

## QGIS Application - Bug report #8472

### Scalebar unit selection

2013-08-15 06:56 PM - Brylie Oxley

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| <b>Status:</b> Closed                     |                                     |
| <b>Priority:</b> Normal                   |                                     |
| <b>Assignee:</b>                          |                                     |
| <b>Category:</b> Map Composer/Printing    |                                     |
| <b>Affected QGIS version:</b> master      | <b>Regression?:</b> No              |
| <b>Operating System:</b>                  | <b>Easy fix?:</b> No                |
| <b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b> No | <b>Resolution:</b> invalid          |
| <b>Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:</b> No  | <b>Copied to github as #:</b> 17240 |

#### Description

As a cartographer

I would like to select scale bar units independent of base map units

because I need to provide scale bar(s) representing multiple units (e.g. metric and imperial)

Scenario 1: base map units in degrees converted to kilometers

Given a user has a **base map with degrees as units**

And the user has added a **scale bar** in print composer

And the **scale bar properties have a unit selection** section

When the **user selects kilometers** as the scale bar units

Then the **scale bar will display the kilometer value**

#### History

#1 - 2013-08-16 01:36 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Resolution set to invalid

- Status changed from Open to Closed

In QGIS master aka 2.0 is already possible, you can switch the scalebar units between map units, meters and feet.