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PHP Version:	5.3	<u> </u>	
Has patch:	No		
Complexity:	medium		
Subject:	Add Confirm- Radio- CheckBoxDialog to CommandController(CLI)		

# **Description**

For interactive confirmation or multiple choice by Commands (CLI).

for example: the same code is on https://gist.github.com/4111197

# sorry for doccomments

## Settings as assoc-array is not comfortably for developers, please comment or speak your ideas about settings!

```
1<?php
2namespace .....;
4/*
6 *
7 *
                                          */
8
9use TYPO3\Flow\Annotations as Flow;
10
11/**
12 * ConfirmationDialog command controller for the Train2Web.Core package
13 * @todo ANSI FOREGROUNDS and BLINK & co.
14 * @Flow\Scope("singleton")
15 */
16class ConfirmationDialogCommandController extends \TYPO3\Flow\Cli\CommandController {
17
18
19
       * Constants for anwer pattern
20
21
      const PATTERN_USER_INPUT_YES = '/^(y|yes|j|ja|si)$/i';
      const PATTERN_USER_INPUT_NO = '/^(n|no|nein)$/i';
22
23
      const PATTERN_USER_INPUT_CANCEL = '/^(c|cancel|abort|abbrechen|abortire|abortar)$/i';
24
25
    * A simpliest example for confirm dialog
26
27
       * if (user puts yes) {do something} else { do something else }
28
29
       * also if user puts n, no, c, cancel then is it else
30
31
    * @return void
32
33
    public function exampleCommand() {
```

