# **EBD: Database Specification Component**

# A4: Conceptual Data Model

This section contains the identification and description of the entities and relationships that exist to the GameOn project and its database specification.

### 1. Class diagram

UML class diagram containing the classes, associations, multiplicity and roles. For each class, the attributes, associations and constraints are included in the class diagram.

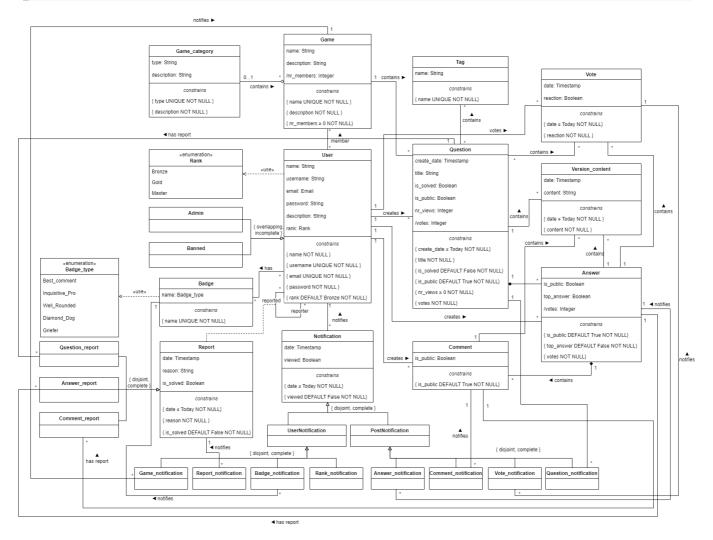


Figure 7: GameOn conceptual data model in UML

### 2. Additional Business Rules

Additional business rules and restrictions that cannot be conveyed in the UML class diagram of GameOn system.

Identifier Name Descript	ion
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Identifier	Name	Description	
BR13	Unique Association of Version_content	Version_content can be associated with either a question, a comment, or an answer at a time, but not with more than one of these classes simultaneously.	
BR14	Unique Association of Vote	Vote can be associated with either a question or an answer at a time, but not with more than one of these classes simultaneously.	
BR15	Self-Reporting Prohibition	A user cannot report themselves.	
BR16	Chronological Order of Post Elements	The date of each question is always before its answers, comments and votes.	
BR17	Single Vote Limitation	A user can only vote on a question or answer once.	
BR18	Self-Voting Prohibition	A user cannot vote on its own questions or answers.	
BR19	Private posts	A user cannot vote, answer nor comment on posts that are not public.	
BR20	Banned accounts	Users whose accounts are banned cannot vote, answer nor comment on any existing post.	

Table 9: Additional Business Rules

# A5: Relational Schema, validation and schema refinement

This section contains the Relational Schema obtained from the Conceptual Data Model.

The Relational Schema includes the relation schemas, attributes, domains, primary keys, foreign keys and other integrity rules: UNIQUE, DEFAULT, NOT NULL, CHECK.

### 1. Relational Schema

Relation reference	Relation Compact Notation
R01	user( <u>id</u> , name <b>NN</b> , username <b>UK NN</b> , email <b>UK NN</b> , password <b>NN</b> , description, rank <b>NN DF</b> 'Bronze' <b>CK</b> rank <b>IN</b> Rank)
R02	admin( <u>user_id</u> -> user)
R03	banned( <u>user id</u> -> user)
R04	badge( <u>id</u> , name <b>UK NN CK</b> name <b>IN</b> Badge_type)
R05	game_category( <u>id</u> , type <b>UK NN</b> , description <b>NN</b> )

Relation reference	Relation Compact Notation
R06	game( <u>id</u> , name <b>UK NN</b> , description <b>NN</b> , /nr_members <b>NN CK</b> nr_members >=0, game_category_id -> game_category)
R07	question( <u>id</u> , user_id -> user <b>NN</b> , create_date <b>NN CK</b> create_date <= Today, title <b>NN</b> , is_solved <b>NN DF</b> False, is_public <b>NN DF</b> True, nr_views <b>NN CK</b> nr_views >= 0, /votes <b>NN</b> , game_id -> game)
R08	comment( <u>id</u> , user_id -> user <b>NN</b> , answer_id -> answer <b>NN</b> , is_public <b>NN DF</b> True)
R09	answer( <u>id</u> , user_id -> user <b>NN</b> , question_id -> question <b>NN</b> , is_public <b>NN DF</b> True, top_asnwer <b>NN DF</b> False, /votes <b>NN</b> )
R10	<pre>vote(id, user_id -&gt; user NN, date NN CK date &lt;= Today, reaction NN, vote_type NN CK vote_type IN Vote_type, answer_id -&gt; answer, question_id -&gt; question, CK ((vote_type = 'Question_vote' AND question_id NN AND answer_id NULL) OR (vote_type = 'Answer_vote' AND answer_id NN AND question_id NULL)))</pre>
R11	tag( <u>id</u> , name <b>UK NN</b> )
R12	<pre>version_content(id, date NN CK date &lt;= Today, content NN, content_type NN CK content_type IN Content_type, question_id -&gt; question, answer_id -&gt; answer, comment_id -&gt; comment, CK ((content_type = 'Question_content' AND question_id NN AND answer_id NULL AND comment_id NULL) OR (report_type = 'Answer_content' AND answer_id NN AND question_id NULL AND comment_id NULL), OR (report_type = 'Comment_content' AND comment_id NN AND question_id NULL AND answer_id NULL)))</pre>
R13	report( <u>id</u> , date <b>NN CK</b> date <= Today, reason <b>NN</b> , is_solved <b>NN DF</b> False, reporter_id -> user <b>NN</b> , reported_id -> user <b>NN</b> , report_type <b>NN CK</b> report_type <b>IN</b> Report_type, question_id -> question, answer_id -> answer, comment_id -> comment, <b>CK</b> (reported_id <> reporter_id) <b>AND</b> ((report_type = 'Question_report' <b>AND</b> question_id <b>NN AND</b> answer_id <b>NULL AND</b> comment_id <b>NULL</b> ) <b>OR</b> (report_type = 'Answer_report' <b>AND</b> answer_id <b>NN AND</b> question_id <b>NULL AND</b> comment_id <b>NULL</b> ), <b>OR</b> (report_type = 'Comment_report' <b>AND</b> comment_id <b>NN AND</b> question_id <b>NULL AND</b> answer_id <b>NULL</b> )))

