
Subject: Re: Stopping ReadStdIn() function
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Hello again Oblivion, I like the timeout approach. here is what I did :

```
String ReadCmd(int timeout)
{
    String r;
    int time = msec();

    while(msec(time) < timeout){
        int c = 0;
        int n = read(STDIN_FILENO, (char*) &c, 1);
        if(c == '\n')
            break;
        if(n > 0) {
            r.Cat(c);
            time = msec();
        }
    }
    return r.GetCount() ? r : String::GetVoid();
}
```

It now work perfectly. Thanks for your precious help !