October 2014 Report
e-Speak section

Gujarati
Dependent vowel signs which are not properly rendered by some computer programs, wherever there is an extra vowel sign which is not supposed to be there, user will hear a click sound.
- Halant has been modified. Those programs which cannot render halant sign properly, whenever halant sign will wrongly come, halant name will be announced.
- Whenever visarg comes in focus, visarg name will be announced.
- Temporary nukta which modifies some consonants will be announced 'nukta' instead of its code.
- Whenever chandra bindu comes in focus, chandra bindu name will be announced.
- Whenever anusvara comes in focus, anusvara name will be announced.

Punjabi
Whenever a matra will be read, along with matra name a click sound will also be heard. Dependent vowel signs which are not properly rendered by some computer programs, wherever there is an extra vowel sign which is not supposed to be there, user will hear a click sound. E.g. in the starting of the word, after a vowel or after a vowel sign.

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Bindi which modifies some consonents will be announced 'paer bindi' instead of its code.

Marathi
Support for Marathi language characters have been added in this version.

Hindi
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Malayalam
Some basic rules in Malayalam are modified and are given to the tester. The response is awaited.

Telugu
The team could close Telugu basic support this month.

NVDA Development
Excel charts
The core development team has suggested some changes in the feature of accessibility of excel charts implemented by the Indian team. The team is working on those suggestions to make the feature more acceptable and flexible with stability.
Ticket number: 1987

Phonetics in NVDA
Testing of 5 languages for phonetics was done and a test report was given to the developer. Developer has made changes accordingly.

Compound characters
There was an issue in Hindi where the compound characters were encountered and were not appropriately described in phonetics in NVDA developer has fixed the issue.
Ticket number: 4582

Sentence navigation
A command is made available in NVDA globally to read the text in MSWord by sentence.
Ticket number: 3288

Training section

Gujarati training
A training program was organized with Gujarati TTS for the visually impaired from 1st October to 12th October 2014 at Dhoraji District Rajkot, Gujarat. 25 students attended this training workshop where they could learn to work with their native language.

Punjabi training
Similar training in Punjabi language was also organized in Punjab in the month of October.