

[4/30/2011 4:12:00 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added eusebiu blindu \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:12:39 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Gagan Talwar \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:16:53 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Mohammed Haleem \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:18:04 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Akanksha talwar \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:20:02 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Ajay Balamurugadas \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:41:53 PM] European Weekend Testers: Hi guys

[4/30/2011 4:42:11 PM] European Weekend Testers: the session will start in less than 20 min

[4/30/2011 4:42:16 PM] Gagan Talwar: okies

[4/30/2011 4:42:18 PM] Mohammed Haleem: mmmm...fine

[4/30/2011 4:42:31 PM] European Weekend Testers: but till then please download the product <http://www.google.com/intl/en/landing/chrome/beta/>

[4/30/2011 4:42:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: its the beta version of Chrome

[4/30/2011 4:42:59 PM] Mohammed Haleem: mmmm....

[4/30/2011 4:43:40 PM] European Weekend Testers: if you already have it, it will normally have to be over installed

[4/30/2011 4:43:47 PM] European Weekend Testers: but not mandatory

[4/30/2011 4:43:53 PM] Gagan Talwar: ok

[4/30/2011 4:44:22 PM] Akanksha talwar: Done

[4/30/2011 4:44:41 PM] European Weekend Testers: cool

[4/30/2011 4:44:49 PM] European Weekend Testers: so its fast enough :)

[4/30/2011 4:45:25 PM] Akanksha talwar: yes

[4/30/2011 4:45:34 PM] Mohammed Haleem: I've installed Chrome...

[4/30/2011 4:45:36 PM] Akanksha talwar: but need to restart all browsers

[4/30/2011 4:45:55 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Mohinder Khosla \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:46:11 PM] Mohammed Haleem: Does it make a difference in speed if you have IE, Firefox and Mozilla on your machine...

[4/30/2011 4:46:29 PM] Gagan Talwar: Chrome is faster than IE n FF

[4/30/2011 4:46:53 PM] Mohammed Haleem: I understand...can we keep all the three....

[4/30/2011 4:47:37 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added nitinpurswani \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:47:49 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Safari is the worst of the lot in my experience.It dies on me every minute so stopped using it.

[4/30/2011 4:48:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: well the idea here is that we will test part of Chrome functionality :)

[4/30/2011 4:48:47 PM] European Weekend Testers: not to use a browser that works better

[4/30/2011 4:48:57 PM] Mohammed Haleem: okay got it !

[4/30/2011 4:49:08 PM] European Weekend Testers: Please download the beta version here <http://www.google.com/intl/en/landing/chrome/beta/>

[4/30/2011 4:49:18 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Chrome works for me but I have issues with it

[4/30/2011 4:49:44 PM] Mohammed Haleem: I've donwnloaded it...what next?

[4/30/2011 4:50:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: we wait for others to join

[4/30/2011 4:50:13 PM] Gagan Talwar: its downloading

[4/30/2011 4:50:19 PM] European Weekend Testers: and I will give the mission in 10 min

[4/30/2011 4:50:28 PM] Mohammed Haleem: mmmm...okay !

[4/30/2011 4:50:32 PM] Mohinder Khosla: EWT You want us to install it or just download the file

[4/30/2011 4:50:51 PM] Gagan Talwar: install too

[4/30/2011 4:50:58 PM] nitinpurswani: nitinpurswani downloading 27.9 mb

[4/30/2011 4:51:02 PM] Mohammed Haleem: EWT: in my case I have installed it completely...

[4/30/2011 4:51:57 PM] European Weekend Testers: cool

[4/30/2011 4:52:13 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mohammed what OS are you using?

[4/30/2011 4:52:23 PM] Mohammed Haleem: am using Windows xp

[4/30/2011 4:52:49 PM] Mohammed Haleem: sorry Windows Vista...

[4/30/2011 4:52:57 PM] Gagan Talwar: Done

[4/30/2011 4:53:05 PM] Gagan Talwar: Installing now finally

[4/30/2011 4:53:14 PM] European Weekend Testers: Please check logging by trying these steps <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/logging.html>

[4/30/2011 4:53:17 PM] Akanksha talwar: So it says 11.0.696.60 beta

[4/30/2011 4:53:32 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Akanksha looks good

[4/30/2011 4:53:52 PM] Gagan Talwar: Yippe done

[4/30/2011 4:54:07 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Mira Razman \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 4:54:23 PM] European Weekend Testers: Hi Mira

[4/30/2011 4:54:41 PM] Akanksha talwar: I have one question, whenever i update my chrome , my system update Firefox as well

[4/30/2011 4:55:06 PM] Gagan Talwar: Not in my case

[4/30/2011 4:55:49 PM] Mohammed Haleem: EWT : I've opened the testalways url and see the basic logging info...and steps...

[4/30/2011 4:56:29 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Where do you find CHROME\_LOG\_FILE system variable

[4/30/2011 4:57:03 PM] Gagan Talwar: Set environment variable Mohinder

[4/30/2011 4:57:23 PM] European Weekend Testers: You set it up in variable

[4/30/2011 4:57:50 PM] Gagan Talwar: How to enable logging?

[4/30/2011 4:58:21 PM] European Weekend Testers: [http://www.microsoft.com/resources/documentation/windows/xp/all/proddocs/en-us/environment\\_variables.mspx?mfr=true](http://www.microsoft.com/resources/documentation/windows/xp/all/proddocs/en-us/environment_variables.mspx?mfr=true)

[4/30/2011 4:58:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: for logging see here

[4/30/2011 4:58:47 PM] European Weekend Testers: <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/logging.html>

[4/30/2011 4:59:48 PM] European Weekend Testers: <http://www.chromium.org/for-testers/enable-logging>

[4/30/2011 5:00:10 PM] European Weekend Testers: basically you run with:  
--enable-logging --v=1

[4/30/2011 5:01:30 PM] Gagan Talwar: Whats abt point number 3 ?

[4/30/2011 5:01:35 PM] European Weekend Testers: In Windows you can create an icon with this  
"D:\Documents and Settings\ <put here username> \Local Settings\Application Data\Google\Chrome\Application\chrome.exe" --enable-logging --v=7

[4/30/2011 5:02:15 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan what do you mean?

