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# HttpInterceptor Examples

# Setting the new headers

Often we need to **return an API key to an authenticated API endpoint via a request Header**. Using Interceptors, we can simplify our application code to handle this automatically. Let's make a simple use case of attaching an API header key to each request.

```
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export class HeaderInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
  intercept(httpRequest: HttpRequest<any>,  
            next: HttpHandler): Observable<HttpEvent<any>>  
  {  
    const API_KEY = '123456';  
    return next.handle(httpRequest.clone(  
      { setHeaders: {API_KEY} }));  
  }  
}
```



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# Convert XML response to JSON



```
export class XmlInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
    constructor(@Inject(XmlParser) private xml: XMLParser) {}  
  
    intercept(req: HttpRequest<any>, next: HttpHandler) {  
        return next.handle(req).pipe(  
            // proceed when there is a response; ignore other  
            events  
            filter(event => event instanceof HttpResponse),  
            map(  
                (event: HttpResponse<any>) => {  
                    if (this.xml.validate(event.body) !== true) {  
                        // only parse xml response, pass all other  
                        responses to other interceptors  
                        return event;  
                    }  
  
                    // {responseType: text} expects a string response  
                    return event.clone({ body:  
                        JSON.stringify(this.xml.parse(event.body)) });  
                },  
                // Operation failed; error is an HttpResponseMessage  
                error => event  
            )  
        );  
    }  
}
```



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# Adding the Authorisation token



```
export class TokenInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
  intercept(httpRequest: HttpRequest<any>,  
            next: HttpHandler): Observable<HttpEvent<any>>  
  {  
    //Get token from some service  
    const token: string = authService.Token;  
    if (token) {  
      req = req.clone({headers:  
        req.headers.set('Authorization', 'Bearer ' +  
          token)});  
    }  
  }  
}
```



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# Error Handling



```
export class ErrorInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
  
  constructor(private authenticationService: AuthService,  
  private router: Router) { }  
  
  intercept(request: HttpRequest<any>, next:  
  HttpHandler): Observable<HttpEvent<any>> {  
  
    return next.handle(request).pipe(catchError(err =>  
    {  
      if (err.status === 401) {  
        this.authenticationService.logout();  
        this.router.navigate(['/login']);  
      }  
  
      const error = err.error.message ||  
        err.statusText;  
      return throwError(error);  
    }))  
  }  
}
```



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# Modify Response



```
export class DemoInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
  intercept(req: HttpRequest<any>, next: HttpHandler):  
    Observable<HttpEvent<any>> {  
  
    return next.handle(req).map(resp => {  
      const myBody = [{  
        'id': '1',  
        'name': 'coderaishya',  
        'html_url': 'www.coderaishya.com',  
        'description': 'description'  
      }];  
  
      // on Response  
      if (resp instanceof HttpResponse) {  
        console.log(resp);  
        console.log(resp.body);  
        resp = resp.clone<any>({ body: myBody});  
        return resp;  
      }  
    });  
  }  
}
```



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# Cancel the current Request



```
import { EMPTY } from 'rxjs';

export class DemoInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {
  intercept(req: HttpRequest<any>, next: HttpHandler):
    Observable<HttpEvent<any>> {
    if (NotLoggedIn) {
      return EMPTY;
    }

    return next.handle(request);
  }
}
```



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# Change the Requested URL



```
export class DemoInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {  
  const baseURL="https://www.github.com/";  
  
  intercept(req: HttpRequest<any>, next: HttpHandler):  
    Observable<HttpEvent<any>> {  
  
    const newReq = req.clone({  
      url: baseURL + req.url;  
    });  
  
    return next.handle(newReq);  
  }  
}
```



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# Caching



```
export class CachingInterceptor implements HttpInterceptor {
  constructor(private cache: CacheService) {}

  intercept(req: HttpRequest<any>, next: HttpHandler): Observable<HttpEvent<any>> {
    // continue request if not cacheable
    if (!this.canCache(req)) {
      return next.handle(req);
    }
    const cachedResponse = this.cache.get(req.urlWithParams);
    // return HttpResponse so that HttpClient methods
    // return a value
    return cachedResponse
      ? of(new HttpResponse({ body: cachedResponse.body }))
      : sendRequest(req, next, this.cache);
  }

  canCache(req: HttpRequest<any>): boolean {
    // only cache `todo` routes
    return req.url.includes('todos');
  }
}
```



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