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# Mycroft Simple Documentation

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*Mycroft, made simple*

This repository contains experimental code restructuring with things like Padatious integration.



# CHAPTER 1

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## Subpackages

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### mycroft.clients package

#### mycroft.clients.mycroft\_client module

```
class mycroft.clients.mycroft_client.MycroftClient (query_manager)
Bases: object
```

Provides common behavior like sending and receiving queries Examples clients include the voice client and text client

**on\_response** (format\_manager)

Called after send\_query. Use format\_manager to get outputted response

**quit** ()

Should send a signal to stop the main thread of the client

**run** ()

Executes the main thread for the client

**send\_query** (query)

Ask a question and trigger on\_response when an answer is found

#### mycroft.clients.text\_client module

```
class mycroft.clients.text_client.TextClient (*args, **kwargs)
Bases: mycroft.clients.mycroft_client.MycroftClient
```

Interact with Mycroft via a terminal

**on\_response** (format\_manager)

**quit** ()

**run** ()

## mycroft.engines package

### mycroft.engines.intent\_engine module

```
class mycroft.engines.intent_engine.IntentEngine (path_manager)
Bases: object

Interface for intent engines

calc_intents (query)
    Run the intent engine to determine the probability of each intent against the query :param query: input sentence as a single string :return: dict of intent: intent_data where
        Example return data: { 'name': 'TimeSkill:time.ask', 'confidence': '0.65', 'matches': { 'location': 'new york' } }

on_intents_loaded ()
    Override to run code when all intents have been registered

try_register_intent (*args, **kwargs)
    Attempt to register intent with given arguments :rtype str :returns intent name if parsed parameters, otherwise ""

mycroft.engines.intent_engine.extract_intent_name (namespaced_name)
    Ex. TimeSkill:time.ask -> time.ask

mycroft.engines.intent_engine.extract_skill_name (namespaced_name)
    Ex. TimeSkill:time.ask -> TimeSkill

mycroft.engines.intent_engine.make_namespaced (intent_name, skill_name)
    Mangle the intent name so that it doesn't conflict and to save the skill name in the same string
```

### mycroft.engines.padatious\_engine module

```
class mycroft.engines.padatious_engine.PadatiousEngine (path_manager)
Bases: mycroft.engines.intent_engine.IntentEngine

Interface for Padatious intent engine

GIT_BRANCH = 'feature/mycroft-simple'
GIT_URL = 'https://github.com/MatthewScholefield/padatious-mycroft.git'
HOST = '127.0.0.1'
PORT = 8014

calc_intents (query)
on_intents_loaded ()
try_register_intent (skill_name, intent_name)
```

## mycroft.formats package

### mycroft.formats.dialog\_format module

**class** mycroft.formats.dialog\_format.**DialogFormat** (*path\_manager*)

Bases: mycroft.formats.mycroft\_format.MycroftFormat

Format data into sentences

**generate** (*name, results*)

### mycroft.formats.mycroft\_format module

**class** mycroft.formats.mycroft\_format.**MycroftFormat** (*path\_manager*)

Bases: object

Base class to provide an interface for different types of “formats”

Formats are modes to display key-value data. For instance, the DialogFormat puts data into sentences The EnclosureFormat could put data into visual faceplate animations

**generate** (*name, results*)

Internally format the data from the results Depending on the format, this can be accessed different ways

#### Parameters

- **name** – namespaced intent name
- **results** – dict containing all data from the skill

**Returns** nothing

## mycroft.managers package

### mycroft.managers.client\_manager module

**class** mycroft.managers.client\_manager.**ClientManager** (*client\_classes, \*args, \*\*kwargs*)

Bases: object

Holds all clients to start and stop them

**quit** ()

Sends a signal to all clients to quit. Does not wait for clients to exit (non blocking)

**start** ()

Starts all clients in different threads (non blocking)

### mycroft.managers.format\_manager module

**class** mycroft.managers.format\_manager.**FormatManager** (*path\_manager*)

Bases: object

Holds all formats and provides an interface to access them

**as\_dialog**

Get data as a sentence

**generate** (*name, results*)

### mycroft.managers.intent\_manager module

**class** mycroft.managers.intent\_manager.**IntentManager** (*path\_manager*)

Bases: object

Used to handle creating both intents and intent engines

**calc\_results** (*query*)

Find the best intent and run the handler to find the results

**Parameters** **query** – input sentence

**Returns** name, results

**Rtype** **name** string (namespaced intent)

**Rtype** **results** dict

**on\_intents\_loaded**()

**register\_fallback** (*handler*)

Register a function to be called as a general knowledge fallback

**Parameters** **handler** – function that receives query and returns a dict of results, one of which is ‘confidence’ note: register\_fallback in the MycroftSkill base class automatically manages results

