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Day 1: Routing & Action Results

1. Routing and Endpoints

Routing Map: Defines how URLs map to controllers and actions.

/Emp/<ClassName>/Index<FunctionName>

- **Endpoint**: The URL path that leads to a function.
- Action: The function that performs the operation.

2. Action Result Types

Different return types in controllers:

Return Type	Class
string	ContentResult
View	ViewResult
json	JsonResult
File	FileResult
NotFound()	NotFoundResult
Unauthorized()	UnauthorizedResult

Example: Returning Different Results



```
public ViewResult Show()
    ViewResult view = new();
    view.ViewName = "View1";
    return view;
}
public ContentResult Say()
    ContentResult content = new();
    content.Content = "Hello World";
    return content;
public IActionResult Mix(dynamic id)
   if (id % 2 == 0)
        return Content("Hello From Content Result");
   return View("View1");
}
```

Note:

IActionResult is an **interface** in ASP.NET Core MVC that represents the result of an action method in a controller. It allows you to return different types of responses, such as views, JSON data, HTTP status codes, or redirections.

How o Write Code At View:

```
<h1>Hellow World From First View</h1>
<style>
h1{
    color:red
}
</style>
```



```
<script>
console.log("Hello");
</script>
<!--Razor Engin-->
<!--Block Code-->
@{
   int x = 10;
   int y = x + 10;
<!--Inline Statment-->
<h2>@x</h2>
@y
<!--Condition statment-->
@if (x > y){
    <h2>X ggreater than y</h2>
else
    < h2>X = @x Less than y = @y</h2>
}
<!--Looping Statment-->
@for(int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
{
    @i
```

Day 2: Data Passing Methods

1. Passing Data from Action to View

@model takes **one data type**, but we have three methods to pass multiple data types:

1. ViewData

```
ViewData["str"] = Object;
```

- Type: Dictionary<string, Object>
- Requires casting when retrieving data.

2. ViewBag

```
ViewBag.Property = dynamicValue;
```

- Type is determined at runtime (no need for casting).
- Both ViewData and ViewBag Not Strongly Typed (detect to runtime errors)
- ViewData and ViewBag both use the same dictionary internally ,So You can use them interchangeably, but you cannot use the same key separately in both without one overwriting the other.

3. ViewModel (Recommended)

- Create a class to hold all required data and pass an object to the view.
- Strong Typed View
- Example:

At Controller

```
public IActionResult Details(int id)
{
    string msg = "Hello From Action";
```



```
int temp = 50;
List<string> bracnches= new List<string>();

bracnches.Add("Assiut");
bracnches.Add("Cario");
//Aditional info send to View from Action
ViewData["Msg"] = msg;
ViewData["Temp"] = temp;
ViewData["brch"] = bracnches;

ViewData["brch"] = bracnches;

ViewData["Color"] = "Blue";
ViewBag.Color = "REd";
//ViewData.Model=empMo
Employee EmpMOdel= context.Employee.FirstOrDefault(e => e.Id == id);
return View("Details", EmpMOdel);
}
```

At View:

```
@model Employee

@{
     ViewData["Title"] = "ITI Details";
}

<h1>Details</h1>
<h2 style="color:@ViewBag.Color">@Model.Name</h2>
<h1>@ViewData["Msg"]</h1>
<h2>@(int.Parse(ViewData["Temp"].ToString())-10)</h2>
<h2>@(ViewBag.Temp - 10)</h2>
```



StateManagement

2. Data Persistence (Session, TempData, Cookies)

When a request is made, the **controller object is created and destroyed** after execution.

To persist data across requests or getting some data from the Object , use:

Feature	TempData	Session	Cookies
Scope	Request + Next request (unless Peek() or Keep() is used)	Multiple requests during a session	Persistent across requests & browsers
Storage	Stored in Session (by default)	Stored in Server memory	Stored on the client's browser

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Feature	TempData	Session	Cookies
Lifetime	Expires after one request (unless Keep() is used)	Expires when session ends (IdleTimeout)	Expires based on Expires property
Persistence	Survives redirects but not full refreshes	Survives full refresh, redirects, and navigation	Survives browser restarts (if not expired)
Use Case	Passing temporary data between two actions	Storing user-specific data during a session	Storing small, persistent user preferences

1. TempData

- Stored temporarily between two actions (request-to-request).
- By default, TempData is deleted after being read.
- Use .Keep("Key") to persist data across multiple requests.
- Use .Peek("Key") to read without deleting.

Example Using TempData

```
public IActionResult Index()
{
    TempData["Msg"] = "Hello From Session";
    TempData.Keep("Msg"); // Prevents deletion
    return Content($"{TempData["Msg"].ToString()}");
}

public IActionResult Test()
{
    string? msg = TempData["Msg"]?.ToString() ?? "Default Value";
    TempData.Keep("Msg");
    return Content(msg);
}
```



✓ Instead of Keep(), use Peek("Key") to prevent deletion.

```
public IActionResult Index()
{
    TempData["Msg"] = "Hello From Session";
    return Content($"{TempData.Peek("Msg").ToString()}");
}

public IActionResult Test()
{
    string? msg = TempData.Peek("Msg").ToString();
    return Content(msg);
}
```

2. Session

1. Session Creation:

- When a user first sends a request to the server (e.g., by visiting a website), the server creates a **session** for that user.
- The server generates a **unique session ID**, typically a random string or number.
- This Session ID is stored in a Cookie on the user's browser, but the actual data stored in Server

2. Session ID Sent with Each Request:

- For every subsequent request, the browser automatically sends the session ID (usually as a cookie) along with the request.
- The server checks the session ID that it receives from the request and compares it with the sessions it has stored on the server (typically in memory or a session database).

3. Session Validation:

If the session ID matches an active session stored on the server, the server knows that this is a valid session and continues to associate the user's actions with that session.

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• If the session ID is missing or invalid (e.g., expired), the server may either create a new session or prompt the user to log in again.

4. Session Expiration/End:

- Sessions typically have a **timeout period**, after which they expire automatically. If the user doesn't interact with the server within that timeout, the session is considered **expired**.
- The session can also be explicitly destroyed by the server when the user logs out, or after a predefined time.
- Data is stored on the server and accessible across multiple actions/views.

Example Using Session

```
public IActionResult SetSession(string name)
    HttpContext.Session.SetString("Name", name);
    HttpContext.Session.SetInt32("Age", 21);
    return Content("Data Session Save Success");
}
public IActionResult GetSession()
    string n = HttpContext.Session.GetString("Name");
    int? a = HttpContext.Session.GetInt32("Age");
    return Content($"name={n} \t age={a}");
}
// For Object instance
public IActionResult Set_SessionObj(Student obj)
    var key = "My Key";
    var str = JsonConvert.SerializeObject(obj);
    HttpContext.Session.SetString(key, str);
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    return Content("Object is Set Successfully");
```

```
public IActionResult Get_SessionObj(string key)
{
   var str = HttpContext.Session.GetString(key);
   var str = HttpContext.Session.GetString(key);
   var obj = JsonConvert.DeserializeObject<Student>(str);
   return Content("Obj Is Retrieved ");
}
```

Requires configuration in Program.cs.

At Main Function:

```
builder.Services.AddSession(options => {
    options.IdleTimeout = TimeSpan.FromMinutes(30);
});

//or
builder.Services.AddSession(); // Default Time is 20 min

// then After or Before `app.UseRouting(); `Put :
app.UseSession();
```

so,

```
public static void Main(string[] args)
{
   var builder = WebApplication.CreateBuilder(args);

   // Add services to the container.//Day8
   builder.Services.AddControllersWithViews();
```



```
builder.Services.AddSession(options => {
    options.IdleTimeout = TimeSpan.FromMinutes(30);
});
var app = builder.Build();
# region Built-in Middleware
// Configure the HTTP request pipeline.//Day4 (Middleware)
    (!app.Environment.IsDevelopment())
{
    app.UseExceptionHandler("/Home/Error");
}
app.UseStaticFiles();
app.UseSession();
app.UseRouting();
app.UseAuthorization();
app.MapControllerRoute(
    name: "default",
    pattern: "{controller=Home}/{action=Index}/{id?}");
//app.Map("/djhsdjh", (app) => { });
#endregion
app.Run();
```

3. Cookies



- The session ID stored in the cookie is only used by the browser to identify the session
- it doesn't store user data (just the ID).
- Cookie Data is stored on the client's browser.
- **Cookies** are sent back to the server automatically with each request, allowing the server to retrieve session-specific data (like user authentication, preferences, etc.).
- Can set expiration time.
- Cookies Are Added in Response
- Request is used for Read Only

Example Using Cookies

```
public lActionResult SetCookie()
{
    CookieOptions options=new CookieOptions();
    options.Expires = DateTime.Now.AddDays(1);
    //Session Cookie
    HttpContext.Response.Cookies.Append("Name", "Ahmed");
    //Presisitent cookie
    HttpContext.Response.Cookies.Append("Age", "12", options);
    // Note That Cookies receieve String "12" not int 12
    return Content("Cookie Save");
}

public lActionResult GetCookie()
{
    string name= HttpContext.Request.Cookies["Name"];
    string age = HttpContext.Request.Cookies["Age"];
    return Content($"name={name} \t age={age}");
}
```



Day 3: Model Binding

Model Binding in ASP.NET Core

Model Binding is the process of mapping data from HTTP requests (URL, form inputs, etc.) to action method parameters in a controller.

1. Passing Data Through the URL (Query String)

Example:

Bind/ClassName/FunctionName?name=ahmed&age=20

- By default, this method uses the GET HTTP method.
- The function will retrieve request data from:

Request.QueryString

Important Notes

- Extra parameters will be ignored if not required by the function.
- Missing parameters will take default values:
 - int \rightarrow 0
 - string → null

Understanding URL Segments

Example:



/Bind/ClassName/FunctionName?name=ahmed&age=20

- /Bind/ → Segment
- /ClassName/ → Segment
- FunctionName?name=ahmed&age=20 → Query String Parameters

Handling IDs in URLs

1. Using a query string:

Bind/ClassName/FunctionName?id=10

2. Using route parameters when method parameter is called id:

Bind/ClassName/FunctionName/10

* This method retrieves the ID from:

Request.RouteValues

RouteValues take priority over query string parameters. If both are present, ASP.NET will use RouteValues.