Relation
reference

R14

#### **Relation Compact Notation**

notification(<u>id</u>, date **NN CK** date <= Today, viewed **NN DF** False, user\_id -> user **NN**, notification\_type **NN CK** notification\_type **IN** Notification\_type, question\_id -> question, answer\_id -> answer, comment\_id -> comment, vote\_id -> vote, report\_id -> report, badge\_id -> badge, game\_id -> game,

**CK** ((notification\_type = 'Report\_notification' **AND** report\_id **NN AND** question\_id **NULL AND** answer\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** vote\_id **NULL AND** bagde\_id **NULL AND** game\_id **NULL**)

OR (notification\_type = 'Question\_notification' AND question\_id NN AND report\_id NULL AND answer\_id NULL AND comment\_id NULL AND vote\_id NULL AND bagde\_id NULL AND game id NULL)

**OR** (notification\_type = 'Answer\_notification' **AND** answer\_id **NN AND** report\_id **NULL AND** question\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** vote\_id **NULL AND** bagde\_id **NULL AND** game\_id **NULL**)

OR (notification\_type = 'Comment\_notification' AND comment\_id NN AND report\_id NULL AND answer\_id NULL AND question\_id NULL AND vote\_id NULL AND bagde\_id NULL AND game\_id NULL)

**OR** (notification\_type = 'Vote\_notification' **AND** vote\_id **NN AND** report\_id **NULL AND** answer\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** question\_id **NULL AND** bagde\_id **NULL AND** game\_id **NULL**)

**OR** (notification\_type = 'Rank\_notification' **AND** question\_id **NULL AND** report\_id **NULL AND** answer\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** vote\_id **NULL AND** bagde\_id **NULL AND** game\_id **NULL**)

**OR** (notification\_type = 'Badge\_notification' **AND** badge\_id **NN AND** question\_id **NULL AND** report\_id **NULL AND** answer\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** vote\_id **NULL AND** game\_id **NULL**)

**OR** (notification\_type = 'Game\_notification' **AND** game\_id **NN AND** question\_id **NULL AND** report\_id **NULL AND** answer\_id **NULL AND** comment\_id **NULL AND** vote\_id **NULL AND** bagde\_id **NULL**)))

R15	user_badge( <u>user_id</u> -> user, <u>badge_id</u> -> badge)
R16	game_member( <u>user_id</u> -> user, <u>game_id</u> -> game)
R17	question_tag( <u>question_id</u> -> question, <u>tag_id</u> -> tag)

Table 10: GameOn Relational Schema

#### Legend:

- UK = UNIQUE;
- NN = NOT NULL;
- DF = DEFAULT;
- CK = CHECK;

#### 2. Domains

Specification of additional domains:

Domain Name Domain Specification	
Today	DATE DEFAULT CURRENT_DATE
Rank	ENUM ('Bronze', 'Gold', 'Master')
Badge_type	ENUM ('Best_comment', 'Inquisitive_Pro', 'Well_Rounded', 'Diamond_Dog', 'Griefer')
Notification_type	ENUM ('Report_notification', 'Rank_notification', 'Badge_notification', 'Answer_notification', 'Question_notification', 'Comment_notification', 'Vote_notification', 'Game_notification')
Report_type	ENUM ('Question_report', 'Answer_report', 'Comment_report')
Vote_type	ENUM ('Question_vote', 'Answer_vote')
Content_type	ENUM ('Question_content', 'Answer_content', 'Comment_content')

Table 11: GameOn Domains

# 3. Schema validation

All functional dependencies are identified and the normalization of all relation schemas is accomplished.

TABLE R01	user	
Keys	{ id }, { username }, { email }	
Functional Dependencies:		
FD0101	$id \rightarrow \{ \text{ name, username, email, password, description, rank } \}$	
FD0102	username $\rightarrow$ { id, name, email, password, description, rank }	
FD0103	email $\rightarrow$ { id, name, username, password, description, rank }	
NORMAL FORM	BCNF	

Table 12: user schema validation

TABLE R02	admin
Keys	{ user_id }
Functional Dependencies:	none
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 13: admin schema validation

TABLE R03	banned
Keys	{ user_id }
Functional Dependencies:	none

TABLE R03	banned
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 14: banned schema validation

TABLE R04	badge
Keys	{ id }, { name }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD0301	id → { name }
FD0302	name → { id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 15: badge schema validation

TABLE R05	game_category
Keys	{ id }, { type }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD0501	id → { type, description }
FD0502	type → { id, description }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 16: game\_category schema validation

TABLE R06	game
Keys	{ id }, { name }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD0601	id → { name, description, nr_members, game_category_id }
FD0602	name → { id, description, nr_members, game_category_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 17: game schema validation

TABLE R07	question
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	

TABLE R07	question
FD0701	id $\rightarrow$ { user_id, create_date, title, is_solved, is_public, nr_views, votes, game_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 18: question schema validation

