



# NVivo: 12Pro Essentials for Getting Started Qualitative Data Analysis

## Course objectives:

Making content into data

- Create a Project
- Working with Documents and Datasets
- Understand coding nodes and cases
- · Explore and analyse data
- Use Visualisation tools

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## NVIVO: 12Pro

NVIVO is designed to facilitate common qualitative techniques for organising, analysingand sharing data in a research project. NVivo can help you manage, explore and discover patterns in your data but it cannot replace your analytical expertise.

Exercise 1. Access NVIVO

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1. Double-click the Nvivo 12 icon

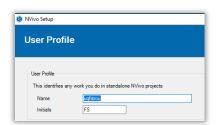
1. Open Nvivo 12 from Finder



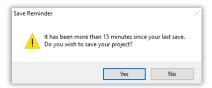
- 2. Complete profile details, if prompted
- 3. Add your initials.

These will be used to identifyy your edits as you progress

4. Click on OK



During your session you will receive on-screen prompts to save your progress. The save time can be changed via **File** (tab) – **Options** – **Notifications** (tab)



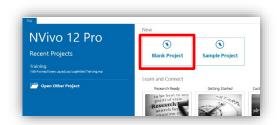


## **Getting Started**

## Exercise 2.

## Create a new project

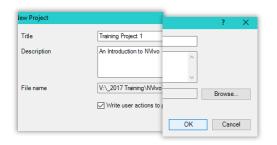
1. Click on the Blank project option



- 2. Complete project details
- 3. Click **Browse** to save project to your preferred location.

**Note**: If you are collaborating with other users it is advisable to tick the checkbox to Write user actions to project event log

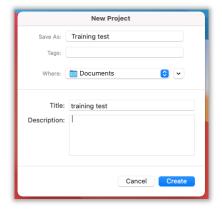
4. Click on OK



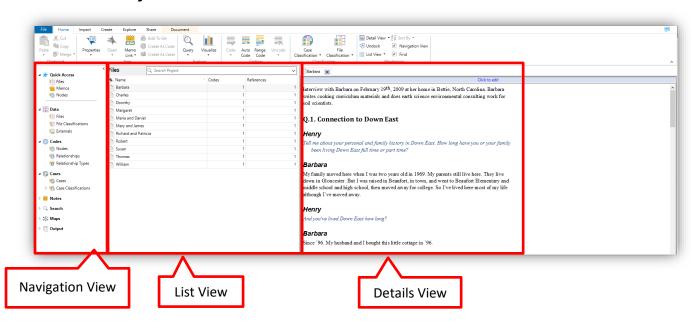
1. Click on Create new project



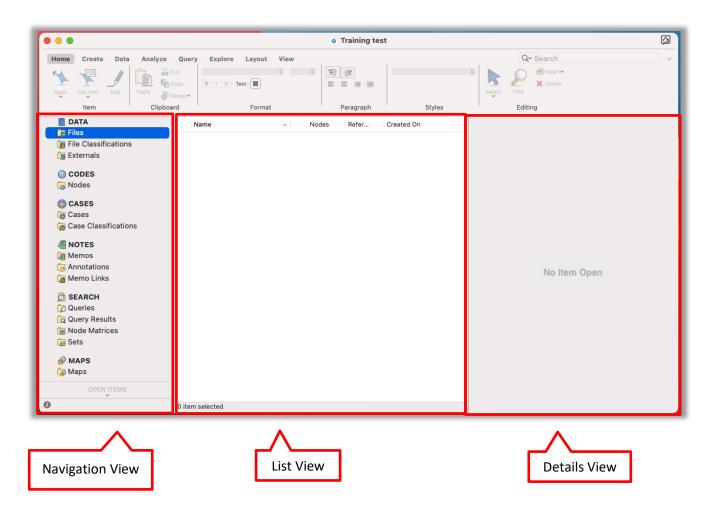
- 2. Complete project details
- 3. Click to save project to your preferred location.
- 4. Click on Create



## The NVIVO interface





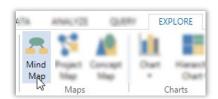


# Exercise 3. Building a Mind Map

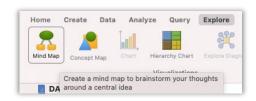
When considering topics that may be present in your data you can create a mind map to visually explore potential concepts. These can be used as a brainstorming tool for Planning your node hierarchy, during analysis to explore how people talk about a topic or to plan how you will tell the story of your research.

#### a. Create a Mind map

1. Click on the Explore tab and click Mind Map



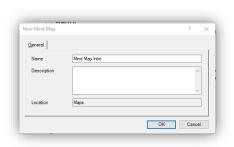
- 2. Enter a Name: Mind Map Intro
- 3. Add a Description (Optional)
- 4. Click on OK



- 2. Enter a Name: Mind Map Intro
- 3. Add a **Description** (Optional)
- 4. Click on Done



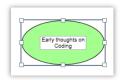
Note the location "Maps" found in the Navigation view towards the bottom



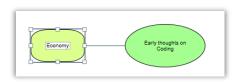
A new tab for Mind Map tools will appear in the ribbon



Double click map Core Idea to enter text "Early thoughts on coding"



- 6. Click on Child Idea button
- 7. Add the text Economy
- 8. Repeat step 6 to add the child idea Real Estate Development to the Economy idea



- 9. Click on the Sibling Idea button
- 10. Add the text Fishing

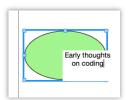
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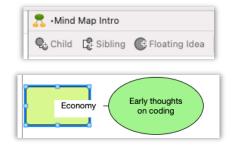
A new sidebar will appear on the right with Mind Map tools



5. Double click map **Core Idea** to enter text "Early thoughts on coding"

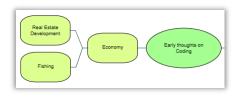


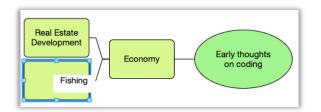
- 6. Click on Child button
- 7. Add the text **Economy**
- 8. Repeat step 6 to add the child idea Real Estate Development to the Economy idea



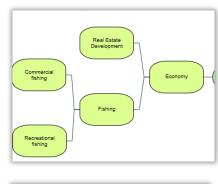
- 9. Click on the Sibling Idea button
- 10. Add the text Fishing

