

# Find / Replace - Nisus Express v Pro

| Find and Replace  | Nisus Writer Express | Nisus Writer Pro |
|---|----------------------|------------------|
| Normal Find and Replace   | ✓                    | ✓                |
| Advanced Find and Replace (PowerFind / regular expressions "regex") | ✓                    | ✓                |
| Find and Replace Formatting ("attribute sensitive")                 |                      | ✓                |

# Advanced Tools - Nisus Express v Pro

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| <a href="#">LinkBack</a> Support                                      | ✓                    | ✓                |
| Widow and Orphan Control  | ✓                    | ✓                |
| Track Changes   |                      | ✓                |
| Comments  |                      | ✓                |
| Drawing Tools (shapes, text boxes, etc)                               |                      | ✓                |
| Watermarks  |                      | ✓                |
| Table of Contents   |                      | ✓                |
| Indexing  |                      | ✓                |
| Bookmarks   |                      | ✓                |
| Cross References  |                      | ✓                |
| Mail Merge  |                      | ✓                |
| <a href="#">Bookends</a> Integration                                  |                      | ✓                |
| Line Numbering  |                      | ✓                |
| Nisus Macro Language  |                      | ✓                |
| Flesch and Kincaid reading ease scores                                |                      | ✓                |
| Insert Automatic Content (date/time stamps, document properties, etc) |                      | ✓                |

# What I Like So Far - Nisus Pro

What I like so far:

1. **An excellent, searchable, step-by-step, cross-referenced and well illustrated Users Manual.** It's the best I've ever seen. 534 pages!
2. **The interface resembles that of Word and Pages, so the learning / familiarization curve is not steep.** When I look at all the possibilities of Word, my impression is that it is way too much for my needs. When I look at Pages, it almost seems too simple. Is everything I need there? Initially, NWP seems to fit nicely in between the two, but closer to Pages.
3. **Menu bar icons are much larger than in Word because there are fewer of them vying for the same menu space.** Most text formatting icons have been moved to the Tool sidebars. NWP's menu bar icons are not as 'hard' as MSW. They appear 'softer' and more inviting to my eye.
4. **When launching NWP, the last document you closed opens automatically,** if you set Preferences to do so. This can be reset in Preferences, but is set by default.
5. **The slightly 'laid back' (yet still professional) character of the developer's approach and communications.** See the icon for 'Track Changes' above, right.
6. **The 'Comment' feature is meant most probably for document sharing, but I will use it for 'notes-to-self' instead.** I edit so much that it would be bothersome to use the 'Track changes' feature.
7. **NWP has much the same variety and control over shapes** (arrows, lines, boxes, triangles, polygons) as in Pages.
8. **Multiple, different 'Clipboards' are possible.** They can be given any name, but only one may be active at any given time. I have followed a theme in my names for the clipboards: grape types for wine.

