QGIS Application - Bug report #17622

[Print composer] "Crop to content" when exporting adds a black band when items are not placed on the paper

2017-12-04 04:26 PM - Harrissou Santanna

Status: Open
Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Category: Map Composer/Printing

Affected QGIS version:3.5(master)Regression?:NoOperating System:Easy fix?:No

Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data: Copied to github as #: 25519

Description

Open a print composer

Add items

Add an item out of the paper area

Export to image with the "crop to content" option checked.

You get a black band when out of the paper frame.

Note that when the item placed out of the paper does not have a transparent background, the black band does not cover this item.

History

#1 - 2019-01-21 12:34 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

Please test with QGIS 3.4 - QGIS 2.18 reached it's end of life.

#2 - 2019-01-21 06:11 PM - Harrissou Santanna

- Affected QGIS version changed from 2.18.14 to 3.5(master)
- Status changed from Feedback to Open
- File croppedLayout.png added

Still applies to 3.5.

#3 - 2019-01-21 08:30 PM - Nyall Dawson

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

It's because you are saving as JPG, which does not support opacity. Try PNG instead.

#4 - 2019-02-26 06:54 PM - Harrissou Santanna

- Status changed from Feedback to Open

That means that a bigger than paper rendering with "crop to content" is not desirable for some formats. Might be worth mentioning this somewhere.

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#5 - 2019-02-26 10:34 PM - Nyall Dawson

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

So it's a documentation issue?

#6 - 2019-03-02 09:04 AM - Harrissou Santanna

- Status changed from Feedback to Open

Maybe (see https://github.com/qgis/QGIS-Documentation/pull/3483) but I'm not convinced that people ever read docs and, the layout component is the part of QGIS where no help button is available, not a single one. So for doc visibility...

I thought about a warning message (in bar?) but no idea when to raise it, nor whether it's better.

Files

croppedLayout.png 206 KB 2019-01-21 Harrissou Santanna

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