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Practice Assignment 7

**Exercise 7-1**

**Services**

- a) What are services or web services?
- b) How do services interact with one another?

**Exercise 7-2**

**Evolution of Software Architectures**

- a) What is the monolith architecture?
- b) What is the Front-end/Back-end architecture?
- c) What is the main advantage of Front-end/Back-end with comparison to the monolith architecture?
- d) What is the SOA architecture?

**Exercise 7-3**

**Service Oriented Architecture**

- a) What is SOA?
- b) What are the properties of services?
- c) Why should we use SOA?

**Exercise 7-4**

**REST**

- a) How can we standardize the interaction between the different services?
- b) How does one construct REST?

**Exercise 7-5**

**RESTful APIs**

- a) What is an API?
- b) What must be contained in a REST request?
- c) What is meant by the statement that “ RESTful APIs are stateless”?
- d) Compare stateless and stateful APIs.

**Exercise 7-6**

Provide a JSON object example.