Handling Collections & Objects in Query Strings

- Collections (Lists, Arrays, etc.) are handled as is.
- Objects require specifying parameters individually in the query string:

```
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```

This will automatically map to an Employee (Emp) object with properties Id, Name, and Salary.

Redirecting Between Actions & Controllers

Redirect to an action in the same controller:

```
return RedirectToAction("ActionName", new { id = userId /* the parameters for Action*/);
```

Redirect to an action in a different controller:

```
return RedirectToAction("ActionName", "OtherControllerName");
return RedirectToAction("ActionName", "OtherControllerName", new { id = userId /* the parameters for Action*/});
```

2. Passing Data Through Form Submission (Request.Form)

When submitting data via an HTML form, ASP.NET retrieves it from:

```
Request.Form
```

Handling HTTP Methods

By default, an action method can handle **both GET and POST** requests. To specify a method explicitly:

Handle only GET requests:



```
[HttpGet] // This action will only respond to GET requests
public IActionResult Test(string name, List<int> grades)
{
    return View("View1");
}
```

Handle only POST requests:

```
[HttpPost] // This action will only respond to POST requests
public IActionResult Test(string name, List<int> grades)
{
    return View("View1");
}
```

Day 4

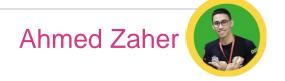
HTML Helper in ASP.NET MVC

Before: Writing HTML with Embedded C#

Before HTML Helpers, we used to write raw HTML and insert C# code inside it.

Example:

```
<input type="text" name="Username" value="@Model.Username" />
```



1- HTML Helper (Pure C#)

What are HTML Helpers?

HTML Helpers are **utility methods** in ASP.NET MVC that generate **HTML elements dynamically** inside a View instead of writing static HTML manually.

• It is a loosely typed helper (does not have strong type checking).

Example: Using HTML Helper

```
@Html.TextBox("Username", Model.Username, new { @class = "form-control" })
    //name    //Value
```

Generates:

```
<input type="text" name="Username" value="JohnDoe" class="form-control" />
```

Advantages of HTML Helpers

- Less HTML code, more C#-centric approach.
- Generates standard HTML elements dynamically.
- Supports adding CSS classes and attributes easily.

Common HTML Helpers



HTML Helper	Generates
<pre>@Html.TextBox("name")</pre>	<pre><input name="name" type="text"/></pre>
@Html.Password("pass")	<pre><input name="pass" type="password"/></pre>
@Html.DropDownList("country")	<pre><select name="country"></select></pre>
<pre>@Html.CheckBox("agree")</pre>	<pre><input name="agree" type="checkbox"/></pre>

Strongly Typed HTML Helper for Name

Example: Strongly Typed HTML Helper for Name

1create a Model (UserModel.cs)

```
public class UserModel
{
    [Display(Name="Full_Name")]
    public string Name { get; set; }
}
```

reate a Controller (HomeController.cs)

```
public class HomeController : Controller
{
    public ActionResult Index()
    {
       var user = new UserModel(); // Creating an empty model
       return View(user);
    }
```



3create a View (Index.cshtml)

```
@ViewBag.Message
```

Explanation

- Html.TextBoxFor(m => m.Name) binds directly to the Name property in UserModel.
- The model ensures **type safety** and allows data validation.
- When the form is submitted, the controller receives the model with user input.
- If valid, the name is displayed in ViewBag.Message.

Html.EditorFor() Examples

Example 1: Without Data Annotation (Simple Text Input)

Model (UserModel.cs)

```
public class UserModel
{
    public string Name { get; set; }
}
```

2/iew (Index.cshtml)



Example 2: With Data Annotation (Password Input)

1 Model (UserModel.cs)

```
using System.ComponentModel.DataAnnotations;

public class UserModel
{
    public string Name { get; set; }

    [DataType(DataType.Password)]
    [Display(Password="User Password")]
    public string Password { get; set; }
}
```

2/iew (Index.cshtml)



I choose the data type because EditFor detect numeric a string

∀ Key Differences:

Example	Uses Data Annotation?	Input Type
Name Input	× No	Text (<input type="text"/>)
Password Input	<pre></pre>	Password (<input type="password"/>)

EditorFor() automatically detects the input type based on the model's data annotation! #

V2 - Tag Helper

Full Tag Helper Example in ASP.NET Core

```
@model UserModel
<form method="post" asp-action="" asp-controller="" asp-route-id="">
```



```
<div class="form-group">
        <label asp-for="Name"></label>
        <input asp-for="Name" class="form-control" placeholder="Enter your name" />
       <span asp-validation-for="Name" class="text-danger"></span>
   </div>
   <div class="form-group">
        <label asp-for="Password"></label>
       <input asp-for="Password" class="form-control" placeholder="Enter your password" />
       <span asp-validation-for="Password" class="text-danger"></span>
   </div>
   <button type="submit" class="btn btn-primary">Submit</button>
</form>
@if (!string.IsNullOrEmpty(ViewBag.Message))
{
   @ViewBag.Message
}
@section Scripts {
   <partial name=" ValidationScriptsPartial" />
}
```

Another Example with Selected List

<h1>Edit</h1>

```
@model EmpWithDEptListViewModel
@{
   ViewData["Title"] = "Edit";
   SelectList selectLists = new SelectList(Model.DeptList, "Field Value", "Field Name"); /* to make casting
to IEnumerable */
}
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```

By default, when using <form asp-action="SomeAction">, the method is POST, unless specified otherwise.

Changes & Enhancements:

Feature	Usage
<pre><form> (No asp-controller or asp-action)</form></pre>	Since it's in the same view, method="post" is enough
asp-for on <input/> & <label></label>	Automatically binds fields to the model
asp-validation-for	Displays validation messages dynamically
@section Scripts	Ensures client-side validation works

Tag Helpers make Razor views more HTML-friendly, reducing the need for HtmlHelpers.

When using Tag Helpers for a form's submit button, you explicitly set the type="submit" attribute to ensure it functions correctly.

Note:



asp-for="X" does	Result in HTML		
Sets name	name="X"		
Sets id	id="X"		
Sets value	value="Model.X"		
Works with validation	<pre></pre>		

Layout & RenderBody in ASP.NET Core MVC What is a Layout?

Microsoft provides a **default shared layout** that acts as a **template** for multiple views.

It contains a special object called @RenderBody, which is **replaced by the actual View** when rendered.

Naming Rule for Layouts

• The default layout follows a naming convention:

_Layout.cshtml

It is usually stored in:

Views/Shared/_Layout.cshtml



You can have multiple layout styles and apply them selectively.

How to Apply a Custom Layout in a View?

You can specify a different layout in a View using the Layout property:

```
@model EmpWithDeptListViewModel
@{
    ViewData["Title"] = "Edit";
    Layout = "NewLayout"; // You can set it to null to remove layout
}
```

This applies "NewLayout.cshtml" instead of the default _Layout.cshtml.

RenderBody vs RenderSection

RenderBody (Main Content Placeholder)

- The View replaces @RenderBody inside the Layout.
- Required in a Layout.

Example in _Layout.cshtml :



RenderSection (Optional Sections)

- A Layout can have multiple @RenderSection placeholders.
- These allow specific sections in Views to be inserted into the Layout.
- It takes a section name and a boolean (optional, default = true means required).

Example in _Layout.cshtml :

```
</div>
<footer>My Footer</footer>
</body>
</html>
```

How to Implement Sections in a View?

Inside View.cshtml

```
@section Sidebar {
     This is the Sidebar content
}
```

✓ This will be **inserted** into @RenderSection("Sidebar") inside the layout.

Summary

Feature	Purpose
@RenderBody	Inserts the main view content inside the layout.
@RenderSection	Allows custom sections to be injected into the layout.
Layout = "NewLayout"	Changes the default layout for a specific view.



DAY 5

Validation

[ValidateAntiForgeryToken] in ASP.NET MVC & Core

What is [ValidateAntiForgeryToken]?

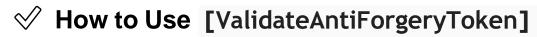
[ValidateAntiForgeryToken] is an attribute used in ASP.NET MVC & ASP.NET Core to **prevent Cross-Site Request Forgery** (CSRF) attacks by ensuring that form submissions are legitimate and come from the same site.

Why is it Important?

Without CSRF protection, an attacker could trick a logged-in user into unknowingly submitting a form that performs malicious actions, such as:

- Transferring money
- Changing an account password
- Deleting a user account

This attribute ensures that **every POST request contains a valid anti-forgery token**, making it harder for attackers to forge requests.







In your **controller**, apply the [ValidateAntiForgeryToken] attribute to the POST action to enforce CSRF protection.

```
[HttpPost]
[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]
public IActionResult SubmitForm(UserModel model)
{
    if (ModelState.IsValid)
    {
        // Process form submission
        return RedirectToAction("Success");
    }
    return View(model);
}
```

2secure Razor View (Form)

To ensure the token is included in the form, you must use either **Tag Helpers (ASP.NET Core)** or **HtmlHelpers (ASP.NET MVC & Core)**.

Using Tag Helpers (ASP.NET Core)

✓ **ASP.NET Core automatically adds the CSRF token** For <u>Tag Helper</u>, so you don't need to manually include @Html.AntiForgeryToken().

```
<form asp-action="SubmitForm" method="post">
<input asp-for="Email" class="form-control" /> `
<button type="submit">Submit</button> </form>`
```

√ The hidden input is automatically generated:

```
<input name="___RequestVerificationToken" type="hidden" value="random-token-value">
```



Using HtmlHelpers (ASP.NET MVC & Core)

✓ If you're using Html.BeginForm(), you must manually add

```
@Html.AntiForgeryToken().
@using (Html.BeginForm("SubmitForm", "Home", FormMethod.Post))
{
    @Html.AntiForgeryToken();
    <label> Email:</label>
    @Html.TextBoxFor(model => model.Email, new { @class = "form-control" }) < button type = "submit" >
Submit </ button >
}
```

✓ Without @Html.AntiForgeryToken(), the request will fail with HTTP 403 Forbidden.

- How Does It Work?

- 1. When the form is generated, @Html.AntiForgeryToken() inserts a hidden input field with a CSRF token:
- 2. When the form is submitted, the browser sends this token along with the request.
- 3. **ASP.NET checks the token** in the [ValidateAntiForgeryToken] attribute:
 - •
 ✓ If the token is valid
 → the request is processed.
 - X If the token is missing or incorrect → the request is **rejected with HTTP 403 Forbidden**.

When Do You Need It?



Scenario	Should You Use [ValidateAntiForgeryToken]?
POST request (modifies data)	∀ Yes
GET request (just displays data)	× No
Login, Register, Delete, Update actions	∀ Yes
API request (without authentication)	X No (Use JWT or OAuth)

Summary

Feature	[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]
Prevents	CSRF (Cross-Site Request Forgery) attacks
Used in	ASP.NET MVC & ASP.NET Core
Applies to	Only POST requests
Applies to Requires	Only POST requests @Html.AntiForgeryToken() in forms (unless using Tag Helpers)

Example Code

• Controller

```
public class AccountController : Controller

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```

View (Using Tag Helpers)

```
<form asp-action="Login" method="post">
<input asp-for="Username" class="form-control" />
<input asp-for="Password" type="password" class="form-control" />
<button type="submit">Login</button> </form>
```

View (Using HtmlHelpers)

```
@using (Html.BeginForm("Login", "Account", FormMethod.Post))
{
    @Html.AntiForgeryToken() ;
    @Html.LabelFor(m => m.Username) ;
    @Html.TextBoxFor(m => m.Username, new { @class = "form-control" }) ;
    @Html.LabelFor(m => m.Password) ;
    @Html.PasswordFor(m => m.Password, new { @class = "form-control" });
    <button type="submit">Login</button>
}
```



Final Notes

- Tag Helpers in ASP.NET Core automatically include the anti-forgery token.
- HtmlHelpers in ASP.NET MVC/Core require @Html.AntiForgeryToken() manually.
 If you forget to add the anti-forgery token, the request will be rejected (403 Forbidden).

Condition	[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]	ModelState.IsValid	Result
No token / invalid token	X Fails (403 Forbidden)	X Not checked	Request is blocked
Valid token, but invalid form data		X Fails	Returns the form with validation errors
Valid token and valid form data			Redirects to "Success"

Note:

We Will Know more about Validation-Token at JWT

in ASP.NET MVC/Core, you **cannot override** an action method unless they have **different HTTP verbs** (e.g., GET and POST) or different method signatures (e.g., different parameters).

⊘ Correct Approach:

Use attribute routing ([HttpGet], [HttpPost], etc.) to differentiate actions.

Validation is Done at 3 layers :



- 2-Controller
- 3-View

Model

```
[Required]
[MaxLength(30)]
[MinLength(3)]
public string Name { get; set; }
[Required]
[RegularExpression(@"(Alex|Assiut)")]
public string Address { get; set; }
[Display(Name="Student Age")]
[Required]
[Range(maximum:50, minimum:20)]
public int Age { get; set; }
```

Validation

Controller

```
[HttpPost]
[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]//intenal calling of public IActionResult New(Student newStd)

[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]//intenal calling of public IActionResult New(Stude
```

Validation Codition



Check



At Model

```
using System.ComponentModel.DataAnnotations;
public class UserViewModel
    [Required(ErrorMessage = "Username is required")]
    [StringLength(50, ErrorMessage = "Username cannot exceed 50 characters")]
    public string Username { get; set; }
    [Required(ErrorMessage = "Email is required")]
    [EmailAddress(ErrorMessage = "Invalid email format")]
    public string Email { get; set; }
    [Required(ErrorMessage = "Password is required")]
    [MinLength(6, ErrorMessage = "Password must be at least 6 characters")]
    public string Password { get; set; }
    [Compare("Password", ErrorMessage = "Passwords do not match")]
    public string ConfirmPassword { get; set; }
    [Range(18, 100, ErrorMessage = "Age must be between 18 and 100")]
   public int Age { get; set; }
```

At Controller

```
[HttpPost]
   public IActionResult Register(UserViewModel model)
   {
      //ModelState is Dictionary
      //it's key is Property name and it's value is property value
      if (!ModelState.IsValid)
```



```
{
    return View(model); // Return the view with validation errors
}

// Process the valid model
    return RedirectToAction("Success");
}
```

- ModelState is Dictionary
 it's key is Property name and it's value is property value
- At View

```
<form asp-action="Register">
   <!-- Validation Summary -->
   <div asp-validation-summary="All" class="text-danger"></div>
   <div class="form-group">
       <label>Username</label>
       <input asp-for="Username" class="form-control" />
       <div class="text-danger">
           <span asp-validation-for="Username"></span>
       </div>
   </div>
    <div class="form-group">
       <label>Email</label>
       <input asp-for="Email" class="form-control" />
       <div class="text-danger">
           <span asp-validation-for="Email"></span>
       </div>
   </div>
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```

```
<button type="submit" class="btn btn-primary">Register</button>
</form>
```

- <div asp-validation-summary="All" class="text-danger"></div> : Displays and gather all validation errors at the top of the form.
- The "All" option shows both model-level and property-level errors :
 - 1 Model-level errors (e.g., errors added manually in the controller using- ModelState.AddModelError("", "message"))
 - **2 Field-specific errors** (e.g., [Required], [EmailAddress])
- You can change it to: "ModelOnly" → Displays only model-level validation errors.
- "None" → Hides the validation summary (not recommended unless you use inline messages only).

