

Navigation and Routing Additional Techniques



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Module Overview

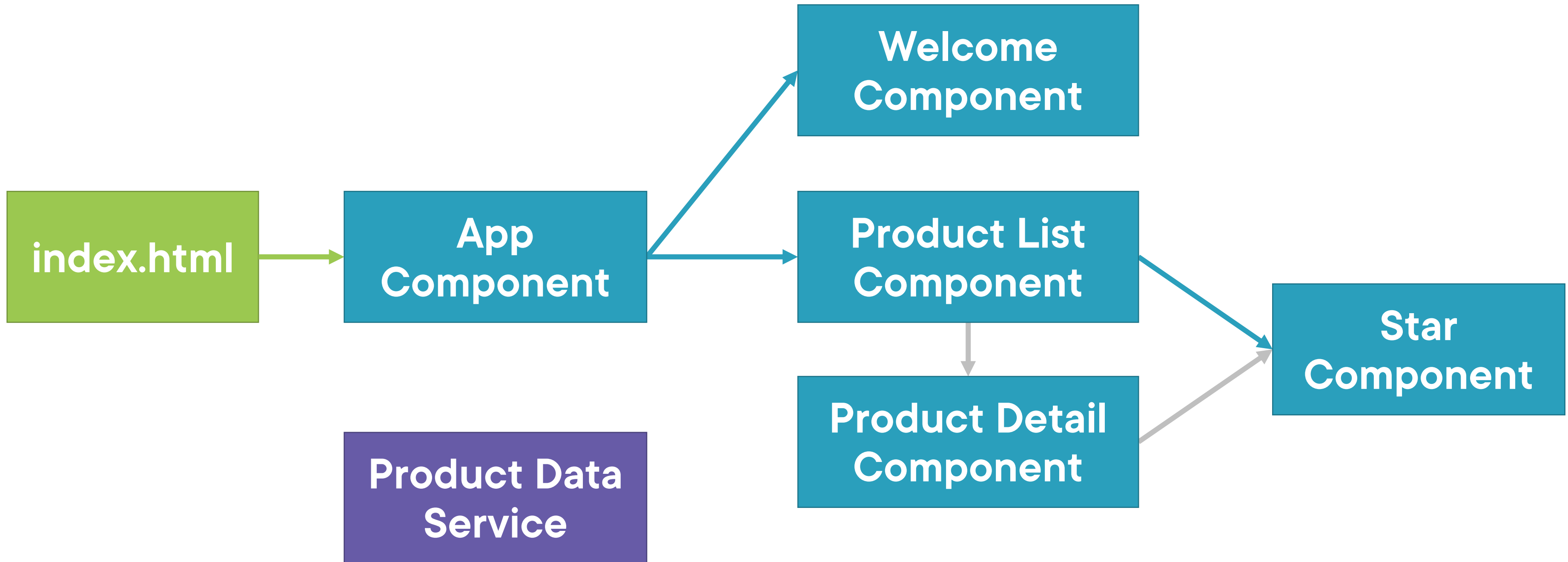


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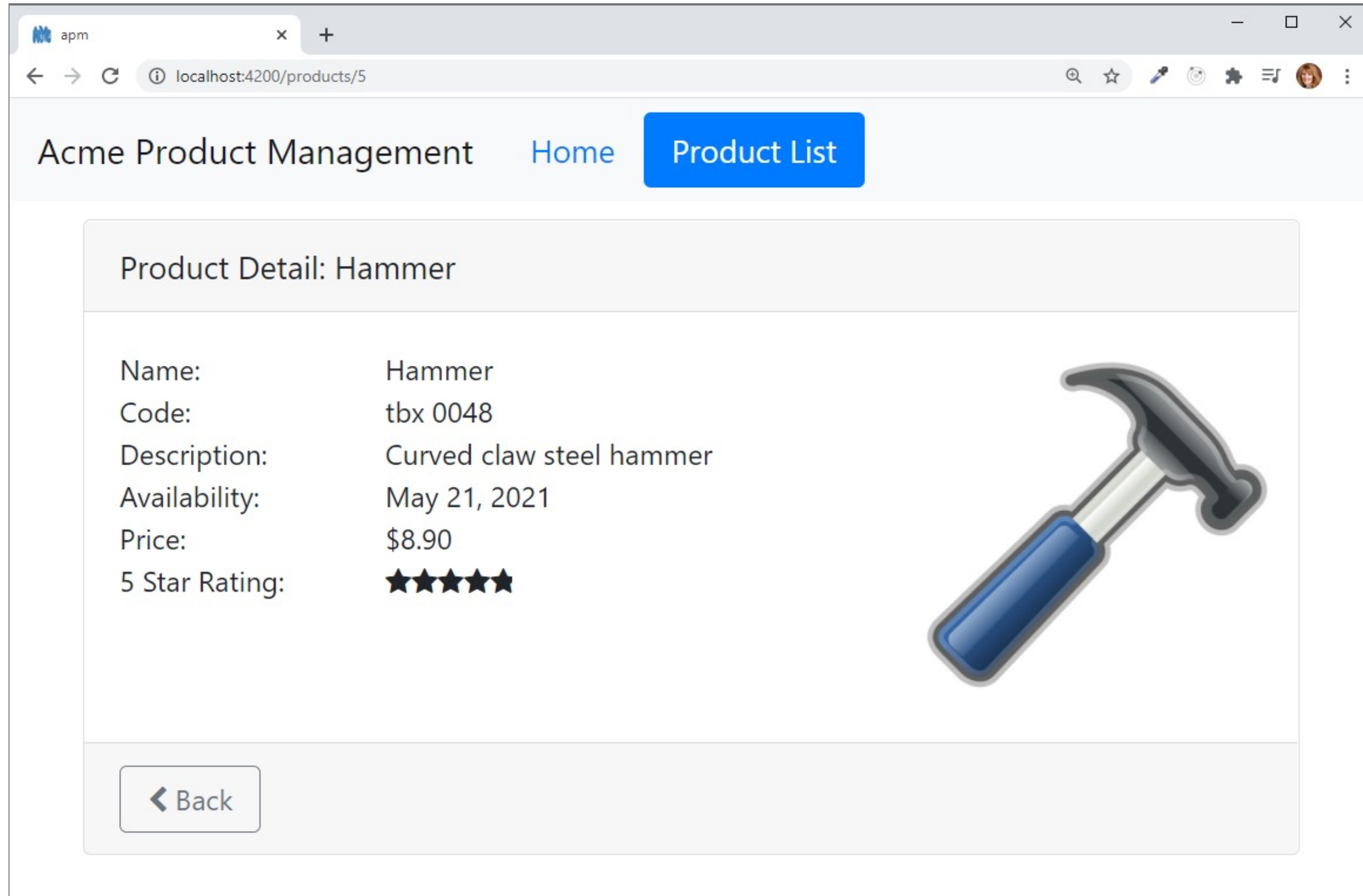
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Passing Parameters to a Route



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Code:	tbx 0048
Description:	Curved claw steel hammer
Availability:	May 21, 2021
Price:	\$8.90
5 Star Rating:	★★★★★



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Passing Parameters to a Route

app.module.ts

```
@NgModule({
  imports: [
    ...,
    RouterModule.forRoot([
      { path: 'products', component: ProductListComponent },
      { path: 'products/:id', component: ProductDetailComponent },
      { path: 'welcome', component: WelcomeComponent },
      { path: '', redirectTo: 'welcome', pathMatch: 'full' },
      { path: '**', redirectTo: 'welcome', pathMatch: 'full' }
    ])
  ],
  declarations: [...],
  bootstrap: [ AppComponent ]
})
export class AppModule { }
```

