



# Checking Taverna installation

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# Installing Taverna

- If you had problems downloading or installing Taverna, let us know
  - During a tutorial by raising your hand
  - Use the contact form at
    - <http://www.taverna.org.uk/about/contact-us/feedback/>
  - e-mail to
    - [support@mygrid.org.uk](mailto:support@mygrid.org.uk)
  - Read the documentation at
    - <http://www.taverna.org.uk/documentation/taverna-2-x/>
    - <http://dev.mygrid.org.uk/wiki/display/taverna/User+Manual>
      - Linked to from inside Taverna Workbench



# Starting Taverna

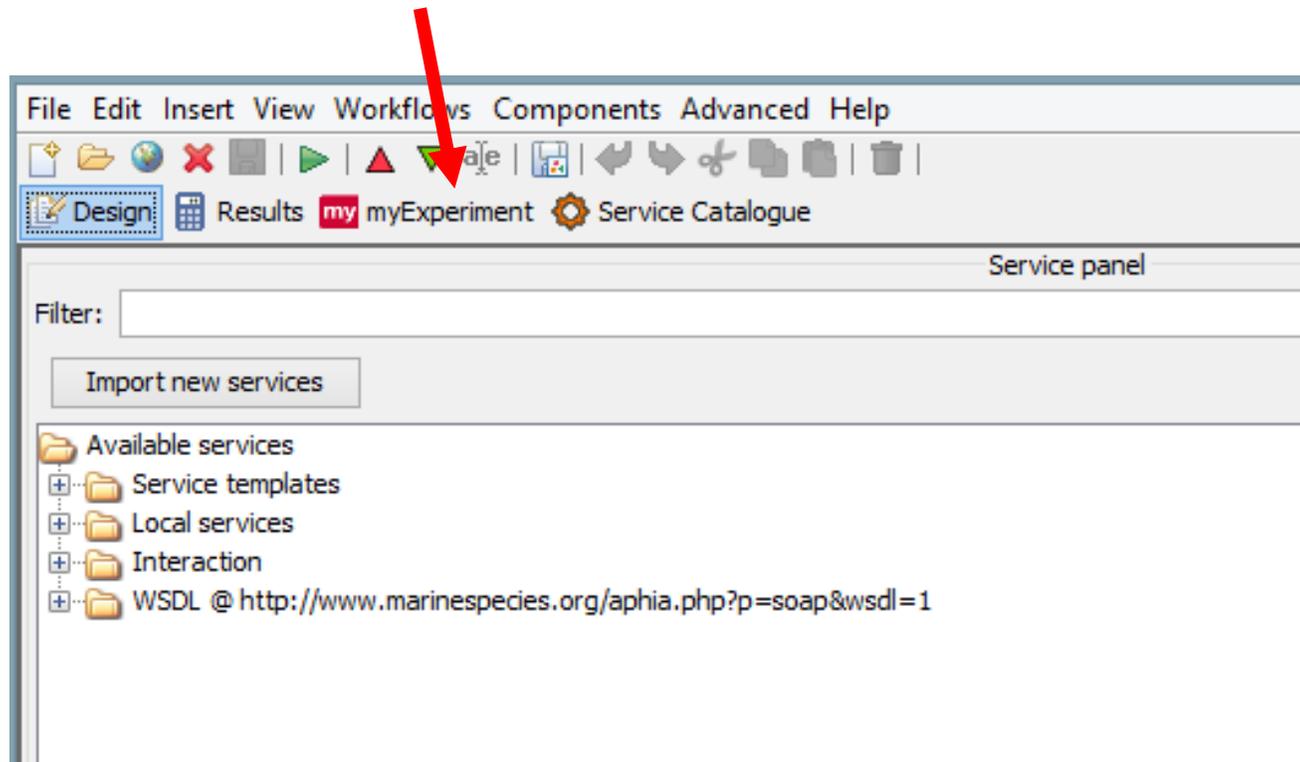
Nearly all uses of Taverna require internet access. Please make sure you have a working internet connection before trying to use Taverna

- Start Taverna Workbench Biodiversity 2.5
- If you have any problems starting Taverna, let us know