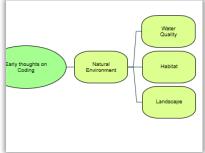




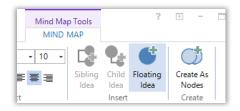


- 11. Continue to create the Mind Map as shown:
  - Select Fishing:
    - o Add **Child** = Commercial Fishing
  - Select Commercial Fishing
    - o Add **Sibling** = Recreational Fishing
  - Select core object:
    - Add Child = Natural Environment
  - Select Natural Environment:
    - Add Child = Water Quality
  - Select Water quality:
    - o Add **Sibling** = Habitat
    - o Add **Sibling** = Landscape

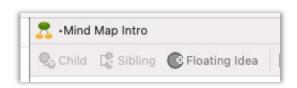




12. Click the **Floating Idea** Button on the Mind Map tab



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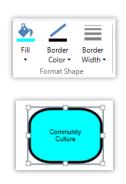


13. Add the text Community Culture

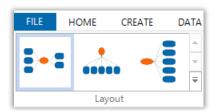




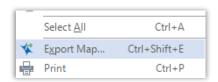
- 14. Click on the Fill button
- 15. Click on the Border Colour button
- 16. Click on the Border Width button
- 17. Select a wider border for the idea object



18. Select a **layout** for the **Mind Map** in the ribbon



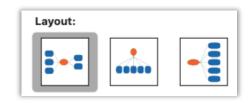
- b. Mind Map Output
  - 1. Right click in mind map area
  - 2. Select Export Map
    Alternatively
  - Click **Share** tab **Export**



4. Enter details to save Mind Map as a static image



18. Select a **layout** for the **Mind Map** in the side menu



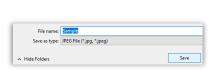
- 1. Right click in mind map area
- 2. Hover on Share
- 3. Select **PDF** or **Image**



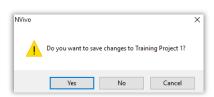
4. Enter details to save Mind Map



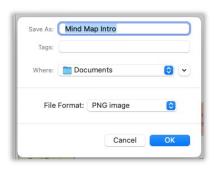
5. Click on Save



- 6. Click on **File** in ribbon
- 7. Select Close
- 8. Save project if prompted









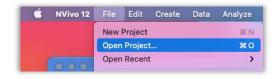
Exercise 4. *Open a project* 

A standalone project is a .nvp file saved on your computer or on a network drive.

- 1. Click the File tab
- 2. Click Open

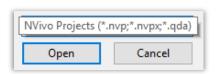


- 1. Click File
- 2. Click Open Project...



Note: Ensure NVivo Projects from the File or Project type list is displayed

- 3. Locate and select project you want to open.
- 4. Click Open.



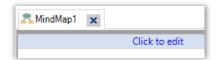




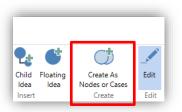
## Exercise 5. **Nodes from a Mindmap**

Nodes are like containers that hold all the content about a particular theme or topic in your project

- a. Create Nodes from a mindmap
  - 1. Go to Maps
  - 2. Double click MindMap Intro



3. On the Mind Map tab - click **Create as Nodes or Cases** 

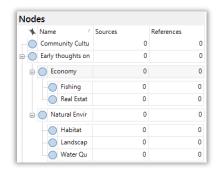


- 4. Select the Nodes folder
- 5. Click on OK



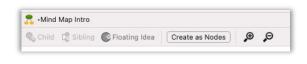
8. Click on **Nodes** in Navigation view

Empty nodes are created based on the Mind Map structure.





3. On the Mind Map menu bar - click **Create** as **Nodes** 



- 6. Select the Nodes folder
- 7. Click on Select



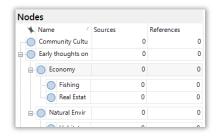




b. **Edit Nodes** - Nodes can be deleted or re-arranged. If a parent node is to be deleted but the child nodes retained, the child nodes need to be allocated a new parent node in the first instance.

If we wish to delete the Early thoughts on Coding node we will need to re-allocate all the child nodes below it.

- 1. Click on **Economy** node
- 2. Hold Ctrl and Click on Natural environment node



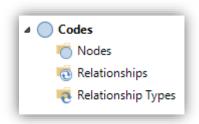
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- 1. Click on **Economy** node
- 2. Hold Cmd and Click on Natural environment node



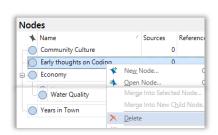
3. Drag these selected nodes over the Nodes folder in the Codes area of the Navigation View

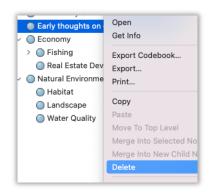
Note: If you drag into the Quick Access area at the top of the Navigation view you will create Shortcuts to the nodes. If you do this and wish to remove the shortcut right mouse click the shortcuts and choose Remove from Quick Access





- 4. Right click on the Early thoughts on coding node in the List View
- 5. Select **Delete**
- 6. Click on Yes to confirm deletion

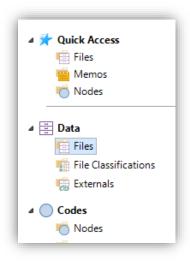


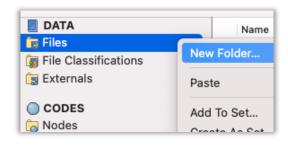




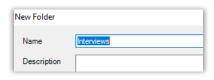
# Exercise 6. Add file structure

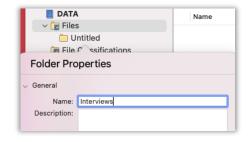
- 1. Navigate to Data
- 2. Right Click Files
- 3. Select New Folder





- 4. Enter Interviews in the Name area
- 5. Repeat for Survey Data





## **Working with Data**

Exercise 7. *Prepare Content* 



This exercise uses Microsoft word and is preparation of data prior to importing into a project although styles can be added to a document within Nvivo.

