

NVDA Foreign Language Settings

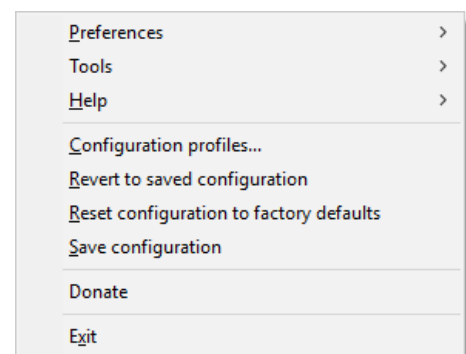
Tested with NVDA version 2020.2

Note: For NVDA to read foreign languages, the document containing the foreign languages (e.g., Word, ePub, HTML) **must include correct language markup** and the computer on which NVDA is installed **must have a speech synthesizer that supports the language**. If these are not present, NVDA will be unable to read the foreign language correctly.

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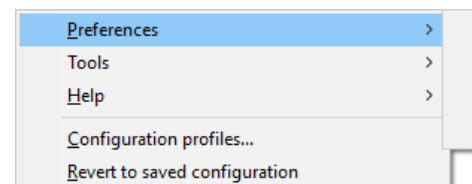
Press **NVDA + N** to open the **NVDA menu**.

Note: The NVDA key may be either **INSERT** or **CAPS LOCK** depending on NVDA settings.



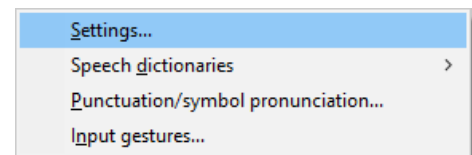
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Select **Preferences**.



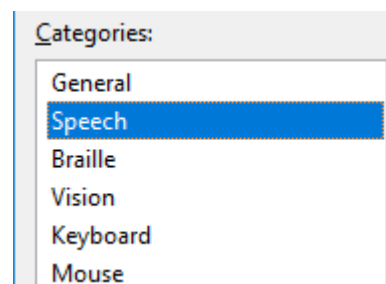
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Select **Settings...** in the submenu.



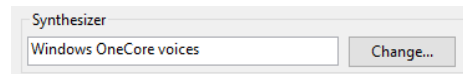
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In the Settings dialog, select **Speech** from the **Categories** list.



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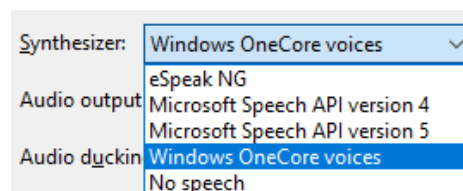
Under **Synthesizers**, ensure that a synthesizer that supports multiple languages (such as Microsoft OneCore) is selected. If the synthesizer needs to be changed, select the **Change button**.



If the synthesizer selected supports the language of interest, skip to **Step 8**.

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In the Select Synthesizer dialog box, select the desired synthesizer from the **Synthesizers combo box**.



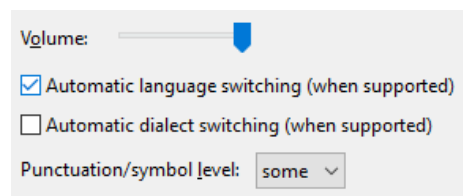
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Select the **OK button** to close the dialog box.



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Make sure that the **Automatic language switching (when supported)** checkbox is checked.



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Select the **OK button** to close the Settings dialog box.

