

Instruction Sheet for NetBeans Spoken Tutorial Team IIT Bombay



1 Online / Offline content

- 1. The online content of Spoken Tutorials can be accessed from :
 - http://spoken-tutorial.org/tutorial-search/
- 2. You can also download the Spoken Tutorials for offline learning from : http://spoken-tutorial.org/cdcontent/
- 3. From this link download the FOSS categories in the language you wish to learn.
- 4. The Spoken Tutorial content will be downloaded as a zip file on your machine.
- 5. Extract the contents of the zip file & access them.

2 The procedure to practise

- 1. You have been given a set of spoken tutorials and files.
- 2. You will typically do one tutorial at a time.
- 3. You may listen to a spoken tutorial and reproduce all the steps shown in the video.
- 4. If you find it difficult to do the above, you may consider listening to the *whole* tutorial once and then practise during the second hearing.

3 NetBeans

- 1. Click on "Select FOSS" or "All FOSS Categories" drop-down and choose "NetBeans".
- Click on "Select Language" or "All Languages" drop-down and choose the language (English, Hindi, Marathi ...) in which you wish to learn.
- 3. Click on "Submit" button.
- 4. You will see a list of tutorials based on your selection.
- 5. Start with the first tutorial in the displayed list.

4 First tutorial: Introduction to Netbeans

1. Locate the topic "Introduction to Netbeans" and click on it.

- 2. To view the tutorial, click on the Play icon which is located in the player.
- 3. The Pre-requisite will be visible below the player (only for Online contents).
- 4. Outline, Assignments, Code Files and Slides are available below the player.
- 5. Adjust the size of the browser in such a way that you are able to practice in parallel.

4.1 Opening NetBeans on Linux OS

- (a) The tutorials are explained on the Linux OS.
- (b) It will be easy for the Linux users to follow, as instructed on the tutorial.

4.2 Opening NetBeans on Windows OS

- (a) From 3:23 to 3:35 the tutorial shows how to launch NetBeans in Linux.
- (b) To launch Netbeans in Windows, click on Start then click on All Programs then click on Netbeans folder and click on NetBeans IDE icon.
- (c) At 3:49, pause the video. If you do not see the workspace window as shown in the tutorial, then click on Window menu at the top.
- (d) There you can select the window you want to display.

4.3 Common Instructions to practise

- (a) Create a folder on the "Desktop" with your "Name-RollNo-Component".
 - (Eg. "vin-04-NetBeans").
- (b) Give a unique name to the files you save, so as to recognize it next time.(Eg. "Practice-1-vin").
- (c) Remember to save all your work in your folder.
- (d) This will ensure that your files don't get over-written by someone else.
- (e) Save your work from time to time, instead of saving it at the end of the task.

4.4 Common instructions for Assignments

- (a) Attempt the Assignments as instructed in the tutorial.
- (b) Save your work in your folder.

4.5 Common instructions to use Code files

- (a) Click on the link "Code files" located below the player and save it in your folder.
- (b) Extract the downloaded zip file.
- (c) You will see all the code/source files used in the particular tutorial.
- (d) Use these files as per the instructions given in the particular tutorial.
- 6. Play-pause-practise the whole tutorial.
- 7. Once the tutorial is complete, choose the next tutorial from the playlist which is located on the right side or below the player.
- 8. Follow all the above instructions, till you complete the tutorial no. 7.

5 Eighth tutorial: Connecting to a MySQL Database

 Locate the topic "Connecting to a MySQL Database" and click on it.

- 2. To view the tutorial, click on the Play icon which is located in the player.
- 3. This tutorial is explained in Linux OS.
- 4. For Windows OS, follow the instructions given below.
- 5. At 2:52, pause the video. You will need to enter the Path to the admin tool.
- 6. For Windows, the path will be where your MySQL files are installed. For example-C:\Program Files(x86)\MySQL Server 5.1\bin\mysqladmin.exe
- 7. Similarly at 3:22, pause the video. You will need to enter the Path to start command. For example-C:\Program Files(x86)\MySQL Server 5.1\bin\mysqld.exe
- 8. Once again at 3:52, pause the video. You will need to enter the Path to stop command. For example-C:\Program Files(x86)\MySQL Server 5.1\bin\mysqladmin.exe
- 9. Play-pause-practise the whole tutorial.
- 10. Once the tutorial is complete, choose the next tutorial from the playlist which is located on the right side or below the player.
- 11. Follow all the above instructions, till you complete all the tutorials in the series.