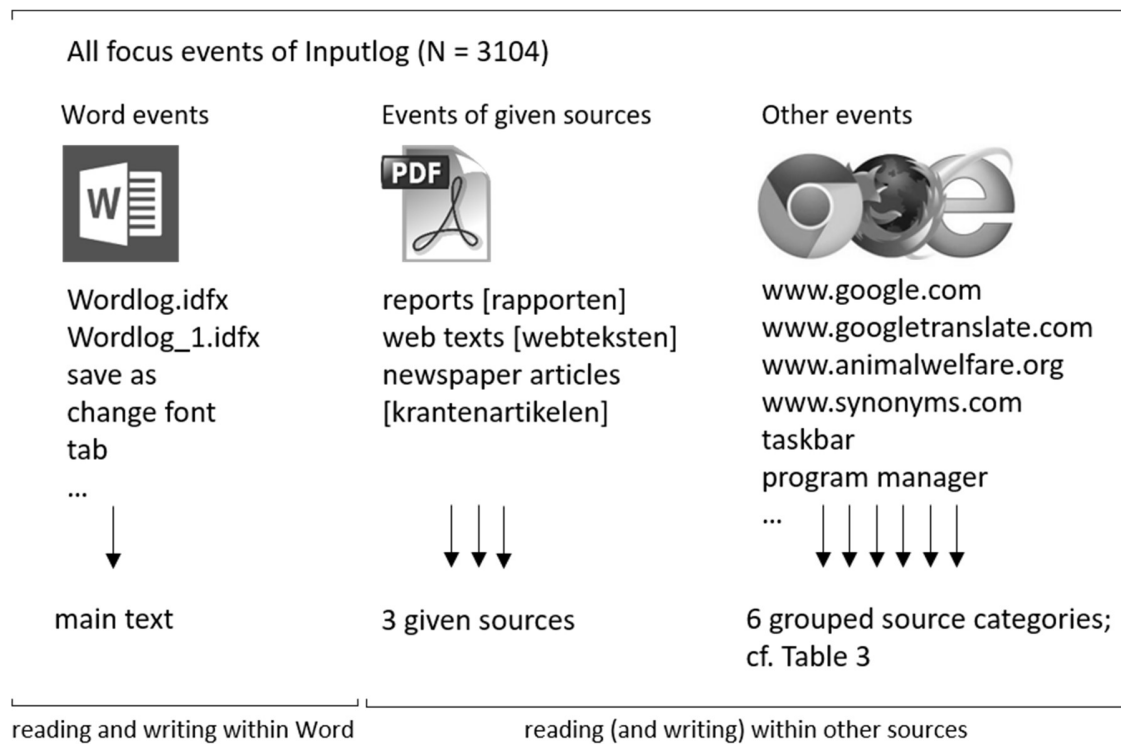


Supplementary information

Grouping of the focus events into source variables in Inputlog

We wanted to group together all activities that writers carry out in their text document. If, for example, the font is changed within the text, Inputlog records it as a separate focus event, whereas the writer does not conceptually switch to an external source in that case. The recoding made it possible to filter out and delete from the dataset those focus events that take place within the text document and do not concern external sources, allowing us to calculate the real number of S-bursts. The Figure below provides an overview of the grouping of the focus events into source categories.



After the first recoding, 2717 external foci (86% of the total) remained that were related to the three sources provided for each of the four topics (i.e., in total 4x report, 4x web text and 4x newspaper article; see Table 2) and to other external sources that were consulted.