Morpho - Bug #77

"document type" search should be changed

08/20/2000 08:10 PM - Matt Jones

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Description

The current "Document Type" search in querybean is structured in a way that most ecologists will not use frequently. This search should be changed to be an "Advanced" search that allows construction of boolean searches on fields from arbitrary document types and that can be nested in arbitrarily complex ways.
The user interface would therefore eliminate the "Document type" list, and each term of the search expression would need a new UI widget that allows the user to choose which fields to search (from the various doctypes present in the catalog). This new "advanced" tab should only show up in the UI when an "Expert mode" checkbox (in the toolbar) is checked, to try and simplify the UI as much as possible (anyone savvy enough to construct a complex boolean search can also figure out how to turn on the feature, and it will only confuse most users).
The advanced search capability should be last in the query tabs. Other search tabs should be evaluated and possibly moved into this expert category. The setting of the "Expert mode" checkbox should be persistent between sessions.

History

#1 - 08/23/2000 11:12 AM - Dan Higgins

Document type seach function has been completely changed to Lore-type DataGuide search

#2 - 03/27/2013 02:13 PM - Redmine Admin

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