# Nisus Pro - Snags & Missing Features

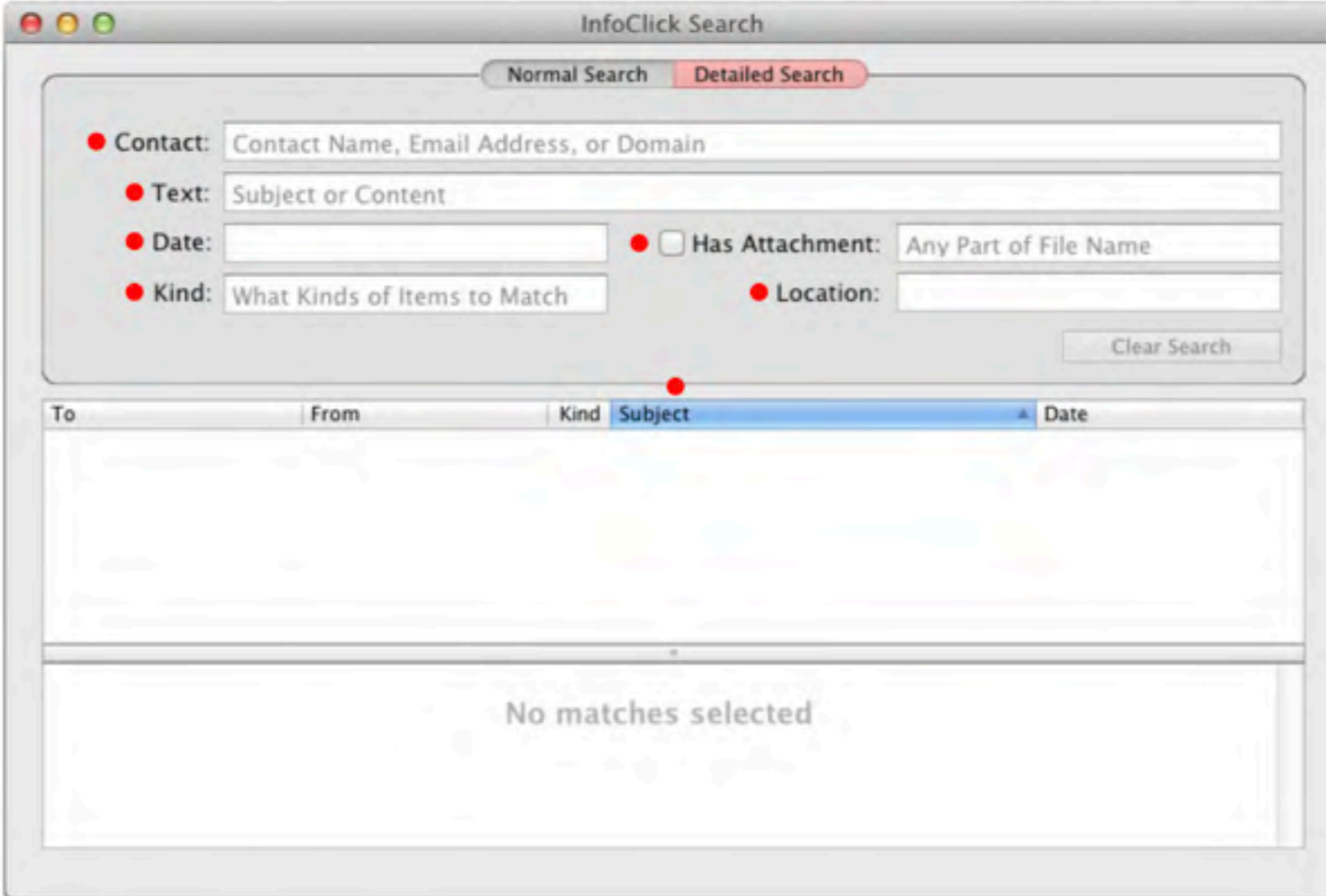
Snags / things I have learned:

1. **As expected, it is possible to add and change various Styles in the Styles Editor**, but it is not something I have ever really done. I decided to see if I could 'fix' one thing that has always bothered me in word processors - how the numbers in an item list can be changed from left justification to right so that the numbers all line up on the period after the number and there is always an equal space between the number and the text that follows.
2. **Since I want to commit to using NWP for all text processing, I need to change the type of most incoming documents, which are most often in ".doc" format.** I have reset my settings so that all Word documents are automatically opened in NWP. Outgoing documents will, by default, be in Rich Text Format and dealt with appropriately by the receiving word processor. Or I can convert the text to .docx format.
3. **Missing useful feature: In Word there is an easy way to 'Split' the page horizontally into a top and bottom part, so that the upper part may be fixed at some point in the text, and the lower part can be scrolled separately from the top.** This is very useful in checking and comparing different parts of a text. For example: translating the text on the upper part into another language on the bottom. I have launched a poll on the NWP website blog and the discussion and support so far have been encouraging.

# InfoClick Email Search Utility

## Search Features

Navigate through your emails to see the words, contacts, and information within. InfoClick knows precisely what words you've used, so there's no guessing; it's a guided process of progressively narrowing down the matches in a series of simple choices. That means you can't ever produce a search with zero matches.



The screenshot shows the InfoClick Search utility window. At the top, there are two tabs: "Normal Search" and "Detailed Search". Below the tabs, there are several search criteria fields, each with a red dot icon:

- Contact:** Contact Name, Email Address, or Domain
- Text:** Subject or Content
- Date:** [Empty field]
- Kind:** What Kinds of Items to Match
- Has Attachment:**  Has Attachment: Any Part of File Name
- Location:** [Empty field]

A "Clear Search" button is located at the bottom right of the search criteria section. Below the search criteria, there is a table with columns: To, From, Kind, Subject, and Date. The "Subject" column is currently selected. The table is empty, and a message "No matches selected" is displayed at the bottom of the window.

# InfoClick Search Screen

## See It In Action

Watch the following video clip to see InfoClick in action:

