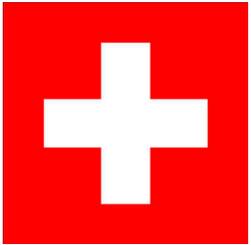


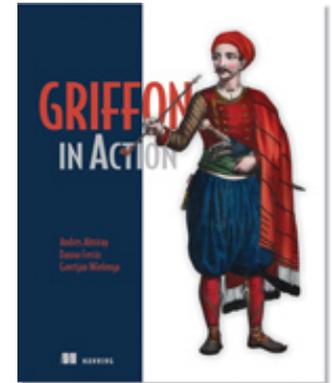


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First release September 2008

Inspired by Grails  
Convention over Configuration  
Swing  
Command line tool  
Testing



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You need more of it.



2.0.0



**LATEST  
RELEASE IS  
2.8.0**

# **NEW IN 2.X**

**Full rewrite targeting Java 7**

**Core packages written in Java**

**Additional Java 8 module**

**Groovy support available as additional module**

**JSR-330 support (@Inject, Provider<T>)**

**JSR-250 support (@PostConstruct, @PreDestroy)**

**JSR-305 support (@Nonnull, @Nullable)**

**Compile time metadata generation via APT (like Lombok ;-)**

**Supported UI toolkits: Swing, JavaFX, Pivot and Lanterna**

# CORE FEATURES

**application life cycle**

**localized resources (and injection)**

**configuration**

**MVC artifacts**

**loosely coupled actions**

**dependency injection**

**event system**

**centralized error management**

**extension points via plugins**



**SPK MAN!**



<http://github.com/pledbrook/lazybones>



<http://gradle.org>



<http://spockframework.org>



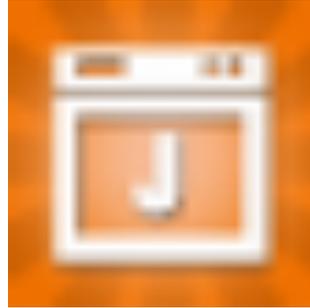
<http://groovyfx.org>

**jIPSY**

**gIPSY**

<http://github.com/aalmiray/jipsy>

<http://github.com/aalmiray/gipsy>



<http://jbake.org>

**The “Jekyll“ for the JVM**

**Supports GSP templates**



Griffon is desktop application development platform for the JVM. Inspired by Grails, Griffon leverages the use of the Groovy language and concepts like Convention over Configuration. The Swing toolkit is the default UI toolkit of choice however others may be used, for example JavaFX.

Griffon encourages the use of the MVC pattern. Griffon also follows in the spirit of the Swing Application Framework (JSR 296), it defines a simple yet powerful application life cycle and event publishing mechanism. Another interesting feature comes from the Groovy language itself: automatic property support and property binding (inspired by BeansBinding (JSR 295)), which makes creating observable beans and binding to their properties a snap! As if property binding was not enough Groovy's SwingBuilder also simplifies building multi-threaded applications, say goodbye to the ugly gray rectangle (the bane of Swing apps)!

Grails developers should feel right at home when trying out Griffon. Many of Grails' conventions and commands are shared with Griffon. Granted, Swing is not the same as HTML/GSP but Builders simplify the task of creating the UI.

Seasoned Java developers will also be able to pick up the pace quickly, as the framework relieves you of the burden of maintaining an application structure, allowing you to concentrate on getting the code right.

## Quick Start

The recommended way to get started with a Griffon project is to use a Lazybones project template and Gradle. You can install these tools with SDKMAN.

```
$ curl -s http://get.sdkman.io | bash
$ sdk install lazybones
$ sdk install gradle
```

Next register the griffon-lazybones-templates repository with Lazybones' config file. Edit \$USER\_HOME/.lazybones/config.groovy

```
bintrayRepositories = [
  "griffon/griffon-lazybones-templates",
  "pledbrook/lazybones-templates"
]
```

### Tweets by @theaviary

**Griffon Framework** @theaviary  
Version 1.3.1 of griffon-glazedlists-plugin has been released! Grab it now from #bintray [bintray.com/griffon/griffo...!](http://bintray.com/griffon/griffo...!)

**Griffon Framework** @theaviary  
new versions of #griffon templates available [bintray.com/griffon/griffo...](http://bintray.com/griffon/griffo...) fixes [github.com/griffon/griffo...](http://github.com/griffon/griffo...)

**Can't run recently created proj...**  
Project templates define a dependency to shadow:1.2.2 which [github.com](http://github.com)

Griffon Framework Retweeted

**Andres Almiray** @aalmiray  
#griffon 2.X downloads since the early betas. Steady does it. We release every 3 months



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# Basilisk

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[Basilisk](#) is desktop/mobile application development platform for the JVM. Inspired by [Griffon](#), Basilisk leverages JavaFX and JavafxPorts to bring the same codebase to desktop and mobile platforms alike.

Griffon developers should feel right at home when trying out Basilisk. Many of Griffon's features and commands are shared with Basilisk.

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## Quickstart

The recommended way to get started with a Basilisk project is to use a Lazybones project template and Gradle. You can install these tools with SDKMAN.

```
$ curl -s http://get.sdkman.io | bash
$ sdk install lazybones
$ sdk install gradle
```

Next register the basilisk-lazybones-templates repository with Lazybones' config file. Edit `USER_HOME/.lazybones/config.groovy`

```
bintrayRepositories = [
    "basilisk/basilisk-lazybones-templates",
    "pledbrook/lazybones-templates"
]
```

List all available templates by invoking the following command

```
$ lazybones list
```

# **CORE FEATURES (JSR-377)**

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# **COMING IN THE FUTURE**

**Implement JSR-377 APIs**

**Create an RCP solution based on plugins**

**Splash screen, Docking System, Preferences,**

**Task execution, Update center, and more**

**Support Java 9**





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