

Balu: Hi, I'm here  
Sindhu here

Cool, Jahira, Mohinder, Vamshi needed.  
Till that time, Balu or Sindhu, you can share your experiences.  
Cool, Jahira is missing! Hurray, she's in.

Balu, please go ahead  
or Should I start?

Yes i'm here - Jahira  
:)

Balu:  
I'll start Ajay  
Plz

Started with installing on windows 7 which failed, then installed on XP, .net 3.5  
i've divided the task and defined few goals -

1. Test the front type keyboard if working in virtual keyboard mode.
2. Test 'settings' of Front type keyboard
3. Any missing features/additional features in comparison

i couldnt accomplish my goals within one hour but i made sure i touched all three of my goals.

However, i could make some progress and found issues as reported.

At the end i missed two issues reporting :) (which i found during my testing) :)

one - the oK button not working

second - i've tried to hold the shift key and i couldnt - out of time to investigate. Let me know if we can do that

Thank you for saving time!

I've lot more to share but didnt write it yet :)

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I would say , you made use of the time available & did your best. What do others say?

Question here - what is the right thing to do in such situation?  
touch base every functaionality or stick and test one vigourosly?

can discuss offline if not related here :)

Yes

Inform the management as quickly as possible what's happening!

And my worry is why did any of you NOT ask questions?

Balu, did you see Windows OnScreen keyboard?

Balu: Ajay, Yes I did!

ok, I see points of only Frontype (& not Fronttype) keyboard. hence asked.

Ajay: you can find them in the comparison, but most of my time was spent on testing Frontype keyboard.

Did you meet the mission - will you do something different if given a chance again?

Yes. I think i'd plan in a different direction.

What

Hmm,. cool.

Any thing you found interesting in WT//

Yes i did.

This is my first session BTW.

it is good experience testing a different product. As we keep testing same product weeks and weeks.

BWT - Bangalore Weekend Testing now its WT btw ;)

Excellent - that was one of the objectives why WT was started. New products, new experiences, new learning  
:) Thanks Balu. Anything else you want to add?

i've one lesson learnt and would like to share.

Keep track of all the scenarios and issues executed particulaly when you have short span of time.

Sure

Rapid Reporter will solve that!!!

even if you have lots of time, it will help!

Right ajay. I never used it and have to give a try.

Don't try! Either decide to use & use it or don't use :)

Will decide to use :)

That is the end of my report!

Thank you :)

Next , be ready! if you don't have any questions to Balu

Who's next?

Sindhu : This is my first weekend testing experience

Please

Copy paste! Congratulations :)

Thanks but why?

1st WT and without Skype, it was possible!!! Say thanks to everyone who came here ;) Kidding...

:) Lesson Learnt

ok

And got stuck int he first step itself while trying to install. Dis some research about the product just to find that it is not meant for Windows 7. Could not try in other versions of Windows since that is the only one i have in my laptop

Where did you find?

Anyone with 2 OS?

Balu: Ajay, I've a VM with different OS.

Awesome, helps. you have the appropriate tools in case of emergency ;)

Thanks :)

In the system Requirements section of the Download page of the website

Cool!

So tried to understand the features from the user manual and from the screenshots and reported

Hmmm,

I should appreciate the report Sindhu sent! She has drawn a table comparing the two keyboards! Please have a look if you have not yet seen.

Thanks Ajay

I could not find any bugs as such; but tried to do a comparison of features.

@Everyone: Was finding bugs part of goal?

It would have been useful if we could find any issues / defects too

Hmm, agree.

Thanks Sindhu, anything you want to add/share? Any questions to her?

No questions as such for this mission. You are soo prepared.

? Appreciating/Shouting ? Prepared for what? (I am atester, no assumptions; I better ask)

Appreciation only :) There was quite much information for an 1 hr session

You folks make WT rock. and Wt rocks because you ROCK :)

Sindhu report is more clear and professional...Good...

Hurray :)

Appreciation where deserved!!!

And good to learn from each other :)

Thanks jahira

Mohinder's turn, lets hear him :) He must be looking out for me to share his concerns abt typewith.me!!!

Everyone, please scroll to bottom of page!

There are bugs look at my report

i am not saying, there are no bugs! i am asking if finding them is important

f baked application only good for kids

a. how would your management react if you told that?

b. Don't read these till you finish typing what you wanted to type!

