# QGIS Application - Bug report #9184

## Join attributes table fails to produce a correct attribute table if columns have same names

2013-12-09 12:00 PM - Anita Graser

Status:ClosedPriority:NormalAssignee:Victor OlayaCategory:Processing/Core

Affected QGIS version:2.0.1 Regression?: No Operating System: Easy fix?: No

Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution: fixed/implemented

Crashes QGIS or corruptes data: Copied to github as #: 17813

#### Description

The "Join attributes table" in "Vector general tools" fails to produce a correct attribute table if there are columns with the same name in both layers. The values are inserted into the wrong columns.

I guess the tool should work with prefixes like the built-in join (in layer properties) does.

Tested with 2.0-20131120

#### History

#### #1 - 2013-12-11 12:54 PM - Anita Graser

One part of the fix could be

outFields = vector.combineVectorFields(layer,layer2)

#### #2 - 2013-12-13 01:42 PM - Anita Graser

not sure I did it right, but here's a pull request that fixes the issue for me https://github.com/qgis/QGIS/pull/1026

### #3 - 2014-03-24 07:15 AM - Alexander Bruy

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

Applied in master as commit:bb1380ea30

#### #4 - 2015-06-07 04:30 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Category changed from 94 to Processing/Core

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