# Redmine - Defect #25137

## Assigning a parent in issue properties does not work (Error "Parent task is invalid") although the Parent exists

2017-02-21 10:39 - Astrid Krafczyk-Kralitschka

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| **Status:** | Closed | | **Start date:** | |
| **Priority:** | Normal | | **Due date:** | |
| **Assignee:** | | | **% Done:** | 0% |
| **Category:** | Issues | | **Estimated time:** | 0.00 hour |
| **Target version:** | | | | |
| **Resolution:** | Duplicate | | **Affected version:** | 3.1.3 |

| Description |
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| Affected Version is 3.1.6stable 15842 (version is not in the drop-down..) |
| The parent issue definitely exists. Another issue is assigned as subtask but the other subtask has been added via the parent (create subtaks) |
| The second Issue has been created as the normal issue. After saving I wanted to add parent issue via the properties...and that failed (see attached screenshot) |

| Related issues: | | |
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| Is duplicate of Redmine - Defect #13654: Can't set parent issue when issue re... | | **Closed** |

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## History

### #1 - 2017-02-22 09:51 - Marius BĂLTEANU

You should update you Redmine instance to 3.3.* because in version 3.3.0 there were multiple issues fixed related to issue relations ([#17580](#), [#8628](#), [#13654](#)).

### #2 - 2017-02-22 10:07 - Astrid Krafczyk-Kralitschka

Marius BALTEANU wrote:

> You should update you Redmine instance to 3.3.* because in version 3.3.0 there were multiple issues fixed related to issue relations ([#17580](#), [#8628](#), [#13654](#)).

Hi,

thx a lot. Gonna tell our administrator. 3.3.0 is a stable version?

### #3 - 2017-02-22 10:20 - Marius BĂLTEANU

Redmine 3.3.2 is the latest stable version. You can check by yourself in the News section or in the [Changelog](#) page from wiki.

### #4 - 2017-02-22 21:58 - Mischa The Evil

*- Status changed from New to Needs feedback*

### #5 - 2017-03-04 04:47 - Go MAEDA

*- Is duplicate of Defect #13654: Can't set parent issue when issue relations among child issues are present added*

### #6 - 2017-03-04 04:47 - Go MAEDA

*- Status changed from Needs feedback to Closed*

*- Resolution set to Duplicate*

As Marius BALTEANU wrote, I think this issue is a duplicate of [#13654](#). It was fixed in Redmine 3.3.0. Please reopen this issue if the problem persists after updating to Redmine 3.3.x.

In Redmine <= 3.2.x, you cannot set parent task if some of related issues has same parent task.

### #7 - 2017-03-14 09:41 - Astrid Krafczyk-Kralitschka

OK. Thx. Will wait if our admin will do the update.

**Files**

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| parent_error.png | 44.4 KB | 2017-02-21 | Astrid Krafczyk-Kralitschka |