

## OpenAtlas - Feature #1814

### API: more compact API buttons in user interface

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#### Description

At the moment we have a button bar with 11 buttons at the entity view (if activated in the profile) to download entity specific API data in various formats.

It's a little too much for my taste, especially in regard of future additions so my suggestions would be to design it with e.g. a select field where different formats are offered instead of having a button for every format.

About the additional (inconsistent) download options (instead of viewing): we could remove it. Default could be to show it (except for formats that can't be displayed) because user can than "download" the page themselves if needed.

Of course other opinions how to display the API buttons can be added here, these are just my suggestions to make the view more compact and easier extendable for future additions.