[4/30/2011 5:02:41 PM] Gagan Talwar: i created variable with "CHROME\_LOG\_FILE" do i need to enter same "CHROME\_LOG\_FILE" in vale

[4/30/2011 5:02:44 PM] Gagan Talwar: value\*

[4/30/2011 5:03:06 PM] European Weekend Testers: the value is the location of the log file

[4/30/2011 5:03:12 PM] Gagan Talwar: okies

[4/30/2011 5:03:17 PM] European Weekend Testers: just create a log file and put it like variable there

[4/30/2011 5:03:46 PM] European Weekend Testers: (not only the folder but the variable will have to contain the file, like <dir>/file.log

[4/30/2011 5:04:38 PM] Gagan Talwar: u mean to say i need to enter exact place where my log file is stored. "E:\chrome\_debug.log"

[4/30/2011 5:04:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: yes

[4/30/2011 5:04:43 PM] Gagan Talwar: am i right now?

[4/30/2011 5:04:45 PM] Gagan Talwar: ok thanks

[4/30/2011 5:05:57 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added EswaraRao \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 5:06:51 PM] Gagan Talwar: Why we need to create icon in windows?

[4/30/2011 5:06:56 PM] Gagan Talwar: windows\*

[4/30/2011 5:07:25 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan its not mandatory, its just an easier step maybe to run with in logging mode

[4/30/2011 5:08:17 PM] European Weekend Testers: you can start from command line also

[4/30/2011 5:08:26 PM] Gagan Talwar: how?

[4/30/2011 5:08:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: Find where is your google Chrome executable

[4/30/2011 5:09:16 PM] European Weekend Testers: and run chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=1

[4/30/2011 5:09:55 PM] European Weekend Testers: then the log will be added in the file declared in environment variable "CHROME\_LOG\_FILE"

[4/30/2011 5:10:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok guys

[4/30/2011 5:10:17 PM] European Weekend Testers: I will give the mission for today and see what we can do

[4/30/2011 5:10:37 PM | Edited 5:10:48 PM] European Weekend Testers: ((\*))Mission: Test Google Chrome Beta functionality related to speech input

[4/30/2011 5:11:25 PM] European Weekend Testers: so basically we will test the speech input in Chrome

[4/30/2011 5:11:57 PM] European Weekend Testers: I insisted on the log because its important for this product, otherwise is hard to see important errors

[4/30/2011 5:12:12 PM] European Weekend Testers: and use this <http://www.satisfice.com/tools/log-watch.zip>

[4/30/2011 5:12:19 PM] European Weekend Testers: (for Windows users)

[4/30/2011 5:12:30 PM] Gagan Talwar: I got exe path . Can u plz tell me how to run it with --enable-logging --v=1

[4/30/2011 5:14:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok

[4/30/2011 5:14:13 PM] European Weekend Testers: You are using Windows, right?

[4/30/2011 5:14:18 PM] Gagan Talwar: yes

[4/30/2011 5:14:20 PM] Gagan Talwar: Win 7

[4/30/2011 5:14:43 PM] European Weekend Testers: can you locate where your chrome exe is?

[4/30/2011 5:14:48 PM] Gagan Talwar: yes

[4/30/2011 5:14:59 PM] Gagan Talwar:  
C:\Users\Gagan\AppData\Local\Google\Chrome\Application  
[4/30/2011 5:15:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: go to that folder using command line  
[4/30/2011 5:15:15 PM] Gagan Talwar: ok  
[4/30/2011 5:15:26 PM] Gagan Talwar: done  
[4/30/2011 5:15:27 PM] Gagan Talwar: next pls  
[4/30/2011 5:15:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=7  
[4/30/2011 5:15:45 PM] European Weekend Testers: this is what I ran  
[4/30/2011 5:16:00 PM] European Weekend Testers: I am not sure if v=7 differs from v=1  
[4/30/2011 5:16:09 PM] European Weekend Testers: [Saturday, April 30, 2011 5:15 PM]  
European Weekend Testers:

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<<< chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=7
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[4/30/2011 5:16:45 PM] Gagan Talwar: When i did it opened Firefox?  
[4/30/2011 5:16:46 PM] European Weekend Testers: So the mission is shown here with notes  
<http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/mission.html>  
[4/30/2011 5:17:08 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan what do you mean it opened Firefox?  
[4/30/2011 5:17:33 PM] Gagan Talwar: when i type chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=1 and hit enter at command prompt it open firefox screen  
[4/30/2011 5:17:59 PM] European Weekend Testers: Other guys to test your install go to <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/sample1.html>  
press mike and say something  
[4/30/2011 5:18:16 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan - hm, it looks suspicious  
[4/30/2011 5:18:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: how did you install it?  
[4/30/2011 5:19:48 PM] Gagan Talwar: I installed the chrome from link given by you  
[4/30/2011 5:20:19 PM] Gagan Talwar: then i setup system variable  
[4/30/2011 5:20:23 PM] Gagan Talwar: n now the last step chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=1  
[4/30/2011 5:20:35 PM] Gagan Talwar: bt once i press enter it open firefox  
[4/30/2011 5:21:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: do you have an icon from Chrome on your desktop?  
[4/30/2011 5:21:16 PM] Gagan Talwar: yes  
[4/30/2011 5:21:26 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Has anyone manage to run chrome from C: prompt?  
[4/30/2011 5:21:43 PM] European Weekend Testers: and does it open correctly from there?  
[4/30/2011 5:22:28 PM] Gagan Talwar: Yes when i click on icon of chrome it open chrome only  
[4/30/2011 5:22:45 PM] Gagan Talwar: Also now when i am speaking its not analyzing the words correctly  
[4/30/2011 5:23:31 PM] nitinpurswani: @Host what <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/sample1.html> does ?  
[4/30/2011 5:23:39 PM] Gagan Talwar: when i say "Welcome" it display value "Text" , but when i say "hello" it shows "hello"  
[4/30/2011 5:23:44 PM] Akanksha talwar: I have chome in C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Local Settings\Application Data\Google\Chrome\Application, and i m able to run the Chrome

[4/30/2011 5:23:45 PM] nitinpurswani: I tried it takes the input but nothing happens

[4/30/2011 5:24:16 PM] Akanksha talwar: It is showing me Newyork - but i didnt said that

[4/30/2011 5:24:20 PM] European Weekend Testers: @nitinpurswani if you installed chrome beta properly you should input text by voice

[4/30/2011 5:24:38 PM] nitinpurswani: EWT working now

[4/30/2011 5:24:59 PM] Gagan Talwar: I said "i am wrong" and text diplayed is "I am broke"

[4/30/2011 5:25:07 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan well maybe you can report a bug then, but have a look if not already reported <http://code.google.com/p/chromium/issues/list?can=2&q=webkit%20speech&sort=-modified&colspec=ID%20Stars%20Pri%20Area%20Feature%20Type%20Status%20Summary%20Modified%20Owner%20Mstone%20OS>

[4/30/2011 5:25:11 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT I was kept speaking and not letting the tool to translate the voice . That was the issue .

