

## Redmine - Feature #10460

### Option to copy watchers when copying issues

2012-03-15 20:42 - Hisham Al-Shurafa

<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> Issues	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b> 3.4.0	
<b>Resolution:</b> Fixed	
<b>Description</b>	
Steps to repro:  1) Copy an issue 2) In the copy screen, set the project of the issue to a different issue 3) Click Copy and follow  The issue is copied, but the WATCHERS of the issue are not. This seems like a bug.  I'm using the latest Redmine 3.2 stable.	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to Redmine - Feature # 23610: Reset status when copying issues	<b>Closed</b>
Related to Redmine - Defect # 26880: Cannot clear all watchers when copying a...	<b>Closed</b>

#### Associated revisions

##### Revision 16509 - 2017-04-06 19:34 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Option to copy watchers when copying issues (#10460).

#### History

##### #1 - 2012-03-19 11:11 - fangzheng ( )

Should it be a "Feature" instead of a "Defect"?

Sometimes I just need to use a issue as a template, so I don't want to copy watchers.

In my opinion, current behavior is OK.

However, an additional "copy watchers" checkbox or button is also welcome :-)

##### #2 - 2012-11-09 05:40 - Jun Huang

+1 Support

##### #3 - 2014-09-08 10:46 - Arne-Kolja Bachstein

+1

It should be optional, as fangzheng mentioned. Maybe with a configurable default value?

**#4 - 2014-09-08 14:58 - Fernando Hartmann**

+1. Related to #17576

**#5 - 2014-10-06 12:29 - Toshi MARUYAMA**

- Related to Feature #17576: Ability to choose, in administration page, the behaviour of status during copying issues added

**#6 - 2016-09-04 13:42 - Toshi MARUYAMA**

- Related to deleted (Feature #17576: Ability to choose, in administration page, the behaviour of status during copying issues)

**#7 - 2016-09-04 13:43 - Toshi MARUYAMA**

- Related to Feature #23610: Reset status when copying issues added

**#8 - 2017-04-06 19:36 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Tracker changed from Defect to Feature

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Assignee set to Jean-Philippe Lang

- Target version set to 3.4.0

- Resolution set to Fixed

Feature added in r16509.

When copying a single issue, the original watchers are preselected, you can unselect them.

When bulk copying issues a new checkbox is added to copy watchers.

In both cases, the user gets this option only if he is allowed to add watchers.

**#9 - 2017-04-06 19:37 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Subject changed from Copy Issue should Copy Watchers to Option to copy watchers when copying issues

**#10 - 2017-09-11 04:48 - Go MAEDA**

- Related to Defect #26880: Cannot clear all watchers when copying an issue added