Filtering

What are we talking about?

We will define the term filter to be limiting rows displayed based on the selection made in an HTML select element.

Strategy

The View will use the HTML Helper method Html.DropDownList() rather than the Tag Helpers we used with Razor.*

Html.DropDownList() is populated from a SelectList object. The SelectList is populated in the controller and passed to the View via the ViewBag.

*The MVC name space is a little too much for the Tag Helpers to handle in this case.

Let's have a look

This modules lab provides an example of the code.