

Q1. Email System

Entities, Attributes, and Relationships

1. User

- UserID (PK)
- FirstName
- LastName
- EmailAddress
- **Discriminator**: UserType (values: "trial", "paying")

Subtypes (Generalization - Specialization):

- **TrialUser** (inherits from User):
 - ExpirationDate
 - RemainingQuota
- **PayingCustomer** (inherits from User):
 - Balance

2. Contact

- ContactID (PK)
- FirstName
- LastName
- EmailAddress

Relationship: HasContacts

- (1:N) from User → Contact (each user can have multiple contacts)

3. PhoneNumber (Weak Entity)

- PhoneID (PK)
- Number
- Type (e.g., "home", "work", "cell")
- **FK**: ContactID

Relationship: HasPhoneNumbers

- (1:N) from Contact → PhoneNumber
- PhoneNumber is **existence-dependent** on Contact (weak entity)

4. Folder

- FolderID (PK)
- Name
- ParentFolderID (nullable, self-referencing FK)

Relationship: BelongsToUser

- (1:N) from User → Folder
- (0:1) recursive relationship: A folder may have a ParentFolder

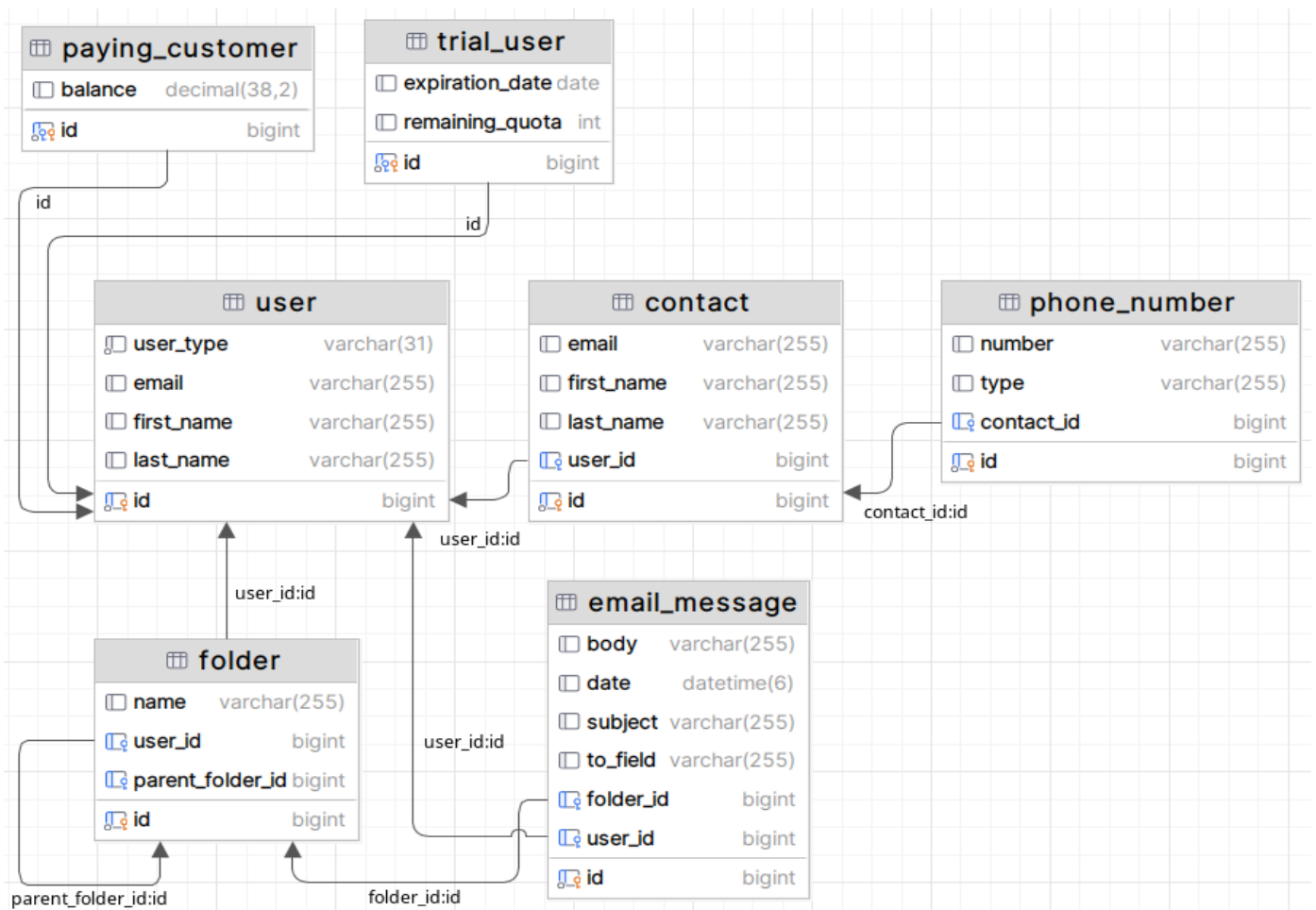
5. EmailMessage

- MessageID (PK)
- To (email address or list)
- Date
- Subject
- Body

Relationships:

- BelongsToUser: (M:1) → Email belongs to 1 user (sender)
- StoredIn: (M:1) → Email stored in 1 folder

ER Diagram: Email System Schema



Q2. College Student Monitoring System

Entities, Attributes, and Relationships

1. Student

- StudentID (PK)
- FirstName
- LastName
- Address

Relationship: StudiesFor

- (M:1) → Degree

2. Degree

- DegreeID (PK)
- Name (e.g., "Computer Engineering")
- Type (e.g., "BA", "M.Sc.")

Relationship: HasCompulsoryModules

- (M:N) → with Module (via associative entity CompulsoryModule)

3. Module

- ModuleCode (PK)
- Title
- CreditValue

Recursive Relationship: HasPrerequisite

- (M:N) from Module to Module

Relationships:

- LedBy (1:1) → each Module has one ModuleLeader
- TaughtBy (M:N) → with Lecturer (via associative entity Teaches)

4. Lecturer

- LecturerID (PK)
- Name
- Department

Relationships:

- Teaches: (M:N) → Module
- Leads: (1:1) → Module

5. Enrollment (Associative Entity)

- Composite PK: (StudentID, ModuleCode)
- Grade
- ExamResult

Relationships:

- M:N between Student and Module, enriched with exam data

ER Diagram: Student Monitoring System Schema

