# QGIS Application - Bug report #17970

### Cartographic point labeling should take symbol bounds into account by default

2018-01-26 03:47 PM - Johannes Kroeger

Status: Feedback
Priority: Normal

Assignee:

Category: Labelling

Affected QGIS version:master Regression?: No Operating System: Easy fix?: Yes

Pull Request or Patch shapplied: Resolution:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data: Copied to github as #: 25866

#### **Description**

By default the cartographic point labeling does not take symbol bounds into account which means the labels will likely overlap the symbols and thus look bad. This made me wonder if the feature was broken. I had expected great results just by switching to it.

Setting the "Distance offset from" to "From symbol bounds" makes them look fantastic.

Please make that setting the default! I would also suggest making the cartographic mode the default in any case;)

#### History

#### #1 - 2019-03-09 04:34 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

Please check if this issue is still valid on QGIS 3.4.5 or 3.6.

## Files

cartographic default.png	39.4 KB	2018-01-26	Johannes Kroeger
around point.png	40.8 KB	2018-01-26	Johannes Kroeger
cartographic offset symbol bounds.png	41.3 KB	2018-01-26	Johannes Kroeger

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