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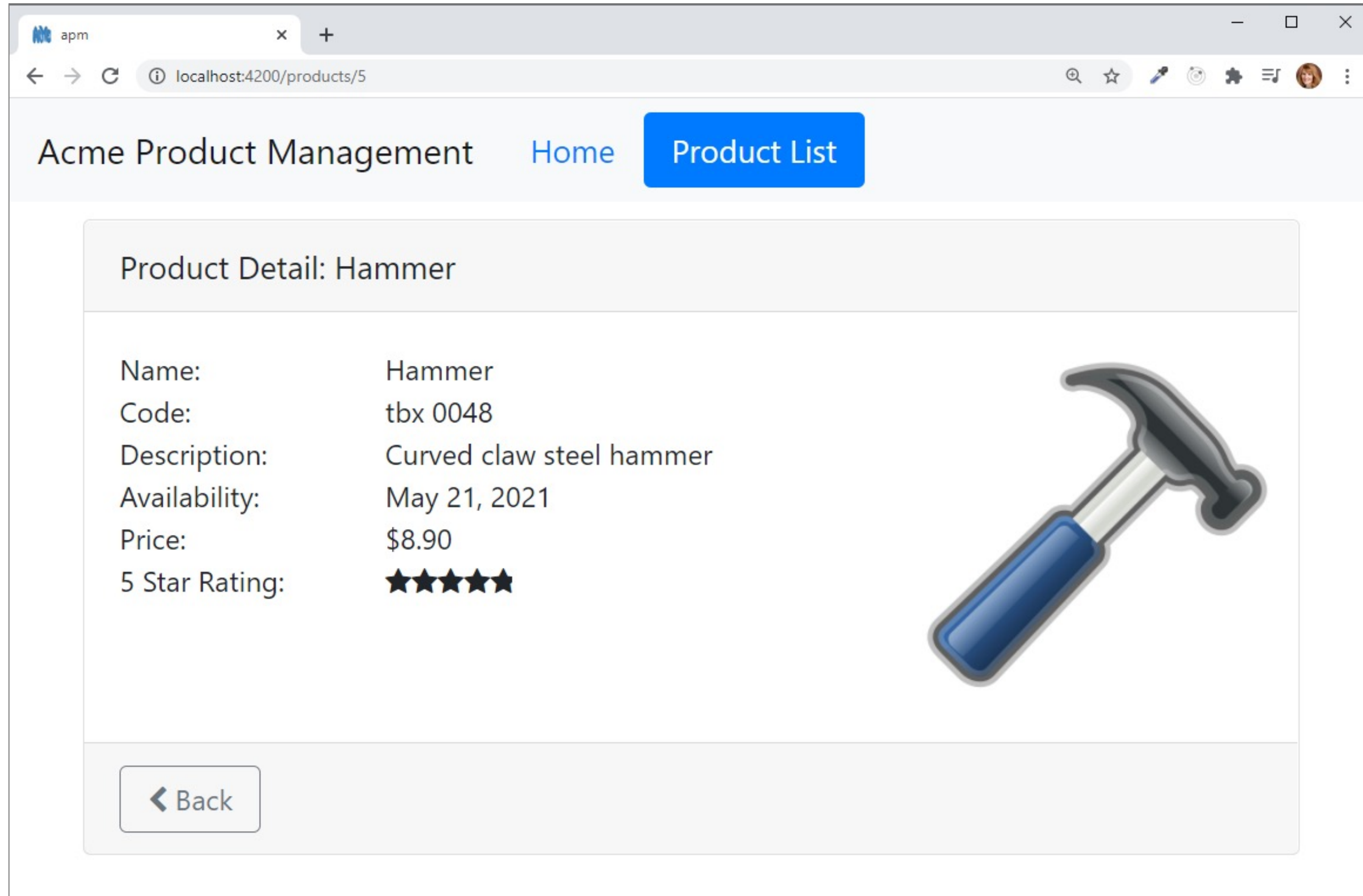
product-list.component.html

```
<td>
  <a [routerLink]="[' /products', product.productId]">
    {{product.productName}}
  </a>
</td>
```

