## QGIS Application - Bug report #6186

# "Build pyramids internally if possible" implies that if not possible, the pyramids will be automatically built externally

2012-08-12 09:53 PM - Alister Hood

Status: Closed Priority: Low

Assignee:

Category: GUI
Affected QGIS version:master

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Operating System: All

Pull Request or Patch supplied:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:

Regression: No

Easy fix?: No

Resolution: end of life

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#### Description

Load a jpeg into QGIS.

Right-click the jpeg layer in the TOC.

Choose Properties>Pyramids.

Select the option "Build pyramids internally if possible".

Select a pyramid resolution and click the "build pyramids" button.

You will get an error message: "The file was not writable. Some formats do not support pyramid overviews. Consult the GDAL documentation if in doubt."

An option to "build pyramids internally *if possible*" implies that if that *isn't* possible they will be built externally. Either QGIS should automatically build the pyramids externally instead of showing the error message, or the option should be renamed to simply "Build pyramids internally".

#### **History**

#### #1 - 2012-09-04 12:07 PM - Paolo Cavallini

- Target version set to Version 2.0.0

## #2 - 2014-06-28 07:42 AM - Jürgen Fischer

- Target version changed from Version 2.0.0 to Future Release - Lower Priority

#### #3 - 2017-05-01 01:09 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Easy fix? set to No
- Regression? set to No

### #4 - 2019-03-09 04:04 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Resolution set to end of life
- Status changed from Open to Closed

End of life notice: QGIS 2.18 LTR

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http://blog.qgis.org/2019/03/09/end-of-life-notice-qgis-2-18-ltr/

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