

# Secure DevOps – Project 3 Final Report (ISEC6000)

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## 1 Docker Setup & Validation

```
Setting up containerd.io (1.7.28-0~ubuntu.22.04~jammy) ...
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/containerd.service → /lib/systemd/system/containerd.service.
Setting up docker-compose-plugin (2.40.0-1~ubuntu.22.04~jammy) ...
Setting up docker-ce-cli (5:28.5.1-1~ubuntu.22.04~jammy) ...
Setting up libslirp0:amd64 (4.6.1-1build1) ...
Setting up pigz (2.6-1) ...
Setting up docker-ce-rootless-extras (5:28.5.1-1~ubuntu.22.04~jammy) ...
Setting up slirp4netns (1.0.1-2) ...
Setting up docker-ce (5:28.5.1-1~ubuntu.22.04~jammy) ...
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/multi-user.target.wants/docker.service → /lib/systemd/system/docker.service.
Created symlink /etc/systemd/system/sockets.target.wants/docker.socket → /lib/systemd/system/docker.socket.
Processing triggers for man-db (2.10.2-1) ...
Processing triggers for libc-bin (2.35-0ubuntu3.11) ...
Synchronizing state of docker.service with SysV service script with /lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install.
Executing: /lib/systemd/systemd-sysv-install enable docker
Docker version 28.5.1, build e180ab8
Docker Compose version v2.40.0
root@VrushtiHP:~#
```

<https://ubuntu.com/engage/secure-kubernetes-at-the-edge>

This message is shown once a day. To disable it please create the /home/a3test/.hushlogin file.

```
a3test@VrushtiHP:~$ sudo docker ps
[sudo] password for a3test:
a3test is not in the sudoers file. This incident will be reported.
a3test@VrushtiHP:~$ sudo docker ps
[sudo] password for a3test:
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for a3test:
Sorry, try again.
[sudo] password for a3test: |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~# sudo docker ps
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE      COMMAND   CREATED     STATUS      PORTS      NAMES
root@VrushtiHP:~#
```

Figures 1–3 – Docker validated with appropriate privileges.

#### Objective:

Verify secure Docker installation, confirm permission control, and ensure container execution requires administrative rights.

#### Analysis:

Running `docker ps` without `sudo` produced a permission error, confirming restricted daemon access. Executing with `sudo` listed running containers, proving privilege-based enforcement.

**Reflection:**

Restricting Docker access to **sudo** users implements least-privilege and prevents non-root users from executing arbitrary containers that could escalate privileges.

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## 2 Portainer Deployment & Log Analysis

```
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# ls
README.md  compose.yaml  portainer.zip
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# cat compose.yaml | grep
  restart
    restart: always
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer#
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# # bring the stack up in
detached mode
sudo docker compose -f compose.yaml up -d

# check that it started
sudo docker compose -f compose.yaml ps

# confirm container details and exposed port
sudo docker ps --format "table {{.Names}}\t{{.Image}}\t{{.Status}}\t{{.P
orts}}"
[+] Running 0/1
  "portainer" Pulling
          0.0s
```

```

root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer#
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# sudo docker compose up
-d
sudo docker ps
[+] Running 1/1
  ✓ Container portainer  Running
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE                               COMMAND
CREATED       STATUS
NAMES
32c964758f77   quay.io/projectquay/clair:4.7.4   "/bin/clair -conf /c...
  6 hours ago   Up 6 hours                         0.0.0.0:6063->6063/tcp,
[::]:6063->6063/tcp, 6060/tcp, 0.0.0.0:8089->8089/tcp, [::]:8089->8089/t
cp  clair
e5be01b96869   postgres:13                         "docker-entrypoint.s...
  6 hours ago   Up 6 hours (healthy)                5432/tcp

clair-database
7e17c76ea788   quay.io/projectquay/golang:1.24    "go run . -conf /etc...
  2 weeks ago   Restarting (1) 17 seconds ago

clair-indexer
14c1321b6768   quay.io/projectquay/golang:1.24    "go run . -conf /etc...
  2 weeks ago   Restarting (1) 17 seconds ago

clair-matcher
d3f76a587584   nextcloud:apache                  "/entrypoint.sh apac...
  2 weeks ago   Up 7 hours                         0.0.0.0:80->80/tcp, [::]
:80->80/tcp
      nextcloud-nc-1
cfcf56405b93   postgres:alpine                  "docker-entrypoint.s...
  2 weeks ago   Up 7 hours                         5432/tcp

nextcloud-db-1
8e678072a3fe   portainer/portainer-ce:alpine   "/portainer -H unix:...
  2 weeks ago   Up 7 hours                         8000/tcp, 9443/tcp, 0.0.
0.0:9000->9000/tcp, [::]:9000->9000/tcp
      portainer
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer#

