

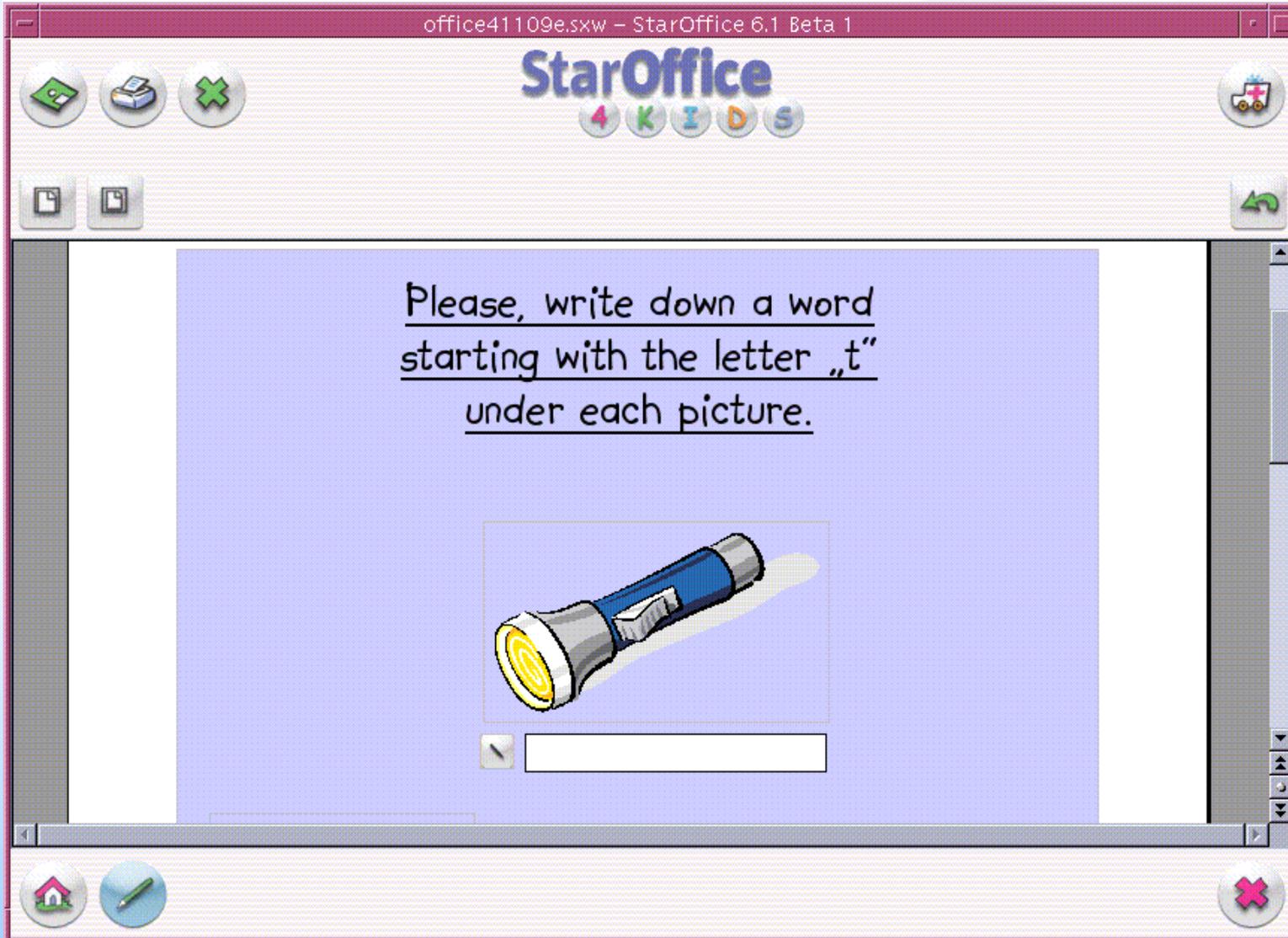
StarOffice 4 Kids – Using OpenOffice.org as an application service in Java

