Great! Let's break down this **interview question** in **very simple terms**, so you can **confidently explain** it in your Angular interview.

✅ Q1: How is the JWT Token attached to API calls? (Explain about Interceptor)

🔶 Real-World Analogy:

Imagine you're entering a secured office.
You need to **show your ID card (JWT token)** at the **reception (API)** to get access.
But instead of showing it every time manually, you hire someone (Interceptor) to **always attach your ID automatically**.

🔍 What is JWT?

- **JWT** stands for **JSON Web Token**.
- It's like a **digital passport** — given to you after you **log in successfully**.
- It proves who you are when you make API requests.

🧠 What is an HTTP Interceptor?

- An **Interceptor** is like a **middleware/helper** in Angular.
- It sits in between your app and the server.
- It can **modify** any **outgoing API call** — like attaching JWT token, logging, error handling, etc.

💡 Why do we need an Interceptor for JWT?

- Instead of **manually adding token in every API call**, we use an **Interceptor** to do it **automatically**.
- It **saves time**, avoids **repetition**, and reduces **bugs**.

🧩 How It Works (Step-by-Step Explanation):

1. ✅ You **login**, and backend sends a **JWT token**.
2. 🍪 You **store this token** in a **cookie** (or localStorage).
3. 🌐 When you make **any API call**, the **Interceptor runs automatically**.
4. 🤲 It **reads the token** from the cookie.
5. 📎 It **adds the token** to your HTTP request in this format:
6. Authorization: Bearer <token>
7. 🚀 The request goes to backend **with token**, and the backend verifies it.

📄 Your Code Explanation in Simple Words:

```
import { HttpInterceptorFn } from '@angular/common/http';
```

```
import { inject } from '@angular/core';
import { CookieService } from 'ngx-cookie-service';
```

- 🧱 You import tools to **create an Interceptor** and to **read cookies**.

```
export const authInterceptor: HttpInterceptorFn = (req, next) => {
```

- You define a **custom Interceptor**. It takes the **original request (req)** and a next handler.

```
  const cookieService = inject(CookieService);
```

- You **inject CookieService** to get the **token from cookies**.

```
  const token = cookieService.get('token');
```

- Read the token from browser cookie named 'token'.

```
  if (token) {
    const cloned = req.clone({
      setHeaders: {
        Authorization: `Bearer ${token}`
      }
    });
```

- If token exists:
  - You **clone the request** (Angular requests are immutable).
  - You **add an Authorization header** with Bearer <token> format.

```
    return next(cloned);
  }


  return next(req);
};
```

- ✅ If token was added, send **cloned request**.
- ❌ If token was missing, send **original request**.

🧪 **Example**

Let’s say you're calling this API:

```
this.http.get('/api/hotels');
```

Without Interceptor:

➡️ Request goes without any token.

With Interceptor:

➡️ Interceptor runs,
➡️ Attaches token like this:

```
GET /api/hotels

Authorization: Bearer eyJhbGciOi...
```

➡️ Backend checks token, and if valid, sends hotel data.

💬 **How to Explain in Interview:**

"We use an **HTTP Interceptor** in Angular to **automatically attach the JWT token** with every API request.
I store the token in a **cookie** after login, and then the **Interceptor reads that token** and adds it to the Authorization header of outgoing requests.
This makes sure all protected APIs receive the token without manually coding it every time."

✅ **Bonus: Other Token Storage Options**

- **Cookie** (recommended for security)
- localStorage
- sessionStorage

You can adjust the Interceptor to read from any of these.

✅ Q2. How are directives used in your application?

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **directive** in Angular is something that gives **special behavior** to elements in the template (like HTML tags).

Think of them as **instructions** you add to your HTML elements to make them **dynamic**, **conditional**, or **interactive**.

🎯 3 Types of Directives in Angular

Type	What it does	Example
1. **Structural**	Changes **layout** by adding/removing elements from the DOM	*ngIf, *ngFor, *ngSwitch
2. **Attribute**	Changes **appearance or behavior** of elements	ngClass, ngStyle, routerLink, custom styles
3. **Custom**	Your own directive to add **custom behavior**	e.g., appHighlight, appOnlyNumber

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🧪 Examples from Your navbar.html

Let's go line-by-line and point out where **directives** are used 👇

🔶 Example 1: *ngIf — Structural Directive

```
<ng-container *ngIf="!isLoggedIn">
```

- ✅ This **conditionally shows** the Login/Register option only if the user is **not logged in**.
- ***ngIf** removes or adds elements **based on a condition**.

🔶 Example 2: *ngIf with && condition

```
<ng-container *ngIf="isLoggedIn && role === 'User'">
```

- ✅ This part is shown **only** if:
  - User is logged in ✅
  - AND role is User 👤
- Angular checks this before showing those <li> elements.

🔶 Example 3: routerLink — Attribute Directive

```
<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/home" routerLinkActive="active">🏠 Home</a>
```

- ✅ routerLink is used to **navigate** between components (like React's <Link>).
- ✅ routerLinkActive adds a class when the route is **active**.

🔶 Example 4: (click) — Attribute Event Binding

```
<a class="nav-link text-danger" (click)="logout()">🚪 Logout</a>
```

- ✅ (click) is an **event binding directive**.
- It listens to **user clicks** and calls the logout() function.

🔶 Example 5: ngClass or ngStyle (not in your code, but commonly used)

```
<div [ngClass]="{ 'highlight': isActive }"></div>
```

- ✅ This changes the **CSS class dynamically** based on a condition.

🔨 So in your code, you're using these directives:

Directive	Type	Purpose
*ngIf	Structural	Show/hide based on login or role
routerLink	Attribute	Routing between pages
routerLinkActive	Attribute	Add active class to active link
(click)	Attribute	Call method on click (logout, etc.)

✅ How to Answer in Interview:

"In my Angular application, I used both **structural** and **attribute directives**.
For example, in the **navbar**, I used *ngIf to show different menu items depending on whether the user is logged in and what their role is.
I used routerLink and routerLinkActive to handle routing, and also used (click) directive to call logout functionality.
These directives help me write clean, dynamic, and condition-based HTML views."

🚀 Want to Go One Step Ahead?

You can mention:

"I also know we can create **custom directives**, for example, to highlight elements on hover, or restrict input fields to only accept numbers."

✅ Q3. What is the Architecture of Angular (in simple terms)?

🏗️ Simple Definition:

Angular architecture is a **blueprint or structure** that shows **how different parts of an Angular application are organized and work together**.

Imagine building a hotel 🏨:

- **Components** are rooms
- **Modules** are floors
- **Services** are room service staff
- **Router** is the elevator connecting rooms
- **Main Building (AppModule)** connects everything

📦 Main Building Blocks of Angular Architecture:

Part	What It Does	Example
1 **Modules**	Organize code into blocks	AppModule, AdminModule
2 **Components**	Show UI (HTML + CSS + TS)	NavbarComponent, LoginComponent
3 **Templates**	HTML layout with Angular syntax	*ngIf, {{title}}
4 **Services**	Business logic, API calls	AuthService, HotelService
5 **Dependency Injection (DI)**	Share Services with Components	Injecting AuthService into LoginComponent
6 **Routing**	Navigate between pages	/login, /profile, /dashboard
7 **Directives**	Add custom behavior to HTML	*ngIf, *ngFor, (click)
8 **Pipes**	Transform data in templates	`{{ date

💡 Short Explanation of Each Part

1. Modules (@NgModule)

- Group of related code (components, services, etc.)
- Every Angular app starts with **AppModule** (main module)

```
@NgModule({
  declarations: [AppComponent, NavbarComponent],
  imports: [BrowserModule, AppRoutingModule],
  bootstrap: [AppComponent]
})
```

```
export class AppModule {}
```

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2. Components

- Core part that shows **UI** and handles user interaction
- Contains:
    - .ts file (logic)
    - .html file (template)
    - .css file (style)

```
@Component({
  selector: 'app-login',
  templateUrl: './login.component.html'
})
export class LoginComponent {
  title = "Login Page";
}
```

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3. Services (@Injectable)

- Handles **business logic**, **API calls**, **shared functions**
- Injected into components using **Dependency Injection**

```
@Injectable()
export class AuthService {
  login(user: User) {
    return this.http.post('/api/login', user);
  }
}
```

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4. Routing

- Defines which component to show when a URL is visited

```
const routes: Routes = [
  { path: 'login', component: LoginComponent },
  { path: 'profile', component: ProfileComponent },
];
```

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5. Directives

- Add special behavior to HTML elements

```
<div *ngIf="isLoggedIn">Welcome!</div>
```

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6. Pipes

- Transform the value before displaying

```
{{ currentDate | date:'short' }}
```

🧠 **How to Explain in Interview:**

"Angular architecture is **component-based** and uses **modules** to organize code. Each part has a clear job — components handle UI, services handle logic and API, routing helps with navigation, and directives/pipes are used in templates to make the UI dynamic. Everything is connected through dependency injection and managed inside the main module."

🛠️ **Real Example from Your Project:**

You've already used:

- **AppModule** to register components and services.
- **LoginComponent**, **NavbarComponent**, etc.
- **Routing module** to navigate to /home, /login, etc.
- **AuthService** to handle login/logout.
- **Directives** like *ngIf, (click) in your Navbar.
- **Pipes** (possibly) to format dates in MyBookings page.