[4/30/2011 5:25:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Akanksha what do you mean?

[4/30/2011 5:26:01 PM] Gagan Talwar: Ok

[4/30/2011 5:26:13 PM] Akanksha talwar: When i say Hello, it translated to Newyork

[4/30/2011 5:26:29 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Akanksha you should run something like this

- 1) cd "C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\Local Settings\Application Data\Google\Chrome\Application"
- 2) chrome.exe --enable-logging --v=1

[4/30/2011 5:26:35 PM] European Weekend Testers: oh

[4/30/2011 5:26:37 PM] European Weekend Testers: yeah

[4/30/2011 5:26:54 PM] Akanksha talwar: yes i did that

[4/30/2011 5:26:55 PM] European Weekend Testers: I noticed myself that its not working ok

[4/30/2011 5:26:59 PM] Akanksha talwar: Its running

[4/30/2011 5:27:22 PM] European Weekend Testers: But when I said "Google", "Yahoo", "Bing" it seemed to work

[4/30/2011 5:28:18 PM] Akanksha talwar: oh wen I said Google - test displayed Women

[4/30/2011 5:28:24 PM] Akanksha talwar: text\*

[4/30/2011 5:29:17 PM] Akanksha talwar: I have find out the issue, i have speak little loudly

[4/30/2011 5:30:10 PM] Akanksha talwar: Its working

[4/30/2011 5:30:12 PM] European Weekend Testers: I don't know if you are all familiar with this but Google pays for security issues

<http://www.chromium.org/Home/chromium-security/hall-of-fame>

[4/30/2011 5:30:47 PM] Gagan Talwar: ok

[4/30/2011 5:31:22 PM] Gagan Talwar: Whats about other issues we are logging?

[4/30/2011 5:31:32 PM] Gagan Talwar: Will we get any update whether its approved or rejected/

[4/30/2011 5:31:54 PM] European Weekend Testers: I think you will get it but not instantly

[4/30/2011 5:32:06 PM] Gagan Talwar: okies

[4/30/2011 5:32:30 PM] European Weekend Testers: the rewards from Google is for security - (not simple functionalities) - but incentives helps :)

[4/30/2011 5:32:42 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT I have one question . We need to test the speech recoginition system as it is a HTML5 api or we need to check how good google has

implemented that api

[4/30/2011 5:33:28 PM] European Weekend Testers: @nitinpurswani from the Google Chrome perspective

[4/30/2011 5:33:58 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT ok

[4/30/2011 5:34:40 PM] European Weekend Testers: as you can see, if there is a security issue with the voice input, you can get rewarded

[4/30/2011 5:34:59 PM] European Weekend Testers: but today we will try to focus in general as functionality

[4/30/2011 5:35:13 PM] European Weekend Testers: we see that is not making a perfect recognition

[4/30/2011 5:35:22 PM] Gagan Talwar: Can we also login the bug which words it was not able to recognize?

[4/30/2011 5:35:31 PM] Gagan Talwar: log\*

[4/30/2011 5:36:21 PM] Gagan Talwar: ?

[4/30/2011 5:37:12 PM] European Weekend Testers: I don't think it will be very useful for guys there

[4/30/2011 5:37:19 PM] Gagan Talwar: okies

[4/30/2011 5:37:28 PM] Gagan Talwar: Then what we are supposed to Test ?

[4/30/2011 5:38:25 PM] European Weekend Testers: consider html as an input file that is parsed by the browser and gives an output

[4/30/2011 5:40:04 PM] Mohinder Khosla: EWT I don't think I am in step with you. I managed to kick off chrome with the parameters and no further

[4/30/2011 5:41:06 PM] European Weekend Testers: but are you able to see <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/sample1.html>

[4/30/2011 5:41:13 PM] European Weekend Testers: and input by voice?

[4/30/2011 5:43:10 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Got it

[4/30/2011 5:43:45 PM] European Weekend Testers: guys, you should have this:

[4/30/2011 5:43:47 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers sent IMG\_30042011\_174347.png,... \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 5:43:58 PM] European Weekend Testers: its only working in chrome beta

[4/30/2011 5:44:11 PM] Mohinder Khosla: I think the translator does not recognise foreign accents

[4/30/2011 5:44:33 PM] European Weekend Testers: but let's not focus only on that

[4/30/2011 5:44:44 PM] Gagan Talwar: when u dont speak for long and then leave it . Mic will not open

[4/30/2011 5:45:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: for example I would consider a security issue if I am recorded

[4/30/2011 5:46:01 PM] European Weekend Testers: I would test if the voice is sent without my permission

[4/30/2011 5:46:29 PM] European Weekend Testers: I would check if the html can crash my browser

[4/30/2011 5:46:49 PM] Mohinder Khosla: EWT How do you test security issues?

[4/30/2011 5:46:52 PM] European Weekend Testers: the source code is only this view-source:<http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/sample1.html>

[4/30/2011 5:47:22 PM] European Weekend Testers: well that's why I wanted to enable the

logging

[4/30/2011 5:47:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: for start

[4/30/2011 5:48:21 PM] European Weekend Testers: If you open notepad and use this

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<input type="text" x-webkit-speech />
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and save it as html

and open with chrome beta

[4/30/2011 5:48:22 PM] Mohinder Khosla: 'I don't think logging is working. The log file is empty in spite of setting up in the environment variables

[4/30/2011 5:48:53 PM] European Weekend Testers: maybe you should close all Chrome sessions

[4/30/2011 5:48:56 PM] European Weekend Testers: and restart

[4/30/2011 5:50:09 PM] European Weekend Testers: In Windows, If you set up the logging and use the log-watcher on that log, when you Google search "error"

[4/30/2011 5:50:24 PM] European Weekend Testers: you will hear James Bach's voice yelling "error"

[4/30/2011 5:50:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: :)

[4/30/2011 5:51:05 PM] European Weekend Testers: We have 10 more minutes to actual test

[4/30/2011 5:52:28 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Ahmed Mubbashir Khan \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 5:55:38 PM] European Weekend Testers: for example when I click the microphone and close fast the browser

[4/30/2011 5:55:52 PM] European Weekend Testers: I get the sound telling me is an error

[4/30/2011 5:56:02 PM] European Weekend Testers: then I look at log and I saw

[4/30/2011 5:56:04 PM] European Weekend

Testers: "SpeechInputDispatcherHost::DidCompleteRecognition exit

[788:744:8441843:ERROR:ipc\_channel\_win.cc(432)] pipe error: 232

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[4/30/2011 5:56:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: not sure what that mean but if I would report to Chromium team I will sent it

[4/30/2011 5:59:01 PM] \*\*\* European Weekend Testers added Michael Bolton \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 5:59:06 PM] European Weekend Testers: Hi Michael

[4/30/2011 5:59:06 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Having the logistic right has been a problem

[4/30/2011 5:59:55 PM] European Weekend Testers: true, but let's assume that we don't have.

