

Food Delivery App — Monolith vs Microservices

Core Features (Context)

- User login
- Restaurant listing
- Menu & search
- Order placement
- Payment
- Delivery tracking
- Notification

Monolith Approach

Architecture

সব feature একটাই backend app-এর ভিতরে:

Food-App Backend

```
├── Auth  
├── Restaurant  
├── Order  
├── Payment  
├── Delivery  
└── Notification
```

Monolith — Pros

- Simple architecture
- Fast development
- Easy testing & debugging
- Low infra + DevOps cost

Monolith — Cons

- Order spike হলে পুরো app scale করতে হয়
- Payment bug → whole app down
- Large team এ merge conflict
- Slow deployments

When Monolith is Good

- Early-stage startup
- Small team (≤ 10)
- Low traffic
- MVP phase

 Interview line:

“Monolith helps us validate the product quickly.”

Microservices Approach

Architecture

Feature অনুযায়ী আলাদা services:

API Gateway

```
├── Auth Service  
├── Restaurant Service  
├── Order Service  
├── Payment Service  
├── Delivery Service  
└── Notification Service
```

✓ Microservices — Pros

- Order service independently scale করা যায়
- Payment failure isolate থাকে
- Multiple teams parallel কাজ করতে পারে
- Faster independent deploy

✗ Microservices — Cons

- High complexity
- Network latency
- Distributed debugging
- Higher infra cost

● When Microservices is Better

- High traffic (lunch/dinner peak)
- Large team

- Rapid feature development
- High availability needed

📌 Interview line:

“Microservices allow independent scaling during peak hours.”