Redmine - Defect #1334

Wiki formatting character *_ and _*

2008-05-30 22:22 - James Byrne

Status:	Closed	**Start date:**	2008-05-30
Priority:	Normal	**Due date:**	
Assignee:		**% Done:**	0%
Category:	Wiki	**Estimated time:**	0.00 hour
Target version:	1.0.0 (RC)		
Resolution:	Fixed	**Affected version:**	0.7.1

Description

The wiki formatter enforces a non-obvious dependency on strong '*' and emphasis '_' tags. Specifically, emphasis tag characters must be contained within strong tag characters. Thus ***This Text is Bold Italic***; but **This text has "** *Italicized as Well** .

Making this worse is that Redmine 0.7, when importing from Trac (which uses various numbers of ' to accomplish the same thing), substitutes "_*text*_" for " '''text''' " when the equivalent in Redmine should be ***text***. Lastly, Redmine does not properly parse text formatting that is enclosed in any adjacent characters without a whitespace separator: (***This is Not Formatted***) (***but this is***).

I suggest that the dependency be removed and that '_*x*_' display the same as '*_x_*'. I have mixed feelings about whether or not formatting tags should require whitespace separation from surrounding text.

Finally, I cannot get a preview of this submission, all I see is a frame with the word Preview in the upper left corner; much like a html fieldset legend with empty contents.

Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Defect #3089: Text formatting sometimes breaks when comb...	**Closed**	**2009-04-01**

Associated revisions

Revision 3563 - 2010-03-12 14:43 - Jean-Philippe Lang

Fixed: text formatting breaks when using parenthesis inside bold tags (#1334).

History

#1 - 2008-05-30 22:30 - James Byrne

Actually, what the Trac import routine does is output this:

'''text''' becomes ***text***

#2 - 2008-05-30 22:31 - James Byrne

Let me try that again.

'''text''' becomes '_*text_*'

#3 - 2008-11-11 10:36 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Target version deleted (0.8)

#4 - 2009-03-20 17:11 - Joscha Drechsler

The parser also produces erroneous output when using parenthesis:
'_one_' and '_two_' becomes *one* and *two* as it is supposed to.
but when you parenthise 'one' and 'two', what happens is:
'_(one)_' and '_(two)_' becomes *(one)* and *(two)* which is obviously not what it should look like.
and this happens also for bold string: '*one*' and '*two*' becomes **(one)** and **(two)**

#5 - 2010-03-12 14:43 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Target version set to 1.0.0 (RC)

- Resolution set to Fixed

First part fixed in [r3561](). Last part in [r3563]().