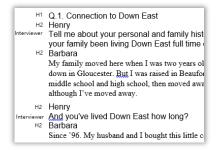
NVivo on Mac does not need to do this, as it can not AutoCode by paragraph styles

1. Open Barbara.docx in Interviews folder within the files downloaded before the sessionin



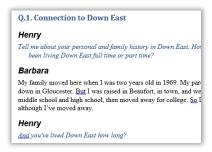
- 2. Apply heading styles to the Interview text:
  - Heading 1 Question 1
  - Heading 2 Names (Henry and Barbara)
  - Interviewer Questions asked





#### 3. Save and Close Barbara.docx

Adding styles to your text in Microsoft word can improve how it is coded in NVivo



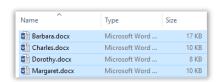
Exercise 8. *Import Content* 

#### a. Bring in a document

- 1. Select Interviews folder
- 2. Click the Import tab
- 3. Click the Files button



- 4. From the downloaded course files: Select All interviews in interviews folder
- 5. Click on Open

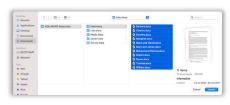


6. Click on Import

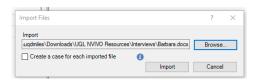
- 1. Select Interviews folder
- 2. Click the **Data** tab
- 3. Click the **Documents** button



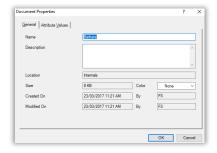
- 4. From the downloaded course files: Select All interviews in interviews folder
- 5. Click on Import





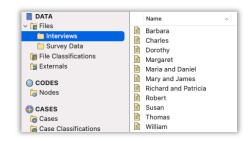


7. Click on **OK** in the Document Properties window, if required



Note: Your files are added to the interviews folder





8. Doubleclick an interviewee to view content

As you access each source it will display in a tab of its own in the detail view pane. Click the cross to close a tab





## **Coding Nodes and Cases**

Coding allows you to organize your sources for later data analysis. Applying coding to your content will organise text into certain nodes/containers. This is the start of the process to make your content into data. There are two approaches to *coding* source content

- Organise the data into broad topics then explore your nodes for each topic and do further coding
- 2 Perform detailed coding as you go through sources, creating nodes as you need them and later combining or grouping nodes into related categories.

Exercise 9. Coding to new nodes

## a. Code data manually

1. Double click to view the details of an interview (Barbara)

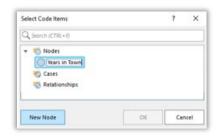


- 2. Highlight a line of text
- 3. Right click the selection
- 4. Select Code

Alternatively, Click Code on the Document tab



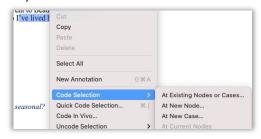
- 5. Click the New Node button
- Enter a name for the node 'Years in Town'
- 7. Click on OK





- 2. Highlight a line of text
- 3. Right click the selection
- 4. Select Code Selection

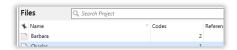
**Alternatively**, Click New Node or Existing Nodes on the Analyze tab

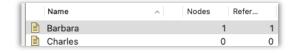


- 5. Click the At New Node option
- 6. Enter a name for the node 'Years in Town'
- 7. Click on Done



8. Check the list of Data - Files. Coding has been added to the first interview







- 9. Repeat for another line of text
- 10. Add to the 'Years in Town' node

Check the list of Data - Files.





- 11. Open another interview (Charles)
- 12. Navigate to Nodes
- 13. Select text
- 14. Drag over node 'Years in town'
- 15. Repeat for another interview (Dorothy)



Exercise 10. Display Coding

This setting only applies to the data currently in view. It is not a global setting and will have to be switched on/off, as required, for every source opened.

- 1. Go to the **Document Tools Document** Tab
- 2. Click on Coding Stripes
- 3. Select Recent Coding
  - Document Tools

    Document

    Edit

    Auto Code

    Stripes 

    None

    None

    Range Code

    Tooling

    Vecent Coding

    Script Stripes 

    Range Code

    Coding

    Vecent Coding
- 1. Go to the View Tab
- 2. Click on Coding Stripes
- 3. Select Nodes Recently Coding



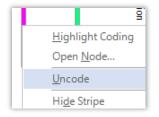
The **coding density** will display and the node will show with a bar to identify each reference. Click on the coding stripe to highlight your coding in the document

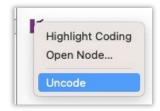


#### a. Remove code

- 1. Right click on a coding stripe
- 2. Select Uncode

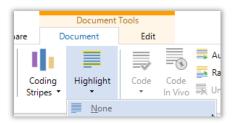






## b. Remove highlight

- 3. Go to the **Document Tools Document**Tab
- 4. Click on the Highlight button
- 5. Select None



- 3. Go to the View Tab
- 4. Click on Coding Stripes
- 5. Select None



## Exercise 11.

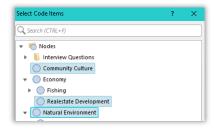
# Coding to existing nodes

#### a. Code documents

- 1. Navigate to Data Files
- 2. Open a interview
- 3. Select some text
- 4. Right click on selected text
- 5. Select Code...



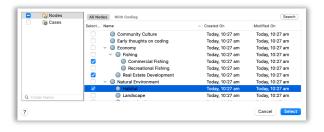
- 6. Hold Ctrl key to select nodes:
  - Community Culture
  - Realestate Development
  - Natural Environment
- 7. Click on OK



- 1. Navigate to Data Files
- 2. Open a interview
- 3. Select some text
- 4. Right click on selected text
- 5. Select At Existing Nodes or Cases...



- 6. Tick the box next to each node you wish to code to
- 7. Click on Select





Check the Node hierarchy, coding has been added to the appropriate nodes

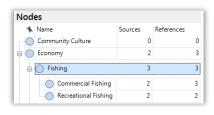
Repeat for other interview responses

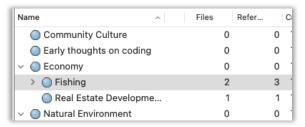




Exercise 12. View Node Coding

- 1. Go to Nodes
- 2. Double Click to open Fishing





3. The node content will display each reference under a source link

The amount of the source coded is shown as a percentage. Click the blue link to open the source and view the coding







# Exercise 13. **Auto Coding – Nodes**



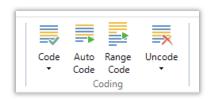
Please be aware this Autocoding in this way only works when using a PC. Autocoding is only available for Datasets (set out in columns and rows) if you use NVivo for Mac.

#### a. Based on structure

Autocoding by structure works based on styles, and the use of consistent use of styles is critical.

What we'd like to code are the responses to each question - In the sample data each question has the Heading 1 style applied and we can use this to autocode.