We don't really need to report stuff now

[4/30/2011 6:00:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: just to see aproach

[4/30/2011 6:00:47 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok, time to test is over

[4/30/2011 6:01:01 PM] European Weekend Testers: Let's see some opinions

[4/30/2011 6:01:25 PM] Gagan Talwar: Its not user friendly , Didnt recognize many words and languages

[4/30/2011 6:01:37 PM] Michael Bolton: Opinions? Facts, and observations, please.

[4/30/2011 6:02:03 PM] Gagan Talwar: When you make TV voice louder and just click on mic and leave, It shows ir relevant words

[4/30/2011 6:02:43 PM] Gagan Talwar: Processing message gets hide when you click on some otehr window like gtalk

[4/30/2011 6:02:45 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael The environment was not set up properly to

give it an honest shot.

[4/30/2011 6:03:13 PM] European Weekend Testers: But in a Beta version, in this moment, will the Chromium guys be interested in voice recognition engine so much ? Seeing from the browser perspective

[4/30/2011 6:03:26 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT I started with checking the speak recognition feature of it at start and got some doubts when I did google to find the speech input is api given in HTML5

[4/30/2011 6:04:08 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mohinder: That's a fact, and a crucial observation. It's likely to be a problem for customers, and it's also an answer to the question, "Why didn't you find that bug?" I would consider the inability to set it up to be a blocking issue. Things that prevent us from testing mean that the product may go out with even worse bugs than the ones we were able to find.

[4/30/2011 6:04:24 PM] nitinpurswani: Its then I got doubt regarding the mission about today's session when I asked you that we need to test speech recognition or how google chrome has implemented it .

[4/30/2011 6:04:45 PM] European Weekend Testers: @nitinpurswani So what if its html5?

[4/30/2011 6:05:26 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT then I got doubt that may be we need to test google prespective

[4/30/2011 6:06:33 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Application would behave differently in quite and load environment unless you keep the microphone too close to you

[4/30/2011 6:06:48 PM] European Weekend Testers: @nitinpurswani html5 is an input file that is read by our product

[4/30/2011 6:07:20 PM] nitinpurswani: @EWT yes I got it

[4/30/2011 6:07:49 PM] nitinpurswani: I found that when you don't say a word it gives proper error saying "Nothin heard" and If you keep speaking then sometimes it gives you server connection ailed error

[4/30/2011 6:09:27 PM] European Weekend Testers: <http://code.google.com/p/chromium/issues/detail?id=76470&q=webkit%20speech&sort=-modified&colspec=ID%20Stars%20Pri%20Area%20Feature%20Type%20Status%20Summary%20Modified%20Owner%20Mstone%20OS>

[4/30/2011 6:09:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: i think those are reported btw

[4/30/2011 6:11:01 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Is the code base open source so that you hook you applications to google chrome/

[4/30/2011 6:12:00 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mohinder yes, from what I can tell

[4/30/2011 6:12:13 PM] Mohinder Khosla: I was not able to get log watch going. Did others have the same problem?

[4/30/2011 6:12:39 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I am on linux, I run it from command line

[4/30/2011 6:12:43 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mohinder but was the llog file adding data?

[4/30/2011 6:12:52 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: but still wasn't able to see detail logs

[4/30/2011 6:12:59 PM] nitinpurswani: One more observation which I only got once . If you get any type of error say " check Mic settings" it was showing on screen even I moved out of chrome window.

[4/30/2011 6:13:00 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Ahmed yeah in linux you can see



directly

[4/30/2011 6:13:39 PM] Mira Razman: @Mohinder: YES - i did :) this is an error i got:

C:\Users\Mirar\Downloads\log-watch>log-watch c:\chrome.log

Can't open c:\chrome.log. at log-watch.pl line 4.

[4/30/2011 6:14:04 PM] Mohinder Khosla: You don't see the mike every time either

[4/30/2011 6:14:40 PM] European Weekend Testers: is there a log file at "c:\chrome.log"

[4/30/2011 6:14:50 PM] Mira Razman: yes there is

[4/30/2011 6:15:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: and Chrome is writing to it?

[4/30/2011 6:15:03 PM] Mira Razman: but chrome is not logging

[4/30/2011 6:15:05 PM] Michael Bolton: I have a question.

[4/30/2011 6:15:30 PM] Michael Bolton: Why are we having a EWT session at all?

[4/30/2011 6:16:20 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: to learn from each other,

[4/30/2011 6:16:33 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael The purpose for this one was to show applications that pay for security bugs indirectly

[4/30/2011 6:16:39 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: about there strategy, how they go about thisgs and other

[4/30/2011 6:16:39 PM] European Weekend Testers: to show some tools

[4/30/2011 6:16:51 PM] European Weekend Testers: and to deal with setting up environements

[4/30/2011 6:16:59 PM] Michael Bolton: "Applications that pay for security bugs indirectly?" I don't understand.

[4/30/2011 6:17:12 PM] Michael Bolton: I like Ahmed's answer: to learn from each other.

[4/30/2011 6:17:18 PM] Michael Bolton: What are we doing to help each other learn?

[4/30/2011 6:17:19 PM] European Weekend Testers: I meant indirect purpose

[4/30/2011 6:18:06 PM] European Weekend Testers: Although not related to testing 100% security is sometimes included. Thus Google bounty is a good area to try

[4/30/2011 6:18:11 PM] Michael Bolton: "I meant indirect purpose" does not help me at all to understand what "Applications that pay for security bugs indirectly" means.

[4/30/2011 6:18:13 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael The mission is "Boundary Testing for Skype Chat" with focus on the chat message

[4/30/2011 6:18:14 PM] nitinpurswani: @Michael We get to know the tools other use, or the test idea others get when they come across such kind of application

[4/30/2011 6:18:44 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mohinder... wha...? What does that have to do with Google Chrome?

[4/30/2011 6:19:16 PM] Michael Bolton: @nitinpurswari Has anyone actually mentioned any tools?

