



Service

A class with a focused purpose.

Used for features that:

- Are independent from any particular component
- Provide shared data or logic across components
- Encapsulate external interactions



Module Overview



How Does It Work?

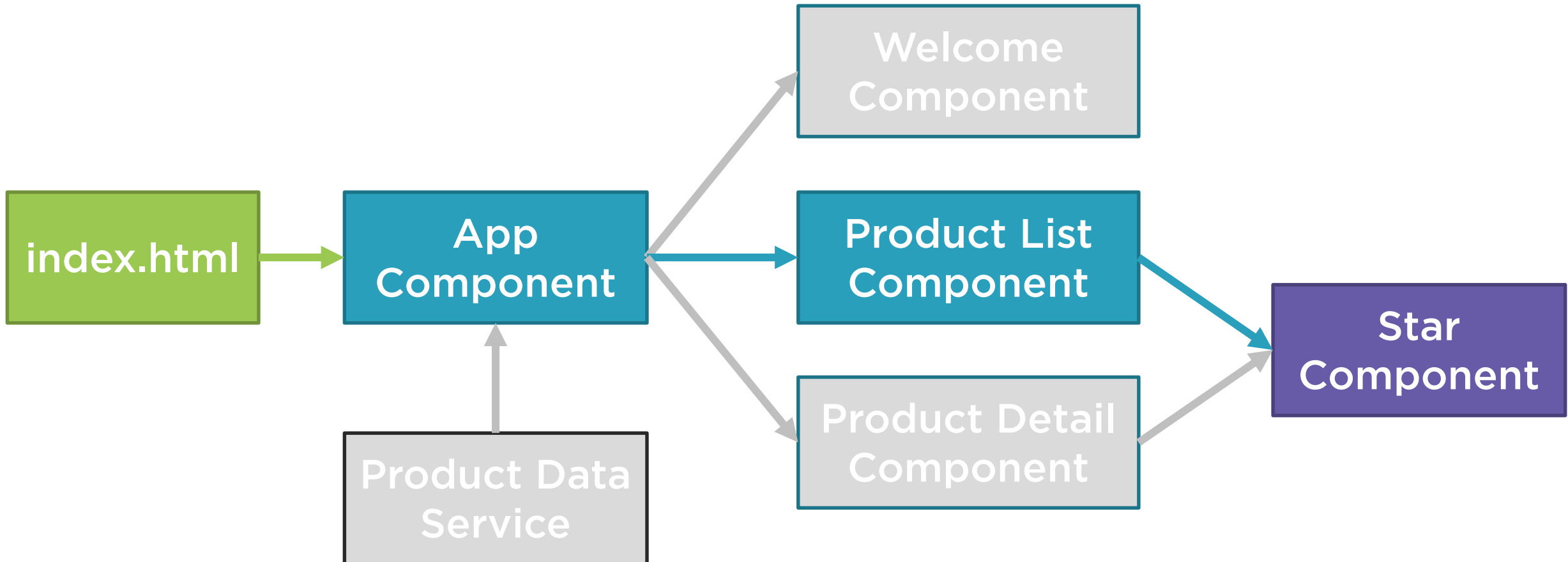
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Application Architecture



How Does It Work?

