

# Social Network Plugin for Telepathy Framework

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## Abstract

Vktelepathy is a connection manager for Telepathy messaging framework. It allows users of Vkontakte social network to exchange instant messages. Vktelepathy supports receiving list of contacts, user avatars and other. Connection manager uses library libvkontakte, part of project "MySocials" as backend to Vkontakte. Vktelepathy can be used with any Telepathy client, such as Empathy and Maemo IM Client, and works on any platform, that supports telepathy-glib version since 0.8.0. Because of flexibility of telepathy this is possible to implement a lot of features of vkontakte, for example adding friends to custom groups, wall support, managing notes and opinions. Project started in August, 2010.