Sandbox CI/CD Environments for Everyone

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- **★** Intro
- ★ Typical development process
- ★ Local environments
- ★ Project automation
- ★ Sandbox CI/CD environments with Docksal
- ★ Bonus: Advanced and cool features

Intro

Hi there!

Intro

- ★ Chief Architect @ FFW US
- ★ DevOps, infrastructure, tooling
- ★ In Drupal since 2006
- ★ In Docksal since 2016



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Typical development process

What it should look like

Typical development process

- ★ Local development
- ★ Feature branch => Pull/merge request
- **★** Code review
- ★ CI/CD automation (automated tests & deployments)
- ★ Hosting: dev, stage, prod

Local environments

Go Docker

"Can not reproduce!"



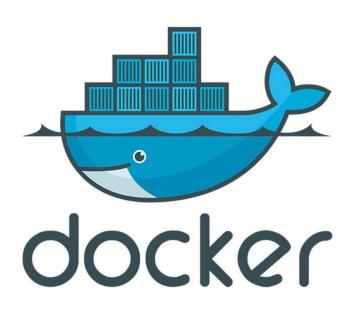








What to do?





Why Docker

https://www.slideshare.net/LeonidMakarov2/docksal-better-than-vms

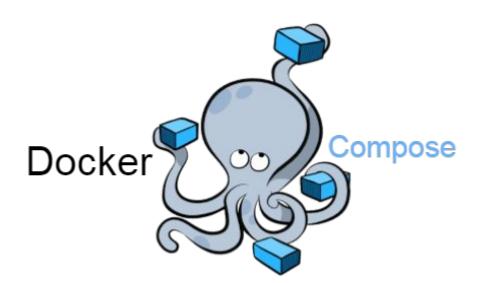
- ★ Containers are more efficient
- ★ Immutable images no fragile provisioning at runtime
- ★ Work with different project stacks at the same time
- ★ Containers can be extended in a reproducible way
- ★ Containers are portable (CI reuse)

Compose + Containers + Conventions = Docksal



docksal.yml is Compose

- ★ No new YML dialect you need to learn
- ★ Fully Docker Compose compatible



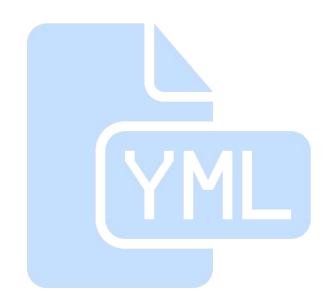


Image library and boilerplates

- → Default stack
 - ◆ **CLI** PHP 5.6, 7.0, 7.1, 7.2
 - ◆ **WEB** Apache 2.2, Apache 2.4
 - ◆ **DB** MySQL 5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 8.0
- → Additional services
 - Solr, Varnish
 - Memcached, Redis, Selenium, MailHog, ...
- → Boilerplate projects for
 - ◆ **Drupal** 8, Drupal 7
 - **♦** Wordpress
 - Magento
 - Laravel

- NodeJS
- Hugo
- Gatsby JS
- Grav CMS



Change what you like

- ★ Create custom automation in BASH, Node or PHP
- ★ Full power and flexibility of **Docker Compose**
- ★ Seamlessly extend our stock Docker images at the project level with your Dockerfile
- ★ Create and publish addons github.com/docksal/addons

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Project automation

Automate routine/complex tasks

Single command

fin init

All-in-one:

- Create containers
- → Run project automation: initialize settings, import/update database, compile css, run drush...

Custom commands

Create as many commands as you need

fin db-import && fin db-update

fin **build-theme**

fin **behat**

Sandbox CI/CD environments

Reuse automation to create sandboxes

What sandboxes are for

- **★** Enhanced code review
- **★** Automated testing
- **★** Manual testing
- **★** Client demos

What you need for sandboxes



Your project (using Docksal) in a Git repo



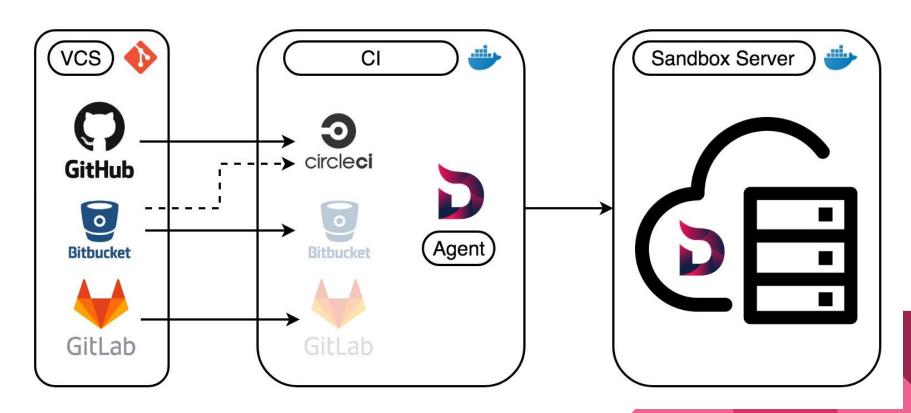
Docker based CI solution (e.g. CircleCI)