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```
34
          if ($this->confirmDialog()) {
35
             echo "I will continue.".PHP_EOL;
36
37
             echo "I will not continue.".PHP_EOL;
38
39
     }
40
41
42
      * A simple example confirm dialog with cancel
43
44
        * Please note that switch case provide == comparison and not === <br/>br>
45
        * also if you use == instead of === you can't differentiate between no and cancel!!!
46
47
      * @return void
      */
48
49
     public function example2Command() {
50
          $usersChoice = $this->confirmDialog();
51
          if ($usersChoice) {
52
             echo 'You typed "yes"!'.PHP_EOL;
53
          } else if ($usersChoice === NULL) {
54
             echo 'You typed "cancel"!'.PHP_EOL;
          } else if ($usersChoice === FALSE) {
55
56
             echo 'You typed "no"!'.PHP_EOL;
57
          }
58
     }
59
60
61
      * An example confirm dialog with $optionalSettings[], answer depends messages and callbacks
62
63
        * Please note that $optionalSettings['*'] - array has priority
64
65
      * @return void
66
67
     public function demoCommand() {
68
          $settings = array(
             'confirmationMessage'
69
                                        => 'Please put "y" or "n" or "c" or nothing to use "%1$s" and press enter: ',
70
             'standardAnswer'
                                      => 'yes',
71
             'messageByYes'
                                      => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "AGREEMENT" but only if it is
declared!',
72
             'messageByNo'
                                      => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "REJECTION" but only if it is declared!',
73
             'messageByCancel'
                                        => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "RESET" but only if it is declared!',
74
             'messageByWrongInput'
                                          => 'Wrong input; "%2$s"!!!'.PHP_EOL.'You will be asked for so long, until correct
entry is detected.',
75
             'callBackByYes'
                                     => array(array($this, 'callBackForYes'), array()),
76
             'callBackByNo'
                                     => array(array($this, 'callBackForNo'), array()),
77
             'callBackByCancel'
                                      => array(array($this, 'callBackForCancel'), array()),
78
             'callBackByWrongInput'
                                        => array(array($this, 'callBackForWrongInput'), array())
79
          );
80
          $this->confirmDialog('This message will be overwritten if $optionalSettings[\'confirmationMessage\'] is set.', 'NO',
$settings);
81
     }
82
83
```

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```
84
      * An example <b>DEMO for callbacks returnvalue</b> based on <b>confirmationdialog:demo</b>
85
86
87
        * Please note that $optionalSettings['*'] - array has priority
88
89
      * @return void
      */
90
91
     public function demo2Command() {
92
          $settings = array(
93
             'confirmationMessage'
                                       => 'Please put "y" or "n" or "c" or nothing to use "%1$s" and press enter: ',
94
             'standardAnswer'
                                     => 'yes',
95
             'messageByYes'
                                     => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "AGREEMENT" but only if it is
declared!'.
96
             'messageByNo'
                                     => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "REJECTION" but only if it is declared!',
97
             'messageByCancel'
                                      => 'You typed "%2$s", i will run one callback for "RESET" but only if it is declared!',
98
99
             'callBackByYes'
                                    => array(array($this, 'callBackForYes'), array()),
100
             'callBackByNo'
                                    => array(array($this, 'callBackForNo'), array()),
101
                                      => array(array($this, 'callBackForCancel'), array()),
             'callBackByCancel'
102
             'callBackByWrongInput'
                                        => array(array($this, 'callBackForWrongInput2'), array())
103
           );
104
           $this->confirmDialog('This message will be overwritten if $optionalSettings[\confirmationMessage\'] is set.', 'NO',
$settings);
105 }
106
107
108
      * Shows confirmation message and reads users answer from command line.
109
110
      * <b>WARNING: don't set anything if you do not want to use it, it will cause one error. <br>
111
      * ALL PARAMETERS ARE OPTIONAL. <br>
112
      * ATTENTION: all settings in array $optionalSettings have priority.</b>
113
114
      * <b>$optionalSettings</b> = array (<br>
115
      * <b>'confirmationMessage' </b> => 'You can use %1$s as placeholder for your "standardAnswer".', <br>
116
      * <b>'standardAnswer'</b>
                                       => $standardAnswer,<br>
      * <b>'messageByYes'</b>
                                       => 'You can use %2$s as placeholder for users input string.',<br>
117
      * <b>'messageByNo'</b>
                                       => 'Please see "messageByYes".',<br>
118
119
      * <b>'messageByCancel'</b>
                                         => 'Please see "messageByYes".',<br>
120
      * <b>'messageByWrongInput'</b>
                                          => 'Please see "messageByYes".',<br>
121
      * <b>'callBackByYes'</b>
                                      => array (array($object, 'functionName'), array($param1, $param2, 'otherParam')), // if
your callback return one value then confirmDialog return this instead of standard return of confirmDialog<br/>cbr>
      * <b>'callBackByNo'</b>
                                      => ", // can also be empty, confirmDialog will print messageBy{yes|no|cancel} and then
returns standard value for this answer.<br>
      * <b>'callBackByCancel'</b>
123
                                       => 'please see "callBackByYes" and "callBackByNo"',<br>
124
      * <b>'callBackByWrongInput'</b> => 'please see "callBackByYes" and "callBackByNo"', // if return is void then : will
ask for so long, until correct entry is detected.<br>
      * <b>'infiniteLoopByWrongInput'</b> => TRUE, // if FALSE and callBackByWrongInput is void then throws
\InvalidArgumentException with code 1352747275<br>
126
      * <b>'vsprintfVars'</b>
                                    => array($your, $own, $vars) <br>
127
      * );
128
129
      * @param string $confirmationMessage = <b>'Would you like to perform this command? [yes|no|cancel] [%1$s]: '</b>
130
      * @param string $standardAnswer = <b>'no'</b>
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131
      * @param array $optionalSettings <b>have priority for $confirmationMessage and $standardAnswer</b>
132
      * @return boolean|NULL|yourOwnType this function will return your own type if your callback returns one value and if
not then callbackBy{<br>Yes returns <b>TRUE</b><br>No returns <b>FALSE</b><br>Cancel returns
<b>NULL</b><br>WrongInput throws <b>\InvalidArgumentException</b><br>}.
      * @throws \InvalidArgumentException (code: 1353073679) if this function will be called with wrong settings
133
134
135 protected function confirmDialog($confirmationMessage = 'Would you like to perform this command? [yes|no|cancel]
[%1$s]: ', $standardAnswer = 'no', array $optionalSettings = NULL){
        // search patterns
137
138
        //| prepare and set $optionalSettings
139
        //// set needed DEFAULTSETTINGS -> can be overwritten with array $optionalSettings
140
141
        $defaultSettings = array(
142
           'confirmationMessage'
                                       => $confirmationMessage,
