

## Redmine - Defect #16896

### Follows Relation Ignored When Adding a Parent

2014-05-15 20:32 - Monica Kochofar

<b>Status:</b> New	<b>Start date:</b>
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b>	<b>% Done:</b> 0%
<b>Category:</b> Issues	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	<b>Affected version:</b> 2.5.1
<b>Resolution:</b>	
<b>Description</b>	
<b>Problem</b>	
There seems to be a check missing on the start date and end dates of a subitem if a parent with a "follows" relation is added to the subitem.	
<b>Here are a few key features of Redmine to keep in mind in relation to this Defect:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Parent items inherit the min Start Date from subitems, as well as max End Dates from subitems</li><li>- How Precedes and Follows relations work as shown here: [[RedmineIssues]]</li></ul>	
<b>Below you will find the steps to reproduce in which I have tried to describe to the best of my ability.</b>	
Steps to Reproduce:	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Create 3 Issues in a project (Issue 1, Issue 2, Issue 3)</li><li>2. Make Issue 1 Parent item of Issue 2</li><li>3. Add a relation: Issue 3 <b>precedes</b> Issue 1</li><li>4. Test the following: set issue 2 at an earlier start date than issue 3's start date -- this should throw an error as expected when you press "submit".</li><li>5. Now, change Issue 2's Start Date back to the original accepted Start Date.</li><li>6. Clear the Parent Field from Issue 2 and press submit</li><li>7. Set Issue 2 to an earlier start date than Issue 3 and press submit</li><li>8. Again Make Issue 1 Parent item of Issue 2 and press submit. -- notice how the invalid start date is accepted here</li><li>9. You will notice that Issue 1 has had its start date changed to the invalid one as well as it inherits the min start date from its subitem Issue 2.</li></ol>	
Feel free to let me know if you would like me to elaborate on anything/have any questions.	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to Redmine - Defect # 6378: Subtask - Start is invalid	<b>Reopened</b> <b>2010-09-13</b>

### History

#### #1 - 2014-06-03 18:07 - Monica Kochofar

Just found a similar older issue describing the same behavior: #6378

#### #2 - 2014-06-14 05:49 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Description updated

#### #3 - 2014-06-14 05:50 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Defect #6378: Subtask - Start is invalid added