Custom Validation Erorr

ModelState.AddModelError is a method in ASP.NET Core and ASP.NET MVC that allows you to manually add validation errors to the ModelState dictionary. This is useful when you want to return custom validation errors in your controllers.

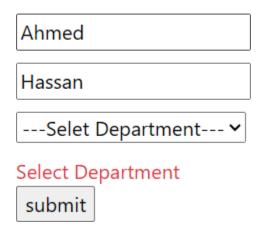
1- ModelState.AddModelError("FieldName", "Custom error message.");

```
Student st = context.Students.FirstOrDefault(b => b.StId == std.StId);

if (std.DeptId == 0)
{
    ModelState.AddModelError("DeptId", "Select Department ");
    return View("View1", std);
}
```



Select Department



Note That It is Server-Side

When Should You Use It?

- 1. Custom Business Logic When validation depends on dynamic conditions.
- 2. Database or External Checks When you need to check the database (e.g., unique email, existing username).
- 3. General Errors When you want to show an error not related to a specific field.
- 4. API Error Handling When returning structured validation errors in an API.

2- Making my Own Attribute (Server-Side)

If I want to create a unique attribute for a name, I need to create a new model (class) and name it with 'Attribute' at the end, like UniqueAttribute.



```
public string msg { get; set; }//to use it by attribute
protected override ValidationResult? IsValid(object? value, ValidationContext validationContext)
{
   if (value == null)
        return null;
   string name = value.ToString();
   var context = new ItiContext();
   Student student = context.Students.
   FirstOrDefault(b => b.StFname == name);
    Student sts =(Student)validationContext.ObjectInstance;
   //To Use the validationContext
    if (student != null)
        return new ValidationResult("Error Message");
   return ValidationResult.Success;
```

```
//At the Model
[Unique(msg ="Any Message")]
public string StFname { get; set; }
```



1. object? value

- This is the value of the property that the attribute is applied to.
- It contains the data that needs to be validated.
- It can be null, so you must check before using it.
- You typically cast it to the expected type (string, int, etc.).

2. ValidationContext validationContext

- This provides metadata about the validation process.
- It contains details about the object being validated.
- It is the Object of model that UniqueAttribute Called from
- must make explicit casting to use it

Note Again:

. it is Server Side

To enable **custom client-side validation**, we need to **use jQuery along with jQuery Validation and jQuery Unobtrusive** Validation .

Steps to Set Up Client-Side Validation

1. Include jQuery and Validation Scripts

You need to include the required JavaScript libraries at the end of the view:

```
<script src="~/lib/jquery/dist/jquery.min.js"></script>
<script src="~/lib/jquery-validation/dist/jquery.validate.min.js"></script> <script sr件价值值aher</pre>
```

Why at the end?

Placing scripts at the bottom ensures that the entire page loads first, improving performance.

2. Recommended Approach: Use _Layout.cshtml for Script Loading

Instead of adding scripts manually in every view, it's best to load them in the _Layout.cshtml file using the built-in @RenderSectionAsync("Scripts") method.

Note: Can add it by new section at end

```
In _Layout.cshtml (usually before </body> ):
    @await RenderSectionAsync("Scripts", required: false)
```

This allows each view to **inject its own scripts** inside a Scripts section without duplicating code.

Then, in individual views:

★ Why don't we include jQuery again?

Because _Layout.cshtml typically already includes jquery.min.js , so we only add validation scripts where needed.



3- Making Remote Validation (Remote)

(Server-Side & Client-Side)

[Remote] is an **attribute** used for **client-side validation** that makes an **AJAX call to the server** to validate a field **without** submitting the entire form.

at model

```
public class UserModel
{
    [Required]
    [Remote(action:"check",controller:"Instructor",ErrorMessage ="MSG")]
    public string Username { get; set; }
}
```

at controlled

```
public IActionResult check(string Username)
//name for attribute must be same for property
{
    if(Username.Contains("Mr"))
    {
       return Json(true);
    }
    return Json(false);
}
```

Note: Function's Parameter must be same name for Model's Property

 I Can Put more than property to check ...by : At Model

```
public class UserModel
{
```



```
[Required]
  [Remote(action:"check",controller:"Instructor",ErrorMessage ="MSG"
  ,AdditionalFields ="Address,Email"
  )]
  public string Username { get; set; }
  public string Email { get; set; }
  public string Address { get; set; }
}
```

At Controller

```
public IActionResult check(string Username ,string Email ,string Address)
{
    //You Can Check Any of them if there is any relationship between them
}
```

Note: Validation By Remote I Must Call Jquery At View

Difference Between Remote Validation and Custom Validation in ASP.NET Core

Feature	Remote Validation ([Remote])	Custom Validation (ValidationAttribute)
Where It Runs?	Client-side (AJAX) + Server	Server-side only
Uses AJAX?	∀ Yes	X No
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Feature	Remote Validation ([Remote])	Custom Validation (ValidationAttribute)
Ideal For?	Checking existing records (e.g., unique username/email)	Business rules, complex field validation
Requires JavaScript?	∀ Yes	X No
Multiple Field Validation?	✓ Yes, with AdditionalFields	✓ Yes, using ValidationContext

When to Use What?

- 🗸 Use Remote Validation ([Remote]) when you need real-time checks (like checking if an email is taken).
- Vuse Custom Validation (ValidationAttribute) when you need complex logic or server-only validation (e.g., checking password strength).

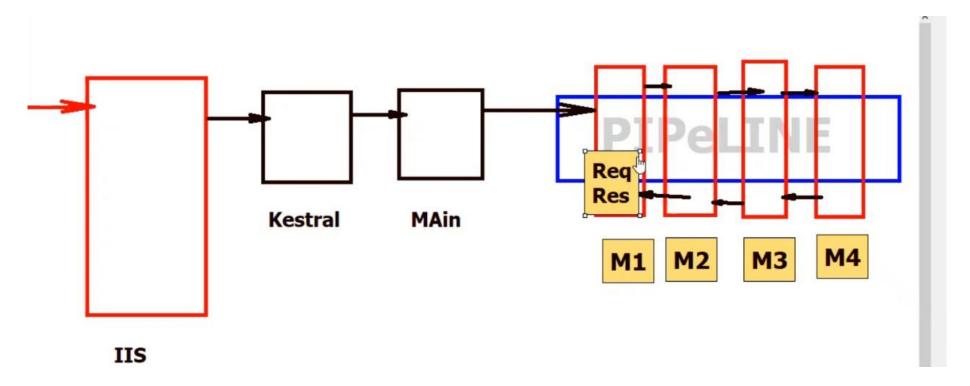
Day 6

1 MiddleWare

- MiddleWares are Methods in Web Application
- in .NET Core, when a request arrives at IIS, it forwards the request to the ASP.NET Core runtime Proxy (specifically Kestrel). Kestrel then executes the middleware pipeline configured in the application.
- Middleware in ASP.NET Core is a component that is part of the request processing pipeline. It handles:
 - 1 Incoming requests (before they reach your controller and after the session being created)
 - 2 Outgoing responses (after the controller action is done).
 - 3 Each middleware can:



- 1. Process the request and is called (short-circuit the pipeline), not call the next middleware.
- 2. Process the request and then invoke the next middleware.
- 3. Do nothing and immediately call the next middleware.



Note that:

M1 -> M2 -> M3 -> M4 -> M3 -> M2 -> M1

- We can build our own middleware by providing a delegate, and there are three types of middleware:
 - 1. Execute then invoke the next component ⇒ Use
 - 2. Execute and terminate the pipeline ⇒ Run
 - 3. Branch based on URL and execute a delegate, .Map(url , Exec) \Rightarrow Map





```
public static void Main(string[] args)
    var builder = WebApplication.CreateBuilder(args);
    // Add services to the container.//Day8
    builder.Services.AddControllersWithViews();
    builder.Services.AddSession(options => {
        options.IdleTimeout = TimeSpan.FromMinutes(30);
    });
    var app = builder.Build();
    #region Custom Middleware "inline Middleware"
    app. Use(async (httpContext, Next) =>
    {
        await httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("1)Middleware 1\n");
        await Next.Invoke();
        await httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("1)Middleware 1--\n");
        //
    });
    app. Use(async (httpContext, Next) =>
    {
        await httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("2)Middleware 2\n");
        await Next.Invoke();
        await httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("2)Middleware 2----\n");
    });
    app.Run(async (httpContext) =>
                 httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("3)Terminate\n");
        await
```



```
});
app.Use(async (httpContext, Next) =>
{
    await httpContext.Response.WriteAsync("4)Middleware 4\n");
    await Next.Invoke();
    //
});
app.Run();
}
```

Output:

```
1) Middleware 1
2) Middleware 2
3) Terminate
2) Middleware 2----
3) Middleware 1--
```

- 1 var app = builder.Build();
 from here start using my Web Application Object
- 2 We use app.Run last of all MiddleWares
- 3 We uses Lambda for Delegate but You can make Your own Function
- 4 Function Next.Invoke() is Async so we use await and mark the delegate as async to ensure the middleware completes before moving on.

Bulit in MiddleWare

```
public static void Main(string[] args)
{
    var builder = WebApplication.CreateBuilder(args);
```



```
// Add services to the container.
builder.Services.AddControllersWithViews();
var app = builder.Build();
// Configure the HTTP request pipeline.
#region main middleware
    (!app.Environment.IsDevelopment())
i f
{
    app.UseExceptionHandler("/Home/Error");
app.UseStaticFiles(); // for jquery and bootstrap
app.UseRouting();// put for Routering
app.UseAuthorization(); // for Authorization ,
app.MapControllerRoute(
    name: "default",
    pattern: "{controller=Home}/{action=Index}/{id?}");
#endregion
app.Run();
```

Note:

```
if (!app.Environment.IsDevelopment())
{
```



```
app.UseExceptionHandler("/Home/Error");
}
```

it used For end-user not Developer that make it easy for him to explore Errors and exceptions

once You need to make Authentication : make Authenticate before you authorize

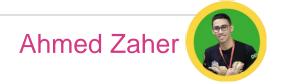
```
app.UseAuthentication();// ← INSERT THIS
// 4) Authenticate before you authorize
app.UseAuthorization();
```

Aspect	Authentication	Authorization
Purpose	Establish who you are	Determine what you can do (your permission)
Question answered	"Are you who you claim to be?"	"Are you allowed to perform this action?"
Common methods	Username/password, tokens (JWT), API keys, certificates	Roles, policies, scopes, resource-based permission checks

• Click For most popular built-in MiddleWares

2- StateManagment

Explained At <u>Day 2</u> (Page 6)



Day 7

the best practice in software architecture (especially in C# and ASP.NET environments) is to follow this flow:

Model → **Repository** → **Controller**

This layered approach promotes separation of concerns, maintainability, and testability. Here's what each layer is responsible for:

Note:

A **Repository** is a class (or interface + class) that:

- Encapsulates the logic required to access data sources (e.g., SQL Server, MongoDB, APIs).
- Provides CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations for a specific model.
- Hides all the low-level database details from the rest of the app

this approach is called Repository Pattern we try not to write code at controller

So:

Controller interacts with the **Repository**, and the **Repository** interacts with the **Database Context** (often referred to as the **DbContext** in Entity Framework for C#).

