

# Design Document

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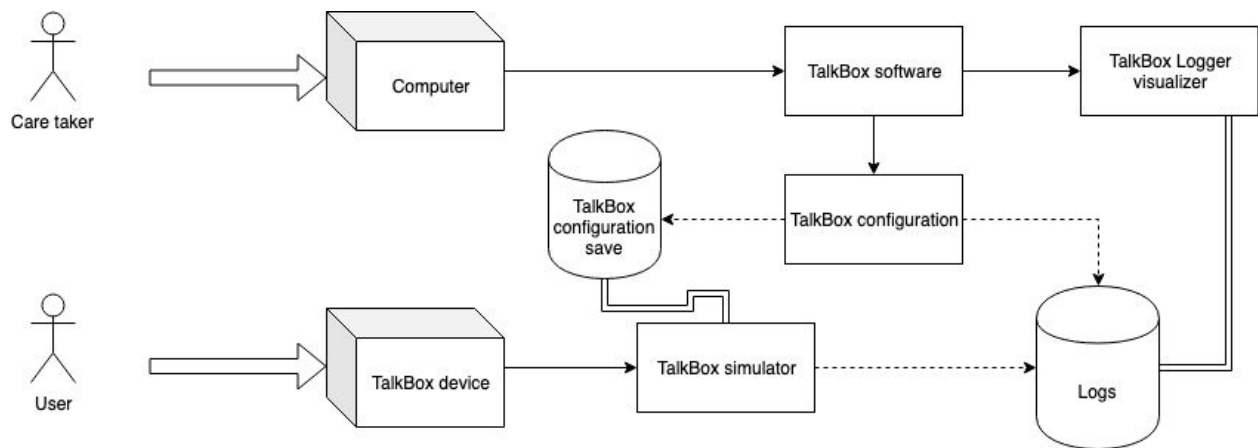
# Purpose

The purpose of this document is to outline the design of the TalkBox software. This document will summarize how users interact with the software and how the software works. It is assumed that an experienced developer will be able to read this document and understand the context of the design and how the whole system comes together. In this document, there will be three main diagrams, system diagram, sequence diagram, and class diagram.

# System diagram

The System diagram gives a basic overview of how the larger scale components such as the simulator and configuration act.

In the diagram, the cubes represent physical devices, and the caretaker accesses the TalkBox software via their computer. The square boxes represent the parts of the TalkBox software, such as the TalkBox configuration that the caretaker will use. The cylinders are files and the pipelines represent a pipelining file to software. Lastly, the dash lines represent the storing of information.

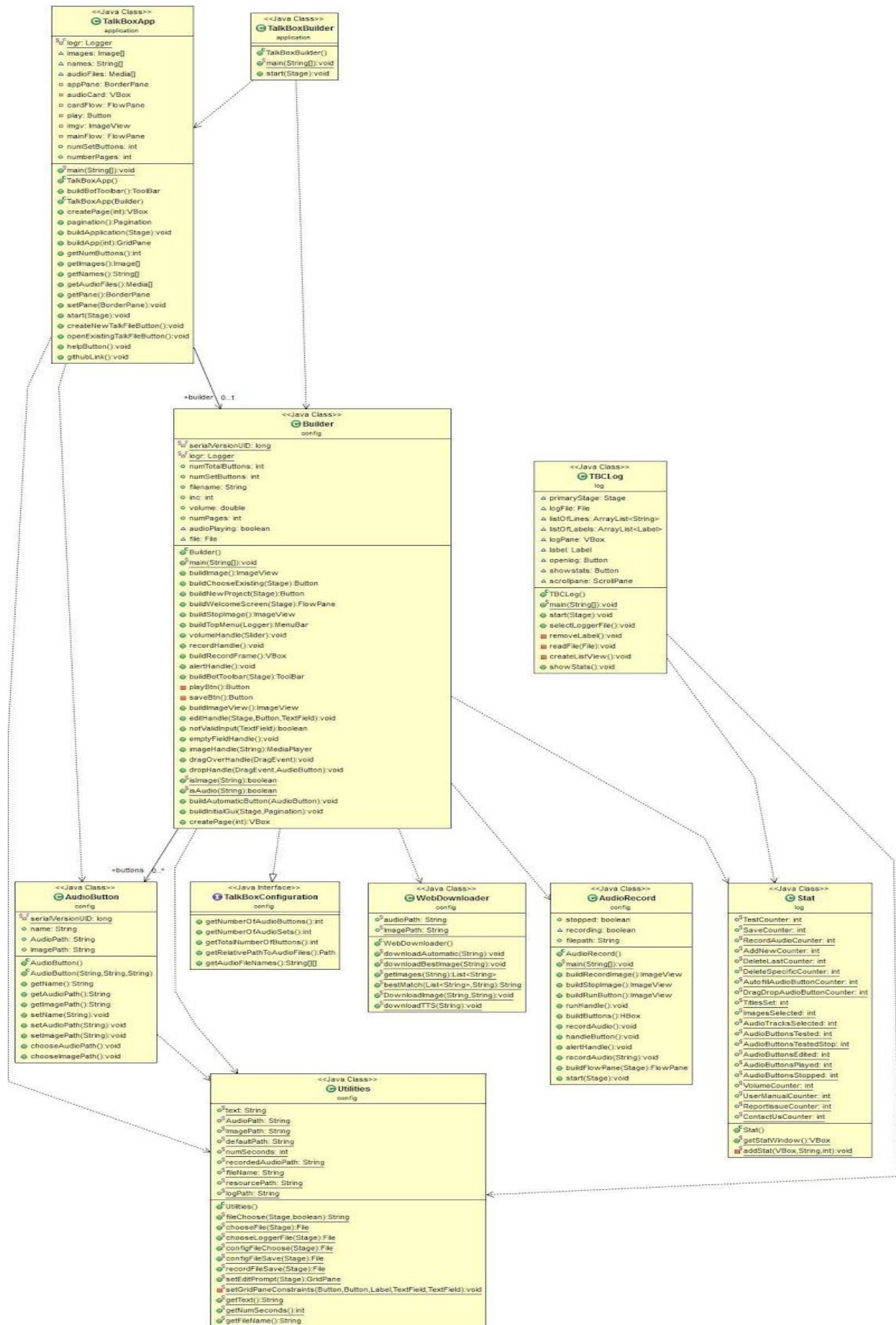


# Class diagram

The class diagram highlights methods that are contained within each class and shows the deeper connections between the classes that make up the TalkBox applications software. It is to give a general overview of the codebase itself and also the relationships that exist between each of the objects.

The three main classes that cover the majority of the software requirements are the TalkBoxApp, the Builder and the TalkBoxLogger classes. The remaining classes are there to take some weight off the shoulders of these three main classes and obey the design principles and allow maintainability and scalability of the software. The classes were also divided to ensure that unit testing could be carried on each of those helper classes to prove the correctness of the main classes mentioned above.

A higher quality picture could be found at <<https://i.imgur.com/vw6TS7L.jpg>>.



# Sequence diagram

The sequence diagram highlights the common use cases and how objects that make up the TalkBox software interact with each other during run-time. The previous class diagram gave a more general view of the application but the following diagram gives a verbose illustration of how the application works under the hood.

Furthermore, it also captures how the life span of an object starts and how it interacts with the other objects depending on the conditional cases the user goes through, based on inputs. This specific sequence highlights the actions the user would take that would help him set up the talkbox application and save a file to be used later in the simulator or in the logger.

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