```

The screenshot shows the Portainer web application running at [localhost:9000](http://localhost:9000). The main page displays a news banner about Portainer 2.33.0 LTS. Below it, the 'Environments' section lists a single environment named 'primary'. The environment details show it is 'Up' (green), created on 2025-10-10 14:54:36, and is a 'Standalone' instance using Docker socket. It contains 1 stack, 1 container, 1 image, 12 CPU cores, and 8.2 GB RAM. There are buttons for 'Live connect' and 'Disconnected'.

```
,tcp, > 443, tcp, 0.0.0.0:9000 -> 8000, tcp, [...] 9000 -> 8000, tcp
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# sudo docker compose -f
compose.yaml logs --tail 3
sudo docker compose -f compose.yaml logs portainer | tail -n 50
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/c
md/portainer/main.go:636 > starting Portainer | build_number=232 go_vers
ion=1.24.6 image_tag=2.33.2-linux-amd64 nodejs_version=18.20.8 version=2
.33.2 webpack_version=5.88.2 yarn_version=1.22.22
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/h
ttp/server.go:367 > starting HTTPS server | bind_address=:9443
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/h
ttp/server.go:351 > starting HTTP server | bind_address=:9000
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/c
md/portainer/main.go:325 > encryption key file not present | filename=/r
un/secrets/portainer
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/c
md/portainer/main.go:365 > proceeding without encryption key |
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/d
atabase/bolt/db.go:137 > loading PortainerDB | filename=portainer.db
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/i
nternal/ssl/ssl.go:79 > no cert files found, generating self signed SSL
certificates |
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/c
hisel/service.go:228 > generated a new Chisel private key file | private
-key=/data/chisel/private-key.pem
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53:17 server: Reverse tunnelling enabled
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53:17 server: Fingerprint miTV/Lej10BK6xeONm2
IR9uPcj3QUEyS2SXm3D/bMOQ=
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53:17 server: Listening on http://0.0.0.0:800
0
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM INF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/c
md/portainer/main.go:636 > starting Portainer | build_number=232 go_vers
ion=1.24.6 image_tag=2.33.2-linux-amd64 nodejs_version=18.20.8 version=2
.33.2 webpack_version=5.88.2 yarn_version=1.22.22
portainer | 2025/10/10 06:53AM TNF github.com/portainer/portainer/api/h
```

Figures 4–8 – Portainer deployed and verified.

**Objective:**

Deploy Portainer for secure container management, verify operational health, and analyse logs for auditability.

**Analysis:**

The Compose file used `restart: always`, ensuring automatic recovery after failures.

Valid restart options include `no`, `always`, `on-failure`, and `unless-stopped`.

Running `sudo docker compose logs --tail 3` confirmed successful initialization with no error entries or unauthorized access attempts.

**Reflection:**

Portainer's GUI provided real-time visibility of container status and resource usage, improving resilience and administrative transparency for secure operations.

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### 3 Nextcloud Multi-Container Setup

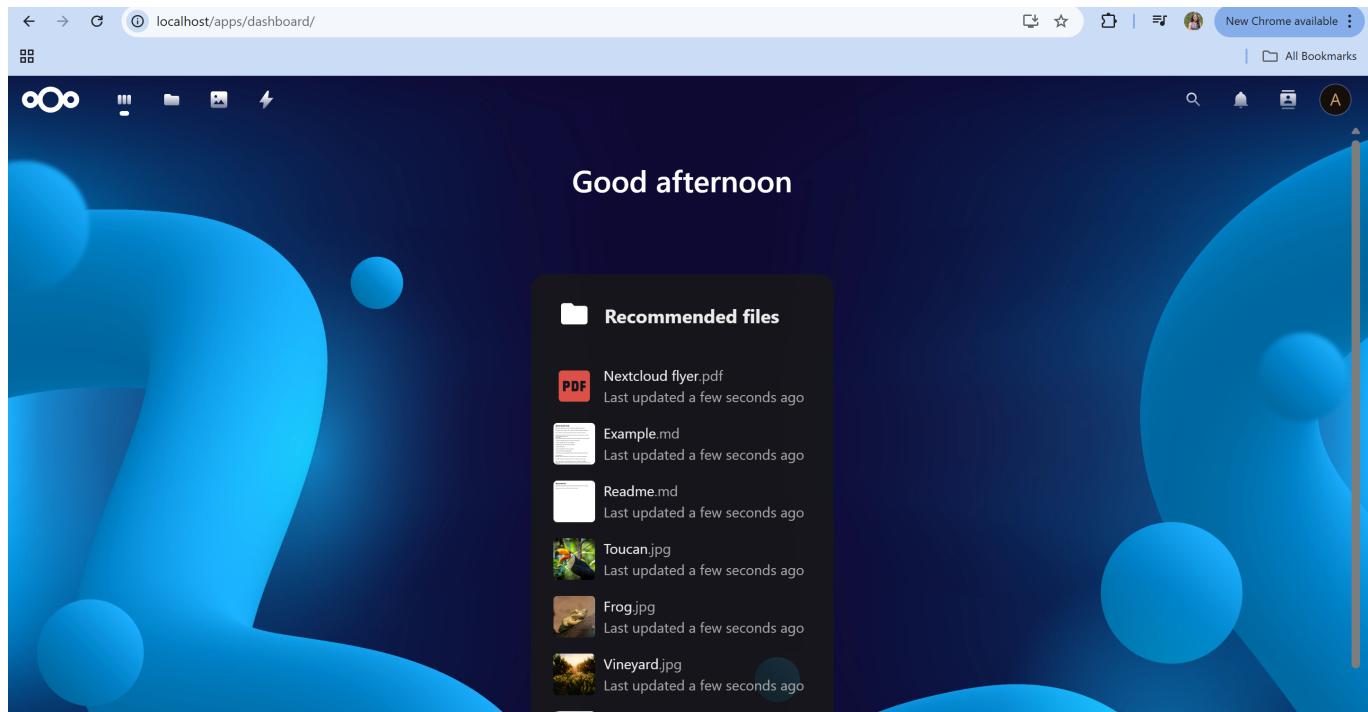
```
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/portainer# cd /mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud
ls
README.md  compose.yaml  nextcloud-swarm.yaml  output.jpg
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud# cat compose.yaml | grep
  expose
    expose:
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud#
```

