

Translating Open Source

Apps

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Agenda

- 110n vs i18n
- Online vs Offline Translations
- Problems on Translations
- Tips





110n vs i18n

l10n



Localization

 Localization refers to the <u>adaptation</u> of a product, application or document content to meet the language, cultural and other requirements of a specific target market (a locale). (source: w3.org)

i18n



- Internationalization
 - Internationalization is the design and development of a product, application or document content that enables easy localization for target audiences that vary in culture, region, or language. (source: w3.org)

Online VS Offline **Translations**



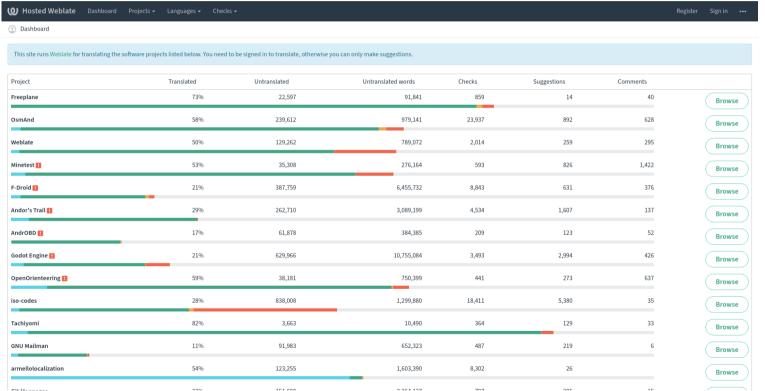
Online Translations

openSUSE.

- Using web, e.g.
 - Weblate
 - Weblate: https://hosted.weblate.org
 - openSUSE: https://l10n.opensuse.org
 - LibreOffice: https://translations.documentfoundation.org
 - Elementary: https://l10n.elementary.io

Weblate



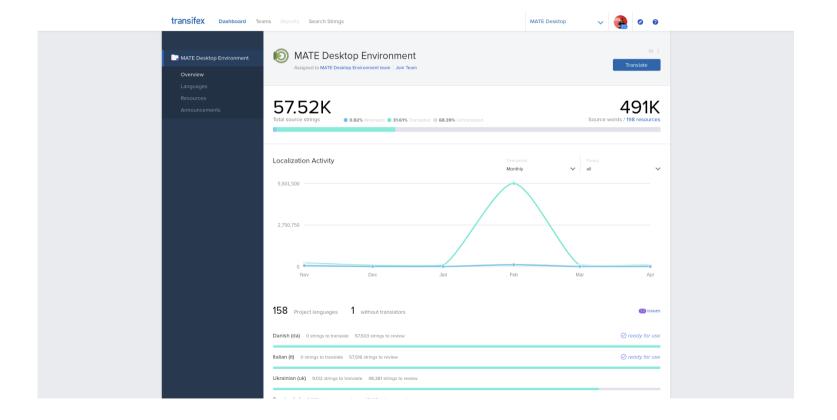


Online Translations (2)

openSUSE.

- Using web, e.g.
 - Transifex
 - MATE: https://www.transifex.com/mate
 - Xfce: https://www.transifex.com/xfce
 - Endless OS: https://www.transifex.com/endless-os

Transifex





Online Translations (3)

openSUSE.

- Using web, e.g.
 - Pootle
 - Gajim: https://translate.gajim.org/
 - Zanata
 - Openstack: https://translate.openstack.org
 - Fedora: https://fedora.zanata.org

Pootle





Zanata







Welcome here for translating OpenStack projects and documentation into various languages.

Translation plan & priority

Please refer to the below links for up-to-date release schedule with string-freeze periods

OpenStack Release Schedule - Ussuri cycle

Train Dashboard translation

Documentation translation Dashboard

I18n contributor guide translation

OpenStack user survey translation

Please note most project switched to stable branch during hot release weeks.

Local language team information

Please visit https://wiki.openstack.org/wiki/l18nTeam/team page for the list of local language teams.

How to join

Before you start the translation here, you may want to read OpenStack I18n Guide.

Contact us

- Mailing list: openstack-i18n@lists.openstack.org
- IRC channel: #openstack-i18n

Translation sources

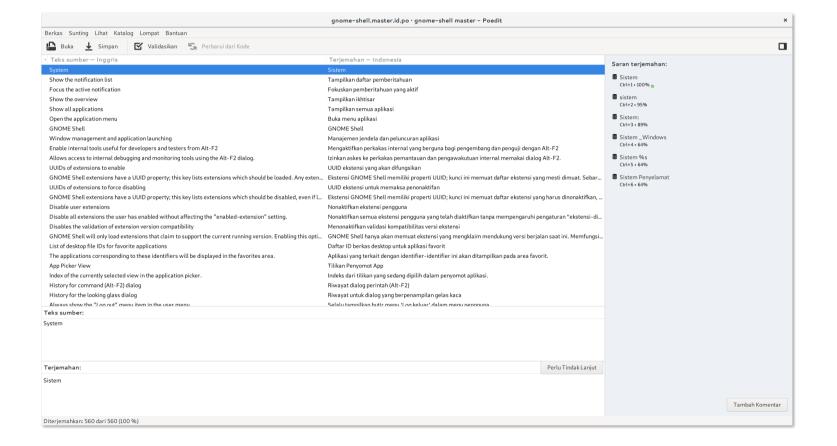
If you want to check location of strings, you can download always current translation source files.