Service

```
export class myService {}
```

Component

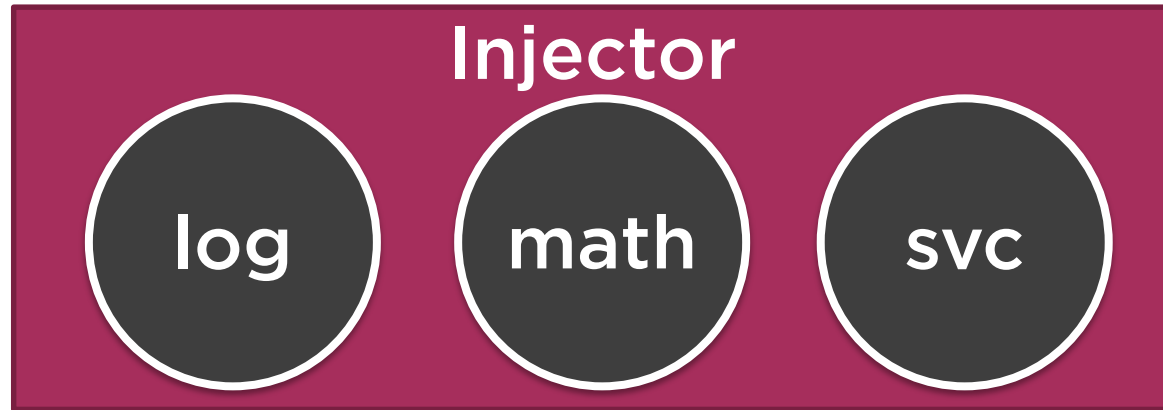
```
let svc = new myService();
```



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Component

```
constructor(private _myService) {}
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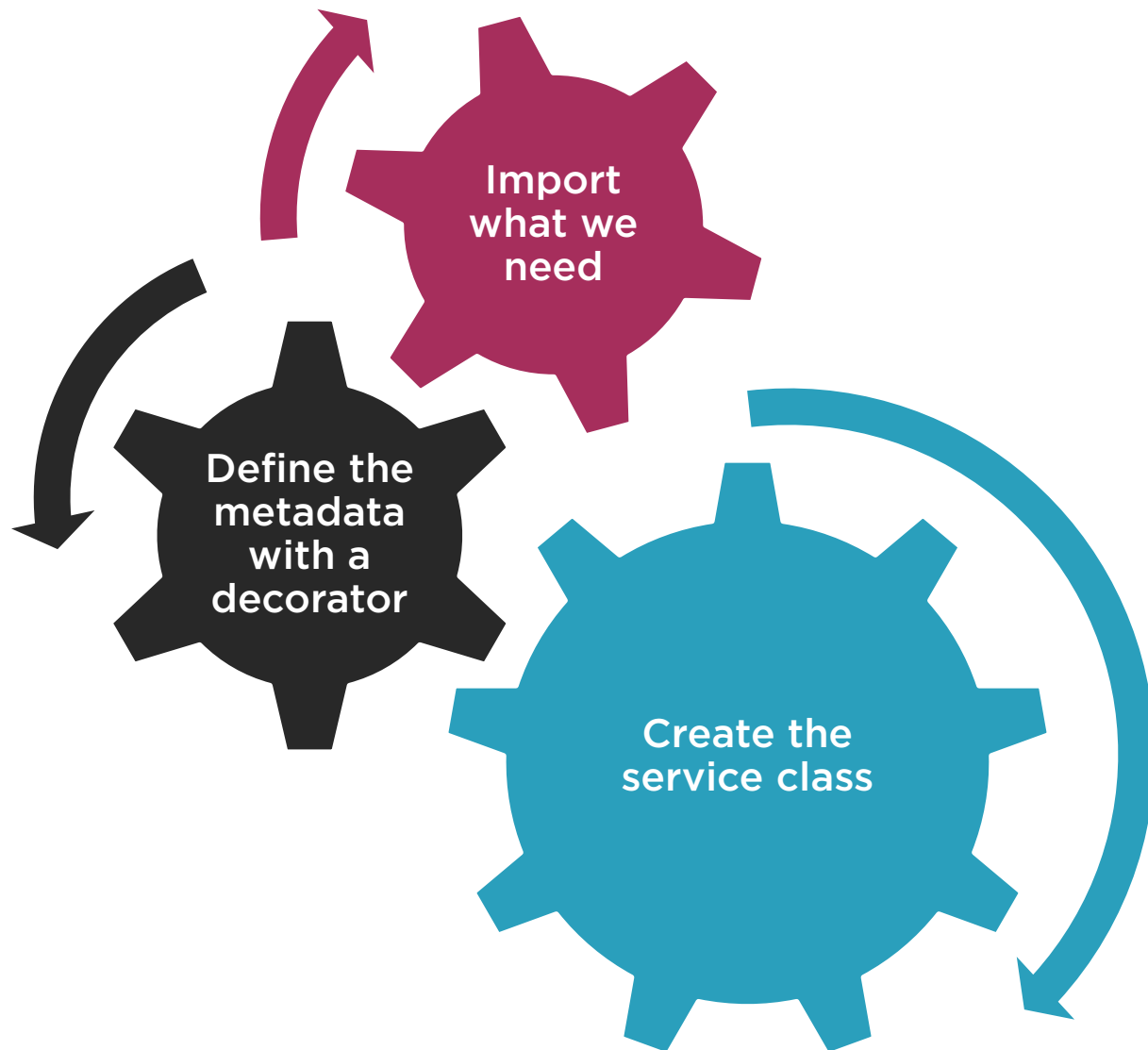


Dependency Injection

A coding pattern in which a class receives the instances of objects it needs (called **dependencies**) from an external source rather than creating them itself.



Building a Service



Building a Service

product.service.ts

