QGIS Application - Bug report #11715
Building QGIS from source - step by step outdated information

2014-11-22 08:26 AM - zirneklitis -

Status:	Closed			
Priority:	Normal			
Assignee:				
Category:	Documentation and Help			
Affected QGIS version:	master	**Regression?:**	No	
Operating System:	Any	**Easy fix?:**	No	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:		**Resolution:**		
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:		**Copied to github as #:**	19953	

Description

There is an outdated information in the document "Building QGIS from source - step by step" (
http://htmlpreview.github.io/?https://raw.github.com/qgis/QGIS/master/doc/INSTALL.html)

In the chapter "3.9.2. Step 2: compile and install the ecw libraries" refers to non-existing web server: http://www.erdas.com/. Long time ago was obtained by Leica and now it is as a part of Hexagon Geospatial. All downloads are redirected to Intergraph server. Intergraph does not provide 'Image Compression SDK Source Code 3.3'. You have to use ERDAS ECW/JP2 SDK v5.1 (with free Desktop Read-only license) or search for 'Image Compression SDK Source Code 3.3' out in the wild.

More information:
http://www.gdal.org/frmt_ecw.html
http://trac.osgeo.org/gdal/wiki/ECW

Associated revisions

Revision f10a8cce - 2014-11-22 06:54 PM - Jürgen Fischer

update INSTALL (fixes #11715)

- remove outdate "practical case" section

- include pointer to GDAL formats for build instructions for proprietary

  formats in overview

- cosmetics

History

#1 - 2014-11-22 09:59 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Fixed in changeset commit:"f10a8cce7d5345de602f3c95c3e59b9f0d2febbf".