



ZoraBots

Managing Behaviors

Version 1

10/01/2018

support@qbmt.be

+32 (0)59 200 311

COPYRIGHT NOTICE

COPYRIGHT © 2017 Zora Robotics NV all rights reserved.

No part of this document may be used or copied without prior written permission from the copyright holder. The contents of this document can always be modified without prior notice.

1 Preface

This document will describe the rules for creating your own behavior, so it is compatible with Zora- or Pepper-Control.

Contents

| | | |
|-----|---|----|
| 1 | Preface..... | 2 |
| 2 | Installing Choregraphe | 3 |
| 2.1 | Installing Choregraphe | 3 |
| 3 | Creating your own behavior | 3 |
| 3.1 | Adjusting the settings..... | 4 |
| 3.2 | Checking the settings..... | 8 |
| 4 | Installing the behavior | 9 |
| 4.1 | Installing the behaviors on the robot | 9 |
| 5 | Linking the behavior in Zora- or Pepper-Control. | 11 |

2 Installing Choregraphe

By using Choregraphe, your own behavior can be made. Before installing it however, make sure the correct version of Choregraphe and NaoQi are used.

For example: Pepper uses naoqi v5.5 and must be managed by Choregraphe v5.5.

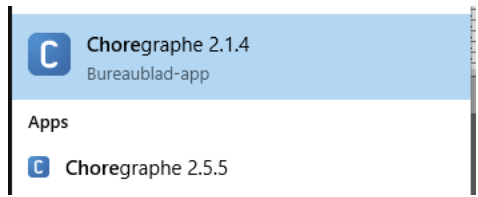
2.1 *Installing Choregraphe*

This software is required to open the files sent to you by our team and deploy the software on the robot.

| | |
|--|--|
| Step 1 – Download the required software from the website. The website containing the software | The website containing the file and key is: https://developer.softbankrobotics.com/us-en/downloads/nao-v5-v4 Select the package corresponding to your Operating System. |
| Step 2 – Follow the installation instructions | Enter the key (provided on the website) when asked, and follow the required steps to install the software. |

3 Creating your own behavior

As stated before, Choregraphe is used to manage behaviors on the robot. To create your own project in Choregraphe, use the following steps:

| | |
|--|--|
| Step 1 – Open Choregraphe compatible with the robot By opening Choregraphe, a new project is automatically started. |  |
|--|--|

3.1 Adjusting the settings

Once the project has been created, it must be adjusted to Zora- or Pepper-Control.

The following steps should be taken to adjust these settings:

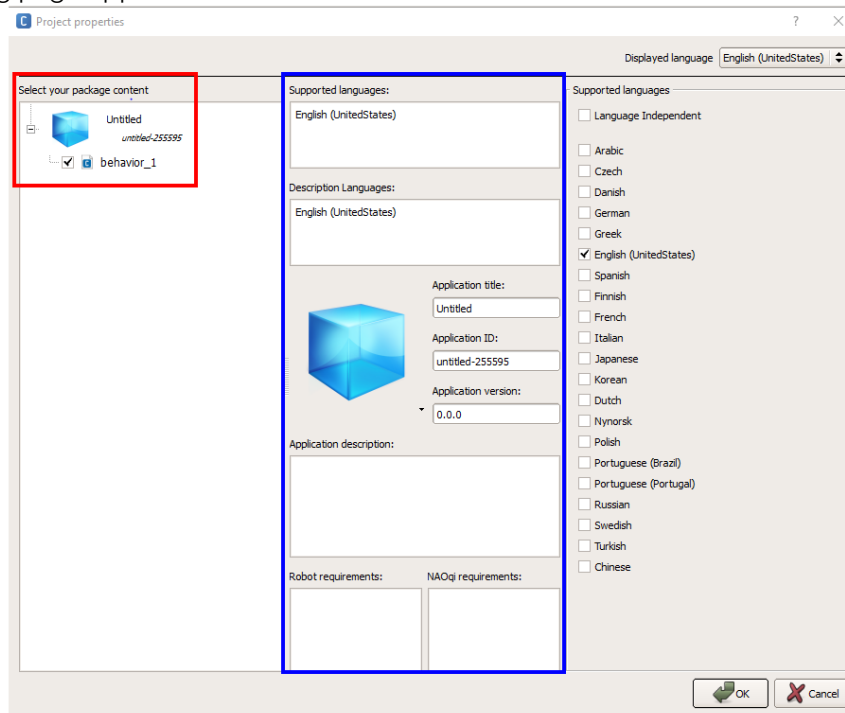
Step 1 – Open the Properties of the project

