

## Quassel IRC - Feature #213

### Add a multiline write line with a toggle button like Chatzilla

07/08/2008 12:26 PM - ZRegis

<b>Status:</b>	Resolved	<b>Start date:</b>	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Sputnick	<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>	Quassel Client	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	0.5.0		
<b>OS:</b>	Any		
<b>Description</b>			
Sometimes you want to add edit and send a text with multi lines reply. The possibility to have a multi line space to edit could be a great new feature.  Regarding also to the 0000209 bug.  The chatzilla client give a good example for that.			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Quassel IRC - Feature #443: Tab completion should show list of pos...		<b>Assigned</b>	
Related to Quassel IRC - Bug #209: multiple lines in a buffer are sent automa...		<b>Resolved</b>	
Has duplicate Quassel IRC - Feature #386: Expand input box when multiple line...		<b>Rejected</b>	

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision f047a4f7add72ef7e32ad33f884e62a5773ecc72 - 08/16/2009 01:03 PM - Manuel Nickschas

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#### History

##### #1 - 09/02/2008 06:13 PM - sph

I'm not sure about the toggle button, but using ctrl-enter or shift-enter to switch to multiline mode and add a new line would be nice.

Also, it'd be great if it automatically recognizes a multiline copy/paste (and removes the last newline at the end) rather than sending them right away without any chance of editing.

##### #2 - 04/21/2009 01:00 AM - Squider

- File 0001-The-InputLine-is-now-multi-line.patch added

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**#3 - 04/21/2009 01:45 AM - Squider**

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Sorry, I mistakenly commented out one preprocessor block. Here is a patch reverting that change. This patch also removes some unneeded margin-space when using Qt < 4.5.

**#4 - 08/14/2009 08:16 PM - Sputnik**

- Status changed from New to Assigned
- Assignee set to Sputnik
- Priority changed from High to Normal
- Target version set to 0.5.0

**#5 - 08/16/2009 01:04 PM - Sputnik**

- Status changed from Assigned to Resolved
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset [f047a4f7add72ef7e32ad33f884e62a5773ecc72](https://code.qt.io/cgit/qt/qt5/commit/?id=f047a4f7add72ef7e32ad33f884e62a5773ecc72).

**Files**

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0001-The-InputLine-is-now-multi-line.patch	8.34 KB	04/20/2009	Squider
0001-Play-nice-with-older-Qt.patch	1.77 KB	04/20/2009	Squider