

QGIS Application - Bug report #18949

Data Source Manager - Filter does not consider the Name and Abstract fields when displaying ArcGIS Map Server and ArcGIS Feature Server layers

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<div>Description</div> <div>When adding ArcGIS Map Server or ArcGIS Feature Server layers, the Data Source Manager has a text entry field called "Filter", with this tooltip:<div>Display WFS FeatureTypes containing this word in the title, name or abstract</div></div> <div>1. The tooltip says "WFS FeatureTypes", even though we are not trying to add a WFS layer. I see this is also an issue when you go to load a Geonode layer.</div> <div>2. The filter only filters based on the "Title" field, not the "Name" or "Abstract" field. This applies also to WFS layers and so I'm guessing also Geonode layers.</div> <div>In my very limited experience WFS layers actually have a useful title, so it isn't really a problem in that case. But I have never come across an ArcGIS server that had anything useful in the "Title" field - each layer just has a number i.e. 0, 1, 2...</div> <div>Perhaps there are ArcGIS servers with useful titles, and I just haven't seen them. But the filter won't be useful on the servers I've seen unless it takes into account the "Name" and "Abstract" fields.</div> <div>None of this is a regression i.e. it was the same in QGIS 2.x</div>	