SOLID Principles in C#

1. Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)

What It Means:

A class should have only one reason to change.

Each class should focus on a single task/responsibility, which improves maintainability, testability, and readability.



X Violates SRP

```
public class UserManager
    public void AddUser(string username)
        // Add user logic
    }
    public void SendNotification(string message)
        // Send notification logic
```

⊘ Applies SRP

```
public class UserManager
{
    private readonly IUserRepository _userRepository;
    public UserManager(IUserRepository userRepository)
    {
```



```
_userRepository = userRepository;
    }
    public void AddUser(string username)
        // Add user logic
public class NotificationService
    public void SendNotification(string message)
    {
        // Send notification logic
```

Now, each class has **one responsibility** only:



2. Open/Closed Principle (OCP)

What It Means:

A class should be open for extension, but closed for modification.

We should be able to add new functionality without changing existing code.

X Violates OCP

```
public class PaymentProcessor
    public void ProcessPayment(string type)
       if (type == "CreditCard")
           // CreditCard logic
        else if (type == "PayPal")
            // PayPal logic
```



```
}
```

Applies OCP

```
public interface IPaymentMethod
   void ProcessPayment(decimal amount);
public class CreditCardPayment : IPaymentMethod
   public void ProcessPayment(decimal amount)
   {
       // CreditCard logic
public class PayPalPayment : IPaymentMethod
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   public void ProcessPayment(decimal amount)
```

```
{
        // PayPal logic
public class PaymentProcessor
    public void ProcessPayment(IPaymentMethod paymentMethod, decimal amount)
    // pass credit or paypal obj
        paymentMethod.ProcessPayment(amount);
    }
```

Add new payment types without modifying PaymentProcessor.

3. Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)

What It Means:

Subclasses must be replaceable for their base classes without breaking functionality.



Violates LSP

```
public class Bird
   public virtual void Fly()
   {
       // Flying logic
    }
public class Ostrich: Bird
   public override void Fly()
   {
        throw new NotImplementedException(); // Ostriches can't fly
    }
```

Applies LSP



```
public abstract class Bird
    public abstract void Move();
}
public class Sparrow: Bird
    public override void Move()
       // Flying logic
public class Ostrich: Bird
    public override void Move()
       // Running logic
```



4. Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)

What It Means:

Clients should not be forced to depend on interfaces they don't use.

Split large interfaces into smaller, role-specific ones.

X Violates ISP

```
public interface IWorker
{
    void Work();
    void Eat(); // Not needed for Robot
}

public class Robot : IWorker
{
    public void Work() { /* Work logic */ }
    public void Eat()
    {
}
```



```
throw new NotImplementedException(); // Robots don't eat
}
```

⊘ Applies ISP

```
public interface IWorkable
   void Work();
public interface IFeedable
   void Eat();
}
public class Robot : IWorkable
   public void Work() { /* Work logic */ }
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```

```
public class Human : IWorkable, IFeedable
{
    public void Work() { /* Work logic */ }
    public void Eat() { /* Eat logic */ }
}
```

Each class implements only what it needs, reducing bloated interfaces.

5. Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

What It Means:

High-level modules should not depend on low-level modules.

Both should depend on abstractions.

X Violates DIP

```
public class PaymentProcessor
{
    private readonly CreditCardPayment _payment = new CreditCardPayment();
```



Applies DIP

```
public interface IPaymentMethod
{
    void Process(decimal amount);
}

public class CreditCardPayment : IPaymentMethod
{
    public void Process(decimal amount)
    {
        // Payment logic
    }
}
```



```
public class PaymentProcessor
{
    private readonly IPaymentMethod _paymentMethod;

    public PaymentProcessor(IPaymentMethod paymentMethod)
    {
        __paymentMethod = paymentMethod;
    }
    public void ProcessPayment(decimal amount)

    {
        __paymentMethod.Process(amount);
    }
}
```

The PaymentProcessor depends on **abstraction**, not on concrete classes. Easier to switch implementations (e.g., b PayPal or Crypto).

Strongly Recommended To Read About Dependency Injection

Final Summary

Principle	Full Name	Key Idea
S	Single Responsibility	One job per class
0	Open/Closed	Extend behavior without modifying code
L	Liskov Substitution	Subclasses should fully work in place of parents
I	Interface Segregation	Avoid forcing classes to implement what they don't need



Principle	Full Name	Key Idea
D	Dependency Inversion	Rely on abstractions, not concrete implementations

- Suppose we have two models to implement: Employee and Department.
 We have three folders:
- 1. Repository (contains interfaces and repository classes),
- 2. Model (contains the actual models),
- 3. Controllers (contains the controllers for the models).

 Remember, we try not to write model logic inside the controllers.

example on Employee Method:

1- Employee Model

```
[RegularExpression(@"\w+\.(jpg|png)",ErrorMessage ="Image must Be jpg or png")]
public string ImageURL { get; set; }

public string? Address { get; set; }

[ForeignKey("Department")]
[Display(Name="Department")]
public int DepartmentID { get; set; }

public Department? Department { get; set; }
}
```

2- Employee Repository:

Employee Interface

```
public interface IEmployeeRepository
{
    public void Add(Employee obj);
    public void Update(Employee obj);

    public void Delete(int id);

    public List<Employee> GetAll();
    public Employee GetById(int id);

    public void Save();
}
```

Employee Repository



```
public class EmployeeRepository: IEmployeeRepository
   ITIContext context;
   public EmployeeRepository()
       context = new ITIContext();
  //CRUD
   public void Add(Employee obj)
       context.Add(obj);
   public void Update(Employee obj)
       context.Update(obj);
   }
   public void Delete(int id)
       Employee Emp = GetById(id);
       context.Remove(Emp);
   public List<Employee> GetAll()
       return context.Employee.ToList();
   public Employee GetById(int id)
       return context.Employee.FirstOrDefault(e => e.Id == id);
   public void Save()
       context.SaveChanges();
```



```
}
}
```

3- Employee Controller (inject By Constructor):

```
public class EmployeeController : Controller
{
    // ITIContext context = new ITIContext();
    IEmployeeRepository EmployeeRepository;
    public EmployeeController(IEmployeeRepository EmpRepo)
    {
        EmployeeRepository = EmpRepo;
    }
}
// Actions to implement
```

- After this implementation we have a problem that the Controller Factory can't create an instance of EmployeeRepository to pass it as a parameter to the controller constructor because :
 - The EmployeeController needs an IEmployeeRepository passed into its constructor.
 - But ASP.NET MVC by default does not know how to create an IEmployeeRepository.
 - So the Controller Factory (the part that creates controllers) throws an error because it can't build
 EmployeeController automatically
- To Fix the exception we implement IoC Container (Inversion of Control).
 Instead of a class creating its own dependencies, someone else (usually a framework or container) injects those dependencies into the class or creating the needed objects?

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• in .net IoC Called Service Provider , how IoC containers work :

We usually deal with three key operations:

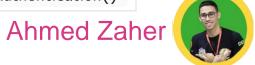
Term	Meaning (Simple)	Example
Register	Tell the IoC container <i>which classes</i> to create when asked for an interface.	<pre>builder.Services.AddScoped<iemployeerepository, EmployeeRepository>();</iemployeerepository, </pre>
Resolve	Ask the IoC container to give you an instance of a registered service. (Happens automatically in Controllers.)	Controller constructor parameter: EmployeeController(IEmployeeRepository repo)
Dispose	Free or clean up objects after they finish. This happens automatically if you use DI properly.	The container disposes your repository instance after the request ends.

• quick summary:

Step	Action
Register	Add service to the container.
Resolve	Get an instance when needed (e.g., in controller constructor).
Dispose	Automatically clean up the service after use.

Services Type

Туре	Declared	Registered	Example
Framework Services	Already declared	Already registered	ILogger <t> , IHttpContextAccessor</t>
Built-in Services	Already declared	Must be registered manually	AddDbContext<>, AddAuthentication()



Туре	Declared	Registered	Example
Custom Services	Not declared	Not Registered	AddTransient<>() AddScoped<>() AddSingleton<>()

1- Register

• it's Called by the host before the Configure method to configure the app's services

```
public static void Main(string[] args)
{
    var builder = WebApplication.CreateBuilder(args);
    //Framwork service :already decalre ,alraedy register
    //built in service :already delcare ,need to register
    // Add services to the container.
    builder.Services.AddControllersWithViews();
    //Custom Servce "RegisterB
    builder.Services.AddScoped<IEmployeeRepository, EmployeeRepository>();
    var app = builder.Build();
    app.Run();
}
```

```
builder.Services.AddScoped<IEmployeeRepository, EmployeeRepository>();
```

You're telling the ASP.NET Core **Dependency Injection (DI) container** that when a class (like a controller) **requests** an instance of IEmployeeRepository, the container should create (resolve) an instance of EmployeeRepository.

Life-Time of Custom Service :



Lifetime	Behavior	
<pre>builder.Services.AddTransient<>()</pre>	New object is created every time it's requested/injected.	
<pre>builder.Services.AddScoped<>()</pre>	One object per HTTP request (or per created scope).	
<pre>builder.Services.AddSingleton<>()</pre>	One object for the whole application lifetime (same instance always).	

2- Resolve (at controller)

1- inject (ask) by constructor:

```
public EmployeeController(IEmployeeRepository EmpRepo)
{
    EmployeeRepository = EmpRepo;
}
```

• In this constructor, ASP.NET Core uses dependency injection to automatically provide an instance of IEmployeeRepository when creating the EmployeeController, as long as the service is properly registered in the DI container.

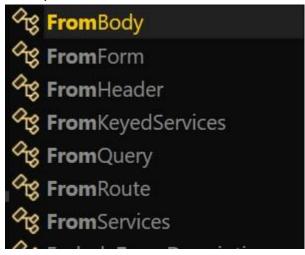
2- inject by Action

```
public IActionResult Details([FromServices] IEmployeeRepository employeeRepository)
{
    var employee = employeeRepository.GetById(id);
    return View(employee);
}
```

• When you use **Action Injection** in a controller, the **[FromServices]** attribute tells the Dependency Injection (DI) system to **inject the service directly into the action parameter**, ignoring any model binding that might otherwise be used.



examples:



Attribute	Where the value comes from	Example
[FromBody]	Request body (usually JSON) (API)	POST data (like a JSON object)
[FromForm]	Form fields (like HTML forms)	<form method="post"></form>
[FromHeader]	HTTP request headers	e.g., Authorization header
[FromKeyedServices]	From DI container by key	Special keyed services in DI (advanced use)
[FromQuery]	URL query string parameters	/api/items?id=5
[FromRoute]	URL route parameters	/api/items/5 (id from route)
[FromServices]	From the dependency injection container	Inject a service like a logger or business service

3 - Inject by View

Note:

• Before we talk about injecting services into a view, we can make the Repository folder easier to access everywhere by creating a **global using**.

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• To do this, add the following line (for example, in a Global Usings.cs file):

```
global using MVC.Repository;
```

• This way, you don't need to manually add using MVC.Repository; in every file — it becomes automatically available across the whole project.

How to Inject a Service in a View

Use the @inject directive at the top of your .cshtml view.

