Authentication security - the quick and easy way!

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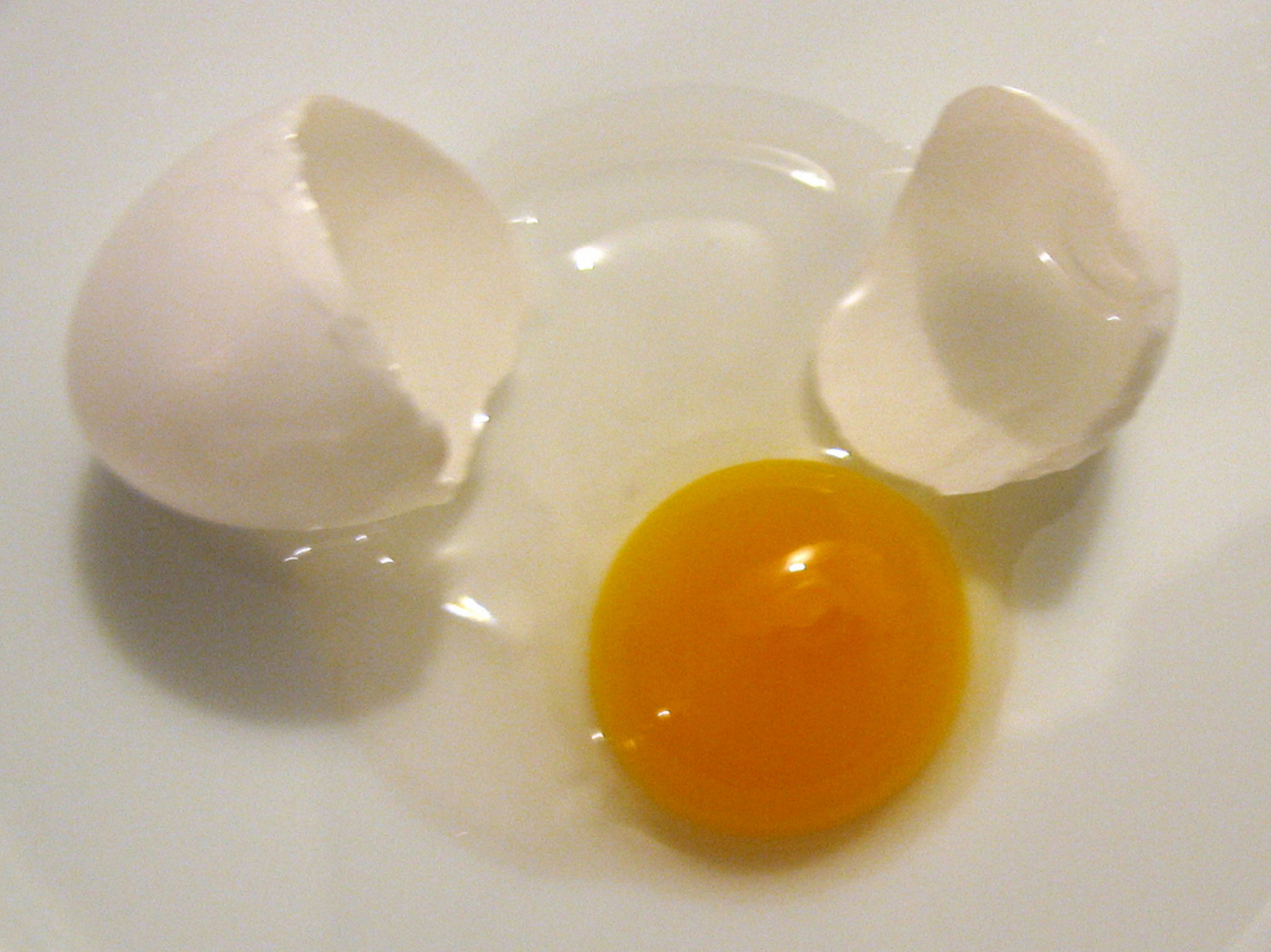

The Top 50 Gawker Media Passwords

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By Zachary M. Seward and Albert Sun

Readers of Gizmodo, Lifehacker and other Gawker Media sites may be among the sawiest on the Web, but the most common password for logging into those sites is embarrassingly easy to guess: "123456." So is the runner-up: "password."

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Statistics from 10,000 leaked Hotmail passwords

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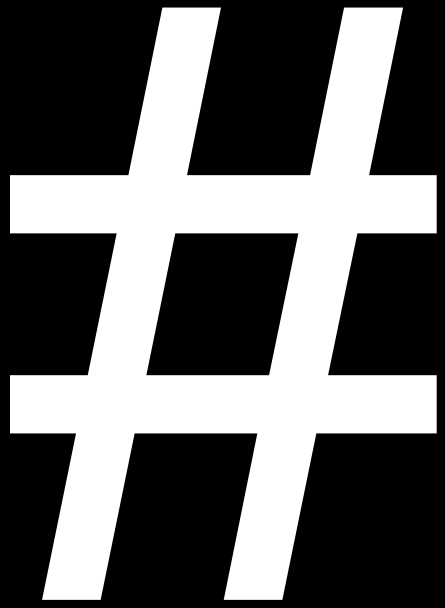
An anonymous user posted usernames and passwords of over 10,000 Windows Live Hotmail accounts to a web site called PasteBin. PasteBin is currently down for maintenance but I managed to get a copy of the list, and quickly generated some statistics from these passwords.



