QGIS Application - Bug report #9834 Atlas weird behaviour

2014-03-22 08:42 PM - Antonio Locandro

Status: Closed Priority: Normal

Assignee: Nyall Dawson

Category: Map Composer/Printing

Affected QGIS version:masterRegression?:NoOperating System:Easy fix?:No

Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data: Copied to github as #: 18365

Description

I have been using Atlas after Anita Graser told me about it, unfortunately I have found several bugs

- 1. Scale is not honored, I type a fix scale and it keeps resetting the scale
- 2. It works randomly, sometimes it works sometimes it doesn't
- 3. It doesn't work really good with openlayers base layers, it gives some nan extent things
- 4. After messing with options a lot sometimes it deletes the map composer view
- 5. I check the generate Atlas options, yet I have to check the map composer item controlled by Atlas option manually which seems not good UI/UX design

I have made two videos to try to show what's happening

https://www.dropbox.com/s/wikdwltr4mcshuu/screencast_%20%2801%29.mp4 https://www.dropbox.com/s/aj9zm0s4mw84ffn/screencast_%20%2802%29.mp4

Platform Windows 7 and 8 using 64 bit OSGEO4W installer and latest Master

Related issues:

Related to QGIS Application - Bug report # 9839: Atlas does not honor "fixed	Closed	2014-03-23
Related to QGIS Application - Bug report # 9840: Using Atlas with OpenLayers	Closed	2014-03-23
Related to QGIS Application - Bug report # 9841: Atlas-controlled map vanishe	Closed	2014-03-23
Related to QGIS Application - Bug report # 9842: Selecting Atlas-controlled m	Closed	2014-03-23

History

#1 - 2014-03-23 02:17 AM - Anita Graser

- Affected QGIS version changed from 2.2.0 to master
- Category set to 33
- Target version set to Future Release Lower Priority

#2 - 2014-03-23 02:25 AM - Anita Graser

Thanks for your input and the screencast. There is certainly a lot going on and I'll try to reproduce the issues to try get to the core of the problems.

In general, I think it is preferable to create one ticket per issue and try to provide instructions to reproduce the issue - if possible of course. But in this case, since you have one video summarizing most of the issues, this collection ticket makes sense to me.

A related issue might be: preview and atlas scales are not synchronized #9602

#3 - 2014-03-23 02:31 AM - Giovanni Manghi

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- Category changed from 33 to Map Composer/Printing
- Target version deleted (Future Release Lower Priority)

I don't think that the OL layers is a QGIS/Atlas issue, if I'm not wrong the OL plugin does not supports printing.

#4 - 2014-03-23 03:21 AM - Anita Graser

For now, I can't test the OpenLayers-related issues since adding OpenLayers layers crashes master #9649

#5 - 2014-03-23 03:26 AM - Anita Graser

@Giovanni: I'm unsure if OL should support printing or not, see #6653 which argues that it should work.

#6 - 2014-03-23 03:38 AM - Anita Graser

ad point 5: A discussion has been started on the dev/ux lists:

- http://osgeo-org.1560.x6.nabble.com/Atlas-preview-td5103375.html
- http://osgeo-org.1560.x6.nabble.com/Re-Qgis-developer-Atlas-preview-td5103568.html

#7 - 2014-03-23 04:05 AM - Anita Graser

ad point 1: "Fixed scale" seems to work fine with metric CRS (e.g. EPSG:3035) but scale changes when WGS84 is used as a project CRS.

#8 - 2014-03-23 04:18 AM - Anita Graser

- Assignee set to Nyall Dawson

#9 - 2014-03-23 01:18 PM - Nyall Dawson

Can this please be split into multiple issues before too much discussion occurs? It's going to get very messy otherwise!

#10 - 2014-03-23 01:24 PM - Anita Graser

@Nyall: Can any of the 5 issues be discarded or should I open a ticket for each?

#11 - 2014-03-23 01:48 PM - Nyall Dawson

Perhaps number 3 (open layers related), but may as well make it too and I'll see what's happening there.

#12 - 2014-03-23 02:06 PM - Anita Graser

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Ok, I created 4 tickets. Didn't quite know what to do with the 2nd one ...

I guess I'll close this one now.

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#13 - 2014-03-23 02:10 PM - Nyall Dawson

Thanks Anita! I think number 2 might just be a bit more info for number 1, at least that's how I interpreted it.

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