[4/30/2011 6:19:31 PM] Michael Bolton: Has anyone mentioned any test ideas?

[4/30/2011 6:19:44 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: Yeah

[4/30/2011 6:19:57 PM] Michael Bolton: I've seen /bugs/ mentioned, for sure.

[4/30/2011 6:19:58 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael I also wanted to focus on logging, because there is not too much info visually from the app to get

[4/30/2011 6:19:59 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: click on mic button and speak something :)

[4/30/2011 6:20:04 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael Ask Sebi, that's his mission we are following and providing possible answers

[4/30/2011 6:20:33 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mohinder I think Michael refers to

something else :)

[4/30/2011 6:21:02 PM] nitinpurswani: @Michael I got to know about log watch from this session , thats why I refered tools

[4/30/2011 6:22:34 PM] Michael Bolton: What I see here is a catalog of bugs. Does anyone want to teach or to learn something about reporting, for example?

[4/30/2011 6:23:43 PM] Mira Razman: @Michael: we should start from a plan first.. we rushed as kids into the field..

[4/30/2011 6:24:07 PM] European Weekend Testers: Reporting its important because it can save time for dev- so it has a paticular value

[4/30/2011 6:24:42 PM] Mira Razman: but it could be just my perception since its my first time here

[4/30/2011 6:24:59 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mira... I would say that you did have a plan. You always have a plan, even if it's vague or fuzzy, or a kind of "plunge in and quit" plan, as James Bach talks about. But it might be a good idea to discover and refine a plan, and to talk about what happened when you did that.

[4/30/2011 6:26:32 PM] Michael Bolton: Gagan, do you mind if I pick on your report for a second? (I chose it because it was the first response, and if you'd rather I pick on someone else, please just say so.)

[4/30/2011 6:26:55 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael We did had a vague plan but getting all the information to get us going took time.

[4/30/2011 6:27:06 PM] Gagan Talwar: go ahead @Michael

[4/30/2011 6:27:27 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi, that's a fine statement... but as the facilitator of this session, how can you help us to learn about that.

[4/30/2011 6:27:47 PM] Michael Bolton: Okay. Gagan reported, "Its not user friendly , Didnt recognize many words and languages" Well, maybe that's in line with what Sebi asked for- an opinion. But would that be even remotely helpful to the programmers or to the business people?

[4/30/2011 6:28:00 PM] Michael Bolton: How could we sharpen that report up?

[4/30/2011 6:28:21 PM] European Weekend Testers: Well I saw participants focusing specifically on the voice recognition part, once the sound was loaded ok

[4/30/2011 6:28:32 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mohinder, can I offer the same kind of critique?

[4/30/2011 6:28:49 PM] European Weekend Testers: I think the Chrome team will forward those issues to others

[4/30/2011 6:28:57 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael To sharpen the report you would need supporting evidence which means more testing

[4/30/2011 6:29:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: as testers we tent to focus too much on the "easy" parts, not focusing on security or risky areas

[4/30/2011 6:31:11 PM] Mohinder Khosla: EWT It all depends on the charter and the flexibility of the remit

[4/30/2011 6:31:14 PM] European Weekend Testers: We also see that setting up environments is time consuming

[4/30/2011 6:31:18 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: Yes, the Chrome team will forward these issues to others... because the reports here aren't particularly helpful. But I have a question: why waste the Chrome team's time, when we could provide them with even a few facts.

[4/30/2011 6:31:24 PM] Mira Razman: Evaluating my 'done': I for sure made a huge mistake in the begining- should wait for all instructions to be sent and than start setting inv at once - it took me to much time to repeate things

[4/30/2011 6:32:08 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi, sure, but /which environments/? I don't know if Mohinder, for example, is running on Windows or a Mac or Ubuntu or a Commodore 64. Do you see what I mean?

[4/30/2011 6:32:24 PM] Mira Razman: @European: it is time consuming, but it's even more with wrong approach

[4/30/2011 6:33:44 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael "we could provide them with even a few facts." not sure that we can provide in this timeline. Maybe we will get individual ideas later though

[4/30/2011 6:35:46 PM] Michael Bolton: Now, reporting speech recognition problems is especially challenging, because people have different accents, intonations, mic qualities, and so on. That's a big issue. We could go into that. The question there is /what is our oracle/? Is Chrome expected to be able to recognize speech from anyone? Is there a "reference voice"? Has Google established testing guidelines for this product? (If they haven't, or if we were unable to find them, reporting THAT might be very useful information for the project management team.)

[4/30/2011 6:36:07 PM] Gagan Talwar: @European u r gng to provide them some facts what we are going to get from it ?

[4/30/2011 6:36:29 PM] Michael Bolton: Gagan, which languages did you try? Which words did it recognize or not recognize? What kind of a system are you on?

[4/30/2011 6:37:13 PM] Gagan Talwar: I am on Windows 7 , i tried out english , hindi and punjabi

[4/30/2011 6:37:20 PM] European Weekend Testers: [Saturday, April 30, 2011 6:36 PM] Gagan Talwar:

<<< @European u r gng to provide them some facts what we are going to get from it ?what do you mean? you can directly provide them info

[4/30/2011 6:37:34 PM] Michael Bolton: Mohinder, what kind of environment are you running on? What did you actually DO?

[4/30/2011 6:37:37 PM] Gagan Talwar: it doesnt recogize hindi and Punjabi

[4/30/2011 6:37:50 PM] Mohinder Khosla: I am running Windows 7 home edition

[4/30/2011 6:37:58 PM] Gagan Talwar: In english also it doesnt translate all words

[4/30/2011 6:38:12 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: Speak recognition softwares for desktops, which I have tried, provide a wizard to adjust it according to the environment and stuff like that

[4/30/2011 6:38:21 PM] Michael Bolton: So, Gagan, to sharpen your report, include information that would help programmers to reproduce the problem.

[4/30/2011 6:38:26 PM] nitinpurswani: @Michael , I may be wrong but what i got from mission is to focus that do we get any crash or security issue while using this feature on chrome .

[4/30/2011 6:38:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: this is a list with rewards <http://www.chromium.org/Home/chromium-security/hall-of-fame>

and even if they asked for "security" they rewarded all kinds of important bugs it weren't only security

or it depends what you define by "security"

[4/30/2011 6:39:04 PM] Michael Bolton: Many of you may know that I'm not a big fan of scripted testing, but I'm a bigger fan of scripted actions to reproduce a specific problem.

[4/30/2011 6:39:06 PM] Gagan Talwar: But i need to submit individual bugs?