- 1. Navigate to Data Files
- 2. Select all the interviews
- 3. Go to the Home tab
- 4. Click on Auto Code

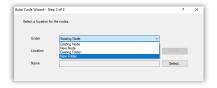


Auto Coding by paragraph styles is not available on Nvivo for Mac

- 5. Autor Code Wizard will launch
- 6. Choose Paragraph styles and click Next
- 7. Click on the style to be coded Heading 1
- 8. Click the >> arrows to transfer right
- 9. Click on Next

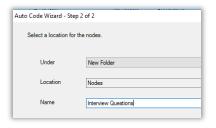


- 10. Click the Under field
- 11. Select New Folder



- 12. Add a name Interview Questions
- 13. Click on Finish





## Exercise 14.

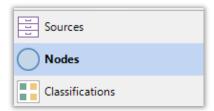
# **View Node References**

Not something that can or needs to be done on NVivo for

Mac. Still related to paragraph style AutoCoding

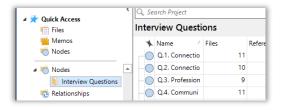
## 14. Click Nodes in the Navigation view

Double-click Nodes to expand if necessary



## 15. Click on Interview Questions

References will be displayed in detail view



#### 16. Double click on a question node

Content will be dsplayed in the Details View



- 4. Click on the source link at the top of each reference to open the source
- 5. Scroll through the node questions to see the other coded source content

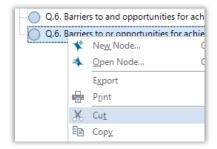




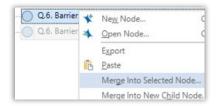
Exercise 15. *Merge Nodes* 

- Right click on the last question in Nodes/Interview Questions
- 2. Select Cut

Not something that can or needs to be done on NVivo for Mac. Still related to paragraph style AutoCoding



- 3. Right click on the last Q.6.
- 4. Select Merge into Selected Node



5. Click on OK



Check the sources and references totals have been merged



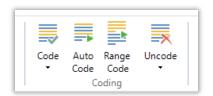


# **Working with Cases**

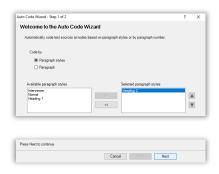
Exercise 16. Auto coding - Cases

Cases are simply a different type of Node or container. Cases can help keep all data related to a given participant in one place. eg If you are doing a longitudinal study or are working with demographic data. What we'd like to code is every interviewee as a case – in the interview documents each speaker has the heading 2 style applied to their name

- 1. Select all the interviews in Data Files
- 2. Go to the **Home** tab
- 3. Click on Auto Code
- Choose Paragragh styles from the Auto Code Wizard



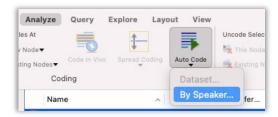
- 5. Click on Heading 1
- 6. Click the << arrows to transfer left
- 7. Click on the style to be coded Heading 2
- 8. Click the >> arrows to transfer right
- 9. Click on Next



- 10. Click the Under field
- 11. Select Existing Folder
- 12. Click on Select... next to the Name field
- 13. Select Cases

**Note**: This is not the same feature as seen on the PC, it is creating case coding based on speaker, not based on paragraph styles

- 1. Navigate to Data Files
- 2. Select a single interview
- 3. Go to the Analyze tab
- 4. Click on Auto Code
- Click By Speaker



- 6. Auto Code Wizard will launch
- 7. Type in the name of a Speaker

  Click the + button to add them

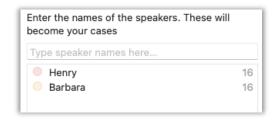


8. Add additional speakers as needed

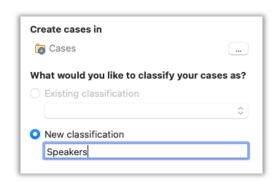


- 14. Click on OK
- 15. Click on Finish

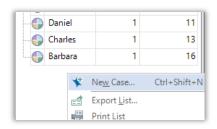




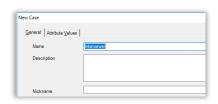
- 9. Add a name for a new classification in cases
- 10. Click AutoCode



- b. Case organisation Parent Node
  - 1. Navigate to **Cases** in the navigator
  - 2. Right click below list of case names
  - 3. Select New Case

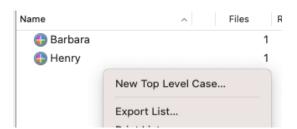


- 4. Add name Interviewer
- 5. Repeat steps 1-3 for Interviewee

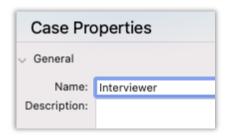


6. Click on the marker alongside **Henry** 

- 1. Navigate to Cases in the navigator
- 2. Right click below list of case names
- 3. Select New Top Level Case...



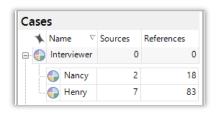
- 4. Add name Interviewer
- 5. Repeat steps 1-3 for Interviewee



6. Click on the marker alongside Henry



- 7. Drag over Interviewer
- 8. Repeat for Nancy, Linda and Elizabeth



- 8. Hold CTRL to select all other case names
- 9. Drag selection over Interviewee



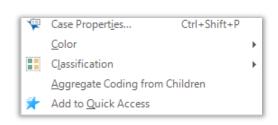
## c. Aggregation of data

- 1. Right click on the Interviewer case
- 2. Select Aggregate coding from children

The totals for child sources and references will be displayed.

3. Repeat for the Interviewee case

This is a toggle option repeat to hide aggregation.



## 7. Drag over Interviewer







# Exercise 17.

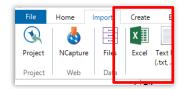
# Survey results and other datasets



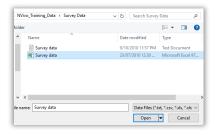
You cannot edit the contents of a dataset once it is imported

A dataset contains structured data arranged in columns and rows. One method of creating a new dataset in NVIVO is to import it from a spreadsheet, text file or database file.

