

## Redmine - Defect #2638

### LDAP authentication should allow username to contain space(s)

2009-02-01 00:19 - Bob Roberts

<b>Status:</b>	New	<b>Start date:</b>	2009-02-01
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	LDAP	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	Candidate for next minor release	<b>Affected version:</b>	
<b>Resolution:</b>			
<b>Description</b>			
<p>It is not uncommon for Windows AD servers to allow spaces in the user name (sAMAccountName) but currently redmine does not allow the user name to contain 1 or more spaces which means that when using LDAP to authenticate, it is not possible to use sAMAccountName to lookup users.</p> <p>If there is not a technical reason for this limitation, would suggest the the regex scan for the user name allow spaces in the middle of user names, but not at the start or end.</p> <p>See patch <a href="#">#811</a> supporting this change.</p>			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Redmine - Patch #811: Username validation - allow spaces...		<b>New</b>	<b>2008-03-08</b>

#### History

##### #1 - 2010-08-17 15:10 - sebastian ovide

any plans for it ?

##### #2 - 2011-09-13 14:31 - Etienne Massip

- *Category changed from Accounts / authentication to LDAP*

##### #3 - 2011-09-13 14:32 - Etienne Massip

- *Target version set to Candidate for next minor release*

##### #4 - 2012-06-25 10:28 - Antoine Rodriguez

It's more an Issue. AD usernames with space cannot authenticate with Active Directory.

Confirmed on Redmine 2.0.1

Best regards,

##### #5 - 2013-03-07 14:47 - Piotr Karasinski

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