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postgres=# CREATE EXTENSION pgcrypto;
CREATE EXTENSION
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postgres=# CREATE EXTENSION pgcrypto;
CREATE EXTENSION

postgres=# SELECT crypt('topsecret', gen_salt('bf'));
                            crypt
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 $2a$06$gtwIVMvGNoClLvD4vqVwAus4OF47mLv0J6XyYylzpAKaf.
(1 row)
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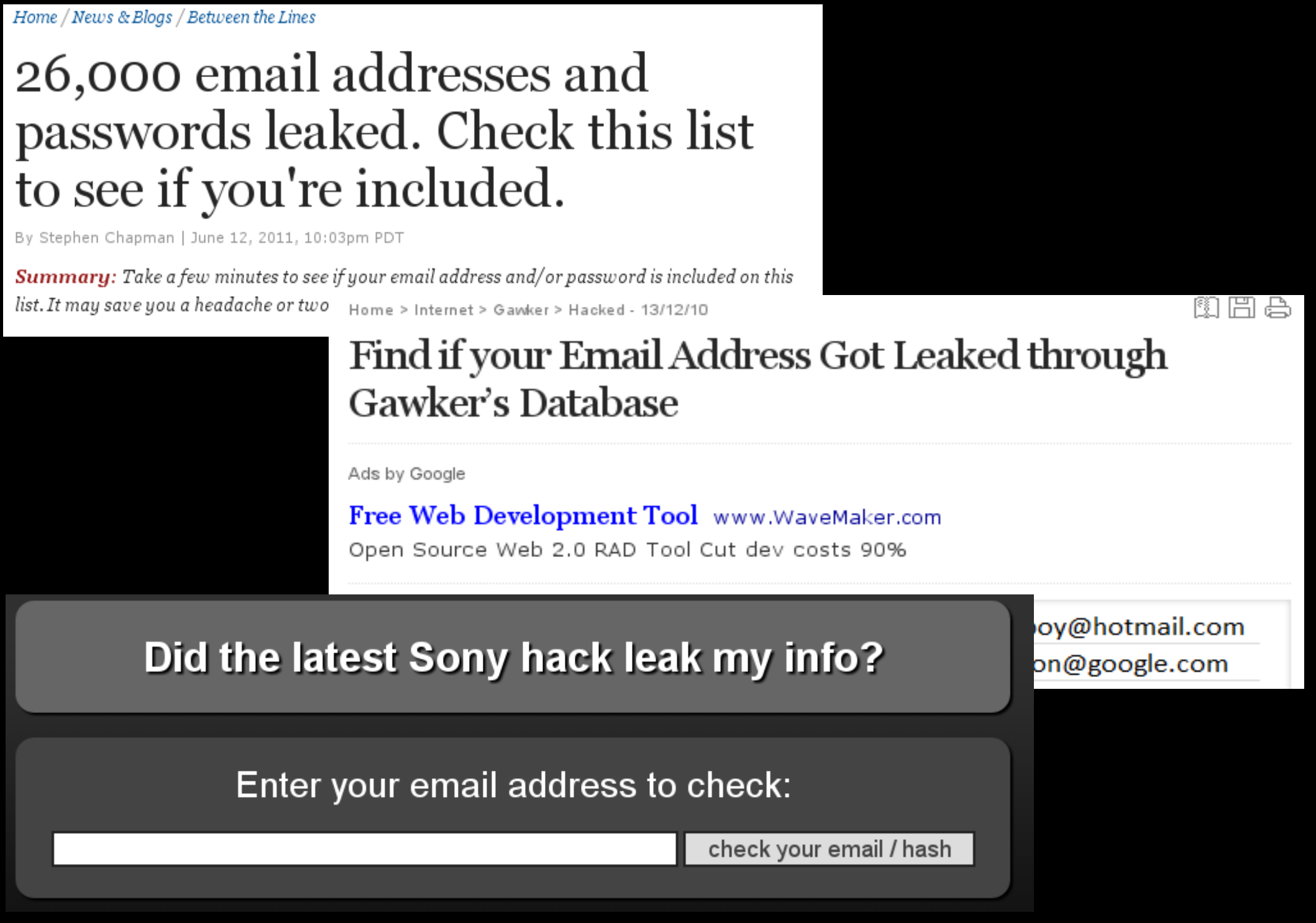
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26,000 email addresses and passwords leaked. Check this list to see if you're included.
By Stephen Chapman | June 12, 2011, 10:03pm PDT
Summary: Take a few minutes to see if your email address and/or password is included on this list. It may save you a headache or two
Home > Internet > Gawker > Hacked - 13/12/10
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Open Source Web 2.0 RAD Tool Cut dev costs 90%
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Did the latest Sony hack leak my info?
Enter your email address to check:
check your email / hash

To Maggie, Sherman & Charlie
From Grandma & Grandpa

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CREATE OR REPLACE FUNCTION login(_userid text,
        _pwd text, OUT _email text)
 RETURNS text LANGUAGE plpgsql SECURITY DEFINER
AS $$
BEGIN
  SELECT email INTO _email FROM users
    WHERE users.userid=lower(_userid)
    AND pwdhash = crypt(_pwd, users.pwdhash);
END;
$$



REVOKE ALL ON users FROM public;
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```
postgres=# select login('foo', 'bar');
 login
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(1 row)

postgres=# select login('foo', 'topsecret');
    login
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 foo@bar.com
(1 row)

postgres=> select * from users;
ERROR:  permission denied for relation users
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DONE!

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