[4/30/2011 6:39:22 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Gagan if you want, sure!

[4/30/2011 6:39:29 PM] Gagan Talwar: okies

[4/30/2011 6:39:40 PM] Mohinder Khosla: None my speech was translated correctly so far me mission was a complete failure. Reloading the browser sometimes did not have microphone option to test the app

[4/30/2011 6:40:59 PM] Mira Razman: I f.e. as a user assumed, since it is all over localised - the text - also the speech will be recognised in Slovenian .. and had some funny readings -> that was my first question to myself: which languages does it support - do we know?

[4/30/2011 6:41:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael a scripted action like you mention can be a log

[4/30/2011 6:41:41 PM] European Weekend Testers: if you say "Google" it will work :)

[4/30/2011 6:41:42 PM] Michael Bolton: @Nitinpurswani Okay. That's the focus. But if you run into any other problems, do you report them in a useful way? You /could/ be specific about that and note that you're MIPping the problem (that means "mentioning in passing"); "This is not a problem related to the mission, but this problem presented an obstacle in accomplishing the mission." When we're testing, it's important to provide a product story. But we also have to tell a story of our testing, too.

[4/30/2011 6:42:12 PM] Gagan Talwar: @ Michael right

[4/30/2011 6:42:24 PM] Gagan Talwar: @Michael i have 1 question?

[4/30/2011 6:42:38 PM] Gagan Talwar: How securirty part comes into testing speech software?

[4/30/2011 6:42:38 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: Did anyone provide a log? Did anyone check to see that the log is providing a result that the programmers and other testers might be able to interpret?

[4/30/2011 6:44:00 PM] Michael Bolton: @Gagan: Quite frankly, I don't know. \*So I would report that too\*, as part of my testing story. If you don't understand a mission or a risk, it's important to highlight that. Because if you don't understand the mission or the risk, you will systematically pay attention to things that your client will probably consider "wrong".

[4/30/2011 6:44:18 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael we didn't succeed in using a proper way of logging. Maybe my "helpful" links complicated more the setting up. But for the Chromium guys it will be very helpful the trace from debugging

[4/30/2011 6:44:54 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi Are you sure? Does the log provide the input that the tester supplied?

[4/30/2011 6:45:37 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael Not in a very understandable way. But for example its possible to see the URL that were used

[4/30/2011 6:46:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael I wouldn't know the exact actions from that log that were performed

[4/30/2011 6:46:09 PM] Mohinder Khosla: EWT I was not able to get logging work so i concentrated on the testing bit

[4/30/2011 6:46:34 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: That the product logs in "not in a very understandable way" and that you wouldn't know the actions from the log is potentially VERY

important information. How would you know whether it was important or not?

[4/30/2011 6:47:10 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael I would be interested if the log contained the string "error"

[4/30/2011 6:47:39 PM] European Weekend Testers: It is not always an error, because the string can be obtained also for example when I googled "error"

[4/30/2011 6:47:44 PM] nitinpurswani: @Michael do you mean to say I could have mentioned my focus area when presenting my testing story, even if it gets changed from actual mission?

[4/30/2011 6:48:35 PM] Michael Bolton: @Nitin Yes, I think that's terribly important. Does it happen to you that your testing story and your mission go off in different directions because of / what happens/?

[4/30/2011 6:51:13 PM] Michael Bolton: You see, I don't want to be discouraging here. I'd like to suggest how important it is to tell the story of what happened in a way that highlights the problems AND that gives people the information that they need to start addressing them--deciding whether to fix them, and how to get started on fixing them. That starts with a clear report of the problem, and how to make it happen again.

[4/30/2011 6:51:58 PM | Edited 6:52:16 PM] European Weekend Testers: I see the log as something that is separated from main view so that: 1) it is not making the UI for example ugly with errors 2) but it still informs properly

[4/30/2011 6:52:50 PM] Michael Bolton: In fact, it starts before that. It starts with getting clear in your head about what your mission is, and how you're intending to accomplish it--but that also presents a \*logical\* story. That's the skill of test framing. <http://www.developsense.com/blog/2010/09/test-framing/>

[4/30/2011 6:53:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: If you have only an input box and a button, where can you get proper information? A log is needed

[4/30/2011 6:53:36 PM] nitinpurswani: @Michael I am getting your point, I am in agreement to that and it is not discouraging at all, but the issue I am facing is its very difficult to relate this to any WT session of one hour.

[4/30/2011 6:54:26 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael We were testing without a map in this situation and logging what we were observing.

[4/30/2011 6:54:35 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: I have no objection to a log. Logs are wonderful things. My question would be /is THIS log actually helpful/? Is it helpful to provide a log that includes the internal state of the program but that doesn't link, somehow, to the data? That MIGHT be okay, but what impact would that have on testability.

[4/30/2011 6:55:53 PM] Michael Bolton: @Nitin: Well, I'm not sure about that. Part of the issue, I think, is scoping. I worry sometimes that some of the session missions have this India-sized scope, when we might learn better from something Singapore-sized.

[4/30/2011 6:57:21 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael I think this log is quite helpful. Its a confirmation for a problem that you are not sure; but also a warning for a problem you wouldn't see only using the visibility from the browser

[4/30/2011 6:57:37 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mohinder: Part of that may be a scoping issue too. Logging what we're observing is a good thing to do. But a log is different from a report. How?

[4/30/2011 6:58:27 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: logs don't a direction-- mission

[4/30/2011 6:58:37 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael,

[4/30/2011 6:58:42 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: Yes. Yes. Do you see a \*problem\* here, though? An issue for testability?

[4/30/2011 6:59:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: this is an application that forces browsers to crash <http://www.newdream.net/crash/js2.html>

Using the log I searched for already reported bugs in chromium.  
It turns out they won't fix such issues

[4/30/2011 7:00:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: So the log saved me time in filling a bug and saved the time of the guys who analyse issues

[4/30/2011 7:00:04 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael Logging and reporting get mixed up sometimes. Sometime people say logging but they meant reporting

[4/30/2011 7:00:37 PM] European Weekend Testers: the log shortned my path in defining what can be a useful bug for these guys

[4/30/2011 7:00:49 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi This may be one of the most important lessons that anyone could take away from this session: A LOG IS NOT A BUG REPORT.

[4/30/2011 7:01:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: BTW we are finishing our official time for the session

[4/30/2011 7:01:28 PM] Michael Bolton: A log can /support/ a bug report, but a log is not a bug report.