✅ Q4. Difference Between Angular Versions (Any Version)

🔍 Why This Question is Asked:

Interviewers want to see:

- If you're **updated with Angular changes**
- Can you **compare** versions simply
- Do you **understand improvements** in performance, syntax, or tooling

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📌 Quick Summary Table (Angular 2 to Angular 17)

Version	Year	Key Features / Differences
Angular 2	2016	Complete rewrite of AngularJS, component-based
Angular 4	2017	Smaller code size, better *ngIf/else*
Angular 5	2017	HttpClient module introduced
Angular 6	2018	Angular CLI 6, tree-shaking
Angular 7	2018	Virtual scrolling, drag-drop
Angular 8	2019	Lazy loading with dynamic imports
Angular 9	2020	Default Ivy compiler (big performance boost)
Angular 10	2020	New date range picker, smaller bundle
Angular 11	2020	Faster builds, stricter types
Angular 12	2021	Nullish coalescing (??), Ivy everywhere
Angular 13	2021	No more ViewEngine, faster compilation
Angular 14	2022	Standalone components (no need for NgModule)
Angular 15	2022	Directive composition, simpler pipes
Angular 16	2023	Signals (reactivity system), server-side hydration
Angular 17	2023	Control flow syntax (no more *ngIf!), faster rendering

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🎯 Interview Style Answer Example

"Angular has evolved a lot over the years.
For example, in **Angular 9**, the default compiler changed to **Ivy**, which made apps faster and bundles smaller.
In **Angular 13**, the old compiler (ViewEngine) was removed completely.
Then **Angular 14** introduced **Standalone Components**, where we can use components without declaring them in a module.

Recently in **Angular 16**, a new reactivity system called **Signals** was added, which gives more control over how the app updates the UI."

📌 **Example: Angular 14 vs Angular 16**

🟩 **Angular 14 — Standalone Components**

```
@Component({
 standalone: true,
 selector: 'app-welcome',
 template: `<h2>Welcome!</h2>`,
})
export class WelcomeComponent {}
```

✅ No need to register this in any module!

🟩 **Angular 16 — Signals**

```
import { signal } from '@angular/core';

export class CounterComponent {
 count = signal(0);

 increment() {
  this.count.update(val => val + 1);
 }
}
```

✅ This is a **new reactivity system** that replaces @Input() + @Output() in some cases.

🧠 **How to Prepare for Interview:**

1. **Mention the major versions (9, 13, 14, 16)**.
2. Explain any **1–2 major features** from each.
3. If they ask you "Which version are you using?" — answer honestly (e.g., Angular 15 or 16).
4. If you use Angular 13 or 14, say:

“I’m currently working with Angular 13, but I’ve explored the features introduced in Angular 16 like Signals and Standalone APIs.”

✅ Q5. How is Dependency Injection used in Angular? (with your code example)

🧠 Simple Definition:

Dependency Injection (DI) in Angular is a way to **automatically provide objects (like services)** to components or other services **instead of creating them manually**.

👉 You **don't use new keyword** — Angular does it for you.

🎯 Real-Life Analogy:

Imagine a hotel 🏨:

- A **room (component)** needs **food service (AuthService)**
- Instead of the room cooking itself, the **hotel manager (Angular)** provides a **chef (service)** automatically.

That's **Dependency Injection**.

📦 Key Parts of Angular DI:

Part	Meaning
@Injectable()	Marks a class as available for DI
providedIn: 'root'	Angular creates one instance globally
constructor(private service: ServiceType)	Angular **injects** the service automatically here

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✅ Let's Explain Your Code in Steps

🔷 Step 1: You create a Service and mark it injectable

```
@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'  // Angular makes it available globally
})
export class AuthService {
  constructor(private http: HttpClient, private cookieService: CookieService) {
    // Angular injects HttpClient and CookieService here
  }
}
```

- @Injectable tells Angular: "This class can be injected."
- providedIn: 'root' means it will have **one single instance** across the app.
- HttpClient and CookieService are automatically **injected** by Angular.

🔷 Step 2: You inject this AuthService into a Component

```
@Component({ ... })
export class Login {
 constructor(private authService: AuthService, private router: Router) {}
}
```

- Here, you're saying:

"Hey Angular, give me an instance of AuthService and Router in this component."

- ✅ Angular reads your constructor, finds AuthService is already provided in root, and injects it.

🔷 **Step 3: You use the injected service normally**

```
onSubmit(): void {
 this.authService.login(this.credentials).subscribe({
  next: (response: any) => {
   this.authService.saveUserData(response);
   this.router.navigate(['/home']); // also injected via DI
  }
 });
}
```

- You don't create the service using new AuthService(). Angular already gave you a **ready-to-use instance**.
- This is clean, testable, and efficient.

🧪 **Behind the Scenes: What Angular Does**

Angular internally does:

const authService = new AuthService(httpClientInstance, cookieServiceInstance);

...and **injects** that into your component.
You **never have to worry about creating or destroying it manually.**

✅ **Summary for Interview Answer**

"In Angular, Dependency Injection is used to provide services or objects into components automatically.
For example, I created an AuthService with @Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' }), which made it globally available.
In my Login component, I simply injected it using the constructor — and Angular gave me a working instance.
This helps make the code clean, reusable, and easy to test."

🔥 **Bonus Tip:**

You can inject services not only into components but also into: Other services, Pipes, Guards, Interceptors, Standalone components

✅ Q6. What is a Module in Angular? (With Code)

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **module** in Angular is like a **container** or **box** that holds a set of **components, directives, pipes, and services** that are related to each other.

Think of it like:

- A **folder** in your app 📁
- It keeps related features **grouped together** and **organized**

🏨 Analogy:

Imagine a hotel 🏨:

- **Reception module** = handles login/register/profile
- **Manager module** = handles room management
- **Admin module** = handles dashboard and analytics

Each module has its **own components**, but they can still **talk to each other** through Angular's main app module.

💡 Why Use Modules?

- Code organization 🔧
- Lazy loading support ⚡
- Better separation of concerns ✂️
- Reusability 🔁

🧩 Angular Has Two Types of Modules

Type	Use
Root Module	The main module (AppModule) loaded at the app start
Feature Module	Additional modules for specific features like AuthModule, AdminModule

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✅ Basic Module Example – AppModule

```
// src/app/app.module.ts

import { NgModule } from '@angular/core';

import { BrowserModule } from '@angular/platform-browser';

import { AppComponent } from './app.component';

import { Login } from './components/login/login';
```

```
import { Navbar } from './components/navbar/navbar';
import { RouterModule } from '@angular/router';

@NgModule({
  declarations: [
    AppComponent,
    Login,        // ✅ Declared here
    Navbar        // ✅ Declared here
  ],
  imports: [
    BrowserModule,
    RouterModule   // ✅ Imported for routing
  ],
  bootstrap: [AppComponent] // ✅ Entry component (starting point)
})
export class AppModule { }
```

🔍 **What's inside this module?**

Section	Description
@NgModule()	Decorator that defines this file as a module
declarations	All components/pipes/directives used in this module
imports	Other modules we want to use (like BrowserModule, RouterModule)
bootstrap	Which component should load first (usually AppComponent)

🧪 **Feature Module Example – AdminModule**

```
// src/app/modules/admin/admin.module.ts

import { NgModule } from '@angular/core';
import { CommonModule } from '@angular/common';
import { AdminDashboard } from './admin-dashboard/admin-dashboard';

@NgModule({
  declarations: [AdminDashboard],
```

```
  imports: [CommonModule]
})
export class AdminModule { }
```

🔗 **Then import AdminModule into AppModule:**

```
import { AdminModule } from './modules/admin/admin.module';


@NgModule({
  imports: [
    AdminModule
  ]
})
```

📦 **Folder Structure Overview**

```
src/
 ├── app/
|   ├── app.module.ts       // ✅ Root module
|   ├── components/
|   |   ├── login/
|   |   └── navbar/
|   └── modules/
|       └── admin/
|           ├── admin.module.ts  // ✅ Feature module
|           └── admin-dashboard/
```

✅ **What to Say in Interview:**

"A module in Angular is a way to **organize related components and services** together.
Every app has a **root module** (AppModule), and we can also create **feature modules** like AdminModule or AuthModule for better structure.
In the @NgModule() decorator, we declare components and import other modules like RouterModule or CommonModule."

Let’s explain some of the most important and commonly used Angular modules:
✅ NgModule, RouterModule, CommonModule, and FormsModule — in **very simple language with code examples**, so you can remember and explain confidently in interviews.

✅ **1. NgModule — The Main Decorator for Modules**

📖 **What is it?**

- It's a **TypeScript decorator** that tells Angular:
  "Hey, this file is a module!"
- It is used to define **components, imports, services, pipes**, etc., for the module.

🧠 **Where Used?**

Every Angular module uses @NgModule() — including AppModule, AdminModule, etc.

📦 **Example:**

import { NgModule } from '@angular/core';

```
@NgModule({
  declarations: [LoginComponent],
  imports: [CommonModule],
  bootstrap: [AppComponent]
})
export class AppModule {}
```

✅ @NgModule() is like the **heart of any Angular module**.

✅ **2. CommonModule — Gives Basic Angular Features (for Feature Modules)**

📖 **What is it?**

- Provides basic Angular **directives** like:
  - *ngIf
  - *ngFor
  - ngClass, ngStyle, etc.

🧠 **When to use?**

- Use **in feature/standalone modules** when BrowserModule is not available.

📦 **Example:**

```
import { CommonModule } from '@angular/common';


@NgModule({
  declarations: [AdminDashboardComponent],
  imports: [CommonModule]
})
export class AdminModule {}
```

❗ **Important:**

- **Use BrowserModule only in AppModule**
- **Use CommonModule in all other modules**

✅ 3. RouterModule — Used for Routing/Navigation

📖 What is it?

- Gives access to Angular **routing features** like:
  - routerLink, routerLinkActive
  - <router-outlet></router-outlet>
- Defines routes and helps navigate between pages.

🧠 When to use?

- In any module where you're using **routing or links**

📦 Example 1: In AppRoutingModule

```
import { RouterModule, Routes } from '@angular/router';
import { LoginComponent } from './components/login/login.component';

const routes: Routes = [
  { path: 'login', component: LoginComponent },
  { path: '', redirectTo: 'login', pathMatch: 'full' }
];

@NgModule({
  imports: [RouterModule.forRoot(routes)],
  exports: [RouterModule]
})
export class AppRoutingModule {}
```

📦 Example 2: In Template (HTML)

```
<nav>
  <a routerLink="/login" routerLinkActive="active">Login</a>
</nav>

<router-outlet></router-outlet> <!-- Where the component will load -->
```

✅ 4. FormsModule — For Template-Driven Forms

📖 What is it?

