# Widget concept

## **Common principles**

## Registration

Widget concept allow to create user interface independently from the **API** calls due **KitWdgetManager** registration.

**Code 1:** Example of the widget registration in the Application singleton

```
/**
    * Method which provide the registering of the widgets for the current {@link Application}
    */
    @Override
protected void registerWidgets() {
    //Register the message with type - text
    KitWidgetManager.register(new KitCreatorMessageText());
    //Register the message with type - location
    KitWidgetManager.register(new KitCreatorMessageLocation());
    //Register the message with type - photo
    KitWidgetManager.register(new KitCreatorMessagePhoto());
}
```

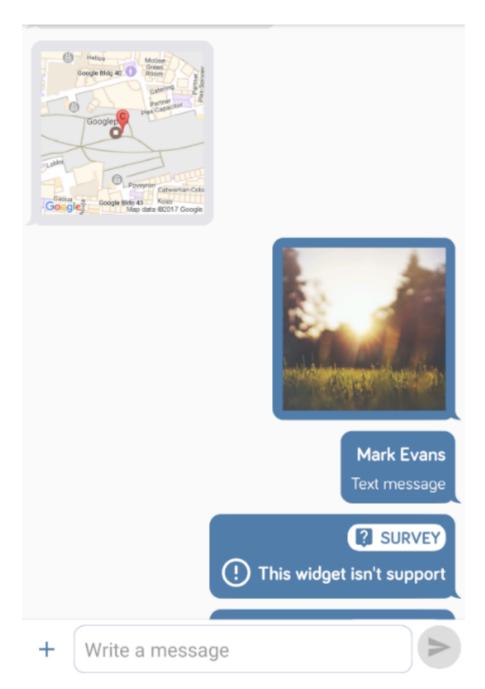
## **View representations**

Widget object contain of the 3 types of the view representations:

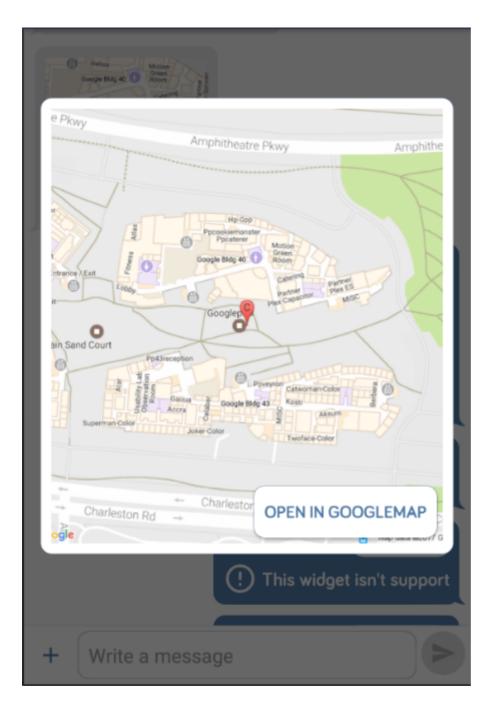
- Create widget view;
- Details widget view;
- List widget view.

Create and Details widget view can be @Nullable, List can't be @Nullable. If developer isn't implement the List representation in this case KitWidgetManager return the object for unsupported widget.

Image 1: List representation of the Widget



**Image 2:** Details representation of the Widget



### **Define**

Widget have the List of the definers that allow to check if Object which received from the API is the kind of widget. For implementation of the definer developer should extend of the KitBaseDefiner. Definer register for the class which should be putting inside the definer itself.

**Code 2:** Example of the definer for the MMXMessage for the location message type

```
public final class KitDefinerMessageLocation extends KitBaseDefiner {
 * Default constructor for the {@link KitBaseDefiner}
 * @param callerClass instance of the {@link Class}
public KitDefinerMessageLocation(@NonNull Class callerClass) {
 super(callerClass);
/**
 * Method which provide the define functional for the {@link Object}
 * @param object instance of the {@link Object}
 */
@Nullable
@Override
public String define(@Nullable Object object) {
 if ((object != null) && (object instanceof MMXMessage)) {
  final MMXMessage message = (MMXMessage) object;
  if (message != null) {
   final KitMessageType type = KitMessageHelper.getType(message);
   if (type == KitMessageType.MAP) {
    return KitWidgetType.MESSAGE_LOCATION.getValue();
   }
  }
 }
 return null;
}
}
```