```
@inject IDepartmentRepository deptREpo
@{
    ViewData["Title"] = "Index";
}
<h1>Index</h1>
<h3>Id From View @deptREpo.Id</h3>
```

Note:

Id = Guid.NewGuid().ToString(); it returns unique id every time You call it .

If You remember at employee repository :

```
public EmployeeRepository()
    {
       context = new ITIContext();
    }
}
```

the context = new ITIContext(); inside the constructor of EmployeeRepository violates the Dependency Injection (DI) principle. In a Dependency Injection pattern, dependencies (like the ITIContext) should be provided externally, rather than being created inside the class. This allows for easier testing, better flexibility, and separation of concerns.

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- In this case, you should inject the ITIContext into the constructor of EmployeeRepository instead of creating it directly in the constructor by:
- 1 We're using appsettings.json to store the connection string, which is a great approach to avoid hardcoding sensitive information like database credentials. The configuration in appsettings.json should look like this:

```
{
  "Logging": {
    "LogLevel": {
        "Default": "Information",
        "Microsoft.AspNetCore": "Warning"
     }
},
  "AllowedHosts": "*",
  "ConnectionStrings": {
      "cs": "Data Source=.;Initial Catalog=ITI;Integrated Security=True;Encrypt=False;Trust Server Certificate=True"
  }
}
```

2- adding a constructor to our ITIContext class that accepts DbContextOptions is required to use the configuration provided through the appsettings.json file. The goal here is to pass the configuration (e.g., connection string) to the DbContext via the DbContextOptions:

```
public class ITIContext : DbContext
{
    public ITIContext(DbContextOptions<ITIContext> options) : base(options){}
    // DbSets, etc.
}
```

This constructor ensures that ITIContext can be configured using the DbContextOptions that will be set up via the DI container.



3- In your Program.cs or Startup.cs (depending on your ASP.NET Core version), you're registering ITIContext in the DI container. The UseSqlServer method will use the connection string from appsettings.json:

```
public class Program
    public static void Main(string[] args)
        var builder = WebApplication.CreateBuilder(args);
        // Add DbContext to the DI container with the connection string
        builder.Services.AddDbContext<ITIContext>(options =>
    options.UseSqlServer(builder.Configuration.GetConnectionString("cs"));
        });
        // Other services...
        var app = builder.Build();
        // Other middleware...
    }
```

4- our EmployeeRepository now has the ITIContext injected via its constructor:

```
}
```

Key Points:

- Appsettings.json: The connection string is pulled from the configuration, so no hardcoding is needed.
- DbContext Constructor: The ITIContext constructor is modified to accept DbContextOptions.
- DI Registration: In Program.cs or Startup.cs, ITIContext is registered with the DI container using AddDbContext.
- Repository Constructor: EmployeeRepository accepts ITIContext via constructor injection.

Note:

- The method builder.Services.AddDbContext<ITIContext>(options => { ... }) registers the DbContext (in this case ITIContext) in the **Dependency Injection (DI)** container. Once you register the DbContext, it can be injected into any service or class that requires it.
- AddDbContext registers the DbContext to be injected into classes that depend on it. In other words, you cannot directly use
 ITIContext unless the class is being injected via **Dependency Injection**.
- in custom validation, use the default constructor (public ITIContext(): base()), and you don't use DI to inject the context, it will work properly but it violates DI, We apply it by:

```
return ValidationResult.Success;
}
```

Day 8

1 - Filters

- 1) block of code ,execute befor ,after ,during action execute
- 2) reduced repeating code
- 3) attribute [action, contoller, application]

4)implement IFiltterMetaData

- 1 A filter is a block of code that executes before, after, or around the execution of an action method, result, or other parts of the request pipeline.
- 2 Filters are used to reduce repetitive code by handling cross-cutting concerns such as logging, caching, authorization, or error handling in a centralized way.
- 3 Filters can be applied at different scopes: on an action method, on a controller class, or globally at the application level through configuration.
- 4 At a low level, a custom filter implements specific filter interfaces such as IActionFilter, IResultFilter, IExceptionFilter, or their async counterparts. All these interfaces inherit from the IFilterMetadata marker



interface, which provides metadata about the filter but is not typically implemented directly.

Note: Filters is at MVC Level, Unlike MiddleWares is that At Application Level

Built-in Filters:

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Filter	Interfaces that contains them	Description
Authorization	IAuthorization Filter, IAsyncAuthorization Filter	Used to apply authorization and security policy
Action	IActionFilter, IAsyncActionFilter	Used to perform a specify work immediately before or after an action method is performed
Result	IResultFilter, IAsyncResultFilter	Used to perform a specify work immediately before or after the result from an action method is processed
Exception	IExceptionFilter, IAsyncExceptionFilter	Used to handle exceptions

1- Authorization Filters

What they do:

Run before everything else to determine if the current user/request is allowed to continue.

Built-in example:



- [Authorize] attribute.
- [AllowAnonymous] to skip authorization or Enter As anonymous

Example:

2- Action Filter

The action filter is one of the most common ways to build your own custom filter in ASP.NET Core.

When you want to create a filter that **runs code before and/or after your action method**, you typically implement:

- IActionFilter (for synchronous code)
- or IAsyncActionFilter (for async code)

This allows you to **inject custom behavior** around the **action method execution**.

Why would We use an Action Filter?

To **reduce repetitive code** by handling things like:

- Logging
- Validation
- Modifying input/output



- Measuring execution time
- Adding headers, etc.

Instead of repeating this logic in every action, you write it once in a filter.

Example:

```
public class LogActionFilter : Attribute, IActionFilter
{
    public void OnActionExecuting(ActionExecutingContext context)
    {
        Console.WriteLine($"[Before] {context.ActionDescriptor.DisplayName}");
    }

    public void OnActionExecuted(ActionExecutedContext context)
    {
        Console.WriteLine($"[After] {context.ActionDescriptor.DisplayName}");
    }
}
```

1- OnActionExecuting

What it does:

- Runs before the action method is executed.
- This is where you can add custom logic **before the action runs** (e.g., validation, logging, modifying parameters, or even redirecting).

Parameters:

ActionExecutingContext context: This object provides information about the action being executed, such as:



- The action descriptor (details about the action method).
- The action parameters (input data passed to the action). as Key Value Pair

Typical Use Cases:

- Validation: Check if the data passed into the action is valid.
- Logging: Log the start of the action execution.
- Authorization checks: Ensure the user has the right permissions.
- Modify input data: Manipulate action arguments before the action runs.

2 OnActionExecuted

What it does:

- Runs after the action method has executed, but before the result is executed (i.e., before the action's return value is processed by any result filters or sent back to the client).
- This is where you can perform post-action processing (e.g., logging the result, modifying the result, error handling).

Parameters:

- ActionExecutedContext context: This object provides information about the executed action:
 - The action descriptor (details about the executed action).
 - The action result (the result returned by the action, such as ViewResult, JsonResult, etc.).

Typical Use Cases:

- Logging: Log the completion of the action execution.
- Error handling: Handle or log any errors that occurred during the action execution.
- Modifying the action result: Change the result returned by the action before it is processed further.



if Used one method of them, don't make the other throw an Exception

3-Result Filters

What they do:

Run before and after the result (e.g., a View or JSON response) is processed. Used to change the result or log view rendering.

Built-in example:

No common standalone result filters, but ResponseCache acts partly at this level.

Example:

At Home Controller:

* It controls caching behavior of the HTTP response by setting appropriate cache-related headers.

```
[ResponseCache(Duration = 0, Location = ResponseCacheLocation.None, NoStore = true)]
public IActionResult Error()
{
    return View(new ErrorViewModel { RequestId = Activity.Current?.Id ?? HttpContext.TraceIdentifier });
}
```

4- Exception Filter

Job:

- Runs when an **unhandled exception** is thrown in the action or result execution.
- Used to log, transform, or handle exceptions gracefully.



Built-in idea:

ASP.NET Core recommends middleware for global error handling now, but in MVC filters:

• [HandleError] (classic MVC) or exception filters registered in Core.

Example:

```
public class MyExceptionFilterAttribute : Attribute, IExceptionFilter
{
    public void OnException(ExceptionContext context)
    {
        Console.WriteLine("Exception caught: " + context.Exception.Message);
        context.Result = new ContentResult
        {
            Content = "An error occurred, but it was handled by a filter."
        };
        context.ExceptionHandled = true; // prevents the exception from propagating
    }
}
```

Another Example:

```
public class ErrorClassAttribute : Attribute, IExceptionFilter
{
    public void OnException(ExceptionContext context)
    {
        string msg =context.Exception.Message+ " excep";
        var viewResult = new ViewResult
        {
            ViewName = "Error",
            ViewData = new ViewDataDictionary(new EmptyModelMetadataProvider(), new ModelStateDictionary())
        };
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```

```
viewResult.ViewData["msg"] = msg;
context.Result = viewResult;
}
```

We must Inherit First from Attribute class then IExceptionFilter interface, to use it as attribute

At Controller:

```
[ErrorClass]
public IActionResult TestError()
{
    throw new Exception("Test exception");
}
```

Note:*

ViewName = "Error" means using Error View that is at Shred File

To use Filter for all actions at different Controllers (For Application):

At Program.cs

```
builder.Services.AddControllersWithViews(option =>
{
    option.Filters.Add(new MyExceptionFilter());
});
```

Think of it like this:



Step	Happens when	Example	Filter Type(s)
1	Before action logic	Logging, authorization, model manipulation	OnActionExecuting (in IActionFilter / IAsyncActionFilter)
2	After action method returns	Modify returned data or check exceptions	OnActionExecuted (in IActionFilter / IAsyncActionFilter)
3	Before View rendering	Change ViewData, swap ViewName, log info	OnResultExecuting (in IResultFilter / IAsyncResultFilter)
4	After View is rendered and sent	Cleanup, log completion, post- processing	OnResultExecuted (in IResultFilter / IAsyncResultFilter)



Table	Class	Service	REposiroty	Context
Employee DEpartment		EmployeeService DeptService	EmployeeRepository DEptRepositoy	ITIContext
User Role	1	UserManager RoleManager	UserStore RoleStore	IdentityDbContext

- Sometimes We need to add layer between Repository and model called Service to make mapping
- We Need To Know What Are Identity Classes?
 In ASP.NET Core Identity, Microsoft provides a set of built-in classes that help you manage authentication and authorization out of the box.

The **core classes** are:

Class	Purpose	
IdentityUser	Represents a user account (e.g., a person who logs in).	
IdentityRole	Represents a role (e.g., Admin, User, Manager).	
IdentityDbContext	The Entity Framework DbContext that contains the tables to store users, roles, etc.	
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Class	Purpose
UserManager <tuser></tuser>	A service to create, update, delete, and manage users.
RoleManager <trole></trole>	A service to create, update, delete, and manage roles.
SignInManager <tuser></tuser>	Handles login, logout, and authentication logic && Stores the user's claims in the cookie for future requests.
UserStore <tuser></tuser>	Implements IUserStore and works with EF Core to save users in DB.
RoleStore <trole></trole>	Implements IRoleStore and works with EF Core to save roles in DB.

then:

UserManager--(deals with)-->UserStore--(deals with)-->IdentityDBContext

IdentityUser has:

```
public class IdentityUser
    public string Id { get; set; }
                                                        // Unique user ID (usually a GUID)
    public string UserName { get; set; }
                                                        // The user's login name
    public string NormalizedUserName { get; set; }
                                                        // Normalized version of UserName
    public string Email { get; set; }
                                                        // The user's email address
    public string NormalizedEmail { get; set; }
                                                        // Normalized version of Email
    public bool EmailConfirmed { get; set; }
                                                        // True if email is confirmed
    public string PasswordHash { get; set; }
                                                        // Hashed password
    public string SecurityStamp { get; set; }
                                                        // Used to invalidate sessions
    public string ConcurrencyStamp { get; set; }
                                                        // For optimistic concurrency checks
    public string PhoneNumber { get; set; }
                                                       // User's phone number
    public bool PhoneNumberConfirmed { get; set; }
                                                        // True if phone number is confirmed
    public bool TwoFactorEnabled { get; set; }
                                                       // Is 2FA enabled
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    public DateTimeOffset? LockoutEnd { get; set; }
                                                        // Lockout expiration date
```

```
public bool LockoutEnabled { get; set; } // Can the user be locked out
public int AccessFailedCount { get; set; } // Number of failed access attempts
}
```

• In IdentityUser, the Id property is inherited directly from the base class and is used as the primary key for each user in the database.