- Helps to build **forms** using HTML template

- Supports:
    - [(ngModel)] (Two-way binding)
    - #form="ngForm"
    - Form validations

🧠 **When to use?**

- When you're using **template-driven forms**, like in a Login, Register, or Feedback form.

📦 **Example:**

```
import { FormsModule } from '@angular/forms';


@NgModule({
  imports: [FormsModule],
  declarations: [LoginComponent]
})
export class AuthModule {}
```

📦 **HTML Example (login.html)**

```
<form #loginForm="ngForm" (ngSubmit)="onSubmit()">
  <input type="email" [(ngModel)]="email" name="email" required>
  <input type="password" [(ngModel)]="password" name="password" required>
  <button type="submit">Login</button>
</form>
```

✅ **Summary Table**

Module	Use	Needed For
NgModule	Declares an Angular module	All modules
CommonModule	Enables *ngIf, *ngFor, etc.	Feature modules
RouterModule	Routing & Navigation	All routing needs
FormsModule	Template-driven forms & ngModel	Login, Register, etc.

✅ **Interview-Ready Summary**

"Angular provides built-in modules for different features.
I use NgModule to define the structure of each module.
If I'm creating a feature module, I import CommonModule to get access to structural directives like *ngIf and *ngFor.
For navigation, I use RouterModule to define routes and handle links.
And for handling forms like Login/Register, I use FormsModule which supports ngModel and two-way data binding."

✅ Q7. What is Two-Way Binding in Angular? (With Example from Your Project)

🧠 Simple Definition:

Two-way binding means that data can **flow in both directions**:

- From **component (TS)** → **template (HTML)**
- From **template (HTML input)** → **component (TS)**

💡 So when **user types something**, it updates the component automatically.
And when **component changes value**, it updates the input box automatically.

This is done using Angular's directive:

[(ngModel)]

🎯 Where Did You Use It in Your Project?

✅ In your Login Component:

🔷 login.ts

```
credentials = {
  email: '',
  password: ''
};
```

🔷 login.html

```
<form (ngSubmit)="onSubmit()">
  <input type="email" [(ngModel)]="credentials.email" name="email" required>
  <input type="password" [(ngModel)]="credentials.password" name="password" required>
  <button type="submit">Login</button>
</form>
```

🧠 What is Happening Here?

- [(ngModel)]="credentials.email" connects the **input field** and the **credentials.email** variable.
- ✅ If you type in the input box, the value inside the credentials object gets updated instantly.
- ✅ If you programmatically change credentials.email = 'abc@test.com' — the input box will also show it.

🔗 Syntax Breakdown

[(ngModel)] = [()] // Banana-in-a-box syntax 🐵🍌

- [] → Property Binding (from TS → HTML)
- () → Event Binding (from HTML → TS)

- Together → **Two-Way Binding**

📦 **What Do You Need to Use It?**

1. ✅ Import FormsModule in your module:

```
import { FormsModule } from '@angular/forms';
@NgModule({
  imports: [FormsModule]
})
export class AppModule {}
```

2. ✅ Use name attribute on the input field

```
<input [(ngModel)]="credentials.email" name="email">
```

🧪 **Another Simple Example:**

component.ts

```
userName = 'Sagar';
```

component.html

```
<input [(ngModel)]="userName">
<p>Hello {{ userName }}!</p>
```

✅ When you type Sagar Haldar, both the input and the paragraph update automatically.

🧠 **Why is Two-Way Binding Useful?**

Benefit	**Why it's great**
No manual syncing	No need to write extra code to update values
Real-time feedback	Form inputs reflect instantly
Clean code	Short and readable syntax
Useful for forms	Login/Register/Profile pages

✅ **Interview Answer Example:**

"Two-way binding in Angular means that data flows from the **component to the template** and back from the **template to the component**.
In my Hotel Management project, I used it in the Login form.
For example, I bound credentials.email to an input using [(ngModel)], so when the user types an email, it automatically updates the credentials object.
This helps keep form fields and component state in sync easily without writing extra event handling logic."

✅ Q8. Angular Lifecycle – Explained Simply with Order & Examples

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🧠 Simple Definition:

Angular Lifecycle Hooks are special methods Angular calls **at different stages** of a component's life — like when it's created, displayed, updated, or destroyed.

Think of a component as a **guest** in your hotel:

- **ngOnInit()** = When guest checks in
- **ngOnDestroy()** = When guest checks out
- Others = Events that happen in between (like room cleaning or updates)

🔁 Full List of Lifecycle Hooks (In Execution Order)

Hook Name	When It Runs	Use Case
1 ngOnChanges()	Whenever any @Input() value changes	Reacting to parent input
2 ngOnInit()	Once when component is initialized	Fetch data, API call
3 ngDoCheck()	Custom change detection	Track manual changes
4 ngAfterContentInit()	After <ng-content> is projected	Content projection
5 ngAfterContentChecked()	Every time projected content is checked	Optimization
6 ngAfterViewInit()	After component's view (and child views) is loaded	DOM access
7 ngAfterViewChecked()	After the view is checked	Debugging view updates
8 ngOnDestroy()	Just before component is destroyed	Unsubscribe, cleanup

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🔢 Execution Order (Interview-Focused):

1. constructor
2. ngOnChanges (if @Input used)
3. ngOnInit
4. ngDoCheck
5. ngAfterContentInit
6. ngAfterContentChecked
7. ngAfterViewInit
8. ngAfterViewChecked
9. ngOnDestroy (when component is removed)

🧑‍💻 Example From Your Project — LoginComponent

🔷 Use of ngOnInit() — Most Common One

In your LoginComponent, we could use ngOnInit() like this:

```
export class Login implements OnInit {
  credentials = { email: '', password: '' };
  constructor(private authService: AuthService) {}
  ngOnInit(): void {
    console.log("LoginComponent loaded");
    if (this.authService.isLoggedIn()) {
      // Already logged in, redirect
      this.router.navigate(['/home']);
    }
  }
}
```

✅ This hook runs **once when component loads**, perfect for:

- Fetching initial data
- Checking auth state
- Setting up variables

🔷 Use of ngOnDestroy() — For Cleanup

If you had a subscription like this:

```
this.authService.isLoggedIn$.subscribe(data => {
  this.isLoggedIn = data;
});
```

Then you should **unsubscribe** in ngOnDestroy():

```
private loginSub: Subscription;
ngOnInit() {
  this.loginSub = this.authService.isLoggedIn$.subscribe(data => {
    this.isLoggedIn = data;
  });
}
ngOnDestroy() {
  this.loginSub.unsubscribe(); // ✅ Prevent memory leaks
}
```

💡 When to Use Which Lifecycle Hook?

Hook	When You Use It
ngOnInit()	Load data, call services, set state
ngOnChanges()	React to @Input() from parent
ngAfterViewInit()	Access child elements with ViewChild
ngOnDestroy()	Unsubscribe from Observables, stop timers

✅ Easy Summary Answer (For Interview):

"Angular provides lifecycle hooks to manage what happens at different stages of a component's life.
ngOnInit() runs once when the component is initialized — I use it to check login state in my project.
If I have subscriptions, I use ngOnDestroy() to unsubscribe and avoid memory leaks.
There are other hooks like ngOnChanges() for reacting to input changes and ngAfterViewInit() for DOM access, but ngOnInit and ngOnDestroy are the most commonly used in real-world apps."

✅ Q9. What is String Interpolation in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

String Interpolation in Angular means inserting **dynamic values** (from component TypeScript code) directly into the **HTML template** using double curly braces:

{{ ... }}

🔁 One-Way Data Flow:

- It goes **from Component (.ts) → Template (.html)**
- It's **read-only** — you cannot change the value directly from HTML

✅ Syntax:

```
{{ variableName }}
```

🧑‍💻 Example from Your Hotel Management Project

In your NavbarComponent, you're already showing:

```
<span class="fs-5">
  Welcome, {{ userName }}
</span>
And in your component:
export class NavbarComponent {
  userName = this.authService.getName(); // e.g., "Sagar"
}
```

✅ Here:

- The userName is stored in the component.
- Angular replaces {{ userName }} in HTML with the actual name like **"Sagar"**

🧩 What Can You Use Inside {{ }}?

You can use:

- variables:
- {{ title }}
- expressions:
- {{ 5 + 10 }}
- {{ user.age >= 18 ? 'Adult' : 'Minor' }}

- method calls:
- {{ getRoleName() }}

✅ Keep logic **simple inside HTML** — avoid long or complex functions in interpolation.

🧪 **Another Example (Component + HTML)**

login.ts

```
export class Login {
  appName = 'Smart Hotel Booking';
}
```

login.html

```
<h1>Welcome to {{ appName }}</h1>
```

✅ Output:

Welcome to Smart Hotel Booking

❌ **What NOT to Do with Interpolation**

- You **cannot assign values** like this:
- {{ userName = 'Admin' }} <!-- ❌ Wrong -->
- You **cannot bind to events** with interpolation (use (click) instead)

✅ **Interview Answer Example:**

"String interpolation in Angular lets me display dynamic data from my component into the HTML using double curly braces — like {{ userName }}.
In my Hotel Management project, I show Welcome, {{ userName }} in the navbar using data from the AuthService.
It's one-way binding — it only displays the value and updates automatically if the component variable changes."

✅ Q10. What is Routing in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

Routing in Angular means **navigating between different pages** (or components) without reloading the entire browser window.
It's a **Single Page Application (SPA)** technique.

Instead of using separate .html files for every page, Angular **shows components** based on the **URL**.

🔍 Real-Life Analogy:

Imagine your Hotel Booking app has:

- /home → Homepage 🏠
- /login → Login Page 🔑
- /admin-dashboard → Admin Section 🛠️
- /my-bookings → User's bookings 📖

All of these are **different components**, shown using **Routing**.

🔀 How Routing Works in Angular?

