

#### **Docker plugin for Heat**

Orchestrate containers with OpenStack Heat

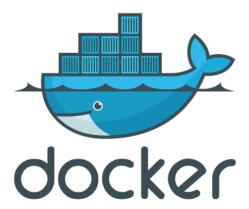
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## What is Docker?

Docker is an open-source project to easily create lightweight, portable, self-sufficient

containers from any application.



Source: http://www.docker.io

# Example: run a container

\$ docker run ubuntu /bin/echo hello world

Pulling repository ubuntu

8dbd9e392a96: Download complete

hello world

#### Docker:

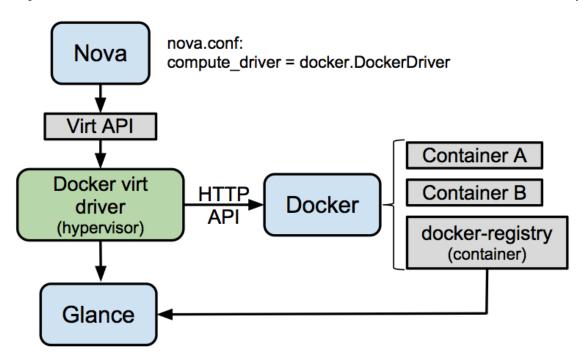
- downloaded the base image from the public docker index
- created a new Linux Container
- allocated a filesystem for it
- allocated a virtual network interface with a new IP address
- executed a process and captured the output



## Docker in OpenStack Havana

Nova supports Docker as a new hypervisor starting with the Havana release

→ Deploy containers instead of VM with the same API (Nova)





## What is Heat?

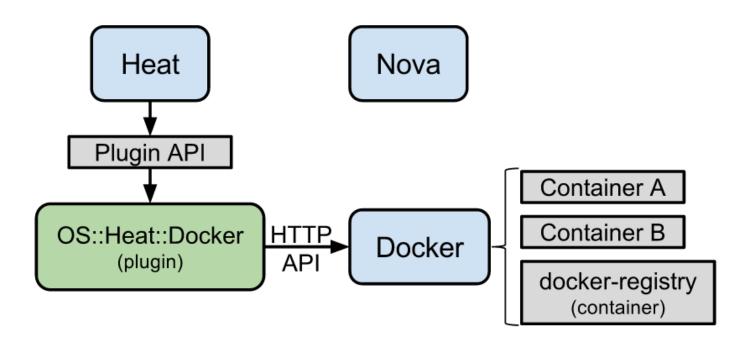
Heat implements an orchestration engine to launch multiple composite cloud applications based on templates.

Source: https://wiki.openstack.org/wiki/Heat



# The Docker plugin for Heat

By using the plugin, Heat can talk directly to Docker





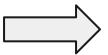
# Why using Heat directly?

Heat as a standalone project for orchestration

It allows to use the whole Docker API from a Heat

template

```
Resources:
Blog:
Type: OS::Heat::Docker
Properties:
Image: samalba/wordpress
Env:
- DB_PORT=42
```



```
"Hostname":"".
"User":"",
"Memory":0,
"MemorySwap":0,
"AttachStdin":false,
"AttachStdout":true.
"AttachStderr":true,
"PortSpecs":null,
"Privileged": false,
"Tty":false,
"OpenStdin":false,
"StdinOnce":false,
"Env":null,
"Cmd":[
  "date"
"Dns":null.
"Image": "ubuntu",
"Volumes":{},
"VolumesFrom":"",
"WorkingDir":""
```



#### **Pros & Cons**

Nova driver	Heat plugin		
Integration with other services	Closer to the Docker workflow		
Nova features (quota, auth, etc)	Easier maintenance over time		
Abstraction layer for other hypervisor	Easier deployment		

- → Both approaches are simply different
- → One does not replace the other



## How to use it?

- Install Heat with DevStack: <a href="https://wiki.openstack.">https://wiki.openstack.</a>
   org/wiki/Heat/GettingStartedUsingDevstack
- 2. Install the Docker plugin