```
import { Injectable } from 'angular2/core'

@Injectable()
export class ProductService {

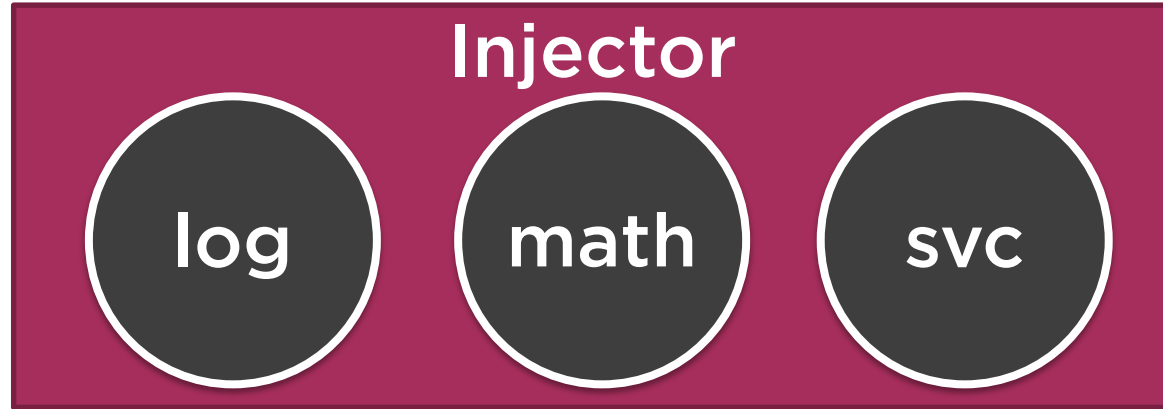
  getProducts(): IProduct[] {

  }

}
```



Registering the Service



Service

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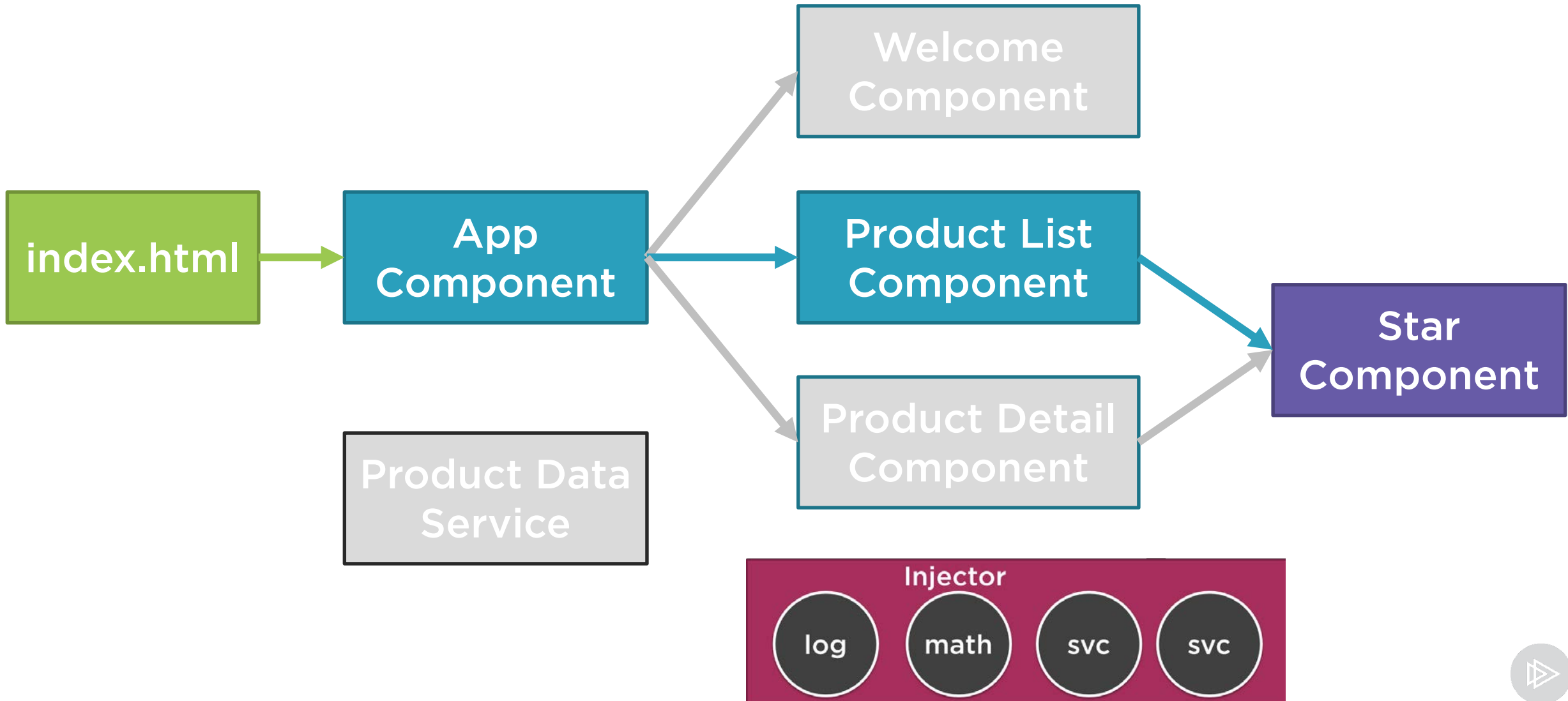
Register a provider

- Code that can create or return a service
- Typically the service class itself

Define as part of the component metadata

Injectable to component **AND** any of its children

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Registering a Provider

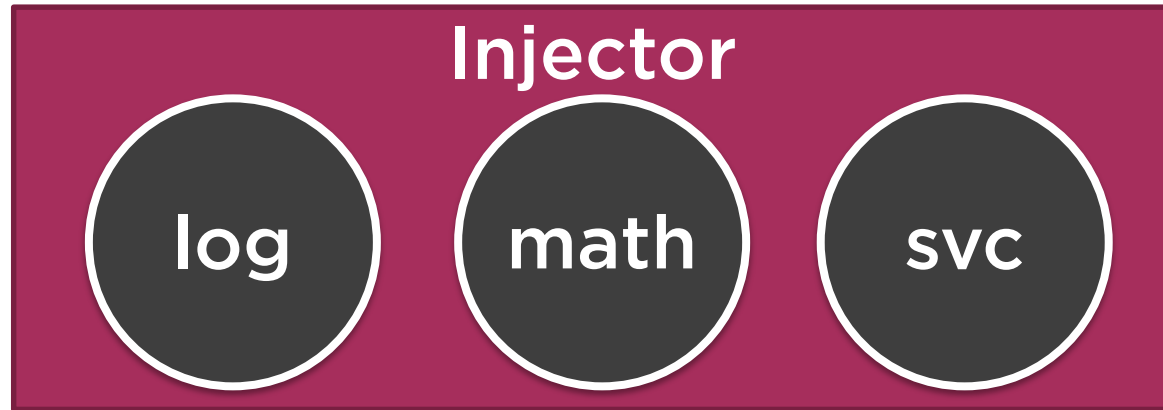
app.component.ts

```
import { ProductService } from '../products/product.service';

@Component({
  selector: 'pm-app',
  template: `
    <div><h1>{{pageTitle}}</h1>
      <pm-products></pm-products>
    </div>
  `,
  directives: [ProductListComponent],
  providers: [ProductService]
})
export class AppComponent { }
```



Injecting the Service



Service

```
export class myService {}
```

Component

```
constructor(private _myService) {}
```



Injecting the Service

product-list.component.ts

```
@Component({  
  selector: 'pm-products',  
  templateUrl: 'product-list.component.html',  
  directives: [StarComponent]  
})  
export class ProductListComponent {  
  
  constructor() {  
  }  
  
}
```



Injecting the Service

product-list.component.ts

```
import { ProductService } from '../products/product.service';