- a. Bring in survey data
  - 1. Navigate to Data Files
  - 2. Click the Survey Data folder
  - 3. Click on the Excel button on the Import tab



- 4. Select Survey data.xlsx
- 5. Click on Open



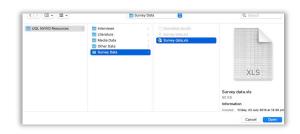
- 6. Confirm the survey wizard settings:
  - a. Respondents will be cases
  - b. Closed questions have attributes
  - c. Open questions are nodes
- 7. Click on Next



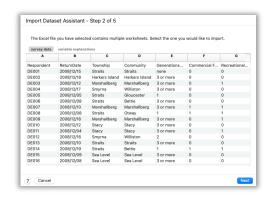
- 1. Navigate to Data Files
- 2. Click the Survey Data folder
- 3. Click on the **Dataset** button on the **Data** tab



- 4. Select Survey data.xlsx
- Click on Open

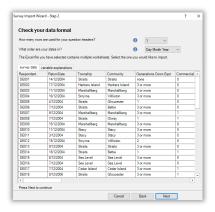


- 6. Confirm which sheet to import from the file. **Survey data**
- 7. Click on Next

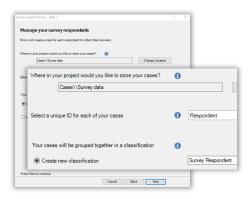




- 8. Check and confirm:
  - Question headers
  - Date format
  - The worksheet tab for data
- 9. Click on Next



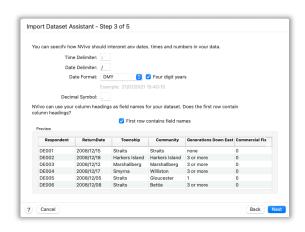
- 10. Confirm the destination for dataset cases
- 11. Indicate the column for a unique identifier for each item
- 12. Select Create new classification
- 13. Click on Next



- 14. Identify data questions type and import status
- 15. Click on Finish



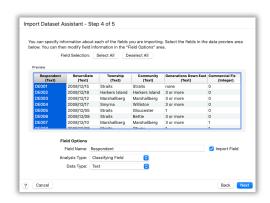
- 8. Check and confirm:
  - Question headers
  - Date format
- 9. Click on Next



10. Identify data questions type and import status

**Clasifying field** means it is a closed ended question. **Codeable field** means it is an open ended question.

11. Click on Next



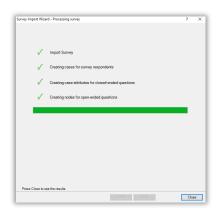
- 12. Name your dataset import
- 13. Click on Import





Survey import results should all be checked

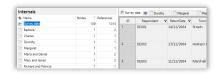
## Click on Close to display data in details view



Data will display as an internal source and in list view You cannot sort or filter by the first column. This is NVIVO's own added reference.

Grey shaded columns are closed ended questions(*Classifying data*)

White shaded columns are open ended responses (*Codable data*)



Survey data can be viewed in a table or by individual forms

17. Select the appropriate tab to change the view

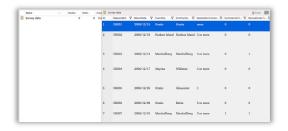


This happens automatically when importing survey data on Windows

Data will display as an internal source and in list view You cannot sort or filter by the first column. This is NVIVO's own added reference.

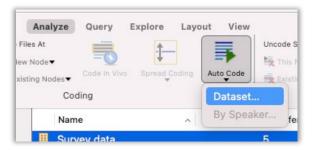
Grey shaded columns are closed ended questions(*Classifying data*)

White shaded columns are open ended responses (*Codable data*)



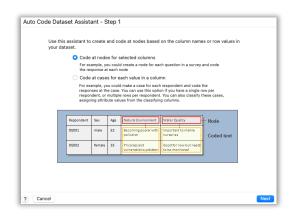
View can't be changed on NVivo for Mac

- 14. Click Auto Code on the Analyze tab
- 15. Select Dataset

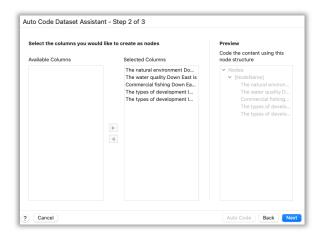




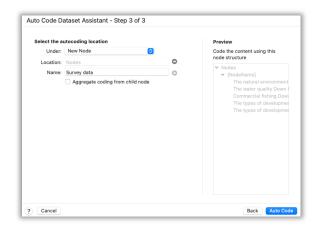
- 16. Ensure the first option is selected
- 17. Click Next



- 18. The columns that were marked as **Codeable data** should all be selected
- 19. Click Next



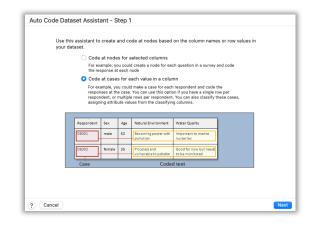
- 20. The default options will make a set in our **Nodes** area just for the Survey data
- 21. Click Auto Code



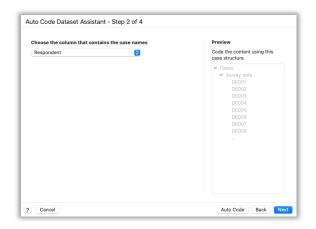


## We then need to repeat for Cases

- 22. Click Auto Code on the Analyze tab
- 23. Select Dataset
- 24. Change the selection to **Code at cases for** each value in a column
- 25. Click Next

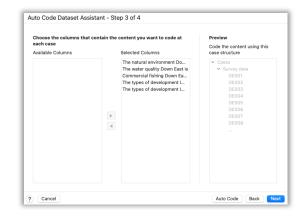


- 26. In the drop down select which column has the unique identifier for your survey participants. **Respondent** in this data
- 27. Click Next



28. Click Next

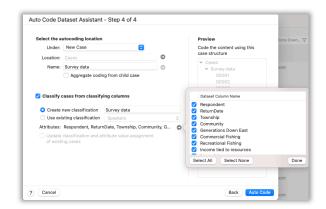




29. In order to get classification data from the survey such as gender assigned to each case. Select Classify cases from classifying columns

This will give you the option of which classifying data from the import you wish to include as classification data for each participant.

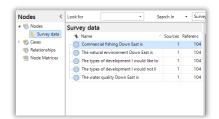
#### 30. Click Auto Code



## b. Viewing imported Survey Dataset - Nodes

- 1. Click on **Nodes** in Navigation Pane
- 2. Select **Survey Data** under Nodes

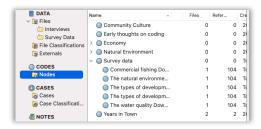
This displays the open ended questions the respondents were asked



- 1. Click on Nodes in Navigation Pane
- 2. See Survey Data in Nodes

This displays the open ended questions the respondents were asked.

If you want a folder for your survey data to separate, right click **Nodes**, add a new folder then drag the Survey data to it





3. Double click the first node to display references in **Detail** view

Remember each Node will open in a new tab



3. Double click the first node to display references in **Detail** view

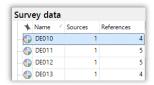
Remember each Node will open in a new tab



- a. Viewing imported Survey Dataset Cases
  - 1. Expand Cases in Navigation Pane
  - 2. Select Survey Data folder

This displays each respondent as a case and the references created from their open ended responses

3. Double click a case with 4 references to display references in **Detail** view



The references will be listed and the original can be displayed

4. Click the source link



5. Click the Form tab

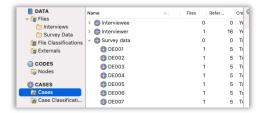
The responses ca be viewed in detail.