#### # Clone the repos

git clone git@github.com:dotcloud/openstack-heat-docker.git

# Link the plugin so Heat can find it

In -sf \$(cd openstack-heat-docker/plugin; pwd) /usr/lib/heat/docker

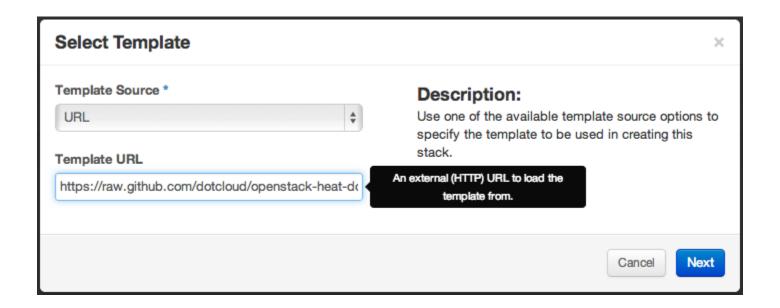


#### Example with Wordpress+MySQL

```
1 #!highlight yaml
2 HeatTemplateFormatVersion: '2012-12-12'
    Resources:
        Blog:
 4
 5
            Type: OS::Heat::Docker
 6
            Properties:
                 Image: samalba/wordpress
 7
 8
                 Env:
                     - {"Fn::Join": ["=", ["DB_HOSTNAME", {"Fn::GetAtt": ["Database", "NetworkIp"]}]]}
 9
                     - {"Fn::Join": ["=", ["DB PORT", {"Fn::GetAtt": ["Database", "NetworkTcpPorts"]}]]}
10
                     - {"Fn::Join": ["=", ["DB_PASSWORD", {"Fn::GetAtt": ["Database", "LogsHead"]}]]}
11
        Database:
12
            Type: OS::Heat::Docker
13
14
            Properties:
                Image: samalba/mysql
15
    Outputs:
16
17
         BlogURL:
18
            Value:
                 {"Fn::Join": ["",
19
                     ["http://",
20
                     {"Fn::GetAtt": ["Blog", "NetworkIp"]}, ":",
21
22
                     {"Fn::GetAtt": ["Blog", "NetworkTcpPorts"]}, "/"]
                 1}
23
            Description: Blog URL
```

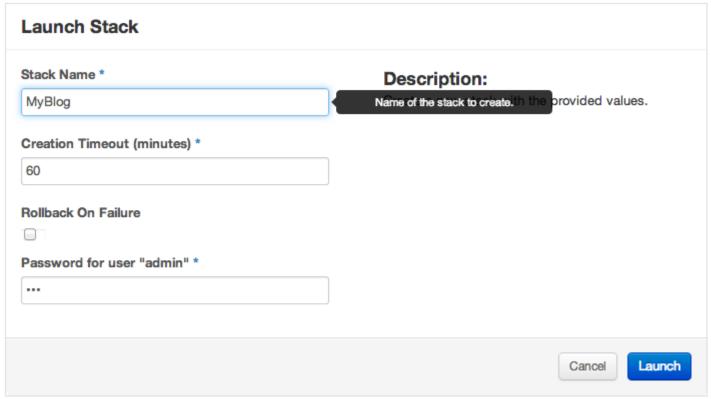


#### Horizon UI > Orchestration > Stacks





Configure the Stack (parameters of the Heat template)





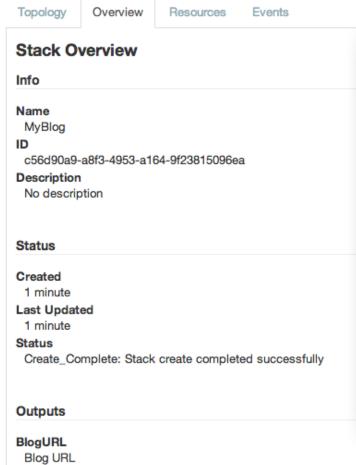
#### Launch it

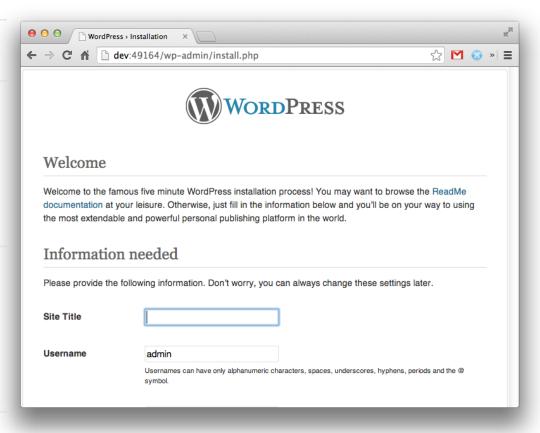
Stacks  Delete Stacks								
	Stack Name	Created	Updated	Status	Actions			
	MyBlog	0 minutes	0 minutes	Create Complete	Delete Stack			
Displaying 1 item								

#### Stack Resources

Stack Resource	Resource	Stack Resource Type	Date Updated	Status	Status Reason
Database	e545305a59d4	OS::Heat::Docker	2 minutes	Create Complete	state changed
Blog	e4f09ef0db38	OS::Heat::Docker	2 minutes	Create Complete	state changed
Displaying 2 items					









http://172.17.42.1:49164/

### What's next?

Design session: "Docker support in OpenStack"

→ Friday, 11am - AWE Level 2, Room 204-205

Project home page:

https://github.com/dotcloud/openstack-heat-docker