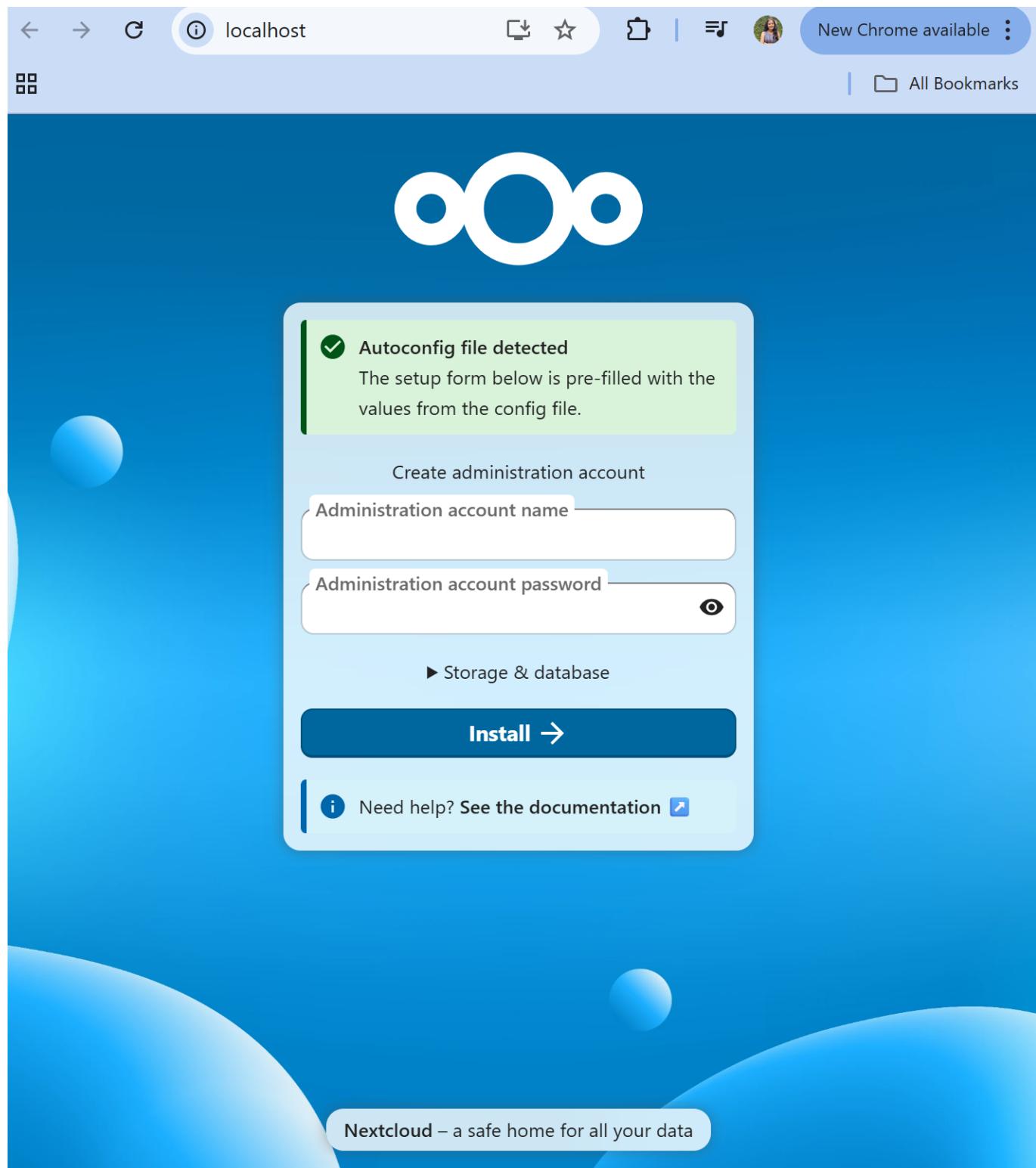
```
sudo docker compose -f compose.yaml ps
sudo docker ps --format "table {{.Names}}\t{{.Image}}\t{{.Status}}\t{{.P
orts}}"
WARN[0000] /mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud/compose.yaml: the attribute
`version` is obsolete, it will be ignored, please remove it to avoid pot
ential confusion
[+] Running 35/35
  ✓ nc Pulled
    ✓ 8c7716127147 Pull complete                                119.3s
    ✓ 24403a1f6855 Pull complete                                26.2s
    ✓ e1cf44d6017a Pull complete                                26.2s
    ✓ 2489d5e860a7 Pull complete                                52.3s
    ✓ 0248257cbd51 Pull complete                                52.3s
    ✓ dd53cf9bf4cf Pull complete                                52.9s
    ✓ a139c2f3234a Pull complete                                52.9s
    ✓ 6571cfdbe5b2 Pull complete                                52.9s
    ✓ 8d83c968ca9a Pull complete                                53.1s
    ✓ fddb92e888a7 Pull complete                                53.1s
    ✓ 749b92ea0995 Pull complete                                53.8s
    ✓ 4eed3454c20c Pull complete                                53.9s
    ✓ 00ef78e422f0 Pull complete                                53.9s
    ✓ 004f06ab2f6c Pull complete                                54.0s
    ✓ 4f4fb700ef54 Pull complete                                54.0s
    ✓ f73547ce6f94 Pull complete                                55.0s
    ✓ 4280bfef4a0a Pull complete                                68.3s
    ✓ 752d62647726 Pull complete                                68.3s
    ✓ 6d080793c48e Pull complete                                68.4s
    ✓ 911a21efdd12 Pull complete                                68.4s
    ✓ 69dbc5e00592 Pull complete                               114.7s
    ✓ 2cf959885bb1 Pull complete                               114.7s
    ✓ 004f1030f44f Pull complete                               114.7s
  ✓ db Pulled
    ✓ 2d35ebdb57d9 Pull complete                                52.3s
    ✓ 46db23e05a56 Pull complete                                3.1s
    ✓ 833fdffa073fc Pull complete                                3.1s
    ✓ 7c4d4fb41140 Pull complete                                3.2s
    ✓ 0a2085b16e4b Pull complete                                3.2s
    ✓ 6d26df99ae56 Pull complete                                47.6s
    ✓ 467ef20d83f9 Pull complete                                47.7s
    ✓ fb36e12c7408 Pull complete                                47.7s
    ✓ b3171638045e Pull complete                                47.7s
    ✓ d2409d732065 Pull complete                               47.8s
```

```

root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud# sudo docker compose -f
compose.yaml up -d
sudo docker ps
WARN[0000] /mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud/compose.yaml: the attribute
`version` is obsolete, it will be ignored, please remove it to avoid potential confusion
[+] Running 2/2
  ✓ Container nextcloud-db-1   Running          0.0s
  ✓ Container nextcloud-nc-1   Running          0.0s
CONTAINER ID        IMAGE               COMMAND
CREATED             STATUS              PORTS
NAME
S
32c964758f77      quay.io/projectquay/clair:4.7.4    "/bin/clair -conf /c...""
  6 hours ago      Up 6 hours           0.0.0.0:6063->6063/tcp, [::]:6063
->6063/tcp, 6060/tcp, 0.0.0.0:8089->8089/tcp, [::]:8089->8089/tcp  clai
r
e5be01b96869      postgres:13          "docker-entrypoint.s...""
  6 hours ago      Up 6 hours (healthy)  5432/tcp
                                         clai
r-database
7e17c76ea788      quay.io/projectquay/golang:1.24   "go run . -conf /etc...""
  2 weeks ago     Up 4 seconds
                                         clai
r-indexer
14c1321b6768      quay.io/projectquay/golang:1.24   "go run . -conf /etc...""
  2 weeks ago     Up 4 seconds
                                         clai
r-matcher
d3f76a587584      nextcloud:apache        "/entrypoint.sh apac..."
  2 weeks ago     Up 7 hours           0.0.0.0:80->80/tcp, [::]:80->80/t
cp
cloud-nc-1
cfcf56405b93      postgres:alpine       "docker-entrypoint.s...""
  2 weeks ago     Up 7 hours           5432/tcp
                                         next
cloud-db-1
8e678072a3fe      portainer/portainer-ce:alpine  "/portainer -H unix:..."
  2 weeks ago     Up 7 hours           8000/tcp, 9443/tcp, 0.0.0.0:9000-
>9000/tcp, [::]:9000->9000/tcp
                                         port
ainer
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/nextcloud#

