



Tilde Language Technologies

BIG solutions for small languages

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Tilde

- Largest language technology company in the Baltics
- Long-standing experience in language technologies and localization
- Language tool products for the local market + significant multi-national research and development activities.

The Challenge

Languages of 10 mil speakers or less
face the following hurdles in MT:

- Lack of parallel data
- Complex language structure
- Under developed terminology

Example:

- 800 000 words in English =
20 000 000 words/word forms
in LV & LT
- Need MORE parallel
corpora, but there is less



Proof of Concept



TAUS challenge/Adobe

Build a successful MT engine in 24 hours

Language Shore/MS

The BEST LV>EN MT engine in the WORLD





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Piektdien, 24. septembrī Eiropas Zinātnieku Nakts 2010 ietvaros Latvijas Nacionālā bibliotēka (LNB) rīko vairākus pasākumus tās centrālajā ēkā K. Barona ielā 14. Plkst. 16.00 paredzēta informatīva ekskursija vidusskolēniem un visiem, kuri padziļināti vēlas iepazīties ar prāta pētniecības vēsturi, tagadni un nākotnes tendencēm. Savukārt plkst. 17.30 Jaunākās periodikas lasītavā, 1. stāvā notiks diskusija par prāta pētniecību, galvenokārt akcentējot mūsdienu teorijas un eksperimentus.

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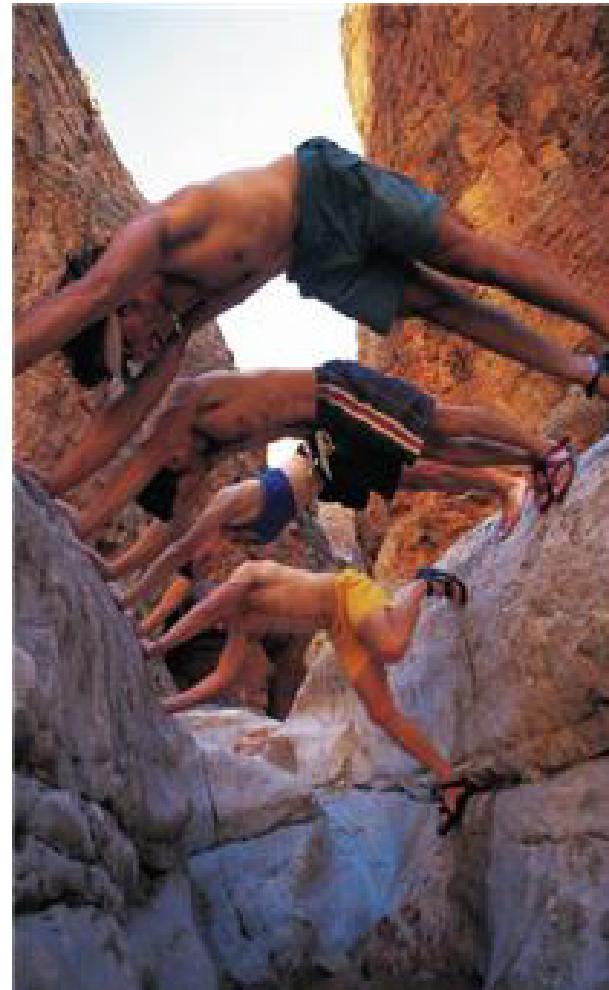
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Multi disciplinary approach:

- Parallel corpora boosted with comparable corpora
- Rules and statistical hybrid
- Automated terminology mining



Collaborate to Innovate



Data

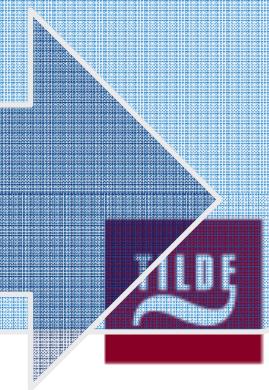
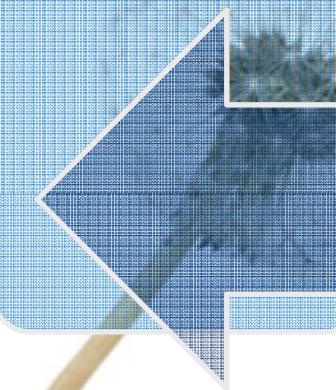
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Quo vadis?

- Expand language set
- Application scenarios
 - Integration into Localization process
 - CAT tools
- Collaboration
 - Resources + Research



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