TABLE R08	comment
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD0801	id → { user_id, answer_id, is_public }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 19: comment schema validation

TABLE R09	answer
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	•
FD0901	id → { user_id, question_id, is_public, top_answer, votes }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 20: answer schema validation

TABLE R10	vote
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD1001	id $\rightarrow$ { user_id, date, reaction, vote_type, question_id, answer_id, comment_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 21: vote schema validation

TABLE R11	tag
Keys	{ id }, { name }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD1101	id → { name }
FD1101	name → { id }

TABLE R11	tag
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 22: tag schema validation

TABLE R12	version_content
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD1201	id → { date, content, content_type, question_id, answer_id, comment_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 23: version\_content schema validation

TABLE R13	report
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD1301	id $\rightarrow$ { date, reason, is_solved, reporter_id, reported_id, report_type, question_id, answer_id, comment_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 24: report schema validation

TABLE R14	notification
Keys	{ id }
Functional Dependencies:	
FD1401	id $\rightarrow$ { date, viewed, user_id, notification_type, question_id, answer_id, comment_id, vote_id, report_id, badge_id, game_id }
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 25: notification schema validation

TABLE R15	user_badge
Keys	{ user_id, badge_id }
Functional Dependencies: none	
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 26: user\_badge schema validation

TABLE R16	game_member	
Keys	{ user_id, game_id }	
Functional Dependencies: none		
NORMAL FORM	BCNF	

Table 27: game\_member schema validation

TABLE R17	question_tag
Keys	{ question_id, tag_id }
Functional Dependencies:	none
NORMAL FORM	BCNF

Table 28: question\_tag schema validation

Because all relations are in the Boyce–Codd Normal Form (BCNF), the relational schema is also in the BCNF and, therefore, the schema does not need to be further normalized.

# A6: Indexes, triggers, transactions and database population

## 1. Database Workload

R01       user       100 k       100 / day         R02       admin       100       10 / year         R03       banned       1 k       10 / month         R04       badge       10       no growth
R03 banned 1 k 10 / month R04 badge 10 no growth
R04 badge 10 no growth
R05 game_category 100 1 / month
R06 game 1 k 10 / month
R07 question 1 M 1 k / day
R08 comment 100 k 100 / day
R09 answer 1 M 1 k / day
R10 vote 10 M 1 k / day
R11 tag 100 1 / day
R12 version_content 10 M 1 k / day
R13 report 10 k 100 / week
R14 notification 10 M 10 k / day

Relation reference	Relation Name	Order of magnitude	Estimated growth
R15	user_badge	100 k	100 / day
R16	game_member	100 k	100 / day
R17	question_tag	10 M	1 k / day

Table 29: GameOn workload

# 2. Proposed Indices

## 2.1. Performance Indices

Performance indexes are applied to improve the performance of select queries.

Index	IDX01
Relation	question
Attribute	user_id
Туре	Hash
Cardinality	medium
Clustering	no
Justification	Table 'question' is very large. Several queries need to frequently filter access to the questions by its author (user). Filtering is done by exact match, thus an hash type index would be best suited. Considering the high update frequency, clustering the table is not proposed, as it would introduce additional overhead during updates.
SQL Code	CREATE INDEX question_author ON question USING hash (user_id);

Table 30: question\_author index

Index	IDX02
Relation	question
Attribute	create_date
Туре	B-tree
Cardinality	medium
Clustering	no
Justification	Table 'question' is frequently accessed based on the create date of each post.  Implementing a B-tree index on the 'create_date' attribute enhances the efficiency of date range queries, optimizing the performance of these operations. Considering the high update frequency, clustering the table is not proposed, as it would introduce additional overhead during updates.

Index	IDX02
SQL Code	CREATE INDEX question_post_date ON question USING btree (create_date);

Table 31: question\_post\_date index

Index	IDX03
Relation	game
Attribute	nr_members
Туре	B-tree
Cardinality	medium
Clustering	no
Justification	Table 'game' is frequently accessed and displayed based on the number of members, making 'nr_members' a critical attribute for query performance. Creating a B-tree index on 'nr_members' enables efficient querying and sorting operations, especially when the application needs to display games ordered by the number of members. Considering the high update frequency, clustering the table is not proposed, as it would introduce additional overhead during updates.
SQL Code	CREATE INDEX game_nr_members ON game USING btree (nr_members);

Table 32: game\_nr\_members index

### 2.2. Full-text Search Indices

To improve text search time, we created Full-Text Search (FTS) indexes on the tables and attributes we thought would be queried the most. Those indexes can be found in the following tables:

Index	IDX04
Relation	question
Attribute	title
Туре	GIN
Clustering	No
Justification	To provide full-text search features to look for questions based on matching titles. The index type is GIN because the indexed fields are not expected to change often.
SQL code	Add column to question to store computed ts_vectors.  ALTER TABLE question  ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;  Create a function to automatically update ts_vectors.  CREATE FUNCTION question search update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS

```
BEGIN
  IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN
   NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english',
NEW.title), 'A');
 END IF;
  IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN
    IF (NEW.title <> OLD.title) THEN
     NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english',
NEW.title), 'A');
   END IF;
 END IF;
 RETURN NEW;
END $$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Create a trigger before insert or update on question.
CREATE TRIGGER question search update
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE PROCEDURE question_search_update();
-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts vectors.
CREATE INDEX search question ON question USING GIN
(tsvectors);
```

