

About TamBiC usability testing:

This usability test will try to cover the most important features and functionalities the TamBiC system has to offer. Target of the usability testing is to determine, if carrying out these basic tasks with TamBiC system is easy and intuitive enough:

- Selecting the search material:
 - o choosing the right corpus
 - o choosing the right language
- Doing a basic search:
 - o how and when to use whole words
 - o how and when to use wildcard (asterix, *) in search
 - o how and when to use AND operand
 - o how and when to use OR operand
 - o how and when to use NOT operand
- Understandability of the result tabs:
 - o which result tab shows what search results?
 - o how to view all the results (several pages)
 - o how to view a certain page of the results
 - o how to get more context relating to the results
 - o how to save certain results into a file
 - o how to print out certain results
- Doing a refining search:
 - o how easy it is to figure out how to refine the previous search results
 - o choosing the right language for the refined search
 - o how and when to use whole words
 - o how and when to use wildcard (asterix, *) in search
 - o how and when to use AND operand
 - o how and when to use OR operand
 - o how and when to use NOT operand
- Starting over:
 - o how to make a new main level search, with old results tabs still showing
 - o how to refine an old search result
 - o how and when to close un-necessary sub-level result tabs?
 - o how and when to close un-necessary main-level result tabs?
 - o how and when to close all result tabs?
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FEATURE	Usability TestCase					nro
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	
MAIN SEARCH: selecting ENG->FIN corpus	x	x			x	3
MAIN SEARCH: selecting FIN->ENG corpus			x	x	x	3
MAIN SEARCH: selecting ENGLISH language	x	x			x	3
MAIN SEARCH: selecting FINNISH language			x	x	x	3
MAIN SEARCH: searching for a single word as such	x	x	x		x	4
MAIN SEARCH: searching for word with *-ending			x	x		2
MAIN SEARCH: searching for word with *-start			x	x		2
MAIN SEARCH: searching for phrase ('hot dog')						0
MAIN SEARCH: using AND syntax			x			1

MAIN SEARCH: using OR syntax			x			1
MAIN SEARCH: using NOT syntax						0
ADVANCED: keeping case sensitivity turned OFF.	x		x	x	x	4
ADVANCED: turning case sensitivity ON.		x				1
REFINING SEARCH: selecting ENGLISH language			x	x	x	3
REFINING SEARCH: selecting FINNISH language	x	x				2
REFINING SEARCH: searching for words as such	x	x	x	x	x	5
REFINING SEARCH: searching for word with *-ending						0
REFINING SEARCH: searching for word with *-start						0
REFINING SEARCH: searching for phrase ('hot dog')						0
REFINING SEARCH: using AND syntax						0
REFINING SEARCH: using OR syntax						0
REFINING SEARCH: using NOT syntax			x	x		2
RESULTS: view all result pages						0
RESULTS: go to result page 'N'				x		1
RESULTS: view the "more context"		x		x		2
RESULTS: save	x				x	2
RESULTS: save with given name		x				1
RESULTS: print out from the web site	x			x		2
RESULTS: open saved .txt file and print that out		x				1
CLOSING: close a sub-tab						0
CLOSING: close a main-level tab					x	1
CLOSING: close all tabs						0