

Dialogs Factory

AlertifyJS not only provides a replacement for default browser dialogs, it makes it super easy to create your own!



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Default usage

To create a new dialog, you use the [alertify.dialog](#) API. which takes a dialog name followed by a factory function. This factory function should return an object with the different options to create the dialog.

```
/**
 * Dialogs factory
 *
 * @name {string} Dialog name.
 * @Factory {Function} Dialog factory function.
 * @transient {Boolean} Indicates whether to create a singleton or transient dialog.
 * @base {String} The name of an existing dialog to inherit from.
 *
 * alertify.dialog(name, Factory, transient, base)
 */

if(!alertify.myAlert){
  //define a new dialog
  alertify.dialog('myAlert',function factory(){
    return{
      main:function(message){
        this.message = message;
      },
      setup:function(){
        return {
          buttons:[{text: "cool!", key:27/*Esc*/}],
          focus: { element:0 }
        };
      },
      prepare:function(){
        this.setContent(this.message);
      }
    };
  });
}
//launch it.
```

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Passing true to the transient (none singleton) parameter tells AlertifyJS to create a new dialog instance each time the dialog is invoked via `alertify.{dialogName}`. The last parameter 'base' enables the creation of new dialogs based on existing ones.

```
// Extend existing 'alert' dialog
if(!alertify.errorAlert){
  //define a new errorAlert base on alert
  alertify.dialog('errorAlert',function factory(){
    return{
      build:function(){
        var errorHeader = '<span class="fa fa-times-circle fa-2x" '
          + 'style="vertical-align:middle;color:#e10000;">'
          + '</span> Application Error';
        this.setHeader(errorHeader);
      }
    };
  },true,'alert');
}
//launch it.
// since this was transient, we can launch another instance at the same time.
alertify
  .errorAlert("This is a none singleton modal error alert! <br/><br/><br/>" +
    "To show another error alert: " +
    "<a href='javascript:alertify.errorAlert(\"Another error\");'> Click here </a>");
```

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Factory Function

The factory function should return an object with the different options to tell **AlertifyJS** how the dialog should behave when created.

```
function factory(){
  return {
    // The dialog startup function
    // This will be called each time the dialog is invoked
    // For example: alertify.myDialog( data );
    main:function(params){
      // manipulate parameters and set options
      this.setting('myProp', data);
    },
    // The dialog setup function
    // This should return the dialog setup object ( buttons, focus and options overrides ).
    setup:function(){
      return {
        /* buttons collection */
        buttons:[
```



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```

    /*bind a keyboard key to the button */
    key: 27,

    /* indicate if closing the dialog should trigger this button action */
    invokeOnClose: true,

    /* custom button class name */
    className: alertify.defaults.theme.ok,

    /* custom button attributes */
    attrs:{attribute:'value'},

    /* Defines the button scope, either primary (default) or auxiliary */
    scope:'auxiliary',

    /* The will contain the button DOMElement once buttons are created */
    element:undefined
  }
],

/* default focus */
focus:{
  /* the element to receive default focus, has different meaning based on value type:
    number:   action button index.
    string:   querySelector to select from dialog body contents.
    function: when invoked, should return the focus element.
    DOMElement: the focus element.
    object:   an object that implements .focus() and .select() functions.
  */
  element: 0,

  /* indicates if the element should be selected on focus or not*/
  select: false
},
/* dialog options, these override the defaults */
options: {
  title: ...,
  modal: ...,
  basic:...,
  frameless:...,
  pinned: ...,
  movable: ...,
  moveBounded:...,
  resizable: ...,
  autoReset: ...,
  closable: ...,
  closableByDimmer: ...,
  maximizable: ...,
  startMaximized: ...,
  pinnable: ...,
  transition: ...,
  padding:...,
  overflow:...,
  onshow:...,
  onclose:...,
  onfocus:...,
  onmove:...,
  onmoved:...,
  onresize:...,
  onresized:...,
  onmaximize:...,
  onmaximized:...,
  onrestore:...,

```



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```
// This will be called once the dialog DOM has been created, just before its added to the document.
// Its invoked only once.
build: function(){

    // Do custom DOM manipulation here, accessible via this.elements

    // this.elements.root      ==> Root div
    // this.elements.dimmed    ==> Modal dimmer div
    // this.elements.modal     ==> Modal div (dialog wrapper)
    // this.elements.dialog    ==> Dialog div
    // this.elements.reset     ==> Array containing the tab reset anchor links
    // this.elements.reset[0]  ==> First reset element (button).
    // this.elements.reset[1]  ==> Second reset element (button).
    // this.elements.header    ==> Dialog header div
    // this.elements.body      ==> Dialog body div
    // this.elements.content   ==> Dialog body content div
    // this.elements.footer    ==> Dialog footer div
    // this.elements.resizeHandle ==> Dialog resize handle div

    // Dialog commands (Pin/Maximize/Close)
    // this.elements.commands  ==> Object containing dialog command buttons references
    // this.elements.commands.container ==> Root commands div
    // this.elements.commands.pin ==> Pin command button
    // this.elements.commands.maximize ==> Maximize command button
    // this.elements.commands.close ==> Close command button

    // Dialog action buttons (Ok, cancel ... etc)
    // this.elements.buttons   ==> Object containing dialog action buttons references
    // this.elements.buttons.primary ==> Primary buttons div
    // this.elements.buttons.auxiliary ==> Auxiliary buttons div

    // Each created button will be saved with the button definition inside buttons collection
    // this.__internal.buttons[x].element

},
// This will be called each time the dialog is shown
prepare: function(){
    // Do stuff that should be done every time the dialog is shown.
},
// This will be called each time an action button is clicked.
callback: function(closeEvent){
    //The closeEvent has the following properties
    //
    // index: The index of the button triggering the event.
    // button: The button definition object.
    // cancel: When set true, prevent the dialog from closing.
}
// To make use of AlertifyJS settings API, group your custom settings into a settings object.
settings:{
    myProp:'value'
},
// AlertifyJS will invoke this each time a settings value gets updated.
settingUpdated: function(key, oldValue, newValue){
    // Use this to respond to specific setting updates.
    switch(key){
        case 'myProp':
            // Do something when 'myProp' changes
            break;
    }
},
// listen to internal dialog events.
hooks:{
    // triggered when the dialog is shown, this is separate from user defined onshow
    onshow: function(){
    },

```



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```
// IMPORTANT: This will not be triggered for dialog custom settings updates ( use settingUpdated instead).
```

```
onupdate: function() {
```

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}
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}
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```
}
```

```
}
```

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