Where is 1d Defined?

It's defined like this:

```
public class IdentityUser<TKey> where TKey : IEquatable<TKey>
{
   public virtual TKey Id { get; set; }
   ...
}
```

• When you use the non-generic version IdentityUser (i.e., IdentityUser without <TKey>), it defaults to string:

```
public class IdentityUser : IdentityUser<string>
{
    public IdentityUser()
      {
       Id = Guid.NewGuid().ToString();
       SecurityStamp = Guid.NewGuid().ToString();
    }
}
```

Extending IdentityUser (Adding Your Own Attributes):



If you need extra **custom fields** (e.g., FullName, DateOfBirth), you can **inherit** from IdentityUser and Make a New Class to follow Open for Extend Close for Modification:

```
public class ApplicationUser : IdentityUser
{
    public string FullName { get; set; }
    public DateTime DateOfBirth { get; set; }
}
```

- Now We Have 2 Data bases :
 - 1 IdentityDbContext
 - 2- Ower Default Data base (ITIContext)

To Solve it We make ITIContext Inherit From IdentityDbContext

```
public class ITIContext:IdentityDbContext<ApplicationUser>
{
   public DbSet<Employee> Employee { get; set; }
   public DbSet<Department> Department { get; set; }

   //
   public ITIContext() : base()
   {
   }

   public ITIContext(DbContextOptions options) : base(options)
   {
        // Required
        protected override void OnModelCreating(ModelBuilder modelBuilder)
        {
            base.OnModelCreating(modelBuilder);
        }
}
```



```
}
}
```

- We Make it Generic to Apply New Attributes (Attribute For Generic Must inherit from identityDbContext)
- After that we add migration and add update the database
- Now We Finished Our Classes and DataBase

We will make the Controller and ViewModel for mapping, because we don't need to enter all IdentityUser properties

. 1- ViewModel:

```
public class RegisterUserViewModel
{
    public string UserName { get; set; }

    [DataType(DataType.Password)]
    public string Password { get; set; }

    [Compare("Password")]
    [Display(Name ="Confirm Password")]
    [DataType(DataType.Password)]
    public string ConfirmPassword { get; set; }

    public string Address { get; set; }
}
```

Used For Mapping from View's Data (Request)



2- Controller :

```
public class AccountController: Controller
    private readonly UserManager<ApplicationUser> userManager;
    private readonly SignInManager<ApplicationUser> signInManager;
    public AccountController
        (UserManager<ApplicationUser> userManager,SignInManager<ApplicationUser> signInManager)
        this.userManager = userManager;
        this.signInManager = signInManager;
    [HttpPost]
    public async Task<IActionResult> SaveRegister
       (RegisterUserViewModel UserViewModel)
        if (ModelState.IsValid)
        {
            //Mapping
            ApplicationUser appUser = new ApplicationUser();
            appUser.Address = UserViewModel.Address;
            appUser.UserName = UserViewModel.UserName;
            //save database
            IdentityResult result =
                await userManager.CreateAsync(appUser, UserViewModel.Password);
            if (result.Succeeded)
                //Cookie
                await signInManager.SignInAsync(appUser, false);
                return RedirectToAction("Index");
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```

Both are injected via Dependency Injection (IoC container) and are ready to use in your controllers or services.

```
private readonly UserManager<ApplicationUser> userManager;
private readonly SignInManager<ApplicationUser> signInManager;
```

Remember:

UserManager Used For CRUD operations, SignInManager for adding Cookies

```
IdentityResult result = await userManager.CreateAsync(appUser, UserViewModel.Password);
```

- CreateAsync :
 - Adds the user to the database.
 - Automatically hashes the password and saves it securely.
 - returns IdentityResult that is a result object that tells you whether the operation succeeded or failed.
 - When you pass the password to CreateAsync(), it hashes it immediately using a secure algorithm (by default, PBKDF2 with HMAC-SHA256).
 - The result (the hash) is saved in the PasswordHash column in the AspNetUsers table.
 - It has two key members:



Property	Purpose
Succeeded	A bool : true if the user was created successfully; false if there were any errors.
Errors	A collection of IdentityError objects that explain what went wrong (if any errors).

- result tells you if it succeeded or failed.
 - Here We Add the Errors to ModelErrors

```
foreach (var item in result.Errors)
{
     ModelState.AddModelError("", item.Description);
}
```

Note: Because of CreateAsync is Async We Add await and Convert *Action To Task

SignInAsync

```
await signInManager.SignInAsync(appUser, false);
```

• Sign in the user (appUser) and create an authentication cookie to keep them logged in.

Part	Meaning	
appUser	The user object (of type ApplicationUser) you just created or fetched.	
false	This is isPersistent: it tells whether the login session (cookie) should be persistent. (The login session will end when the browser is closed.)	

3- At Program.cs



builder.Services.AddIdentity<ApplicationUser, IdentityRole>().AddEntityFrameworkStores<ITIContext>();

- this line adds Identity services with your user (ApplicationUser) and role (IdentityRole).
- It also registers UserManager, SignInManager, RoleManager, etc. for Dependency Injection automatically.

What Does It Mean?

This code registers ASP.NET Core Identity in the dependency injection (DI) container and tells it:

1) Which classes to use for Users and Roles.

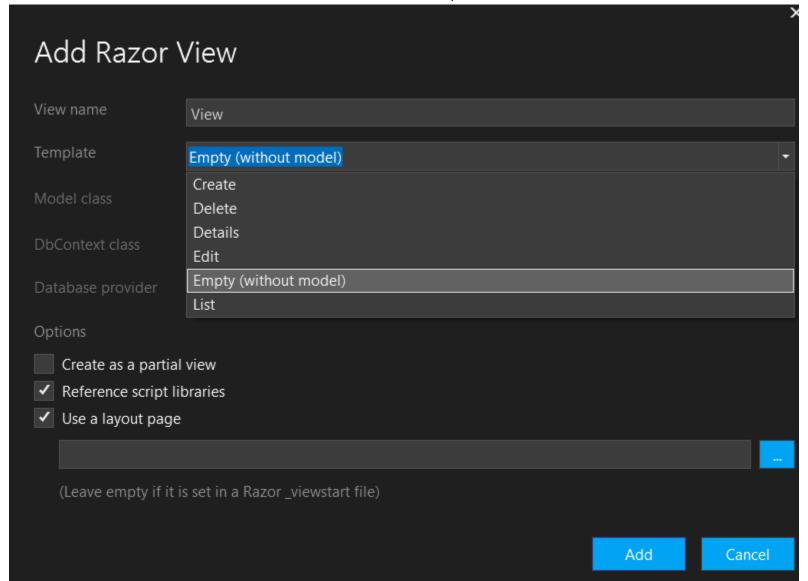
2 Which database context to use for storing Identity data.

Breaking Down Each Part:

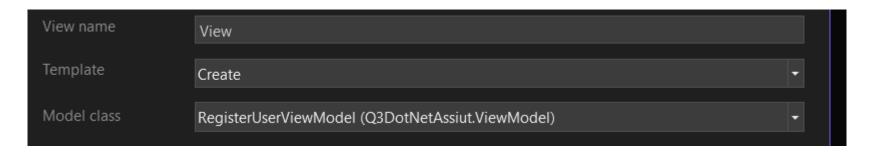
Part	Meaning
AddIdentity <applicationuser, identityrole=""></applicationuser,>	You're telling ASP.NET:
	- ApplicationUser : your custom user class (inherits from IdentityUser).
	- IdentityRole : the default class to handle roles (like Admin, User, etc.).
.AddEntityFrameworkStores <iticontext>()</iticontext>	You're telling Identity to use your Entity Framework DbContext (ITIContext) to store users/roles.



• Instead Of Build The View From Scratch We Have Built-in Template We Can Use







I chose the Template and the ViewModel That will apply for it

```
1)Install package IDentity "Microsoft.AspNetCore.Identity.EntityFrameworkCore"
2)class applicationUser:IDenitytUser
3)ITIContext:IDentityDbContext<ApplicationUser>
4)Add-migartion
5) create accountController
6) carete registerViewModel
7) REgister Action
8) register identityService in Prohram class
*/
```

- the steps that is listed form the core sequence to implement an authentication module using **ASP.NET Core Identity with Entity Framework Core**. However, to ensure your authentication module is complete and functional, :
 - 1. Install package Identity "Microsoft.AspNetCore.Identity.EntityFrameworkCore"
 - 2. class ApplicationUser : IdentityUser
 - 3. ITIContext: IdentityDbContext<ApplicationUser>



- 4. Add-migration
- 5. Create AccountController (Adding user manager, sign in manager by DI)
- 6. Create RegisterViewModel
- 7. Register Action
- 8. Register IdentityService in Program class

Note:

Identity For Password Has Some Strict Condition like :

Password Requirements:

- Minimum 6 characters
- At least one non-alphanumeric character (e.g., !, @, #, etc.)
- At least one digit (0-9)
- At least one uppercase letter (A-Z)
- We Can edit these requirements by (At Program.cs):

```
builder.Services.AddIdentity<ApplicationUser, IdentityRole>(option =>
{
    option.Password.RequiredLength = 4;
    option.Password.RequireDigit = false;
    option.Password.RequireNonAlphanumeric = false;
    option.Password.RequireUppercase = false;
}).AddEntityFrameworkStores<ITIContext>();
```

When using [Authorize] We need To use app.UseAuthentication(); middleware at programe.cs before app.UseAuthorization();

app.UseAuthorization(); :



- It checks:
 - "Does the incoming request have any authentication data like:
 - a Cookie,
 - a JWT Token,
 - or any other authentication method?"
- If it finds data:
 - It verifies it (e.g., checks if the token or cookie is valid).
 - If valid → it fills HttpContext.User with the user info (like username, roles, claims, etc.).
- If nothing is found or it's invalid :
 - The request continues with the user as Anonymous.

So, it's responsible for checking and loading who the user is.

[Authorize]:

What does it do?

• After UseAuthentication() finishes and has loaded the user info, [Authorize] comes in and says:

"Alright, the current user:

- Are they authenticated?
- Do they have the required roles or permissions (if specified)?"
- If everything is good it allows access.
- If the user is not logged in, returns 401 Unauthorized.
- If logged in but missing required role/permission, returns 403 Forbidden.
- So, it's responsible for authorizing access based on user info.
- We usually need both together if you're using [Authorize].



To summarize what you said (which is correct):

- UseAuthentication: checks if there's a cookie (or token) and verifies it.
- [Authorize]: checks the loaded user info to decide if access is allowed.
- To Make Sign out (Delete Cookies):

```
public async Task<IActionResult> SignOut()
{
    await signInManager.SignOutAsync();
    return View("Login");
}
```

Will Delete User Cookie For Identity

How We Login Again :

```
[HttpPost]
[ValidateAntiForgeryToken]
public async Task<IActionResult> SaveLogin(LoginUserViewModel userViewModel)
{
    if (ModelState.IsValid==true)
    {
        //check found
        ApplicationUser appUser=
        await userManager.FindByNameAsync(userViewModel.Name);
```



```
if (appUser != null)
{
    bool found=
        await userManager.CheckPasswordAsync(appUser, userViewModel.Password);
    if(found==true)
    {
        await signInManager.SignInAsync(appUser,userViewModel.RememberMe);
        return RedirectToAction("Index", "Department");
    }
}

ModelState.AddModelError("", "Username OR PAssword wrong");
//create cookie
}
return View("Login", userViewModel);
}
```

```
ApplicationUser appUser=

await userManager.FindByNameAsync(userViewModel.Name);
```

• it returns the User of ApplicationUser type if Found it, if not will return null

