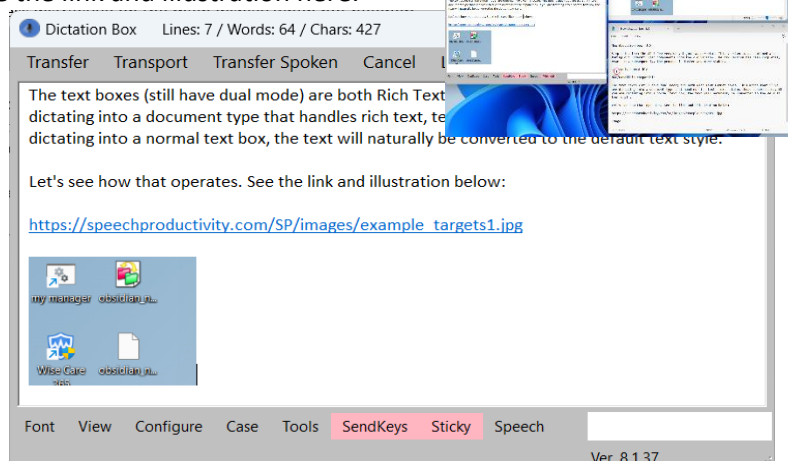


New dictation box 8.X - A quick introduction of several changes since SP 7 (the SP company has been discontinued)

- It's simplified from the SP 7 Pro version yet as powerful. This version is streamlined after taking out underutilized components from the old version. The new version has been completely rewritten. Subsequently, the process is faster and more stable.
- Grammarly compatible.
- Mac/Parallels compatible.
- Easily handle websites that don't allow traditional pasting. Almost always, the "SendKeys" process works. So, having the option right there in the forefront to toggle on and off is excellent.
- There is a new option to "withhold" the last space character from being generated. That is typically for password fields.
- The new option "previous" opens directly the file holding the previous dictations that you may want to review or pull text from. That file is now ordered with the latest dictation at the top of the file.
- We used to use the alt-escape sequence in our transfers. That doesn't work well with some applications with the latest changes in Windows 11. The alt-tab option often generates a "flash" on the screen. However, that seems to be the best/only choice for some applications now. Alternatively, other applications require the alt escape technique. A new menu option can toggle that choice. Easily choose which option works best for you. Using the "use escape" character works best for most target applications. If it doesn't work, click the "use tab" option. You can easily paste a failed transfer back to the dictation box and try again or paste it directly into your target application.
- The text boxes (still have dual mode) are Rich Text Format boxes. Text retains those capabilities if you are dictating into a document that handles rich text. If you are dictating into a regular text box, the text will naturally be converted to the default text style.

- Let's see how that operates. See the link and illustration here:



- Font - show a new "font" menu to **easily change** the regular *font choices* without going to a drop-down menu. Showing this menu is optional.

You still have a more traditional but speech-friendly dialogue to select the font style and size for the text box or the box menus. Hiding this menu field is less distracting on the main display when not needed: Speaking of the drop-down font menu, when you select “Font,” then “change,” you can change the two boxes independently or the same. You can change font type, size, and color. With nothing typed in the box, you change the characteristics for this and future sessions. Changing a word or string is temporary. Many options/corrections were made in this module.

- Found in the configuration list of options.
  - ✓ Enable whether to use a tab character to give you your indentation, “use tab.”
  - ✓ If you are a programmer, “programmer options” expands the number of “case” options available.
  - ✓ You can adjust a couple of the delays involved in the pasting process if you happen to have some issues with the speed of your machine, typically. The defaults should work just fine for you.