

Ubuntu Desktop

Talk to a Teacher

<http://spoken-tutorial.org>

National Mission on Education through ICT

<http://sakshat.ac.in>

Script

Anusha Kadambala & Spoken Tutorial Team

Narration

Gaurav Shinde

05 June 2015



Learning Objectives



Learning Objectives

- ▶ **Ubuntu Linux Desktop on gnome**



Learning Objectives

- ▶ **Ubuntu Linux Desktop on gnome**
- ▶ **Some applications in Ubuntu Desktop**



Learning Objectives

- ▶ **Ubuntu Linux Desktop on gnome**
- ▶ **Some applications in Ubuntu Desktop**
- ▶ **Changing the theme of the desktop**



System Requirements

To record this tutorial, I am using



System Requirements

To record this tutorial, I am using

- ▶ **Ubuntu Linux OS version 14.04**



gedit text editor



gedit text editor

- ▶ **The Internet has a lot of information on gedit Text Editor.**



gedit text editor

- ▶ The Internet has a lot of information on gedit Text Editor.
- ▶ There will be spoken tutorials on this topic at <http://spoken-tutorial.org>



Terminal



Terminal

- ▶ **Terminal is called the** command line



Terminal

- ▶ **Terminal is called the command line**
- ▶ **This is because you can command the computer from here**



Terminal

- ▶ **Terminal is called the command line**
- ▶ **This is because you can command the computer from here**
- ▶ **In fact, it is more powerful than the GUI**



Terminal

Terminal commands



Terminal

Terminal commands

- ▶ are explained well in the Linux spoken tutorials series



Terminal

Terminal commands

- ▶ are explained well in the Linux spoken tutorials series
- ▶ on <http://spoken-tutorial.org>



Go directly to the Desktop

In the newer Ubuntu versions,



Go directly to the Desktop

In the newer Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ **press Ctrl, Windows and D keys**



Go directly to the Desktop

In the newer Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ **press Ctrl, Windows and D keys**
- ▶ **to go to the Desktop directly**



Go directly to the Desktop

In the older Ubuntu versions,



Go directly to the Desktop

In the older Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ the required key combination to go to the Desktop used to be either:



Go directly to the Desktop

In the older Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ the required key combination to go to the Desktop used to be either:
 - ▶ 1. Ctrl, Alt, D



Go directly to the Desktop

In the older Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ the required key combination to go to the Desktop used to be either:
 - ▶ 1. Ctrl, Alt, D
 - ▶ 2. Windows key and D



Go directly to the Desktop

In the older Ubuntu versions,

- ▶ the required key combination to go to the Desktop used to be either:
 - ▶ 1. Ctrl, Alt, D
 - ▶ 2. Windows key and D
- ▶ The user must be prepared to handle such variations from version to version



Home folder



Home folder

- ▶ We can say that the Home folder is "our house," where we can store our files and folders



Home folder

- ▶ We can say that the Home folder is "our house," where we can store our files and folders
- ▶ Unless we permit, others cannot see them



Home folder

- ▶ We can say that the Home folder is "our house," where we can store our files and folders
- ▶ Unless we permit, others cannot see them
- ▶ More information on file permissions is available in the Linux spoken tutorials series



Summary I

- ▶ **Ubuntu Desktop**
- ▶ **The launcher and some of the icons visible on it**



Summary II

- ▶ **Few important applications like**
Calculator, Text Editor,
Terminal, Firefox Web Browser,
Movie Player **and** LibreOffice
Suite **components**



Summary III

- ▶ **Home folder**
- ▶ **Changing the theme of your desktop**



About the Spoken Tutorial Project

- ▶ Watch the video available at http://spoken-tutorial.org/What_is_a_Spoken_Tutorial
- ▶ It summarises the Spoken Tutorial project



About the Spoken Tutorial Project

- ▶ Watch the video available at http://spoken-tutorial.org/What_is_a_Spoken_Tutorial
- ▶ It summarises the Spoken Tutorial project
- ▶ If you do not have good bandwidth, you can download and watch it



Spoken Tutorial Workshops

The Spoken Tutorial Project Team

- ▶ Conducts workshops using spoken tutorials
- ▶ Gives certificates to those who pass an online test
- ▶ For more details, please write to contact@spoken-tutorial.org



Acknowledgements

- ▶ Spoken Tutorial Project is a part of the Talk to a Teacher project
- ▶ It is supported by the National Mission on Education through ICT, MHRD, Government of India
- ▶ More information on this Mission is available at:

<http://spoken-tutorial.org/NMEICT-Intro>