It involves 3 key parts:

Step	What it does
1 Define Routes	In app-routing.module.ts
2 Load via <router-outlet>	In your main layout or navbar page
3 Navigate using routerLink	In buttons, menus, links

✅ Project Example – Your Hotel App

🔷 Step 1: Define Routes (in app-routing.module.ts)

```
import { NgModule } from '@angular/core';
import { RouterModule, Routes } from '@angular/router';
import { Login } from './components/login/login';
import { Home } from './components/core/home/home';
import { AdminDashboard } from './components/admin/admin-dashboard/admin-dashboard';
import { MyBookings } from './components/user/my-bookings/my-bookings';


const routes: Routes = [
  { path: '', redirectTo: 'home', pathMatch: 'full' }, // default route
```

```
  { path: 'home', component: Home },
  { path: 'login', component: Login },
  { path: 'admin-dashboard', component: AdminDashboard },
  { path: 'my-bookings', component: MyBookings },
  // More routes as needed...
];

@NgModule({
  imports: [RouterModule.forRoot(routes)],
  exports: [RouterModule]
})
export class AppRoutingModule {}
```

🔷 **Step 2: Show Component with <router-outlet> (in app.component.html or navbar.html)**

<!-- This is where routed components appear -->

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

🔷 **Step 3: Navigate with routerLink (in your navbar.html)**

```
<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/home" routerLinkActive="active">🏠 Home</a>
<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/login" routerLinkActive="active">🔑 Login</a>
<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/my-bookings" routerLinkActive="active">📖 My Bookings</a>
```

✅ When user clicks, Angular will **not reload the page**, but will **replace the view** using routing.

🚪 **Programmatic Navigation (TS File)**

In your login.ts, you used this:

```
this.router.navigate(['/manager-dashboard']);
```

✅ This is used after login to **dynamically redirect based on role**.

📦 **Don't Forget to Import RouterModule**

In your main module:

```
import { RouterModule } from '@angular/router';
@NgModule({
  imports: [RouterModule]
})
```

🧭 Optional Bonus: Guarded Routes

You can also protect routes using **Auth Guards** like:

{ path: 'admin-dashboard', component: AdminDashboard, canActivate: [AdminGuard] }

✅ Interview Answer Example:

"Routing in Angular is used to navigate between components based on the URL, without reloading the page.
In my Hotel Management project, I've defined routes like /home, /login, /admin-dashboard in app-routing.module.ts.
I use <router-outlet> to display the components, and routerLink in my navbar to navigate.
For example, after login, I use this.router.navigate(['/admin-dashboard']) to redirect the user based on role."

✅ Q11. What are @Input() and @Output() in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

Decorator	What it does
@Input()	Passes **data from parent → child** component
@Output()	Sends **events/data from child → parent** component

They help **components communicate** with each other.

🧱 Real-Life Analogy:

Think of your Hotel project:

- **Parent component** = HotelListComponent (shows a list of hotels)
- **Child component** = HotelCardComponent (displays one hotel card)
- @Input() → You pass hotel data to the card
- @Output() → The card says: "Hey, user clicked **Book Now**!"

✅ Basic Example in Angular (Based on Hotel Project Style)

🔷 Step 1: Pass data from parent to child → @Input()

Parent Component – hotel-list.component.html

```
<app-hotel-card
  *ngFor="let hotel of hotels"
  [hotelInfo]="hotel"
  (bookHotel)="handleBooking($event)">
</app-hotel-card>
```

Parent Component – hotel-list.component.ts

```
hotels = [
  { name: 'Taj Hotel', city: 'Mumbai', price: 4500 },
  { name: 'Leela Palace', city: 'Delhi', price: 5000 }
];


handleBooking(hotel: any) {
  console.log('User wants to book:', hotel);
}
```

🔷 Step 2: Use @Input in child → hotel-card.component.ts

```
import { Component, Input, Output, EventEmitter } from '@angular/core';


@Component({
 selector: 'app-hotel-card',
 templateUrl: './hotel-card.component.html'
})
export class HotelCardComponent {
 @Input() hotelInfo: any;  // ✅ Receives data from parent


 @Output() bookHotel = new EventEmitter();  // ✅ Sends event to parent


 bookNow() {
  this.bookHotel.emit(this.hotelInfo);  // 📤 Emit hotel data to parent
 }
}
```

🔷 Step 3: Use it in child HTML → hotel-card.component.html

```
<div class="card shadow">
 <h3>{{ hotelInfo.name }}</h3>
 <p>{{ hotelInfo.city }} - ₹{{ hotelInfo.price }}</p>
 <button (click)="bookNow()">Book Now</button>
</div>
```

🔄 Summary of Flow

- @Input() → Data goes **from parent to child**:
- hotel-list → hotel-card
- @Output() → Event goes **from child to parent**:
- hotel-card → hotel-list

✅ Interview Answer Example

"@Input() and @Output() are used for component communication.
In Angular, I used @Input() to pass hotel data from a parent list component to a child hotel-card component.
The child displays the hotel info, and when the user clicks “Book Now”, the child uses @Output() to emit an event back to the parent, which then handles the booking logic. This helps in creating reusable and loosely-coupled components."

✅ **Q12. How can you pass data between two components?**

🧠 **First, understand the three types of component relationships:**

Relationship	Example
Parent → Child	HotelListComponent → HotelCardComponent
Child → Parent	HotelCardComponent → HotelListComponent
Unrelated / Sibling Components	LoginComponent → NavbarComponent

Each needs a different technique 👇

🔷 **1. Parent → Child (Use @Input())**

Use when:

You want to pass data **down** to a child component (like hotel info to a card)

✅ **Example:**

```
// hotel-list.component.html
<app-hotel-card [hotelData]="hotel"></app-hotel-card>
// hotel-card.component.ts
@Input() hotelData: any;
```

✅ This was already explained in Q11.

🔷 **2. Child → Parent (Use @Output() + EventEmitter)**

Use when:

Child component needs to **send data or event** back to parent.

✅ **Example:**

```
// hotel-card.component.ts
@Output() bookHotel = new EventEmitter();
bookNow() {
  this.bookHotel.emit(this.hotelData);
}
<!-- hotel-list.component.html -->
<app-hotel-card (bookHotel)="handleBooking($event)"></app-hotel-card>
```

🔷 **3. Between Unrelated Components (Use Shared Service + Subject)**

Use when:

Components are not nested (e.g., LoginComponent and NavbarComponent)
✅ You've used this pattern in your Hotel Management project to track login state and role.

✅ **Step-by-Step Example: (AuthService)**

🔶 **auth.service.ts**

```
@Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' })
export class AuthService {
  private loggedIn = new BehaviorSubject<boolean>(this.cookieService.check('token'));
  isLoggedIn$ = this.loggedIn.asObservable();

  loginSuccess() {
    this.loggedIn.next(true);  // ✅ Updates all subscribed components
  }

  logout() {
    this.loggedIn.next(false);
  }
}
```

🔶 **navbar.component.ts**

```
isLoggedIn = false;

ngOnInit() {
  this.authService.isLoggedIn$.subscribe(status => {
    this.isLoggedIn = status;
  });
}
```

🔶 **login.component.ts**

```
onSubmit() {
  this.authService.login(this.credentials).subscribe(response => {
    if (response.token) {
      this.authService.loginSuccess(); // 🔁 Trigger shared data update
    }
  });
}
```

✅ Now both LoginComponent and NavbarComponent stay in sync — even though they're unrelated!

✅ **Summary Table — How to Pass Data**

Scenario	Technique	Decorators/Tools
Parent → Child	@Input()	Component Binding
Child → Parent	@Output() + EventEmitter	Event Binding
Sibling/Unrelated Components	Shared Service + BehaviorSubject / Subject	RxJS Observables

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🧠 **Interview Answer (Simple Version):**

"To pass data between components in Angular, I use different techniques depending on the relationship.
For Parent → Child, I use @Input().
For Child → Parent, I use @Output() and EventEmitter.
And for unrelated components like Login and Navbar, I use a shared service with BehaviorSubject.
For example, in my Hotel Booking project, I use a shared AuthService to manage login status across the navbar and login form."

Great, Sagar! ✅ You're using both **image lazy loading** and you can implement **Angular module-level lazy loading** — both are part of Angular's **"Loading Strategies."**

✅ Q13. What are the Different Types of Loading in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

In Angular, **"loading"** means *when and how things (components, images, modules)* are loaded into the browser. This is done to **speed up performance** and **optimize resource usage.**

There are mainly 2 types of loading you should know:

1️⃣ Eager Loading (Default)

- Loads **everything at the start**.
- Happens when you directly import a module in AppModule.

```
@NgModule({
 imports: [HotelModule]  // 👈 Eagerly loaded
})
```

❌ Problem: If your app is big, initial load becomes slow.

2️⃣ Lazy Loading (Optimized)

- Loads a **module only when a specific route is visited**.
- Improves performance by **reducing the initial bundle size**.

✅ Best practice for big features like:

- admin-dashboard,
- user-bookings,
- manager-panel, etc.

✅ Example of Lazy Loading in Your Hotel Project

Let's say you want to lazy load the **Room Module** or **Admin Module**.

🔷 Step 1: Create a Feature Module (if not already)

```
ng generate module components/admin --routing
```

It creates admin-routing.module.ts and admin.module.ts.

🔷 Step 2: Define Child Routes in admin-routing.module.ts

```
const routes: Routes = [
```

```
  { path: '', component: AdminDashboardComponent },
  { path: 'hotels', component: ManageHotelsComponent },
  { path: 'managers', component: ManageManagersComponent }
];
```

🔷 **Step 3: Add Lazy Route in app-routing.module.ts**

```
const routes: Routes = [
  { path: 'admin-dashboard', loadChildren: () => import('./components/admin/admin.module').then(m => m.AdminModule) },
  { path: 'rooms', loadChildren: () => import('./components/core/room/room.module').then(m => m.RoomModule) }
];
```

✅ Now, AdminModule and RoomModule will only load **when user navigates to that route**.