Offline Translations

openSUSE.

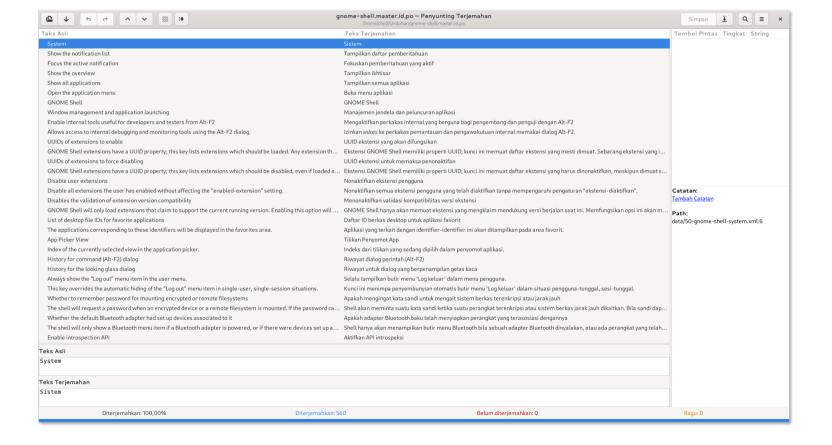
- Using desktop apps, e.g.
 - Poedit
 - Gtranslator (GNOME)
 - Lokalize (KDE)

Poedit



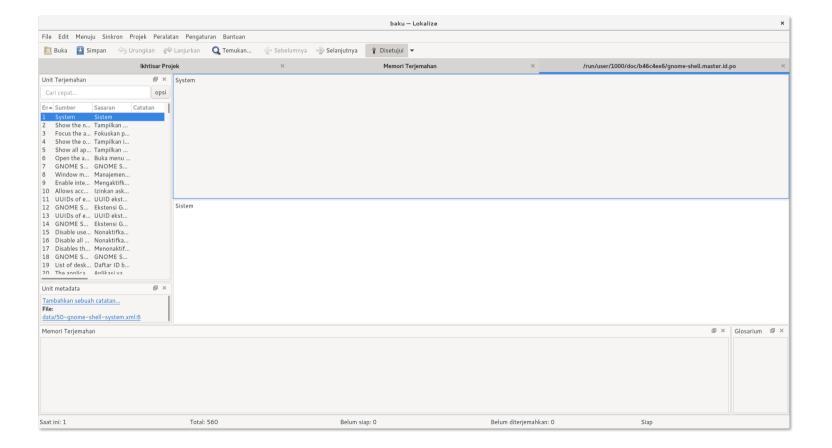


Gtranslator





Lokalize





Offline Translations (2)

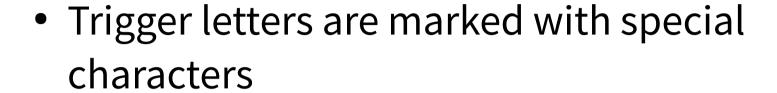
- Download po files, translate locally, then upload it.
 - GNOME Damned Lies: https://l10n.gnome.org
 - KDE SVN: https://l10n.kde.org





Problems on Translations

Shortcut & Access Keys



```
    & (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ampersand)
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_ (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Underscore)
```

– ...



Shortcut & Access Keys (2)



Teks sumber:

&Select

Terjemahan:

&Pilih

```
274
275 #: src/lib/fonts/fonts-dialog.rb:647
276 msgid "&Select"
277 msgstr "&Pilih"
278
```

Shortcut & Access Keys (3)



Teks sumber:

_Close

Terjemahan:

_Tutup

```
1335
1336 #: src/wmapp.cc:627 src/wmwinlist.cc:384 src/wmwinlist.cc:392
1337 msgid "_Close"
1338 msgstr "_Tutup"
```

Shortcut & Access Keys (4)

- It should be noted that the uniqueness of the trigger letters at each level is parallel, not the position of the trigger letters on the translated string
- As much as possible keep the triggers in the original language



Shortcut & Access Keys (5)



Teks sumber:

_Keyboard Shortcuts

Terjemahan:

Pintasan Papan Ti_k

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193
194 #: src/menus.ui:29
195 msgid (_Keyboard Shortcuts"
196 msgstr "Pintasan Papan T-_k')
197
```

Variable Placeholder

 The translation line may contain dynamic variables, which will be processed when the program is run



Variable Placeholder (2)



Teks sumber:

On \${AbbrevWeekdayName}, \${Year}-\${Month}-\${Day} at \${24Hour}:\${Minute} \${TimeZone}, \${Sender} wrote:

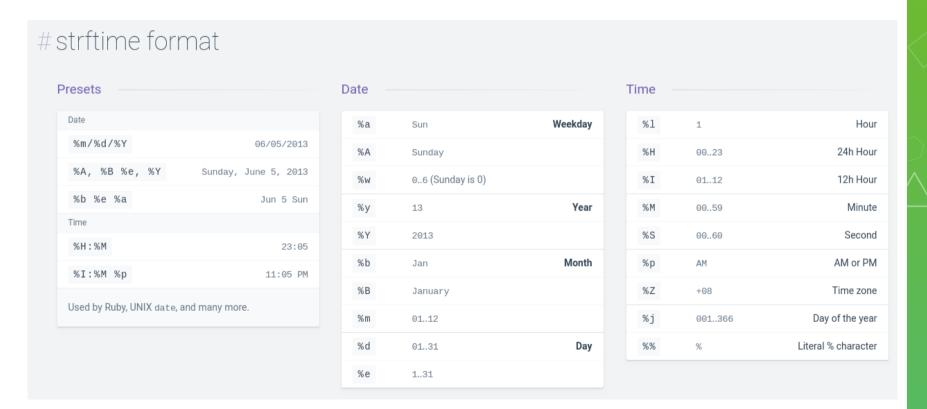
Terjemahan:

Pada hari \${WeekdayName}, tanggal \${Day}/\${Month}/\${Year}, pukul \${24Hour}:\${Minute} \${TimeZone}, \${Sender} menulis:

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18497
18498 #. Note to translators: this is the attribution string used
18499 #. * when quoting messages. Each ${Variable} gets replaced
18500 #. * with a value. To see a full list of available variables,
18501 #. * see mail/em-composer-utils.c:attribvars array.
18502 #: ../src/mail/em-composer-utils.c:2027
18503 msgid ""
18504 "On ${AbbrevWeekdayName}, ${Year}-${Month}-${Day} at ${24Hour}:${Minute} "
18505 "${TimeZone}, ${Sender} wrote:"
18506 msgstr ""
18507 "Pada hari ${WeekdayName}, tanggal ${Day}/${Month}/${Year}, pukul ${24Hour}:"
18508 "${Minute} ${TimeZone}, ${Sender} menulis:"
```

Date and Time Format

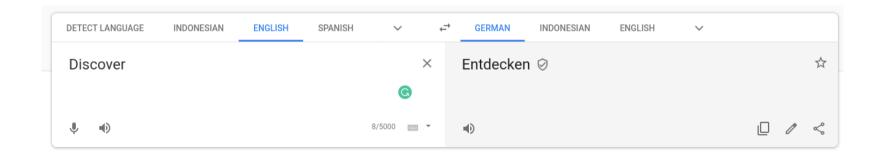




https://devhints.io/datetime

Context

• Example: "Discover"





Context (2)

openSUSE.

Teks sumber: Name(org.kde.discover-flatpak.desktop)

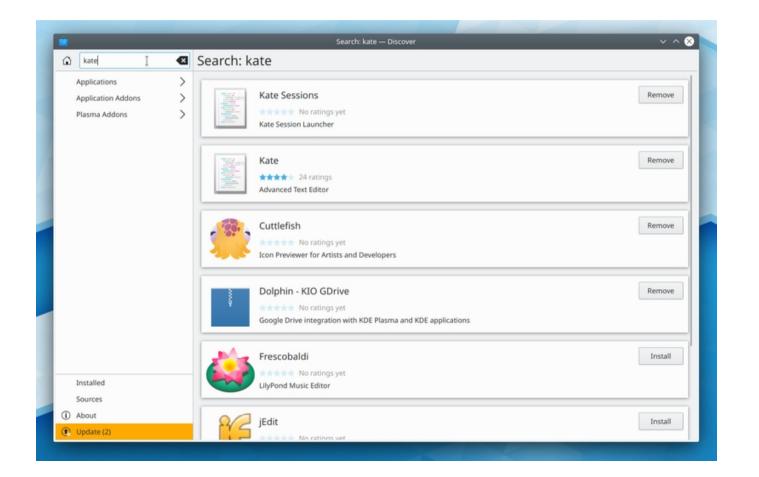
Discover

Terjemahan:

Discover

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4771
4772 #: /usr/share/applications/org.kde.discover.desktop:2
4773 msgctxt "Name(org.kde.discover.desktop)"
4774 msgid "Discover"
4775 msgstr "Discover"
4776
```

Context (3)







Tips

Tips

- Use Translation Memory
 - Can be initialized from another translation
 - Need to pay attention to the license