[4/30/2011 7:03:01 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: We could have used some screen recording tools with voice, just to record whast we were doing and what was its output

[4/30/2011 7:05:07 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: shouldn't that be good enough?

[4/30/2011 7:05:16 PM] Michael Bolton: @Ahmed: Very good. You've identified a tool that would make testing easier, faster, more reportable, more credible. That's a report that people could take action on. Can you add a little context to that?

[4/30/2011 7:05:41 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: <http://www.screencast-o-matic.com>

[4/30/2011 7:05:42 PM] Michael Bolton: @Ahmed Or, to put it another way, can you frame it?

[4/30/2011 7:05:45 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I am trying this

[4/30/2011 7:05:50 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: don't need to install,

[4/30/2011 7:06:02 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: while I was taking notes

[4/30/2011 7:06:06 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I find out

[4/30/2011 7:06:21 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I can't put the inputs I need to give to test in the notes

[4/30/2011 7:06:28 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: which is my voice

[4/30/2011 7:06:52 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: so I started recording

[4/30/2011 7:07:08 PM | Edited 7:07:16 PM] European Weekend Testers: no one tried to record with multiple inputs in the same time

[4/30/2011 7:07:35 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: multiple inputs?

[4/30/2011 7:07:57 PM] Mohinder Khosla: I have debut video capture software that I could have used but I was not sure of the mission what sort evidence is admissable

[4/30/2011 7:08:34 PM] Michael Bolton: @Ahmed: Here's how I might phrase the bits and pieces that you've told us about into a single report:

[4/30/2011 7:08:36 PM] Michael Bolton: #ISSUE: The product doesn't have a mode in which it captures the user's spoken input. If we want testing to go more quickly, and if we want make our reports most useful, it would be a good idea to record our voices, so that we can match the

input with the log file. I found this tool: <http://www.screencast-o-matic.com>

[4/30/2011 7:09:12 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Ahmed <http://www.testalways.com/EWT42/sample2.html>

[4/30/2011 7:09:57 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: Ohh thanks,

[4/30/2011 7:10:11 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: :( nopes didn't tried that one

[4/30/2011 7:11:45 PM | Edited 7:12:31 PM] European Weekend Testers: we are 11 min after the official time for this session

[4/30/2011 7:12:01 PM] European Weekend Testers: but I would continue it

[4/30/2011 7:12:04 PM] European Weekend Testers: :)

[4/30/2011 7:12:35 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: When I paste that link into either Firefox or Google Chrome, I get a line of of ten empty rectangles at the top of the client window, equivalent in height to a line of text, followed by the words, "Press mike button and speak". I don't see a mic button. I have a screen shot available if you like. Am I supposed to see or do something else?

[4/30/2011 7:13:28 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Michael It is agoogle chrome app and does not run on any other browsers

[4/30/2011 7:13:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael in Chrome beta it should be a microphone in each inputbox

[4/30/2011 7:13:42 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I see mic button (ubuntu- chromium) actually at the right side of each box

[4/30/2011 7:13:52 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: but at one time only one is active

[4/30/2011 7:13:54 PM] Michael Bolton: Ah. Chrome Beta.

[4/30/2011 7:13:56 PM] European Weekend Testers: only in beta

[4/30/2011 7:14:08 PM] nitinpurswani: google-chrome 11 beta

[4/30/2011 7:14:34 PM] nitinpurswani: 11.0.696.57 beta is what we downloaded

[4/30/2011 7:14:55 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: 12+ is fine :)

[4/30/2011 7:16:37 PM] \*\*\* nitinpurswani sent ewt42\_nitinpurswani.txt \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 7:17:03 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok for the guys who participated and want to leave, thanks a lot. I will let the chat open to continue for others

[4/30/2011 7:17:21 PM] nitinpurswani: crisp report

[4/30/2011 7:17:33 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Nitin thanks for report!

[4/30/2011 7:17:39 PM] Mohinder Khosla: Bye everyone. Enjoy rest of the chat

[4/30/2011 7:17:59 PM] nitinpurswani: I need to leave now thanks a lot for the session . welcome EWT.

[4/30/2011 7:18:07 PM] nitinpurswani: bye

[4/30/2011 7:18:14 PM] European Weekend Testers: bye!

[4/30/2011 7:18:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: Is there anyone who wants to add anything?

[4/30/2011 7:18:41 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I have a felling

[4/30/2011 7:18:47 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: this chats window

[4/30/2011 7:18:59 PM] \*\*\* nitinpurswani has left \*\*\*

[4/30/2011 7:19:00 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: keep distracting me from following my mission :)

[4/30/2011 7:19:07 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I mean,

[4/30/2011 7:19:12 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I joined late

[4/30/2011 7:19:19 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: wasn't prepared

[4/30/2011 7:19:25 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: but once I started

[4/30/2011 7:19:33 PM] Michael Bolton: That's another good observation, Ahmed. Distraction can be a real problem in testing when it's not managed.

[4/30/2011 7:20:04 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I was going back in forth beteen this chat window and doing something to test

[4/30/2011 7:20:12 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I was intrested in what others are doing

[4/30/2011 7:20:34 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: since I really really want to know that,

[4/30/2011 7:21:42 PM] Michael Bolton: Self-management is an important testing skill.

[4/30/2011 7:21:48 PM] Mira Razman: and not to be to eager to start - that was my problem. that's why to much time spent in the beggining and not much effort left to execute

[4/30/2011 7:22:06 PM] Mira Razman: @Michael: yes

[4/30/2011 7:22:34 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mira we had some session before where we try to deal with missions and requirements. I admit I myself start many times to rush and not follow requirements

[4/30/2011 7:22:55 PM] European Weekend Testers: Not requirements as in documented functionality but as scope

[4/30/2011 7:23:46 PM] Mira Razman: i'd be less frustrated if i'd seen material 10 min before session

[4/30/2011 7:24:14 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mira: When I was chatting with Jon Bach once, he noted that he tries to /avoid/ finding bugs, or at least suppress his bug-finding impulses in early testing. "Why?!" I asked. His answer was that he looks for benefits first. He tries to figure out what the product is /supposed/ to do, which is much better preparation for finding problems. If we're investigating and reporting bugs, we're probably not getting coverage of the model.

