cached in named volumes
- ✓ **Database Persistence** - PostgreSQL data persists between restarts

## Development Workflow:

1. Edit files in your local `backend/` or `frontend/` directories
  2. Changes are automatically detected and the servers restart
  3. View changes immediately in your browser
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# Method 2: Production with Built Containers

## Quick Start

```
# Navigate to project directory
cd spotify-mvp

# Build and start containers
docker-compose up --build

# Your app will be available at:
# Frontend: http://localhost:3000
# Backend API: http://localhost:3001/api
```

## What This Method Gives You:

- ✓ **Production Ready** - Optimized containers for deployment
  - ✓ **Self Contained** - All code built into containers
  - ✓ **Portable** - Can be deployed anywhere Docker runs
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## Project Structure for Docker

Your project directory should look like this:

```

spotify-mvp/
├── backend/                # Backend source code
│   ├── src/               # API routes and logic
│   ├── database/          # DB migrations
│   ├── package.json       # Backend dependencies
│   ├── Dockerfile         # Backend container config
│   └── uploads/           # Audio file storage
├── frontend/              # Frontend source code
│   ├── src/               # React components
│   ├── public/            # Static assets
│   ├── package.json       # Frontend dependencies
│   └── Dockerfile         # Frontend container config
├── database/              # Database schema
│   └── schema.sql         # Initial DB schema
├── sample-music/          # Demo audio files
├── docker-compose.yml     # Production Docker config
└── docker-compose.dev.yml # Development Docker config (in parent
dir)

```

## Docker Configuration Files

### docker-compose.dev.yml - Development Setup

```

# Uses volume mounts for live development
volumes:
  - ./backend:/app          # Mount local backend code
  - ./frontend:/app        # Mount local frontend code
  - backend_node_modules:/app/node_modules # Cache dependencies

```

## **docker-compose.yml - Production Setup**

```
# Builds code into containers
build:
  context: ./backend
  dockerfile: Dockerfile
```

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## **Environment Configuration**

### **Backend Environment Variables**

```
NODE_ENV=development
PORT=3001
DATABASE_URL=postgresql://spotify_user:spotify_password@postgres:
5432/spotify_mvp
JWT_SECRET=your-super-secure-jwt-secret
CORS_ORIGIN=http://localhost:3000
UPLOAD_PATH=./uploads
```

### **Frontend Environment Variables**

```
REACT_APP_API_URL=http://localhost:3001/api
REACT_APP_STREAM_URL=http://localhost:3001/api/stream
REACT_APP_APP_NAME=Spotify MVP
```

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# Adding Your Music Files

## Option 1: Use Sample Music

Sample music is automatically available in containers:

```
# Files from ./sample-music/ are mounted to containers
```

## Option 2: Add Your Own Music

```
# Add your .mp3 files to the uploads directory
mkdir -p backend/uploads
cp your-music-files/* backend/uploads/

# They'll be available in the running containers immediately
```

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## Database Setup

### Automatic Database Initialization

The PostgreSQL container automatically:

1. Creates the `spotify_mvp` database
2. Runs `database/schema.sql` to create tables
3. Sets up proper users and permissions

## Manual Database Operations

```
# Connect to database
docker exec -it spotify-mvp-db psql -U spotify_user -d spotify_mvp

# Run SQL commands
INSERT INTO artists (name, genre) VALUES ('Your Artist', 'Rock');
```

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## Monitoring & Debugging

### View Logs

```
# View all logs
docker-compose logs -f

# View specific service logs
docker-compose logs -f backend
docker-compose logs -f frontend
docker-compose logs -f postgres
```

## Health Checks

```
# Check container status
docker-compose ps

# Test API health
curl http://localhost:3001/health

# Test database connection
docker exec spotify-mvp-db pg_isready -U spotify_user
```

## Access Container Shells

```
# Backend container
docker exec -it spotify-mvp-backend sh

# Frontend container
docker exec -it spotify-mvp-frontend sh

# Database container
docker exec -it spotify-mvp-db psql -U spotify_user -d spotify_mvp
```

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# Docker Commands Cheat Sheet

## Starting Services

```
# Development (with local files)
docker-compose -f ../docker-compose.dev.yml up

# Production (built containers)
docker-compose up

# Build and start (rebuild containers)
docker-compose up --build

# Run in background
docker-compose up -d
```

## Stopping Services

```
# Stop all services
docker-compose down

# Stop and remove volumes
docker-compose down -v

# Stop and remove everything
docker-compose down -v --rmi all
```

## Managing Containers

```
# View running containers
docker ps

# View all containers
docker ps -a

# Remove stopped containers
docker container prune

# Remove unused images
docker image prune
```

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## Troubleshooting

### Port Already in Use

```
# Check what's using port 3000/3001
lsof -i :3000
lsof -i :3001

# Stop conflicting processes
kill -9 [PID]
```

## Container Build Issues

```
# Clear Docker cache
docker system prune -a

# Rebuild from scratch
docker-compose build --no-cache
```

## Database Connection Issues

```
# Check PostgreSQL container
docker logs spotify-mvp-db

# Restart database only
docker-compose restart postgres
```

## Permission Issues (Linux/Mac)

```
# Fix file permissions
chmod -R 755 backend/
chmod -R 755 frontend/

# Fix ownership
chown -R <math
xmlns="http://www.w3.org/1998/Math/MathML"
display="inline"><mrow><mi>U</mi><mi>S</mi><mi>E</mi><mi>R</
mi><mi>:</mi></mrow></math></span>USER .
```

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# Development Tips

## Hot Reloading

- Backend: Uses `nodemon` - restarts on file changes
- Frontend: Uses Vite dev server - hot module replacement
- Both automatically detect changes to mounted local files

## Debugging

```
# Add debug logs to containers
docker-compose -f ../docker-compose.dev.yml up

# View real-time logs
docker-compose logs -f backend
```

## Adding Dependencies

When you add new npm packages locally:

```
# Remove node_modules volume to refresh
docker-compose down
docker volume rm spotify-mvp_backend_node_modules
docker volume rm spotify-mvp_frontend_node_modules

# Restart to reinstall
docker-compose -f ../docker-compose.dev.yml up --build
```

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## Success Indicators

When everything is working:

- ✓ **Database:** `spotify-mvp-db` container healthy
  - ✓ **Backend:** Available at `http://localhost:3001/health`
  - ✓ **Frontend:** Available at `http://localhost:3000`
  - ✓ **API:** Responds to `http://localhost:3001/api/tracks`
  - ✓ **Logs:** No error messages in container logs
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## Ready to Stream!

Your Spotify MVP is now running in Docker with your local source files mounted. You can:

- Make changes to code and see them immediately
- Add your own music files to `backend/uploads/`
- Create playlists and test the streaming functionality
- Deploy to any Docker-compatible hosting platform

**Access your app at:** `http://localhost:3000`

**Happy coding and streaming!** 