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{ path: 'products/:id', component: ProductDetailComponent }
```

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Reading Parameters from a Route

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import { ActivatedRoute } from '@angular/router';  
  
constructor(private route: ActivatedRoute) { }
```

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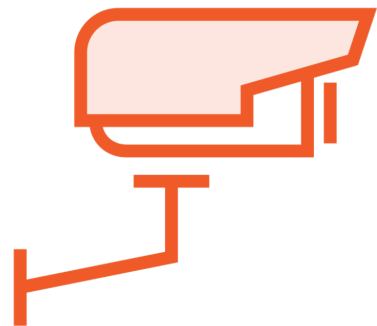
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Reading Parameters from a Route



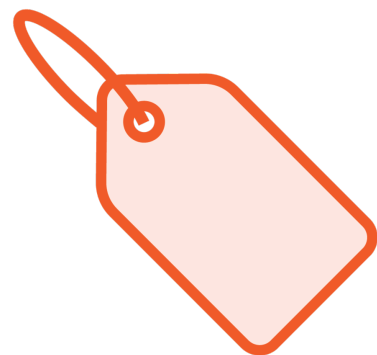
Snapshot : Read the parameter one time

```
this.route.snapshot.paramMap.get('id');
```



Observable: Read emitted parameters as they change

```
this.route.paramMap.subscribe(  
  params => console.log(params.get('id'))  
);
```



Specified string is the route parameter name

```
{ path: 'products/:id',  
  component: ProductDetailComponent }
```