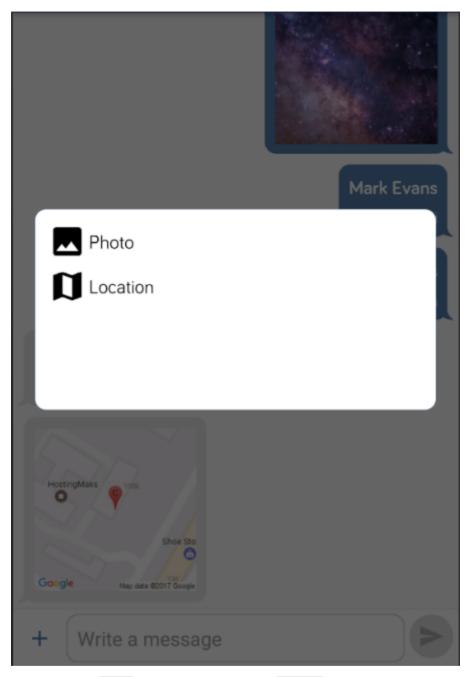
**Code 3:** Example of the constructor for the KitDefinerMessageLocation

```
/**
  * Method which provide the getting of the {@link List} of the {@link KitBaseDefiner}
  *
  * @return {@link List} of the {@link KitBaseDefiner}
  */
  @Nullable
  @Override
public List < KitBaseDefiner > getDefiners() {
  return Arrays.asList(
   new KitBaseDefiner[] {
    new KitDefinerMessageLocation(MMXMessage.class)
  }
  );
}
```

#### Menu items

Widget provide the menu items for create itself. They registering inside the widget, and should be connected to view which will be call them.

Image 3: Menu items



If widget have <code>View</code> representation for the <code>Create</code> itself in this case when user press in menu item, it would see the <code>Create view</code>, in other case application receive the event in the view (<code>OnKitViewCallback -> onMenuItemClick(@NonNull KitMenuModel object)</code>). List of the <code>KitMenuModel</code> can be <code>@Nullable</code>. In this case <code>Widget</code> won't have of the menu items.

Code 4: Example of the KitMenuModel creation

## Widget

For widget implementation developer need to extend of the KitWidgetModel<T> and override every required methods.

**Code 5:** *Prototype for the widget* 

```
//-----
//
                             VTFWS
//-----
/**
* Method which provide the getting view for create widget
* @param context instance of {@link Context}
* @return instance of the {@link BSView}
@Nullable
KitBaseCreateView getViewCreate(@NonNull Context context);
* Method which provide the checking if widget need to have of the create view
* @return checking if widget need to have of the create view
*/
boolean isNeedCreateView();
/**
* Method which provide the getting view for details
* @param context instance of {@link Context}
* @return instance of the {@link BSView}
*/
@Nullable
KitBaseDetailsView getViewDetails(@NonNull Context context, @Nullable final Parcelable object);
/**
* Method which provide the checking if widget need to have of the details view
* @return checking if widget need to have of the create view
boolean isNeedDetailsView();
* Method which provide the getting view for list representation
* @return instance of the {@link BSView}
*/
@Nullable
KitBaseListObject getViewList(@Nullable final Parcelable object);
//-----
//
                         CREATION MENU HEADER
* Method which provide the getting of headers for the menu of the create of the widget
* @return {@link String} value of the menu header
```

```
@Nullable
List < KitMenuModel > getMenuHeaders();
/**
* Method which provide the checking if widget is need of the menu headers
* @return checking if widget is need of the menu headers
boolean isNeedHeaders();
* Method which provide the getting of the {@link List} of the {@link KitBaseDefiner}
* @return {@link List} of the {@link KitBaseDefiner}
*/
@Nullable
List < KitBaseDefiner > getDefiners();
/**
* Method which provide the getting of the menu header
* @return checking result
boolean isNeedMenuHeader();
* Method which provide the getting of the instance of {@link Object}
* @return instance of {@link Object}
*/
@Nullable
T getObject();
/**
* Method which provide the getting of the priority for the widget
* @return instance of the {@link KitWidgetPriority}
*/
@NonNull
KitWidgetPriority getPriority();
```

#### List view

For implementation of the List view developer should extend of the KitBaseListObject<T> and override every required methods.

**Code 6:** Prototype for the list view

```
/**
    * Method which provide the performing the action when the {@link Parcelable} was set
    *
    * @param object instance of the {@link Object}
    */
public abstract void onPerformInitialize(@Nullable final T object);

/**
    * Method which provide the getting of the instance of the {@link ClassLoader}
    *
    * @return instance of the {@link ClassLoader}
    */
@NonNull
protected abstract ClassLoader getClassLoader();

/**
    * Method which provide the getting of the instance of the {@link BaseRecyclerItem}
    *
    * @param context instance of the {@link Context}
    * @return instance of the {@link BaseRecyclerItem}
    */
    @Override
public abstract BaseRecyclerItem getRecyclerItem(@NonNull Context context);
```

For list representation of the **Widget** developer need to extends of the **BaseRecyclerItem** and override it required methods.

#### **Details view**

For implementation of the <code>Details</code> view developer should extend of the <code>KitBaseDetailsView<T></code> and override every required methods.

**Code 7:** Prototype for the details view

```
/**
 * Method which provide the getting of the {@link Integer} value of the layout ID
 *
 * @return {@link Integer} value of the layout ID
 */
 @Override
protected abstract int getLayoutId();

/**
 * Method which provide the functional after {@link View} creation
 */
 @Override
protected abstract void onCreateView();
```

#### Create view

For implementation of the Create view developer should extend of the KitBaseCreateView<T> and override every required methods.

