# QGIS Application - Feature request #6106
## Tab-stops inside label

2012-07-27 03:32 AM - Matthias Kuhn

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| **Priority:** | Normal | | |
| **Assignee:** | | | |
| **Category:** | Labelling | | |
| **Pull Request or Patch supplied:** | No | **Resolution:** | |
| **Easy fix?:** | No | **Copied to github as #:** | 15449 |

**Description**

To arrange info in a tabular look, it is common to use tab-stops. Inside the Print Composer, when adding a label it is possible to layout the text with tabs (In Item Properties / Label )

Nevertheless, this layout is not reflected inside the actual label.

E.g.
I want to add some information like:

    Source:  OpenStreetMap
    Date:    27.7.2012
    Author:  Matthias Kuhn


I want the values to be in the same horizontal offset, but they are not aligned.

Is this already possible (maybe with another tool than label)?

If not:
- Different fonts and their spacings could be a problem. So maybe it would be necessary to add a ruler to control tab-stops to the label text field?

- With an additional table tool this could be achieved as well

**History**

**#1 - 2012-09-04 12:07 PM - Paolo Cavallini**

*- Target version set to Version 2.0.0*

**#2 - 2012-10-06 02:20 AM - Pirmin Kalberer**

*- Target version changed from Version 2.0.0 to Future Release - Nice to have*

**#3 - 2017-05-01 12:48 AM - Giovanni Manghi**

*- Easy fix? set to No*