

## QGIS Application - Bug report #16628

### Count Unique Points in Polygons seems to fail inside a loop (PyQGIS)

2017-05-26 10:14 PM - Diego García Díaz

<b>Status:</b> Closed	
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>	
<b>Category:</b> Processing/QGIS	
<b>Affected QGIS version:</b> 2.18.8	<b>Regression?:</b> No
<b>Operating System:</b>	<b>Easy fix?:</b> No
<b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b>	<b>Resolution:</b>
<b>Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:</b>	<b>Copied to github as #:</b> 24528

#### Description

Hi,

I have been using the tool 'is:countuniquepointsinpolygon' inside a loop with 4000 polygons and a shapefile with 500000 points. The tool runs without any issue, but when I look at the result field, the maximum value that it gets is 2 (which is incorrect). If I run the tool from the toolbox, just for one polygon I get correct results, but for one reason inside the loop never go over 2 (maybe something with memory available?). Besides, this happens with a huge number of points, if I run the loop with a smaller shapefile point, it throws correct results.

I have uploaded to my Dropbox 5 polygons and a 10% of the points (I also get wrong values with this small sub dataset):

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/f5982yd8dovsng3/AAAwVmbtGc4uSOhi96GLHP4a?dl=0>

And the script that I wrote is this:

-----Code-----

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import os, processing
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1. Set local variables
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path = r'my\base\path\Dissolves'  
continents = r'\somepath\points.shp'  
outpath = r'path\to\outfile'
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1. Creamos la lista de shapes
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shpList = [os.path.join(path, i) for i in os.listdir(path) if i.endswith('.shp') and not 'point' in i]  
print('creada lista de', len(shpList), 'shapes')
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for shp in shpList:
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    outShp = os.path.join(outpath, os.path.split(shp)[1])  
    print('Haciendo especie:', os.path.split(shp)[1])  
    try:
```

```
1. Ejecutamos el join espacial dentro de un tr por si hubiera algun error poder continuar al siguiente shape
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```
    processing.runalg('qgis:countuniquepointsinpolygon', shp, continents, 'issed', 'NUMPOINTS', outShp)  
except Exception as e:  
    print('Error', e, os.path.split(shp)[1])  
    continue
```

-----End Code-----

Thanks for your help!

Best regards,  
Diego Garcia Diaz

## History

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### #1 - 2017-05-26 11:42 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Project changed from QGIS Redmine (QGIS bug tracker) to QGIS Application
- Easy fix? set to No
- Regression? set to No
- Crashes QGIS or corrupts data set to No
- Affected QGIS version set to 2.18.8
- Category changed from Any to Python plugins

### #2 - 2017-05-30 07:24 AM - evangelos vafeiadis

try:

1. Ejecutamos el join espacial dentro de un tr por si hubiera algun error poder continuar al siguiente shape  
`processing.runalg('qgis:countuniquepointsinpolygon', shp, continents, 'issed', 'NUMPOINTS', outShp)`

Hello Giovanni,

your input parameters seem to be wrong. It's 'isseed' instead of 'issued'. Could you try again?

### #3 - 2017-05-30 07:36 AM - evangelos vafeiadis

PS. Can you assign the bug to me? I plan to a bit of extra code to catch an error like this.

### #4 - 2018-01-04 07:48 PM - Borys Jurgiel

- Category changed from Python plugins to Processing/QGIS

I'm updating the category. Unfortunately I have no idea how to assign it to you. Giovanni, are you around?

### #5 - 2018-02-02 09:14 AM - Alexander Bruy

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

Please check with latest 2.18 and master.

### #6 - 2018-05-16 02:22 PM - Alexander Bruy

- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

Closed for the lack of feedback. Please reopen if necessary.