Table 33: search\_question index

Index IDX05

Relation	version_content
Attribute	content
Туре	GIN
Clustering	No
Justification	To provide full-text search features to look for all types of posts on matching content. The index type is GIN because the indexed fields are not expected to change often.

```
-- Add column to content to store computed ts_vectors.

ALTER TABLE content

ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;

-- Create a function to automatically update ts_vectors.

CREATE FUNCTION content_search_update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS

$$

BEGIN

IF TG_OP = 'INSERT' THEN

NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to_tsvector('english',

NEW.content), 'A');

END IF;

IF TG_OP = 'UPDATE' THEN

IF (NEW.title <> OLD.title) THEN
```

```
NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to_tsvector('english',
NEW.content), 'A');
    END IF;
    END IF;
    RETURN NEW;
END $$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Create a trigger before insert or update on content.
CREATE TRIGGER content_search_update
BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON content
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE PROCEDURE content_search_update();
-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts_vectors.
CREATE INDEX search_content ON content USING GIN
(tsvectors);
```

Table 34: search\_content index

Index IDX06

Relation	game
Attribute	name, description
Туре	GIN
Clustering	No
Justification	To provide full-text search features to look for games based on matching names or descriptions. The index type is GIN because the indexed fields are not expected to change often.

```
-- Add column to game to store computed ts vectors.
ALTER TABLE game
ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
-- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
CREATE FUNCTION game_search_update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN NEW.tsvectors = (
    setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.name), 'A') ||
setweight(to_tsvector('english', NEW.description), 'B')
);
END IF;
IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN IF (
    NEW.name <> OLD.name
    OR NEW.description <> OLD.description
) THEN NEW.tsvectors = (
    setweight(to_tsvector('english', NEW.name), 'A') ||
setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.description), 'B')
);
END IF;
END IF;
```

```
RETURN NEW;
END $$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Create a trigger before insert or update on game.

CREATE TRIGGER game_search_update BEFORE

INSERT
OR

UPDATE
ON game FOR EACH ROW EXECUTE PROCEDURE

game_search_update();
-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts_vectors.

CREATE INDEX search_game ON game USING GIN (tsvectors);
```

Table 35: search\_game index

Index IDX07

Relation	user
Attribute	description
Туре	GIN
Clustering	No
Justification	To provide full-text search features to look for users based on matching descriptions. The index type is GIN because the indexed field is not expected to change often.

```
-- Add column to "user" to store computed ts vectors.
ALTER TABLE "user"
ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
-- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
CREATE FUNCTION user search update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN NEW.tsvectors =
setweight(to_tsvector('english', NEW.description), 'A');
END IF;
IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN IF (
    NEW.description <> OLD.description
) THEN NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english',
NEW.description), 'A');
END IF;
END IF;
RETURN NEW;
END $$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Create a trigger before insert or update on "user".
CREATE TRIGGER user search update BEFORE
INSERT
    OR
UPDATE
    ON "user" FOR EACH ROW EXECUTE PROCEDURE
user_search_update();
```

```
-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts_vectors.

CREATE INDEX search_user ON "user" USING GIN (tsvectors);
```

Table 36: search\_user index

## 3. Triggers

SQL code

User-defined functions and trigger procedures that add control structures to the SQL language or perform complex computations, are identified and described to be trusted by the database server. Every kind of function (SQL functions, Stored procedures, Trigger procedures) can take base types, composite types, or combinations of these as arguments (parameters). In addition, every kind of function can return a base type or a composite type. Functions can also be defined to return sets of base or composite values.

Trigger TRIGGER01

**Description** Trigger that updates the vote number when there is a new vote

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
update question vote count trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF NEW.reaction = TRUE THEN
   UPDATE question
   SET votes = votes + 1
    WHERE id = NEW.question id;
  ELSE
    UPDATE question
    SET votes = votes - 1
    WHERE id = NEW.question id;
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpqsql;
CREATE TRIGGER update question vote count trigger
AFTER INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
update_question_vote_count_trigger_function();
```

Table 37: update\_question\_vote\_count trigger

Trigger TRIGGER02

**Description** Trigger that raises error when a user try's to vote in their own question

#### **SQL** code

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent self upvote trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
  IF NEW.vote type = 'Question vote' THEN
   IF NEW.question id IS NOT NULL AND NEW.user id = (SELECT
user id FROM question WHERE id = NEW.question id) THEN
      RAISE EXCEPTION 'You cannot upvote your own question.';
    END IF;
  END IF;
  IF NEW.vote type = 'Answer vote' THEN
    IF NEW.answer id IS NOT NULL AND NEW.user id = (SELECT
user id FROM answer WHERE id = NEW.answer id) THEN
      RAISE EXCEPTION 'You cannot upvote your own answer.';
    END IF;
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent self upvote trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION prevent self upvote trigger function();
```

Table 38: prevent\_self\_upvote trigger

Trigger TRIGGER03

**Description** When a question is deleted, all its commends are deleted also

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
delete_question_cascade_votes_trigger_function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
    DELETE FROM vote WHERE question_id = OLD.id;
    RETURN OLD;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER delete_question_cascade_votes_trigger
AFTER DELETE ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
delete_question_cascade_votes_trigger_function();
```

Trigger TRIGGER04

**Description** When a user is banned, all it's questions turn to private

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
update question privacy trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF (SELECT COUNT(*) FROM banned WHERE user id =
NEW.user id) > 0 THEN
   UPDATE question
    SET is public = FALSE
    WHERE user id = NEW.user id;
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER update question privacy trigger function
AFTER INSERT ON banned
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION update question privacy trigger function();
```

