

Get Subscribers

Let's create a list of subscribers! First, the controller:

```
public function index(Request $request): Response
{
    return Inertia::render('Subscriber/List', [
        'model' => new GetSubscribersViewModel(
            $request->get('page', 1)
        ),
    ]);
}
```

There's no DTO involved here, only a view model. A typical e-mail list can contain subscribers, ranging from a few thousand to tens of thousands of people, so pagination is crucial. This is why you see the `$request->get('page', 1)` is passed to the view model.

There's bad news about pagination: since we want to return DTOs from the view model, we cannot just write something like:

```
return Subscriber::paginate();
```

Because this will return a pagination object, and we cannot manipulate the models inside it. But luckily, it's very easy to use Laravel's pagination features without using the `paginate` method. First of all, the frontend won't list available pages. It only shows:

- Total number of subscribers
- Next button
- Prev button

This is called simple pagination in Laravel. It's easy to achieve this behavior: