# QGIS Application - Bug report #14414
## Authenticated support in plugin installer fails when only download is authenticated

2016-03-03 12:11 PM - Larry Shaffer

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Status:** | Closed | | | |
| **Priority:** | Normal | | | |
| **Assignee:** | Larry Shaffer | | | |
| **Category:** | Authentication system | | | |
| **Affected QGIS version:** | 2.14.0 | **Regression?:** | No | |
| **Operating System:** | | **Easy fix?:** | No | |
| **Pull Request or Patch supplied:** | | **Resolution:** | fixed/implemented | |
| **Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:** | No | **Copied to github as #:** | 22395 | |

**Description**

I added authentication system support to the plugin manager/installer in commit:36e7026.

That works if the entire plugin repo endpoint is authenticated, but fails if just the download of the plugin requires authentication. In the latter case, plugins are listed in the plugin manager via non-authenticated calls to **http[s]://my.pluginrepo.tld/plugins.xml**, however the actual download of the plugin's ZIP archive is from an HTTP[S] BASIC authentication directory, e.g. **http[s]://my.pluginrepo.tld/packages/plugin.zip**.

Note the connection does still work, i.e. prompting for the HTTP Basic auth credentials, though fails to use any predefined authentication system configuration.

The attached patch fixes this.

**History**

**#1 - 2016-03-04 01:11 PM - Larry Shaffer**

*- Resolution set to fixed/implemented*

*- Status changed from In Progress to Closed*

Fixed in commit:b63461c

**#2 - 2017-10-17 02:21 AM - Jürgen Fischer**

*- Description updated*

**Files**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| plugininstaller_patch.diff | 4.32 KB | 2016-03-03 | Larry Shaffer |