## Redmine - Feature #15177

# Dynamic query fields

2013-10-23 08:09 - Andrey Anufrienko

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### **Description**

All custom fields are set in 'static' manner - we have to enter a value.

But often we need to calculate a value basing on other fileds/attributes values.

Example 1 (issues). I have 3 custom fields for my issues: A, B, C that represents parts of expression (Ax2 + Bx + C = 0).

If I want to see Y1 and Y2 such as:

Y1 = (B + SQRT (B\*B - 4A\*C)) / 2A

Y1 = (B - SQRT (B\*B - 4A\*C)) / 2A

I have to export all issues to CSV, then import CSV into Excel, then add formulas to make the calculation. It would be great if I could add specific columns in my custom query that will calculate value basing on custom expression each time I refresh the window.

Example 2 (version). I have 1 custom field A for each issue. I want to see sum of all A for a particular version.

Again, I have to export all my data to an external application and make calculation there.

#### Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Feature #6717: Custom list field with dynamic list content New 2010-10-21

#### History

### #1 - 2013-10-23 13:24 - Andrey Anufrienko

Now, I use database triggers to work around this issue: my database records are updated automatically each time custom field are updated. But it has cons: if I re-install / upgrade redmine I would re-design my triggers. Also, sometimes redmine 'misses' changes - they are not shown in auto emails. And other disadvantages are.

## #2 - 2013-10-23 13:28 - Andrey Anufrienko

Example 3 (versions + issues). I have 1 global coefficient for each version. I need to multiply an attribute from issue to this global coefficient. Again, I have to export into CSV, then to Excel or implement a trigger in database to show required value.

# #3 - 2015-05-18 13:35 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Feature #6717: Custom list field with dynamic list content added

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