
Subject: How to print the selected text in a LineEdit
Posted by [forlano](#) on Mon, 05 Jun 2006 13:54:32 GMT
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

Hello,

the procedure it is quite obvious:

- 1) select the text inside the LineEdit;
- 2) get the selected string with:
String text = editor.GetSelection();
- 3) pass the string text to Report as discussed in another thread in this forum.

The problem: the selected text doesn't contain the newline (\n) char. This means that you lose the format and the vertical alignment.
Any idea how to grab the text but preserving the newline char if it is present?

Luigi

Subject: Re: How to print the selected text in a LineEdit
Posted by [mirek](#) on Mon, 05 Jun 2006 14:35:59 GMT
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

forlano wrote on Mon, 05 June 2006 09:54Hello,

the procedure it is quite obvious:

- 1) select the text inside the LineEdit;
- 2) get the selected string with:
String text = editor.GetSelection();
- 3) pass the string text to Report as discussed in another thread in this forum.

The problem: the selected text doesn't contain the newline (\n) char. This means that you lose the format and the vertical alignment.
Any idea how to grab the text but preserving the newline char if it is present?

Luigi

Well, Report accepts Qtf. '\n' is ignored in QTF. Moreover, some sequences would be interpreted as control codes...

Solution:

```
String DeQtfLf(const char *s);
```

- escapes control sequences AND replaces '\n' with '&' (qtf line end).

Mirek

Subject: Re: How to print the selected text in a LineEdit
Posted by [forlano](#) on Mon, 05 Jun 2006 14:46:33 GMT
[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

luzr wrote on Mon, 05 June 2006 16:35
Solution:

```
String DeQtflf(const char *s);
```

- escapes control sequences AND replaces '\n' with '&' (qtf line end).

Mirek

Yes, now works very nice.
Thank you

Luigi
