QGIS Application - Feature request #11929
Show feature selection into Composer

2014-12-30 12:08 AM - Loïc BARTOLETTI

Status:	Closed			
Priority:	Normal			
Assignee:				
Category:	Map Composer/Printing			
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No		**Resolution:**	wontfix
Easy fix?:	No		**Copied to github as #:**	20138

Description

I don't know why, but i can't reproduce this (

http://gis.stackexchange.com/questions/95498/how-to-bring-feature-selection-into-printing-composer) with QGis 2.4 and 2.6

It's very useful with QGis 2.2.

Can it be integrated as an option ?

History

#1 - 2014-12-30 01:23 AM - Giovanni Manghi

The map selection (not the identify highlighting as described in that stackexchange post) did show in the composer until qgis 2.2. I'm not sure why after it stopped. Maybe is a bug but personally I don't think it is the right way anyway to bring in the composer highlighted features, that should be done using vector symbology.

#2 - 2014-12-30 01:45 AM - Loïc BARTOLETTI

For some users (who using a GIS like a simple viewer) is really useful. He didn't want explore symbology.

#3 - 2014-12-30 02:02 AM - Nyall Dawson

- Resolution set to wontfix

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Showing a selection in composer was a bug which was fixed for 2.4 - which is why that stackexchange method no longer works.

If you really want to show selections in composer outputs you can use the "isselected" function from the expressions+ plugin, and style your symbology to change the actual rendering of features based on whether they are selected or not. That method works well with composer.

#4 - 2015-01-02 01:41 AM - Loïc BARTOLETTI

I hoped that this wasn't a bug but a feature

But, thank you for the solution "expression+". That works well.

#5 - 2015-06-29 07:27 AM - Hugo Mercier

Hi,

Nyall, Giovanni, could you develop on why this is not a good idea to allow displaying the current selection in a composer map ? (with an option, say)
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#6 - 2015-06-30 11:04 AM - Giovanni Manghi

Hugo Mercier wrote:

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> *Nyall, Giovanni, could you develop on why this is not a good idea to allow displaying the current selection in a composer map ? (with an option, say)*
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Hi Hugo, mine just a personal (not strong) opinion/preference, just that :)