**register\_intent** (*skill\_name, intent, handler*)

Register an intent via the corresponding intent engine It tries passing the arguments to each engine until one can interpret it correctly

**Parameters**

- **skill\_name** –
- **intent** – argument used to build intent; can be anything
- **handler** – function that receives intent\_data and returns a dict of results note: register\_intent in the MycroftSkill base class automatically manages results

**Returns** nothing

### mycroft.managers.path\_manager module

**class** mycroft.managers.path\_manager.**PathManager** (*base\_path*)

Bases: object

Retrieves directories and files used by Mycroft

**dialog\_dir** (*skill\_name*)

**intent\_dir** (*skill\_name*)

**mod\_path**

**padatious\_exe**

The locally compiled Padatious executable

**skill\_dir** (*skill\_name*)

**skills\_dir**

`vocab_dir` (*skill\_name*)

## mycroft.managers.query\_manager module

`class mycroft.managers.query_manager.QueryManager (intent_manager, format_manager)`  
Bases: object

Launches queries in separate threads

`on_response` (*callback*)

Assign a callback to be run whenever a new response comes in

`send_query` (*query*)

Starts calculating a query in a new thread

## mycroft.managers.skill\_manager module

`class mycroft.managers.skill_manager.SkillManager (intent_manager, path_manager)`  
Bases: object

Dynamically loads skills

`load_skills` ()

Looks in the skill folder and loads the CamelCase equivalent class of the snake case folder. This class should be inside the skill.py file. Example:

`skills/`

`time_skill/ skill.py - class TimeSkill(MycroftSkill):`

`weather_skill/ skill.py - class WeatherSkill(MycroftSkill):`

# mycroft.skills package

## Subpackages

### mycroft.skills.duck\_duck\_go\_skill package

#### mycroft.skills.duck\_duck\_go\_skill.skill module

`class mycroft.skills.duck_duck_go_skill.skill.DuckDuckGoSkill (*args, **kwargs)`  
Bases: `mycroft.skills.mycroft_skill.MycroftSkill`

Fallback skill that queries DuckDuckGo's instant answer API

`fallback` (*query*)

`fallback_no_question` (*query*)

### mycroft.skills.quit\_skill package

## mycroft.skills.quit\_skill.skill module

```
class mycroft.skills.quit_skill.skill.QuietSkill(*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: mycroft.skills.mycroft_skill.MycroftSkill
```

## mycroft.skills.time\_skill package

### mycroft.skills.time\_skill.skill module

```
class mycroft.skills.time_skill.skill.TimeSkill(*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: mycroft.skills.mycroft_skill.MycroftSkill

    date(intent_data)
    time(intent_data)
```

## mycroft.skills.unknown\_skill package

### mycroft.skills.unknown\_skill.skill module

```
class mycroft.skills.unknown_skill.skill.UnknownSkill(*args, **kwargs)
    Bases: mycroft.skills.mycroft_skill.MycroftSkill

    calc_results(intent_data)
```

## mycroft.skills.mycroft\_skill module

```
class mycroft.skills.mycroft_skill.MycroftSkill(intent_manager)
    Bases: object
```

Base class for all Mycroft skills

```
add_result(key, value)
```

Adds a result from the skill. For example:

```
self.add_result('time', '11:45 PM') Except, of course, '11:45 PM' would be something generated
from an API
```

Results can be both general and granular. Another example: self.add\_result('time\_seconds', 23)

```
create_handler(handler, skill_name=None)
```

Wrap the skill handler to return added results

```
register_fallback(handler)
```

Same as register\_intent except the handler only receives a query and is only activated when all other Mycroft intents fail

```
register_intent(name, handler)
```

Set a function to be called when the intent called 'name' is activated In this handler the skill should receive a dict called intent\_data and call self.add\_result() to add output data. Nothing should be returned from the handler

## CHAPTER 2

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### mycroft.mycroft\_thread module

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```
mycroft.mycroft_thread.quit()  
mycroft.mycroft_thread.set_quit_action(callback)
```



# CHAPTER 3

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## mycroft.util module

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mycroft.util.**split\_sentences** (*text*)

Turns a string of multiple sentences into a list of separate ones As a side effect, .?!. at the end of a sentence are removed

mycroft.util.**to\_camel** (*snake*)

time\_skill -> TimeSkill

mycroft.util.**to\_snake** (*camel*)

TimeSkill -> time\_skill



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