# Package: valve (via r-universe)

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valve\_run Start a valve App

# **Description**

Run a plumber API in parallel using valve. Plumber APIs are spawned on n\_threads asynchronous threads on random ports. Incoming requests are handled on a single port and redirected to the plumber APIs in a simple round-robin fashion.

# Usage

```
valve_run(
   filepath = "plumber.R",
   host = "127.0.0.1",
   port = 3000,
   n_min = 1,
   n_max = 3,
   workers = n_max,
   check_unused = 10,
   max_age = 300
)
```

#### **Arguments**

filepath	default "plumber.R". The path to the Plumber API. Provided to the file argument of plumber::plumb().
host	default "127.0.0.1". Where to host the valve app and Plumber APIs.
port	default 3000. The port to host the valve app on.
n_min	default 1. The minimum number of Plumber APIs made available. Must be smaller than $n_{\max}$ .
n_max	default 3. The maximum number of Plumber APIs to run in parallel.
workers	default $n_max$ . The number of worker threads in the valve app to execute requests. This number should typically mimic $n_max$ .
check_unused	default 10. The time interval, in seconds, to check for unused connections.
max_age	default 300 (five minutes). Specifies how long a connection can go unused without being terminated. If a connection reaches this age it will be terminated in the next pool check (interval determined by check_unused),

# **Examples**

```
if (interactive()) {
   plumber_api_path <- system.file("plumber.R", package = "valve")
   valve_run(plumber_api_path)
}</pre>
```

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Write a Dockerfile for vetiver using valve

# **Description**

A Valve powered vetiver Dockerfile will run prediction endpoints concurrently.

# Usage

```
valve_write_vetiver(
  vetiver_model,
  plumber_file = "plumber.R",
  path = ".",
  port = 8000,
  vetiver_args = list(),
  workers = NULL,
  n_max = NULL,
  check_unused = NULL,
  max_age = NULL
)
```

# **Arguments**

vetiver_model	A deployable vetiver_model() object
plumber_file	A path for your Plumber file, created via vetiver_write_plumber(). Defaults to plumber.R in the working directory.
path	A path to write the Dockerfile and lockfile, capturing the model's package dependencies. Defaults to the working directory.
port	The server port for listening: a number such as 8080 or an expression like 'as.numeric(Sys.getenv("PORT"))' when the port is injected as an environment variable.
vetiver_args	additional arguments passed to vetiver::vetiver_write_docker() as key-value pairs in a list object.

# **Details**

This function is a modification of vetiver::vetiver\_write\_docker(). It modifies the created Dockerfile to install Valve, changes the ENTRYPOINT to use the Valve executable instead of a single plumber API via an R command.

# Value

The content of the Dockerfile, invisibly.

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