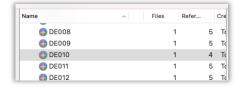
Lable Form

- 1. Click on Cases in Navigation Pane
- 2. Expand Survey Data in Cases

This displays each respondent as a case and the references created from their open ended responses



3. Double click a case with 4 references to display references in **Detail** view



The references will be listed and the original can be displayed

4. Click the source link





## **Querying Data**

#### Exercise 18.

# Create a Matrix Coding Query

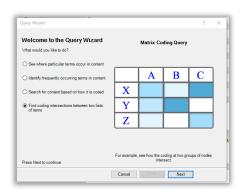
Matrix coding query can easily compare coded material across different demographics or among themes. This can help you see patterns in your data and help you answer questions about your research. We can look at the intersect between *nodes* and *classification attributes*.

- a. Matrix Query Do different genders view development differently?
  - 1. Click Query Wizard on the Explore tab
  - 2. The Query Wizard opens

Note: If you choose Matrix Coding you need to create the Matrix Query without the wizard



- 3. Choose Find coding intersections between two lists of items
- 4. Click next



5. Click the **Add Selected Items...** button

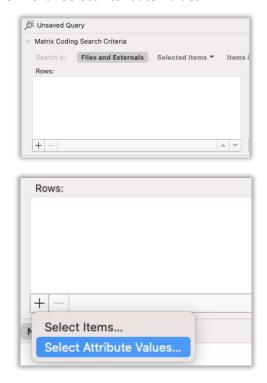
Create a row for each gender value - *Female & Male only* 

1. Click Matrix coding on the Query tab

Note: on NVivo for Mac you need to create the Matrix Query without a wizard



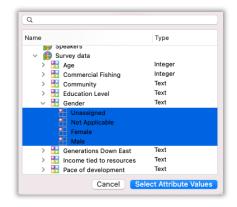
- Click + in the Rows area of the Query options
- 3. Click Select Attribute Values...



- 4. Expand the Gender field under Survey data
- 5. Hold shift to select all choices
- 6. Click Select Attribute Values

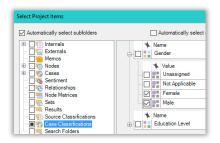






- 6. Click the case classifications text
- Expand Survey respondents then expand Gender
- 8. Select Male and Female

Case nodes represent attributes for people or places in the content



- 9. Click on OK
- 10. Click on the **Add Attribute Conditon...**button and select an Attribute if necessary
- 11. Click Next



12. Click Add Selected Items

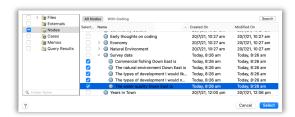


13. Select the theme nodes for the Survey Data to cross tabulate in your matrix.

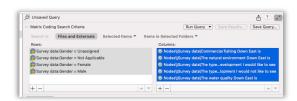
- 7. Click + in the **Columns** area of the Query options
- 8. Click Select Items...



- 9. Select Nodes
- 10. Expand Survey Data
- 11. Tick all nodes in Survey Data
- 12. Click Select



13. Click Run Query





Theme nodes represent coded text in the content Nodes > Survey Data > Select three questions

- 14. Click on OK
- 15. Click Next

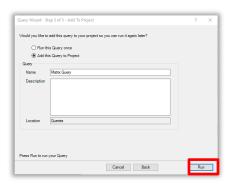


- 16. Search in: Files & Externals
- 17. Click Next



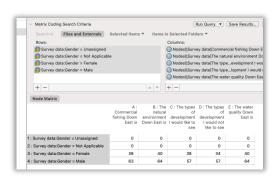
- 18. Select Add this Query to Project
- 19. Select Name and enter name e.g. Matrix Query practice
- 20. Enter Optional Description if you wish
- 21. Click on Run

If you click  $\mathbf{OK}$  you don't actually query the data.



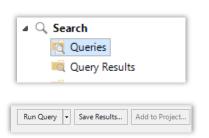
The query results are displayed in the Matrix Query – Results Preview tab in the Details view



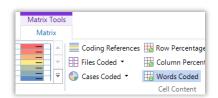




- 22. You can run the query anytime from **Search Queries** in the Navigation view pane.
- 23. To save the query results use **Save Results...** button on the Matrix Query –
  Results Preview page (top right)



- b. Viewing and amending matrix results
  - 1. Click Matrix Tools Matrix Tab
  - 2. Select Words Coded



The number of words coded by each gender for each question will be displayed.

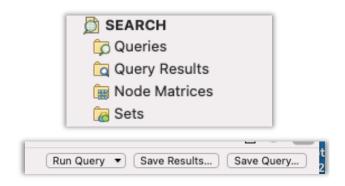


3. Double click on any number to see the coded references

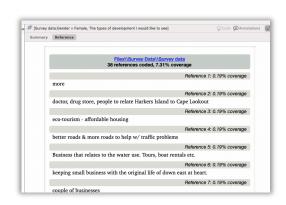


- 4. Select the Matrix Query Results Preview tah
- 5. Click the **Chart** tab at the right side of the screen

- 13. You can save the query in order to run at a later time click Save Query...
- 14. To save the results of the query use Sace Results...

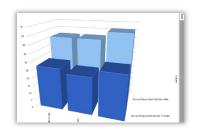


NVivo for Mac can only show Coding references for Matrix results



No charting for matrix query results available on NVivo for Mac





## Exercise 19.

# 'Word Frequency' Query

Provides an idea of potential trends at a high level.

- 1. Go to Explore tab
- 2. Click on Word Frequency

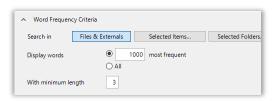


3. Set parameters for query

Search: **Files & Externals**Display: **50** most frequent words

Minimum length: 3

4. Click on Run Query on the right



The results will be displayed. Nvivo has a built in filter to avoid filler words like it, is and that.

5. Click on Add to Project for future use

Word	Length	Count∇	Weighted Percentage (%
people	6	153	1.6
east	4	148	1.5
think	5	123	1.3

- a. Exclude words in query
  - 1. Right click on east in results list
  - 2. Select Add to Stop Words list

- 1. Go to Query tab
- 2. Click on Word Frequency



3. Set parameters for query

Search: **Files & Externals**Display: **50** most frequent words

Minimum length: 3

4. Click on Run Query



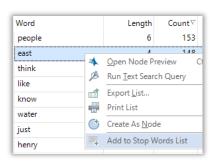
The results will be displayed. Nvivo has a built in filter to avoid filler words like it, is and that.