image:docksal/ci-agent:php



Sandbox Server

How sandboxes work



Project and Git repo setup

1. From repo to a fully working site:

git clone <repo-url> .
fin init

2. Repo access: public or using an SSH key pair



Sandbox server setup

https://github.com/docksal/sandbox-server

★ AWS CloudFormation template

Launch Stack O or aws cli

★ GCP Deployment Manager template



and/or gcloud cli



Sandbox server setup





Quick setup (using CloudFormation web UI)

If you have an existing AWS account (with billing and an SSH key pair), just click on the button below!

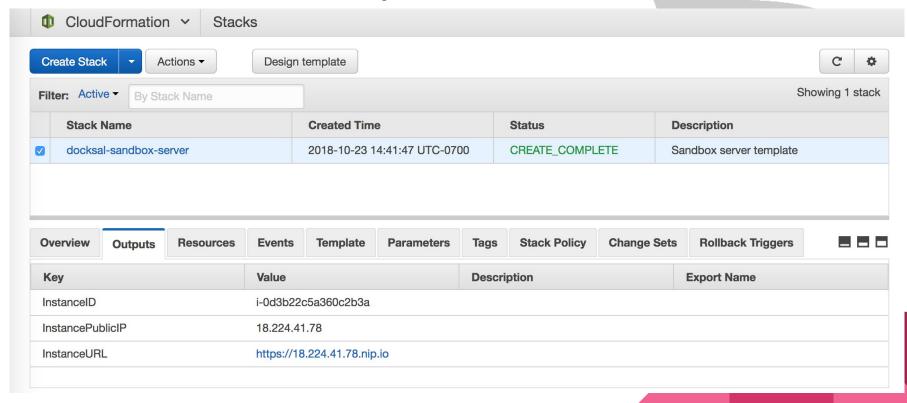


You will be prompted for:

- Instance type
- SSH key name

Once provisioned, the IP address of the server will be printed in the Outputs section in CloudFormation.

Sandbox server setup



CircleCI setup: config.yml

```
version: 2
jobs:
  build:
    working_directory: /home/agent/build
    docker:
      - image: docksal/ci-agent:php
    steps:
      - run:
          name: Configure agent environment
          command: echo 'source build-env' >> $BASH_ENV
      checkout
      - run:
          name: Build sandbox
          command: sandbox-init
```



CircleCl setup: Environment Variables

Environment Variables for docksal/drupal8

Import Variables

Add Variable

Add environment variables to the job. You can add sensitive data (e.g. API keys) here, rather than placing them in the repository.

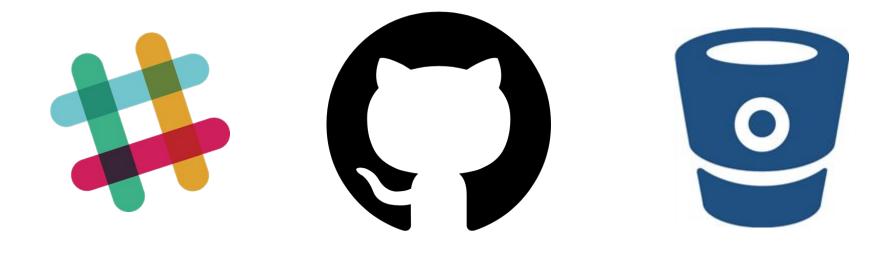
Name	Value	Remove
DOCKSAL_HOST	xxxxp.io	×
DOCKSAL_HOST_SSH_KEY	xxxxLQ==	×
GITHUB_TOKEN	xxxxd619	×



