

## Redmine - Feature #7269

### Sort versions by version numbers x.y.z{z} instead of alphabetically

2011-01-10 16:43 - Darni Jules

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	2011-01-10
<b>Priority:</b>	Normal	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	0%
<b>Category:</b>	Roadmap	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>			
<b>Resolution:</b>	Duplicate		
<b>Description</b> Example:  1.0.1 1.0.10 1.0.2 1.0.3			
<b>Related issues:</b>			
Has duplicate Redmine - Defect #8653: Version name alphanumeric sorting		<b>Closed</b>	<b>2011-06-20</b>
Is duplicate of Redmine - Feature #6881: Version numbering sort		<b>New</b>	<b>2010-11-13</b>

#### History

##### #1 - 2011-01-10 17:13 - Bruno Medeiros

It's probably due to an alphabetical sort.

##### #2 - 2011-01-10 17:14 - Bruno Medeiros

You can assign dates to your versions, it's the first field used to sort.

##### #3 - 2011-01-10 17:20 - Darni Jules

I don't know the release date ahead of time, which is apparently what this date is used for (Due in X days). But I can use this as a workaround for the sorting.

##### #4 - 2011-01-10 18:49 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Tracker changed from Defect to Feature

- Subject changed from x.y.z{z} versions not sorted correctly in roadmap to Sort versions by version numbers x.y.z{z} instead of alphabetically

##### #5 - 2011-01-13 22:43 - James Byrne

Would it not be more useful to simply allow dynamic sorting both in settings/versions page and the Roadmap page? That way people can choose whichever column is meaningful to them, version number or due date.

I am not too keen on sorting the version by number if that means enforcing strict numerical version numbers. We preface our versions with project strings and sometimes add suffixes. For example: P-01.001.0001.b12. It is simple enough to adopt a placeholder pattern for version numbers (##.###.####) such that alphabetic and numeric sorting amount to the same thing.

##### #6 - 2011-04-06 17:28 - Etienne Massip

- Category set to Roadmap

##### #7 - 2012-02-24 08:39 - Daniel Albuschat

Actually, since we don't use numbers in versions at all (bug instead some fancy names), I'd prefer a custom sorting. I can see how this should be a rare case and numerical sorting should be the default, but I'd still think this should be considered.

##### #8 - 2013-03-25 13:50 - David Rahusen

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##### #9 - 2013-03-27 05:41 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Status changed from New to Closed

- *Resolution set to Duplicate*

Duplicate with [#6881](#).