

## QGIS Application - Bug report #963

### The project Save? dialog does not appear when expected.

2008-02-28 06:28 PM - Steven Mizuno

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	
<b>Priority:</b>	Low	
<b>Assignee:</b>	nobody -	
<b>Category:</b>	Project Loading/Saving	
<b>Affected QGIS version:</b>		<b>Regression?:</b> No
<b>Operating System:</b>	All	<b>Easy fix?:</b> No
<b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b>		<b>Resolution:</b> fixed
<b>Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:</b>		<b>Copied to github as #:</b> 11022
<b>Description</b>		
<p>A project with layers loaded sometimes doesn't get the Save dialog on closing QGIS/new file/open file actions</p> <p>The Ask to save project changes... option is enabled.</p> <p>One sequence of steps that does cause the Save? dialog to appear:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. with any project (file or new) click one of the Zoom buttons (don't need to actually do any zooming - it is the button click action setting a "dirty" flag.)</li><li>2. close QGIS</li></ol> <p>Most other actions on the project, like adding a layer, don't cause the Save? dialog to appear.</p> <p>This occurs in HEAD and back to 0.9.0, and on Windows and Linux.</p> <p>When I noticed this I decided to write down exactly what I was expecting so I could test each scenario more intelligently than just randomly clicking buttons and such.</p> <p>I poked around in the Developers area of the wiki and couldn't find anything outlining expected behavior on this topic. Perhaps I am looking in the wrong place. The user manual doesn't really address this, just a mention of the Ask to save project changes option.</p> <p>So, I have attached my list of expectations for the Save? dialog to appear (or not) Comments?</p>		

## History

### #1 - 2009-08-19 09:52 AM - Paolo Cavallini

I confirm: if I remove a layer from a project, I can close QGIS without a question

### #2 - 2009-08-31 11:52 PM - luca76 -

I cannot reproduce it:

- 1) new project
- 2) add a shapefile
- 3) zoom

closing QGIS asks me if I want to save...

### #3 - 2009-09-08 03:03 AM - Paolo Cavallini

I can confirm the defect: if you add a layer to an existing project, you are not asked to save it when closing.

**#4 - 2009-11-29 01:57 AM - Giovanni Manghi**

Tested now on commit:f81780d2 (SVN r12280): adding a layer now seems to work. If you try close qgis it ask you if you want to save the changes.

Removing a layer still doesn't work as expected: you can remove a layer from a just saved project and then close qgis. No question will pop up asking to save the project.

**#5 - 2010-02-11 01:36 AM - dr -**

confirmed <https://trac.osgeo.org/qgis/ticket/2431>

**#6 - 2010-02-11 04:22 AM - Jürgen Fischer**

- *Status changed from Open to Closed*
- *Resolution set to fixed*

fixed in commit:b1e241a0 (SVN r12927). maybe just partly. issues from #2431 are covered. if there are any other actions that modify the project so that it should be save, please name them (like in #2341).

**#7 - 2010-02-11 07:47 PM - dr -**

If move disabled layer in TOC to new place then The project Save? dialog does not appear.

**Files**

QGIS-expected_behavior_-_Save_dialog.txt	2.9 KB	2008-02-28	Steven Mizuno
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