

## QGIS Application - Bug report #22076

### Capitalize first letter in label not working

2019-05-14 05:01 PM - matteo ghetta

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>		
<b>Category:</b>	Labelling	
<b>Affected QGIS version:</b>	3.6.2	<b>Regression?:</b> Yes
<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> 29889
<b>Description</b>		
If the field used to label the layer contains values all capitalized, then the option "Capitalize first letter" is not working (nothing changes). While the expression `title("field")` works correctly.		

#### History

**#1 - 2019-05-17 07:57 PM - Giovanni Manghi**

- Status changed from Open to Feedback

if is a regression it must be given high priority.

**#2 - 2019-05-20 01:48 PM - Alessandro Pasotti**

From the "Capitalize" function definition (Python):

In Python, the `capitalize()` method converts the first character of a string to capital (uppercase) letter. If the string has its first character as capital, then it returns the original string.

I'd close this as invalid or file a feature request to implement a "titleize" function.

**#3 - 2019-05-20 02:01 PM - matteo ghetta**

OK get it. Still it seems a little bit confusing for users: for `capitalize first letter` I expect only the first letter to be capitalized, no matter what the input is.

**#4 - 2019-05-20 09:40 PM - Nyal Dawson**

For what it's worth, if you search deep in the tracker this same issue has been discussed at least 3 or 4 times previously (also on the mailing list)

**#5 - 2019-05-21 07:04 AM - matteo ghetta**

- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

OK then I wasn't able to find other similar issues :) OK guys, you convinced me.

**#6 - 2019-05-21 04:56 PM - Harrissou Santanna**

Nyall Dawson wrote:

| *For what it's worth, if you search deep in the tracker this same issue has been discussed at least 3 or 4 times previously (also on the mailing list)*

Indeed. Then imho such a situation shows that there's an issue (people don't seem to understand this label). Or a missing option (aka "titleize" ?) that would help them put it into perspective.

**#7 - 2019-05-22 09:22 AM - Alessandro Pasotti**

Can you file a feature request for "titleize"?