On the left side of the screen, select properties from the screen.

If this is not visible, select **'Project Content'** from the **'View'-menu** to make this item visible again.

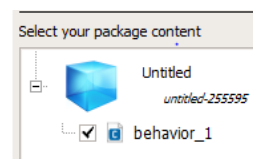


The following page appears:



Step 2 – Select the behavior(s) to be added

On the left side of the properties-screen, the package content is shown. Select the behavior(s) to be added to the project.



Step 3 – Select the languages for which the behavior(s) will be added.

By clicking a field in the middle of the screen, the right side will show the available options for this field.

By selecting the option 'Language independent' at the right side of the screen, this behavior **can** be added to the Control in any language.

Currently (v8.0), the languages supported by Zora are:

Arabic, German, English (US, unfortunately), Finnish, French, Italian, Japanese, Dutch and Chinese

The screenshot shows the Zora application configuration window. On the left, there is a blue cube icon. The main area is divided into several sections: 'Supported languages' with a dropdown menu showing 'English (UnitedStates)'; 'Description Languages' with a dropdown menu also showing 'English (UnitedStates)'; 'Application title' with a text field containing 'Untitled'; 'Application ID' with a text field containing 'untitled-255595'; 'Application version' with a dropdown menu showing '0.0.0'; 'Application description' with a large text area; and 'Robot requirements' and 'NAOqi requirements' at the bottom. On the right side, there is a 'Description Languages' panel with a 'Select All' button and a list of languages with checkboxes: Arabic, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English (UnitedStates) (checked), Spanish, Finnish, French, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Dutch, Nynorsk, Polish, Portuguese (Brazil), Portuguese (Portugal), Russian, Swedish, Turkish, and Chinese.

Step 4 – Select the description languages

These languages must be the same as the Supported Languages.

Normally, by selecting the correct supported language, the description languages are automatically filled in

If the option 'Language independent' has been selected however, the description languages must be selected manually.

Of course, the option '**Select All**' at the top works as well.

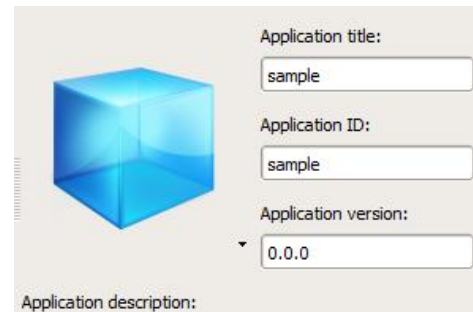
The screenshot shows the Zora application configuration window for Step 4. The 'Supported languages' dropdown now shows 'Language Independent'. The 'Description Languages' dropdown is filled with a list of languages: 'English (UnitedStates) - Arabic - German - Finnish - French - Italian - Japanese - Dutch - Chinese'. The 'Description Languages' panel on the right now has the 'Select All' button checked, and all the language checkboxes are also checked: Arabic, Czech, Danish, German, Greek, English (UnitedStates), Spanish, Finnish, French, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Dutch, Nynorsk, Polish, Portuguese (Brazil), Portuguese (Portugal), Russian, Swedish, Turkish, and Chinese.

Step 5 – Adjust the Application Title and Application ID.

By selecting the Application title, the multiple titles of this application are shown.

Just inputting one value as a title is enough (fortunately). Make sure no capitals are used thought, as the Application ID needs to be the same.

Make sure the Application ID is the same as the title.



