

How to Use Gist OT Typing Tool

Assuming that you have configured your computer for Hindi,
First download Gist-OT-Typing Tool from the portal and unzip the downloaded zip file, in case it is not already installed, e.g. for the 1st time use.

Run setup.exe file.

After successful installation, run this tool by clicking start->all programs-> Gist-OT-TypingTool-> Gist-OT-TypingTool (Sanskrit) and you will see the screen as shown below in Fig 1.



Fig 1

You may choose one of the Keyboard Types: Inscript, Typewriter or Phonetic. **You can also choose one of the Toggle Keys(CapsLock, NumLock or ScrollLock) to toggle between English & Hindi. When toggle key(say caps lock) is “ON”, then the word will be typed in hindi. To type in English again, you to “off” the toggle key(caps lock) by pressing it again.**

Assuming that you choose Inscript & CapsLock from the screen in Fig 1, Clicking Floating Keyboard will show the screen shown below in Fig 2

To type in hindi or while copying a hindi word from some other source, you must ensure toggle key (in this case caps lock) to be “on”. Simply paste it to the desired textfield.



Fig 2

Now if make CapsLock key ON, the Floating Keyboard will display Hindi Inscript Keys as shown in Fig 3. You can click these keys if you wish to type Hindi. If you make CapsLock key OFF, the Floating Keyboard will come back English Mode. Alternatively you may choose NumLock or ScrollLock to toggle between English & Hindi



Fig 3

Assuming that you choose Keyboard Type as TypeWriter & CapsLock as ON from the screen in Fig 1, clicking Floating Keyboard will show the screen shown below in Fig 4.



Fig 4