@Component({
  selector: 'pm-products',
  templateUrl: 'product-list.component.html',
  directives: [StarComponent]
})
export class ProductListComponent {
  private _productService;
  constructor(productService: ProductService) {
    _productService = productService;
  }
}
```



Injecting the Service

product-list.component.ts

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import { ProductService } from '../products/product.service';

@Component({
  selector: 'pm-products',
  templateUrl: 'product-list.component.html',
  directives: [StarComponent]
})
export class ProductListComponent {

  constructor(private _productService: ProductService) {
  }

}
```



Checklist: Creating a Service



Service class

- Clear name
- Use PascalCasing
- Append "Service" to the name
- export keyword

Service decorator

- Use Injectable
- Prefix with @; Suffix with ()

Import what we need

Checklist: Registering a Service



Select the appropriate level in the hierarchy

- Root component if service is used throughout the application
- Specific component if only that component uses the service
- Otherwise, common ancestor

Component metadata

- Set the providers property
- Pass in an array

Import what we need

Checklist: Dependency Injection







Specify the service as a dependency

Use a constructor parameter

Service is injected when component is
instantiated



Summary



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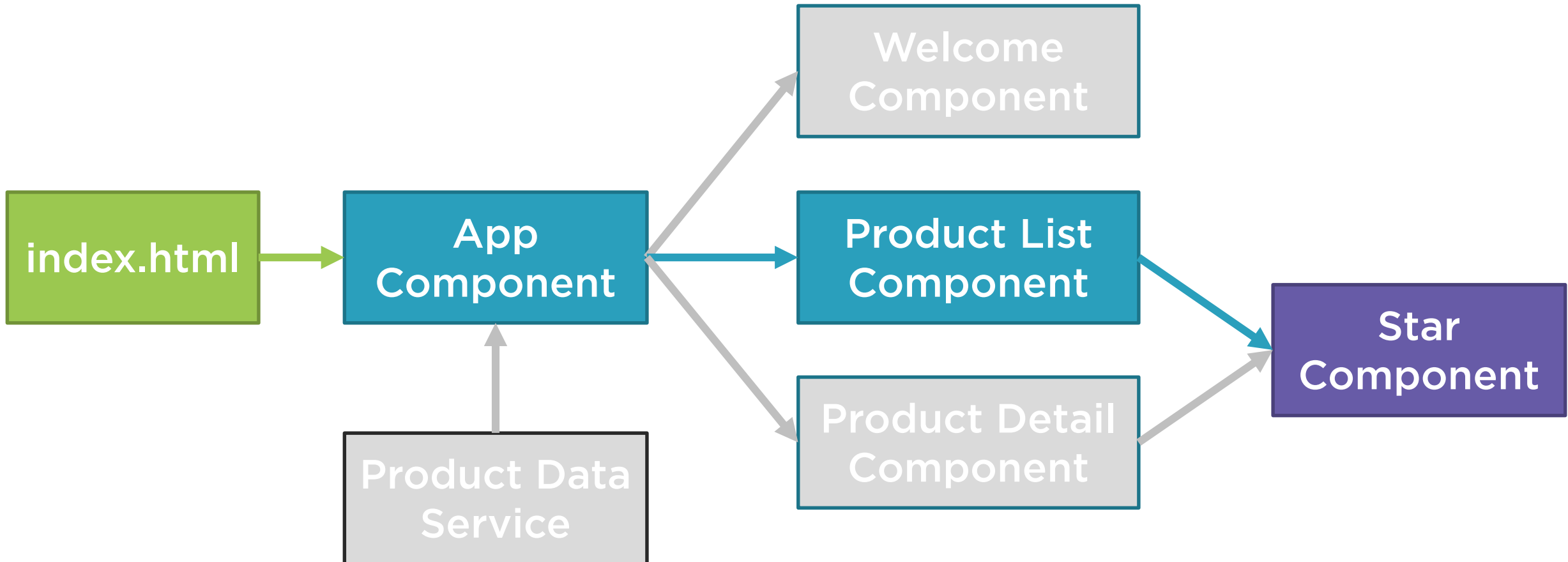
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