Demo



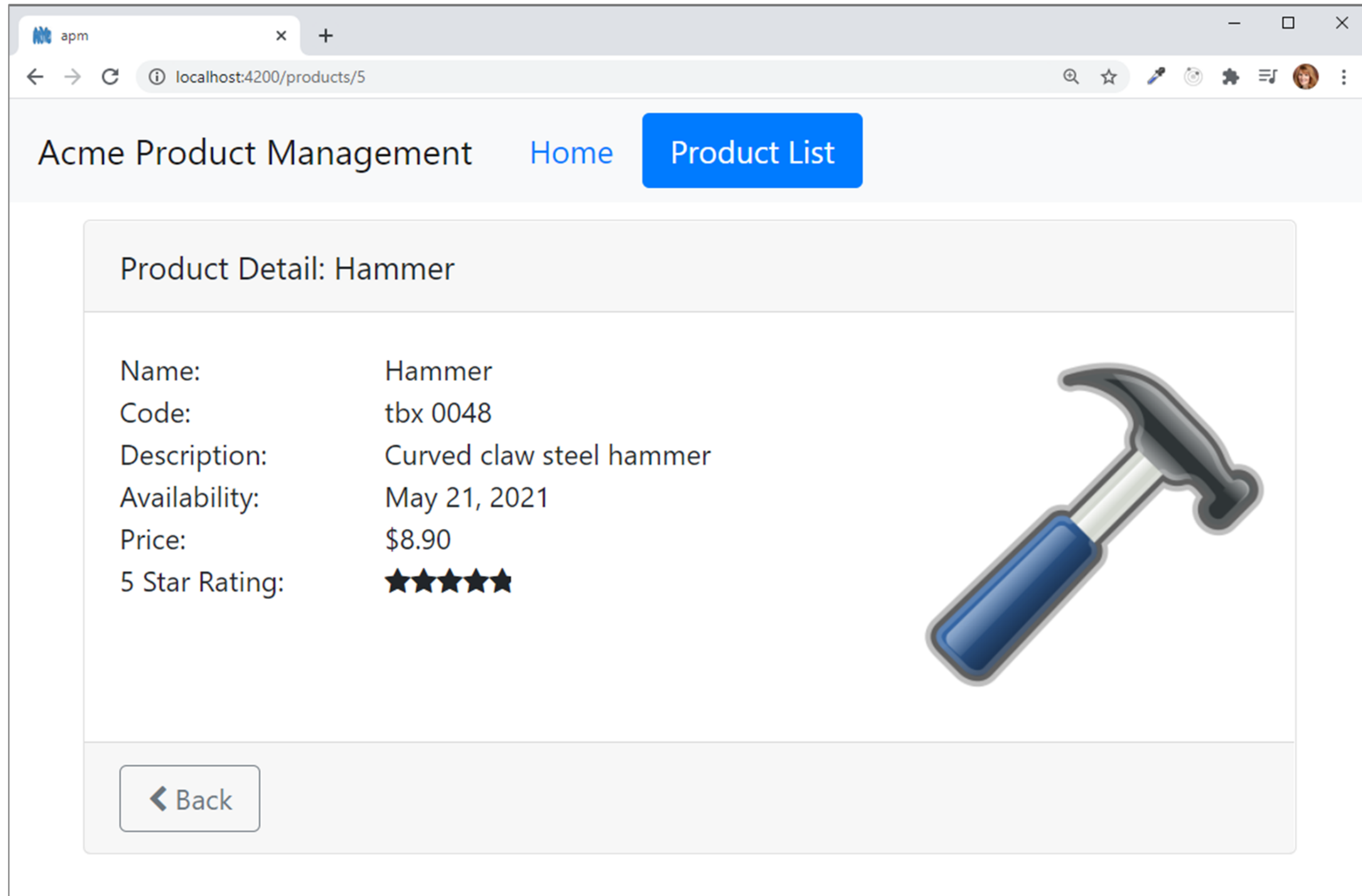
Passing parameters to a route

Demo



Handling null and undefined

Activating a Route with Code



Activating a Route with Code

product-detail.component.ts

```
import { Router } from '@angular/router';  
...  
constructor(private router: Router) { }  
  
onBack(): void {  
    this.router.navigate(['/products']);  
}
```


Protecting Routes with Guards



Limit access to a route



Restrict access to only certain users



Require confirmation before navigating away

Protecting Routes with Guards



CanActivate

- Guard navigation to a route

CanDeactivate

- Guard navigation from a route

Resolve

- Pre-fetch data before activating a route

CanLoad

- Prevent asynchronous routing

Building a Guard

product-detail.guard.ts

```
import { Injectable } from '@angular/core';
import { CanActivate } from '@angular/router';

@Injectable({
  providedIn: 'root'
})
export class ProductDetailGuard implements CanActivate {

  canActivate(): boolean {
    ...
  }
}
```

Using a Guard

app.module.ts

```
@NgModule( {
  imports: [
    ...,
    RouterModule.forRoot([
      { path: 'products', component: ProductListComponent },
      { path: 'products/:id',
        canActivate: [ ProductDetailGuard ],
        component: ProductDetailComponent },
      ...])
  ],
  declarations: [...],
  bootstrap: [ AppComponent ]
})
export class AppModule { }
```

Demo



Protecting routes with guards

General Checklist: Null and Undefined



Prevent null or undefined errors in a template

- **Safe navigation operator (?)**

```
{{product?.productName}}
```

```
{{product?.supplier?.companyName}}
```

- ***ngIf directive**

```
<div *ngIf='product'>  
  <div>Name:</div>  
  <div>{{product.productName}}</div>  
  <div>Description:</div>  
  <div>{{product.description}}</div>  
</div>
```

Routing Checklist:

Passing Parameters



app.module.ts

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{ path: 'products/:id', component: ProductDetailComponent }
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```

product-detail.component.ts

```
import { ActivatedRoute } from '@angular/router';

constructor(private route: ActivatedRoute) {
  console.log(this.route.snapshot paramMap.get('id'));
}
```

Routing Checklist:

Activate a Route with Code



Use the Router service

- Define it as a dependency

Create a method that calls the navigate method of the Router service

- Pass in the link parameters array

```
import { Router } from '@angular/router';  
...  
    constructor(private router: Router) { }  
  
    onBack(): void {  
        this.router.navigate(['/products']);  
    }
```

