

## QGIS Application - Feature request #989

### Action with Capture output disabled appears to do nothing

2008-03-12 07:12 PM - Steven Mizuno

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	
<b>Priority:</b>	Low	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Gary Sherman	
<b>Category:</b>	Map Canvas	
<b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b>		<b>Resolution:</b> fixed
<b>Easy fix?:</b>	No	<b>Copied to github as #:</b> 11049
<b>Description</b>		
<p>Action with Capture output disabled appears to do nothing when activated (Linux and Windows; don't know about Mac).</p> <p>1. set up an Action to start Firefox, for example (doesn't matter what program is used); don't enable Capture output 2. Identify an object on the canvas, then click the action item in the Identify Results dialog - no window for the program appears.</p> <p>If Capture output is enabled, then the dialog to show the results of the program appears and the program window appears as expected.</p> <p>This used to work on 0.8.1</p>		

#### History

##### #1 - 2008-03-21 06:01 PM - Steven Mizuno

I am submitting a patch to fix this problem. This is the cause: the process is started, then immediately killed by die() if the process is not captured.

The details:

1.merged the two

if (capture)

code blocks where the process is started for capturing

2. used QProcess::startDetached() to start the non-captured process

3. on failure to start the non-captured process a message box is raised to inform the user

I have tested this on Linux and Windows XP.

##### #2 - 2008-08-05 12:19 AM - gjm -

- Resolution set to fixed

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Applied in commit:1b378f63 (SVN r8990). Thanks.

##### #3 - 2009-08-22 12:57 AM - Anonymous

Files

patch_for_bug_989.txt	1.33 KB	2008-03-21	Steven Mizuno
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