[4/30/2011 7:24:24 PM] Mira Razman: i always take '10min' in silence, before joining.. so that was probably my catch

[4/30/2011 7:24:29 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: RT @Michael Self Management is an Important skill

[4/30/2011 7:24:30 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok we try to usually give the product to be used in advance for people to download it

[4/30/2011 7:24:35 PM] European Weekend Testers: and mission later

[4/30/2011 7:24:38 PM] Mira Razman: but i'll learn :)

[4/30/2011 7:24:38 PM] European Weekend Testers: but we can change

[4/30/2011 7:25:18 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi: I think that it might be a good idea to think about /what kinds of testing skills/ we'd like to focus on in a session. I didn't see that, either implicitly or explicitly, in your mission.

[4/30/2011 7:25:59 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I don't wanted to miss it just because I was late (45 minutes to be accurate)

[4/30/2011 7:26:28 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: hence I was more intrested in what other are doing

[4/30/2011 7:26:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Michael I wanted to confront testers with such an application first. And let them decide what approach to take. A skill we need is figuring out stuff, asking about mission.



[4/30/2011 7:26:51 PM] Michael Bolton: Okay. Did they do that?

[4/30/2011 7:27:07 PM] European Weekend Testers: Not too much question about mission I think

[4/30/2011 7:27:11 PM] Michael Bolton: What are the skills of figuring out stuff?

[4/30/2011 7:27:59 PM] European Weekend Testers: To ask about product. The log part was asked too much, even if it was a secondary item

[4/30/2011 7:28:10 PM] Michael Bolton: To ask WHAT about the product?

[4/30/2011 7:28:31 PM | Edited 7:28:41 PM] European Weekend Testers: to ask about the mission, to clarify the direction we focus

[4/30/2011 7:29:03 PM] Mira Razman: i did ask .. or more - complain ;)

[4/30/2011 7:29:04 PM] Michael Bolton: To ask about the mission, or to ask about the product? I'm confused now.

[4/30/2011 7:29:10 PM] European Weekend Testers: Like do we need to test the recognition itself for specific words that work or not?

[4/30/2011 7:29:39 PM] European Weekend Testers: @Mira Yeah. I meant in general for all, as a priority

[4/30/2011 7:30:38 PM] Mira Razman: i'm just helping you out to survive - that was the goal, right?

[4/30/2011 7:30:39 PM] Mira Razman: ;)

[4/30/2011 7:30:52 PM] European Weekend Testers: Not enough experience I think with different applications. Testers should have "feel" the recognition goes through a different server etc...

[4/30/2011 7:30:58 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mira Uh... no, I wouldn't think so.

[4/30/2011 7:31:10 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi, I don't agree.

[4/30/2011 7:31:28 PM] Mira Razman: @Michael: was a joke

[4/30/2011 7:31:38 PM] Michael Bolton: @Mira So was that.

[4/30/2011 7:31:42 PM] European Weekend Testers: lol

[4/30/2011 7:31:48 PM] Mira Razman: :D

[4/30/2011 7:31:51 PM] Michael Bolton: @Sebi, with you I'm serious, though.

[4/30/2011 7:32:01 PM] Mira Razman: i'll get to know u guys!

[4/30/2011 7:32:21 PM] Michael Bolton: Who is supposed to tell the tester how to feel. Is it a little man in his head that should tell him that?

[4/30/2011 7:32:39 PM] Michael Bolton: How does the little man in his head know? Is there a little man in HIS head?

[4/30/2011 7:33:50 PM] Michael Bolton: Are we trying to help each other learn testing, or are we simply encouraging each other to bash at the application in an unfocused and chaotic way?

[4/30/2011 7:34:02 PM] European Weekend Testers: I think I meant to try to delimit parts from the application

[4/30/2011 7:34:22 PM] European Weekend Testers: even if they didn't know, they didn't ask or mention

[4/30/2011 7:34:37 PM] Michael Bolton: All right. So, if you're leading the session, you could bring that up. Right?

[4/30/2011 7:35:16 PM] European Weekend Testers: yes, it was only one aspect. we are limited by time though

[4/30/2011 7:35:44 PM | Edited 7:37:22 PM] European Weekend Testers: there are other issues also we didn't explore or discussed

[4/30/2011 7:39:51 PM] Mira Razman: though to me as 1st time attendee the aspects we will be chasing were not clear - the question at the beginning of a discussion was general, which is good for ideas collecting but then i'd expect strong direction to be set

[4/30/2011 7:40:54 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: hmm. So I didn't miss anything important at the beginning ;)

[4/30/2011 7:41:01 PM] Mira Razman: i was lost a bit, trying to catch everything i can get - and ended like a chicken

[4/30/2011 7:41:09 PM] Mira Razman: :)

[4/30/2011 7:41:22 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I was just messing with setting up the test environment

[4/30/2011 7:41:42 PM] Mira Razman: but i will join u again! and will learn your rhythm

[4/30/2011 7:42:36 PM] Michael Bolton: I hope so.

[4/30/2011 7:42:59 PM] Mira Razman: u hope i will learn? be sure i will! ;)

[4/30/2011 7:43:18 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: be sure we all will :)

[4/30/2011 7:44:56 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: EWT

[4/30/2011 7:45:00 PM] European Weekend Testers: Ok guys we need to close at some point the chat as it's transcript will be posted

[4/30/2011 7:45:09 PM] European Weekend Testers: Thank you all for participating!

[4/30/2011 7:45:18 PM] Mira Razman: thank back!

[4/30/2011 7:45:29 PM] Mira Razman: read ya!

[4/30/2011 7:45:35 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: what about screen sharing things,

[4/30/2011 7:45:40 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: single screen,

[4/30/2011 7:46:12 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: every one throwing ideas

[4/30/2011 7:46:19 PM] Michael Bolton: Often in these sessions, people pair up with others.

[4/30/2011 7:46:40 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: hmm

[4/30/2011 7:46:41 PM] Michael Bolton: I suspect that screen sharing software with a large group would get a little chaotic.

[4/30/2011 7:47:35 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: hmm..

[4/30/2011 7:48:00 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: But have we tried it yet?

[4/30/2011 7:48:51 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: maybe we could ask to estimate the number in advance and then decide what to use

[4/30/2011 7:49:12 PM] Michael Bolton: Experiments can be good.

[4/30/2011 7:49:52 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: I have only heard and read good things about EWT and WT in general

[4/30/2011 7:50:35 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: but was never able to participate, participate that much

[4/30/2011 7:50:39 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: but its fun

[4/30/2011 7:51:15 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: Learned couple of things already

[4/30/2011 7:51:19 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: thanks a lot

[4/30/2011 7:56:53 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: Forgot to say bye, Bye All have a nice weekend

[4/30/2011 7:56:56 PM] Ahmed Mubbashir Khan: :)

[4/30/2011 7:58:19 PM] Michael Bolton: bye