# QGIS Application - Bug report #986 MapComposer fails to create a pdf in Windows

2008-03-12 08:15 AM - leolami -

Status: Closed
Priority: Low
Assignee: nobody Category:
Affected QGIS version: Regression?: No

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Operating System: Windows

Pull Request or Patch supplied:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:

Regression: No

Easy fix?: No

Resolution: fixed

Copied to github as #: 11046

## **Description**

If I try to create a pdf with the [[MapComposer]] the pdf created is corrupted and I can't open it.

Moreover when I must choose the name of the pdf to create I can't browse to a directory where save it. The pdf is saved in the QGIS directory by default.

## History

#### #1 - 2008-05-21 08:19 AM - Marco Pasetti -

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

Since Windows doesn't support pdf writing nativelt, you need an external pdf creator/virtual printer. I use the free [[CutePDF]] Writer component to create pdf documents in Windows.

With it all the prints with the [[MapComposer]] work fine for me.

Marco

### #2 - 2009-08-22 12:54 AM - Anonymous

Milestone Version 0.9.2 deleted

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