5. Click on Save Query... for future use



- 1. Right click on east in results list
- 2. Select Add to Stop Words list



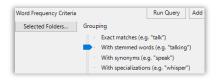


- 3. Click on **OK**
- 4. Re-run the query



## b. Automatic word grouping

1. Change grouping to With stemmed words

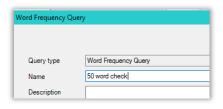


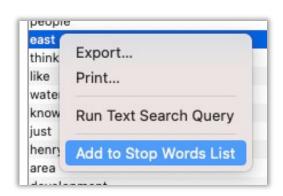
2. Re-run the query



## c. Add query to project for reuse

- 1. Click the Add to project button
- 2. Enter a name for the query
- 3. Click on OK

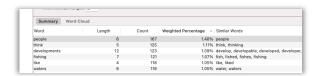




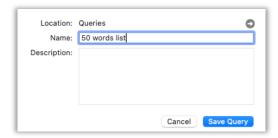
3. Re-run the query

 Change Finding matches to Include stemmed words





- 1. Click the Save Query... button
- 2. Enter a name for the query
- 3. Click on Save Query





4. Navigate to Search - Queries and view saved project queries

This is not the results, only the query settings

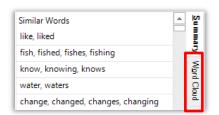




# Exercise 20.

# **Create a Word Query**

 Click on the Word Cloud tab, below the Summary, at the right of the results list



- 2. Go to the Word Frequency Query tab
- 3. Select an alternative design

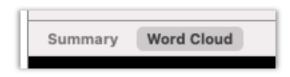


- 4. Right click on Word Cloud
- 5. Select Export Word Cloud
- 6. Enter a filename
- 7. Click on Save

You will have a static image of the word cloud generated from your text query



1. Click on the **Word Cloud** tab, nex to **Summary**, at the top of the results list



- 2. Click the Gallery button
- 3. Select an alternative design

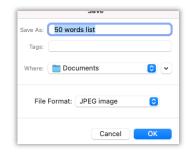


- 4. Right click on Word Cloud
- 5. Select **Export...**
- 6. Enter a filename
- 7. Select file type
- 8. Click on Ok

You will have a static image of the word cloud generated from your text query





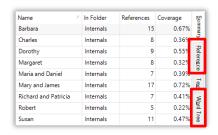


## a. Single word query

- In the word cloud, right click on the word "Waters"
- 2. Select Run Text Search Query for waters



- 3. Click on the **Reference** tab to see waters with more context
- 4. Click on the Word Tree tab.



- 1. In the word cloud, right click on the word "Waters"
- 2. Select Run Text Search Query



- 3. Click on the **Reference** tab to see waters with more context
- 4. Click on the Word Tree tab.

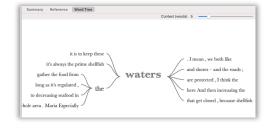


The word tree groups together words which appear frequently before and after the word water



### b. Word tree query

- 1. In the Word tree, right click on the word "Quality"
- 2. Select Run Text Search Query



- 1. In the Word tree, right click on the words "it is to keep these"
- 2. Select Run Text Search Query







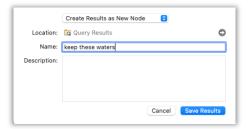
- 3. Click on the Summary tab to see where water quality in mentioned in the interviews
- 4. Click the Reference tab for more context
- 5. Click on the Word Tree tab to see a new word tree





- 6. Click on Save Results...
- 7. Enter a name
- 8. Click on OK





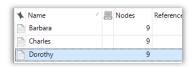
Be aware the word tree is **not** retained when you choose Save Results... To display the word tree you have to re-run the query

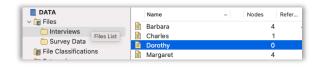
## **Visualisation Tools**

Exercise 21. Diagrams

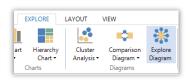
# a. Explore diagram

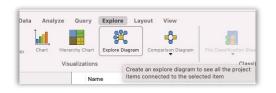
1. Select a Data – File or Case e.g.(Dorothy)





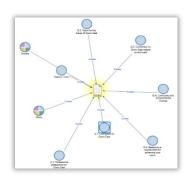
2. Click Explore Diagram on the Explore tab





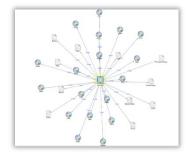


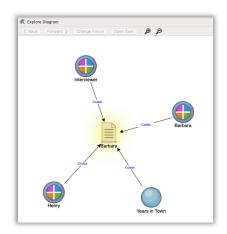
The diagram appears in details view



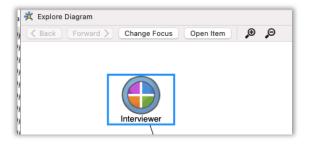
- 3. Click on a surrounding item
- 4. Click the **Change Focus** button on the Explore Diagram tab

Use the ribbon to see more connections

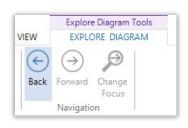




- 3. Click on a surrounding item
- 4. Click the **Change Focus** button on the Explore Diagram bar



- 5. Click the back button to navigate through the diagram
- 6. Double click any item to view its content

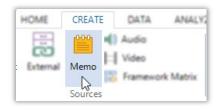




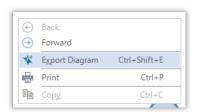
- 7. An explore diagram is NOT stored as part of a project. To save the diagram
  - Copy and paste into a memo
    - a. Click and drag across image to select all elements
    - b. Copy: ctrl C
    - c. Click **Memo** on Create tab
    - d. Add a new memo name
    - e. Click **OK**
    - f. Paste: ctrl V

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- Export as an image
  - a. Right click on diagram
  - b. Select Export Diagram
  - c. Navigate to a location
  - d. Click on Save



#### Export as an image

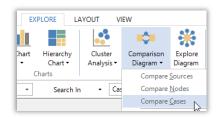
- e. Right click on diagram
- f. Select Export Diagram
- g. Navigate to a location
- h. Pick a file type
- i. Click on **Save**



#### b. Comparison diagram

A comparison diagram lets you compare two of the same type of project items, sources, nodes or cases. The comparison indicates the similarities and differences between items.

