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TOPIC ---

To disable navigation through a stack with arrow keys, while still allowing
arrow keys to be used in a field, put the following handler in the stack or
background script.

DISCUSSION --

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on arrowKey
    if the selectedField is not empty then pass arrowkey
end arrowkey
```

This will make sure that the cursor is within a field before passing the
arrowKey.

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