

Overall I think Jim Schools did an excellent job on his tutorial, although I do wish that it had been updated for ActionScript 3.0. The visual framework was basic, well organized, had good right to left alignment and diagonal balance, and remained the same throughout. The navigation bar location also remained consistent throughout the presentation which does well to support spatial memory. The navigation buttons were simplistic, it was easy to discern their purpose and the rollovers did a good job of providing responsive disclosure. One drawback is that there was no keyboard support, which, granted, takes a lot of extra coding. The content was well organized into chunked sections and the step-by-step instructions were well thought out, concise and not overly verbose. The graphic images added to the user's understanding of the material and did not detract from the information being provided.