- 1. Click Comparison Diagram on the Explore tab
- 2. Select Compare Cases



- 3. Select 2 interview participants
- 4. Click on OK

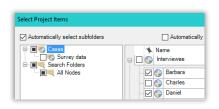
The comparison doagram opens in detail view

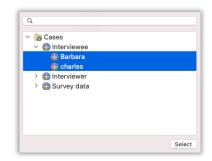


- 3. Select 2 interview participants
- 4. Click on Select

The comparison doagram opens in detail view







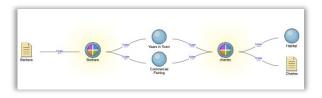
Everyting items have in common is in the centre of the diagram. Links to item differences are shown either side of the diagram

3. Double Click any item to open and view content

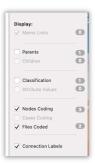


Use the tools on the Ribbon to show links you are interested in.



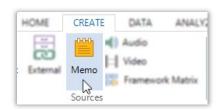


Use the options on the sidebar to show links you are interested in.



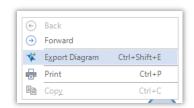
- 5. An comparison diagram is NOT stored as part of a project. To save the diagram
  - Copy and paste into a memo

or



Export as an image

(See previous exercise)



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# **Extension Exercises**

# Memos, annotations and links

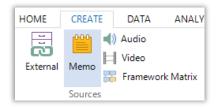
*Memos* are an integral part of the research process. They are like documents or notes that can be linked to other sources or nodes. A memo can be about the entire project or it can link to a specific node or item.

Annotations in NVIVO are like notes in the margin

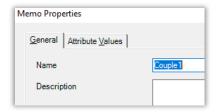
See Also Links can be used as cross references between related items in your project

Exercise 22. Create a Memo

1. Click on Memo on the Create Tab

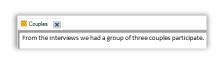


- 2. Enter a Name Couple1
- 3. Click on OK



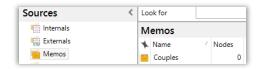
- 4. Enter any notes relating to your source
- Click Close cross on memo tab.

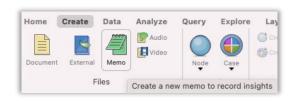
**NVivo** will automatically save whatever you type.



6. Go to Memos in Sources

The new memo will be displayed in list view





- 2. Enter a Name Couple1
- 3. Click on Done



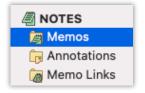
- 4. Enter any notes relating to your source
- 5. Click Close cross on **Open Items** windo in bottom left.

**NVivo** will automatically save whatever you type.



6. Go to Memos in Notes

The new memo will be displayed in list view



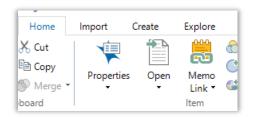


Exercise 23. Link a Memo

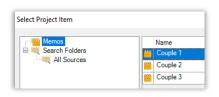
To link memos to a source item, go to the source item first.

Memos can only be linked to a single source item. Anything already linked will be unavailable

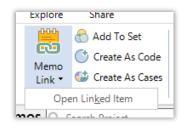
- 1. Go to Data Files
- 2. Click on *Maria and Daniel* in interviews
- 3. Click the Home tab
- 4. Click the **Memo Link** button
- 5. Select Link to Existing Memo



- 6. Select the Couple1 memo.
- 7. Click on **OK**



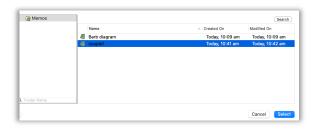
- a. View memo or linked item
  - 1. Go to Notes Memos in Sources
  - 2. Select the memo with the link
  - 3. Click the **Memo Link** icon on the home tab
  - 4. Select Open Linked Item



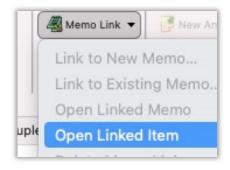
- 1. Go to Data Files
- 2. Click on *Maria and Daniel* in interviews
- 3. Click the Analyze tab
- 4. Click the Memo Link button
- 5. Select Link to Existing Memo



- 6. Select the Couple1 memo.
- 7. Click on Select



- 1. Go to Notes Memos in Sources
- 2. Select the memo with the link
- 3. Click the **Memo Link** icon on the **Analyze** tab
- 4. Select Open Linked Item





Exercise 24. Annotations

Annotations are like margin notes you can record comments, reminders or observations. These will display with a blue highlight in the text.

#### a. Create an Annotation

- 5. Open a Data File interview
- 6. Select text to annotate
- 7. Go to the **Document** Tab
- 8. Click the New Annotation button

A number is added at the bottom of the screen for your annotation. Click on this number to navigate to the annotation.



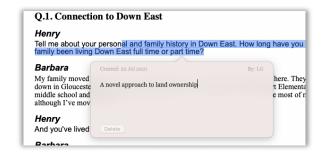
- 5. Start typing your annotation
- 6. Click into the source content when complete Annotated text is highlighted in blue



- 1. Open a Data File interview
- 2. Select text to annotate
- 3. Go to the Analyze Tab
- 4. Click the **New Annotation** button

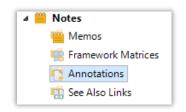
A number is added at the bottom of the screen for your annotation. Click on this number to navigate to the annotation.





#### b. Edit annotations

1. To see all annotations in a project click **Notes – Annotations** in the navigator view



Memos

Annotations

Memo Links

NOTES

- 2. In List View: Double click to open a source
- 3. Select Click to Edit



3. In List View: Double click to open a source





## 4. In Nodes: Double click to open a node

All nodes connected to sources will be visible and annotation editing is activated automatically



Edit as needed

# Exercise 25.

# Adding a "see also" link

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A 'see also' link is like a cross reference to connect items in an NVivo project. These will display with a pink highlight in the text.

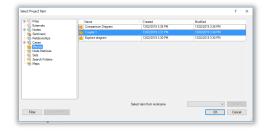
- a. Link to an existing source
  - 1. Select text to link from
  - 2. Click Document tab See Also Link
  - 3. Click New See Also Link...



- 4. Click the **Select** button.
- 5. Navigate to the item to link to



- 6. Select the item
- 7. Click on OK
- 8. Click on OK



The 'See Also" link will be added and link text will be pink

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- b. Go to See Also links in Notes in the Navigator view
  - 1. Right click on the link details
  - 2. Select **Open to Item** to open the linked item

Or

Select **Open from Item** to open where the link was created