Application title:
sample

Application ID:
sample

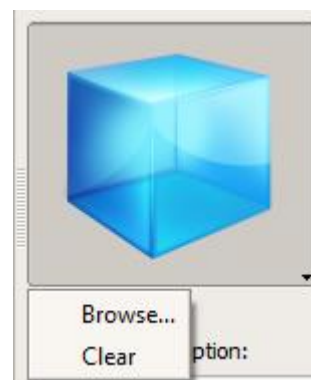
Application version:
0.0.0

Application description:

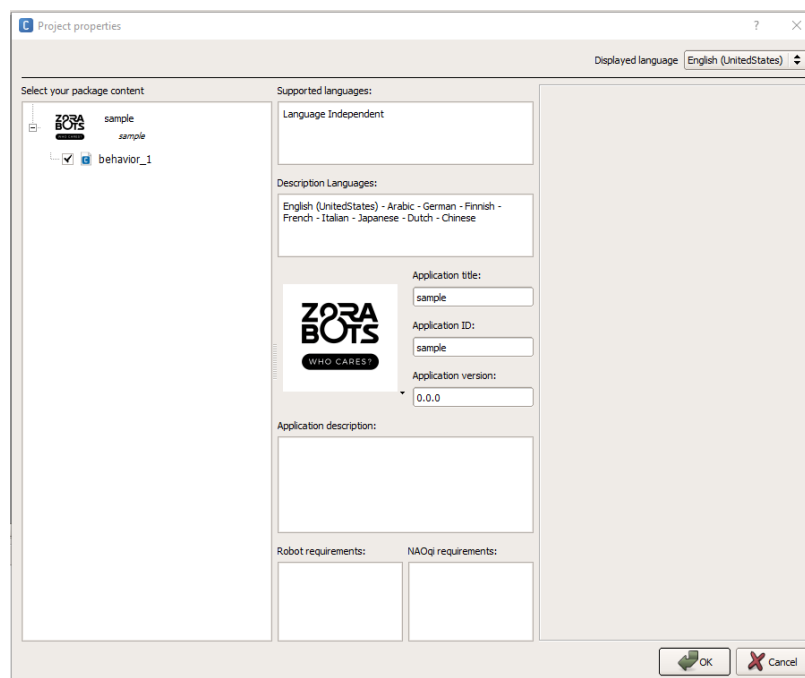
Step 6 – Select a **PNG-file** as an icon for the behavior.

By selecting the icon, the menu to select a new image or use the system default is shown.

By clicking the 'Browse'-button, a PNG-file can be selected that will be used as image for the behavior.



Once everything is said and done, the following properties should be shown for the behavior:



Project properties

Displayed language: English (UnitedStates)

Select your package content:

- sample
- sample
- behavior_1

Supported languages:

Language Independent

Description Languages:

English (UnitedStates) - Arabic - German - Finnish - French - Italian - Japanese - Dutch - Chinese

Application title:
sample

Application ID:
sample

Application version:
0.0.0

Application description:

Robot requirements:

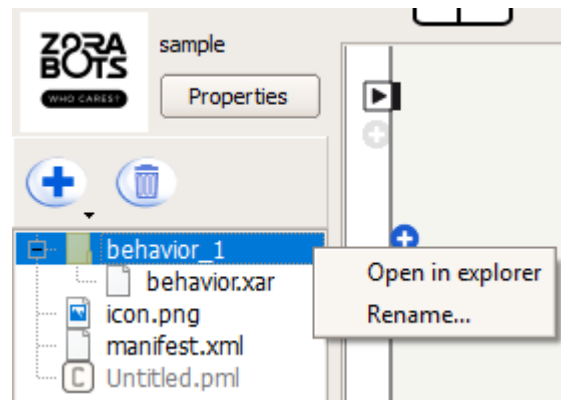
NAOqi requirements:

OK Cancel

Step 7 – Change the name of the folder

One final step is needed, specifically changing the name of the folder containing the behavior. This should be altered to match the title/ID of the behavior.

