



#### RevMan 5 and Data extraction Basic Systematic Review Course, May 10-11, 2012

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### Overview

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- How to use it (super simple basics)
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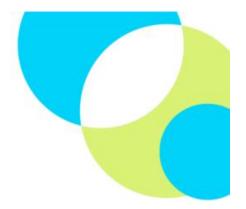
# What is Review Manager?



- It is the software used for preparing and maintaining Cochrane protocols and reviews
- It allows you to:
  - prepare the text,
  - build tables showing characteristics of studies and the comparisons in the review,
  - manage references (i.e. sources you want to cite),
  - add study data,
  - perform meta-analyses,
  - present the results graphically,
  - avoid competing versions of text, and
  - submit drafts to editorial assessment (compulsory)



# How to download?



• http://www.cc-ims.net/RevMan

or

- Go to: www.cochrane.org and click:
  - Training, then
  - RevMan homepage
- Follow instructions given:
  - Click: Download RevMan 5
  - 1. Download the installation file (Windows, Mac or Linux)
  - 2. Run the installer
  - 3. Go through the installation wizard
  - 4. Run RevMan



#### 5 Review Manager 5

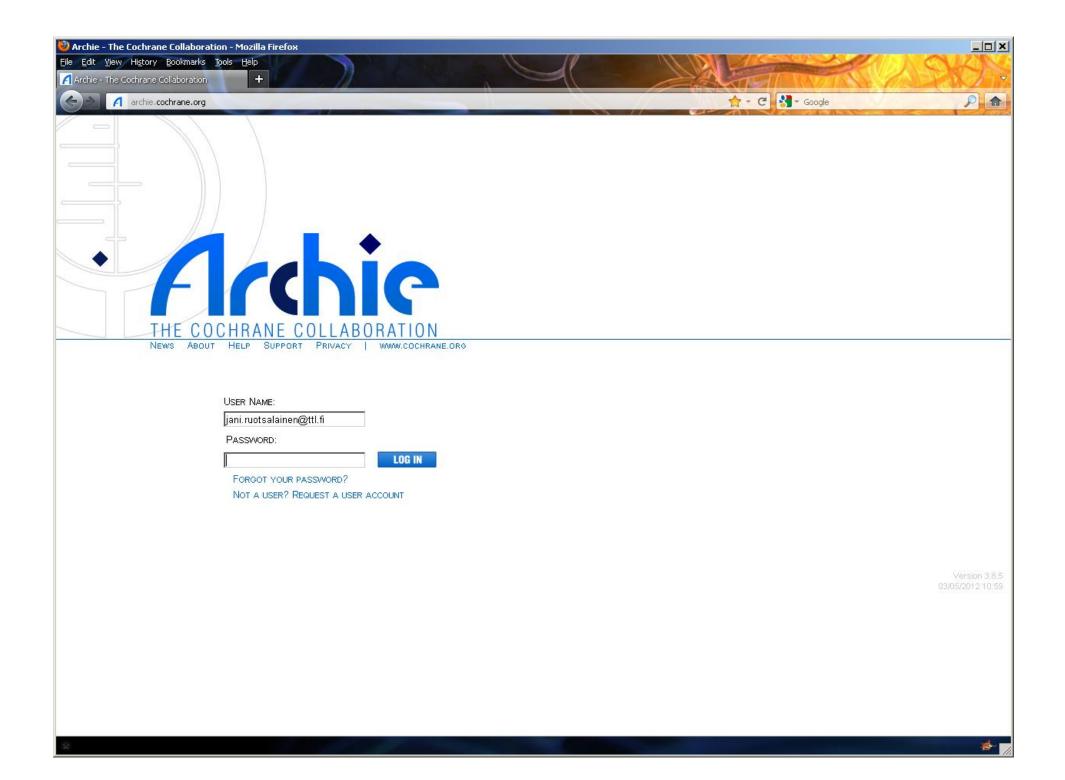
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#### What is Archie?

- Cochrane Collaboration's central server for managing documents and contacts details
- What is it good for?
  - Finding contact details of fellow Cochranites (~30.000)
  - Keeping documents safe (e.g. drafts of protocols and reviews)
    - Only one person at a time can check out a draft into RevMan
    - ALWAYS check your work back in
    - NEVER save work only locally
  - Signing and storing electronic forms
    - conflict of interest form
    - license for publication form
- Within Archie it is possible to read, print and compare current and past versions of a document







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