Module 10

What to learn

Routing module
Integrate routing with your app

Practice Exercise

Practice 1

Do the hands on from following url https://angular.io/guide/router-tutorial-toh for milestone2 and 3

Practice 2

Implement an **Auth Guard** in Angular to protect the **Admin Dashboard** (/admin) and **User Dashboard** (/user) routes. The **Admin Dashboard** should be accessible only to users with the **Admin** role, while the **User Dashboard** should be accessible to any authenticated user. Redirect unauthenticated users to the **login page** (/login) when they try to access these protected routes.

Assignment Exercise

Assignment 1

With Reference to the Dayl6 Assignment Create a Separate Module for HTML/CSS and JavaScript and do the routing accordingly.

Assignment 2

Use Case: Angular Application with Auth Guard and Lazy Loading

Scenario:

You are tasked with building an **Angular application** with multiple modules. Some modules are publicly accessible, while others require authentication to access. You will need to implement **lazy loading** for efficiency and **auth guards** to protect specific routes.

Features:

Public Routes:

Home Page (/home): Public route accessible by any user.

About Page (/about): Public route accessible by any user.

Protected Routes:

Dashboard Page (/dashboard): Only accessible to authenticated users.

Settings Page (/dashboard/settings): A child route under Dashboard, also protected.

Modules:

Public Module (PublicModule): Lazy-loaded module containing Home and About pages.

Dashboard Module (DashboardModule): Lazy-loaded module containing **Dashboard** and **Settings** pages.

Auth Module: Handles login and authentication logic.

Auth Guard:

Protect the **Dashboard** and **Settings** routes with an **Auth Guard** that checks if the user is authenticated.

If a user tries to access these routes without being authenticated, redirect them to the login page.

Login and Logout:

A login page that allows users to enter their credentials and authenticate. A logout function that clears the authentication token and redirects the user to the home page.

Route Configuration:

App Routing (app-routing.module.ts):

Set up routes for the Public Module (/home, /about) and Dashboard Module (/dashboard).

Lazy load the PublicModule for home and about pages.

Lazy load the **DashboardModule** for the dashboard and settings pages.

Protect Dashboard and Settings routes with the Auth Guard.

Function Flow:

Routing Flow:

The app-routing.module.ts file configures the routes:

The root / redirects to the public pages (Home and About). The /dashboard route is lazily loaded using loadChildren. It's protected by the **Auth Guard**.

The /dashboard/settings route is lazily loaded as a child of /dashboard, and it's also protected by the **Auth Guard**.

Auth Guard Flow:

The **AuthGuard** intercepts the navigation to protected routes (/dashboard, /dashboard/settings):

If the user is authenticated (based on a token stored in local storage), the route is activated.

If the user is not authenticated, the **AuthGuard** redirects the user to the **login page** (/login).

Login Flow:

On accessing the **login page**, the user is prompted to enter credentials (username, password).

When the user submits the login form:

The AuthService checks if the credentials are valid.

If valid, the **AuthService** stores a token in **localStorage** to mark the user as authenticated.

The user is redirected to the dashboard page (/dashboard).

If invalid, an error message is displayed, and the user stays on the login page.

Logout Flow:

When the user clicks the logout button:

The **AuthService** clears the authentication token from **localStorage**.

The user is redirected to the home page (/home).

Protected Route Flow:

If an authenticated user tries to access the **dashboard** or **settings** route directly:

The **AuthGuard** checks for the authentication token in **localStorage**.

If the token is valid, the route is activated, and the user can view the page.

If the token is not valid or absent, the user is redirected to the login page.

Implementation Steps:

Set Up App Routing (app-routing.module.ts):

Create routes for **public** and **protected** pages.

Use lazy loading for PublicModule and DashboardModule.

Implement the AuthGuard on the Dashboard and Settings routes.

Create Auth Guard (auth.guard.ts):

Implement the **AuthGuard** to protect routes.

Redirect unauthorized users to the login page.

Create Auth Service (auth.service.ts):

Implement methods for login, logout, and checking authentication status using localStorage.

Create Login Component (login.component.ts):

Implement the login form, authenticate the user, and store the authentication token.

Create Public Module (public.module.ts):

Implement the **Home** and **About** pages as lazily-loaded components. **Create Dashboard Module** (dashboard.module.ts):

Implement the **Dashboard** and **Settings** pages as lazily-loaded components.

Function Flow Diagram:

User navigates to /home or /about \rightarrow The route is publicly accessible and loads the respective component.

User navigates to /dashboard or /dashboard/settings → Auth Guard checks if the user is authenticated:

If $Authenticated \rightarrow Route$ is activated and the component is displayed.

If Not Authenticated → Redirect to /login page.

User logs in \rightarrow AuthService stores token in localStorage \rightarrow Redirect to /dashboard.

User clicks logout → AuthService removes token from localStorage → Redirect to /home.

Deliverables:

Routing Configuration for lazy loading and auth guards.

Auth Guard that prevents unauthorized access.

Login/Logout logic to authenticate users and manage sessions.

Modular, Lazy-Loaded Application for performance optimization.

Online Reference

No online Reference

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