

QGIS Application - Feature request #12890

Add symbol for filtered layer in Layer list

2015-06-05 05:54 AM - Bernd Vogelgesang

Status:	Closed	Resolution: Copied to github as #: 20980
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:		
Category:	Map Legend	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:		
Easy fix?:	No	
Description		
<p>When using a Filter/Feature subset/Query on a layer, the user or other users reusing the same project can't see immediately, that the layer is filtered and does not provide the whole data set. This can lead to a lot of confusion, when suddenly some data is "gone". Especially with ESRI-Shape files, which become uneditable when filtered, users may think that something is broken cause the layer does not behave as expected.</p> <p>Of course one can see the filtered state when hovering over the layer name, but especially for novices the statements might not be interpretable.</p> <p>So it would be nice to add e.g a funnel symbol behind the layer name to indicate that it is filtered.</p> <p>The same symbol might be added to the context menu before "Filter...", so users easily learn what the symbol means.</p> <p>Cheers Bernd</p>		
Related issues:		
Duplicated by QGIS Application - Feature request # 16367: Indicate filters in...		Closed 2017-03-20

History

#1 - 2015-06-05 01:52 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Target version set to Future Release - Nice to have
- Category changed from GUI to Map Legend

#2 - 2017-05-01 12:47 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Easy fix? set to No

#3 - 2019-04-13 02:56 PM - Bernd Vogelgesang

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Just discovered that there is now a filter symbol in the layer list for filtered layers.
Many thanks for incorporating this!

Files

funnel_context.png	76.2 KB	2015-06-05	Bernd Vogelgesang
funnel_layerlist.png	18 KB	2015-06-05	Bernd Vogelgesang