Vocabduel (Group 7 | KBA | SoSe 2021 | HTW Berlin)

This is a monorepo containing the project directories for each component implemented within the scope of the course "Komponentenbasierte Entwicklung komplexer Anwendungen" (component-based implementation of complex applications) at HTW Berlin, University of Applied Sciences.

Project group

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Diagrams

The following two images are scalable vector graphics (`.svg` files) which means you can scale them easily if they are displayed too small in this README.

If there are differences between the graphic integrated in this README and the file you opened, e.g. class icons not shown in the UML diagram, try to open the respective file itself (same directory level as this README).

Components

A diagram visualizing which components are interacting in which way can be seen here (`./components_diagram.svg`):

Note: *At the moment, the webfrontend component is only conceptual. However, it is displayed in the diagram because in the future, it could either directly communicate with the modules (as microservices) or communicate through an interconnected backend.*
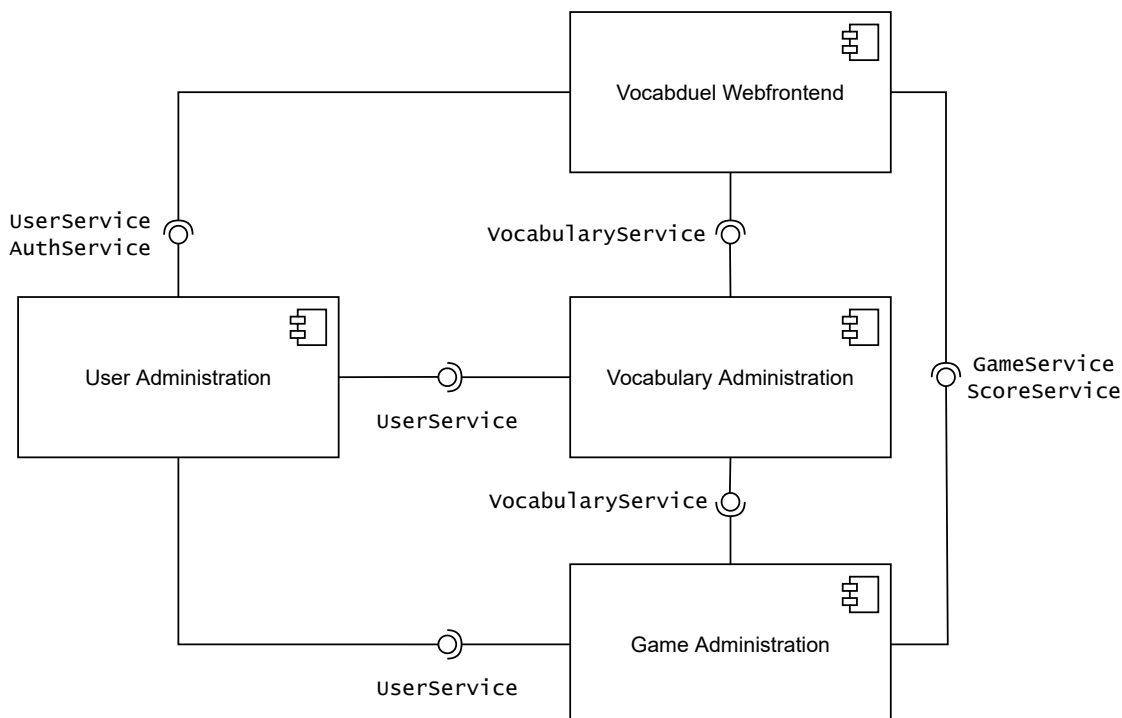
UML

Note: From our point of view, components should only provide what is actually needed. Some information, however, should not leave the component. Examples include:

- Exported class `User` → no password property
- Exported class `VocabduelRound` → no `correctAnswer` property since the data will be visible in the client/accessible through an API and, if the correct answer is included, the game could easily be manipulated when checking the network console
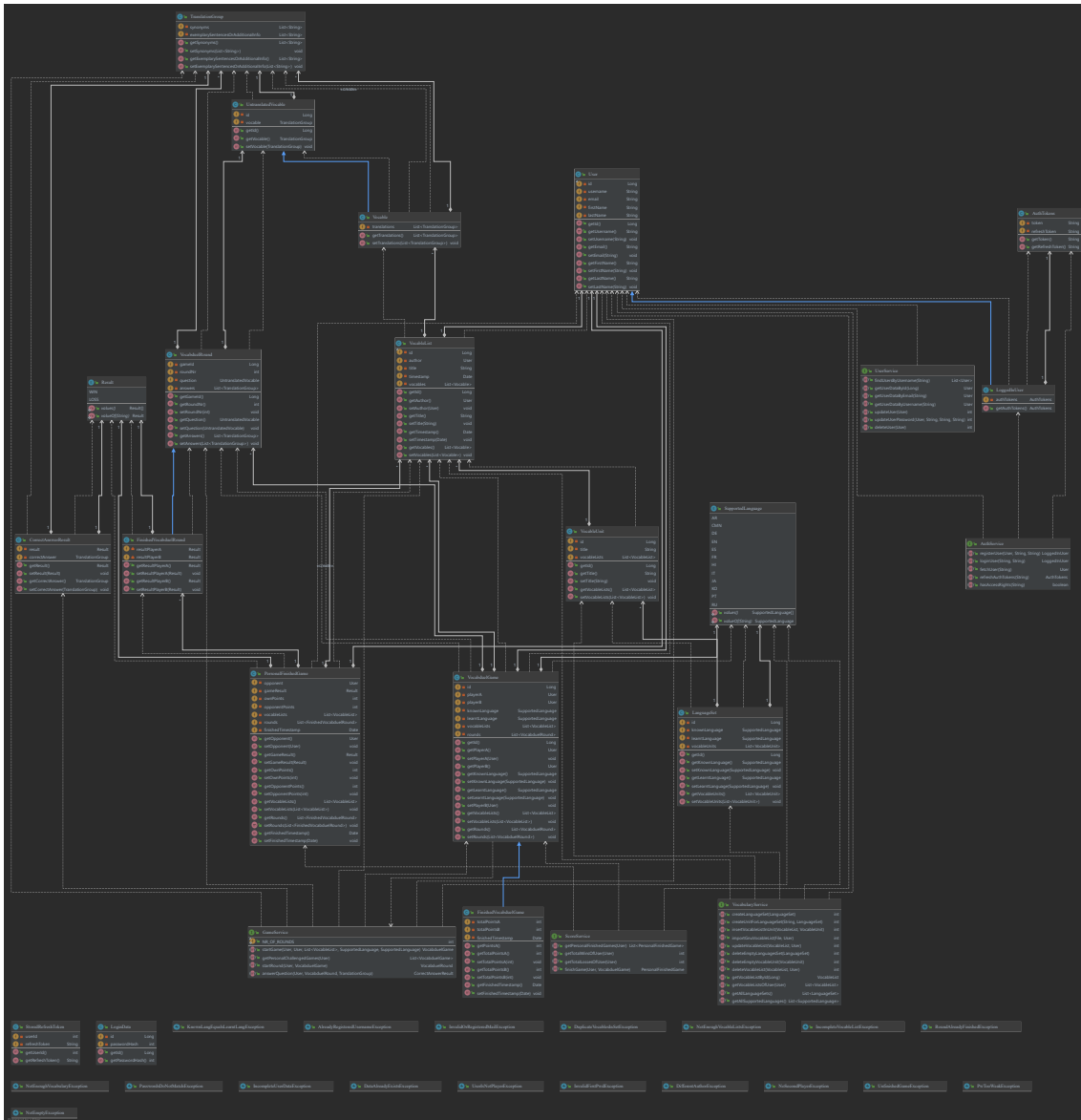
Model only