✅ **Benefits of Lazy Loading**

Benefit	**Why it matters**
Faster initial load	Because only minimum code is loaded
Better performance	Large features don't block small ones
Code splitting	Browser downloads chunks only when needed

✅ **Example of Image Lazy Loading (Used in Your Code)**

In your **Room Component**, you're already using this:

```
<img
  [src]="getRoomImage(room.type)"
  loading="lazy"  <!-- ✅ Browser loads image only when needed -->
  alt="{{ room.type }}"
/>
```

✅ This makes images load **only when they scroll into view**, saving bandwidth and improving speed.

✅ **Interview Answer (Simple Version):**

"Angular supports two types of loading strategies: **eager loading** and **lazy loading**.
By default, modules are eagerly loaded, which can slow down large apps.
So in my Hotel Management project, I implemented **lazy loading** for the Admin and Room modules using loadChildren in the routing file.
This ensures those modules only load when a user visits /admin-dashboard or /rooms, improving performance.
Also, I used native browser lazy loading for images using the loading="lazy" attribute, especially in the room listing cards, to load images only when they come into view."

✅ Q14. What is a Pipe in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **Pipe** in Angular is used to **transform or format data in the template** before displaying it to the user.

You use it in HTML like this:

```
{{ value | pipeName }}
```

It's like a **filter** that changes how your data looks — without modifying the actual data.

🔧 Common Built-in Pipes

Pipe	What it does	Example
date	Formats date values	`{{ today
currency	Formats number as currency	`{{ price
uppercase	Converts text to uppercase	`{{ name
lowercase	Converts text to lowercase	`{{ name
titlecase	Capitalizes each word	`{{ hotelName
json	Displays object as JSON string	`{{ user
slice	Extracts part of a string or array	`{{ message

🧑‍💻 Example from Your Hotel Management Project

Let's say you are showing **room price** and **room type** in the Room Component:

```
<!-- src/app/components/core/room/room.html -->
<h5 class="card-title text-primary">
  Type: {{ room.type | titlecase }}  <!-- "single" => "Single" -->
</h5>

<p class="card-text">
  <strong>Price:</strong> {{ room.price | currency:'INR':'symbol' }}
  <!-- 4500 => ₹4,500.00 -->
</p>
```

✅ These pipes help make the display **more readable** for the user:

- titlecase makes text look clean
- currency formats price properly

✅ Custom Pipes (Bonus Knowledge)

If you wanted to show **discounted price**, you could create a custom pipe:

```
import { Pipe, PipeTransform } from '@angular/core';


@Pipe({ name: 'discount' })
export class DiscountPipe implements PipeTransform {
  transform(price: number, discountPercent: number = 10): number {
    return price - (price * discountPercent) / 100;
  }
}
```

Then use in HTML:

```
<p>Discounted Price: {{ room.price | discount:15 }}</p>
```

✅ Interview Answer (Simple Version):

"A pipe in Angular is used to format data in the template.
For example, in my Hotel Management project, I used titlecase to format room types like 'single' to 'Single', and currency to show prices like 4500 as ₹4,500.00.
Pipes make data look cleaner without changing the original values.
Angular also supports custom pipes — for example, I can create a discount pipe to calculate discounted prices."

Let’s break it down in **super simple language**, with **side-by-side comparison**, examples, and how you’ve likely used them.

✅ What Are Forms in Angular?

Angular provides two ways to create and manage forms:

1. **Template-driven Forms** – easy and form logic is in the HTML template.
2. **Reactive Forms** – more powerful, form logic is in the TypeScript file.

🔁 1. Template-Driven Forms

🧠 Simple idea:

- Defined mostly **in HTML**
- Best for **simple** forms (like login, contact form)
- Uses Angular directives like [(ngModel)], #form="ngForm"

✅ Key Features:

Feature	Value
Setup	Quick and easy
Logic	Mostly in HTML
Binding	[(ngModel)]
Validation	Simple built-in validators
Best for	Small or simple forms

✅ Example: Login Form (Template-driven)

From your login.component.html:

```
<form #loginForm="ngForm" (ngSubmit)="onSubmit()">
  <input type="email" name="email" [(ngModel)]="credentials.email" required />
  <input type="password" name="password" [(ngModel)]="credentials.password" required />
  <button type="submit">Login</button>
</form>
credentials = {
  email: '', password: ''
};
onSubmit() {
  this.authService.login(this.credentials).subscribe(...);
}
```

✅ **2. Reactive Forms**

🧠 **Simple idea:**

- Defined **completely in TypeScript**
- Best for **complex or dynamic** forms
- Uses FormGroup, FormControl, FormBuilder

✅ **Key Features:**

Feature	Value
Setup	More structured
Logic	Mostly in TypeScript
Binding	[formControl], formGroup
Validation	Powerful, custom validators
Best for	Complex or dynamic forms

✅ **Example: Manager Registration Form (Reactive)**

HTML (add-manager.component.html)

```
<form [formGroup]="managerForm" (ngSubmit)="onSubmit()">
  <input type="text" formControlName="name" />
  <input type="email" formControlName="email" />
  <input type="password" formControlName="password" />
  <button type="submit">Register</button>
</form>
```

TS (add-manager.component.ts)

```
import { FormBuilder, FormGroup, Validators } from '@angular/forms';

managerForm: FormGroup;

constructor(private fb: FormBuilder) {
  this.managerForm = this.fb.group({
    name: ['', Validators.required],
    email: ['', [Validators.required, Validators.email]],
    password: ['', [Validators.required, Validators.minLength(6)]],
  });
}
```

```
onSubmit() {
  console.log(this.managerForm.value);
  // Send form data to backend
}
```

✅ **Side-by-Side Comparison**

Feature	Template-Driven	Reactive
Where logic lives	Mostly in HTML	In TypeScript (component class)
Form creation	HTML form + ngModel	Uses FormGroup, FormControl
Validation	HTML + directive-based	Full control via code
Best for	Simple forms (login/contact)	Complex forms (admin forms, dynamic)
Setup	Faster, less code	More powerful and testable

✅ **Interview Answer Example:**

"Angular provides two types of forms: Template-driven and Reactive Forms.
Template-driven forms are simpler and mostly defined in HTML using [(ngModel)], like I used in my login page.
Reactive forms are more robust and defined in the TypeScript file using FormGroup, FormBuilder, and Validators.
In my Hotel Management project, I used Reactive Forms for manager registration because it required strong validation and structure."

✅ **Basics First: Why these things exist?**

Angular uses special tools to **bind form inputs to your data**, and **manage validations**.
These tools differ slightly in **Template-driven Forms** and **Reactive Forms**.

🔵 **A. Template-Driven Form Keywords**

1️⃣ **[(ngModel)]**

Used to create **two-way binding** between your form field and component variable.

Means:
Whatever user types → goes into variable
Whatever variable has → shows in form field

✅ **Example:**

```
<input type="text" [(ngModel)]="userName" name="userName">

userName = 'Sagar';
```

Now:

- If you type "Rahul", userName becomes "Rahul"
- If you update userName from TS, input shows it instantly

2️⃣ #form="ngForm"

Creates a **reference variable** to the entire form object in Template-Driven Forms.

- It lets you **track form validity, access field errors**, etc.

✅ Example:

```
<form #loginForm="ngForm" (ngSubmit)="onSubmit()">
  <input name="email" [(ngModel)]="credentials.email" required>
  <button type="submit" [disabled]="!loginForm.valid">Submit</button>
</form>
```

- loginForm.valid → checks if all required fields are valid.
- #loginForm holds the form object in the template.

🔴 B. Reactive Form Keywords

1️⃣ FormGroup

Think of this as the **form itself** — a container that holds all form controls.

```
this.loginForm = new FormGroup({
  email: new FormControl(''),
  password: new FormControl('')
});
Or using FormBuilder:
this.loginForm = this.fb.group({
  email: [''],
  password: ['']
});
```

2️⃣ FormControl

Represents **each individual field** (input box).

const emailControl = new FormControl('default@email.com');

You use FormControl to:

- Get/set value

- Track validity
- Add validators

3️⃣ FormBuilder

A helper service that makes it **easier and shorter** to create forms.

Instead of writing:

```
new FormGroup({
  name: new FormControl('', Validators.required)
})
```

With FormBuilder:

```
this.fb.group({
  name: ['', Validators.required]
});
```

✅ So, FormBuilder is just a **shortcut** to build FormGroup and FormControl.

🔁 Summary Table

Term	Used In	What it does
[(ngModel)]	Template-driven	Two-way binding for input
#form="ngForm"	Template-driven	Get form object in template
FormGroup	Reactive forms	Holds all form fields
FormControl	Reactive forms	Holds one field (input)
FormBuilder	Reactive forms	Shortcut to build form

🧠 Interview Answer Example

"[(ngModel)] is used in Template-driven forms for two-way binding.
#form="ngForm" lets you access form status like validity.
In Reactive Forms, we use FormGroup to create the form structure, and FormControl for each field.
To simplify, I use FormBuilder, which helps build forms in a cleaner way.
For example, in my Hotel Management project, I used FormBuilder to create the Manager Registration Form with validators."

✅ What is @NgModule in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

@NgModule is a **decorator** in Angular that helps you **organize and group** related parts of your app — like components, directives, pipes, and other modules.

It tells Angular:
👉 "Hey! These are the building blocks of this part of the app."

📦 Think of it like a "Box" 📦

Imagine a box 📦 that holds:

- Components like LoginComponent, RegisterComponent
- Services like AuthService
- Other modules like FormsModule, RouterModule

That box = **an Angular module** — defined using @NgModule.

✅ Real Example from Your Project (App Module)

```
// src/app/app.module.ts
import { NgModule } from '@angular/core';
import { BrowserModule } from '@angular/platform-browser';
import { FormsModule } from '@angular/forms';
import { AppComponent } from './app.component';
import { LoginComponent } from './components/login/login.component';
@NgModule({
 declarations: [   // ✅ Things you build (components, directives, pipes)
  AppComponent,
  LoginComponent
 ],
 imports: [      // ✅ Things you use (built-in or feature modules)
  BrowserModule,
  FormsModule
 ],
 providers: [],   // ✅ Services to inject (like AuthService)
 bootstrap: [AppComponent]  // ✅ Starting point of the app
})
```

```
export class AppModule { }
```

🔍 Breakdown of @NgModule Properties

Property	Purpose
declarations	Declare your components, pipes, directives
imports	Import other modules your module needs
providers	Provide services (for DI)
bootstrap	Define which component to start the app (usually AppComponent)

🧩 Feature Modules Example (Like AdminModule)

In large apps like yours (Hotel Management), you break the app into small modules:

```
@NgModule({
  declarations: [AdminDashboardComponent],
  imports: [CommonModule, RouterModule.forChild(routes)]
})
export class AdminModule { }
```

🎯 Why is @NgModule important?

