# Redmine - Defect #912

## Bulk edit functionality is unintuitive

2008-03-21 16:20 - Rocco Stanzione

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| **Status:** | Closed | | **Start date:** | 2008-03-21 |
| **Priority:** | Normal | | **Due date:** | |
| **Assignee:** | | | **% Done:** | 0% |
| **Category:** | Issues | | **Estimated time:** | 0.00 hour |
| **Target version:** | | | | |
| **Resolution:** | Fixed | | **Affected version:** | |

**Description**

How to select issues to bulk-edit is intuitive and documented in the wiki.  What to do next (how to actually perform the edit action) I can't figure out at all, and there's no info in the commit message (r1130) or the wiki.

## History

**#1 - 2008-03-24 08:25 - M T**

Have a look at the notes in issue #607 regarding changes made to the way this works, (and why).

**#2 - 2008-03-24 16:33 - Rocco Stanzione**

*- File toggle_selections.diff added*

That makes sense.  My remaining wish, then, is to have the pencil icon toggle selections rather than bulk check/uncheck.  That way if I want to, say, select all but one or two items, I can select 2 and hit the toggle to reverse my selection.  Attaching a patch to achieve that.

**#3 - 2008-05-01 10:56 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

*- Status changed from New to Closed*

*- Resolution set to Fixed*

It's now documented in the wiki: RedmineIssueList.

> if I want to, say, select all but one or two items, I can select 2 and hit the toggle to reverse my selection

I find more natural to select them all, then uncheck 1 or 2 items.
I prefer to keep the current behaviour. This is the one I see most of the time in web apps.

## Files

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| toggle_selections.diff | | 874 Bytes | 2008-03-24 | Rocco Stanzione |