# QGIS Application - Bug report #9894 In python console, input() raises EOFError

2014-03-26 07:21 AM - pierre krmr

Status: Closed
Priority: Normal
Assignee:
Category: PyQGIS Console

Affected QGIS version: 2.2.0Regression?:NoOperating System:Easy fix?:No

Pull Request or Patch sumplied: Resolution: end of life
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data: Copied to github as #: 18411

Description

Just type "input()" in the Qgis console:

input()

Traceback (most recent call last): File "<input>", line 1, in <module> EOFError: EOF when reading a line

What it should do:

input()

then i type something + enter 'then i type something + enter'

I need it for a script to ask the user for some string data (like Y/N choices, new parameters depending on partial results after a first process step, etc...)

#### Related issues:

Duplicated by QGIS Application - Bug report # 9895: In python console, input(... Closed 2014-03-26

#### History

# #1 - 2014-03-28 08:10 AM - Jürgen Fischer

Why not use **QInputDialog**?

Like this:

```
>>> from PyQt4.QtGui import QInputDialog
>>> QInputDialog.getText(None, "Parameter", "Enter text")
(u'sdfafa', True)
```

#### #2 - 2014-03-28 09:31 AM - Etienne Tourigny

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#### #3 - 2014-03-28 09:32 AM - Etienne Tourigny

I tried that in qgis-2.2 and it freezes QGIS...

# #4 - 2014-03-31 01:22 AM - pierre krmr

Etienne Tourigny wrote:

I guess the bug reporter doesn't want a dialog popping up?

#### Indeed.

I use QInputDialog, but I just think it's more functional, fast, aesthetic, to keep his eyes on the console.

Ten years I use autocad, I have never found anything more relevant and productive than that:

#### CIRCLE

Specify center point for circle or [ 3P/ 2P/ Ttr (tan tan radius)]:

Specify diameter of circle <current>:

This is just an example, not what I want to code, but with only one simple function I can draw a circle with :

- 3 points of the circle
- 2 points of a diameter of the circle
- 2 points on two other circles + radius length
- 2 points (center + one point on the circle)
- 1 point + radius length

Making different functions or adding buttons and windows would ruin everything here.

Yes, it is old-fashioned, but I love it ;-)

# #5 - 2014-06-21 12:55 PM - Jürgen Fischer

- Category set to PyQGIS Console

# #6 - 2017-05-01 01:08 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Regression? set to No
- Easy fix? set to No

# #7 - 2019-03-09 03:11 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Resolution set to end of life
- Status changed from Open to Closed

End of life notice: QGIS 2.18 LTR

### Source:

http://blog.qgis.org/2019/03/09/end-of-life-notice-qgis-2-18-ltr/

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