

Implement distributed caching in an ASP.NET Core Step by step (With Redis)

Defined distributed cache

A distributed cache is a cache shared by multiple app servers, typically maintained as an external service to the app servers that access it. A distributed cache can improve the performance and scalability of an ASP.NET Core app

Example Source : <https://github.com/abolfazlSadeqi/CurdRedisDistributedCaching>

Steps:

1. Install [Microsoft.Extensions.Caching.StackExchangeRedis](#) nuget package.
2. configure the Redis service with [AddStackExchangeRedisCache](#)(in Program file or Startup)

Example:

```
services.AddStackExchangeRedisCache(options =>
{
    options.Configuration =
Configuration.GetConnectionString("RedisConnection");

});
```

3. Add Connection into appsettings.json

Example:

```
"RedisConnection": " localhost:6379 "
```

4. Implement all of Methods **IDistributedCache** For projects(**Set, Get, Remove, ...**)

5. Create a list of CacheKey per Cache

Example:

```
public static readonly string PersonCacheKey = "Personall";
```

6. Use Cache in mvc(in Controller, Action)

Example:

a. Controller

```
private readonly IDistributedCache _DistributedCache;  
public PersonController(IDistributedCache DistributedCache )  
{  
    _DistributedCache = DistributedCache;  
}
```

b. Add Items(Check Exists Cache Based on Key and use SetAsync)

```
if (!_DistributedCache.TryGetValue(ListCache.PersonCacheKey, out  
IEnumerable<PersonDto>? PersonDtos))  
{  
    var Persons = unitOfWork.Person.GetAll();  
    var newperson = _mapper.Map<List<PersonDto>>(Persons);  
    await _DistributedCache.SetAsync(ListCache.PersonCacheKey,  
newperson);  
    return View(newperson);  
}  
return View(PersonDtos);
```