#### **Code 8:** Prototype for the create view

```
/**
 * Method which provide the getting of the {@link Integer} value of the layout ID
 *
 * @return {@link Integer} value of the layout ID
 */
 @Override
protected abstract int getLayoutId();

/**
 * Method which provide the functional after {@link View} creation
 */
 @Override
protected abstract void onCreateView();
```

### **How To**

### **Application singleton**

Create the Application singleton by extending of the KitApplication and override of the methods. Use the KitApplication -> registerWidgets() method for the widget registration.

**Code 9:** Example of the method for the registration of the widgets

```
/**
 * Method which provide the registering of the widgets for the current {@link Application}
 */
@Override
protected void registerWidgets() {
  //TODO Register widgets here
}
```

#### **Chat view**

For current implementation of the **ChatKit** exists the **KitChatView** which allow to get the **MMXMessage** for the instance of the **MMXChannel**.

**Code 10:** Example how to use of the KitChatView

```
public final class DetailsActivity extends BSActivity {
* Instance of the {@link ChannelDetail}
private ChannelDetail channel;
 * Instance of the {@link KitChatView}
@FindViewBy(id = R.id.view_chat)
private KitChatView chatView;
 * Method which provide the getting of the layout ID for the current Activity
 * @return layout ID for the current Activity
*/
@Override
protected int getLayoutId() {
 return R.layout.activity_details;
 * Method which provide the action when Activity is created
 * @param bundle instance of {@link Bundle}
*/
@Override
protected void onCreateActivity(@Nullable Bundle bundle) {
 setTitle("Conversation details");
 channel = //Get channel here
 chatView.setChannel(channel);
 chatView.setOnViewCallback(viewCallback);
}
 * Method which provide the action when the view is destroy
*/
@Override
protected void onDestroy() {
 chatView.onDestroyView();
 super.onDestroy();
}
//-----
                                  CALLBACKS
* Instance of the {@link OnKitViewCallback}
private final OnKitViewCallback viewCallback = new OnKitViewCallback() {
```

```
* Method which provide the action when {@link BSView.Event} received
 * @param context instance of {@link Context}
 * @param view instance of the {@link BSView}
 * @param event instance of the {@link BSView.Event}
*/
@Override
public void onCreateEventReceived(@NonNull Context context,
 @NonNull BSView view,
@NonNull BSView.Event event) {
}
/**
 * Method which provide the action when user press on the channel object
 * @param index current index
 * @param object current object
 */
@Override
public void onItemClick(int index,
@NonNull KitBaseListObject object) {
}
* Method which provide the action when user doing the long press on item
 * @param index index
 * @param object object
*/
@Override
public void onItemLongClick(int index,
 @NonNull KitBaseListObject object) {
}
/**
* Method which provide the action listening
* @param recycleEvent event
 * @param index index
 * @param object object
public void onActionReceived(@NonNull RecycleEvent recycleEvent,
int index,
@NonNull KitBaseListObject object) {
}
```

### **Universal views**

For current implementation of the **ChatKit** exists the **KitUniversalWidgetView** which provide the setting of the **List** of the **KitBaseListObject** which provide the set everything that developer receive from the server side and convert to the **KitBaseListObject**.

**Code 11:** Example how to use of the KitUniversalWidgetView

```
public final class UniversalViewActivity extends BSActivity {
   /**
    * Instance of the {@link KitUniversalWidgetView}
   @FindViewBy(id = R.id.view universal)
   private KitUniversalWidgetView widgetView;
    * Method which provide the getting of the layout ID for the current Activity
    * @return layout ID for the current Activity
    */
   @Override
   protected int getLayoutId() {
       return R.layout.activity_universal;
   }
    * Method which provide the action when Activity is created
    * @param bundle instance of the {@link Bundle}
    */
   @Override
   protected void onCreateActivity(@Nullable Bundle bundle) {
       setTitle(getString(R.string.text_universal));
       this.widgetView = (KitUniversalWidgetView) findViewById(R.id.view_universal);
       this.widgetView.showProgress();
       final List<KitBaseListObject> objects = new ArrayList<>();
       BSThreadManager.background(new BSThreadManager.OnThreadCallback() {
           @Override
           public void onExecute() {
               for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
                   final LabelObject object = new LabelObject();
                   final KitBaseListObject listObject = new ListObjectLabel(object);
                   objects.add(listObject);
               widgetView.setItems(objects);
               widgetView.hideProgress();
           }
       });
   }
    * Method which provide the defining if need to override of the transition animation
    * @return defining results
    */
   @Override
   protected boolean isOverrideTransitionAnimation() {
       return true;
   }
```

```
/**
    * Method which provide the checking if need back button into {@link ActionBar}
    *
        * @return checking if need back button into {@link ActionBar}
        */
     @Override
    protected boolean isNeedBackButton() {
        return true;
    }
}
```

## **Summary**

In general for now developer able to use <code>KitUniversalWidgetView</code> and <code>KitChatView</code> for implementation of the widget functional. <code>KitChatView</code> have it own <code>Presenter</code> for data receiving from the server side and developer able to add it own (custom) widget for the <code>KitChatView</code> by registering it in the <code>Application</code> singleton.