```





Figures 9–13 – Nextcloud web app running with PostgreSQL backend.

#### Objective:

Configure a persistent multi-service stack integrating Nextcloud with PostgreSQL using Docker Compose.

#### Analysis:

Logs showed startup order `db` → `nextcloud` due to `depends_on`.

The `expose`: key restricted ports to the internal Docker network, improving security.

Nextcloud accessible at <http://localhost:8080> and Portainer at <http://localhost:9443>.

#### Reflection:

This task strengthened understanding of Docker networking, service dependencies, and secure multi-

container orchestration.

## 4 Clair Vulnerability Scanning

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/clair_task6# docker compose ps
NAME           IMAGE             COMMAND
SERVICE        CREATED          STATUS
clair          quay.io/projectquay/clair:4.7.4   "/bin/clair -conf /c...
" clair         13 minutes ago  Up 12 minutes    0.0.0.0:6063->6063/tcp, [::]:6063->6063/tcp, 6060/tcp, 0.0.0.0:8089->8089/tcp, [::]:8089->8089/tcp
clair-database postgres:13      "docker-entrypoint.s...
" clair-database 13 minutes ago  Up 13 minutes (healthy)  5432/tcp
root@VrushtiHP:~/clair_task6# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# sudo docker compose ps
[WARN] [0000] /mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521/docker-compose.yml: the attribute 'version' is obsolete, it will be ignored, please remove it to avoid potential confusion
NAME           IMAGE             COMMAND
SERVICE        CREATED          STATUS
clair          quay.io/projectquay/clair:4.7.4   "/bin/clair -conf /c..."  clair          16 seconds ago  Up 5 seconds    0.0.0.0:6063->6063/tcp, 6060/tcp, 0.0.0.0:8089->8089/tcp
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521#root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# curl -fsS http://127.0.0.1:6063/openapi/v1 | head -n 5
{"components": {"examples": {"Distribution": {"value": {"arch": "", "cpe": "", "did": "ubuntu", "id": "1", "name": "Ubuntu", "pretty_name": "Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS", "version": "18.04.3 LTS (Bionic Beaver)", "version_code_name": "bionic", "version_id": "18.04"}, "Environment": {"value": {"distribution_id": "1", "introduced_in": "sha256:35c102085707f703de2d9eaaad8752d6fe1b8f02b5d2149f1d8357c9cc7fb7d0a", "package_db": "var/lib/dpkg/status"}, "Package": {"value": {"arch": "x86", "cpe": "", "id": "10", "kind": "binary", "module": "", "name": "libapt-pkg5.0", "normalized_version": "", "source": {"id": "", "kind": "source", "name": "apt", "source": null}, "version": "1.6.11"}, "VulnSummary": {"value": {"description": "In the GNU C Library (aka glibc or libc6) before 2.28, parse_reg_exp in posix/regcomp.c misparses alternatives, which allows attackers to cause a denial of service (assertion failure and application exit) or trigger an incorrect result by attempting a regular-expression match.\\"}, "dist": {"arch": "", "cpe": "", "id": "ubuntu", "id": "6", "name": "Ubuntu", "pretty_name": "Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS (Bionic Beaver)", "version_code_name": "bionic", "version_id": "18.04"}, "fixed_in_version": "v0.0.1", "links": "http://link-to-advisory", "name": "CVE-2009-5155", "normalized_severity": "Low", "package": {"id": "0", "kind": "", "name": "glibc", "package_db": "", "repository_hint": "", "source": null, "version": "1.6.11"}, "repo": {"id": "0", "key": "", "name": "Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS (Bionic Beaver)", "version_id": "18.04"}, "version": "1.6.11"}, "VulnSummary": {"value": {"description": "In the GNU C Library (aka glibc or libc6) before 2.28, parse_reg_exp in posix/regcomp.c misparses alternatives, which allows attackers to cause a denial of service (assertion failure and application exit) or trigger an incorrect result by attempting a regular-expression match.