

Annex

Annex is a web based annotation search engine and viewer.

Requirements:

- The quicktime plugin (at least **version 7**)
- A recent web browser (Firefox, Safari, Internet Explorer)


1. Starting Annex





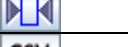
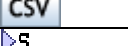
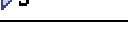
- Point your browser to <http://corpus1.mpi.nl> and select a subcorpus by clicking it in the corpus tree on the left of the webpage.
- Select multiple subcorpora by clicking more than one subcorpus while holding the CTRL key.
- Right click on it and select **Annotation content search**.
- A new window will open.

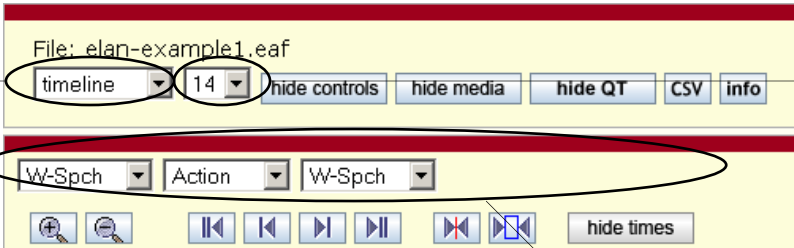
2. Specifying and running a query

- Select the tab containing the desired search method.
- Select the annotation formats (file types) you want to search through.
- Enter (a) search term(s) in the text field(s).
- Specify the mode if you are on the tab Single Layer Search or Multiple Layer Search.
- Optionally select a specific tier to be searched.
- Click on **Find** to start the search process.

3. Viewing annotations

- Double click an annotation in the results. The annotation will be opened in a new window.
- Click on the  icon to play back the annotation unit that contains the search term.
- An overview of the other icons and their functionality:

	Zoom in / out
	Go to the begin / end of the file
	Go one screen back / forth
	Synchronize the timeline view with the media
	Display the current selection
	Export the annotations as comma separated values
	Play the current selection



The screenshot shows the Annex annotation viewer interface for a file named 'elan-example1.eaf'. The interface includes a toolbar with various icons and buttons. Callouts point to specific features:

- Annotation viewer type:** Points to the 'timeline' dropdown menu.
- Font size of annotations:** Points to the '14' font size dropdown.
- Tiers to display:** Points to the 'W-Spch' dropdown menu.

Other visible elements include buttons for 'hide controls', 'hide media', 'hide QT', 'CSV', 'info', and 'hide times'.