

Mobile Application Development

Contextual actual bar - deletion

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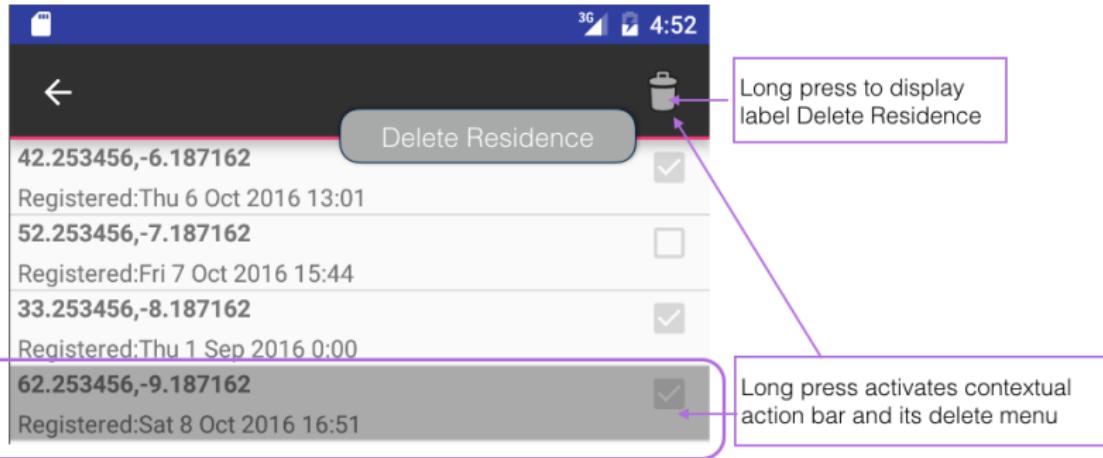
Contextual Menu

List items

Item	Actions
42.253456,-6.187162	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Registered:Thu 6 Oct 2016 13:01	
52.253456,-7.187162	<input type="checkbox"/>
Registered:Fri 7 Oct 2016 15:44	
33.253456,-8.187162	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Registered:Thu 1 Sep 2016 0:00	
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Registered:Sat 8 Oct 2016 16:51	

