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Welcome!

In this first tutorial you'll experience some of the basics of building a web UI with the *Model-View-ViewModel* (MVVM) pattern using knockout.js.

You'll learn how to define a UI's appearance using **views** and **declarative bindings**, its data and behavior using **viewmodels** and **observables**, and how everything stays in sync automatically thanks to

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First name: **todo**
Last name: **todo**

<!-- This is a *view* - HTML markup that defines the **View (HTML)**

<p>First name: todo</p>
<p>Last name: todo</p>

// This is a simple *viewmodel* - JavaScript that defines the **View Model (JavaScript)**

function AppViewModel() {
 this.firstName = "Bert";
 this.lastName = "Bertington";
}

// Activates knockout.js
ko.applyBindings(new AppViewModel());