Effective usage of time - Hmmm.... Wh

Here is my points... - Jahira

jahira, by copy pastng, you confused me for a minute! :)

Jahira: Initially, while downloading the Keyboard, it have a default layout without having any Functional Keys and Number and arrows keys...

BUt In setting Mode, we do have an option to select the particluar buttons which need to display ok. This is the first time WT right?

Yes

How was it?

It was a different learning experience to work around with a different tool

Issues

Ok Button in setting dialog box is not working

Drag and drop option is not available for the keyboard makes the keyboard fix in one place...It makes other part of the document is not viewable more....

@Jahira: Ok, will you recommend frontype? Any +ves for Frontype?

Yes, the changes which we do, using the settings remains the same whenever we open the keyboard....We are making changes to our convenient...then why should we do every time...It makes user to disappooint at one level...

Hereby i am concluding my discussion.

Anyone please proceed..

Anything which you feel, you did very good or you are happy with?

Yes, previously i didnt even check with the settings option and proceeding the bugs...but when i find settings there are option to add keys,and etc., i feel that everything is good and i m reporting...But when i find OK Button is not working , really i felt my assumption go wrong..even a regular functionality can provide a bug which was not expected....

Thats it...

WT ---- I have finished my point of views...let other start...

Mohinder here are my findings:

shift:Not able to lock shift characters and they do not appear on the key board.?:

Function keys:Not able to use function keys

paging up/down keys missing

edit functions;esc/printscn/insert/delete/home/end are missing

No option to change language

mixture of keystroke and virtual keyboard works

tab works

ms icon next to cntr key on the left does nothing seems inactive but when used through the proper keyboard it highlights

colour selection/opacity works

drag the v keyboard lock the keyboard

Fail to save the setting for the colour/opacity from the previous load. At luach the keyboard colour was ok but it changed to default setting very quickly. Advanced settings were saved and keyboard appeared when the application was active

It appears on apps I don't want it to appear such as Skype but it does

Autostart launch at windows startup function not tried.

OK any questions

Mohinder! Wasn't this session a truly unique experience for you?

Hmmm, happens.

Worth your 2 hrs?

Yes unique in terms of using typewithme. I had time to spare even after having teething problem installing the damn thing

The key take away from this is that app is half baked may be designed for kiddies

I did the virtual to real keyboard mapping to ensure it works otherwise there is no point using it.

Second was that the settings works.

Any of the keys not in the right position

Missing functions and editing keys missing

Annoying thing is the keyboard appears where I do not want it to appear. I should use the advanced function option to force it on active applications of my choice.

Go ahead

Good Mohinder! Can we wrap up the session if no more questions/comments!

I've a question!

Yes,.plz

I recalled the session from Pradeep @ BugDeBug where he was talking about NLTE ;)

What is DSC here?

Dabba Software Company!!!

Kidding, i made it just now after you asked what's DSC

Cool, we wrap up. Amazing AMAZING AMAZING session. Thanks to everyone involved. We made it up Skype + Fronttype + .net + typewith.me (2 sessions) + exe + dropbox + lots of learning!!!

I am proud of you all Balaji, Jahira, mohinder, Sindhu & Vamshi!!!

THANK YOU We are on TIME too :)

thanks all

Thanks Ajay and WT for this excellend idea of practising testing. Thank you guys! Had lots of info. Will participate in more of these and learn learn learn..!! Thank you.

Thanks for the company. Bye for now. Have a nice weekend.

Thanks Ajay...It was a new learning experience...

Thank you. OVER & OUT. Enjoy weekend. You made my weekend definitely amazing :)

Cool, Mohinder. Anything else you want to add?

Someone else also told this!!! Who was it?

jahira

S its me :) The first thing which i observed

:)

Awesome! Did anyone check this? A good test idea! Check the product - Comparison with Standards heuristic!!! <http://www.developsense.com/articles/2005-01-TestingWithoutAMap.pdf> has some good info on heuristics

Ajay: I did this and verified if eevery key works as expected when compared to real keyboard. Is this what

you are talking about?

Yes :) Good for you too !!!

I've few functional defects reported on this too. (Check my report)

DSC management was busy looking for comparison that it said - Defects later !!! :( :)

Agree... a different learning right!

If there was one thing which you think you did best, what was it?  
or maybe > 1 too :)