QGIS Application - Feature request #364

'better' SQL to return results faster from the sample button in the query builder

2006-10-29 09:27 AM - rhys-stewart-gmail-com -

Status: Closed
Priority: Low
Assignee: Gary Sherman
Category: Data Provider
Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution: fixed
Easy fix?: No Copied to github as #: 10423

Description

Currently the sql that is used to return a subset of the values of a given column is:

SELECT DISTINCT mycolumn FROM mytable ORDER BY mycolumn LIMIT 25

this will be very slow on very large tables. On a table with ~670000 records this took about 15 seconds execute. A faster method would be a subselect as follows:

SELECT DISTINCT mycol from (SELECT mycol FROM mytable LIMIT 5000) as myfoo

This query took much less than a second to execute on the same table.

[[QgsPgQueryBuilder]]::on btnSampleValues clicked()

History

#1 - 2006-10-29 12:39 PM - Gavin Macaulay -

- Resolution set to fixed
- Status changed from Open to Closed

Applied in svn

Thanks for the improvement.

#2 - 2009-08-22 12:46 AM - Anonymous

Milestone Version 0.8 deleted

Files

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