By right clicking the name of the behavior, it is possible to rename it **to match the name of the behavior**.



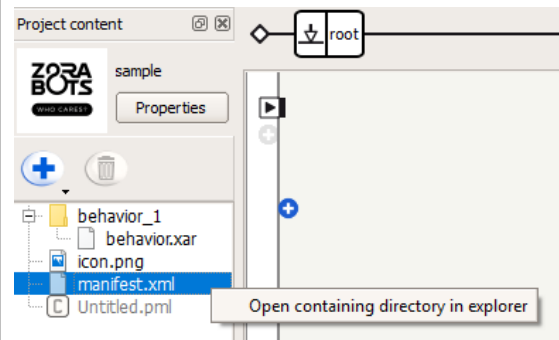
3.2 *Checking the settings*

After the settings are properly filled in, a final check is needed. This is done by examining the **manifest.xml**-file of the project.

Step 1 – Open manifest.xml on the disc

By right-clicking the file, the containing directory will be opened on the computer.

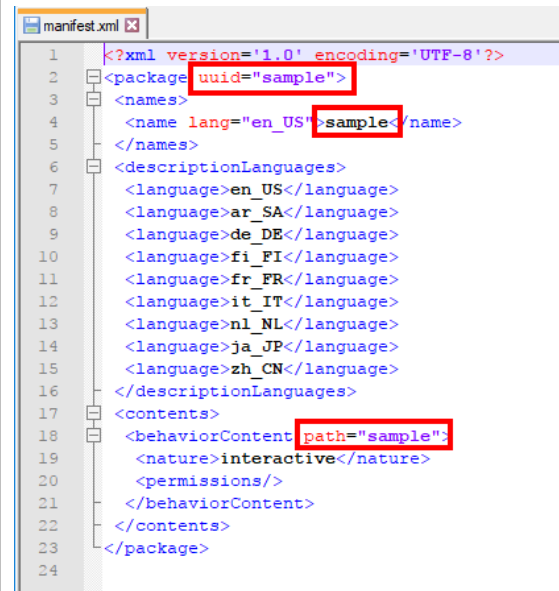
By opening the file with notepad++ (or something similar), the settings can be checked.



Step 2 – Check manifest.xml

The following items should have the same name:

- UUID
- Title (names)
- Path-name



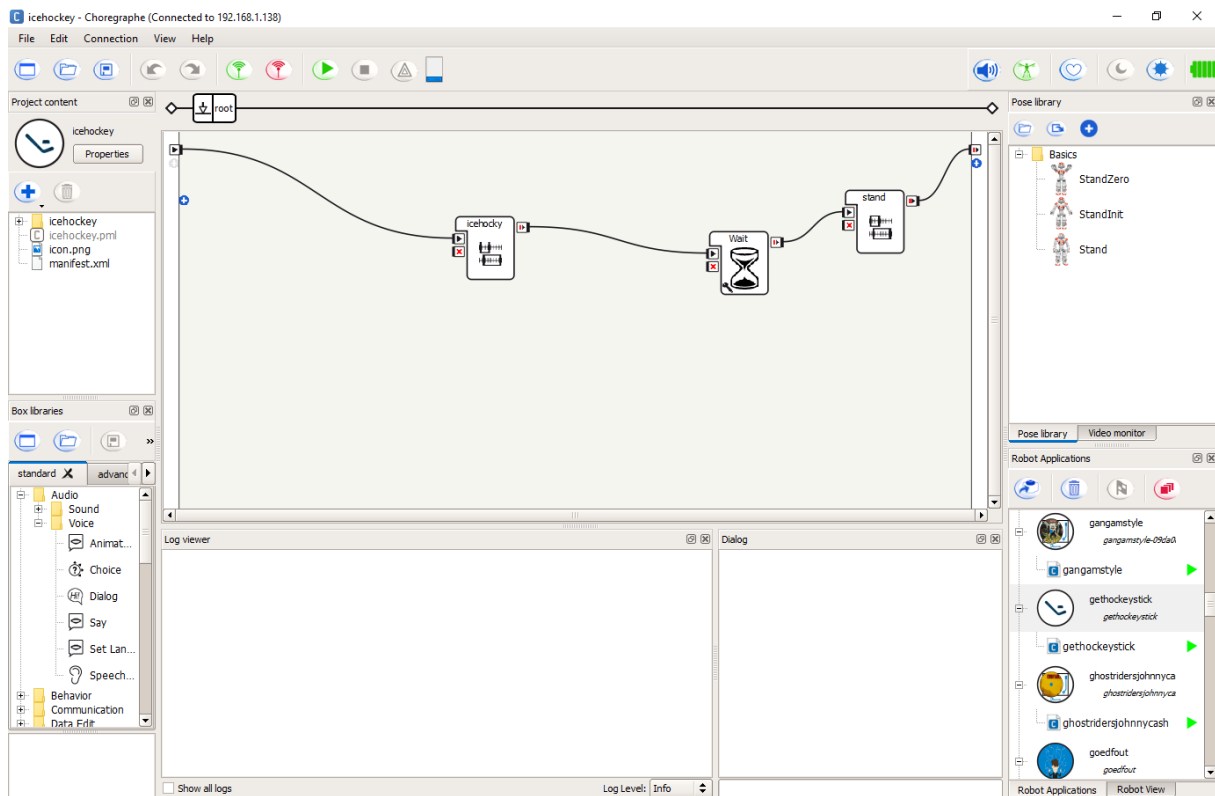
Once this is all in order, the project can be saved as a **PML-file** on the computer.

