Packages - Bug #128

[anki] 86_64 installs but fails to open

2012-06-10 04:35 AM - encyclomundi

Status:	fixed	% Done:	100%
Priority:	bug		
Assignee:			
Category:			

Description

[cer@gramarye ~]$ anki
Traceback (most recent call last):
File "/usr/bin/anki", line 27, in <module>
ankiqt.run()
File "/usr/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ankiqt/__init__.py", line 183, in run
ui.importAll()
File "/usr/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ankiqt/ui/__init__.py", line 15, in importAll
import facteditor
File "/usr/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ankiqt/ui/facteditor.py", line 9, in <module>
import re, os, sys, tempfile, urllib2, ctypes
File "/usr/lib/python2.7/ctypes/__init__.py", line 10, in <module>
from _ctypes import Union, Structure, Array
ImportError: libffi.so.5: cannot open shared object file: No such file or directory

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History

#2 - 2012-06-10 09:14 AM - mtjm

What python2 version do you have? This occurred with python2-libre which should be replaced with python2.

#3 - 2012-06-10 09:43 AM - Brendan

I think this is caused by newly named packages not specifying that they replace the older one. Often this can't be done because a libre package might be removed in place of the Arch package which we have no control over the PKGBUILD for.
Run:

Pacman -Qm

to find packages that are no longer in the database, and thus probably have been renamed. I did this and found several packages that have been renamed that I didn't know about. I think I recall python being amongst them, and I use Anki myself on Parabola x86_64, so I expect it will be fixed after you install the new python.

#4 - 2012-06-10 04:33 PM - encyclomundi

replacing python-libre with python2 fixes the problem.