# QGIS Application - Feature request #9272 Label style useful defaults

2013-12-30 08:39 AM - Noone Noone

Status: Open Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Category: GUI

Pull Request or Patch supplied: Resolution:

Easy fix?: No Copied to github as #: 17885

# Description

Hi,

I recognized that if you add a point layer and like to show labels (e.g. to display a value per item), you get (IMHO) ugly default settings:

- font: Ubuntu

- flags: Bold

- size: 11

The result is that you have a little bit ugly layout, as the font looks a bit like Comic Sans/Modern/... and isn't a good choice for serious mapping, similar for the big characters.

So I suggest the following defaults that (IMHO) look a bit more serious for most scenarios:

- font: Arial

- size: 8

- no flags

#### History

## #1 - 2014-01-02 04:48 PM - Nathan Woodrow

I don't think you have Arial on Linux installs. On windows you do.

### #2 - 2014-01-03 12:26 AM - Noone Noone

On Ubuntu I do have it, but anyway every more decent font (non rounded character shapes, non serif, ...) would be ok.

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

- Easy fix? set to No

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