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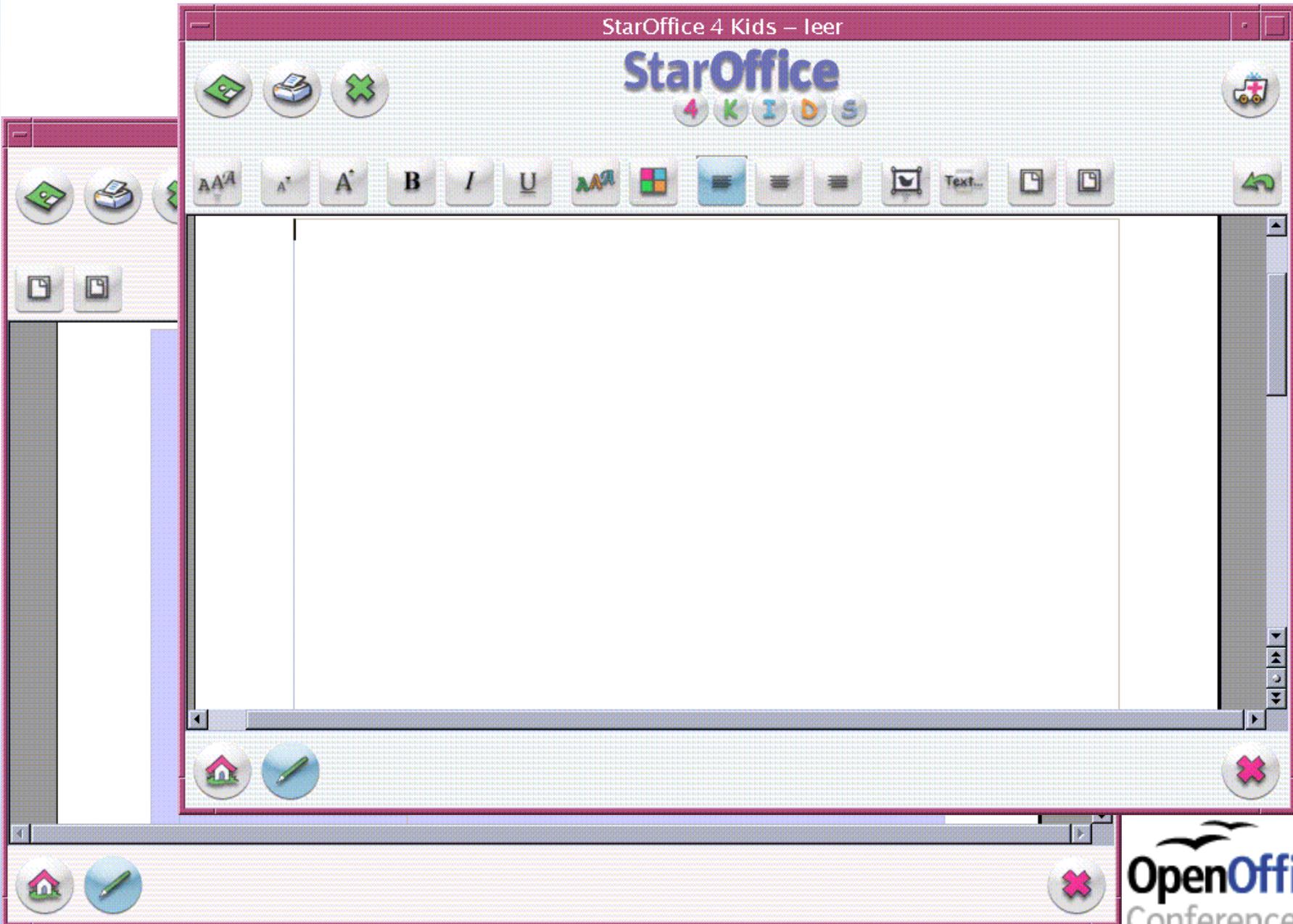
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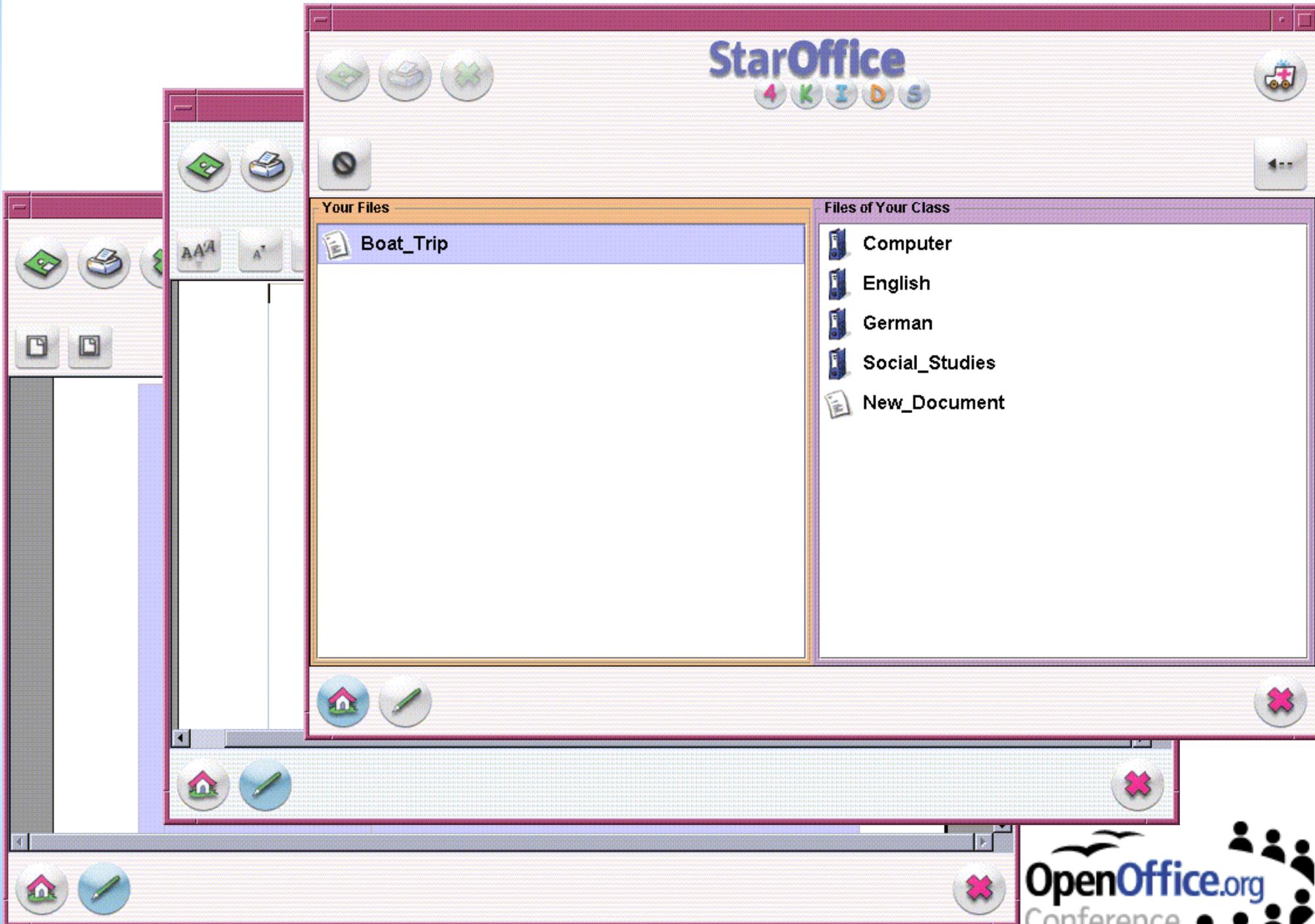
