

Docker Certified Associate

Duration: 5 Days

Skill Level: Beginners on container technology

Hands-On Format: This hands-on class is approximately 80/20 lab to lecture ratio, combining engaging lecture, demos, group activities and discussions with comprehensive machine-based practical programming labs and project work.

Module 1 – Getting Started with Dockers

- Installation Methods for Docker
- Installing Docker in Linux
- Installing Docker Desktop
- Docker Image vs Docker Containers
- Container Identification
- Port Binding
- Attached and Detached Modes
- Removing Docker Containers
- Docker Container Exec
- Importance of IT Flags
- Default Container Commands
- Overriding Default Container Commands
- Restart Policies in Docker
- Removing Docker Container Images
- Disk Usage Metrics for Docker Components
- Automatically Delete Containers on Exit

Module 2 – Image Creation, Management and Registry

- Working with Docker Images
- Overview of Dockerfile
- COPY vs ADD Instructions
- EXPOSE Instruction
- HEALTHCHECK Instruction
- ENTRYPOINT Instruction
- WORKDIR Instruction
- WORKDIR Code
- ENV Instruction
- Tagging Docker Images
- Docker Commit
- Layers of Docker Image
- Managing Images with CLI
- Inspecting Docker Images
- Pruning Docker Images
- Flattening Docker Images
- Overview of Docker Registries
- Pushing Images to Central Repository
- Applying Filters for Docker Images
- Moving Image Across Hosts
- Build Cache

Module 3 – Networking

- Overview of Docker Networking
- Understanding Bridge Networks
- Implementing User-Defined Bridge Networks
- Understanding Host Network
- Implementing None Network
- Publish All Argument for Exposed Ports
- Legacy Approach for Linking Containers

Module 4 – Orchestration

- Overview of Container Orchestration
- Overview of Docker Swarm & Building Labs
- Initializing Docker Swarm
- Services, Tasks and Containers
- Scaling Swarm Service
- Multiple Approaches to Scale Swarm Services
- Replicated vs Global Service
- Draining Swarm Node
- Inspecting Swarm Service and Nodes
- Adding Network and Publishing Ports to Swarm Tasks
- Overview of Docker Compose
- Deploying Multi-Service Application in Swarm
- Locking Swarm Cluster
- Troubleshooting Swarm Service Deployments
- Mounting Volumes via Swarm
- Control Service Placement
- Overview of Overlay Networks
- Creating Custom Overlay Networks for Swarm
- Secure Overlay Networks
- Creating Swarm Services Using Templates
- Split Brain and Importance of Quorum
- High Availability of Swarm Manager Nodes
- Running Manager-Only Nodes in Swarm
- Recover from Losing the Quorum
- Docker System Commands
- Introduction to Kubernetes
- Installation Options for Kubernetes
- Using Managed Kubernetes Service from CSP
- Overview of kubectl
- Installing and configuring kubectl
- Understanding Pods
- Understanding Kubernetes Objects
- Creating First Pod
- Managing ReplicaSet
- Managing Deployment
- Managing Secrets
- Managing ConfigMaps
- Understanding Services
- Service – ClusterIP
- Service – NodePort
- Kubernetes Networking Model
- Understanding Liveness Probe
- Understanding Readiness Probe
- Understanding Daemonsets
- Taint and Tolerations

Introduction to Labels and Selectors
Implementing Labels and Selectors
Request and Limits in Kubernetes
Network Policies

Module 5 – Installation and Configuration of Docker EE

Overview of Docker EE
Installing Docker EE
Universal Control Plane
Deploying Global Services in Swarm via UCP
UCP - Access Control
Overview of Docker Trusted Registry
Installing DTR and Integrating with UCP
Un-installation steps for DTR
Configuring Trusted CA and Pushing Images to DTR
Overview of DTR Backup
DTR Backup – Images
Overview of Swarm Routing Mesh
Implementing Swarm Routing Mesh
DTR – Storage Backends
Implementing S3 Storage Backend for DTR
DTR – High Availability
Immutable Tags in DTR
DTR – Caching
Setting Orchestrator in UCP

Module 6 – Security

Overview of Container Security Scanning
Configuring Container Scan with DTR
DTR Webhooks
Overview of UCP Client Bundle
Integration CLI with UCP Client Bundle
Overview of LDAP
Integration LDAP with UCP
Linux Namespaces
Control Groups
Limiting CPUs for Containers
Reservation vs Limits
Swarm MTLS
Managing Secrets in Docker Swarm
Docker Content Trust
Overview of Docker Groups
Overview of Linux Capabilities for Docker
Privileged Containers

Module 7 – Storage and Volumes

Overview of Docker Storage Drivers
Block vs Object Storage
Changing Storage Drivers
Overview of Docker Volumes
Bind Mounts
Automatically Remove Volume on Container Exist
Overview of Device Mapper
Logging Drivers



Creating Volumes in Kubernetes
PV vs PVC
Volume Expansion in Kubernetes
Reclaim Policy
Understanding Retain Reclaim Policy
Storage Class