Glossary

- **User** An actor representing a person using the website.
- **Member Account** An account created by a <u>User</u> that allows them to create <u>Lessons</u> and save <u>Problems</u> for a longer period of time.
- **Expression Manipulator** The page where the <u>User</u> is able to interact with an <u>Expression Tree</u> and work toward solving a <u>Problem</u>.
- **Expression Creator** The page where the <u>User</u> is able to construct and manipulate Expression Trees, and create Problems.
- Expression Manipulator Tutorial A <u>Problem/Lesson</u> that will help new users become accustomed to the UI by adding tips and tricks while the user solves the <u>problem(s)</u>.
- Expression Creator Tutorial A <u>Problem/Lesson</u> which walks the <u>User</u> through the expression creator UI.
- **Expression Tree** An abstract data type which represents one of the manipulatable expressions.
- **History Bar** A sidebar that shows the user the past <u>Algebraic Actions</u> that they took.
- Problem A combination of an <u>Expression Tree</u>, representing a starting expression, and another <u>Expression Tree</u>, representing a goal expression. This would also include metadata including the url to the <u>Problem</u>, if one exists.
- Lesson A set of <u>Problems</u> with an order that can be assembled by a <u>User</u> with a <u>Member Account</u>.
- **Al Solver** An actor that uses a search algorithm to determine an optimal sequence of <u>Algebraic Actions</u> from a given <u>Expression Tree</u> to a goal <u>Expression Tree</u>.
- Problem Generator An actor that, when requested, generates a random problem for a User.
- **Central Database** Stores all <u>Problems</u>, <u>Lessons</u>, and <u>Member Accounts</u> so that other parts of the program can access them.
- **Algebraic Action** An action chosen by the <u>User</u> that transforms an <u>Expression Tree</u> according to the algebraic rules defined on <u>Expression Trees</u>.