# QGIS Application - Feature request #4383 ftools: Improve how processes are handled

2011-10-15 06:30 AM - Giovanni Manghi

Status: Closed
Priority: Normal
Assignee: cfarmer Category: Processing/QGIS

Pull Request or Patch shapplied:Resolution:wontfixEasy fix?:NoCopied to github as #: 14315

### **Description**

See also #3810-6

The suggestion would be to improve them the same way as the gdal tools processes are handled: launching a process does not "block" qgis as it runs in the background, and a user can still work with the main program.

For large datasets this is a must.

## History

## #1 - 2011-12-05 06:11 AM - Alexander Bruy

Merge shapefiles to one, Simplify geometries, Densify geometries and Create spatial index tools now runs in separate thread and don't block QGIS main window (see commit:48112cc1bc, commit:ad1a4e2cde and commit:26528def45)

#### #2 - 2011-12-05 06:48 AM - Alexander Bruy

Split vector layer now also runs in separate thread (commit:a00ef42a75)

#### #3 - 2011-12-16 02:10 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Target version set to Version 1.7.4

# #4 - 2012-04-15 10:09 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Target version changed from Version 1.7.4 to Version 2.0.0

# #5 - 2012-10-06 02:15 AM - Pirmin Kalberer

- Target version changed from Version 2.0.0 to Future Release - Nice to have

#### #6 - 2014-06-20 03:36 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Status changed from Open to Closed
- Resolution set to wontfix

This would need to be implemented in Processing tools.

## #7 - 2017-05-01 01:22 AM - Giovanni Manghi

The "ftools" category is being removed from the tracker, changing the category of this ticket to "Processing/QGIS" to not leave the category orphaned.

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## #8 - 2017-08-08 08:36 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- Easy fix? set to No
- Description updated

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