Table 40: update\_question\_privacy trigger

Trigger TRIGGER05

**Description** Trigger that assigns badges when users meet certain requirements.

#### **SQL** code

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION award badges() RETURNS TRIGGER AS
DECLARE
    user_question_count INTEGER;
    user_correct_answer_count INTEGER;
BEGIN
    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO user question count
    FROM question
    WHERE user id = NEW.user id;
    SELECT COUNT(*) INTO user correct answer count
    FROM answer
    WHERE user id = NEW.user id AND top answer = TRUE;
    IF user question count >= 50 THEN
        INSERT INTO user_badge (user_id, badge_id)
        VALUES (NEW.user id, (SELECT id FROM badge WHERE type
= 'Best comment'));
    END IF;
    IF user_correct_answer_count >= 20 THEN
        INSERT INTO user_badge (user_id, badge_id)
```

```
VALUES (NEW.user_id, (SELECT id FROM badge WHERE type
= 'Diamond_Dog'));
    END IF;
    RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER award_badges_on_question_insert
AFTER INSERT ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION award_badges();
```

Table 41: award\_badges\_on\_question\_insert trigger

Trigger TRIGGER06

**Description** Assigns ranks to users when they meet certain requirements

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION update user rank() RETURNS TRIGGER
AS $$
DECLARE
    user likes INTEGER;
    user dislikes INTEGER;
    user reputation INTEGER;
BEGIN
    SELECT COALESCE (SUM (CASE WHEN reaction = TRUE THEN 1 ELSE
-1 END), 0) INTO user reputation
    FROM vote
    WHERE question id = (SELECT id FROM question WHERE
user_id = NEW.user_id) AND vote_type = 'Question_vote';
    IF user_reputation >= 0 AND user_reputation <= 30 then</pre>
update "user" set rank="Bronze" where id="NEW.user id;" elsif
user reputation>= 31 AND user reputation <= 60 then update
"user" set rank="Gold" where id="NEW.user id;" elsif
user reputation>= 61 THEN
        UPDATE "user"
        SET rank = 'Master'
        WHERE id = NEW.user id;
    END IF;
    RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER update user rank trigger
AFTER UPDATE ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION update user rank();
```

Table 42: update\_user\_rank trigger

Trigger TRIGGER07

**Description** When a user answers some question, a notification is sent to the question owner.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION send answer notification()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
    INSERT INTO notification (date, viewed, user id,
notification type, question id, answer id, comment id,
vote id, report id, badge id, game id)
    VALUES (NOW(), FALSE, (SELECT user id FROM question WHERE
id = NEW.question id), 'Answer notification', NULL, NEW.id,
NULL, NULL, NULL, NULL, NULL);
    RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER answer notification trigger
AFTER INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION send answer notification();
```

Table 43: answer\_notification trigger

Trigger TRIGGER08

**Description** Raises error if a user votes on a private question.

#### **SQL** code

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent vote on private question trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
    IF NEW.vote_type = 'Question vote' AND NEW.question id IS
NOT NULL THEN
        IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id =
NEW.question id AND is public = FALSE) THEN
           RAISE EXCEPTION 'Cannot vote on a private
question.';
       END IF;
   END IF;
   RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent vote on private question trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
```

```
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent_vote_on_private_question_trigger_function();
```

Table 44: prevent\_vote\_on\_private\_question trigger

Trigger TRIGGER09

**Description** Raises error when there is a answer on a private quesiton

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent answer on private question trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF NEW.question id IS NOT NULL THEN
    -- Check if the question is private
    IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id =
NEW.question id AND is public = FALSE) THEN
     RAISE EXCEPTION 'Cannot answer a private question.';
    END IF;
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent answer on private question trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent_answer_on_private_question_trigger_function();
```

Table 45: prevent\_answer\_on\_private\_question trigger

Trigger TRIGGER10

**Description** Raises error when a banned user tries to vote in a question.

#### **SQL** code

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent_banned_user_vote_answer_comment_trigger_function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
   IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM banned WHERE user_id =
NEW.user_id) THEN
     RAISE EXCEPTION 'Banned users cannot vote.';
END IF;
RETURN NEW;
```

```
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER
prevent banned user_vote_answer_comment_trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
CREATE TRIGGER
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
CREATE TRIGGER
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON comment
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
```

Table 46: prevent\_banned\_user\_vote\_answer\_comment trigger

Trigger TRIGGER11

**Description** Raises error when a user report's himself.

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent_self_reporting_trigger_function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN

IF NEW.reporter_id = NEW.reported_id THEN
    RAISE EXCEPTION 'Users cannot report themselves.';
END IF;
RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent_self_reporting_trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON report
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION prevent_self_reporting_trigger_function();
```

Table 47: prevent\_self\_reporting trigger

# 4. Transactions

Transactions needed to assure the integrity of the data.

```
Reference

Description Insert the content for the question only if the question exists

Isolation
Level

SERIALIZABLE READ ONLY
```

```
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
             AddQuestionContentVersion(question id INT, content id INT)
             RETURNS VOID AS $$
             BEGIN
                  BEGIN
                      IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id =
             question id) THEN
                          INSERT INTO version content (id, date, content,
              content_type, question_id, answer_id, comment_id)
                          VALUES (content_id, NOW(), 'content',
Complete
              'question content', question id, NULL, NULL);
SQL Code
                      ELSE
                          RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question does not exist';
                      END IF;
                  EXCEPTION
                      WHEN OTHERS THEN
                          RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred';
                  END;
             END;
              $$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
```

Table 48: AddQuestionContentVersion transaction

SQL Reference	TRAN02
Description	Insert the content for an answer only if the question for that answer and the actual answer exists
Isolation Level	SERIALIZABLE READ ONLY
Complete SQL Code	CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION AddAnswerContentVersion(question_id INT, answer_id INT, content_id INT) RETURNS VOID AS \$\$ BEGIN BEGIN IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id =