Reason	Benefit
Grouping	Organizes your code
Reusability	Makes feature modules reusable
Performance	Supports **lazy loading**
Dependency Injection	Registers services for injection
Bootstrap	Defines app starting point

✅ Interview Answer (Simple Version)

"@NgModule is a decorator in Angular that helps organize related code together.
It allows me to group components, directives, pipes, services, and other modules into one unit.
For example, in my Hotel Management project, I used AppModule to declare the main components like Login and Home, and imported FormsModule to use two-way binding.
I also created feature modules like AdminModule and RoomModule, which are loaded lazily to improve performance."

RxJS is a *core part* of Angular — especially when working with services, APIs, and forms. You are already using RxJS in your code, even if you didn't realize it!

Let's explain everything **simply**, with reference to your code (AdminService), so it's easy to understand and answer in interviews.

✅ What is RxJS in Angular?

RxJS (Reactive Extensions for JavaScript) is a library for handling **asynchronous data** using **Observables**.

🔁 Observables let you work with:

- API data
- User input
- Timers
- Streams of events

✅ Where are you using RxJS in your code?

In your **AdminService**, this line:

```
getAllUsers(): Observable<User[]> {
  return this.http.get<User[]>(`${environment.apiBaseUrl}/User`);
}
```

👉 Observable<User[]> — this comes from **RxJS**.

So when you call this service method in your component, you're **subscribing to an Observable** — and RxJS takes care of **asynchronous handling**.

🧩 RxJS Keywords Used in Angular

Concept	Description	Your Code?
Observable	A stream of data (like API response)	✅ Yes
subscribe()	Get data from observable	✅ Yes
pipe()	Chain multiple RxJS operators	Optional
tap(), map(), catchError()	Operators to modify stream	✅ In AuthService

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✅ Interview-Friendly Explanation of RxJS

"RxJS is a library used in Angular to handle async operations using Observables.
In my Hotel Management project, I use RxJS whenever I call APIs using HttpClient.
For example, in the AdminService, I return Observable<User[]> from the getAllUsers() method.
Then in the component, I use .subscribe() to get the user data. RxJS helps manage timing, responses, and errors in a clean way."

✅ Example (How It Works in Components)

Let's say you use the service in a component like this:

```
users: User[] = [];

constructor(private adminService: AdminService) {}

ngOnInit() {
 this.adminService.getAllUsers().subscribe({
  next: (data) => {
   this.users = data;
   console.log('All Users:', this.users);
  },
  error: (err) => {
   console.error('Failed to fetch users', err);
  }
 });
}
```

👉 This .subscribe() method is how you **listen to the Observable** and get the response from the backend.

🔄 **Bonus: Using .pipe() with RxJS Operators**

In your AuthService, you've already used this:

```
return this.http.post(...).pipe(
 tap(response => console.log('API Response:', response)),
 catchError(error => {
  console.error('API Error:', error);
  throw error;
 })
);
```

✅ This is RxJS in action: pipe(), tap(), catchError() — to **modify**, **log**, or **handle errors** in the Observable stream.

✅ **Summary Table**

RxJS Term	What It Means	Where You Use It
Observable	Represents async stream of data	API methods return it
subscribe()	Used to get the data from observable	Inside components
pipe()	Used to chain RxJS operators	In AuthService
tap()	Do side effects like logging	In AuthService
catchError()	Handle errors inside observable stream	In AuthService

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🧠 **Final Interview Answer (Simple + Professional):**

"RxJS is a library used in Angular for handling asynchronous data using Observables.
In my Hotel Management project, whenever I call APIs, I return an Observable from the service and then subscribe to it in the component.
I also use RxJS operators like tap() for debugging and catchError() for error handling.
This helps keep my code clean, modular, and reactive."

Let me know if you'd like:

- A **custom diagram** for RxJS flow
- Or help converting any of your code to use more **RxJS operators like map() or filter()**.

✅ What is an Observable in Angular (RxJS)?

🧠 Simple Definition:

An **Observable** is like a **"data stream"** that will give you values **in the future**, especially when the response takes time — like **APIs, user inputs, time intervals** etc.

In Angular, you get Observables when you use services like:

```
this.http.get<User[]>('/api/users');  // returns Observable<User[]>
```

✅ It does **NOT** give you data immediately — it waits.

✅ What is subscribe()?

subscribe() is the method you use to **actually receive** the data from an Observable.

💡 Think of it like this:

- **Observable:** "I have data, but I'll give it to you when it's ready."
- **Subscribe:** "Okay, I'm ready! Let me know when you're done."

🧩 Example from Your Project

✅ In your AdminService:

```
getAllUsers(): Observable<User[]> {
  return this.http.get<User[]>(`${environment.apiBaseUrl}/User`);
}
```

This returns an **Observable**, but it does **not fetch data yet**.

✅ In your Component:

```
this.adminService.getAllUsers().subscribe({
  next: (data) => {
    this.users = data;  // ✅ Now data is available
  },
  error: (err) => {
    console.error('Failed to fetch users', err);
  }
});
```

This is where **subscribe()** is used — to actually start the request and handle the response.

🧠 Real Life Analogy (To Remember Easily)

Imagine ordering food online:

Role	Meaning
Observable	The Swiggy/Zomato app 🍔 — it *can* deliver food (data), but hasn't yet.
Subscribe()	You place the order 🛵 — now it knows **where to deliver** and **when it's complete**, you get it.

🔄 Difference between Observable and subscribe()

Feature	Observable	subscribe()
What it is	A data stream that *can* give data	A method to **receive** that data
Role	Prepares data but doesn't run it	Actually starts the stream (like API call)
Returns	Nothing yet — just setup	The actual data (response/error)
Usage	In services	In components

✅ Interview Answer (Simple and Professional):

"An Observable is a stream of data that Angular uses to handle asynchronous tasks like API calls or user inputs.
But Observables don't run on their own — we use subscribe() to actually start them and receive the data.
For example, in my Hotel Management project, I return Observable<User[]> from the AdminService, and then I subscribe to it in the component to fetch and display all users."

✅ What are Decorators in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **decorator** in Angular is a special **function** that adds **extra behavior or metadata** to a class, method, property, or parameter.

You can identify them because they always start with @.

Example:

@Component({ ... })

This tells Angular —
➡️ "Hey! This class is not just a regular class. It's a component!"

✅ Why are Decorators used?

They help Angular understand **what role your code is playing**:

- Is it a component?
- A service?
- An input from parent?
- An output to child?

🧩 Types of Decorators in Angular

Here are the **main types**, with simple examples:

1️⃣ @Component — Used for Components

Tells Angular this class is a **component** with a template, CSS, and logic.

```
@Component({
  selector: 'app-login',
  templateUrl: './login.html',
  styleUrls: ['./login.css']
})
export class LoginComponent { ... }
```

✅ Used in: Login Page, Register Page, Room Page, etc.

2️⃣ @NgModule — Used for Modules

Tells Angular this class is a **module** and groups components/services together.

```
@NgModule({
```

```
 declarations: [AppComponent],
 imports: [BrowserModule, FormsModule],
 bootstrap: [AppComponent]
})
export class AppModule { }
```

✅ Used in: AppModule, AdminModule, RoomModule, etc.

3️⃣ @Injectable — Used for Services

Tells Angular this class can be **injected** as a service using Dependency Injection.

```
@Injectable({
 providedIn: 'root'
})
export class AuthService { ... }
```

✅ Used in: AuthService, AdminService, RoomService, etc.

4️⃣ @Input() — To receive data from parent component

Marks a property as **input**, which means the **parent component can send data** to it.

```
@Input() hotelName!: string;
```

✅ Example: If RoomComponent needs hotel name from parent.

5️⃣ @Output() — To send data to parent component

Marks a property as **output**, which means the **child component can emit an event** to parent.

```
@Output() roomBooked = new EventEmitter<number>();


bookRoom(id: number) {
 this.roomBooked.emit(id);
}
```

6️⃣ @HostListener() — Listen to DOM events

Helps you handle browser-level events (scroll, click, resize).

```
@HostListener('window:scroll', [])
onWindowScroll() {
 console.log('Page is scrolling');
}
```

7️⃣ @Directive() — For Custom Directives (Advanced)

Tells Angular that a class is a **directive**, which can change how an element behaves.

```
@Directive({
  selector: '[appHighlight]'
})
export class HighlightDirective { ... }
```

✅ Summary Table

Decorator	Purpose	Where it's used
@Component	Declare Angular component	UI components (Login, Room, etc.)
@NgModule	Declare Angular module	AppModule, Feature Modules
@Injectable	Register a service for DI	AuthService, AdminService
@Input()	Receive data from parent component	Child Components
@Output()	Emit events to parent component	Child Components
@Directive()	Create custom directive	Advanced Use
@HostListener()	Listen to browser events	Inside Component/Directive class

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🧠 Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):

"Decorators in Angular are special functions that add metadata to classes and properties.
For example, I use @Component to define components like Login and Home, @Injectable to create services like AuthService, and @Input() and @Output() to pass data between parent and child components.
Decorators help Angular understand what each class or property is meant to do."

Let me know if you'd like:

- A diagram of how @Input() and @Output() work
- Or want to move to the next interview question!

Great question, Sagar! 🌟
This is a **very common interview question**, especially for Angular, since Angular is written in **TypeScript**, not plain JavaScript.

