

## Redmine - Defect #10413

### Creating wiki pages with special characters may be problematic

2012-03-09 15:42 - André Bachmann

<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>	Wiki	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>		<b>Affected version:</b>	1.3.1
<b>Resolution:</b>	Duplicate		
<b>Description</b>			
<p>I recently noticed some little quirks when creating wiki pages with certain special characters. For instance, I can write on a wiki page a link to a new page as <code>[[M&amp;P]]</code>. As soon as I click on submit, the link to this page is shown in the wiki as <b>M&amp;</b> (without the letter P). However, the resulting wiki page is called <b>M&amp;#38P</b>. The next problem is when I write a link as <code>[[M#P]]</code> on a wiki page and click on submit. This link is shown as <b>M</b>, the resulting wiki page gets the name <b>M#P</b>, which may dangerous because a hash # has a special meaning in URLs. Let's look at a link <code>[[M%P]]</code>. The resulting link to this wiki page is correctly shown as <b>M%P</b>. But the wiki page itself is named <b>M%25P</b>.</p> <p>My Redmine environment:</p> <pre>About your application's environment Ruby version          1.8.7 (x86_64-linux) RubyGems version     1.6.2 Rack version         1.1.1 Rails version        2.3.14 Active Record version 2.3.14 Active Resource version 2.3.14 Action Mailer version 2.3.14 Active Support version 2.3.14 Application root     /opt/redmine-1.3.1-0/apps/redmine Environment          production Database adapter     mysql Database schema version 20110902000000  About your Redmine plugins Redmine Wiki Extensions plugin 0.3.8 Redmine Logs plugin           0.0.3</pre>			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Redmine - Defect #14071: HTML links weird when using special chara...		<b>Closed</b>	
Is duplicate of Redmine - Defect #22967: Special character like quote breaks ...		<b>Closed</b>	

### History

#### #1 - 2012-03-09 15:51 - Etienne Massip

- Status changed from New to Confirmed
- Target version set to Candidate for next minor release

#### #2 - 2012-03-09 16:07 - André Bachmann

There is also a problem when using these characters in a wiki text (may be related with this issue, so I post it here): If I write a percent sign directly followed by a comma, the percent sign isn't shown in the resulting wiki page (only the comma is shown). If I write an ampersand directly followed by a comma, it is shown as **x%x**, which is quite weird.

#### #3 - 2012-05-17 13:23 - Alexander Oryol

- File 0001-Fix-6991-ampersand-in-pagename.patch added

Added the small patch to solve the issue.

#### #4 - 2012-11-09 08:34 - André Bachmann

Any chance that this patch gets integrated into Redmine?

**#5 - 2013-04-24 11:06 - Francesco V**

Page "Version 1.2.3" result in "Version 123"

**#6 - 2013-06-06 16:10 - Jaroslav Povolný**

Confirming this issue, in Redmine 2.3

**#7 - 2014-02-06 16:26 - carlos castro**

- *File error.jpg added*

Is this solved?

When i create a link that has an accent in a wiki it returns me his html code (check image)...

My env:

Environment:

Redmine version 2.3.3.stable  
Ruby version 2.0.0-p247 (2013-06-27) [x86\_64-linux]  
Rails version 3.2.13  
Environment production  
Database adapter PostgreSQL  
Redmine plugins:  
planner 0.4  
redmine\_backlogs v1.0.6  
redmine\_charts2 0.2.1  
redmine\_ckeditor 1.0.15  
redmine\_didyoumean 1.2.0  
redmine\_importer 1.2  
redmine\_loader 0.3b  
redmine\_schedules 0.5.0  
redmine\_summed\_fields 0.0.2  
redmine\_todos 2.0.5  
scrum2b 0.1  
under\_construction 0.0.1

is there any workaround for this?

**#8 - 2018-05-14 23:57 - Marius BĂLTEANU**

- *Status changed from Confirmed to Closed*
- *Target version deleted (Candidate for next minor release)*
- *Resolution set to Duplicate*

A patch that fixes this issue was submitted to [#22967](#). I think that it is safe to close this issue as duplicated.

**#9 - 2018-05-14 23:57 - Marius BĂLTEANU**

- *Is duplicate of Defect #22967: Special character like quote breaks wiki links added*

**Files**

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0001-Fix-6991-ampersand-in-pagename.patch	845 Bytes	2012-05-17	Alexander Oryol
error.jpg	33.5 KB	2014-02-06	carlos castro