Redmine - Feature #19970

More reasonable issue subject truncation for subtasks and related issues

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Description

I found it very annoying for subjects to be cut off, leaving a lot of horizontal space empty on the screen. This didn't go well with our policy to use expressive subjects.

The choice to truncate at 60 chars seems to be from the early Redmine days, I guess back then the average display resolution was such that this made more sense.

This are the needed changes to increase to 100 chars:

```
diff --git a/app/views/issues/_relations.html.erb b/app/views/issues/_relations.html.erb
--- a/app/views/issues/_relations.html.erb
+++ b/app/views/issues/_relations.html.erb
@@ -17,7 +17,7 @@
     <%= l(relation.label_for(@issue)) %>
     <%= "(#{l('datetime.distance_in_words.x_days', :count => relation.delay)})" if relation.delay
 && relation.delay != 0 %>
     <%= h(other_issue.project) + ' - ' if Setting.cross_project_issue_relations? %>
-    <%= link_to_issue(other_issue, :truncate => 60) %>
+    <%= link_to_issue(other_issue, :truncate => 100) %>
   </td>
   <td class="status"><%=h other_issue.status.name %></td>
   <td class="start_date"><%= format_date(other_issue.start_date) %></td>

diff --git a/app/helpers/issues_helper.rb b/app/helpers/issues_helper.rb
--- a/app/helpers/issues_helper.rb
+++ b/app/helpers/issues_helper.rb
@@ -84,7 +84,7 @@ module IssuesHelper
       css << " idnt idnt-#{level}" if level > 0
       s << content_tag('tr',
           content_tag('td', check_box_tag("ids[]", child.id, false, :id => nil), :class => 'ch
eckbox') +
-          content_tag('td', link_to_issue(child, :truncate => 60, :project => (issue.project_i
d != child.project_id)), :class => 'subject') +
+          content_tag('td', link_to_issue(child, :truncate => 100, :project => (issue.project_
id != child.project_id)), :class => 'subject') +
          content_tag('td', h(child.status)) +
          content_tag('td', link_to_user(child.assigned_to)) +
          content_tag('td', progress_bar(child.done_ratio, :width => '80px')),
```

We're still on 2.4, so I'm not sure if this exact patch would apply to current HEAD.

Of course this is just a suggestion which you may not agree with.

Related issues:

Is duplicate of Redmine - Patch #18659: Do not truncate subissue/related issu...	**Closed**

History

#1 - 2015-06-02 16:13 - Go MAEDA

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Resolution set to Duplicate

Fixed by [#18659](#).
Please update to Redmine 3.0.0. Long subjects are not truncated.

#2 - 2015-06-02 16:14 - Go MAEDA

- Is duplicate of Patch #18659: Do not truncate subissue/related issues titles on single issue view added