```
question id) AND EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM answer WHERE id =
answer id) THEN
            INSERT INTO version content (id, date, content,
content type, question id, answer id, comment id)
            VALUES (content id, NOW(), 'content ans',
'answer content', NULL, answer id, NULL);
        ELSE
            RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question or answer does not
exist';
        END IF;
    EXCEPTION
        WHEN OTHERS THEN
           RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred';
    END;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
```

Table 49: AddAnswerContentVersion transaction

**SQL** TRAN03 Reference Insert the content for a comment only if the question for that comment and the actual Description comment exists Isolation SERIALIZABLE READ ONLY Level Complete SQL Code CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION AddCommentContentVersion(question id INT, comment id INT, content id INT) RETURNS VOID AS \$\$ BEGIN BEGIN IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = question id) AND EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM comment WHERE id = comment id) THEN INSERT INTO version content (id, date, content, content\_type, question\_id, answer\_id, comment\_id) VALUES (content id, NOW(), 'content', 'comment content', NULL, NULL, comment id); ELSE RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question or comment does not exist'; END IF; EXCEPTION WHEN OTHERS THEN RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred'; END; END;

```
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
```

Table 50: AddCommentContentVersion transaction

# Annex A. SQL Code

#### A.1. Database schema

```
CREATE SCHEMA IF NOT EXISTS 1baw23143;
SET DateStyle TO European;
_____
-- Drop tables
_____
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS question tag;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS game member;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS user badge;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS notification;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS report;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS version content;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS tag;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS vote;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS comment;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS answer;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS question;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS game;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS game section;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS badge;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS banned;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS admin;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS "user";
-- Drop functions
DROP FUNCTION IF EXISTS content search update;
DROP FUNCTION IF EXISTS game_search_update;
DROP FUNCTION IF EXISTS question_search_update;
DROP FUNCTION IF EXISTS user_search_update;
-- Drop types
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Vote type;
```

