LocaSend

Share your location instantly

This is a simple android app that shows the current location (longitude, latitude). Then, with a button click, you can share your current location using other apps.

SharingIntent

- 1. You first tell the system what kind of intent you will use.
 Intent sharingIntent = new Intent(android.content.Intent.ACTION SEND);
- 2. Next you set the type.
 sharingIntent.setType("text/plain");
- 3. Then you set the Extra flags. Something like this: sharingIntent.putExtra(android.content.Intent.EXTRA TEXT, YOUR TEXT HERE);
- 4. Lastly, you should start the share action chooser.
 startActivity(Intent.createChooser(sharingIntent, "YOUR_CUSTOM_TITLE"));

Location Manager and Criteria

1. First you must declare permission to access location and internet
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.ACCESS FINE LOCATION" />

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<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET" />
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2. Next, you should get LOCATION_SERVICE from LocationManger and make new Criteria variable. locationManager = (LocationManager) getSystemService(Context.LOCATION SERVICE);

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Criteria criteria = new Criteria();
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3. Request location updates. Parameters are String provider, long minTime, float minDistance, LocationListener listener. Example code is:
Location location = locationManager.getLastKnownLocation(mprovider);

locationManager.requestLocationUpdates(mprovider, 15000, 1, this);

Some code in the project that you may find it useful

When you convert a string to a double, you should make the following changes. String LONGITUDE HERE=""; String LATITUDE HERE="";

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and
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LONGITUDE_HERE= String.valueOf(location.getLongitude()); LATITUDE_HERE=
String.valueOf(location.getLatitude());

You can find more information <u>here</u>.

From 6.0, you should get permission check by users. You must add this line in the proper place if your app targets 6.0, too.

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if (ActivityCompat.checkSelfPermission(this,
Manifest.permission.ACCESS_FINE_LOCATION) != PackageManager.PERMISSION_GRANTED &&
ActivityCompat.checkSelfPermission(this,
Manifest.permission.ACCESS_COARSE_LOCATION) != PackageManager.PERMISSION_GRANTED) {
   return; }
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