
go-jsbox-location Documentation

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LocationState Class

class `LocationState` (*name*, *opts*)

A state which requests a location from the user, and sets the user data through getting the location data from the Google Maps API. It may also request a second prompt from the user to further refine the location if the first prompt wasn't clear enough.

Arguments

- **name** (*string*) – name used to identify and refer to the state
- **opts.question** (*string_or_LazyText*) – The question to first display to the user. Defaults to `What is your address?`.
- **opts.refine_question** (*string_or_LazyText*) – The question to display to the user when selecting a location from a list if the first search query wasn't clear enough. Defaults to `Please select your location from the following:`
- **opts.error_question** (*string_or_LazyText*) – The question to display to the user when no locations are found for their search term. It will keep requesting until results are found. Defaults to `Error: No results for your search term. Please try another search term.`
- **opts.continue_session** (*boolean*) – whether or not this is the last state in a session. Defaults to `true`.
- **opts.send_reply** (*boolean*) – whether or not a reply should be sent to the user's message. Defaults to `true`.
- **opts.next** (*function_or_string_or_object*) – The state that the user should visit after this state. May either be the name of the next state, an options object representing the next state, or a function of the form `f (content)` returning either, where `content` is the input given by the user. If `next` is `null` or not defined, the state machine will be left in the current state. See `State.set_next_state()`. Defaults to `null`
- **opts.options_per_page** (*integer*) – The maximum limit for the amount of choices on each page. Defaults to 8.
- **opts.characters_per_page** (*integer*) – The maximum limit for the amount of characters on each page. Defaults to 160. Whichever one of `characters_per_page` or `option_per_page` is reached first will be chosen.
- **opts.next_text** (*string*) – The text to display for the next page option. Defaults to `Next`.
- **opts.previous_text** (*string*) – The text to display for the previous page option. Defaults to `Previous`.

- **opts.store_fields** (*array*) – An array of field names from the google maps API results that should be stored. Defaults to ['formatted_address']. Data is stored as a string representation of the object in the `location` field in the contact store.
- **opts.namespace** (*string*) – The namespace to use when storing the contact details, ie. `location:.....` Defaults to `location`.
- **opts.events** (*object*) – Optional event name-listener mappings to bind.

Example:

```
self.states.add('states:example-locationState', function(name) {  
    return new LocationState(name, {  
        question: ["Welcome to the location app.",  
            "What is your current address?"].join("\n"),  
        next: "states:end",  
        previous_text: "Prev",  
        store_fields: ["geometry.location", "formatted_address"]  
    });  
});
```

Testing Class

This class is used to automatically create the fixtures required to test LocationState states.

add_location (*opts*)

Adds location data to the fixtures

Arguments

- **opts.request_url** (*string*) – URL for the HTTP request. Defaults to "http://maps.googleapis.com/maps/api/geocode/json"
- **opts.request** (*string*) – The address that is to be queried. Defaults to "Friend Street, South Africa".
- **opts.address_list** (*array_of_strings*) – An array of the list of *formatted_address*'s that should be sent in the response. If *response_data* is included, this will be ignored. Defaults to ["Friend Street, Cape Town 7925, South Africa"]
- **opts.response_data** (*array_of_objects*) – An array of objects that represents the response from the gmaps API

Usage: Create an instance of

```
locations = LocationState.testing()
```

and then add the fixtures in

```
locations.fixtures
```

to the fixtures list beforeEach test. Then add locations during testing:

```
locations.add_location({  
  request:"New Street",  
  address_list:["New Street 1", "New Street 2"]  
});
```

add_locations (*opts*)

Adds an array location data to the fixtures.

Arguments

- **opts_array** (*array_of_objects*) – An array of opts

Related: [add_location\(\)](#)

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