1. Spring Container instantiate, **configure, assemble** beans
   1. **Configure**: It means many things
      1. To set properties.
      2. To set call back methods such as **init-method, destroy attribute of <bean>**
   2. **Assemble**: Inject all dependencies (as configured) and give you a fully ready-to-use bean.
      1. When you use @Component, @Autowire with component scanning, you get a full-fledged bean already assembled.
      2. Basically, when you have a lot of beans here and there in spring container and you use **ref attribute** to inject

**NOTE**: Assembled means all the dependencies are collected and injected in a bean.