```
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Content type;
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Badge type;
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Notification type;
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Report type;
DROP TYPE IF EXISTS Rank;
_____
-- Create types
-----
CREATE TYPE Rank AS ENUM ('Bronze', 'Gold', 'Master');
CREATE TYPE Badge type AS ENUM ('Best comment', 'Inquisitive Pro',
'Well Rounded', 'Diamond Dog', 'Griefer');
CREATE TYPE Notification type AS ENUM ('Report notification',
'Rank notification', 'Badge notification', 'Answer notification',
'Question notification', 'Comment notification', 'Vote notification',
'Game notification');
CREATE TYPE Report type AS ENUM ('Question report', 'Answer report',
'Comment report');
CREATE TYPE Vote type AS ENUM ('Question vote', 'Answer vote');
CREATE TYPE Content_type AS ENUM ('Question_content', 'Answer content',
'Comment content');
-- Create tables
_____
CREATE TABLE "user" (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
 name VARCHAR(256) NOT NULL,
 username VARCHAR (256) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
 email VARCHAR (256) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
 password VARCHAR (256) NOT NULL,
 description TEXT,
 rank Rank NOT NULL DEFAULT 'Bronze'
);
CREATE TABLE admin (
  user id INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES "user" (id)
);
CREATE TABLE banned (
 user id INTEGER PRIMARY KEY REFERENCES "user" (id)
);
CREATE TABLE badge (
 id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
 name Badge type NOT NULL
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE game section (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  type VARCHAR (256) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
  description TEXT NOT NULL
);
CREATE TABLE game (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR (256) UNIQUE NOT NULL,
 description TEXT NOT NULL,
 nr members INTEGER NOT NULL CHECK (nr members >= 0),
 game section id INTEGER REFERENCES game section(id)
);
CREATE TABLE question (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES "user" (id),
  create date TIMESTAMP NOT NULL CHECK (create_date <= now()), title</pre>
varchar(256) not null, is solved boolean null default false, is public
true, nr views integer check (nr views>= 0),
 votes INTEGER NOT NULL,
  game id INTEGER REFERENCES game (id)
);
CREATE TABLE answer (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES "user" (id),
  question id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES question(id),
  is public BOOLEAN NOT NULL DEFAULT True,
 top answer BOOLEAN NOT NULL DEFAULT False,
  votes INTEGER NOT NULL
);
CREATE TABLE comment (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
 user id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES "user" (id),
  answer_id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES answer(id),
  is public BOOLEAN NOT NULL DEFAULT True
);
CREATE TABLE vote (
  id SERIAL PRIMARY KEY,
  user id INTEGER NOT NULL REFERENCES "user" (id),
  date TIMESTAMP NOT NULL CHECK (date <= 1 2 3 4 now()), reaction boolean
not null, vote type answer id integer references answer(id), question id
question(id), check ((vote_type="Question_vote" and is null null) or
(vote_type="Answer_vote" null)) ); create table tag ( id serial primary
key, name varchar(256) unique version content date timestamp (date
<="now())," content text content_type comment_id comment(id),
((content_type="Question_content" (content_type="Answer_content" report
reason is solved default false, reporter id "user"(id), reported id
report type ((report type="Question report" (report type="Answer report"
notification viewed user_id notification_type vote_id vote(id), report_id
report(id), badge id badge(id), game id game(id),
```

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((notification type="Report notification"
(notification type="Question notification" user badge key (user id,
badge id) game member game id) question tag tag id tag(id), (question id,
tag id) --
function update question vote count trigger function() returns trigger as
$$ begin if new.reaction="TRUE" then update question set votes="votes" +
where else - end if; return new; end; language plpgsql;
update question vote count trigger after insert on vote for each row
execute update question vote count trigger function();
prevent self upvote trigger function() new.vote type="Question vote"
new.question id new.user id="(SELECT" from raise exception 'you cannot
upvote your own question.'; new.answer id answer answer.';
prevent self upvote trigger before prevent_self_upvote_trigger_function();
---trigger (ainda não funciona bem)
delete question cascade votes trigger function() delete old;
delete question cascade votes trigger
delete question cascade votes trigger function();
update question privacy trigger function() (select count(*) banned> 0 THEN
   UPDATE question
   SET is public = FALSE
   WHERE user id = NEW.user id;
 END IF;
 RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER update question privacy trigger function
AFTER INSERT ON banned
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION update question privacy trigger function();
---Trigger 5
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION award badges() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
DECLARE
   user question count INTEGER;
   user correct answer count INTEGER;
BEGIN
   SELECT COUNT(*) INTO user question count
   FROM question
   WHERE user id = NEW.user id;
   SELECT COUNT(*) INTO user correct answer count
   WHERE user id = NEW.user id AND top answer = TRUE;
   IF user question count >= 50 THEN
       INSERT INTO user_badge (user_id, badge_id)
       VALUES (NEW.user id, (SELECT id FROM badge WHERE type =
'Best comment'));
   END IF;
```

```
IF user correct answer count >= 20 THEN
        INSERT INTO user badge (user id, badge id)
        VALUES (NEW.user id, (SELECT id FROM badge WHERE type =
'Diamond Dog'));
    END IF;
    RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER award badges on question insert
AFTER INSERT ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION award badges();
--Trigger 6
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION update user rank() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
DECLARE
   user likes INTEGER;
    user dislikes INTEGER;
   user reputation INTEGER;
BEGIN
    SELECT COALESCE (SUM (CASE WHEN reaction = TRUE THEN 1 ELSE -1 END), 0)
INTO user reputation
   FROM vote
    WHERE question id = (SELECT id FROM question WHERE user id =
NEW.user id) AND vote type = 'Question vote';
    IF user reputation >= 0 AND user reputation <= 30 then update "user"
set rank="Bronze" where id="NEW.user id;" elsif user reputation>= 31 AND
user reputation <= 60 then update "user" set rank="Gold" where
id="NEW.user id;" elsif user reputation>= 61 THEN
        UPDATE "user"
        SET rank = 'Master'
        WHERE id = NEW.user id;
    END IF;
    RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER update user rank trigger
AFTER UPDATE ON question
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION update user rank();
--Trigger 8
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION send_answer_notification()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
    INSERT INTO notification (date, viewed, user_id, notification_type,
question id, answer id, comment id, vote id, report id, badge id, game id)
```

```
VALUES (NOW(), FALSE, (SELECT user id FROM question WHERE id =
NEW.question id), 'Answer notification', NULL, NEW.id, NULL, NULL, NULL,
NULL, NULL);
   RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER answer notification trigger
AFTER INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION send answer notification();
--Trigger 9
--A user cannot vote, answer nor comment on posts that are not public.
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent vote on private question trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
    IF NEW.vote type = 'Question vote' AND NEW.question id IS NOT NULL THEN
        IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = NEW.question id AND
is public = FALSE) THEN
           RAISE EXCEPTION 'Cannot vote on a private question.';
        END IF;
   END IF;
   RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpqsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent vote on private question trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION prevent_vote_on_private_question_trigger_function();
--Trigger 10
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent answer on private question trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF NEW.question id IS NOT NULL THEN
    -- Check if the question is private
    IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = NEW.question id AND
is public = FALSE) THEN
      RAISE EXCEPTION 'Cannot answer a private question.';
   END IF;
 END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END;
```

```
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent answer on private question trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION prevent answer on private question trigger function();
--Trigger 11
--Users whose accounts are banned cannot vote, answer nor comment on any
existing post.
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
 IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM banned WHERE user id = NEW.user id) THEN
