

## Redmine - Patch #21487

### Larger font for email notifications

2015-12-11 10:23 - Go MAEDA

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>	Jean-Philippe Lang	<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	Email notifications	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	3.2.1		
<b>Description</b>			
Current font size 0.8em is too small and a little bit hard to read. Please use larger font.			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Related to Redmine - Defect #22006: Fonts too small in version 3.2.0 <span style="float: right;"><b>Closed</b></span>			

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision 15026 - 2016-01-09 11:22 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Larger font for email notifications (#21487).

Patch by Go MAEDA.

##### Revision 15076 - 2016-01-21 05:42 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Merged r15026 (#21487).

##### Revision 15228 - 2016-03-13 09:13 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Set font size in email notifications (#21487).

##### Revision 15229 - 2016-03-13 09:14 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Merged r15228 (#21487).

#### History

##### #1 - 2015-12-14 02:37 - Go MAEDA

- File *japanese-text-sample.png* added

- Target version set to 3.2.1

GMail users see notifications without any style Before Redmine 3.2.0 ([#8335](#)). But with styles (Redmine 3.2.0), fonts are very small.

I usually use Japanese characters. We use thousands of characters and many of them have intricate shape so characters which are displayed in small font and light gray are illegible.

Please see the following example (That means "This is an example of Japanese text"). Some characters(11px) are obscured.

example:

日本語の文章の例 (0.8em ≙ 11px in Gmail)

日本語の文章の例 (1.0em ≙ 14px in Gmail)

##### #2 - 2015-12-14 15:17 - Maxim Krušina

+1 and... thanx! :)

##### #3 - 2015-12-19 04:38 - Go MAEDA

- File *larger-font-for-email-notifications-v2.diff* added

Updated the patch.

- darker black for text color.
- line-height for h1.

#### #4 - 2016-01-09 11:23 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from New to Resolved
- Assignee set to Jean-Philippe Lang

Committed in [r15026](#).

#### #5 - 2016-01-14 10:53 - Hide MATSUTANI

+1 thank you Maeda-san

#### #6 - 2016-01-21 05:43 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed

#### #7 - 2016-02-08 19:51 - Hugues C.

- File `redmine-3.1.2-thunderbird.png` added
- File `redmine-3.1.2-zimbra.png` added
- File `redmine-3.2.0-thunderbird-patch21487.png` added
- File `redmine-3.2.0-zimbra.png` added
- File `redmine-3.2.0-zimbra-patch21487.png` added

It seems that this patch ([r15026](#)) results in fonts too big in some email clients (tested in latest Zimbra Web Client 8.6.0 and latest Thunderbird 38.5.1). Could this issue be related to [r14541](#) or [r14540](#) or some other changes in **3.2.0**?

- With **Redmine 3.1.2** everything was fine in all clients (see [redmine-3.1.2-thunderbird.png](#) and [redmine-3.1.2-zimbra.png](#))
- With vanilla **Redmine 3.2.0** everything is too small in Zimbra even though `mailer.html.erb` is the same as in **3.1.2** (see [redmine-3.2.0-zimbra.png](#))
- With the patch [r15026](#) to `mailer.html.erb` in **3.2.0** everything is too big in all clients (see [redmine-3.2.0-thunderbird-patch21487.png](#) and [redmine-3.2.0-zimbra-patch21487.png](#))

#### #8 - 2016-02-29 05:35 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Status changed from Closed to Reopened

#### #9 - 2016-02-29 05:37 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Defect #22006: Fonts too small in version 3.2.0 added

#### #10 - 2016-03-13 05:15 - Go MAEDA

Hugues C. wrote:

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Confirmed in Thunderbird. The following patch fixes the problem.

```
Index: app/views/layouts/mailer.html.erb
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--- app/views/layouts/mailer.html.erb      (revision 15225)
+++ app/views/layouts/mailer.html.erb      (working copy)
@@ -3,6 +3,7 @@
<style>
  body {
    font-family: Verdana, sans-serif;
+   font-size: 14px;
    line-height: 1.45em;
    color: #222;
  }
```

#### #11 - 2016-03-13 09:14 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from Reopened to Closed

I've committed this change and also reduced the heading font size a bit. Thanks.

## Files

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larger-font-for-email-notifications.diff	784 Bytes	2015-12-11	Go MAEDA
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japanese-text-sample.png	3.81 KB	2015-12-14	Go MAEDA
larger-font-for-email-notifications-v2.diff	910 Bytes	2015-12-19	Go MAEDA
redmine-3.1.2-thunderbird.png	102 KB	2016-02-08	Hugues C.
redmine-3.1.2-zimbra.png	140 KB	2016-02-08	Hugues C.
redmine-3.2.0-zimbra.png	94.7 KB	2016-02-08	Hugues C.
redmine-3.2.0-thunderbird-patch21487.png	121 KB	2016-02-08	Hugues C.
redmine-3.2.0-zimbra-patch21487.png	144 KB	2016-02-08	Hugues C.