**Hungerger Glossary**

This document is prepared to provide the readers of Hungerger application documents and materials with a dictionary. This glossary defines terms used within the Hungerger application documentation and user interface.

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**A**

**API (Application Programming Interface)**: A set of rules and protocols allowing one software application to interact with another, enabling data sharing and integration with third-party services.

**Account:** The User account in the application. The account information contains name, email address, use, password, and password confirmation.

**B**

**Bio**: A short, user-generated description or biography providing user profile information.

**Blue Tick:** An icon that is shown on the profile page of the user who became an influencer. For a User to get a Blue Tick, their follower number should be at least 10,000.

**Bonus:** It is a reward system that the application provides to users who reach a certain number of followers.

**C**

**Comments**: Responses or reactions to other users' posts, photos, or updates.

**Content Feed**: The continuous stream of updates, posts, and content from users and pages that appear on a user's homepage.

**Credentials:** The information that a User uses when authenticating to the application. It is either a username and password or an email and password.

**CTA (Call to Action)**: A prompt encouraging users to take a specific action, such as "rate", "comment," or "follow."

**Cuisine**: A style or method of cooking, especially related to a particular country or culture. Examples include Italian, Chinese, or Indian cuisine.

**D**

**Dietary Types**: Limitations on what one can eat due to allergies, religious beliefs, or personal choices. The existing dietary types for the application are regular, vegan, vegetarian, gluten-free, and keto.

**DM (Direct Message)**: A private message sent from one user to another within the platform, not visible to others.

**F**

**Filter**: It enables users to find and discover recipes based on specified criteria. The filtering options for the application are name, dietary type, cost range, rate, and ingredients.

**Follow**: The action of subscribing to a user's updates and content, allowing their posts to appear in your feed. See Also: Followers, Following.

**Followers**: Users who have chosen to subscribe to your updates and see your content.

**Following**: Users you have chosen to subscribe to, seeing their updates and content in your feed.

**H**

**Hashtag**: A keyword or phrase prefixed with the "#" symbol used to categorize and group content. Clicking a hashtag leads to a feed of all posts with that tag.

**I**

**Influencer**: A user on a social media platform who has a large following and can influence the opinions and behavior of their followers. For a User to become an Influencer, their follower number should be at least 10,000.

**Ingredients**: A list of food items required to prepare a particular dish.

**Interaction:** Engagements between users and recipes. It tracks and manages user interactions with recipes, facilitating user engagement and feedback. Its attributes are likes, comments and ratings.

**L**

**Likes:** A form of user engagement indicating approval or appreciation for a post or content.

**N**

**Notification:** An alert that a user receives when someone interacts with their social media post or profile.

**P**

**Post:** A piece of content that a user shares on a social media platform, such as text, images, videos, or links.

**Profile:** A user's personal page displaying their information, posts, photos, and activity. The profile information contains name, email address, username, password, avatar, and biography.

**R**

**Rate:** A score system for the recipes. It is between 1-5 stars. The rating options are taste and preparation of ease.

**Recipe**: A set of instructions describing how to prepare or make something, especially a dish of prepared food. The recipe information contains the recipe name, description, image, dietary type, ingredients, and the amounts of the ingredients.

* The character accepted character size for the recipe description is limited to 280 characters.
* The character accepted character size for the recipe name is limited to 15 characters.
* The accepted image size for the recipe is 50 Mb.
* The valid amounts of the ingredients are in kg, and they are between 0,10-2.

**S**

**Search:** Represents the system's search and filtering capabilities. It enables users to find and discover recipes based on specified criteria. The filtering options for the application are name, dietary type, cost range, rate, and ingredients.

**T**

**Timeline**: A chronological list of a user's own posts, as well as content they've interacted with, visible to others who visit their profile.

**U**

**UGC**: User-Generated Content. Content that is created by users of a social media platform, such as posts, comments, and photos

**Unfollow**: The action of unsubscribing from another user's updates, causing their content to no longer appear in your feed.

**UX:** User Experience. A user's overall experience when interacting with a product or service, like a social media website or app.

**User:** People who have an account on the system.

**Username:** A short name that identifies the User.

**V**

**Verification:** A process that the system requires from the User to allow certain operations. The identity verification for creating an account is done by the system sending an email to the User where the User can follow the steps regarding verification.

**Visitor**: People who visit the website without logging in. They can only access the login page where users create an account or log in.