

CoCoA-5 - Feature #188

CoCoAManual: entries for operators

14 Jun 2012 14:37 - John Abbott

Status:	Closed	Start date:	14 Jun 2012
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:	Anna Maria Bigatti	% Done:	100%
Category:	Manual/documentation	Estimated time:	5.00 hours
Target version:	CoCoA-5.1.0 Easter14	Spent time:	5.60 hours
Description			
How would a student find out what >< means in CoCoA? How to have manual pages for operators in CoCoA? Here is an idea inspired by C++: can we give the page a title like operator ><? Maybe there should be a page dedicated to all operators (perhaps a sort of index)?			
Related issues:			
Related to CoCoA-5 - Support #334: CoCoAManual: entry for "and", "or", "not" ...		Closed	04 Apr 2013
Related to CoCoA-5 - Support #456: CoCoAManual: New structure for manual?		Closed	05 Mar 2014

History

#1 - 18 Jun 2012 17:18 - Redmine Admin

- Category set to Manual/documentation

John Abbott wrote:

How would a student find out what >< means in CoCoA?
How to have manual pages for operators in CoCoA?

it is currently called "shortcuts", if you have a better name feel free to change it, but remember to put "shortcuts" as a (search) key for those who are used to this name.

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Maybe there should be a page dedicated to all operators (perhaps a sort of index)?

I think there were problems with such characters in TeX titles, I need to make an extensive test to know.

#2 - 02 Apr 2014 17:34 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- Target version set to CoCoA-5.1.0 Easter14

#3 - 04 Apr 2014 12:40 - John Abbott

- *Status changed from New to Feedback*
- *Assignee set to Anna Maria Bigatti*
- *% Done changed from 0 to 90*

A page summarising all operators (aka "shortcuts") has been around for a while; deft use of keywords makes the page fairly easy to find.

Changing state to feedback.

#4 - 14 Apr 2014 09:19 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- *Estimated time set to 5.00 h*

#5 - 05 May 2014 12:08 - John Abbott

- *Status changed from Feedback to Closed*
- *% Done changed from 90 to 100*

The man page is much improved, and easier to find. Good enough for now; maybe experience will help improve it in the future.

Closing.

#6 - 05 May 2014 12:10 - John Abbott

Could we condense the syntax and description so that the pages occupies less vertical space?

#7 - 02 Jul 2014 16:46 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- *Subject changed from CoCoA-5 manual entries for operators to CoCoAManual: entries for operators*