

# Running a Sample Workload

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## Running a Sample Workload with Docker

After you install and configure the toolkit and install an NVIDIA GPU Driver, you can verify your installation by running a sample workload.

- > Run a sample CUDA container:

```
sudo docker run --rm --runtime=nvidia --gpus all ubuntu nvidia-smi
```

Your output should resemble the following output:

```
+-----+
| NVIDIA-SMI 535.86.10      Driver Version: 535.86.10      CUDA Version: 12.2      |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| GPU   Name                Persistence-M| Bus-Id        Disp.A | Volatile Uncorr. ECC |
| Fan   Temp   Perf    Pwr:Usage/Cap|      Memory-Usage | GPU-Util  Compute M. |
|                               |                      |              MIG M. |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
|    0   Tesla T4               On      | 00000000:00:1E.0 Off |             0        |
| N/A    34C    P8              9W / 70W |  0MiB / 15109MiB |      0%      Default  |
|                               |                      |              N/A     |
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| Processes:                                     |
|  GPU   GI    CI          PID    Type    Process name                        GPU Memory |
|          ID    ID                                   |          Usage  |
+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+-----+
| No running processes found                                     |
+-----+
```

## Running a Sample Workload with Podman

After you install and configura the toolkit (including [generating a CDI specification](#)) and install an NVIDIA GPU Driver, you can verify your installation by running a sample workload.

- > Run a sample CUDA container:

```
podman run --rm --security-opt=label=disable \
  --device=nvidia.com/gpu=all \
  ubuntu nvidia-smi
```

Your output should resemble the following output:

```
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| NVIDIA-SMI 535.86.10      Driver Version: 535.86.10      CUDA Version: 12.2      |
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| GPU   Name                Persistence-M| Bus-Id        Disp.A | Volatile Uncorr. ECC |
| Fan   Temp   Perf    Pwr:Usage/Cap|      Memory-Usage | GPU-Util  Compute M. |
|                                           MIG M. |
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|    0   Tesla T4              On      | 00000000:00:1E.0 Off |           0          |
| N/A    34C    P8              9W / 70W |  0MiB / 15109MiB |      0%      Default |
|                                           N/A          |
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| Processes: |
| GPU   GI    CI          PID    Type    Process name                  GPU Memory |
|          ID    ID                                   Usage      |
+=====+
| No running processes found |
+-----+
```

## Running Sample Workloads with containerd or CRI-O

These runtimes are more common with Kubernetes than desktop computing. Refer to [About the NVIDIA GPU Operator](#) in the NVIDIA GPU Operator documentation for more information.