Core - Feature # 17678

Status:	Closed	**Priority:**	Should have
Author:	Ingo Renner	**Category:**	
Created:	2007-10-14	**Assigned To:**	Ingo Renner
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PHP Version:	4.3
Complexity:	
Sprint Focus:	

Subject:	Change the frames BE to iframes

Description

To move UI elements around in the BE UI it is necessary to first change the frames to iframes.

This is a preliminary step to achieve a more user friendly BE UI.
(issue imported from #M6522)

Related issues:

related to Core - Bug # 14441: Changing language in user setup do not reload ...	**Closed**	**2004-12-06**
related to Core - Feature # 17680: Make the folding/unfolding of the menu ite...	**Closed**	**2007-10-15**
related to Core - Bug # 17692: Javascript Error in new Backend	**Closed**	**2008-01-22**
related to Core - Bug # 17693: Move the BE logo generation code into a separa...	**Closed**	**2007-10-17**
related to Core - Feature # 17795: add the workspace selector to the cleaner ...	**Closed**	**2007-11-15**
related to Core - Feature # 17866: Add a backend search to the toolbar in bac...	**Closed**	**2007-11-30**
related to Core - Feature # 17867: Add a menu to clear caches to the new tool...	**Closed**	**2007-11-30**
related to Core - Feature # 17868: Add a menu for shortcuts to the new toolba...	**Closed**	**2007-11-30**
related to Core - Bug # 18023: "Start in Module" does not work anymore	**Closed**	**2008-01-19**
related to Core - Bug # 18027: The currently active module is not highlighted...	**Closed**	**2008-01-20**
related to Core - Bug # 18028: When installing an extension that contains a n...	**Closed**	**2008-01-20**
related to Core - Bug # 18035: backend.php does not check for a valid session...	**Closed**	**2008-01-21**
related to Core - Bug # 17718: Move the BE menu generation code into a separa...	**Closed**	**2007-10-24**
related to Core - Bug # 18116: Remove hardcoded references to alt_main.php ba...	**Closed**	**2008-02-04**
related to Core - Feature # 18054: No icons in clickmenu if you set "Selector...	**Resolved**	**2008-01-25**

History

#1 - 2007-10-18 09:35 - Thomas Hempel

Hi,

I didn't know that you can drag elements between iframes. I guess that's the thing you try to achieve, isn't it?

II can be wrong but I can't see the advantage of using iframes instead of frames. Maybe div-container could help here!?

Greets,
Thomas

#2 - 2007-10-18 09:51 - Ingo Renner

see the screens Jens made, these overlappings aren't possible with frames...

and yes I heard DnD works also then ... thinking of dragging records from the list view on a different page in the tree =)

... need to test that

#3 - 2007-10-18 10:54 - Thomas Hempel

I just found something, but in general it is **NOT** possible because dragging between window objects are prevented by the browser to avoid XSS.

I read some lines about a solution where the parent window is used as intermediate data storage to simulate a seamless drag and drop but in the end, it's just a bad hack where nobody can guaranty that it works everywhere in every browser.

I would suggest to use div-container for this. That should work everywhere and you can simply drag everything everywhere on the screen. Indeed this is much more work to realize I guess.

Greets,
Thomas

#4 - 2007-10-18 11:09 - Ingo Renner

that's the problem, but in all we can get rid of the logo, menu and topframe
 leaving only the content and page tree frames as iframes

#5 - 2007-11-18 10:54 - Ingo Renner

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Files

mylyn/context/zip	0 Bytes	2007-10-14	Administrator Admin
iframes.diff	3.3 kB	2007-10-14	Administrator Admin
Cleaner_Backend---Cache.png	216.7 kB	2007-10-17	Administrator Admin
Cleaner_Backend---Search1.png	219.6 kB	2007-10-17	Administrator Admin
Cleaner_Backend---Shortcut.png	216.8 kB	2007-10-17	Administrator Admin
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