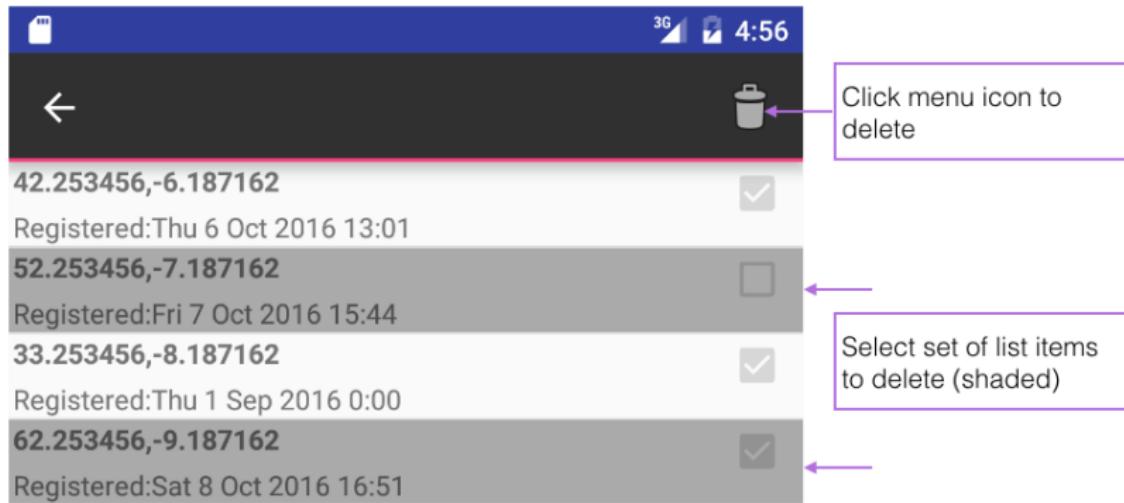
Contextual Menu

Long press reveals contextual action bar



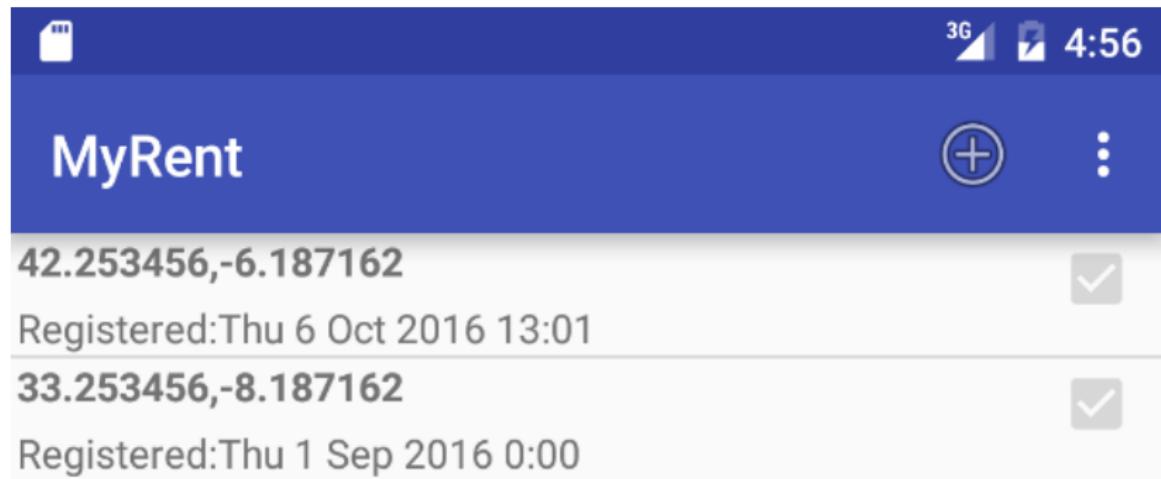
Contextual Menu

Two items marked for deletion



Contextual Menu

Original action bar restored on deletion



Context Menu

Long-press delete list selection - implementation

- Create a context menu.
- Android ListView instance used to track long-press items.
- Implement AbsListView.MultiChoiceModeListener.
- Long press overlays actionbar with contextual actionbar.
- This contains context menu.

Context Menu

Long-press delete list selection - user

- Long-press list item reveals context menu.
- Contextual action bar overlays the (original) action bar.
- Optionally select other list items for deletion.
- Click on trash can icon to trigger delete.
- Original action bar restored.

ListView

android.R.id.list retrieves residence list

```
private ListView listView;  
  
listView = (ListView) v.findViewById(android.R.id.list);  
listView.setChoiceMode(ListView.CHOICE_MODE_MULTIPLE_MODAL);  
listView.setMultiChoiceModeListener(this);
```

Context Menu

Trash can icon: ic_menu_delete

```
// residence_list_context.xml
<menu
    xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android">
    <item android:id="@+id/menu_item_delete_residence"
        android:icon="@android:drawable/ic_menu_delete"
        android:title="@string/delete_residence" />
</menu>
```

Context Menu

Highlight selected list item

```
// res/drawable/background_activated.xml

<selector xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android" >
    <item
        android:state_activated="true"
        android:drawable="@android:color/darker_gray"
    />
</selector>
```

Context Menu

Add attribute to activate highlighting

```
// res/layout/list_item_residence.xml attribute  
// necessary to persist highlighting until deletion complete  
  
    android:background="@drawable/background_activated"
```

AbsListView.MultiChoiceModeListener

MultiChoiceModeListener methods default implementations

```
@Override  
public void onItemCheckedStateChanged(ActionMode actionMode, int i, long l,  
    boolean b) {}  
  
@Override  
public boolean onCreateActionMode(ActionMode mode, Menu menu)  
{return false;}  
  
@Override  
public boolean onPrepareActionMode(ActionMode mode, Menu menu)  
{return false;}  
  
@Override  
public boolean onActionItemClicked(ActionMode mode, MenuItem item)  
{return false;}  
  
@Override  
public void onDestroyActionMode(ActionMode mode) {}
```

Context Menu

MultiChoiceModeListener method inflates context menu

```
public boolean onCreateActionMode(ActionMode actionMode, Menu menu)
{
    MenuInflater inflater = actionMode.getMenuInflater();

    inflater.inflate(R.menu.residence_list_context, menu);

    return true;
}
```

Context Menu

MultiChoiceModeListener method implements deletion

```
public boolean onActionItemClicked(ActionMode actionMode, MenuItem menuItem)
{
    switch (menuItem.getItemId())
    {
        case R.id.menu_item_delete_residence:

            deleteResidence(actionMode);

            return true;
        ...
    }
}
```

Context Menu

MultiChoiceModeListener method implements deletion

```
private void deleteResidence(ActionMode actionMode)
{
    for (int i = adapter.getCount() - 1; i >= 0; i--)
    {
        if (listView.isItemChecked(i))
        {
            portfolio.deleteResidence(adapter.getItem(i));
        }
    }
    actionMode.finish();
    adapter.notifyDataSetChanged();
}
```

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