```
bool found= await userManager.CheckPasswordAsync(appUser, userViewModel.Password);
```

Make Re-hash For Password and compare it

Controllers in ASP.NET Core inherit some properties from the ControllerBase or Controller class (depending on the type
of controller). These properties are automatically available to the controller without any additional setup. Specifically:

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1- ViewData

- 3 User, Type: ClaimsPrincipal
 - The User property represents the current authenticated user. It contains information about the user's identity and claims (like roles, email, etc.), If No Authentication Found it Becomes Null
 - Inheritance: User is inherited from ControllerBase (which is the base class for controllers).
 - ClaimsPrincipal:

In ASP.NET Core, **ClaimsPrincipal** is the class used to represent the **current authenticated user** and contains all the claims associated with that user. The claims provide key information about the user, such as their roles, email address, and any other custom attributes related to their identity.

- ClaimsPrincipal provides:
 - 1 Identity: Basic information about the user (like username).
 - 2 Claims: A collection of key-value pairs containing the user's information, such as roles, permissions, email, etc.

Example:

```
return Content("Welcome Guest");
}
```

- User.Identity.IsAuthenticated == true Used To Get The Authentication like `[Authorize]
- string name = User.Identity.Name; used to get the Name
- . To Get Other Properties by :
 - We Deal With User as context, Claims as Class in it, then use the needed property
 - Claims returns Type of IEnumerable
 - NameIdentifier is part of standard identity claims but "UserAddress" is A Custom Claim

Example:

1 Identity:

```
User.Identity.IsAuthenticated;
User.Identity.Name;
User.Identity.AuthenticationType;
```

2 Claims:

Claim Type	ClaimTypes Constant	Example Value
Name	ClaimTypes.Name	jdoe
Name Identifier (User ID)	ClaimTypes.NameIdentifier	12345
Email	ClaimTypes.Email	jdoe@example.com
Role	ClaimTypes.Role	Admin
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Claim Type	ClaimTypes Constant	Example Value
Given Name	ClaimTypes.GivenName	John
Surname	ClaimTypes.Surname	Doe
Date of Birth	ClaimTypes.DateOfBirth	1990-01-01
Gender	ClaimTypes.Gender	Male
Mobile Phone	ClaimTypes.MobilePhone	+1234567890
Country	ClaimTypes.Country	US
Locality (City)	ClaimTypes.Locality	New York
Street Address	ClaimTypes.StreetAddress	123 Main St
Postal Code	ClaimTypes.PostalCode	10001
Website	ClaimTypes.Webpage	https://example.com
Authentication Method	ClaimTypes.AuthenticationMethod	Password
Security Stamp (if using ASP.NET Identity)	Custom, often named "AspNet.Identity.SecurityStamp"	(GUID)

How Can We Add Custom Claims

- 1 Make Collection of Claims
- 2 Add needed Claim to created collection
- 3 use SignInWithClaimsAsync and add Appuser, boolen for long term cookie and collection of claims

```
List<Claim> Claims = new List<Claim>();
Claims.Add(new Claim("UserAddress",appUser.Address));
await signInManager.SignInWithClaimsAsync(appUser, userViewModel.RememberMe, Claims);
```

To get it :



```
var userAddress = User.FindFirst("UserAddress")?.Value;
//or
Claim AddressClaim = User.Claims.FirstOrDefault(c => c.Type == "UserAddress");
```

How Can Add Role

- To Add Role to DataBase We Use IdentityRole so we Make an inject for it at Controller
- then:

```
IdentityRole role = new IdentityRole();
role.Name = "Admin";
IdentityResult result= await roleManager.CreateAsync(role);
if (result.Succeeded == true)
{
    ViewBag.sucess = true;
    return View("AddRole");
}

foreach (var item in result.Errors)
{
    ModelState.AddModelError("", item.Description);
}
//code
```

Add Role To User

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```
if (result.Succeeded)
{
    //assign to role
    await userManager.AddToRoleAsync(appUser, "Admin");
    // or
    await userManager.AddToRolesAsync(appUser, new[] { "Admin", "Manager" });
    //Cookie
    await signInManager.SignInAsync(appUser, false);
    return RedirectToAction("Index", "Department");
}
```

• If you want to **restrict access** so that **only users in the Admin role** can access a controller or an action, you use:

```
[Authorize(Roles = "Admin")]
public class AdminController : Controller
{
    public IActionResult Dashboard()
        {
            return View();
        }
}
```

To check if User Has a specific Role

```
if (User.IsInRole("Admin")){}
```

When you assign a role to a user (e.g., with AddToRoleAsync):

- A new record is created in the AspNetUserRoles table.
- This table acts as a **join table** between:
 - AspNetUsers (your users)
 - AspNetRoles (your roles)



So, it creates a foreign key relationship between the user and the role.

At login time:

- The system queries that table to find out which roles the user belongs to (following those foreign key links).
- It creates claims for each role and loads them into the user's identity (ClaimsPrincipal).
- Those claims are stored in the authentication cookie (or token).
- Roles → Claims → ClaimsPrincipal → User.
- On every request:
 - The ClaimsPrincipal is rebuilt from the cookie/token and made available via User in controllers.

After login:

When you call:

```
User.lsInRole("Admin")
```

- it does NOT hit the database.
- Instead, it checks the user's already-loaded claims (from the cookie/session) to see if "Admin" is there.

Important reminder:

If you assign a role to a user **after they've already logged in**, the user won't see the new role until they **log out and log in again**, unless you force the claims to refresh.



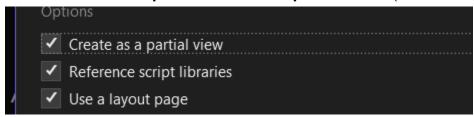
Day 9

1- Partial View:

- A small, reusable Razor view.
- Included in a larger view to render part of the page.
 - Think of it like a view without its own layout (no full page structure).
- Often used for:
 - Reusable UI pieces (e.g., a product card, menu, footer).
 - Keeping code clean and modular.
 - Loading content dynamically via AJAX (e.g., updating a section without full reload).

How to create:

- The process is the same as creating a normal view.
- ✓ Just check the option "Create as a partial view" (in Visual Studio, for example).



it is recommended to start partial view with " _ " like `_EmoCard.cshtml

@model Employee



```
<h2>@Model.DepartmentID</h2>
<h2>@Model.Salary</h2>
<h2>@Model.Address</h2>
```

Why you don't include things like:

- ViewData
- <head> tags
- <script> or <link> includes (like jQuery, CSS)

Because:

- The partial view is injected into a main view.
- The main view already has the full layout:
 - HTML <head> , <body> , title, scripts, styles, etc.
- The partial view is meant to focus only on the small section of content it is responsible for.
- As we see it can easy take a Model
- To include a Partial View in the Main View:

1 sing HTML Helper:

```
@Html.Partial("_NavPartial")
```

OR (recommended for async):

```
@await Html.PartialAsync("_NavPartial")
```

OR using **RenderPartial** (writes directly to the output stream):



```
@{
Html.RenderPartial("_NavPartial");
//or
await Html.RenderPartialAsync("_NavPartial");
}
```

✓ Notes:

- Html.Partial() returns an IHtmlContent (you output it).
- Html.RenderPartial() writes directly to the response stream (slightly more efficient but less flexible in Razor pages).

Sing Tag Helper (recommended for Razor Pages and MVC):

```
<partial name="_NavPartial" />
```

Note:

by default A partial view will inherit the model from the parent (main) view unless you explicitly pass a different model.

- What if you want to pass a different model?

You can **explicitly pass a model** when rendering:

1- By Tag Helper:

```
<partial name="_EmployeeDetails" model="Model.EmployeeDetails" />
```



model is an attribute, then pass it the new model you need

2- By Html Helper:

```
@await Html.PartialAsync("_EmployeeDetails", Model.EmployeeDetails);
```

At Action I Can Return a partial view :

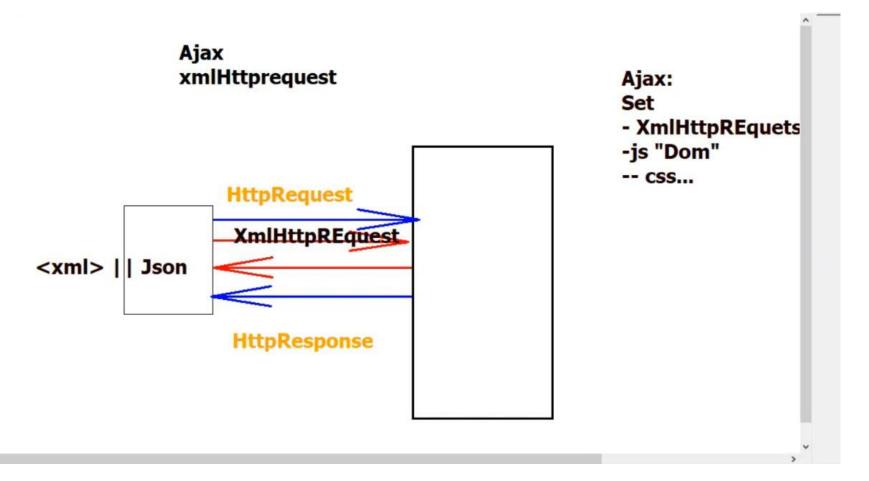
```
public IActionResult EmpCardPartial(int id)
{
return         PartialView("_EmpCard",EmployeeRepository.GetById(id));//Model=Null
}
```

We have a Question why we return a partial view?

We return a partial view:

- When we don't want to refresh the whole page
 - → This is where **AJAX** comes in: you send an AJAX request, and the server returns **only the partial view**, which JavaScript injects into the page dynamically.
- When we want to reuse a small, specific part of the UI in multiple places
 - → Even without AJAX, you can render partial views inside other views to avoid repeating code.





AJAX Request

• it's used to update part of the page without reloading the whole thing.

But technically:

- The HTTP request itself is a full request.
 - When you send an AJAX request using XMLHttpRequest, it goes through the full HTTP pipeline:
 - The browser sends full HTTP headers, cookies, and body (if applicable).
 - The server (like ASP.NET) sees it as a normal HTTP request.
- What makes it feel "partial" is how you handle the response on the client side.
 - Instead of reloading the whole page (like with a normal form submission),



You use JavaScript to update just part of the page (e.g., a <div>, a table, a form section)

XmlHttpRequest:

- → This is the JavaScript object that creates and manages AJAX requests. and received XML or JSON
- js "Dom":
 - → After the response is received, **JavaScript updates the DOM (HTML content)** dynamically.
- · CSS:
 - → You can also manipulate CSS (styles) as part of the dynamic update.

