# QGIS Application - Feature request #1297

## Add ability to control stroke capping for line symbology (or default to flat cap)

2008-09-05 01:52 PM - Ollie O'Brien -

Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Low		
Assignee:	nobody -		
Category:	Symbology		
Pull Request or Patch supplied:		Resolution:	fixed
Easy fix?:	No	Copied to github as #:	11357

### **Description**

It would be good to have control over how stroke capping is set - so that strokes which have thickness x don't extend beyond the actual end of the polyline by distance x/2, but rather finish exactly at it.

### See http://doc.trolltech.com/4.5/qpen.html#setCapStyle

Default is square capping, which causes the protrusion past the polyline end-point

QT 3 default was for flat capping - looks like this changed in QT 4.

Also looks like the old (pre 1.0) print composer setCapStyle to flat capping.

One problem with flat-capping is that it might cause ugly white slivers to appear where two polylines meet each other not-quite head-on-so probably needs to be a configurable option.

#### History

## #1 - 2010-04-24 05:02 AM - Paolo Cavallini

Isn't this solved in the new symbology? Can we close it?

#### #2 - 2010-04-24 04:40 PM - Ollie O'Brien -

- Resolution set to fixed
- Status changed from Open to Closed

Agreed, closing.

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