

ATLAS.ti Feature List – Comparing ATLAS.ti 7 and 8 Windows

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Interface

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
User interface control	Menus	Ribbons
Document area with margin	Yes	Yes
Managers	Yes	Yes
Navigator	No	Yes
Side-by-side display of documents	Yes	Yes
Choice of docked and floated windows	No	Yes
All entities are organized in tabs & user defined organization of tabs in regions	No	Yes
Geo documents with margin	No	Yes
Language: English	Yes	Yes
Language: Spanish	Yes	Yes
Language: German	Yes	Yes
Language: Chinese	No	Yes

Supported Data Types

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Text (txt, rtf, doc, docx)	Yes	Yes
Open Office documents (odt)	No	Yes
PDF (text and image)	Yes	Yes
Images	Yes	Yes
Audio	Yes	Yes
Video	Yes	Yes
Geo	Yes	Yes
Survey data	Yes	Yes
Evernote Import	No	Yes
Twitter Import	No	Yes
Import data from reference managers	No	Yes
Associated documents	Yes	Partially implemented
Full uni-code support	No	Yes

Text Search / Word Counts

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Full text search	Yes	Yes
Keywords in context	No	Yes
Word frequency counts	Yes	Yes
Word clouds for documents	Yes	Yes
Word clouds for coded segments	No	Yes
Word clouds for codes	No	Yes

Quotations

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Quotations of all file formats show handles	No	Yes
Resizing by moving start or end position	No	Yes
Preview in Quotation Manager	No	Yes
Preview in Code Manager	No	Will be implemented

Coding

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Free codes	Yes	Yes
Open coding	Yes	Yes
In-vivo coding	Yes	Yes
Quick coding	Yes	Yes
Coding via drag and drop	Yes	Yes
Merge codes	Yes	Yes
Split code tool	No	Yes
Code tree / code forest	Yes	Yes
Auto coding	Yes	Yes
Searching for expressions in context and auto code	No	Yes
Focus group coding	No	Yes
Import code lists with comments and groups from Excel	No	Yes

Memos

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Creating, writing, grouping memos	Yes	Yes
Writing comments for memos	No	Yes
Convert memo into document	Yes	Yes

Groups

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Groups for documents, codes & memos	Yes	Yes
Groups for networks	No	Yes
Group Managers	Yes	Yes
Setting groups as local filters	Yes	Yes
Creating smart groups	Yes	Yes
Import document groups	Yes	Will be implemented

Networks and Linking

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Linking entities in the margin area (code-code and quotation-quotation links)	Yes	Yes
Relation Manager for code-code relations	Yes	Yes
Importing or adding entities to networks via drag & drop	Yes	Yes
Creating networks on an object	Yes	Yes
Various layout options	No	Yes
Thumbnail images for documents and images	Yes	Yes
Thumbnail images for image quotations	No	Yes
Thumbnail images for video quotations	No	Yes
Alignment tools	Yes	Yes
Import neighbors	Yes	Yes
Import co-occurring codes	Yes	Yes
Individual configurable settings and display options	Yes	Yes
Export as graphic file	Yes	Yes
Export as XPS / PDF	No	Yes

Hyperlinks

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Creating hyperlinks within and across documents	Yes	Yes
Relation Manager for hyperlinks	Yes	Yes

Analysis

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Simple Boolean queries in Quotation Manager	Yes	Yes
Smart Codes	Yes	Yes

Code Co-Occurrence Table	Yes	Yes
Quotation Preview in Code Co.Occurrence Table	No	Yes
Code-Document Table	Yes	Yes
Quotation Preview in Code-Document Table	No	Yes
Full query option	Yes	Yes
Visual interface for queries	No	Yes
Global filters	Yes	Yes
Intercoder Agreement Analysis	No	Yes

Project Management

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Linked audio and video documents	Yes	Yes
User-defined location for project library	Yes	Yes
Snapshot projects	No	Yes
Password-protected projects	Yes	Yes
Text editing	Yes	Will be implemented
Paragraph numbering	Yes	Will be implemented
Undo / Redo	No	Yes

Team Work

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Enhanced workflow for team projects		Yes
User management	Yes	Yes
Project merge	Yes	Yes
Cross-platform merge (Win ↔ Mac)	No	Yes
Intercoder Agreement	Via CAT	Yes

Data Exchange

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
ATLAS.ti Windows ↔ ATLAS.ti Mac	No	Yes
Import iPad project	Yes	Yes
Import Android project	Yes	Yes
XML export	Yes	Will be implemented
SPSS export	Yes	Yes
Code Book QDC exchange format	No	Yes

Reports

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Reports of tables in Excel format	Yes	Yes
Reports for selected entities in Word format	Yes	Yes
Reports for selected entities in Excel format	No	Yes
Reports for selected entities in PDF format	No	Yes
User configurable reports	No	Yes
Print with margin	Yes	Will be implemented

Documentation

	ATLAS.ti 7	ATLAS.ti 8
Quick Tour	Yes	Yes
Full manual	Yes	Yes
Video tutorials	Yes	Yes