

## Audacious - Feature #639

### Follow-on to bug#638 - Plz add plugin basename to plugins menu

May 03, 2016 05:45 - Jim Turner

<b>Status:</b>	Rejected	<b>Start date:</b>	May 03, 2016
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	libaudgui	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	3.8		
<b>Affects version:</b>	3.7.2		
<b>Description</b>  Now that users can enter plugin names as arguments to the new audtool option plugin-enable, would you consider adding the proper 1-word name used there in the Settings.Plugins menus, say in parenthesis after the descriptive name? This would be helpful in knowing the proper parameter value when en/dis-abling plugins in audtool.  Thanks,  Jim			

#### History

##### #1 - May 03, 2016 05:54 - John Lindgren

Yes, this is a good idea.

##### #2 - May 04, 2016 00:37 - Thomas Lange

I think a new command which lists all available plugins would be better.

- It does not clutter the GUI
- Power users can get the information faster
- "Normal" users do not care what plugin name is used internally

##### #3 - May 04, 2016 04:16 - Jim Turner

So, guess I'm officially an "abnormal abUser" eh? LOL :D Sure, a sep. cmd. would be just as good for me, I figured adding it the menu would be easier and cleaner to do, but I just wanted to try out the new audtool feature you just added, but I don't (and others won't) know what the valid argument names are for most of the plugins.

##### #4 - May 04, 2016 04:34 - John Lindgren

ls -R /usr/lib/audacious also works.

##### #5 - May 04, 2016 09:01 - Jim Turner

So, same as the filenames - I shouldda guessed that, thx, JL!

##### #6 - May 05, 2016 01:36 - John Lindgren

Jim Turner wrote:

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It actually says that in the manpage ...

**#7 - May 15, 2016 08:17 - Jim Turner**

The more I think a/b this, the more I'm with Thomas - Since the need for this will be for quick lookup of the proper "names" to be used in the new audtool parameter (when using audtool), I believe there needs to be an audtool command to list the plugins showing their category, description, and "basename", making it easy to specify the proper argument value for plugin-enable.

Thanks,

Jim

**#8 - July 10, 2016 06:10 - John Lindgren**

I'm still not sure how often this would be used, or why we need to write a new audtool command when the "ls" command I gave above will show exactly the same information.

**#9 - January 22, 2017 06:14 - Jim Turner**

Ok, never mind, I haven't had a need for it anyway, if so, will just use your ls command. If/since no one else has ask for this, you can cancel this req.

Regards,

Jim

**#10 - January 29, 2017 19:35 - John Lindgren**

- *Status changed from New to Rejected*

OK, closing.