# QGIS Application - Bug report #19703 Open MDAL data dialog does NOT show All files

2018-08-27 08:55 AM - Richard Duivenvoorde

Status: Closed Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Category: Data Provider/MDAL

Affected QGIS version:3.3(master)Regression?:NoOperating System:Easy fix?:No

Pull Request or Patch shipplied: Resolution:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data: Copied to github as #: 27528

#### Description

In current master if I open a Mesh via the Data Source Manager by clicking on the ... button, I get an 'Open MDAL Supported Mesh Dataset(s)' dialog, with on the bottom the possibility to only show 'GRIB Files', '2DM Meshfile' or All files.

BUT even using the 'All files', I do not see all files. Only when I rename a file to something.grib I start to see it.

To test: go to: https://data.knmi.nl/datasets/harmonie\_p1/0.2?q=grib

To get a current weather grib file, untar the .tgz file which will open as a long list of filenames like: /tmp/harm36 v1 ned surface 2018082700 048 GB (not without extension!)

But you will not be able to open those, unless you rename them to \*.grib (see screenshot, where I untarred the tgz into my /tmp and only renamed 1 of the files to /tmp/harm36 v1 ned surface 2018082700 048 GB.grib)

Also added a screenshot to show the mesh in QGIS because it is so cool :-)

## **Associated revisions**

# Revision 4fa62e9b - 2018-10-22 08:15 AM - Richard Duivenvoorde

Fix #19703, make filter translatable and add NetCDF (#8245)

- Add NetCDF into MDAL dialog's file filter

## History

## #1 - 2018-10-19 04:53 PM - Richard Duivenvoorde

- Assignee deleted (Peter Petrik)

Ok, I had a look into this myself, and found that the value of mFilter in qgsfilewidget.ccp

 $\underline{\text{https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/blob/master/src/gui/qgsfilewidget.cpp\#L254-L278}}$ 

Was different for different kind of files:

For grib it was:

"All files(.\*);;GRIB File(.grb .grb2 \*.bin \*.grib \*.grib1 \*.grib2);;2DM Mesh File(.2dm);;3Di Resu"

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For rasters it is:

"All files ();;GDAL/OGR VSIFileHandler (.zip \*.gz \*.tar \*.tar.gz \*.tgz \*.ZIP \*.GZ \*.TAR \*.TAR.GZ \*."

For csv it is:

"Text files (.txt \*.csv \*.dat \*.wkt);;All files ( \*.\*)"

AND actually only the csv shows ALL files for me!

According to http://doc.qt.io/qt-5/qfiledialog.html#setNameFilters using "\*.\*" is not portable.

They point to dot-files, but in my case the downloaded grb files without(!) any extension is also not shown.

I'll add a patch which change All files(.\*) to All files().

Grepping on "All files(\*" there are still a lot of other places where this is used.

# #2 - 2018-10-19 05:24 PM - Richard Duivenvoorde

See https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/pull/8245

#### #3 - 2018-10-22 08:15 AM - Richard Duivenvoorde

- % Done changed from 0 to 100
- Status changed from Open to Closed

Applied in changeset commit:qgis|4fa62e9b3bbe6383db2b682e89003a0a85428bad.

#### **Files**

openmesh.png	162 KB	2018-08-27	Richard Duivenvoorde
harmonyInQgis.png	1.03 MB	2018-08-27	Richard Duivenvoorde

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