

Scopes Of Bean

Scenario: Now let's try to create two bean of same class and print the object

MyApp5.java

```
package com.tapacad.spring;

import
org.springframework.context.support.ClassPathXmlApplicationCo
ntext;

public class MyApp5 {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
//        Load Application context
        ClassPathXmlApplicationContext context =
            new
ClassPathXmlApplicationContext("applicationContext.xml");

//        Get bean
        Car car1 = (Audi)context.getBean("audi");
        Car car2 = (Audi)context.getBean("audi");

//        print object reference of car1 and car2()
        System.out.println(car1);
        System.out.println(car2);

//        close context
        context.close();

    }

}
```

Output:

```
com.tapacad.spring.Audi@6f03482
com.tapacad.spring.Audi@6f03482
```

Now if you observe from the above output both car1 and car2 are referring to the same object. This is only a **singleton where the container creates a single instance of that bean**. By default **scope is singleton**.

The Spring Framework supports the following five scopes, three of which are available only if you use a web-aware ApplicationContext.

- Singleton
- Prototype
- Request (web-aware ApplicationContext)
- Session (web-aware ApplicationContext)
- Global-session (web-aware ApplicationContext)

Singleton scope:

- By default spring will be singleton scope. If you want spring to create different objects instead of one then you need to make use of prototype scope.
- Singleton will create bean of all the classes that is mentioned in the applicationContext

Prototype scope:

- A bean with the *prototype* scope will return a different instance every time it is requested from the container.
- Now to set the scope to prototype scope you need to make use of scope attribute and specify the type of scope as shown below

```
<bean id="audi" class="com.tapacad.spring.Audi"
scope="prototype">
  <property name="rocketEngine" ref="engine"></property>
  <property name="colour" value="${colour}"></property>
  <property name="price" value="${price}"></property>
</bean>
```

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Output:

```
com.tapacad.spring.Audi@179ece50
com.tapacad.spring.Audi@3b0090a4
```

Now if you observe from the above output two different beans have been created.