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## Dependency Injection Best Practices: Scoped vs Singleton vs Transient!

Choosing the right DI lifetime is crucial for performance & stability in .NET apps.

Let's break it down:

### Transient – New Instance Every Time

- ◆ Use Case: Lightweight, stateless services.
- ◆ Example: Repository, Email sender, Logging.
- ◆ Too many instances = increased memory usage if used excessively.

### Scoped – One Instance Per Request

- ◆ Use Case: Services tied to an HTTP request.
- ◆ Example: Database context (EF Core), Business logic services.
- ◆ Don't inject Scoped services into Singleton services! It may cause unexpected issues.

### Singleton – One Instance for the App's Lifetime

- ◆ Use Case: Heavy, shared resources that shouldn't be re-created.
- ◆ Example: Caching, Configuration, Logging, Static Data.
- ◆ Memory leaks if holding unnecessary state. Avoid injecting Scoped/Transient services here

Avoid Service Lifetime Mismatches

Good: Singleton -> Uses other Singletons

Bad: Singleton -> Uses Scoped/Transient (may cause unintended behavior)

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```
services.AddTransient<IEmailService, EmailService>();  
services.AddScoped<IOrderService, OrderService>();  
services.AddSingleton<ICacheService, CacheService>();
```

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Note: you can use `IServiceProvider` to create a scope that can be used to create scoped service inside a Singleton class