## September 2014 Report

# e-Speak section

#### Marathi

The tester in Marathi gave his feedbacks in the form of audio recordings. The technical team has started working on his feedback to prepare a basic framework for Marathi.

## Manipuri

The tester from Imphal, Manipuri gave his feedback for Manipuri in the form of audio recordings of numbers from 1 to 100. The technical team worked on these audio recordings and prepared another audio file to get feedback from the tester.

This audio was given to the tester for his approval. The tester informed that the numbers ending with 5 are not spoken correctly, 5, 15, 25, 35, 45, numbers from 50 to 59, 65, 75, 85 and 95. The number 100 is also not spoken correctly. Now improvements will be done on it and a test build will be prepared for Manipuri.

## Malayalam

Teleconferences were arranged between the tester in Malayalam and the technical team. The tester gave his feedback in the form of some more audio files.

#### Hindi

All the half characters problem was sorted out this month. The problem of akshar  $\overline{\tau}$  was also addressed this month.

## **Telugu**

The issue of visarg was sorted out and given to the tester for his feedback. The Telugu tester has given his feedback in the form of audio format.

### **NVDA** section

## Phonetics in NVDA for Indian languages

Phonetics was not available for Indian languages in NVDA. The feature of phonetics help understand the announcement of characters in case a person is finding it difficult to understand any character while reading. This feature is available for English but was not available for the Indian languages. Till now Malayalam, Gujarati, Bengali and Hindi support is added in NVDA for phonetics in the month of September. The test build was given to the language testers and the work was done on the feedbacks from the testers. The character description was collected from the language testers of Malayalam, Gujrati, Bengali and Hindi. The language testers in Punjabi, Konkani, Marathi, Manipuri, Telugu, Sindhi, Odiya and Assamese have not yet sent the character description. As soon as those character description are available, they will be implemented in NVDA. The ticket number is 4805.

#### **Excel charts**

There were suggestions and problems that were included and sorted out for the Excel charts accessibility this month.