

Angular

Http service





REGISTER HTTP SERVICE IN NGMODULE

The HttpModule is not a core Angular module. It's Angular's optional approach to web access and it exists as a separate add-on module called @angular/http, shipped in a separate script file as part of the Angular npm package.

```
@NgModule({
  imports: [
    BrowserModule,
    FormsModule,
    HttpModule
  declarations: [
    AppComponent,
    HeroDetailComponent,
    HeroesComponent,
  providers: [ HeroService ],
  bootstrap: [AppComponent]
})
export class AppModule { }
```



GET INFORMATION FROM SERVER IN COMPONENT

```
private heroesUrl = '/heroes'; // URL to web api
constructor(private http: Http) { }
getHeroes(): Promise<Hero[]> {
  return this.http.get(this.heroesUrl).toPromise()
    .then(response => response.json() as Hero[])
    .catch(this.handleError);
private handleError(error: any): Promise<any> {
  return Promise.reject(error.message | | error);
Angular http.get returns an RxJS Observable. We use toPromise() to get promise.
heroes: Hero[];
ngOnInit() {
  this.getHeroes().then(heroes=> this.heroes = heroes);
template: `{{hero.name}}`
```



RETRIEVE VALUE BY ID

```
getHero(id: number): Promise<Hero> {
  const url = `${this.heroesUrl}/${id}`;
  return this.http.get(url)
    .toPromise()
    .then(response => response.json() as Hero)
    .catch(this.handleError);
selectedHero: Hero;
openHero(id:number) {
  this.getHero(id).then(hero=>this.selectedHero = hero);
Template will look this way:
ul>
  *ngFor="let hero of heroes">
    <a (click)="openHero(hero.id)">open Hero {{hero.name}} </a>
```



ADD NEW OBJECT

```
<div>
  <label>Hero name:</label> <input #heroName />
  <button (click)="add(heroName.value); heroName.value="">
    Add
  </button>
</div>
add(name: string): void {
  name = name.trim();
  if (!name) { return; }
  this.saveHero(name).then(hero => {
      this.heroes.push(hero); this.selectedHero = null; });
saveHero(name: string): Promise<Hero> {
  return this.http
    .post(this.heroesUrl, {name: name}).toPromise()
    .then(res => res.json())
    .catch(this.handleError);
```





Thank you and have a great Angular experience!





