

QGIS Application - Bug report #5069

cmake fails to detect correct python version

2012-02-22 12:55 PM - milovanderlinden -

Status:	Closed	
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:		
Category:	Build/Install	
Affected QGIS version:	master	Regression?: No
Operating System:	Archlinux	Easy fix?: No
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	Resolution:
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:	No	Copied to github as #: 14836
Description		
<p>I am trying to compile qGIS from git on archlinux. My system contains various python versions:</p> <pre>/usr/bin/python -> python3 /usr/bin/python2 -> python2.7 /usr/bin/python2.7 /usr/bin/python2.7-config /usr/bin/python2-config -> python2.7-config /usr/bin/python3 /usr/bin/python3.2 /usr/bin/python3.2-config -> python3.2mu-config /usr/bin/python3.2mu /usr/bin/python3.2mu-config /usr/bin/python3-config -> python3.2-config /usr/bin/python-config -> python3-config</pre> <p>with cmake I set:</p> <pre>PYTHON_LIBRARY /usr/bin/python2.7</pre> <p>But when I run cmake, output is:</p> <pre>-- Quantum GIS version: 1.9.90 Alpha (10990) -- Could not find GRASS -- Found Proj: /usr/lib/libproj.so -- Found GEOS: /usr/lib/libgeos_c.so -- Found GDAL: /usr/lib/libgdal.so -- Found Expat: /usr/lib/libexpat.so -- Found Qwt: /usr/lib/libqwt.so (6.0.1) -- Found PostgreSQL: /usr/lib/libpq.so -- Pedantic compiler settings enabled -- Found Python executable: /usr/bin/python -- Found Python include path: /usr/include/python3.2mu ### ADDED BY ME IN FindPythonLibrary.cmake ### -- Found Python version: 3.2.2 -- Found Python library: /usr/bin/python2.7 -- Found SIP version: 4.13.2 -- Found PyQt4 version: 4.9.1 -- Found GSL: /usr/lib/libgsl.so -- Ctest Binary Directory set to: /data/Development/Quantum-GIS/build/output/bin -- Configuring done -- Generating done</pre>		

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-- Build files have been written to: /data/Development/Quantum-GIS/build
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I isolated the problem to FindPythonLibrary.cmake, but since I am new to cmake scripts, I will need some time to investigate further, hoping to come up with a patch myself.

History

#1 - 2012-02-22 01:03 PM - Jürgen Fischer

Set PYTHON_EXECUTABLE to /usr/bin/python2.7 and PYTHON_LIBRARY to /usr/lib/libpython2.7.so

#2 - 2012-02-22 01:16 PM - milovanderlinden -

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cmake -D PYTHON_EXECUTABLE=/usr/bin/python2.7 ..
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produces

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-- Quantum GIS version: 1.9.90 Alpha (10990)
-- Could not find GRASS
-- Found Proj: /usr/lib/libproj.so
-- Found GEOS: /usr/lib/libgeos_c.so
-- Found GDAL: /usr/lib/libgdal.so
-- Found Expat: /usr/lib/libexpat.so
-- Found Qwt: /usr/lib/libqwt.so (6.0.1)
-- Found PostgreSQL: /usr/lib/libpq.so
-- Pedantic compiler settings enabled
-- Found PythonInterp: /usr/bin/python2.7 (found version "2.7.2")
-- Found Python executable: /usr/bin/python2.7
-- Found Python include path: /usr/include/python2.7
-- Found Python version: 2.7.2
-- Found Python library: /usr/lib/libpython2.7.so
-- Found SIP version: 4.13.2
-- Found PyQt4 version: 4.9.1
-- Found GSL: /usr/lib/libgsl.so
-- Ctest Binary Directory set to: /data/Development/Quantum-GIS/build/output/bin
-- Configuring done
-- Generating done
-- Build files have been written to: /data/Development/Quantum-GIS/build
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so that looks good!

Starting the make process now.

#3 - 2012-02-22 01:59 PM - milovanderlinden -

Setting PYTHON_LIBRARY to /usr/lib/libpython2.7.so is necessary, but from there forward, everything works fine. This is a perfectly acceptable work around. I will see if I can add the information to the install wiki

#4 - 2014-02-23 12:17 AM - Matthias Kuhn

- Status changed from Open to Closed