# myExperiment perspective

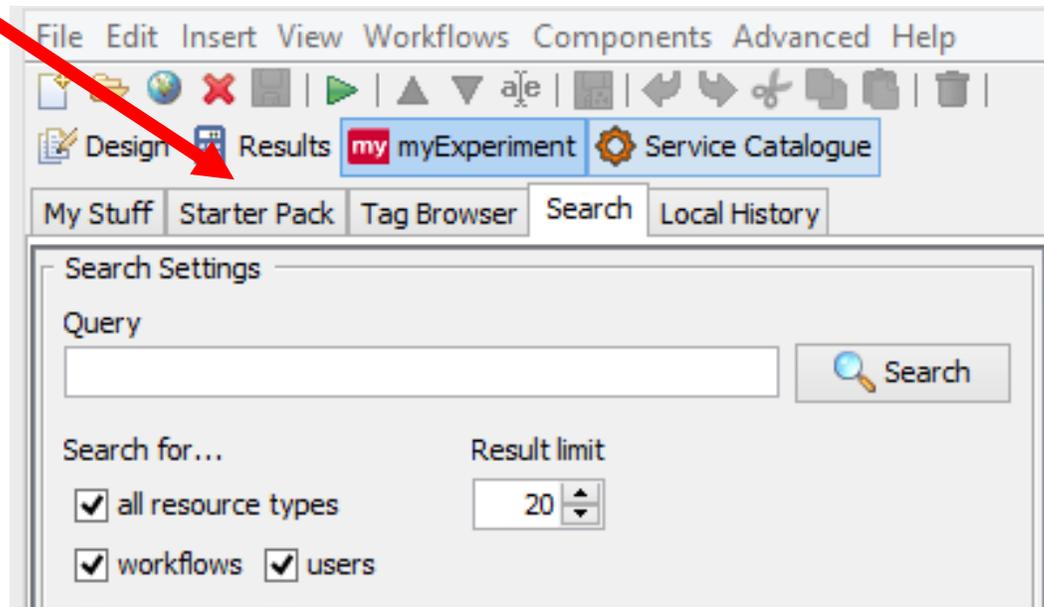
- Switch to the **myExperiment perspective**





# Starter pack

- Click the **Starter Pack** tab





# Opening a workflow

- Scroll down to *Fetch today's xkcd comic*
- Click the **Open** button

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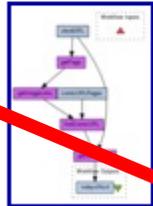
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17 example workflows found

[Open in myExperiment](#)

Preview Download Open Import

**Fetch today's xkcd comic (version 1)**  
Uploader: Alex Nenadic  
Type: Taverna 2

 Use the local services and some filtering operations to fetch the comic strip image from <http://xkcd.com/> Based on the FetchDailyDilbert workflow.

[Open in myExperiment](#)

Preview Download **Open** Import

**Hello Anyone (version 1)**  
Uploader: Alex Nenadic

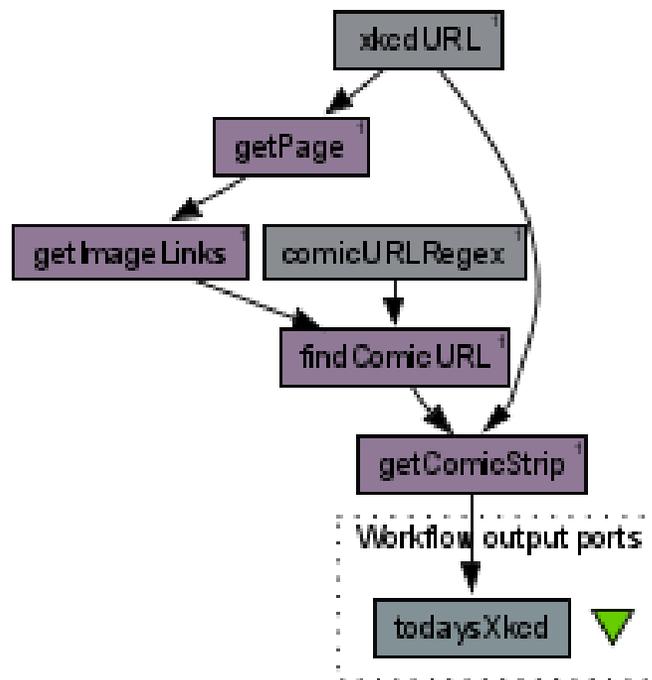


# Running the workflow

- Taverna should switch to the **Design** perspective and show the workflow
- Select **Run workflow** from the **File** (or **Taverna** menu)
- Taverna should switch to the **Results** perspective
- All the boxes in the picture should turn grey



# Run workflow





# Results

- You can look at the comic by clicking *Value 1* under *today'sXkcd*

