

## QGIS Application - Feature request #8113

### buildvrt: list of files as a file, not as a list

2013-06-19 03:01 AM - Paolo Cavallini

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	
<b>Priority:</b>	Low	
<b>Assignee:</b>		
<b>Category:</b>	Processing/GDAL	
<b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b>	No	<b>Resolution:</b> fixed/implemented
<b>Easy fix?:</b>	No	<b>Copied to github as #:</b> 16947
<b>Description</b>		
Currently, ``buildvrt`` adds layers as a list of arguments; this can cause problems in case of a very long list. Better save the list in a file, and pass this to the command		

#### History

##### #1 - 2013-06-19 03:49 AM - Regis Haubourg

+1, you can raise a bit priority for this

##### #2 - 2017-01-02 05:55 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Category changed from GDAL Tools to Processing/GDAL

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

- Easy fix? set to No

##### #4 - 2017-08-15 01:30 PM - Nyal Dawson

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

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##### #5 - 2017-08-15 11:36 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Status changed from Feedback to Open

Nyal Dawson wrote:

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no, I don't think so. Another issue in processing, compared "GDAL Tools"/"ftools", is that if I want to merge rasters/vectors or create a virtual rasters then the input layers must be loaded in the project, while gdal tools/ftools allowed to use a folder as input.

##### #6 - 2017-08-16 06:00 AM - Nyal Dawson

I'm 99% sure this is fixed - see <https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/blob/master/python/plugins/processing/algs/gdal/buildvrt.py#L91>

Regarding the non project layers, that's fixed in commit:5d4d12d371be72b66ae7e307ea84d5c153565dfd , part of

<https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/pull/5024>. Is there a separate issue for that one?

**#7 - 2017-08-18 03:23 PM - Giovanni Manghi**

- Resolution set to fixed/implemented
- Status changed from Open to Closed

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all good. I was almost sure there was a ticket about the non project layers but can't find it.