   RAISE EXCEPTION 'Banned users cannot vote.';
 END IF;
 RETURN NEW;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON vote
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
CREATE TRIGGER prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON answer
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
CREATE TRIGGER prevent_banned_user_vote_answer_comment_trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON comment
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION
prevent banned user vote answer comment trigger function();
--Trigger 12
-- A user cannot report themselves.
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION prevent self reporting trigger function()
RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF NEW.reporter id = NEW.reported id THEN
    RAISE EXCEPTION 'Users cannot report themselves.';
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
```

```
END:
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
CREATE TRIGGER prevent self reporting trigger
BEFORE INSERT ON report
FOR EACH ROW
EXECUTE FUNCTION prevent self reporting trigger function();
#############################
################################
-- Insert the content for the question only if the question exists
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION AddQuestionContentVersion(question id INT,
content id INT) RETURNS VOID AS $$
BEGIN
   BEGIN
       IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = question id) THEN
          INSERT INTO version content (id, date, content, content type,
question id, answer id, comment id)
          VALUES (content id, NOW(), 'content', 'question content',
question id, NULL, NULL);
      ELSE
          RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question does not exist';
      END IF;
   EXCEPTION
      WHEN OTHERS THEN
         RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred';
   END;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Insert the content for an answer only if the question for that answer
and the actual answer exists
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION AddAnswerContentVersion(question_id INT,
answer id INT, content id INT) RETURNS VOID AS $$
BEGIN
   BEGIN
      IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = question id) AND
EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM answer WHERE id = answer id) THEN
          INSERT INTO version_content (id, date, content, content_type,
question id, answer id, comment id)
          VALUES (content_id, NOW(), 'content_ans', 'answer content',
NULL, answer id, NULL);
      ELSE
          RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question or answer does not exist';
      END IF;
   EXCEPTION
```

```
WHEN OTHERS THEN
         RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred';
  END;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpqsql;
-- Insert the content for a comment only if the question for that comment
and the actual comment exists
CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION AddCommentContentVersion(question id INT,
comment id INT, content id INT) RETURNS VOID AS $$
BEGIN
  BEGIN
      IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM question WHERE id = question id) AND
EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM comment WHERE id = comment id) THEN
         INSERT INTO version content (id, date, content, content type,
question id, answer id, comment id)
         VALUES (content id, NOW(), 'content', 'comment content', NULL,
NULL, comment id);
      ELSE
         RAISE EXCEPTION 'Question or comment does not exist';
      END IF;
   EXCEPTION
      WHEN OTHERS THEN
         RAISE EXCEPTION 'An error occurred';
   END;
END;
$$ LANGUAGE plpgsql;
#################################
##############################
_____
-- Create indexes
_____
-- Index 1
CREATE INDEX question author ON question USING hash (user id);
CREATE INDEX question post date ON question USING btree (create date);
-- Index 3
CREATE INDEX game nr members ON game USING btree (nr members);
```

```
-- Index 4
 ALTER TABLE question
 ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
 -- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
 CREATE FUNCTION question search update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
 BEGIN
   IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN
     NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.title), 'A');
   IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN
     IF (NEW.title <> OLD.title) THEN
       NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.title), 'A');
    END IF;
   END IF;
   RETURN NEW;
 END $$
 LANGUAGE plpgsql;
 -- Create a trigger before insert or update on question.
 CREATE TRIGGER question search update
   BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON question
   FOR EACH ROW
   EXECUTE PROCEDURE question search update();
 -- Finally, create a GIN index for ts vectors.
 CREATE INDEX search question ON question USING GIN (tsvectors);
 -- Index 5
 ALTER TABLE version content
 ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
 -- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
 CREATE FUNCTION content_search_update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
 BEGIN
   IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN
     NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to_tsvector('english', NEW.content), 'A');
   END IF;
   IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN
     IF (NEW.title <> OLD.title) THEN
       NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.content), 'A');
     END IF;
   END IF;
   RETURN NEW;
 END $$
 LANGUAGE plpgsql;
 -- Create a trigger before insert or update on content.
 CREATE TRIGGER content_search_update
   BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON version content
  FOR EACH ROW
   EXECUTE PROCEDURE content search update();
 -- Finally, create a GIN index for ts vectors.
```

```
CREATE INDEX search content ON version content USING GIN (tsvectors);
-- Index 6
ALTER TABLE game
ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
-- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
CREATE FUNCTION game search update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN
    NEW.tsvectors = (
      setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.name), 'A') ||
      setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.description), 'B')
    );
 END IF;
  IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN
    IF (NEW.name <> OLD.name OR NEW.description <> OLD.description) THEN
      NEW.tsvectors = (
        setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.name), 'A') ||
        setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.description), 'B')
      );
    END IF;
  END IF;
  RETURN NEW;
END $$
LANGUAGE plpgsql;
-- Create a trigger before insert or update on game.
CREATE TRIGGER game search update
  BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON game
  FOR EACH ROW
 EXECUTE PROCEDURE game search update();
-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts_vectors.
CREATE INDEX search game ON game USING GIN (tsvectors);
-- Index 7
ALTER TABLE "user"
ADD COLUMN tsvectors TSVECTOR;
-- Create a function to automatically update ts vectors.
CREATE FUNCTION user search update() RETURNS TRIGGER AS $$
BEGIN
  IF TG OP = 'INSERT' THEN
    NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.description),
'A');
 END IF;
  IF TG OP = 'UPDATE' THEN
    IF (NEW.description <> OLD.description) THEN
     NEW.tsvectors = setweight(to tsvector('english', NEW.description),
'A');
    END IF;
  END IF;
```

```
RETURN NEW;
END $$
LANGUAGE plpgsql;

-- Create a trigger before insert or update on "user".

CREATE TRIGGER user_search_update

BEFORE INSERT OR UPDATE ON "user"

FOR EACH ROW

EXECUTE PROCEDURE user_search_update();

-- Finally, create a GIN index for ts_vectors.

CREATE INDEX search_user ON "user" USING GIN (tsvectors);
```

#### A.2. Database population

```
---POPULATE
INSERT INTO "user" (id, name, username, email, password, description, rank)
(1, 'John Doe', 'johndoe', 'johndoe@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Some description', 'Bronze'),
(2, 'Alice Johnson', 'alicej', 'alicejohnson@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Another description', 'Bronze'),
(3, 'Michael Smith', 'mikesmith', 'mikesmith@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Description for Michael', 'Gold'),
(4, 'Emily Davis', 'emilyd', 'emilydavis@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Emilys profile description',
'Bronze'),
(5, 'David Wilson', 'davidw', 'davidwilson@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Description for David', 'Bronze'),
(6, 'Sophia Brown', 'sophiab', 'sophiabrown@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Sophias profile description', 'Gold'),
(7, 'Liam Lee', 'liaml', 'liamlee@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Description for Liam', 'Bronze'),
(8, 'Olivia White', 'oliviaw', 'oliviawhite@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Olivias profile description',
'Bronze'),
(9, 'Ethan Johnson', 'ethanj', 'ethanjohnson@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Ethans profile description', 'Gold'),
(10, 'Ava Martinez', 'avam', 'avamartinez@example.com',
'5d41402abc4b2a76b9719d911017c592', 'Avas profile description', 'Master'),
```

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