143
           'standardAnswer'
                                     => $standardAnswer,
144
          // by infiniteLoopByWrongInput == TRUE prints messageByWrongInput
145
          'messageByWrongInput'
                                         => 'Wrong input: %2$s',
146
                                       => ",
          'callBackByWrongInput'
147
          // set to TRUE to prevent \InvalidArgumentException by wrong input -> will cause infinite loop to the same confirm
dialog. Prints "Wrong input: %3$s" and confirmationMessage again
          'infiniteLoopByWrongInput'
148
                                        => TRUE,
           'vsprintfVars'
149
                                  => array (
150
                                $standardAnswer,
                                " // placeholder for current users input, can be used in 'wrongInputMessage'
151
152
                                )
153
        );
154
155
        ///// overwrite DEFAULTSETTINGS with users SETTINGS if nacessary ($optionalSettings)
156
        if ($optionalSettings === NULL) {
157
           $settings = $defaultSettings;
158
        } else {
159
           $settings = array merge($defaultSettings, $optionalSettings);
160
        //|/// set 'vsprintfVars' properly -> this will force priority for entire settings array
161
          if (!empty($optionalSettings['standardAnswer'])) {
162
             $settings['vsprintfVars'][0] = $optionalSettings['standardAnswer'];
163
          }
164
        }
165
        // analyse developers set of $optionalSettings['standardAnswer']
        $developersStandardAnswerIsYes = preg_match(self::PATTERN_USER_INPUT_YES, $settings['standardAnswer']);
166
        $developersStandardAnswerIsNo = preg_match(self::PATTERN_USER_INPUT_NO, $settings['standardAnswer']);
167
168
        $developersStandardAnswerIsCancel = preg_match(self::PATTERN_USER_INPUT_CANCEL, $settings['
standardAnswer']);
169
170
        // throw an exception, if this function will be called with wrong parameter
171
172
        // developers standardAnswer must be set correctly and can not be empty
173
        $developersStandardAnswerIsCorrect = $developersStandardAnswerIsYes || $developersStandardAnswerIsNo ||
$developersStandardAnswerIsCancel;
174
        if (!$developersStandardAnswerIsCorrect) {
175
           throw new \TYPO3\Flow\Exception('Developer has set $settings[\'standardAnswer\'] as '.$settings['standardAnswer
']. ' please set this in your code properly', 1352736688);
176
        }
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177
        $messages = array();
178
        foreach ($settings as $key => $value) {
179
           // Texts validation: will trying to render defined mesage by fail developer can see it immediately
180
           if (preg_match('/^message/', $key) && !empty($value)) {
             $messages[$key] = \vsprintf($settings[$key], $settings['vsprintfVars']);
181
182
          }
183
           // CallBack: throw an Exceptions immediately if something is wrong with callBacks
184
           if (preg_match('/^callBack/', $key) && !empty($value)
185
             && !method_exists($value[0][0], $value[0][1])) {
186
187
             throw new \InvalidArgumentException(
188
                  'function "'.$value[0][1]." for "'.$key." not exists or can not be called.'.PHP_EOL.
                  'See: call user func array()'.PHP EOL.
189
                  'http://php.net/manual/en/function.call-user-func-array.php',
190
                  1353073679
191
192
             );
193
          }
194
        }
195
196
        // render output for question
197
        $output = vsprintf($settings['confirmationMessage'], $settings['vsprintfVars']);
198
        echo $output.' ';
199
200
        $usersInput = rtrim(fgets(STDIN));
201
        // set 'vsprintfVars' properly
202
        $settings['vsprintfVars'][1] = $usersInput;
203
        if (empty($usersInput)) {
204
           $settings['vsprintfVars'][1] = $settings['standardAnswer'];
205
        }
206
        // prepare users answer
207
        $userAnsweredWithYes = preg match(self::PATTERN USER INPUT YES, $usersInput)
208
             || empty($usersInput) && $developersStandardAnswerIsYes;
209
        $userAnsweredWithNo = preq match(self::PATTERN USER INPUT NO, $usersInput)
210
             || empty($usersInput) && $developersStandardAnswerIsNo;
211
        $userAnsweredWithCancel = preg_match(self::PATTERN_USER_INPUT_CANCEL, $usersInput)
212
             || empty($usersInput) && $developersStandardAnswerIsCancel;
213
214
        $usersInputIsCorrect = $userAnsweredWithYes || $userAnsweredWithNo || $userAnsweredWithCancel || empty(
$usersInput);
215
216
        if (empty($usersInput)) {
217
           $usersInput = $settings['standardAnswer'];
218
        }
219
        // evaluate
220
        if ($usersInputIsCorrect) {
221
          // for YES
222
           if ($userAnsweredWithYes) {
223
             if (!empty($settings['messageByYes'])) {
224
                echo vsprintf($settings['messageByYes'], $settings['vsprintfVars']).PHP_EOL;
225
226
             if (!empty($settings['callBackByYes'])) {
227
                $returnValueByYes = call_user_func_array($settings['callBackByYes'][0], $settings['callBackByYes'][1]);
228
             }
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229
             if (isset($returnValueByYes)) {
230
                return $returnValueByYes;
231
             }
232
             return true;
233
           }
234
           // for NO
235
           if ($userAnsweredWithNo) {
236
             if (!empty($settings['messageByNo'])) {
237
                echo vsprintf($settings['messageByNo'], $settings['vsprintfVars']).PHP_EOL;
238
             }
             if (!empty($settings['callBackByNo'])) {
239
240
                $returnValueByNo = call_user_func_array($settings['callBackByNo'][0], $settings['callBackByNo'][1]);
241
             }
242
             if (isset($returnValueByNo)) {
243
                return $returnValueByNo;
244
             }
245
             return false;
246
           }
247
           // for CANCEL
248
           if ($userAnsweredWithCancel) {
             if (!empty($settings['messageByCancel'])) {
249
250
                echo vsprintf($settings['messageByCancel'], $settings['vsprintfVars']).PHP_EOL;
             }
251
252
             if (!empty($settings['callBackByCancel'])) {
253
                $returnValueByCancel = call_user_func_array($settings['callBackByCancel'][0], $settings['callBackByCancel'][
1]);
254
255
             if (isset($returnValueByCancel)) {
256
                return $returnValueByCancel;
257
             }
258
             return NULL;
259
           }
260
        } else {
261
           // for wrong input
262
           if (!empty($settings['messageByWrongInput'])) {
263
             echo vsprintf($settings['messageByWrongInput'], $settings['vsprintfVars']).PHP EOL;
264
           }
265
           if (!empty($settings['callBackByWrongInput'])) {
266
             $returnValueByWrongInput = call_user_func_array($settings['callBackByWrongInput'][0], $settings['
callBackByCancel'][1]);
267
268
           if (isset($returnValueByWrongInput)) {
269
             return $returnValueByWrongInput;
270
271
           // throws Exception, if developer will no infinite loops
272
           if (!$settings['infiniteLoopByWrongInput']) {
273
             throw new \InvalidArgumentException('User has made incorrect input and you have not caught this exception in
your confirmation dialog. TIPP: You can set $optionalSettings[\'infiniteLoopByWrongInput\']', 1352747275);
274
           }
275
276
        // will give rise to infinite looping by incorrect user's input if $optionalSettings['infiniteLoopByWrongInput'] == TRUE
277
        return $this->confirmDialog($confirmationMessage, $standardAnswer, $settings);
278
    }
```