Let me explain it in **very simple language**, with a **table**, examples, and an **interview-ready answer** ✅

✅ Basic Idea

Language	What It Is
JavaScript (JS)	A scripting language that runs in the browser. It's used to add behavior to websites (click, alert, logic, etc.)
TypeScript (TS)	A **superset** of JavaScript created by Microsoft. It adds extra features like **types**, **classes**, and **interfaces**. It is converted ("compiled") into plain JavaScript before running in the browser.

✅ Key Differences Between JavaScript and TypeScript

Feature	JavaScript	TypeScript
Type System	Dynamic typing (no type checking)	Static typing (with type checking at compile time)
Compilation	Interpreted directly by browser	Compiled to JavaScript using the TypeScript compiler
Error Detection	Errors only at **runtime**	Errors at **compile-time** (early detection)
Classes & Interfaces	ES6+ supports classes; interfaces not available	Fully supports **classes** and **interfaces**
Tooling Support	Basic IDE support	Excellent support with **IntelliSense**, auto-complete etc
Code Maintainability	Difficult in large projects	Easy to maintain and scale large apps
Used in Angular?	❌ No	✅ Yes — Angular is fully built with TypeScript

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✅ Code Example: JS vs TS

🔸 JavaScript

```
function add(a, b) {
  return a + b;
}


console.log(add("2", 3));  // Output: "23"  (String + Number)
```

❌ No error, but wrong result!

🔷 **TypeScript**

```
function add(a: number, b: number): number {
  return a + b;
}

console.log(add("2", 3));  // ❌ Error at compile time!
```

✅ TS shows error **before running**, because "2" is a string.

✅ **Why Angular uses TypeScript?**

Because Angular is a **large framework**, and TypeScript helps with:

- Early error detection
- IDE support (IntelliSense, autocomplete)
- Writing maintainable code
- Building big, scalable apps like yours (Hotel Management System)

🧠 **Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):**

"JavaScript is a scripting language used to build dynamic web pages.
TypeScript is a superset of JavaScript that adds static typing, interfaces, and compile-time checks.
In my Angular project, I use TypeScript because it gives better error checking, autocompletion, and makes the code easier to manage in large applications."

Awesome question, Sagar! 🌟
SPA (Single Page Application) is a **core concept in Angular** — and every interviewer expects you to know this well.

Let's break it down in **super simple words**, with examples, how it works in your **Hotel Management Project**, and an **interview-friendly answer** ✅

✅ What is SPA (Single Page Application)?

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **Single Page Application (SPA)** is a web application that loads **only one HTML page** initially, and then **dynamically updates** the content **without reloading** the entire page.

🔁 In normal websites (Multi-Page Apps):

- When you click a link → Browser requests **a new HTML page** from the server.
- The **whole page reloads**.

✅ But in SPA:

- Only the **data or component changes** — not the entire page.
- The browser **does NOT reload** — it updates content using **JavaScript & Angular Router**.

🎯 Example from Your Hotel Management Project

👉 When a User clicks:

- /home → HomeComponent loads
- /login → LoginComponent loads
- /manager-dashboard → ManagerComponent loads

But the **browser never reloads** — only the middle part (called **router-outlet**) updates.

✅ That's SPA in action!

✅ Key Features of SPA

Feature	Description
🔄 No full reload	Only parts of the page change, not the entire page
⚡ Fast performance	Faster navigation after first load
📡 Uses AJAX/HTTP	Calls APIs to get new data (no page reload)

Feature	Description
🧭 Uses Angular Router	Handles navigation between views
🧠 Better UX	Feels like using a mobile app

✅ **Real-Life Example (Simple Analogy):**

🛒 **E-commerce app** like Flipkart or Amazon

- You click **Product Details** → Page updates instantly
- You click **Cart**, **Profile**, **Login** → Only center content changes

That's a Single Page App.

🧠 **Interview Answer (Simple + Professional):**

"SPA stands for Single Page Application. It's a type of web app where only one HTML page is loaded initially, and all content updates happen dynamically without reloading the full page.
In my Angular-based Hotel Management project, routes like /home, /login, /admin-dashboard all update the central content using Angular Router, without refreshing the browser.
This provides a faster, smoother user experience."

✅ **1. routerLink vs href**

Feature	routerLink (Angular way)	href (HTML way)
Framework Usage	Used in Angular apps	Used in normal HTML pages
Page Reload	❌ No full page reload (SPA behavior)	✅ Triggers full page reload
Routing System	Works with Angular Router	Bypasses Angular, goes to server
Example	<a [routerLink]="/home">Home	Home

✅ **Your Project Example:**

```
<!-- GOOD (Angular) -->

<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/home">🏠 Home</a>


<!-- BAD (Plain HTML) -->

<a href="/home">🏠 Home</a>  <!-- This causes full page reload -->
```

Conclusion:

✅ Always use routerLink in Angular apps.

✅ **2. routerLinkActive**

🧠 **What It Does:**

Adds a CSS class to the active route's link (helps highlight the currently active tab).

✅ **Example from Your Navbar:**

```
<a class="nav-link" routerLink="/login" routerLinkActive="active">🔑 Login</a>
```

This will apply the class "active" only when /login is the current route.

✅ Result: The link gets highlighted automatically.

✅ **3. Route Guards in Angular**

🧠 **What are Route Guards?**

Guards are services that protect or restrict access to routes.
They decide: **Can the user go to this page or not?**

✅ **4. What is canActivate?**

🔐 **Used for authentication/authorization.**

It checks before loading a route:
"Should this route be allowed?"
If true, Angular allows. If false, it blocks or redirects.

✅ **Example Scenario from Your Project:**

Let's say:

- Only **Admins** can access /admin-dashboard
- We create a route guard to protect that route

✅ **Step 1: Create Guard**

ng generate guard auth/admin-auth

✅ **Step 2: Write Guard Logic (admin-auth.guard.ts)**

```
import { Injectable } from '@angular/core';
import { CanActivate, Router } from '@angular/router';
import { AuthService } from '../services/auth/auth.service';

@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'
})
```

```
export class AdminAuthGuard implements CanActivate {
  constructor(private authService: AuthService, private router: Router) {}

  canActivate(): boolean {
    const role = this.authService.getRole();

    if (role === 'Admin') {
      return true;
    } else {
      this.router.navigate(['/unauthorized']);  // or redirect to /login
      return false;
    }
  }
}
```

✅ **Step 3: Use It in Routes (app.routes.ts or similar)**

```
{
  path: 'admin-dashboard',
  component: AdminDashboardComponent,
  canActivate: [AdminAuthGuard]  // 🔐 Guard applied
}
```

✅ **Interview Answer (Short & Simple):**

"routerLink is used in Angular to navigate between routes without reloading the page, while href reloads the entire page and should be avoided in Angular apps.
routerLinkActive helps highlight the current active tab.
To protect routes, I use Angular **Route Guards**.
For example, I created an AdminAuthGuard using canActivate to restrict the /admin-dashboard route only to admins in my Hotel Management project."

✅ What is Bootstrap?

🧠 Simple Definition:

Bootstrap is a popular **CSS framework** used to build **responsive**, **mobile-friendly**, and **good-looking websites** quickly using **predefined classes**.

It includes:

- ✅ Pre-built UI components (navbar, buttons, cards, forms)
- ✅ Utility classes for layout (margin, padding, grid)
- ✅ Mobile responsiveness out of the box (flex, grid, breakpoints)
- ✅ JS plugins (modals, carousels, collapse, dropdowns)

✅ Why Use Bootstrap?

Without Bootstrap	With Bootstrap
You write all CSS	Reuse pre-written styles
Hard to make it responsive	Automatically responsive
More time-consuming	Saves development time

✅ Example from Your Project

🔶 Navbar using Bootstrap

```
<nav class="navbar navbar-expand-lg navbar-dark bg-dark shadow-sm sticky-top px-4 py-2">
  <a class="navbar-brand fw-bold" routerLink="/home">
    <i class="fas fa-hotel"></i> Smart Hotels
  </a>
</nav>
```

🔍 Explanation:

- navbar, navbar-expand-lg: Creates responsive navbar
- bg-dark, navbar-dark: Dark background + white text
- shadow-sm: Adds a small shadow
- px-4 py-2: Padding (horizontal and vertical)

🔶 Button with Bootstrap

<button class="btn btn-success">Book Now</button>

- btn: Base button styling
- btn-success: Green color

🔶 **Responsive Grid Layout**

```
<div class="row">
  <div class="col-md-6 col-lg-4">Card 1</div>
  <div class="col-md-6 col-lg-4">Card 2</div>
</div>
```

- row: Row container
- col-md-6: 50% width on medium screens
- col-lg-4: 33% width on large screens

✅ This layout will adjust automatically on smaller devices.

✅ **How to Add Bootstrap to Angular?**

You probably already did this in angular.json:

```
"styles": [
  "node_modules/bootstrap/dist/css/bootstrap.min.css",
  "src/styles.css"
]
Or by using CDN in index.html (optional):
<link
  href="https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/bootstrap@5.3.0/dist/css/bootstrap.min.css"
  rel="stylesheet"
/>
```

🧠 **Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):**

"Bootstrap is a CSS framework used to build responsive and styled web pages faster.
In my Angular project, I used Bootstrap for the navbar, buttons, responsive grid layout, cards, forms, and more.
For example, I used classes like navbar, btn btn-primary, and col-md-6 to style my hotel list and booking pages without writing extra CSS."

✅ What is an AuthGuard?

🧠 Simple Definition:

An **AuthGuard** is a special service in Angular that **protects routes** from unauthorized access.
It checks:
"Is the user logged in?" → ✅ Yes → Allow
"Not logged in?" → ❌ Block access and redirect to /login

✅ When Do We Use It?

You use AuthGuard to **protect private pages** like:

- /profile
- /admin-dashboard
- /my-bookings
- /manager-dashboard

You don't want users to access these unless they are **authenticated**.

