

# Speech Cooking Assistant



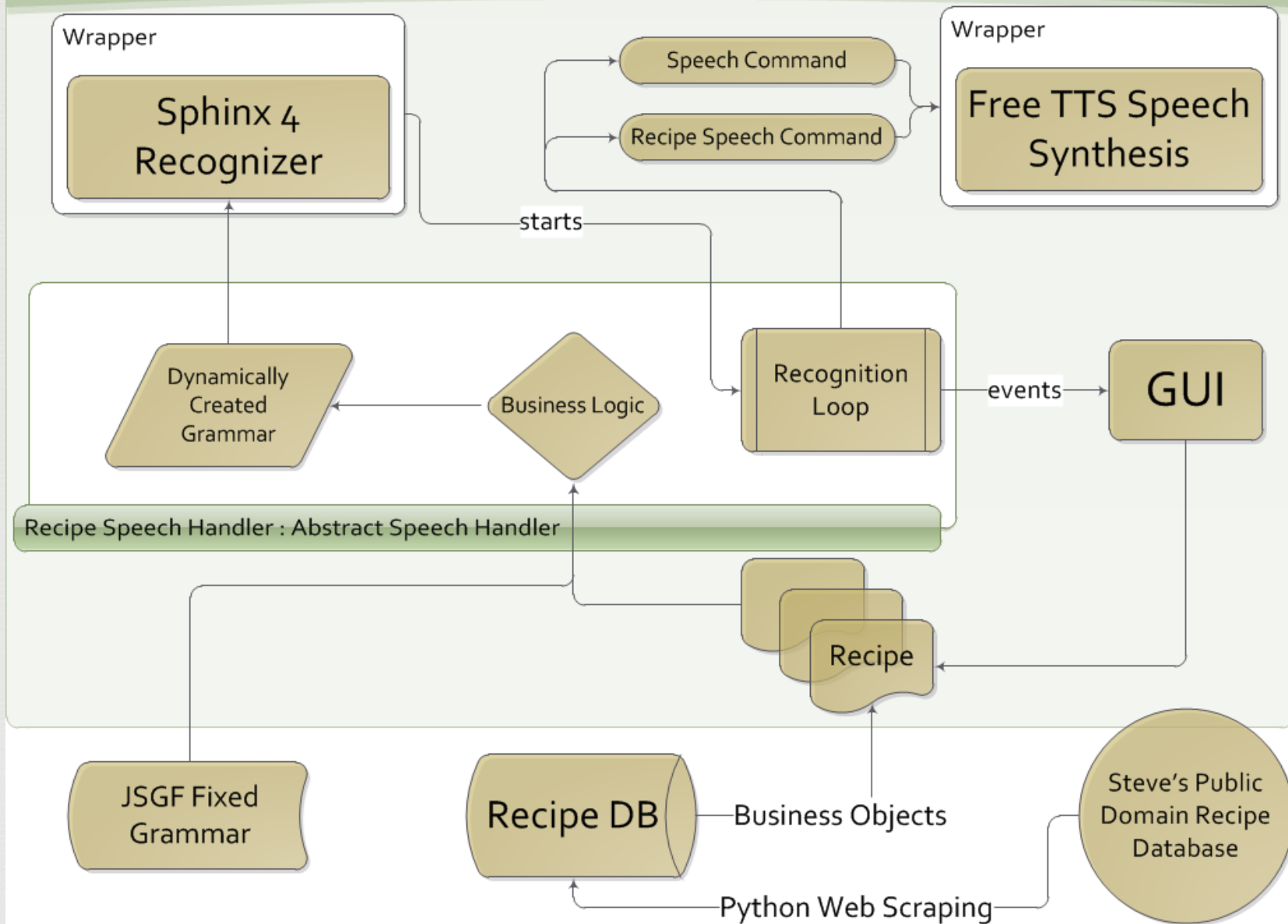
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# Why Sphinx?



- ❧ Easy to use framework for Java Apps
- ❧ Built in continuous recognition
- ❧ Runs locally
  - ❧ I don't have to deal with client-server architecture
  - ❧ No internet connection necessary
- ❧ Easily revise the grammar dynamically during runtime.
  - ❧ Only recognize ingredients that are in the current recipe.

# Application





# Challenges



- ❧ Scraping
- ❧ Minor details: Conversion  $.3333 \rightarrow 1/3 \rightarrow$  "one third"
- ❧ Easily pluggable components
- ❧ GUI  $\leftrightarrow$  VUI interaction
- ❧ Multithreading
- ❧ Working with Sphinx (Especially when considering Multithreading)
- ❧ Database schema design

# TODOs



- ❧ Speech interaction when selecting recipes
- ❧ Better recipe scraping (never ends)
- ❧ Better TTS (AT&T Mashups?)
- ❧ Better Grammar
- ❧ Unit conversions
- ❧ Adding new recipes
- ❧ Better Speech Recognition (???)
- ❧ Fixing that annoying threading issue!
- ❧ Nicer installer
- ❧ Social Features
- ❧ Recipe Favorites/User learning and adaptation
- ❧ Serving slider
- ❧ Cost estimator