# QGIS Application - Bug report #14227 Processing: Dissolve polygons (GDAL/OGR and GRASS v.dissolve) in the Modeler

2016-02-03 10:28 AM - Filipe Dias

Status:	Closed		
Priority:	Normal		
Assignee:	Victor Olaya		
Category:	Processing/Modeller		
Affected QGIS version:master		Regression?:	No
Operating System:		Easy fix?:	No
Pull Request or Patch swipplied:		Resolution:	fixed/implemented
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Description			
Create a model			
Add a Vector layer box			
Add "Dissolve polygons" (GDAL/OGR)			
Type the name of the field to be used in the dissolve			
Modeler returns "Wrong or missing parameter"			
The Dissolve tools from QGIS and SAGA don't have this problem. This makes this tool useless when the user wants to use Dissolve at the end of a long chain of processes.			

## History

### #1 - 2016-02-04 11:08 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Subject changed from Processing: Dissolve polygons (GDAL/OGR) in the Modeler to Processing: Dissolve polygons (GDAL/OGR and GRASS

v.dissolve) in the Modeler

- Affected QGIS version changed from 2.12.2 to master
- Target version changed from Version 2.14 to Future Release High Priority
- Priority changed from High to Normal
- Assignee changed from Giovanni Manghi to Victor Olaya

It is also true for GRASS.

The difference is that in GDAL and GRASS the list for dissolve fields is populated as a dropdown, in QGIS and SAGA is an open field.

Apparently the first type is not handled correctly in the modeller(?)

## #2 - 2016-02-05 02:12 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Category changed from Processing/OGR to Processing/Modeller

## #3 - 2016-02-06 01:24 AM - Victor Olaya

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

It works fine here

The issue is that there are two params that require a field to be selected: "Dissolve field" and "Numeric attirbute to compute dissolved stats". They are both mandatory. If nothing is selected (or written) in there, it wont work

Maybe those params should be optional... (I don't know for sure if GDAL can run without them)

#### #4 - 2016-02-08 01:12 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

- Resolution set to fixed/implemented

Victor Olaya wrote:

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yes I checked on a clean install and you are right.

In the OGR module I made the necessary parameter optional (also in other modules) here

https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/pull/2769

Files

screen.png

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