

QGIS Application - Bug report #10329

OpenSuse 13.1 LXDE Application launcher menu corrupted by QGIS2 .desktop file

2014-05-22 06:25 AM - Andy Burnham

Status:	Closed	
Priority:	Normal	
Assignee:	Otto Dassau	
Category:	Build/Install	
Affected QGIS version:	2.2.0	Regression?: No
Operating System:	Linux	Easy fix?: No
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	Resolution: up/downstream
Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:	No	Copied to github as #: 18752
Description		
<p>Hello, I installed QGIS2 from the OpenSuse 13.1 Geo repository. The application works fine but in doing this it wiped / corrupted half my LXDE app launcher menu. (LXDE is a lightweight alternative to KDE / Gnome)</p> <p>I now only have Accessories, Development, Education, Games, Graphics, Run and then Logout at the bottom.</p> <p>QGIS has been added to the app launcher menu in Graphics but it's at the bottom and all the graphics apps after Q are missing. This would suggest that something QGIS has added is upsetting the menu launcher parser</p> <p>I traced this to the qgis2.desktop file which is created like this</p> <pre>cat /usr/share/applications/qgis2.desktop</pre> <p>[Desktop Entry] X-SuSE-translate=false Encoding=UTF-8 Name=QGIS 2.2 GenericName=Geographic Information System Comment= Exec=qgis Icon=qgis.png Terminal=false Type=Application Categories=Graphics;Viewer;<p>I found that if I delete the line Type=Application and save it then all the launcher menu options come back again and all is fine.</p><p>I don't get this problem in KDE or XFCE. The above .desktop file looks correct to me and I believe Type=Application is an allowable option so I don't know why lxpanel doesn't like this.</p><p>I think this may be a bug in their lxpanel so I've reported it there</p><p>https://sourceforge.net/p/lxde/bugs/650/</p><p>but I've recorded it here in case anyone else sees the problem</p><p>Many Thanks</p></p>		

History

#1 - 2014-06-21 02:09 PM - Jürgen Fischer

- Assignee set to Otto Dassau

#2 - 2014-10-25 02:02 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- *Category set to Build/Install*

#3 - 2015-03-28 03:56 PM - Pavlos Katsonis

I confirm that this bug exists in LXDE Desktop of openSUSE 13.2, too. The menu is not corrupted for the other desktops (E17).

#4 - 2016-10-30 02:58 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- *Resolution set to up/downstream*

- *Status changed from Open to Closed*