

## Orangutan::Redmine - Feature #1003

### Support possibility to use custom field value as an alias for issue ID

14 Oct 2010 22:17 - Andriy Lesyuk

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<b>Assignee:</b>	Andriy Lesyuk	<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>		<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	1.04		
<b>Description</b>			
<p>On the project we use special project code for issues. This code looks like PPPXXXX where XXXX is a number. We do remember this code but do not remember Redmine issue ID. For now I set aliases for issue IDs. But it's not an ideal solution... And I thought why not letting users to set which custom field to use as an alias for an issue?..</p> <p>The problem is that it can be too expensive to check all messages for all values of a custom field. The solution I see is to require regular expression (custom fields support this) and to reject if no regexp is set (saying with a message "This custom field does not have reg. exp.").</p> <p>Sample query:</p> <pre>User: Use Alt ID as an alias for issue ID</pre> <p>Such functionality will also let project managers and developer to set aliases for all employees... This can be useful for some projects.</p>			

#### History

##### #1 - 15 Oct 2010 18:38 - Andriy Lesyuk

- Target version set to 1.04

##### #2 - 15 Oct 2010 20:55 - Andriy Lesyuk

- Start date changed from 14 Oct 2010 to 15 Oct 2010

- Status changed from Open to In Progress

##### #3 - 19 Oct 2010 17:57 - Andriy Lesyuk

- % Done changed from 0 to 10

##### #4 - 24 Oct 2010 15:07 - Andriy Lesyuk

- % Done changed from 10 to 100

- Status changed from In Progress to Closed

- Due date set to 23 Oct 2010

Done. But this context should be used with caution - bad regexp in string custom field can dramatically slow down Orangutan...

##### #5 - 01 Mar 2011 00:06 - Andriy Lesyuk

- Tracker changed from Improvement to Feature

- Project changed from Orangutan to Orangutan::Redmine