

Main path and parallel path

A Producer document can also contain any number of parallel paths in addition to the main path, e.g. to depict alternative solutions to a problem. Keep reading to discover general information about this function.

1 Main path

The **main path** stretches all the way from the start to the end of a document. Users proceed along the main path each time they perform an interaction in a step. This interaction is known as the **main interaction**. Main interactions lead from one step to the next on the current path. A **jump** leads to any step in the current path or a different one. The main path is depicted in both the e-learning and documentation.

2 Parallel path

A Producer document can also contain any number of **parallel paths** in addition to the main path. These could contain alternative click paths or detours to other information, for example. A **branch** (please refer to the "Interactions" function group on the "Insert" tab) can be used to access a parallel path from the start. Each parallel path has its own Step list, displaying the steps in the parallel path only. The documentation only depicts the main path. Parallel paths can only be used in the e-learning.