

## Redmine - Feature #10607

### Ignore out-of-office incoming emails

2012-04-05 11:06 - Anonymous

<b>Status:</b> Closed	<b>Start date:</b>
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b> Jean-Philippe Lang	<b>% Done:</b> 0%
<b>Category:</b> Email receiving	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b> 1.4.0	
<b>Resolution:</b> Fixed	
<b>Description</b>	
<p>Hi,</p> <p>There doesnt seem to be the functionality to ignore or disregard emails that contain specific strings.</p> <p>It would be useful! Whenever someone is out of office and an issue raised by them is actioned in their absence, the system generates an email updating them about the progress of their issue. The subsequent out of office email that gets generated as a result of this email is not ignored by redmine and a new issue is created each time.</p> <p>This can cause an annoying administration overhead!</p>	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to Redmine - Feature # 11338: Exclude emails with auto-submitted => a...	<b>Closed</b>
Related to Redmine - Defect # 15999: Ignoring out of office emails	<b>Closed</b>

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision 9358 - 2012-04-06 15:24 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Makes the mail handler ignore out-of-office emails (#10607).

##### Revision 9390 - 2012-04-13 18:55 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Ignore emails with Auto-Submitted: auto-replied header (#10607).

#### History

##### #1 - 2012-04-06 15:09 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Maybe we could make the MailHandler ignore emails with a X-Auto-Response-Suppress:OOF header?

##### #2 - 2012-04-06 15:25 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Subject changed from Ignore emails (Out of office) to Ignore out-of-office incoming emails
- Status changed from New to Resolved
- Target version set to 1.4.0
- Resolution set to Fixed

Committed in r9358.

**#3 - 2012-04-09 08:27 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed
- Assignee set to Jean-Philippe Lang

Merged in r9376.

**#4 - 2012-04-12 11:52 - Anonymous**

Thanks for the speedy resolution. When will this be available for download? or can I manually patch my current 1.3.1 version?

**#5 - 2012-04-12 15:11 - Etienne Massip**

version:1.4.0 will be released very soon.

**#6 - 2012-04-13 12:51 - Anonymous**

- Status changed from Closed to Reopened

Upon further investigation, looking for the header "X-Auto-Response-Suppress" will not be sufficient in our particular scenario.

Our out-of-office generator (for MailEnable) is including a "Auto-Submitted: auto-replied" header.

Example Message Header:

To: [james@domain.co.uk](mailto:james@domain.co.uk)  
Precedence: bulk  
Date: Fri, 13 Apr 2012 10:48:20 +0100  
From: "Joe Blogs" <[joe.bloggs@domain.co.uk](mailto:joe.bloggs@domain.co.uk)>  
Subject: Out of Office  
Return-Path: <>  
**Auto-Submitted: auto-replied**  
User-Agent: OoOME/0.1.6  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
Content-Type: multipart/related;  
    boundary="-----=\_NextPart\_000\_DBD1\_01CD1350.F195CC10"  
X-ME-Bayesian: 0.000000

see <http://www.iana.org/assignments/auto-submitted-keywords/auto-submitted-keywords.xml> for more information.

**#7 - 2012-04-13 18:56 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Status changed from Reopened to Resolved

Thanks for the feedback, this is fixed in r9390. Emails with Auto-Submitted: auto-replied header are now ignored as well.

**#8 - 2012-04-14 06:52 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed

**#9 - 2012-07-06 17:07 - Jan Niggemann (redmine.org team member)**

Our company is using Lotus Notes 8.5.1, don't know which version our Domino server are.  
Upon inspection, our system uses "Auto-submitted: auto-generated".

I suggest to automatically exclude "auto-generated" as well.

**#10 - 2014-01-31 08:45 - Jan Niggemann (redmine.org team member)**

- *Related to Feature #11338: Exclude emails with auto-submitted => auto-generated added*

**#11 - 2014-01-31 08:46 - Jan Niggemann (redmine.org team member)**

- *Related to Defect #15999: Ignoring out of office emails added*