4 Installing the behavior


Once a behavior is created and adjusted to be compatible with Zora- or Pepper-Control, it may be uploaded to the robot.

4.1 *Installing the behaviors on the robot*

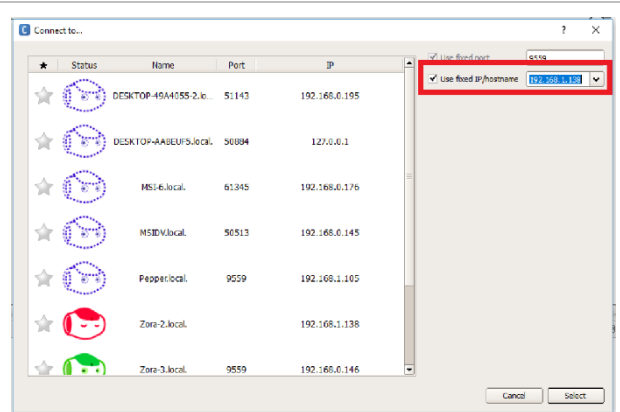
Once the software is installed, the **pml**-file can be opened in Choregraphe.




Step 1 – Open Choregraphe and connect to the robot.

By clicking the  icon in the top menu bar, a popup will open where the IP-address of the robot must be entered in the top right corner.

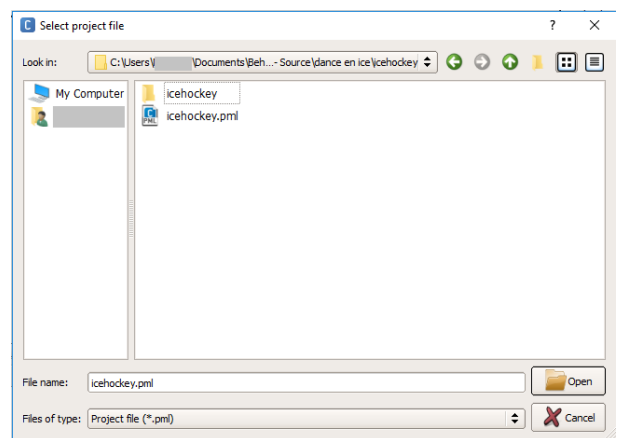
If multiple Zora's are present in the network, **double check** if the correct Zora has been selected (by using the camera of saying something through Zora-Control)




Step 2 – Open the PML-file if needed.

By clicking the  icon in the top left corner of the menu-bar, the sent PML-files can be selected, in their respective folders.

