



Quick-start Guide for the Tom.bio ID Visualisation Framework

1. **Download the latest version of the framework** from <https://github.com/burkmarr/tombiovis/releases> - download the latest '**Source code (zip)**'.
2. **Unzip the framework** zip file to a convenient location on your computer.
3. **Install Google Chrome** if you don't have it.
4. **Install the 'Web Server' add-in** for Google Chrome.
5. **Start the Google Chrome Web Server add-in** and choose the folder containing the framework (e.g. tombiovis-1.2.3).
6. **Start the visualisation** by entering the following URL into your web browser:
<http://127.0.0.1:8887/vis.html>

Steps one to four install the framework on your computer and give you the ability to run web pages locally on Google Chrome. These are one-off steps.

Step five starts a local web server on your computer with the root directory set to your tombiovis folder.

When you run step 6 the framework visualisations start using a sample knowledge-base supplied with the framework (the biscuits knowledge-base). This can be found in the tombiovis/kb/biscuits folder. This knowledge-base drives the visualisations. Authoring a knowledge-base involves making a copy of the spreadsheet in this folder and then modifying it.

For more comprehensive information on the installation steps outlined above, and further information about starting to build your own knowledge-base, see the document '**Getting started**'. For comprehensive information on creating knowledge-bases, see the document '**Building a knowledge-base**'.