Aspect	Normal HTTP Request	AJAX (XMLHttpRequest / Partial Request)	
Request type	Full HTTP request	Full HTTP request	
How it's sent	Browser reload or form submit	JavaScript sends it (in background)	
Page reload?	Yes, whole page reloads	No, page stays as is	
What updates on the page?	Entire page is replaced with server response	Only parts of the page are updated via JavaScript	
Example	Submitting a contact form that reloads the page	Submitting a form and showing success without reload	
Headers & body	Full HTTP headers and body	Full HTTP headers and body	
Use case	Full page navigation	Dynamic page updates (e.g., live search, chat updates)	

To implement Ajax:

```
@model List<Employee>
@{
    ViewData["Title"] = "Index";
}
<h1>Index</h1>
<a asp-action="New" asp-controller="Employee">NEw</a>
```



```
<div id="div1" style="border:2px solid blue"></div>
ID
     Name
     SAlary
     @foreach (var item in Model)
     @item.ld
        @item.Name
        @item.Salary
        href="/Employee/Edit/@item.Id">Edit</a>
           <a
        onclick="GetEmpData(@item.Id)">Details</a>
              href="/Employee/EmpCardPartial/@item.Id"
        }
<script src="~/lib/jquery/dist/jquery.js" ></script>
<script>
  function GetEmpData(EmpID) {
     event.preventDefault();
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```

```
//Ajax Call Endpont using jquery
$.ajax({
    url: "/Employee/EmpCardPartial/" + EmpID,
    success: function (result) {
        console.log(result);
        $("#div1").html(result);
    }
});
```

- 1 We make a div with id="div1" to get the partial view on it
- 2 to use client side we used JS and Jquery, so we uploaded Jquery
- 3 We used event.preventDefault(); → to stop the anchor tag's default behavior (which is to make a full-page HTTP request to the href URL).
- 4 using Ajax Call by Jquery by a popular ready code:

```
$.ajax({
    url: "/Employee/EmpCardPartial/" + EmpID,
    success: function (result) {
        console.log(result);
        $("#div1").html(result);
    }
});
```

- We put Wanted URL that doing fetch from ,and Dom for Wanted Div
- So We have made an ajax Call



Example using AJAX:

- 1- I want to make 2 drop-down lists , one for Department and other for Employees at selected department
- 1 I load all Departments at Model
- 2 add method for Employee to return all Department Id
- 3 at department I return all employee result as a JSON file
- 4 use Jquery and JS to make Partial Request
- 1 Employee

```
public List<Employee> GetByDEptID(int deptID)
{
    return context.Employee.Where(e=>e.DepartmentID== deptID).ToList();
}
```

2 at Department Controller

```
public IActionResult GetEmpsByDEptId(int deptId)
{
    List<Employee> EmpList= EmployeeREpo.GetByDEptID(deptId);
    return Json(EmpList);
}
```

3 at Department View

```
@model List<Department>
@{
    ViewData["Title"] = "DeptEmps";
}
<h1>DeptEmps</h1>
```



```
<select id="DeptId" name="DeptID" class="form form-control" onchange="GetEmp()">
    @foreach(var deptItem in Model){
        <option value="@deptItem.Id">@deptItem.Name</option>
   }
</select>
<br />
<select id="Emps" name="Emps" class="form form-control">
</select>
<script src="~/lib/jquery/dist/jquery.min.js"></script>
<script>
    function GetEmp() {
        var deptID= document.getElementById("DeptId").value;
        var empElement = document.getElementById("Emps");
        empElement.innerHTML = "";
        console.log(deptID);
        //Ajax call json
        $.ajax({
            url: "/DEpartment/GetEmpsByDEptId?deptId=" + deptID
            , success: function (result) {
                console.log(result)
                for (let emp of result) {
                    empElement.innerHTML += "<option value="" + emp.id + "">" + emp.name + "</option>";
                }
        });
</script>
```



• First We Loaded All Departments, and use onChange() to every time I change the selected department I load it's employees by GetEmp() function

Then We make an Empty Select To load all Employee Related To Selected Department

```
<select id="Emps" name="Emps" class="form form-control"></select>
```

We use Jquery

```
<script src="~/lib/jquery/dist/jquery.min.js"></script>
<script>
   function GetEmp() {
       var deptID= document.getElementById("DeptId").value;
       var empElement = document.getElementById("Emps");
       empElement.innerHTML = "";
       console.log(deptID);
       //Ajax call ison
        $.ajax({
            url: "/DEpartment/GetEmpsByDEptId?deptId=" + deptID
            , success: function (result) {
                console.log(result)
                for (let emp of result) {
                    empElement.innerHTML += "<option value="" + emp.id + "">" + emp.name + "</option>";
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            }
```

```
});
}
</script>
```

result is the data returned by the server when the AJAX request completes successfully.

Here's what happens step-by-step:

- 1. The browser sends a request to /DEpartment/GetEmpsByDEptId?deptId=....
- 2. Your server handles that request and returns a response—usually JSON if you're dealing with data.
- 3. result holds that response data (e.g., an array of employee objects like [{ id: 1, name: 'Alice' }, ...]).
- 4. I Add The response values to the empty select

Routing

What is Routing:
 routing refers to the system that maps incoming HTTP requests to specific code—typically controllers, actions,
 Razor pages, or endpoints.

What it means:

- When a user visits a URL like /products/details/5, routing figures out which controller and action (or page) should handle that request.
- The routing system parses the URL and binds parameters (like the 5 in the example) to your method's parameters.

Routing is doing by 2 types:

- 1 convention-based routing :You can use convention-based routing (via route templates like $\{controller\}/\{action\}/\{id?\}$)
- 2 attribute routing (via [Route()] attributes).



1- Convention-based routing

- We need to know about URL
 - 1 / → called a delimiter
 - 2 /.../ or /emp/ → called Segmrnt
- so , Convention-based routing means:
- You define a general pattern (a convention) that tells ASP.NET how to map URLs to controller actions.
- URLs that follow this pattern automatically map to your code without needing special route definitions for each one.
- pattern

```
pattern: "{controller}/{action}/{id?}"
```

- $\{\text{controller}\} \rightarrow \text{the name of the controller (minus Controller)}.$
- {action} → the method (action) inside that controller.
- {id?} → an optional parameter (like a record ID).
- the **pattern** can include:
- 1 laceholders
- 2 iterals

1 laceholders (Route Parameters)

These are **variable parts** of the URL, written inside { }.

- → Examples:
- {controller}



- {action}
- {id}

What they do:

- Capture part of the URL and map it to a value.
- Are **dynamic**—they change based on what's in the URL.

Example pattern:

```
`"{controller}/{action}/{id?}"`
```

URL: /Products/Details/5

Part of the URL	Placeholder it matches	
Products	{controller}	
Details	{action}	
5	{id}	

2 Literals (Fixed Parts)

These are hardcoded parts of the pattern. They are static and must exactly match part of the URL.

→ Examples:

shop



- products
- api

What they do:

- Must be present in the URL exactly as written.
- Are **not dynamic**—if the literal doesn't match, the route won't match.

To enable routing, you need to call:

```
app.UseRouting();
```

This **adds the routing middleware** to the pipeline. It tells ASP.NET Core:

"We are going to process incoming URLs and match them to routes."

Without UseRouting(), no routing will work.

- then We can customize our Routing
- Example:

At Program .cs

At Route Controller

```
public IActionResult Method2()
{
```



```
return Content("M2");
}
```

The **first parameter** of MapControllerRoute() is a **name for the route**. In this case, "Route2" is simply a **name** for the route being defined, it must be unique.

Here's how it breaks down:

- 1. "Route2" This is the **name** of the route. It's an identifier that you can use to reference or manage this route later, but it doesn't affect the URL matching directly. It's mainly for internal reference.
- 2. "R2" This is the URL pattern that will be used to match incoming requests. So, any request to /R2 will be mapped to this route.
- 3. **new { controller = "Route", action = "Method2" }** This part defines the **controller** and **action** that will be invoked when the route is matched:

Controller: RouteController

Action: Method2

4. We can Directly Write for the URL /R2/ then Will go to Wanted Method

How Does It Work?

- When someone visits /R2 in the browser, this route is triggered.
- The request will then be directed to the RouteController and will invoke the Method2 action inside that controller.
- if the method receives an attribute like :

```
public IActionResult Method2(string name)
{
    return Content("M2");
}
```

we use:



- attribute must be same name as called in url
- We Can Add constrains like:

Constraint	Description	Example
alpha	Matches uppercase or lowercase Latin alphabet characters (a-z, A-Z)	{x:alpha}
bool	Matches a Boolean value.	{x:bool}
datetime	Matches a DateTime value.	{x:datetime}
decimal	Matches a decimal value.	{x:decimal}
double	Matches a 64-bit floating-point value.	{x:double}
float	Matches a 32-bit floating-point value.	{x:float}
guid	Matches a GUID value.	{x:guid}
int	Matches a 32-bit integer value.	{x:int}
length	Matches a string with the specified length or within a specified range.	$\{x: length(6)\}, \{x: length(1,20)\}$
long	Matches a 64-bit integer value.	{x:long}
max	Matches an integer with a maximum value.	{x:max(10)}
maxlength	Matches a string with a maximum length.	<pre>{x:maxlength(10)}</pre>
min	Matches an integer with a minimum value.	{x:min(10)}
minlength	Matches a string with a minimum length.	{x:minlength(10)}
range	Matches an integer within a range of values.	{x:range(10,50)}
regex	Matches a regular expression.	{x:regex(^\d{3}-\d{3}-\d{4}\$)}

• like:



 makes third segment name must be same for for method attribute like :

```
public IActionResult Method2(string name)
{
    return Content("M2");
}
```

- Will pass attribute value by /name
- · We can also make segment is optional like

- we should make optional segment the last segment
- we can make default value for the segment by :



Note:

Most Customized Route must be first then we put default Route

•

```
app.MapControllerRoute("Route2", "R2/{controller}/{action}");
```

Here We can use Controller, Action For URL, it is the default for Microsoft so, We can put it at last

2- Attribute-based routing (also called attribute routing)

1- before the Action

```
[Route("M1/{age:int}/{name?}",Name ="R1")]
public IActionResult Method1()//string name,int age)
{
    return Content("M1");
}
```

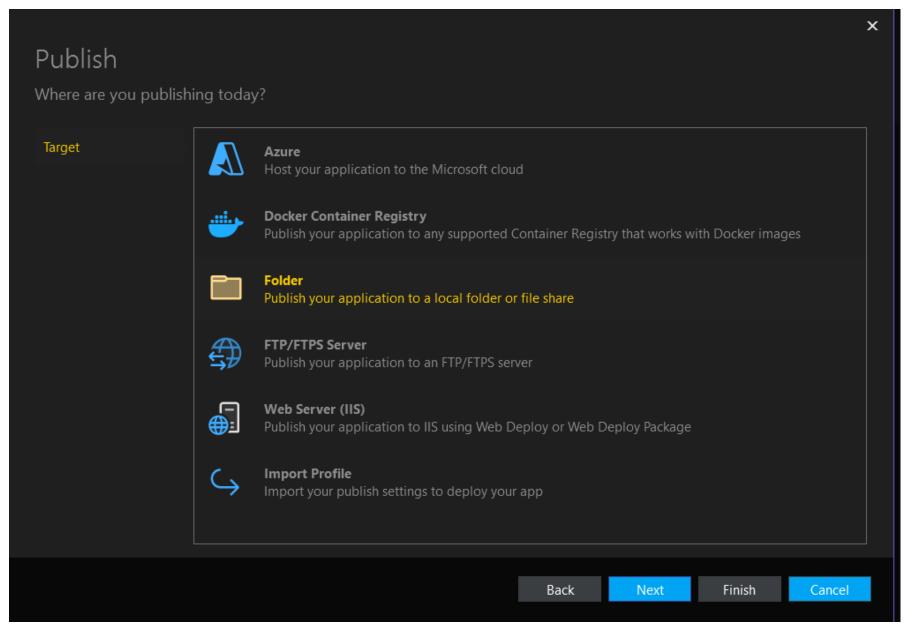
- 1 it takes the Routed URL, and name of Route
 - Note:
- **Attribute-based routing: used Most For API
- 2 Convention-based routing: Used Most For MVC

How Can I Make Deployment

1- Right Click on project name

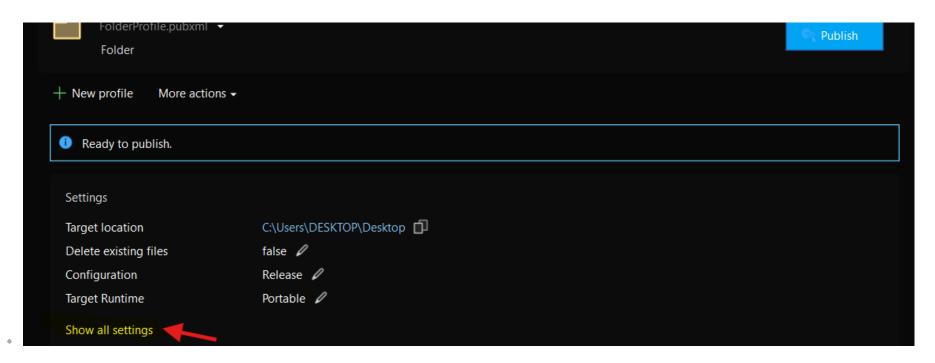


- 2 choose publish
- 3 choose Folder if we don't Have Azure or Docker



- 4 then choose location
- 5 choose setting





Deployment Mode: Framework-dependent

Framework-dependent

Self-contained

Target Runtime:

• 6- We have 2 options :

- 1 Framework-dependent :if host has the runtime
- 2 Self-contained: download all runtime requirement if host does not have the runtime
- 7-click save.

• Finally We Finished $(^{-})$



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