

## Redmine - Defect #24242

### Adding comments to ticket returns internal server error

2016-11-02 07:17 - Piyush Jain

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	Text formatting	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>		<b>Affected version:</b>	3.3.0
<b>Resolution:</b>	Invalid		
<b>Description</b>			
While adding comments to the ticket am getting internal server error:			
<pre>ActiveRecord::StatementInvalid (Mysql2::Error: Incorrect string value: '\xF0\x9F\x91\x8D\x0D\x0A..' for column 'notes' at row 1: INSERT INTO `journals`</pre>			
I tired changing the charset from utf8 to utf8mb4 for journals table but it doesn't seems to help.			
Can anyone suggest a walk through for this issue.			
<b>My Environment</b>			
Environment:			
Redmine version	3.3.0.stable		
Ruby version	2.3.1-p112 (2016-04-26) [x86_64-linux]		
Rails version	4.2.6		
Environment	production		
Database adapter	Mysql2		
SCM:			
Subversion	1.7.14		
Git	1.8.3.1		
Filesystem			
Redmine plugins:			
issue_charts	1.3.0		
periodictask	3.1.1		
redmine_checklists	3.1.3		
redmine_email_fetcher	0.3.1		
redmine_helpdesk	0.0.15		
redmine_issue_history	1.0.0		
redmine_omniauth_google	0.0.1		
simple_author_change	0.1.2		
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Redmine - Feature #31921: Changes to properly support 4 byte chara...			<b>Closed</b>

### History

#### #1 - 2016-11-02 07:29 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Please try without plugins.

#### #2 - 2016-11-02 08:25 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Status changed from New to Needs feedback

Why not post full log?

#### #3 - 2019-08-17 18:11 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Related to Feature #31921: Changes to properly support 4 byte characters (emoji) when database is MySQL added

#### **#4 - 2024-09-16 07:15 - Go MAEDA**

The issue is caused by attempting to insert a 4-byte UTF-8 character, specifically "\xF0\x9F\x91\x8D" (THUMBS UP SIGN), into a MySQL column that uses the utf8 encoding, which only supports 3-byte characters.

To resolve this, the database, table, and column character set should be updated to utf8mb4, which supports 4-byte UTF-8 characters. Additionally, ensure that both MySQL's configuration (my.cnf) and Redmine's config/database.yml are configured to use utf8mb4 encoding.

#### **#5 - 2024-09-16 07:34 - Go MAEDA**

- *Status changed from Needs feedback to Closed*

- *Resolution set to Invalid*