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```
279
280
      private function callBackForYes() {
        echo 'You called '.__FUNCTION__.'().'.PHP_EOL;
281
282 }
283
      private function callBackForNo() {
        echo 'You called '.__FUNCTION__.'().'.PHP_EOL;
284
285
286
      private function callBackForCancel() {
        echo 'You called '.__FUNCTION__.'().'.PHP_EOL;
287
288
     }
      private function callBackForWrongInput() {
289
290
        echo 'You called '.__FUNCTION__.'().'.PHP_EOL;
291
     }
      /**
292
293
      * as you can see this function has return value
294
295
      * confirmDialog() will return calbacks return value
      */
296
      private function callBackForWrongInput2() {
297
298
        echo 'You called '.__FUNCTION__.'().'.PHP_EOL;
299
        echo 'Wrong input is not allowed, I will cancel this command.'.PHP_EOL;
300
        return 'blockish';
301 }
302
303}
304
305?>
```

### History

#### #1 - 2012-11-19 16:44 - Adrian Föder

- Assigned To deleted (Adrian Föder)
- Has patch changed from Yes to No

Rafael, thanks for your submission.

The functionality generally is nice (i.e. the idea); I would say it could be an AbstractInteractiveCommandController which users/developers will be allowed to use.

Please update your code to this, maintaining the Coding Guidelines (<a href="http://flow.typo3.org/documentation/codingguidelines.html">http://flow.typo3.org/documentation/codingguidelines.html</a>), and push such a patch to the review system (<a href="http://wiki.typo3.org/Contribution">http://wiki.typo3.org/Contribution</a> Walkthrough with CommandLine).

However, feel free to work on the gist until the code would be ready for use.

### #2 - 2012-11-19 16:44 - Adrian Föder

- Priority changed from Should have to Could have

## #3 - 2012-11-20 09:53 - Karsten Dambekalns

- Target version deleted (2.0 beta 1)

### #4 - 2012-12-10 15:34 - Bastian Waidelich

- Category changed from Command to Cli

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- Status changed from New to Needs Feedback
- Assigned To set to Bastian Waidelich

#### Thanks for this!

IMO this is quite specific and a bit too much magic to be implemented in the core.

Does anything speak against adding this to a separate package which someone could add a dependency on when relying on this kind of feature?

If you agree I'd close this issue.

## #5 - 2012-12-18 15:06 - Bastian Waidelich

- Status changed from Needs Feedback to Rejected

Closing due to lack of feedback.

I hope this can be useful for people looking for a similar feature (google should still point them here) but – as written above – I'd consider this too specific to be added to the core.

Feel free to reopen and/or comment if you don't agree

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