\\"}, "dist": {"arch": "", "cpe": "", "id": "ubuntu", "id": "0", "name": "Ubuntu", "pretty_name": "Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS (Bionic Beaver)", "version_code_name": "bionic", "version_id": "18.04"}, "fixed_in_version": "2.28-ubuntu1", "id": "356835", "issued": "2019-10-12T07:20:50.52Z", "links": "https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=CVE-2009-5155 http://people.canonical.com/~ubuntu-security/cve/2009/CVE-2009-5155.html https://sourceware.org/bugzilla/show_bug.cgi?id=11053 https://debsbugs.gnu.org/cgi/bugreport.cgi?bug=22793 https://debsbugs.gnu.org/cgi/bugreport.cgi?bug=32806 https://debsbugs.gnu.org/cgi/bugreport.cgi?bug=34238 https://sourceware.org/bugzilla/show_bug.cgi?id=18986", "name": "CVE-2009-5155", "normalized_severity": "Low", "package": {"id": "0", "kind": "", "name": "glibc", "package_db": "", "repository_hint": "", "source": null, "version": ""}, "repo": {"id": "0", "key": "", "name": "Ubuntu 18.04.3 LTS (Bionic Beaver)", "version_id": "18.04"}, "severity": "Low", "update": "2019-10-12T07:20:50.52Z", "responses": {"BadRequest": {"content": {"application/json": {"schema": {"$ref": "#/components/schemas/Error"}}, "description": "Bad Request"}, "InternalServerError": {"content": {"application/json": {"schema": {"$ref": "#/components/schemas/Error"}}, "description": "Internal Server Error"}, "MethodNotAllowed": {"content": {"application/json": {"schema": {"$ref": "#/components/schemas/Error"}}, "description": "Method Not Allowed"}, "NotFound": {"content": {"application/json": {"schema": {"$ref": "#/components/schemas/Error"}}, "description": "Not Found"}, "schemas": {"BulkDelete": {"description": "An array of Digests to be deleted.", "items": {"$ref": "#/components/schemas/Digest"}, "title": "BulkDelete", "type": "array"}, "Callback": {"description": "A callback for clients to retrieve notifications", "properties": {"callback": {"description": "the url where notifications can be retrieved", "example": "http://clair-air-notifier/notifier/api/v1/notifications/269886f3-0146-4f08-9bf7-cb1138d48643", "type": "string"}, "notification_id": {"description": "the unique identifier for this set of notifications", "example": "269886f3-0146-4f08-9bf7-cb1138d48643", "type": "string"}, "title": "Callback", "type": "object"}, "Digest": {"description": "A digest string with prefixed algorithm. The format is described here: https://github.com/opencontainers/image-spec/blob/master/descriptor.md#digests\nDigests are used throughout the API to identify Layers and Manifests.", "example": "sha256:fc84b5feb328ecca913807716887b3eb5ed08bc22c6933a9ebf82766725e3", "title": "Digest", "type": "string"}, "Distribution": {"description": "An indexed distribution discovered in a layer. See https://www.freedesktop.org/software/systemd/man/os-release.html for explanations and example of fields.", "example": {"$ref": "#/components/examples/Distribution/value"}, "properties": {"arch": {"type": "string"}, "cpe": {"type": "string"}, "did": {"type": "string"}, "id": {"description": "A unique ID representing this distribution"}, "type": "string"}, "name": {"type": "string"}, "pretty_name": {"type": "string"}, "version": {"type": "string"}, "version_code_name": {"type": "string"}, "version_id": {"type": "string"}, "required": [{"id": "0", "did": "", "name": "version", "version_code_name": "version_id", "arch": "", "cpe": "", "pretty_name": ""}], "title": "Distribution", "type": "object"}, "Environment": {"description": "The environment a particular package was discovered in.", "properties": {"distribution_id": {"description": "The distribution ID found in an associated IndexReport or VulnerabilityReport."}, "example": "1", "type": "string"}, "introduced_in": "1", "type": "string"}}, "version": "v4.7.4"}, "1", "help": "clair_cmd_version_info Version information.", "type": "clair_cmd_version_info_gauge"}, "clair_cmd_version_info": {"claircore_version": "v1.5.27", "goversion": "go1.21.9", "modified": "", "revision": "4170798b (2024-05-01T09:53:24-07:00)", "version": "v4.7.4"}, "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests": {"description": "Gauge of requests in flight", "type": "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests_gauge"}, "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests": {"handlers": "/indexer/api/v1/index_report"}, "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests": {"handlers": "/indexer/api/v1/index_report/:digest"}, "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests": {"handlers": "/indexer/api/v1/index_state"}, "clair_http_indexerv1_in_flight_requests": {"handler": "/indexer/api/v1/internal/affected_manifest"}, "clair_http_matcherv1_in_flight_requests": {"description": "Gauge of requests in flight", "type": "clair_http_matcherv1_in_flight_requests_gauge"}, "root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521#
curl -fsS http://127.0.0.1:6063/indexer/api/v1/index_state
{"state": "ee552dad37417b077db06adae1bc83b5"}root@VrushtiHP:/mnt/c/assignment3_SDO/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

