Redmine - Defect #7134

is_binary_data uses wrong heuristic to decide if a string is binary

2010-12-19 14:00 - Jérémy Lal

Status: Closed Start date: 2010-12-19

Priority: Low Due date:

Assignee: % Done: 0%

Category: SCM Estimated time: 0.00 hour

Target version:

Resolution: Duplicate Affected version:

Description

The is_binary_data method, used in repositories_controller.rb#124, is :

```
def is_binary_data? ( self.count( "^-", "^-") / self.size > 0.3 || self.count( "^-x00") > 0 ) unless empty? end
```

Applied to the attached file:

```
str=''
File.open("test_color.sh", "r") { |f|
    str = f.read
}
(str.count("^ -~", "^\r\n") +0.0)/ str.length
=> 0.311345646437995
```

Which clearly is not < 0.3, so that file is downloaded instead of being displayed, when one want to view it.

Related issues:

Is duplicate of Redmine - Defect #6256: Redmine considers non ASCII and UTF-1... Closed 2010-08-31

History

#1 - 2010-12-19 14:36 - Jérémy Lal

Ideally it should get the binary attribute from the SCM, but i don't know if all SCM have interface to get that information.

#2 - 2010-12-19 17:32 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Category set to SCM
- Priority changed from Normal to Low

#3 - 2010-12-20 09:46 - ylgod jo

- Assignee set to Jim Mulholland
- % Done changed from 0 to 80

#4 - 2010-12-20 18:50 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Assignee deleted (Jim Mulholland)
- % Done changed from 80 to 0

#5 - 2010-12-20 19:56 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from New to Closed
- Resolution set to Duplicate

Same as #6256.

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Files

test_color.sh 758 Bytes 2010-12-19 Jérémy Lal

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