

## QGIS Application - Bug report #15299

### While opening projects: "Loading composer" leads to crash

2016-07-18 03:57 AM - Christian Meessen

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| <b>Status:</b> Closed                                  |                                      |
| <b>Priority:</b> High                                  |                                      |
| <b>Assignee:</b>                                       |                                      |
| <b>Category:</b> Project Loading/Saving                |                                      |
| <b>Affected QGIS version:</b> 2.18.4                   | <b>Regression?:</b> No               |
| <b>Operating System:</b> Windows 7 64bit, Ubuntu 16.04 | <b>Easy fix?:</b> No                 |
| <b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b> No              | <b>Resolution:</b> fixed/implemented |
| <b>Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:</b> Yes              | <b>Copied to github as #:</b> 23232  |

#### Description

I am having troubles with loading projects that contain print composers. Upon opening a project, QGIS hangs and doesn't respond when "Loading composer ..". Waiting does not solve the problem and QGIS must be restarted, rendering the project useless for further use. The problem seems to appear randomly. For a while, the project loads fine even with print composers, but at some point it will crash. I observed this with the latest QGIS both on Windows 7 64bit and Ubuntu 16.04.

If it helps, this is the output of the Windows dialogue:

#### Description:

A problem caused this program to stop interacting with Windows.

#### Problem signature:

Problem Event Name: AppHangB1

Application Name: qgis-bin.exe

Application Version: 0.0.0.0

Application Timestamp: 5782dbe5

Hang Signature: 4d6b

Hang Type: 524288

OS Version: 6.1.7601.2.1.0.256.4

Locale ID: 1031

Additional Hang Signature 1: 4d6bee67c1c5fbd0cad04de3f16a241e

Additional Hang Signature 2: e4c5

Additional Hang Signature 3: e4c5dedba4e1fdaab7dc58ebb42cc90d

Additional Hang Signature 4: 4d6b

Additional Hang Signature 5: 4d6bee67c1c5fbd0cad04de3f16a241e

Additional Hang Signature 6: e4c5

Additional Hang Signature 7: e4c5dedba4e1fdaab7dc58ebb42cc90d

#### History

##### #1 - 2016-07-18 03:01 PM - Nyal Dawson

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

We'll need more information to go on. Can you share a project which demonstrates this reliably?

##### #2 - 2016-07-19 01:31 AM - Christian Meessen

- File Argentina2.qgs added

Thank you for your response. I attached a project that causes a crash.

**#3 - 2017-01-02 10:25 AM - Giovanni Manghi**

- Status changed from *Feedback* to *Open*
- Affected QGIS version changed from *2.16.0* to *2.18.2*
- Category changed from *Map Composer/Printing* to *Project Loading/Saving*

Confirmed also on 2.18.2, opening the attached project, even with no data, freezes QGIS.

**#4 - 2017-03-07 01:19 AM - Giovanni Manghi**

- Resolution set to *fixed/implemented*
- Status changed from *Open* to *Closed*
- Affected QGIS version changed from *2.18.2* to *2.18.4*

This loads in master. Also because of other tickets is clear that loading projects have been much improved in master. To be seen if there will be any backport.

**Files**

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| Argentina2.qgs | 334 KB | 2016-07-18 | Christian Meessen |
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