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Creating a demo module for experimenting with Angular Material

- 1. Create a module named **demo** with its own routing logic using the following command: D:\angular5ctspecialization\angularmaterialapp>ng generate module demo --routing
- 2. Create a component named **buttons** inside the **demo** module with an inline template & style & without any testing code using the following command:

D:\angular5ctspecialization\angularmaterialapp>ng g c demo/buttons --flat --inline-style --inline-template --ski pTests

3. Move all the code from app.component.html to the above created component's inline template.





Lazy Loading the feature module

4. Add the following markup inside app.component.html:

```
<router-outlet></router-outlet>
```

5. Open app.module.ts file & add the following import statement:

```
import {Routes,RouterModule} from '@angular/router';
```

6. Add the following routes as well:

```
const routes = [
   {path:'demo', loadChildren:'./demo/demo.module#DemoModule'},
   {path:'**', redirectTo:'demo'}
];
```

7. Add the following inside the **imports** array of the **NgModule** decorator:

```
RouterModule.forRoot(routes)
```

8. Add the following code inside the **AppModule** class:

```
constructor()
{
    console.log("AppModule loaded");
}
```

9. Open **demo-routing.module.ts** file & add the following import statement:

```
import {ButtonsComponent} from './buttons.component';
```

10. Add the following inside the **routes** array:

```
{path:'buttons', component:ButtonsComponent},
{path:'**', redirectTo:'buttons'}
```

11. Add the following code inside the **DemoRoutingModule** class:

```
constructor()
{
    console.log("DemoRoutingModule loaded");
}
```





- 12. From app.module.ts, remove the import statement which imports the MaterialModule & add that import statement in the **DemoModule** instead.
- 13. Serve the application. Notice that the URL shows http://localhost:4200/demo/buttons by default & the browser's console log displays a message saying that the **DemoModule** was loaded. Change the URL to http://localhost:4200 & notice that the application navigates to the **DemoModule** by default which is lazily loaded.
- 14. Create a new component named **flexbox** in the **demo** module using the following command: D:\angular5ctspecialization\angularmaterialapp>ng g c demo/flexbox --flat --inline-style --inline-template --ski pTests
- 15. Add the following in the routes array of demo-routing.module.ts file before the last item in the array:

```
{path:'flexbox', component:FlexboxComponent}
```

16. Serve the application. Notice that the URL shows http://localhost:4200/demo/buttons by default & the browser's console log displays a message saying that the **DemoModule** was loaded. Change the URL to http://localhost:4200/flexbox & notice that the application navigates to the FlexboxComponent.