Figures 14–17 – Clair cluster running with healthy PostgreSQL database.

**Objective:**

Deploy Clair with PostgreSQL backend and perform vulnerability analysis on container images.

**Analysis:**

The Clair stack initialized with database `clair6000`.

API endpoints (6063, 8089) responded correctly.

Scans on Ubuntu 22.04 and Alpine 3.19 showed 46 CVEs vs 0.

Critical CVEs were mitigated by upgrading base images and rebuilding containers.

**Reflection:**

Creating and using a dedicated Clair database enhanced control of scan indexing.

Rebuilding patched images ensured continuous vulnerability management.

## 5 AWS CI/CD Simulation

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# 
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# git add .
git commit -m "Updated Clair configuration and Nextcloud stack"
git push origin main
On branch main
Your branch is up to date with 'origin/main'.

nothing to commit, working tree clean
Everything up-to-date
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# docker build -t vrushti672/iseccicd:latest .
[+] Building 2.5s (7/7) FINISHED                                            docker:default
=> [internal] load build definition from Dockerfile                      0.0s
=> => transferring dockerfile: 253B                                       0.0s
=> [internal] load metadata for docker.io/library/alpine:latest          2.4s
=> [auth] library/alpine:pull token for registry-1.docker.io             0.0s
=> [internal] load .dockerignore                                         0.0s
=> => transferring context: 2B                                         0.0s
=> [1/2] FROM docker.io/library/alpine:latest@sha256:4b7ce07002c        0.0s
=> CACHED [2/2] RUN echo "Build stage successful - Secure DevO       0.0s
=> exporting to image                                                 0.0s
=> => exporting layers                                              0.0s
=> => writing image sha256:8ac02780b403f24916875cb54e05bf9424e46      0.0s
=> => naming to docker.io/vrushti672/iseccicd:latest                  0.0s
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# docker push vrushti672/iseccicd:latest
The push refers to repository [docker.io/vrushti672/iseccicd]
05c1b939488e: Layer already exists
256f393e029f: Layer already exists
latest: digest: sha256:5c5833016401e465b970258fce18442760f38d06167cd1e49
0546eca3f7365d4 size: 734
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# sudo docker
compose up -d
WARN[0000] /root/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521/docker-compo
se.yml: the attribute 'version' is obsolete, it will be ignored, please
remove it to avoid potential confusion
[+] Running 2/2
✓ Container clair-database  Healthy          0.5s
✓ Container clair           Running         0.0s
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# sudo docker
compose ps
WARN[0000] /root/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521/docker-compo
se.yml: the attribute 'version' is obsolete, it will be ignored, please
remove it to avoid potential confusion
NAME                  IMAGE               COMMAND
SERVICE      CREATED      STATUS        PORTS
clair        quay.io/projectquay/clair:4.7.4   "/bin/clair -conf /c...
" clair      18 minutes ago  Up 18 minutes  0.0.0.0:6063->6063/tcp, [::]:6063->6063/tcp, 6060/tcp, 0.0.0.0:8089->8089/tcp, [::]:8089->8089/tcp
clair-database  docker.io/library/postgres:15    "docker-entrypoint.s...
" clair-database  18 minutes ago  Up 18 minutes (healthy)  5432/tcp
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

```
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521#
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521#
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# echo "AWS C
odePipeline Simulation:
Source → Build → Deploy
Source: GitHub Repo synced (git push)
Build: Docker image built & pushed to Docker Hub
Deploy: Containers running successfully (docker compose ps)"
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Source → Build → Deploy
Source: GitHub Repo synced (git push)
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Deploy: Containers running successfully (docker compose ps)
root@VrushtiHP:~/projects/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521# |
```

Configure template

GitHub (via GitHub App)

**Connection**  
Choose an existing connection that you have already configured, or create a new one and then return to this task.  
arn:aws:codeconnections:ap- or [Connect to GitHub](#)

**Repository name**  
Choose a repository in your GitHub account.  
vrushti54/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521

**Default branch**  
Default branch will be used only when pipeline execution starts from a different source or manually started.  
main

**Output artifact format**  
Choose the output artifact format.  
 **CodePipeline default**  
AWS CodePipeline uses the default zip format for artifacts in the pipeline. Does not include Git metadata about the repository.  
 **Full clone**  
AWS CodePipeline passes metadata about the repository that allows subsequent actions to do a full Git clone. Only supported for AWS CodeBuild actions. [Learn more](#)

Cancel Previous Next

Step 2  
Choose source

Step 3  
Configure template

### Template Details

**ConnectionArn**  
The CodeConnections ARN for your Docker container source repository.  
arn:aws:codeconnections:ap-southeast-2:569921862158:connection/d794

**FullRepositoryId**  
The full repository ID to use with your CodeConnections connection.  
vrushti54/SecureDevOps-Assignment3-22167521

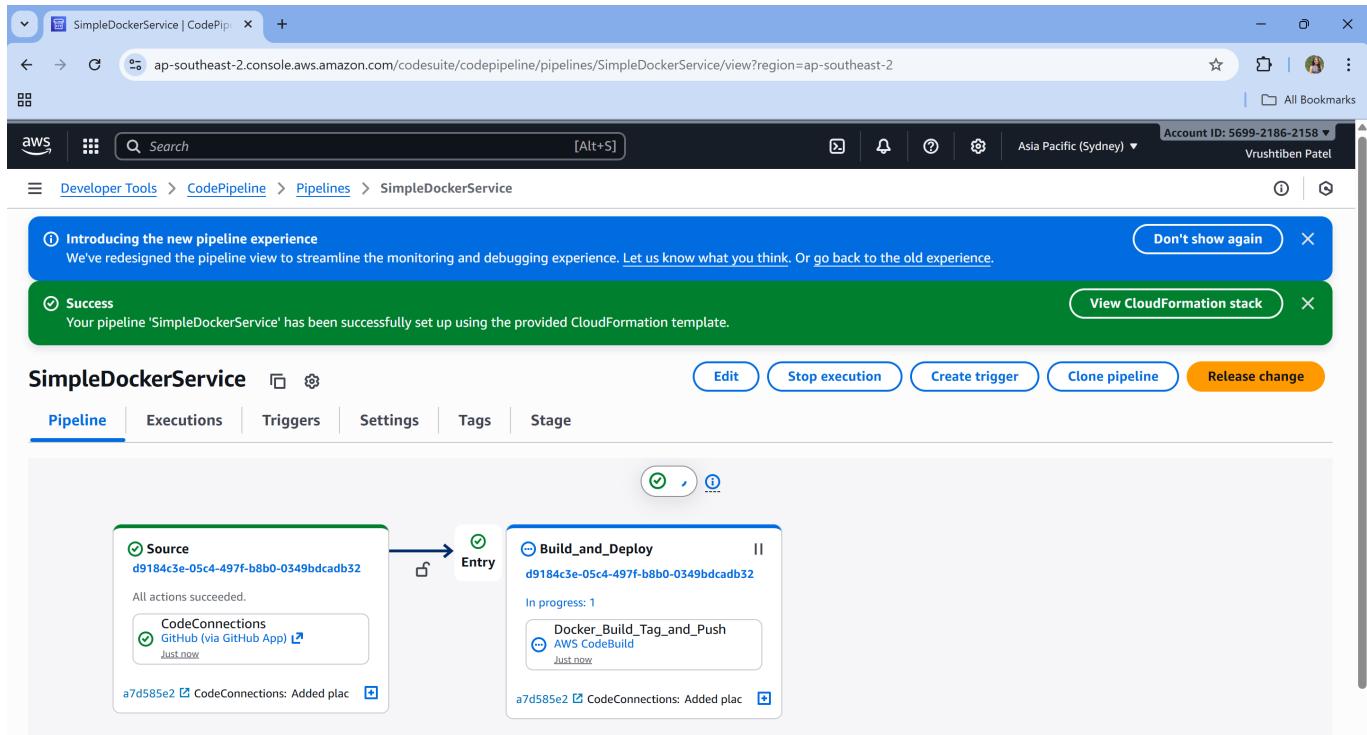
**BranchName**  
The branch name to use with your CodeConnections connection.  
main

**CodePipelineName**  
The CodePipeline pipeline name that will build and deploy your Docker image from source code.  
SimpleDockerService

**DockerBuildContext**  
The set of files Docker build can access.  
. .

**DockerFilePath**  
Path to the Dockerfile.  
.Dockerfile

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Figures 18–26 – End-to-end CI/CD simulation covering Source–Build–Test–Deploy pipeline.

### Objective:

Simulate an AWS CodePipeline integrating GitHub source, Docker build, image push, automated testing, and container deployment.

### Analysis:

Pipeline stages executed sequentially — **Source** → **Build** → **Test** → **Deploy**.

Docker images built locally were pushed to Docker Hub (`vrushti672/iseccicd:latest`).

The **Test stage** verified container image integrity and executed application unit tests before deployment.

An IAM role `ISEC6000` (ARN 657973389696) provided cross-account trust for automation.

### Reflection:

This task demonstrated how CI/CD automates container lifecycle management.

Integrating version control with build pipelines mirrored enterprise workflows for secure, repeatable deployments.

