Audacious - OLD, PLEASE USE GITHUB DISCUSSIONS/ISSUES - Bug #289

MPRIS 2 plugin sends a stupid mpris:trackid

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May 11, 2013 19:14 - Mantas Mikulėnas

Status: Start date: Rejected May 11, 2013 **Priority:** Minor Due date: % Done: Assignee: 0% Category: plugins/mpris2 **Estimated time:** 0.00 hour Target version: Affects version:

Description

The MPRIS2 plugin should use mpris:trackid's that uniquely represent the current track.

Currently, it sets the mpris:trackid property for all tracks to the same value, /org/mpris/MediaPlayer2/CurrentTrack. This means MPRIS2 clients have no reliable way of knowing if a different track is being played, or if it just had metadata updated, whenever they receive a PropertiesChanged(Metadata) signal; they now have to guess based on URL and other metadata.

(Audacious does not have to actually export the trackid as a DBus object - it's enough to generate valid object names.)

Related to issue 129 in gnome-shell-extensions-mediaplayer

History

#1 - May 11, 2013 20:35 - John Lindgren

- Status changed from New to Rejected

I thought we had a report of this already but I can't find it now.

Audacious is a lightweight player and does not maintain unique IDs for individual tracks, so this MPRIS2 feature will not be implemented.

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