

The constructor must be private,
since we instantiate it through the
getInstance method

Eager Mode - Initialize the static variable
and return it in the getInstance method

Lazy Mode - Check if the singleton
variable is initialized in the
getInstance method

| Singleton |
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| - <u>singleton: Singleton</u> |
| - <u>Singleton()</u> |
| + <u>getInstance(): Singleton</u> |