# QGIS Application - Bug report #15545
## Vertical or horizontal Polyline in Composer doesn't show up (if not selected) and cannot be edited (but exported)

2016-09-08 02:37 AM - Rudi Uhl

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| **Status:** | Closed | | | |
| **Priority:** | Normal | | | |
| **Assignee:** | | | | |
| **Category:** | Unknown | | | |
| **Affected QGIS version:** | 2.16.2 | | **Regression?:** | No |
| **Operating System:** | | | **Easy fix?:** | No |
| **Pull Request or Patch supplied:** | No | | **Resolution:** | fixed/implemented |
| **Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:** | No | | **Copied to github as #:** | 23468 |

**Description**

I can add polylines to a map composition, but when it's strictly vertical or horizontal it is only displayed while selected (without correct width / color). I cannot edit node items on those lines. It doesn't matter if it consists only of two or more nodes, as long as it's strictly horizontal or vertical (two nodes in a diagonal are no problem). It shows up on PDF exports. I doubt it's a matter of the graphics card because it won't show the nodes when I try to edit it. The behavior starts immediately in the moment I delete the last node of a polyline that used to be not strictly vertical or horizontal but becomes so by deleting the other nodes.

**History**

**#1 - 2017-05-01 01:03 AM - Giovanni Manghi**

*- Easy fix? set to No*

*- Regression? set to No*

**#2 - 2017-09-22 09:55 AM - Jürgen Fischer**

*- Category set to Unknown*

**#3 - 2017-12-18 11:42 PM - Nyall Dawson**

*- Resolution set to fixed/implemented*

*- Status changed from Open to Closed*

Fixed in layouts engine

**Files**

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|---|---|---|---|
| linie1.qgs | 13.1 KB | 2016-09-08 | Rudi Uhl |
| linie1.pdf | 6.73 KB | 2016-09-08 | Rudi Uhl |