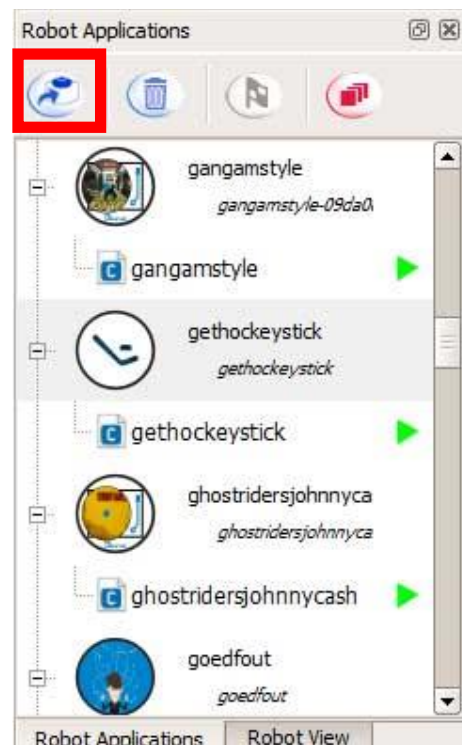
By selecting the project-folder, the PML-file can be selected in the **first folder** down.



Step 3 – Upload the behavior to the robot

By selecting the  icon in the **Robot Application**-tab, the selected project file can be installed on the robot.

If this category is not visible, it can be selected once more by using the **menu**, selecting **'View'** and selecting **'Robot Applications'**.



5 Linking the behavior in Zora- or Pepper-Control.

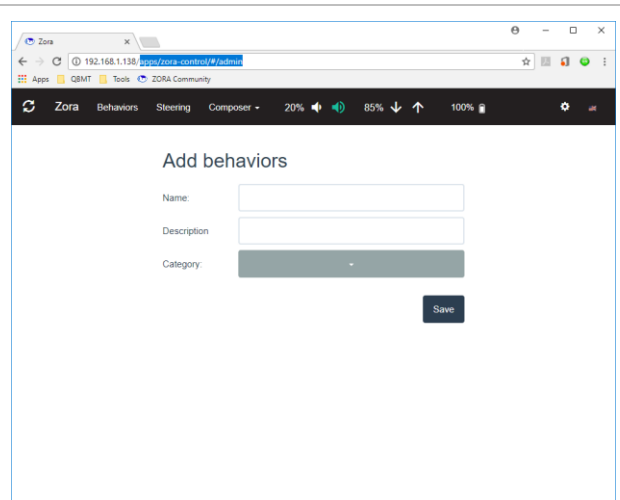
Once the previous steps have been completed, the behavior can be run from Choregraphe. To run the program from Zora-Control, an additional step is needed, specifically linking the installed behavior to a category.

Step 1 – Open the admin-page of Zora-Control

Enter the following link into the address bar of Google Chrome:

<http://ipofyourrobot/apps/zora-control/#/admin>

Replace the ipofyourrobot by the robot's current IP address. (see the example).



Step 2 – Fill in the name of the behavior and the category.

The format for entering the behavior in the admin-page is the following: '**Application ID**'/'**Map-name containing the behavior.xar-file**'.

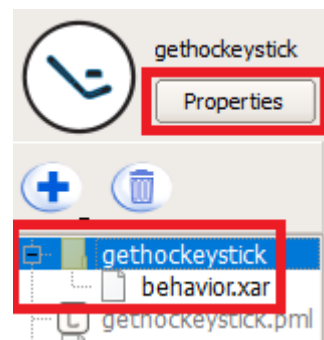
The Application ID can be found in the 'Properties' page.

The path can be found in the location:

As an example, the Name of the behavior is **gethockeystick/gethockeystick** and the category would be **Moving with Zora**.

The field description contains the **display-name** that will be shown in Zora-Control of the behavior.

By clicking the save-button, the behavior can be accessed from Zora-Control in the selected category.



Add behaviors

Name:

Description:

Category: