

## QGIS Application - Bug report #9524

### Special character & in plugin authors prevent downloading

2014-02-10 02:21 AM - Denis Rouzaud

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Borys Jurgiel	
<b>Category:</b>	Plugin Manager	
<b>Affected QGIS version:</b>	2.0.1	<b>Regression?:</b> No
<b>Operating System:</b>		<b>Easy fix?:</b> No
<b>Pull Request or Patch supplied:</b>	No	<b>Resolution:</b>
<b>Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:</b>	No	<b>Copied to github as #:</b> 18114
<b>Description</b>		
<p>If a plugin's author string contains a "&amp;" character in metedata, installation from the plugin manager will fail.</p> <p>I did not test with other info (title, description, etc.)</p>		

#### Associated revisions

Revision 88e8f9d6 - 2014-02-18 05:01 PM - Borys Jurgiel

[Plugin Installer] More robust xml parsing: fix lonely ampersands. Fixes #9524

#### History

#1 - 2014-02-18 08:02 AM - Borys Jurgiel

- Status changed from Open to Closed

Fixed in changeset commit:"88e8f9d6b6f05cbda44eea2c4d925170e82342eb".

#2 - 2014-02-18 08:53 AM - Borys Jurgiel

Here you have a fast workaround. The long-term solution should be implemented on the repository side, see: #9595