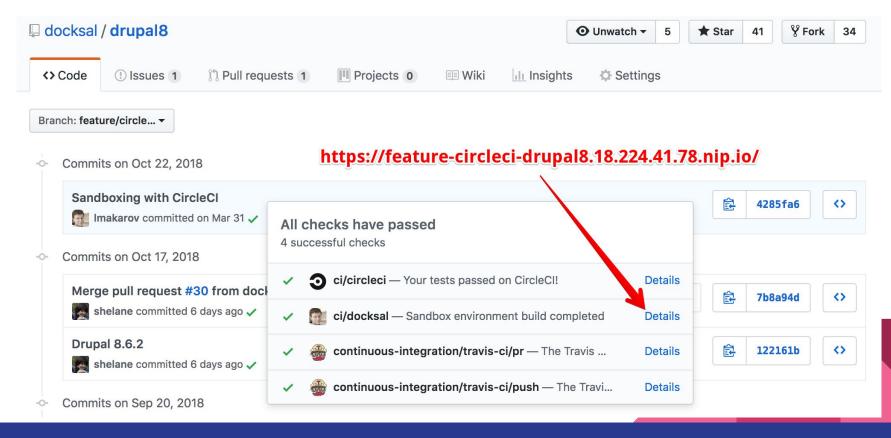
Live demo

Do attempt yourself!

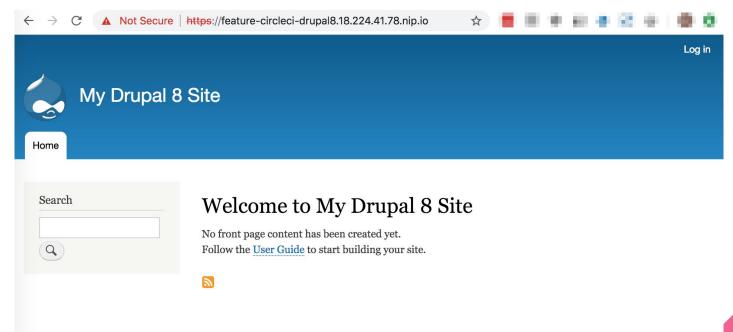
Build status notifications



Build status notifications



Your sandbox, delivered



Bonus: Advanced and cool features

There is more...

Smart resource management

- ★ Automatic hibernation and cleanup of sandboxes
- ★ On-demand waking-up
- ★ Permanent environments (e.g. dev, stage)

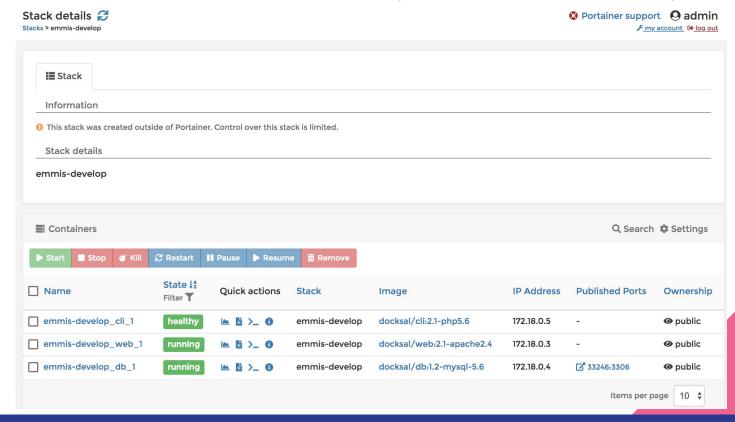
Active environments = RAM

Hibernating environments space = Disk

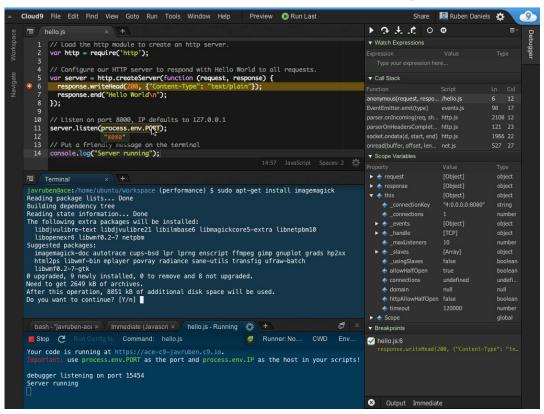
Security

- ★ Custom SSL certificates
- ★ On-the-fly certificates with LetsEncrypt (coming soon...)
- ★ Basic HTTP authentication
- ★ oAuth2 / OIDC authentication (coming soon...)

Visual tools: Web UI (using Portainer)



Visual tools: Web IDE (using Cloud9)



Full-featured IDE

- Code editing
- Syntax highlighting
- Console
- Debugger

More use cases for sandboxes

- ★ Development environments in the Cloud
- ★ Super enhanced code reviews
- ★ Trainings / Sprints / Contributions
- ★ Simplytest.me on steroids

Live demo

Do attempt yourself!

Q&A

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