

## Redmine - Patch #24434

### Link Redmine Issues to Mercurial Branch name

2016-11-23 05:23 - Ewan Makepeace

<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>	SCM	<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>			

#### Description

In our company we start a new Mercurial branch for every feature request. Our branch naming looks like "RM1234" where 1234 is the issue concerned.

Rather rely on issue numbers embedded in commit messages which relies on developer discipline and I find is not always reliable we made the attached patch to take the issue number directly from the branch name.

I hope this may be of interest to others.

#### RELATED NOTES

1. It is unfortunate that Redmine does not feature branch names anywhere. Neither in the summary of change sets on the issue page nor even on the changes detail page is the name of the branch specified. For us this is highly desirable (much more so than the changes ID).

2. I could see no Category in this Redmine related to Version Control, Repository support or Mercurial but am assuming SCM is the correct category?

#### History

##### #1 - 2016-11-23 05:24 - Ewan Makepeace

Note: We have used this patch on versions 2.5.2 and 2.6.1 but not tested elsewhere.

##### #2 - 2016-11-23 05:37 - Toshi MARUYAMA

Could you move Mercurial specific code to derived model (e.g. Repository::Mercurial)?

#### Files

redmine-mercurial.patch	2.61 KB	2016-11-23	Ewan Makepeace
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