

## Redmine - Patch #8905

### Support identify project by email address

2011-07-26 18:02 - dow in

<b>Status:</b> Closed	<b>Start date:</b> 2011-07-26
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b>	<b>% Done:</b> 0%
<b>Category:</b> Email receiving	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	
<b>Description</b> Ident project by E-mail ADDRESS EXTENSION.	
<b>Problem</b> If you have many projects AND receives email by redmine , you would make too many cron-jobs OR would require the mail body for writing project-id.	
<b>Solution</b> Identify project by E-mail address.  1. Send issue by mail to "email+project-id At test.com". 2. Make new issue to project-id by receiving "email At test.com".	
<b>Patch (github)</b>  <a href="https://github.com/indication/redmine/commit/8333599dc264c1c5735be161af4a0e0b9f3a543a">https://github.com/indication/redmine/commit/8333599dc264c1c5735be161af4a0e0b9f3a543a</a>	
<b>Todo? (if followings are necessary)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Longest match (ex:find by last items following when put "email+project-id At test.com")<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ project-id</li><li>◦ email+project-id</li><li>◦ id</li><li>◦ email+project-id</li></ul></li><li>• Security<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ Dis-allow identify project by e-mail</li></ul></li></ul>	
<b>References</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Email address with ./ Extended Email address</a> (google)</li><li>• <a href="#">man page of postfix virtual.5</a> see ADDRESS EXTENSION</li></ul>	
<b>Related issues:</b> Is duplicate of Redmine - Patch #20732: MailHandler: Select project by subadd... <b>Closed</b>	

### History

#### #1 - 2011-07-26 22:30 - Terence Mill

That will need an dedicated email server only for redmine tickets handling, doesn't it?

#### #2 - 2011-07-27 02:40 - dow in

I gave a misleading that is sorry.  
You can use existing mail server/mail account (eg. gmail).

In the source comment, I put a hint for making alias.  
In the case that setup following:  
Alias from "redmine-support At test.com" to "redmine+project-identifier At test.com".  
I assumed about header:

Return-Path: <sender At test.spamcom>

X-Original-To: redmine+project-identifier At test.com  
Delivered-To: redmine+project-identifier At test.com  
To: redmine-support At test.com

But, real is:

Return-Path: <sender At test.com>  
X-Original-To: redmine-support At test.com  
Delivered-To: redmine-support At test.com  
To: redmine-support At test.com

This patch watches the "Delivered-To" header.  
When make alias to ADDRESS EXTENTION, it would not work.  
To avoid this sutiation, you may solve that way(the source comment).

Note: [more details](#)

**#3 - 2016-12-25 18:34 - Go MAEDA**

- *Is duplicate of Patch #20732: MailHandler: Select project by subaddress (redmine+project@example.com) added*

**#4 - 2016-12-25 18:35 - Go MAEDA**

- *Status changed from New to Closed*

We can select project by subaddress in Redmine 3.2.0 and later ([#20732](#)).