







#### A Collaborative Exercise Repository for STACK

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#### Banks and Databases

- DOMAIN
- Digitaler Aufgabenpool Mathematik - TH Köln
- abacus
- STACK Question Library
- · HELM

- · SASIM
- twillo
- OpenRUB
- optes
- · SIG Mathe Digital
- ..





#### **Feature Wishlist**

- offer individual questions, which can be searched, filtered and previewed,
- support robust versioning for individual questions,
- provide an interface for LMS to connect to,
- · ensure compatibility across various LMS,
- ...





### **User Scenario 1: Finding Questions**

- 1 search courses in databases
- 2 download a course from a database
- 3 import the course to the LMS
- 4 search questions within the LMS
- 5 preview questions within the LMS





# **User Scenario 1: Finding Questions**

- 1 search and preview questions in databases
- 2 download a question from a database
- 3 import the question to the LMS
- 4 search questions within the LMS
- 5 preview the question within the LMS

- offer individual questions
- · enable previewing questions





# **User Scenario 1: Finding Questions**

- 1 search and preview questions in databases from within the LMS
- 2 download a question from a database
- 3 import the question to the LMS
- 4 search questions within the LMS
- 5 preview the question within the LMS

- · offer individual questions
- enable previewing questions
- provide an interface for LMS





### **User Scenario 2a: Editing Questions**

- 1 user edits questions
- 2 user informs the author
- 3 author edits the question
- 4 author uploads the question to the database

- process is too complicated
- users tend to refrain from submitting their improvements
- edited questions remain invisible to others





### **User Scenario 2b: Editing Questions**

- 1 user edits questions
- 2 user uploads the question to the database

- may lead to many versions
- ➤ hard to keep track of

support robust versioning for individual questions





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# **Project Goals**

- develop an open question database software,
- · create a question bank based on this software,
- · consolidate existing questions into the question bank,
- · advance outreach and community engagement.





### Idea for a Central Access Point

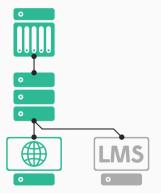


- Git-based repository with question-specific data structure, standardized meta data scheme, version control
- API handles import and export, search and filter queries, and metadata enrichment
- Web-based frontend with import and export, search and filter functions, preview and metadata display





### Idea for a Central Access Point



 LMS plugins for Moodle and ILIAS to synchronize and version questions





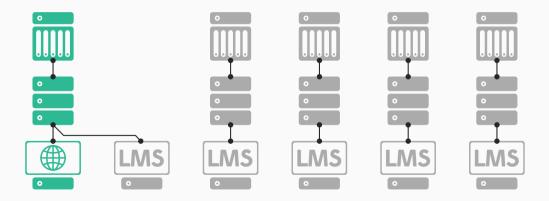
# Core Infrastructure as Open Software

- API and LMS plugin will be freely available
- ➤ allows institutions to host their own repositories
- ➤ allows to share repositories between institutions





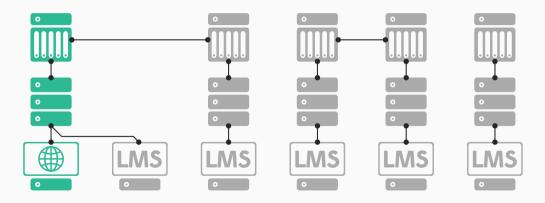
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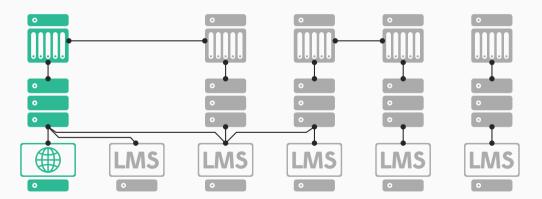
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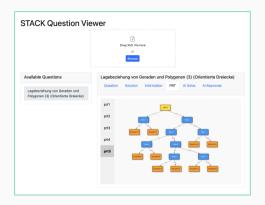






### Progress So Far

- manage, join and split questions on the level of xml files
- preview questions, sample solutions and, response trees
- · generate meta data with ai







# **Community Engagement**

#### Conference goals

- explore what standards and technologies already exist Thank you!
- · see where we can work together
- understand what educators actually need





# **Community Engagement**

#### Survey

- current use of question banks and common challenges,
- desired features and functions, and display preferences
- willingness to contribute questions and potential barriers









Please, share your perspective and take part in our survey under

https://stack.nrw/en/durham25.shtml

# Thank You!

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