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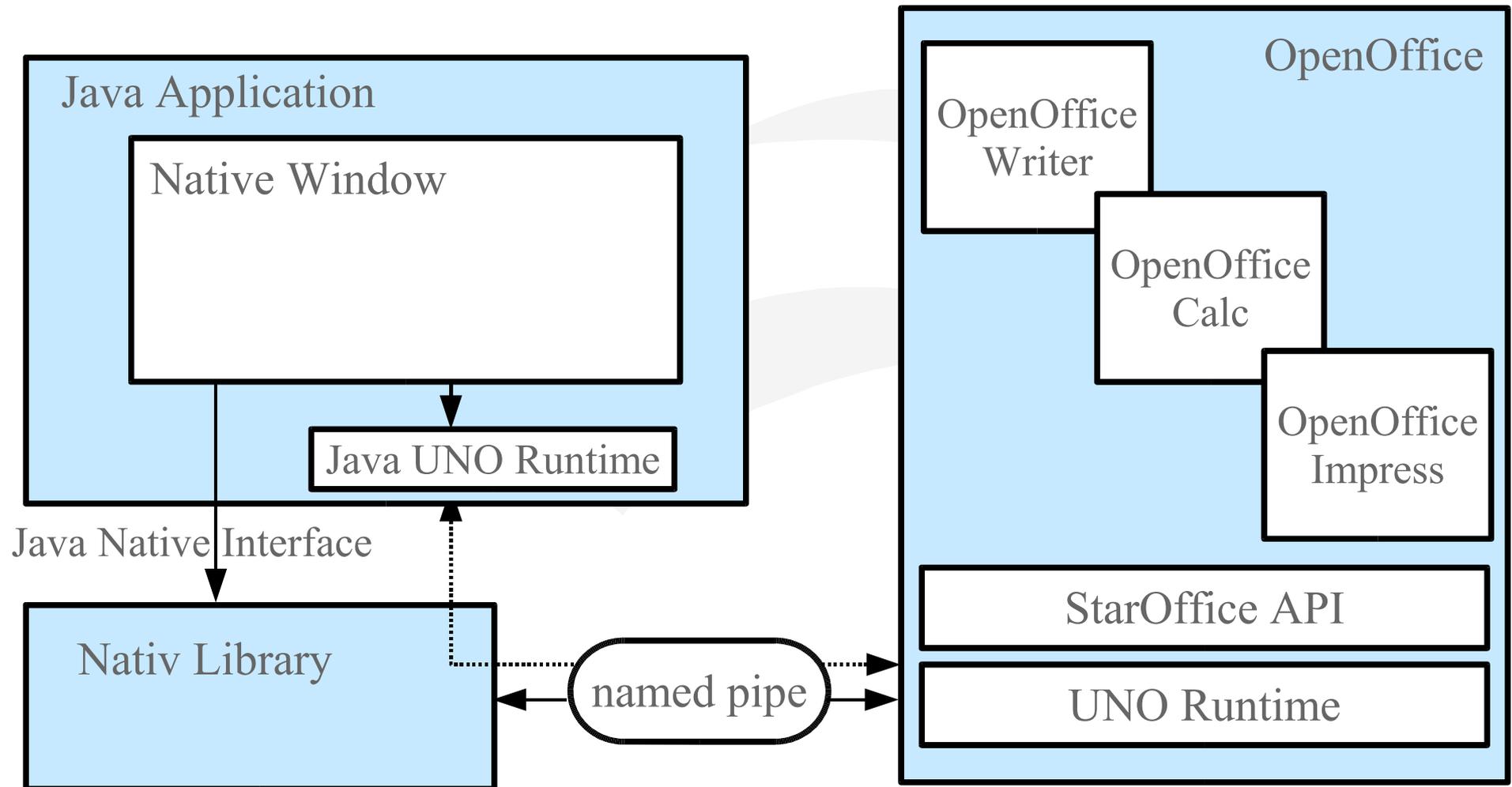
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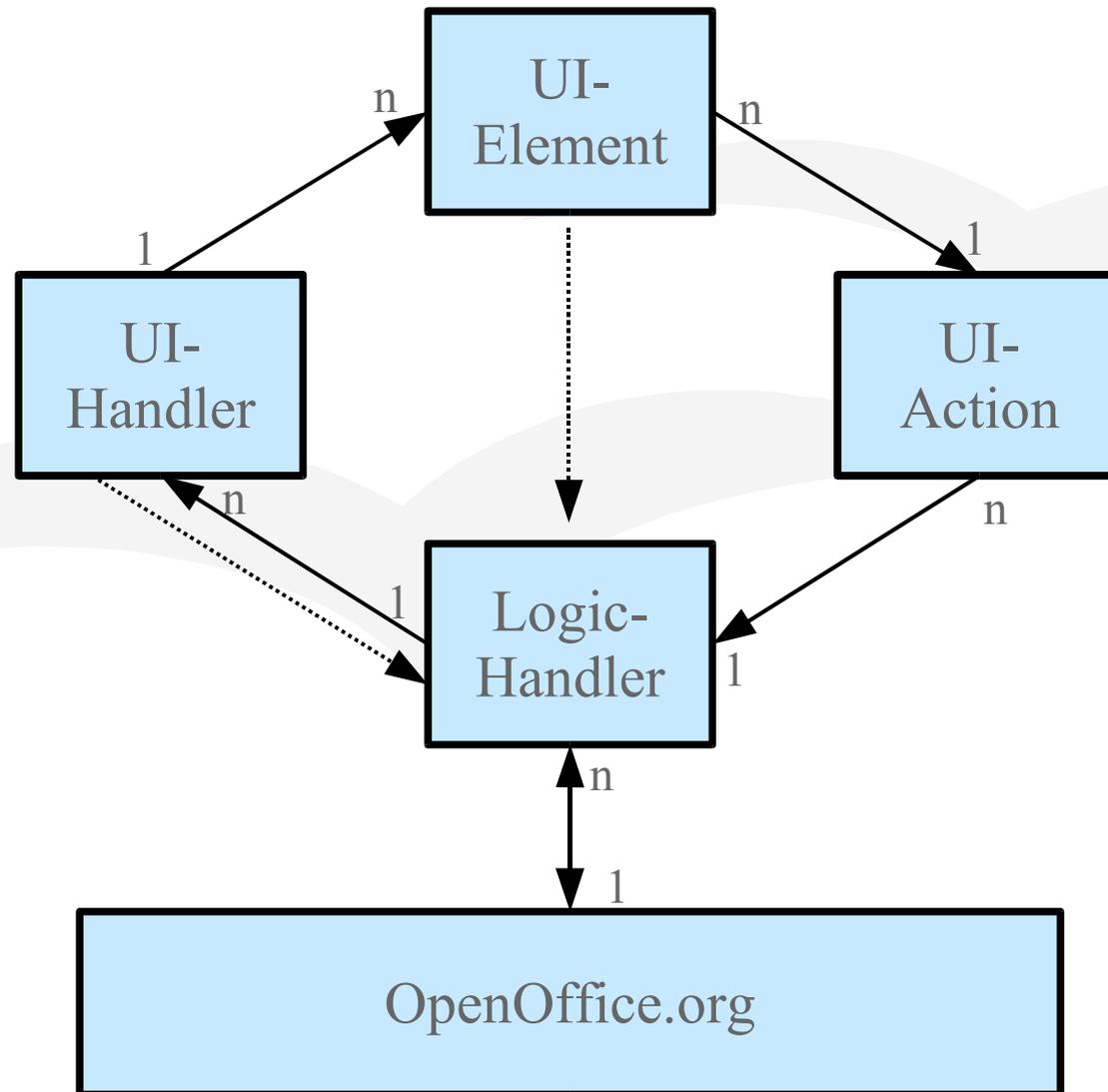
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- Late 1999: First Idea at the University of Paderborn
- Since November 2000: Project at the University of Paderborn in cooperation with Sun Microsystems
 - CeBIT 2001, WDR Computernacht 2001, CeBIT 2002
 - Computerworld Tech Hero nomination
- Since June 2002: Additional cooperation with kippdata
 - CeBIT 2003
 - Real live testing in two schools in Paderborn
 - Invention of a teachers tool

