

***Re-design***

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***Picture one sign in ,***

**Problems Addressed**

*Problem1. Menu Badly Laid Out*

*Problem2. Icons Unclear*

*Problem3 Login*

**Overview**

I have made the layout in the entire Yahoo system larger than what it is at the moment. This, coupled with a variety of colours used both in the icons and background, will help to make the entire system a lot more aesthetically pleasing and use able and help bring it out of the dark ages which addresses problem 1,2 and 3. I have also made some of the icons more universally recognizable to make the navigation easier which addresses *Problem2*. I have changed the way that the main Yahoo.com menu is laid out. The Yahoo menu/sign in can be filtered by topics and the search function is a lot easier to use which addresses *Problem1 and 3*.

1. Yahoo.com’s menu is a lot less cluttered and easier to understand with the help of drop-down menus, clearly labelled text boxes and the grouping of transactions into their respective places.

2. In the Yahoo.com’s menu, which is on display throughout the entire system, there is a search feature at the top which enables the user to search all of the parts (images,web,news etc).The location of where there about to search is visible. I think it is straight forward for the user and they know exactly what steps to follow.

3. After conducting the heuristic evaluation, one of the major problems with the current SAP system was the transaction menu. I have re-designed it so that the transactions are split into their separate modules. The user selects a module from the drop down menu and this filters the transactions displayed below.

4. The Yahoo nagiation bar will follow the user as it scrolls the page giving them complete access to email alerts and the sign in location is also there so that they never have to and know that there sign is in the same location each time.

Picture 2…

**Problems Addressed**

 *Problem4. Useless Search Function*

 *Problem6. Jargon*

**Overview**

The search function is now more user-friendly and labelled clearly so that the user understands exactly how to search for what they want which helps address *Problem6*. It also gives all of the results at once whereas before it used to display one result at a time. The search function will not only give the correct result but also similar results (see above) which addresses *Problem4*.

1. The user types in the search term that they are looking for into the search bar.

2. The most relevant search results will be displayed first. As seen above.

3. The user clicks the “GO” button once they have entered their transaction name.

4. Every transaction will have an “i” button next to them so that the user can easily get a brief description of what the transaction is about. If it is the correct transaction, they can click on the transaction name and they will be taken to the relevant form.

5. The search function is clearly labelled so that the user knows exactly what the text box is for.