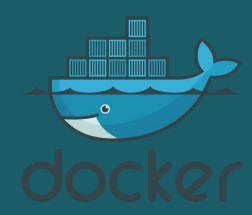


Why you should be using Multi-Stage Docker Builds in 2019





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Agenda

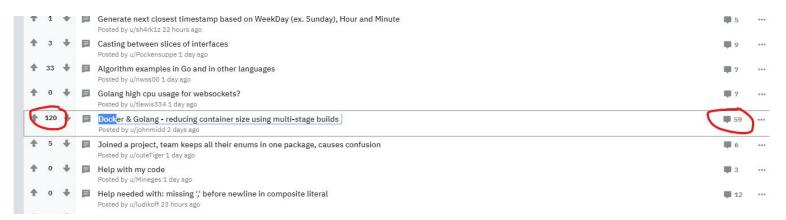
- Dockerfile and Docker build
- The problem with Docker build
- Solution: Docker multi-stage build
- Docker multi-stage build in CI/CD
- Summary

https://github.com/codefresh-contrib/golang-sample-app/

https://codefresh.io/docs/docs/learn-by-example/golang/golang-hello-world/

Docker multi-stage build

Multi-stage build is available starting from Docker 17.05 (released in 2017!) - so why now?



https://www.reddit.com/r/golang/comments/crkibq/docker_golang_reducing_container_size_using/

- "oh man! thank you! I've been fighting with build times on an image stack for weeks"
- "Wow, this is great for deploying tonnes of microservices!"
- "I've been meaning to use multistage builds, thanks for the walkthrough!"

Dockerfile and Docker build

• **Dockerfile** - imperative DSL that defines build commands

Each Docker build command generates ONE image layer

Complete Docker build execution generates ONE Docker image

Dockerfile and Docker build

```
FROM golang:1.7.1
     # Copy everything from the src directory to /go/src directory inside the container
     COPY src /go/src
 6
     # Build the Go app
     RUN CGO_ENABLED=0 GOOS=linux go build -o bin/sample src/sample/trivial-web-server.go
     # This container exposes port 8080 to the outside world
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     EXPOSE 8080
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     # Run the binary program
     CMD ["./bin/sample"]
13
```

Demo 1: Docker build on GO app

https://github.com/codefresh-contrib/helm-sample-app

The Problem with Docker build

Image we want

runtime
configuration
application

X (4..10)

Image we build

Compilers, debuggers,
Linters, tests, profilers,
code, build and test logs,
runtime
configuration
application

The Problem with Docker build

2 Dockerfiles

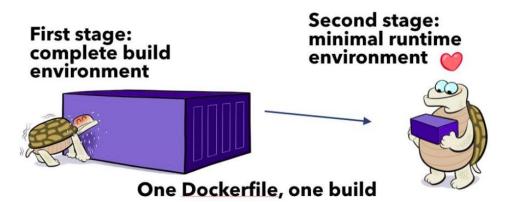
- 1st for build tools
- 2nd for runtime

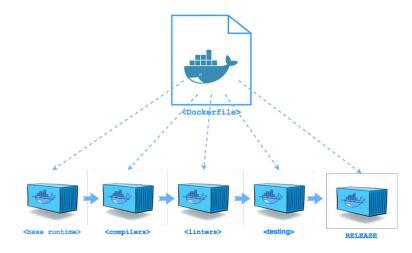
Drawbacks

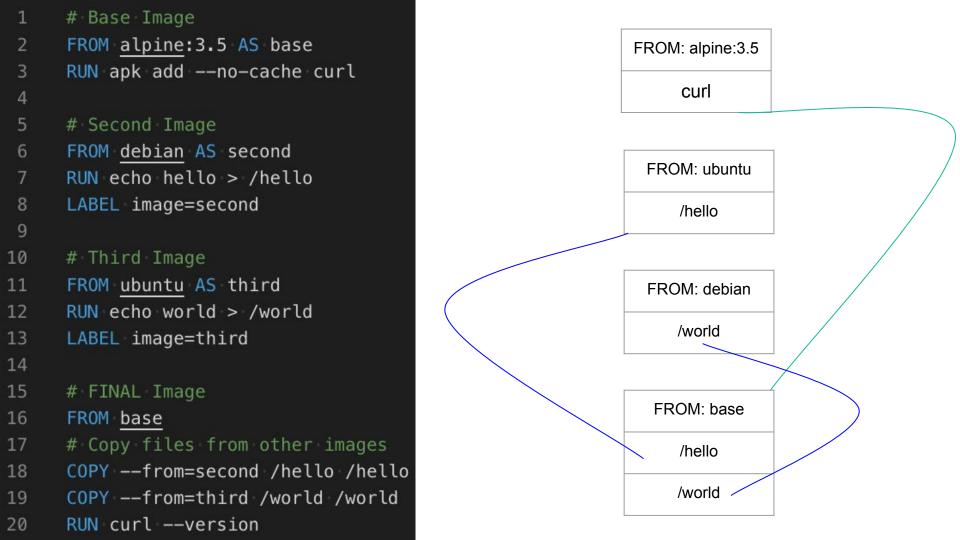
- 2+ Dockerfiles
- Orchestration needed: Bash, make, YAML, ...

Solution: Docker multi-stage build

- Benefits
 - One Dockerfile
 - One syntax to learn
 - Same build
 - Local and CI
 - Create multiple stages







Demo 2: Docker multi-stage build

Docker multi-stage build

You can enjoy multi-stage build with every programming language (not only GO):

• GO example - https://codefresh.io/docs/docs/learn-by-example/golang/golang-hello-world/#create-a-multi-stage-docker-image-for-go



■ JAVA example - https://codefresh.io/docs/docs/learn-by-example/java/spring-boot-2/#spring-boot-2-and-docker-multi-stage-builds



Node example - https://codefresh.io/docs/docs/learn-by-example/nodejs/react/#react-and-docker-multi-stage-builds



• PHP example - https://codefresh.io/docs/docs/learn-by-example/php/#the-example-php-project



Docker anti-patterns

https://codefresh.io/containers/docker-anti-patterns/

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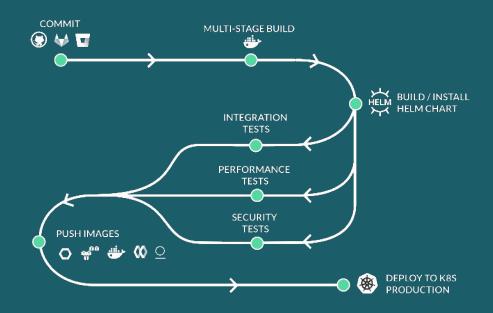
Intuitive & Robust



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Flexible Delivery



Demo 3: Docker multi-stage build in CI/CD

Summary

- Using 1 Docker image for both build and production results in slow deployment and lots of CVE violations
- Multi-stage build to produce lean, secure and production ready Docker image
- On Codefresh, speedier builds thanks to caching across all images and layers



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