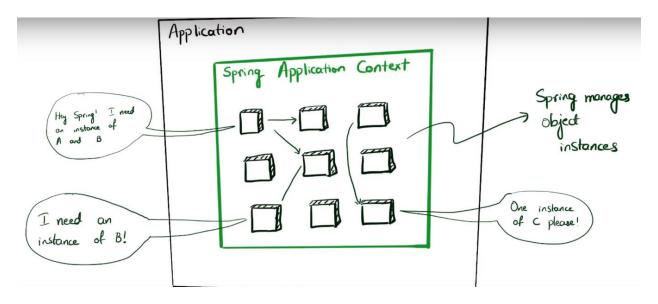
What is Spring Framework?

The Spring Framework provides a comprehensive programming and configuration model for modern Java-based enterprise applications - on any kind of deployment platform.

A key element of Spring is infrastructural support at the application level: Spring focuses on the "plumbing" of enterprise applications so that teams can focus on application-level business logic, without unnecessary ties to specific deployment environments



Advantages:

- 1) Application Framework
- 2) Programming and Configuration Model
- 3) Infrastructure Support (Connecting Database)
- 4) Application context and Dependency Injection
- 5) Data Access API's
- 6) Spring MVC (Model View Controller)

Problems:

- 1) Huge Framework
- 2) Multiple Setup steps
- 3) Multiple configuration steps
- 4) Multiple build and deploy steps