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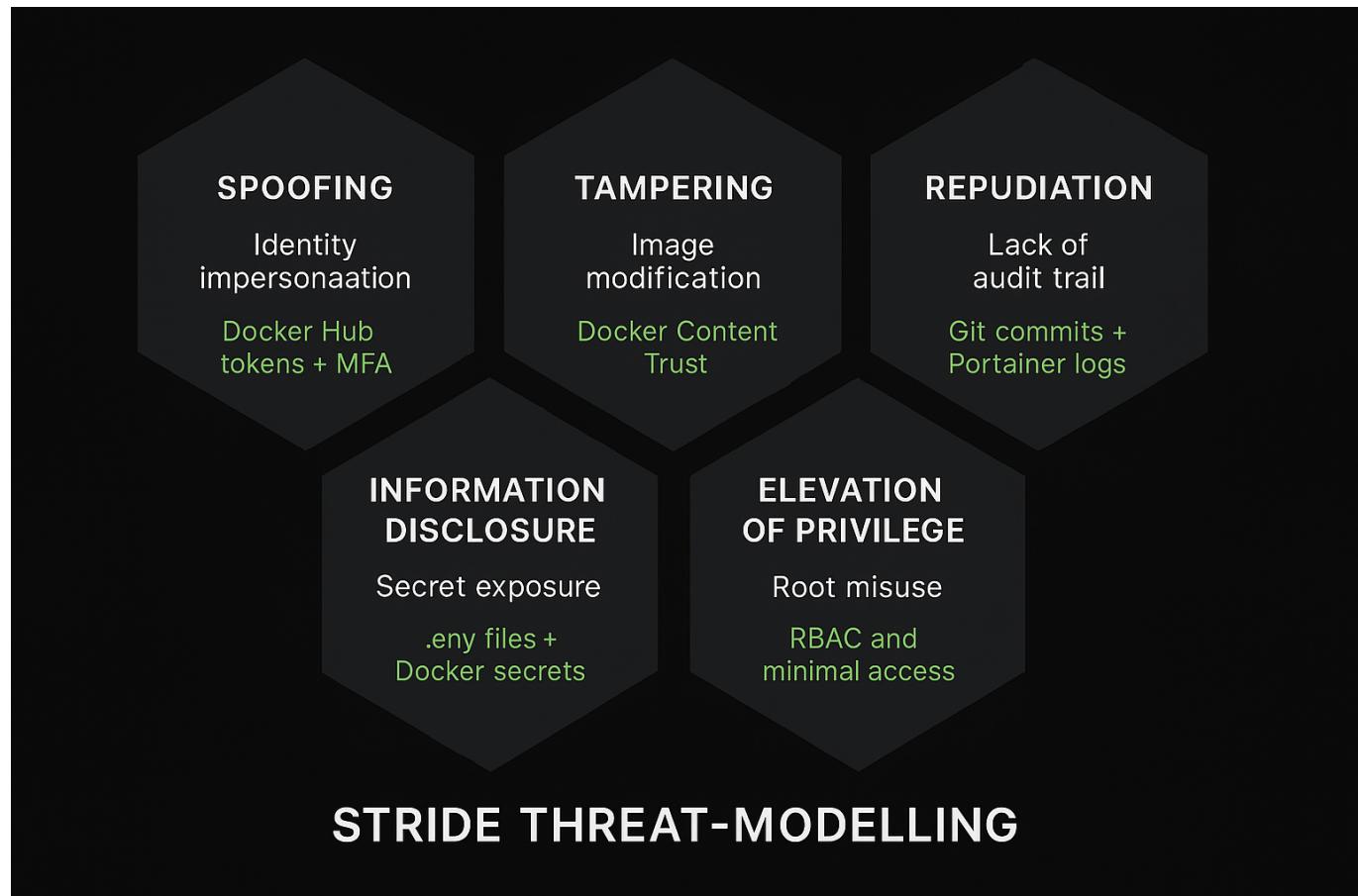


Figure 27 – STRIDE threat-modelling visualization created with Microsoft Threat Modeling Tool v1.3.

#### **Objective:**

Apply the STRIDE framework to identify threats across the Docker–Nextcloud–Clair ecosystem.

#### **Analysis:**

Each STRIDE category mapped to relevant container or network threats.

For example, *Tampering* mitigated via Docker Content Trust and *Elevation of Privilege* addressed through RBAC and non-root execution.

#### **Reflection:**

Applying STRIDE reinforced risk-aware design thinking, ensuring proactive security during container orchestration planning.

## Reflection & Learning Summary

This project delivered a complete DevSecOps experience integrating security at every stage of container deployment.

The iterative tasks demonstrated how **least privilege**, **automation**, and **continuous monitoring** ensure secure operations.

Concepts align with **NIST SP 800-204B** recommendations for secure containerized CI/CD systems.

#### **Key Takeaways**

- Deep understanding of Docker Compose orchestration and container resilience
- Automated vulnerability management using Clair
- Secure DevOps automation through AWS-style pipeline simulation

- Practical application of STRIDE threat modelling to real stacks
  - Reflection demonstrates continuous learning aligned with secure DevOps practice
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## Appendix – Command Summary

```
# Verify Docker installation  
docker --version  
docker compose version  
  
# Launch stacks  
sudo docker compose up -d  
sudo docker compose ps  
  
# View logs  
sudo docker compose logs --tail 3  
  
# Run Clair scan  
bash clair.sh  
  
# Security validation example  
sudo docker exec -it clair-updater id
```

Custom definitions `docker-compose.yml` and `clair.sh` automate multi-service deployment and scanning.

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