✅ Your Code (Explained Simply)

```
// 📁 src/app/auth-guard.ts
@Injectable({
 providedIn: 'root'
})
export class AuthGuard implements CanActivate {
 constructor(private authService: AuthService, private router: Router) {}

 canActivate(): boolean {
  if (this.authService.isLoggedIn()) {
   return true; // ✅ Allow route access
  } else {
   alert('You must be logged in to access this page.');
   this.router.navigate(['/login']); // ❌ Block and redirect
   return false;
  }
 }
}
```

🧠 Breakdown:

- @Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' }): Makes it available everywhere.
- implements CanActivate: Means this service can **control route access**.
- canActivate() method:
    - Checks if token exists via authService.isLoggedIn()
    - If ✅: Returns true, allowing navigation.
    - If ❌: Alerts user, redirects to login, returns false.

✅ How to Use AuthGuard in Routing?

In your app.routes.ts or wherever you define routes:

```
{
  path: 'profile',
  component: ProfileComponent,
  canActivate: [AuthGuard]  // 🔐 Protect this route
}
```

✅ Real-World Analogy

Think of AuthGuard like a **bouncer at a club** 🕴️

Action	Meaning
User has ticket (token) ✅	Allowed inside (navigate route)
No ticket ❌	"Sorry, go to login first!" 🚫

✅ Interview Answer (Simple + Clear):

"AuthGuard is a service in Angular that protects private routes from unauthenticated users.
It implements CanActivate and checks if the user is logged in using the AuthService.
In my Hotel Management project, I applied AuthGuard on routes like /profile, /admin-dashboard, and /my-bookings.
If the user is not logged in, they are redirected to the login page."

Would you like help creating **AdminGuard** or **ManagerGuard** based on roles as well?

✅ What is a Service in Angular?

🧠 Simple Definition:

A **Service** in Angular is a class that contains **shared business logic or reusable code** — like making HTTP requests, storing user state, or working with data — and can be used across multiple components.

✅ Why Services?

- To **avoid writing the same logic in many components**
- To follow the **Single Responsibility Principle**
- To share **data or functions between components**
- To use **Dependency Injection** for clean code

✅ Your Service: AuthService

Your file:
📁 src/app/services/auth/auth.service.ts

This service handles **Authentication Logic** (Login, Register, Logout, Role Management) in your project.

✅ 1. @Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' })

```
@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'
})
```

- Makes the service **available everywhere in the app** (global singleton).
- You don't need to manually provide it in any module.

✅ 2. Constructor with Dependency Injection

```
constructor(private http: HttpClient, private cookieService: CookieService)
```

- HttpClient → Used to send **API requests** for login/register
- CookieService → Used to **store or get token, role, name** in browser cookies

✅ This is how **dependency injection** is done in Angular.

✅ 3. BehaviorSubject for Reactive Login/Role Status

```
private loggedIn: BehaviorSubject<boolean>;
private role: BehaviorSubject<string>;
```

- Stores real-time login status and user role.
- Can be **observed** by components (like navbar) to react when user logs in/out.

✅ 4. Observable Getters

```
get isLoggedIn$(): Observable<boolean> {
  return this.loggedIn.asObservable();
}
get role$(): Observable<string> {
  return this.role.asObservable();
}
```

- Components can **subscribe** to isLoggedIn$ or role$ to show/hide UI elements accordingly (like menu items).

✅ 5. register() Method

```
register(userData: any): Observable<any> {
  return this.http.post(`${environment.apiBaseUrl}/Auth/register`, userData);
}
```

- Sends POST request to backend register API
- Returns an **Observable** (so component can .subscribe() to it)

✅ 6. login() Method

```
login(credentials: { email: string; password: string }): Observable<any> {
  return this.http.post<any>(`${environment.apiBaseUrl}/Auth/login`, credentials);
}
```

- Sends login request to backend
- On success, component will call saveUserData() to store details

---

✅ 7. saveUserData() Method

```
saveUserData(data: any): void {
  this.cookieService.set('token', data.token);
  this.cookieService.set('role', data.role);
  ...
  this.loggedIn.next(true);
  this.role.next(data.role);
}
```

- Saves token, role, name etc. in **browser cookies**
- Updates login state using BehaviorSubject so other components know user is logged in

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✅ 8. Utility Methods

Method	Purpose
getRole()	Read role from cookie
getUserId()	Get user ID from cookie
getName()	Get name from cookie
isLoggedIn()	Check if token exists → used in AuthGuard

✅ 9. logout() Method

```
logout(): void {
  this.cookieService.deleteAll();
  this.loggedIn.next(false);
  this.role.next('');
}
```

- Clears all cookies
- Resets state to logged out
- Components subscribed to isLoggedIn$/role$ will update instantly

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✅ Real-World Analogy:

This service is like a **Reception Desk** at a hotel:

Task	Service Method
New guest registration	register()
Logging in guest	login()
Storing room key & ID	saveUserData()
Checking current guest status	isLoggedIn()
Logging out guest	logout()

🧠 Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):

"A service in Angular is a class that holds business logic or reusable code and is injected into components.
In my project, I created an AuthService to manage login, register, cookies, and user state.
It uses HttpClient to send API requests and CookieService to store tokens and role info.
I also used BehaviorSubject to let components like navbar reactively update login status, and I used it with AuthGuards to protect routes like /admin-dashboard."

This is a **very common interview question** to check your understanding of how an Angular app runs **from start to end** — called the **Angular Application Lifecycle** or **Flow**.

Let me explain it **in simple words with an actual example flow**, like your **Hotel Management Project**, using this format:

main.ts → index.html → app.component → router-outlet → loginComponent → authService → backend

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✅ **Angular Project Flow (Step-by-Step)**

🔷 **1. main.ts (Entry Point)**

// src/main.ts

```
bootstrapApplication(AppComponent)
```

- This is the **entry file** of your Angular app.
- It tells Angular: “Start this app using AppComponent.”

🔷 **2. index.html (Shell Page)**

<!-- src/index.html -->

```
<body>
  <app-root></app-root>
</body>
```

- This is the **only HTML page** served by the browser.
- <app-root> is a placeholder for your Angular app.

🔷 **3. AppComponent (Root Component)**

<!-- app.component.html -->

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

- This is the **root Angular component** that loads first.
- It includes a <router-outlet>, which is where **all child components** (like Login, Home, Dashboard) are injected.

🔷 **4. Routing Decides Which Component to Load**

// app.routes.ts or app-routing.module.ts

```
{ path: 'login', component: LoginComponent },
{ path: 'home', component: HomeComponent },
```

- Based on the URL, Angular loads the correct component into <router-outlet>

🔷 5. LoginComponent Loads

```
// login.component.ts
constructor(private authService: AuthService, private router: Router) {}

onSubmit() {
  this.authService.login(credentials).subscribe(...)
}
```

- When the user enters credentials and clicks “Login”, the component uses AuthService to call the login API.

🔷 6. AuthService Handles API

```
// auth.service.ts
login(credentials) {
  return this.http.post(`${environment.apiBaseUrl}/Auth/login`, credentials);
}
```

- Sends the request to backend.
- On success, stores token in cookies, updates login status.

🔷 7. User Gets Redirected

```
// login.component.ts
if (response.role === 'Admin') {
  this.router.navigate(['/admin-dashboard']);
}
```

- Based on user role, Angular navigates to different routes (Dashboard, Home, etc.)
- router-outlet loads the new component accordingly.

✅ Full Example Flow (Hotel Management Project)

```
main.ts
  ↓
index.html (loads <app-root>)
  ↓
app.component.ts (contains <router-outlet>)
  ↓
URL = /login → LoginComponent loads
  ↓
```

```
login.component.ts (handles form & button)
  ↓
login.html (user fills form)
  ↓
onSubmit() calls → AuthService.login()
  ↓
AuthService sends HTTP request to backend
  ↓
Backend returns token → AuthService saves it in cookies
  ↓
AuthService updates login status (BehaviorSubject)
  ↓
User redirected to '/admin-dashboard' → loads AdminComponent
```

🧠 **Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):**

"In Angular, the app starts from main.ts, which bootstraps the AppComponent.
The index.html loads only once with the <app-root> tag. Inside AppComponent, there's a <router-outlet> that loads components based on routes.
If the user goes to /login, the LoginComponent loads. It uses AuthService to call the backend, gets the token, stores it in cookies, and redirects based on role.
This way, the app flows from the root to specific components using routing and services."

Dependency Injection (DI) is a core concept in Angular and very commonly asked in interviews — especially **how DI works** and **how many ways there are** to provide a service.

Let's break it down in **simple, easy-to-remember** format:

✅ What is Dependency Injection?

Dependency Injection in Angular means:
Angular **automatically provides the objects (like services)** your component needs — instead of you manually creating them using new.

👉 In simple words: Angular says,
"Tell me what you need — I'll give it to you!"

✅ Where is it used in your project?

Example:

```
constructor(private authService: AuthService) {}
```

➡️ Angular will **inject** an instance of AuthService when this component is created.

✅ 3 Common Ways to Provide Dependencies in Angular

🔷 1. providedIn: 'root' (Global Service)

This is what **you're using in your project** (most common and preferred way).

```
@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'
})
export class AuthService {
  ...
}
```

✅ **Angular creates a single instance** (singleton) of this service, and it is available **throughout the app**.

🔷 2. Providing in a Module (@NgModule.providers)

This is a more manual and older way — used rarely now.

```
@NgModule({
  providers: [AuthService]
})
export class AppModule {}
```

👎 Not recommended unless you need **manual control**.

🔷 3. Providing in Component (@Component.providers)

Use when you want a **different instance of service per component**.

```
@Component({
  selector: 'example',
  providers: [CustomLoggerService]
})
export class ExampleComponent {}
```

📌 Use this when you need **component-scoped services**, not shared globally.

✅ Which one are we using in your project?

✅ You are using this (best practice):

```
@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'
})
```

So, all your services like AuthService, HotelService, RoomService, etc., are available **globally**.

🧠 Interview Answer (Simple + Confident):

"Angular provides Dependency Injection to automatically give components and services the dependencies they need. There are 3 ways to provide a service: globally with providedIn: 'root', in a specific module, or inside a specific component.
In my Hotel Management project, I used the most common and recommended approach — using providedIn: 'root' inside @Injectable() — so the service is available app-wide as a singleton."
