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Adding score management to your MOTUS application

Keep the score

Target is to have a score page displaying the following information

Info	Value
Nb Word(s) found	42
Average try	3.5

API creation

we are going to build a new app in charge tracking score. This app will only handle the following API request :

- /setscore : which will record the score for a player
- /getscore : which will display the score of a player

Be careful of when to call the API, when user input a word, when he found today's word.

Set up both these API in a new and dedicated nodejs app :

- move your existing App in a repository
- create a new directory and develop your app in this directory

You can store the data in a flat file or but it would be far better to store it in a dedicated database (ex Redis). You can use the documentation available here

- <https://redis.io/docs/connect/clients/nodejs/>
- <https://flaviocopes.com/how-to-use-redis-nodejs/>

Track the score (API calls)

During the game, ensure that when needed the Api setscore is called to record the player score and number of try.

Page creation

create a score.html page in your motus page or in your score App add a link in your main page and a link to go back to the main game page in the score page

This page should display the score information

TIPS :

with jQuery, you can easily update the content of a span or a div

```
<span id='score'></span>
<script>$("#score").html("42")</script>
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BONUS

Soon, we will think about user management, you can try to think on how you will handle score if there is more than one player. You could create a page displaying the best player's score.

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