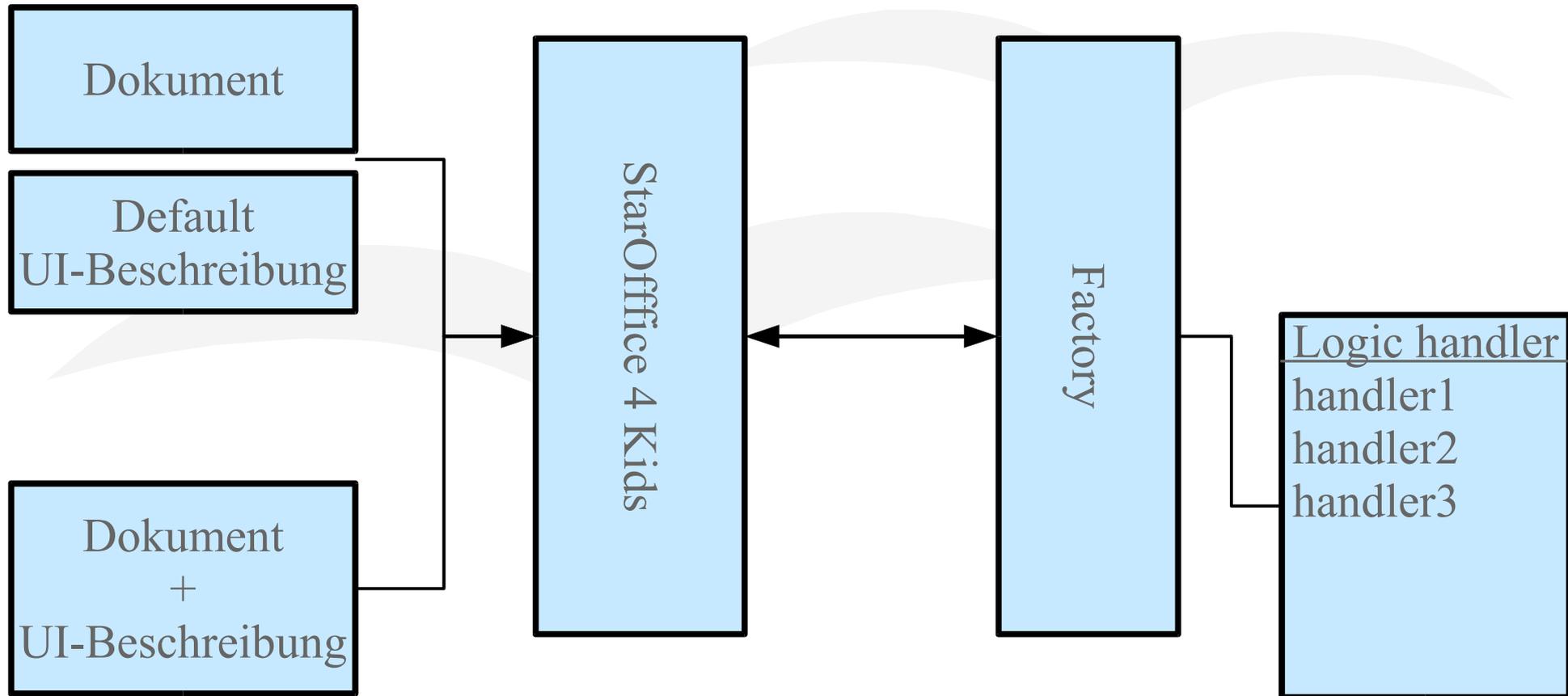
Using the OpenOffice Bean



Binding logic and interface



The factory concept

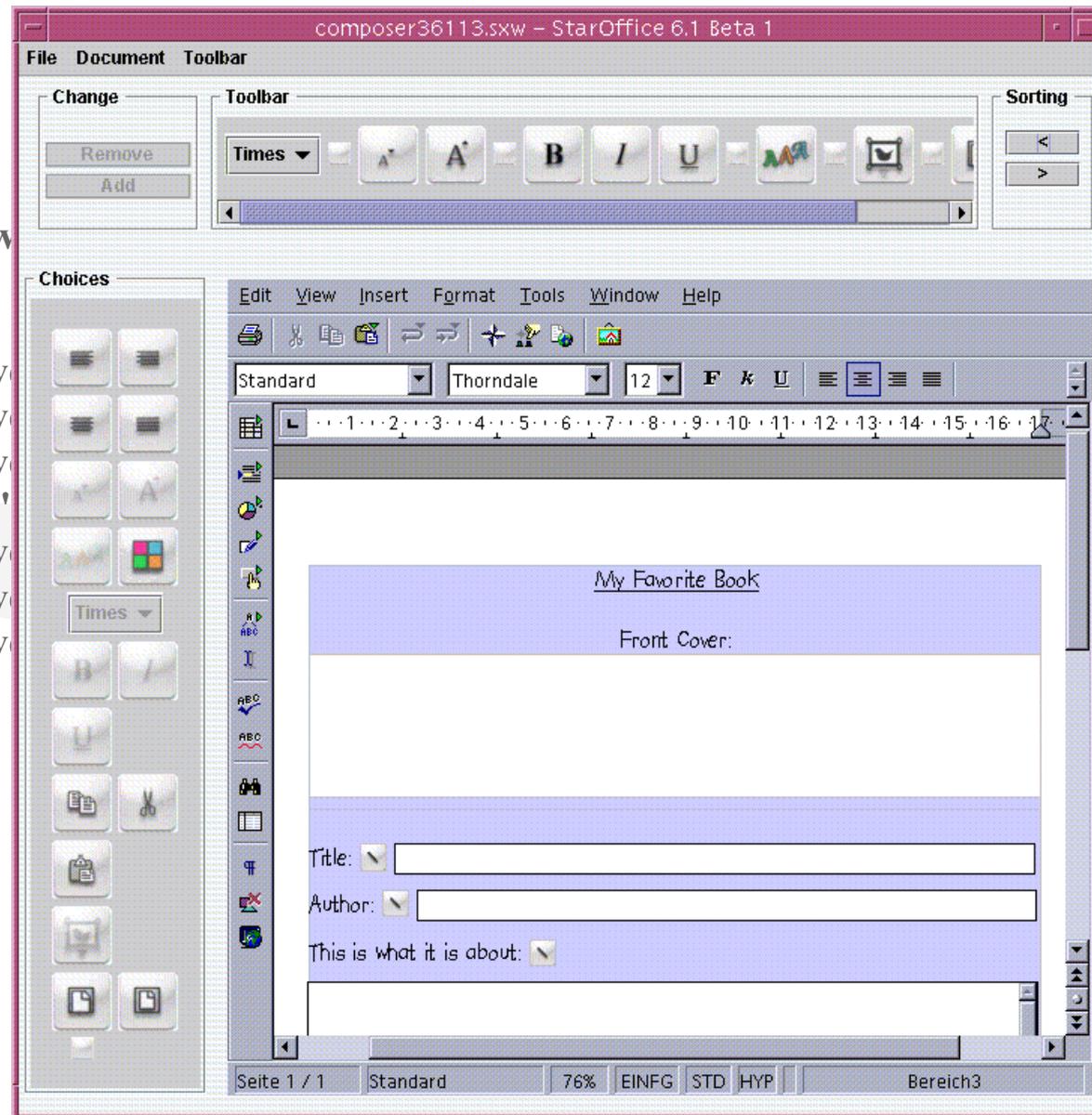


Composing user interfaces

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- Scalable user interface
 - Binding of interface and document for many document formats
 - The task is the center
 - Functionality can grow with the knowledge of the pupils
 - Units are easy to provide
 - Units are easy to create
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- In a few weeks: A first version as download
 - In further versions: Completion of accessible functions

- Main Links

- <http://www.kippdata.de/>
- <http://iug.uni-paderborn.de/>

- Related Links:

- <http://www.lernstatt-paderborn.de/>

Questions?