Add a user interface element

- Use event binding to bind to the created method

```
<button (click)='onBack()'>Back</button>
```


Routing Checklist:

Protecting Routes with Guards



Build a guard service

- Implement the guard type (CanActivate)
- Create the method (canActivate())

Register the guard service provider

- Use the providedIn property

```
import { Injectable } from '@angular/core';
import { CanActivate } from '@angular/router';

@Injectable({ providedIn: 'root' })
export class ProductDetailGuard implements CanActivate {
  canActivate(): boolean { ... }
}
```

Add the guard to the desired route

```
{ path: 'products/:id', canActivate: [ ProductDetailGuard ],
  component: ProductDetailComponent },
```

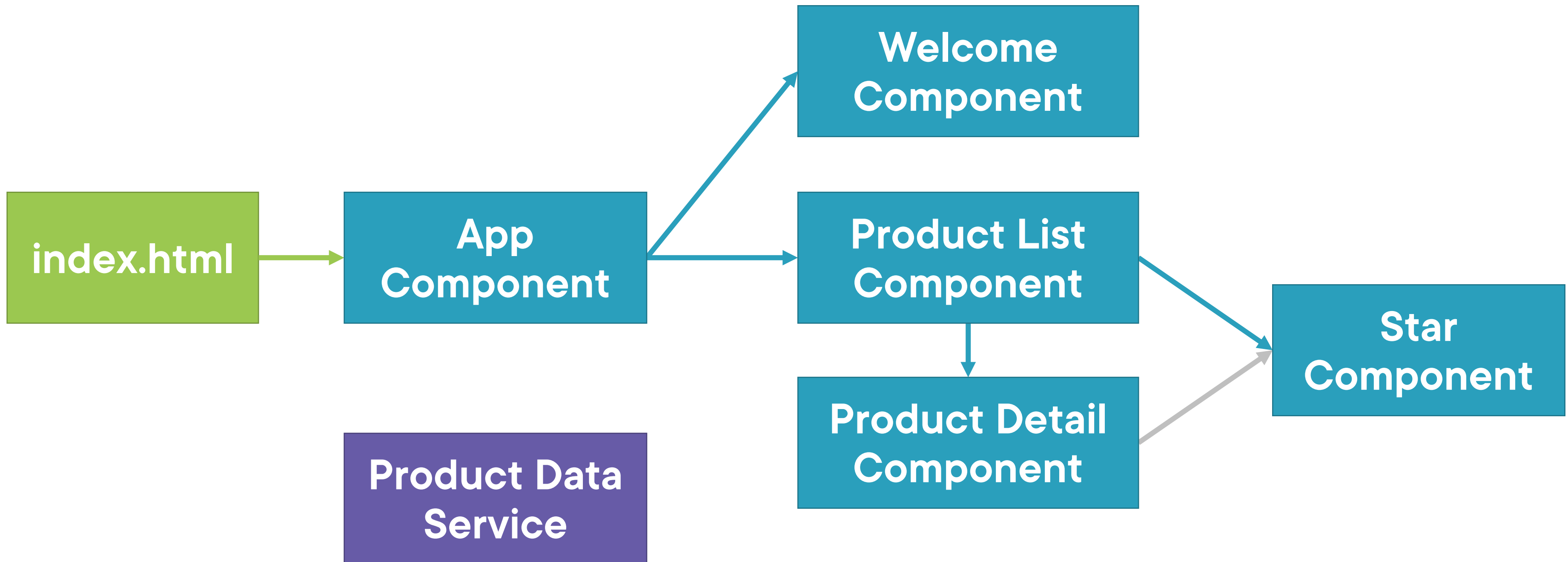
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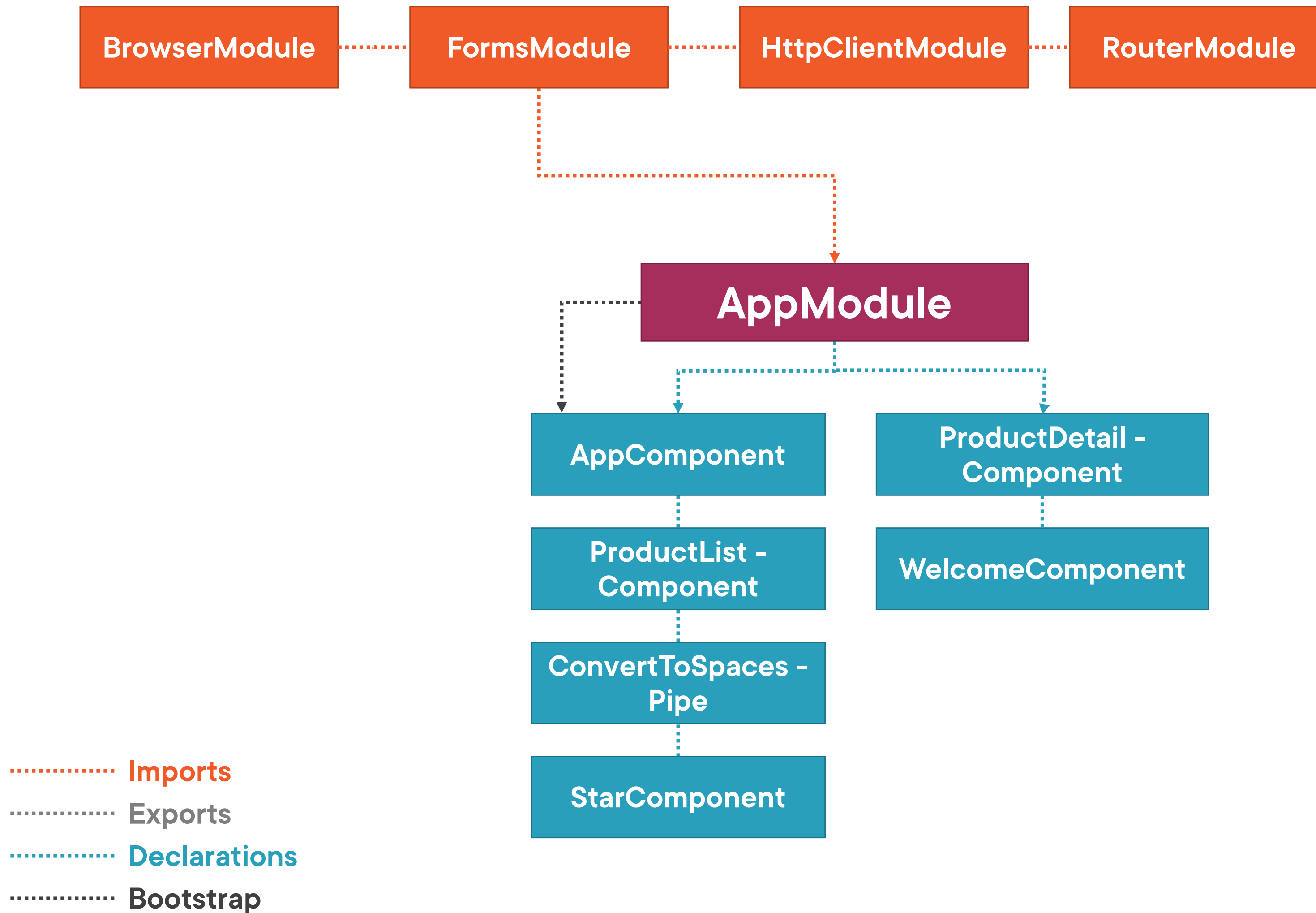


