# QGIS Application - Feature request #373 Allow searching of online WMS catalogues

2006-11-07 11:59 PM - Gavin Macaulay -

Status: Closed Priority: Low

**Assignee:** Brendan Morley -

Category: Web Services clients/WMS

Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution: fixed

Easy fix?: No Copied to github as #: 10432

## Description

The website <a href="http://wms-sites.com">http://wms-sites.com</a> provides a useful catalog of WMS servers. It would be nice if one could search that list from within qgis, and then display selected layers. Perhaps if there is a standard for catalogs of WMS, qgis could support that too.

Qgis could also provide the means to download a catalog of WMS servers and store them in qgis for future use (perhaps into an sqlite database).

Thanks to Tim for pointing that website out (http://www.nabble.com/Finding-WMS-Layers-tf2590455.html)

## History

## #1 - 2007-10-06 06:29 PM - godofredo -

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## #2 - 2008-09-23 07:30 AM - Tom Kralidis

Replying to [comment:2 godofredo]:

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Agreed. Geonetwork supports OGC Catalogue CSW as a discovery standard.

#### #3 - 2009-05-27 05:49 AM - Paolo Cavallini

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

Seems fixed in current trunk. Please check and reopen if not.

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