

QGIS Application - Feature request #15925

External resource: being able to store more than one file (photo) in the same field (with possible preview)

2016-12-01 10:42 AM - Harrissou Santanna

Status:	Closed	
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:		
Category:	Edit widget	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	Resolution: wontfix
Easy fix?:	No	Copied to github as #: 23842
Description I'm exploring the external resource widget in order to store photos in a field. Very handy! Thanks for this. Sometimes, I find that I have more than one photos that sound interesting to keep for a given feature. But it doesn't make sense to create another field. What about a new feature that helps to store in the same field many resources (not always the same number per features): a kind of comma-separated list of photos path that could however be previewed in the feature form.		

History

#1 - 2016-12-01 10:52 AM - Nyal Dawson

Harrissou,

I believe this use case is better addressed by creating a separate child table for photos and setting up a 1 to many relation between the layers. This setup is already fully supported in QGIS.

#2 - 2016-12-01 11:03 AM - Harrissou Santanna

Good point, Nyal. I need to rethink my DB structure if I really want to store more than one file.

Btw, I was planning to test and update 1-n (or n-m) relation documentation but didn't have data. It seems that i have a good case now.

Is it worth keeping this request opened?

#3 - 2016-12-01 03:27 PM - Nyal Dawson

- Resolution set to wontfix

- Status changed from Open to Closed

I don't think so