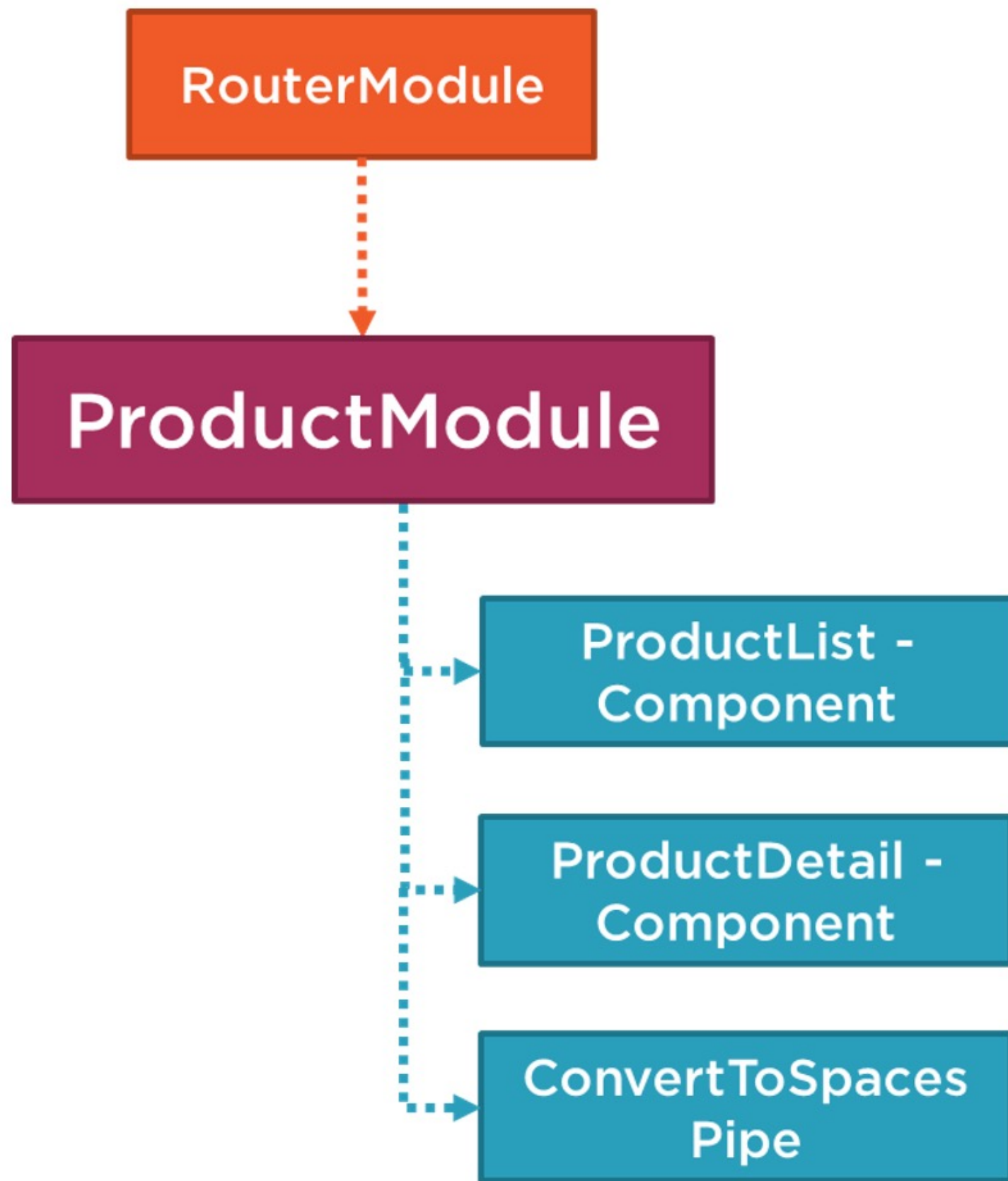
"Angular Routing"

- Required, optional, & query parameters**
- Prefetching with route resolvers**
- Child and secondary router outlets**
- Router guards**
- Lazy loading**

Application Architecture







Coming up next ...

Angular Modules