A diagram visualizing the defined model and its relationships can be seen here (`./class-diagram.svg`):
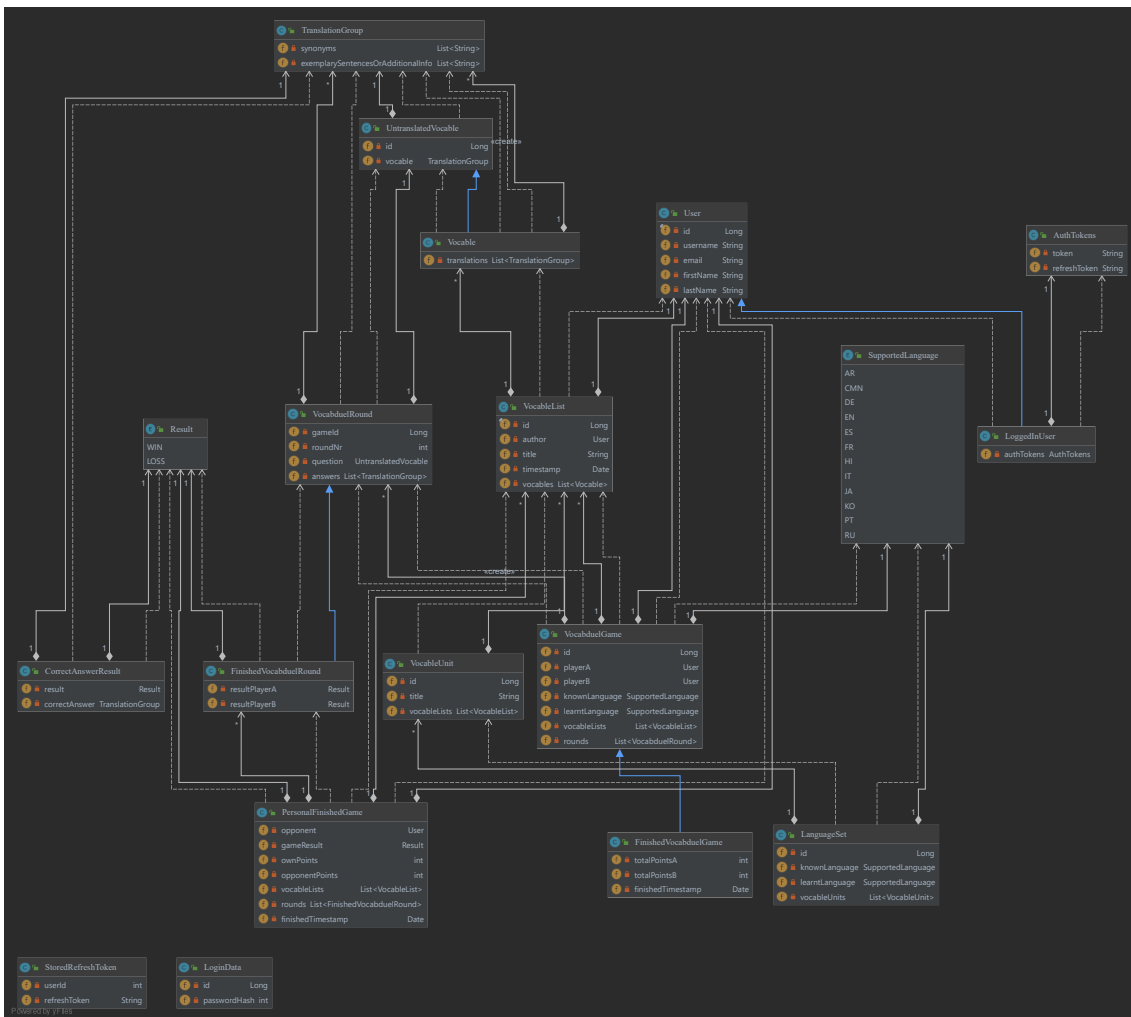
All Java files

If all Java files, i.e. Exceptions and Interfaces in addition to the classes in the diagram above, are of interest, please check the visualization here (`./complete-class-diagram.svg`):

Developer information

IDE

This project has been implemented using IntelliJ IDEA Ultimate. However, the necessary files for importing it as an Eclipse project (from zip) have been added, too. If you have troubles with Eclipse (even though the import has been tested carefully) or any other IDE, please feel free to contact us.

Generate diagrams

Component diagram

The component diagram has been generated using draw.io. If you have access to this repository, select GitHub as file source, authenticate and open/edit it there. Please make sure to both commit changes in both the `.io` and the `.svg` file.

UML

UML diagrams can be generated in IntelliJ (`.uml` files) and then be exported to `.svg` .

Due to incompatibility issues with shared `.uml` files, the file `class-diagram.uml` is not under version control. These are the steps to reproduce the class diagram:

0. **Prerequisites** - If you already have a file `class-diagram.uml` , continue with **1)**, otherwise generate it:
     - In IntelliJ, left click on the repository root directory
     - New → Diagram → Java Class Diagram
     - In the following dialog:
         - Make sure you save the file in the repository root
         - Name it `class-diagram.uml`

1. **Import the data** - Drag and drop each Java class etc. to be displayed into the diagram (make sure you do not drop packages)
2. **Show the data** - In the top bar, select:
     - *Fields*
     - *Methods*
     - *Visibility → All*
     - *Show dependencies*

3. **Auto-format the data** - In the top bar, select:
     - *Fit Content*
     - *Apply Current Layout (F5)*

4. **Export** - Export the data as `svg` :
     - Make sure, no diagram element is selected
     - In the top bar, select: *Export to Image File...*
     - In the following dialog:
         - Make sure you save the file in the repository root
         - Name it `class-diagram.svg` (`complete-class-diagram.svg` for all Java files) (or simply select `svg` in the file format dropdown)
         - Accept the dialog informing about replacing the current file